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Traffic Control Needed

The need for some type of traffic control or regulation at highway and street crossings used by school children constitutes a problem which deserves utmost consideration by the City Council. A recent mishap in which two small boys were hit by a car, fortunately escaping serious injury, gives added emphasis to the problem.

Permanent patrolling of the several areas where hazards to the children are greatest would be an expensive matter. But cost is no consideration compared to the danger of crippling or killing a child.

However, other methods of traffic control aside from permanent patrolling can surely be devised if an all-out effort is made to that end. The city took a step in that direction in utilizing the drainage facilities under the highway on Avenue H as an underpass, but children can only use this route in dry weather.

Installation of traffic control lights at some of the busier crossings, regulating traffic only during school hours, might be the logical solution.

The problem is one which can and should be met without delay. Its solution should be the No. 1 goal of city and school officials.

Clean-Up Week Needs Help of Every Citizen

Spring Clean-Up Week which has been officially proclaimed April 21-26 by Mayor Hester, is a project in which every citizen of Haskell can participate with profit to himself and the community.

Winter rains which have been a blessing and brought brighter prospects for the entire area, have also assured a bumper crop of weeds and other unwanted growth. In addition to the unsightly appearance, weeds also constitute a hazard to community health, harboring flies, mosquitoes and other insects.

By ridding their premises of weeds now, just as they are beginning to appear, homeowners not only add to the attractiveness of their property, but in addition they get rid of potential harboring places for disease-bearing insects. Also, less work is required now in getting weeds and other obnoxious growths under control than will be needed if they are allowed to go unchecked.

Clean-Up Week is also a good time to check and eliminate dense growths which create "blind corners" at several points in the city. Obstructions of this nature should be reported to city officials.

While homeowners are being urged to cooperate in making Haskell a cleaner and healthier community, steps should also be taken to see that vacant lots owned by non-residents are not allowed to grow up in weeds. If legally permissible, costs of cleaning up such areas should be charged to owners, particularly where the unkempt premises are an unsightly blot in an otherwise attractive neighborhood.

Three Years of Salk Vaccine

Just three years ago this April the Salk vaccine was officially pronounced safe and effective and licensed for use by the U. S. Government.

Since then, the polio picture in this country has undergone a radical change. Before the Salk vaccine we struggled with an erratic but mounting series of polio epidemics that reached their peak in 1952 with 57,879 cases. Last year, owing to widespread vaccination, the number dropped to 5,894. By this time it is clear that the Salk vaccine, developed on grants from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, is one of the triumphant milestones in the history of modern medical science.

What, in the meantime, has happened to vaccination?

The first year it was given mainly to grade school children—some 10 million of them. The second year it was made available to young persons up to 20 and expectant mothers, and some 35 million were injected. Last year a crash vaccination program directed at all persons under 40 added 20 million more, making a total of 65 million. A big job done in a remarkably short time.

But not good enough. For Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, warns us that, with 46 million Americans still unvaccinated, we may still have polio epidemics next summer.

The answer? There is enough vaccine for everybody now, regardless of age. It's painless. It's inexpensive. It's effective protection against a lifetime of paralysis.

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Haskell County History

20 Years Ago—April 12, 1938
A belated cold spell which hit this section last Wednesday night is believed to have doomed a major part of the fruit crop, as well as ruining spring gardens and early maize and damaging grain. Freezing temperatures came on the heels of a sandstorm and northern, sending the mercury tumbling from a high of 88 degrees to 27. The blast brought a heavy snow, most of which melted as it fell, however enough remained to blanket the ground.

An increased interest in poultry production is reported by W. P. Trice, who says there is a heavy demand for baby and started chicks from his hatchery, which is now running at capacity.

Spring football training for the HHS Indians was started Monday by Coach Perry Marson and Assistant Coach Scott Whitaker, with about 40 prospective players reporting. Lettermen returning this year include Curtis Ballard, Milton Wilfong, Fred Barnett, J. C. Scott, Otis Henshaw, Bob Cousins, Jack Simmons, Eulis Hays, Quinton Bailey, lineemen; and for the backfield, Zeldon Thomason, Eugene Rogers, Sam Henshaw, Ray Buford, Wayne Laird, Bill Wiseman and Buster Cholsen.

Haskell farmers and ranchers who complied with the government farm program requirements during the last year, have been paid more than \$100,000 within the past two weeks for their part in the compliance plan. Checks totalling this amount went to about 60 farmers.

John L. Guest, 16-year-old high school senior, has been selected as Haskell's representative in the "My Home Town" speaking contest at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held in Wichita Falls this month.

Lee Pierson of San Diego, Calif., arrived Friday for several days visit here. Mr. Pierson owns considerable town and farm holdings here.

V. L. Alford, manager of the Brazos Valley Cheese Plant, and Ralph Duncan, C. of C. secretary, were business visitors in Wichita Falls Friday.

40 Years Ago—April 20, 1918
A cyclone formed east of Throckmorton Sunday evening and swept a narrow path through North Texas. Six persons were killed and property damaged to the extent of several thousands dollars.

The Commissioners Court has appointed Clyde F. Elkins as County Attorney, filling the vacancy created by the resignation of Tom Davis, who has enlisted in the Army.

A total \$24,200 has been subscribed on the Third Liberty Loan through the two Haskell banks.

Rev. John D. White, resident of Haskell for many years, has accepted the pastorate of the Christian Church in Electra, and expects to move his family to that city at an early date.

Good rains, accompanied by considerable hail in some sections, have fallen in Haskell County this week.

Last Thursday morning Mrs. J. B. Brewer, living west of Plainview school, was fatally burned when the kerosene lamp connected with an incubator exploded. She had gone into the storm cellar to remove some chickens when the explosion occurred, setting fire to her clothing. Mrs. Brewer leaves a husband and ten children, the youngest being 18 months old.

The Haskell Roller Rink, under the management of Frank M. Dodson, has completed a new portable floor and tent for the rink.

J. F. Kennedy, local agent for the Texas Company, has installed a new Bowser oil pump of 65 gallon capacity at the Haskell Garage.

The four candidates for the office of Tax Collector of Haskell County have signed an agreement with each other not to make a house to house canvass during the campaign for various reasons specified in the contract. This is a little out of the ordinary for candidates in a political campaign, but they have signed this contract, which makes it fair to all.

50 Years Ago—April 18, 1908
Postmaster John B. Baker attended a meeting of the Republican state committee at Dallas Tuesday.

Commencement exercises marking the close of the 1907-08 term of Haskell High School were observed this week in the Haskell Opera House. The graduating class was composed of three boys and eight girls: Graydon E. Nicholson, Walter Pylate Davis, Oral J. Jackson, Misses Dora Catherine Ballew, Annie Juanita Snow, Lela Addie Sprowell, Lela Rebecca Couch, Ruby Poole, Mattie Frieron, Slydell Wyche and Mabel Claire Baldwin.

Hon. Cone Johnson of Tyler spoke here last Saturday afternoon to an audience that filled the courthouse to overflowing.

It continues to rain here. The rainfall since April 1 totals 5.40 inches. During the last three days of March 1.28 inches of rain fell, making a total in 20 days of 6.68 inches.

The El Paso District Presbytery met at the Presbyterian Church in Haskell April 16, with a full attendance of the ministers and a good number of elders. At the same time the Presbyterian Ladies Mission Union met in the Methodist Church.

Rev. and Mrs. D. James visited their daughter, Mrs. John Ellis at this place this week.

The following ladies were visitors at Mrs. Theo Wright's this week: Mrs. J. V. W. Holmes and little daughter Catherine of Sweetwater, Mrs. O. W. Dutton and Mrs. Alford Shepperson of Stamford, and Miss Lillie Bizzell of Albany.

G. B. Powell of the southeast part of the county was in town Monday. He says he is putting in a new place but will get a full crop this year.

M. W. Wynn returned home Saturday from Van Horn where he spent several weeks on business.

People, Places, and Things

By A. PATF.

Monday, April 21 marks the beginning of Haskell's annual Spring Clean-Up Week, and sponsors and city officials have mapped plans to make it one of the most intensive campaigns in years. Mayor Ira Hester has officially designated April 21-26 as Clean-Up Week, and the Chamber of Commerce and civic clubs have teamed up to put the campaign over in a big way.

Here's hoping the community campaign is as successful as another momentous April 21 Clean-Up Campaign. History records that General Sam Houston's army of Texas cleaned up on Santa Ana's troops on that date in 1836, making it a turning point in the history of Texas.

Charles Swinson, banker, theatre manager and civic worker, deserves a plug and pat on the back for his contribution to traffic safety in Haskell. When he learned of a recent accident in which two youngsters were injured while crossing a highway on their way to school, Charles did more than the rest of us who held up our hands and deplored the mishap. He got into action and voluntarily took on himself the job of pat-

trolling the dangerous highway crossing during the periods when pupils in elementary schools were going to and from school.

For his time and trouble, Charles will get a few words of praise from a small number of citizens interested in the safety of little children. Then, if the usual pattern of community lethargy prevails, we'll drift back into the same situation as before, leaving the youngsters to fend for themselves against traffic dangers.

While many farmers were getting along with plans for their Spring planting, an ad which appeared in the April 3 issue seemed completely out of place to us until we checked up. The particular ad, for Duncan Gin Co., stated their plant would gin on Friday, April 4. First time we saw Bill Duncan, veteran ginnee, we asked about this business of ginning at cotton planting time. "Not too unusual, for a season such as last year's," he told us. Seems that the extremely wet winter delayed total harvesting way past normal, with many farmers only recently winding up harvest of the 1957 crop. Some 20-odd years ago, Duncan recalled, he operated his plant on and off during the entire summer in handling remnants of a bumper crop.

A recent baseball game between two Latin American teams at Fair Park Field ended on a night club type of brawl in which the participants were two young, fiery-tempered Latin women. As a result, no one knew, or cared about the final score in the ball game.

About the fourth inning, the two intensely partisan senioritas, good-looking and about 20, got into a spirited argument. Tempers boiled as words flew, and before you could say the equivalent of Jack Robinson in Spanish the two peacherinos were clawing at each

other like wildcats from south of the border.

After less than 60 seconds of tugging and clawing, a twin Gypsy Rose Lee act was in the making as the two senioritas ripped clothing from each other. No body attempted to stop the melee, and hostilities ended only when the near exhausted antagonists had stripped each other almost to the point of no return.

Spectators, gentlemen that they were, graciously loaned coats and jackets to the young women as they were bundled into separate cars and hustled away.

If and when the interrupted ball game is re-scheduled, and if the partisan senioritas attend gatekeepers might as well get braced for a record turnout of fans.

Scott Memorial Park, with its perfect facilities for camping and fishing, is rapidly becoming one of the most popular recreation spots in West Texas insofar as fishermen are concerned.

Before Lake Stamford was built, Paint Creek was well known as an excellent fishing stream, to many fishermen in this area, but was not too accessible to the general public. Building of the lake and Scott Park has changed that, making good fishing available to everyone.

We recall many fishing trips on Paint Creek, when it was not uncommon to snag a 20 or 30-pound yellow cat, and no trouble to get all the channel cat you cared to bring home. Not every trip, but most times.

One trip in particular was a "water haul" and resulted in an unscheduled, inconvenient overnight stay.

Along with Mart Clifton, Ted Alexander, Tom Donohoo and one or two others, we secured a three-inch mesh seine and planned to go after "Old Blue" in a deep hole

on Big Paint. Mart and Ted prevailed on Tom Davis to go along as guest, telling him he'd see more fish caught than he had ever seen before, and promising the trip wouldn't take over a few hours.

Owner of the ranch where we had planned to go considered fishing an unnecessary pastime. For that reason, our car was parked outside the ranch fence, necessitating a walk of something like a mile down a canyon to the creek.

Seining until dark with little luck, the trip back up the canyon was started with members of the party taking time about carrying the wet, heavy seine and a sack partly filled with fish. About halfway up the canyon, the angry buzz of a rattlesnake started a stampede. None in the party had thought to bring a light of any kind. Near the top of the canyon another rattler was disturbed giving added speed to the party of fishermen.

Finally out of the canyon, the car was nowhere near. "Must have took the wrong canyon coming out," Mart reasoned. "We'll just have to wait until daylight," he added.

Fear of rattlesnakes made hunting wood for a fire in the pitch-

black night out of the sky. If ever a wet, disappointed fisherman caused a wet 3-inch protection from the rain, arrival of Mart was right. The head of another

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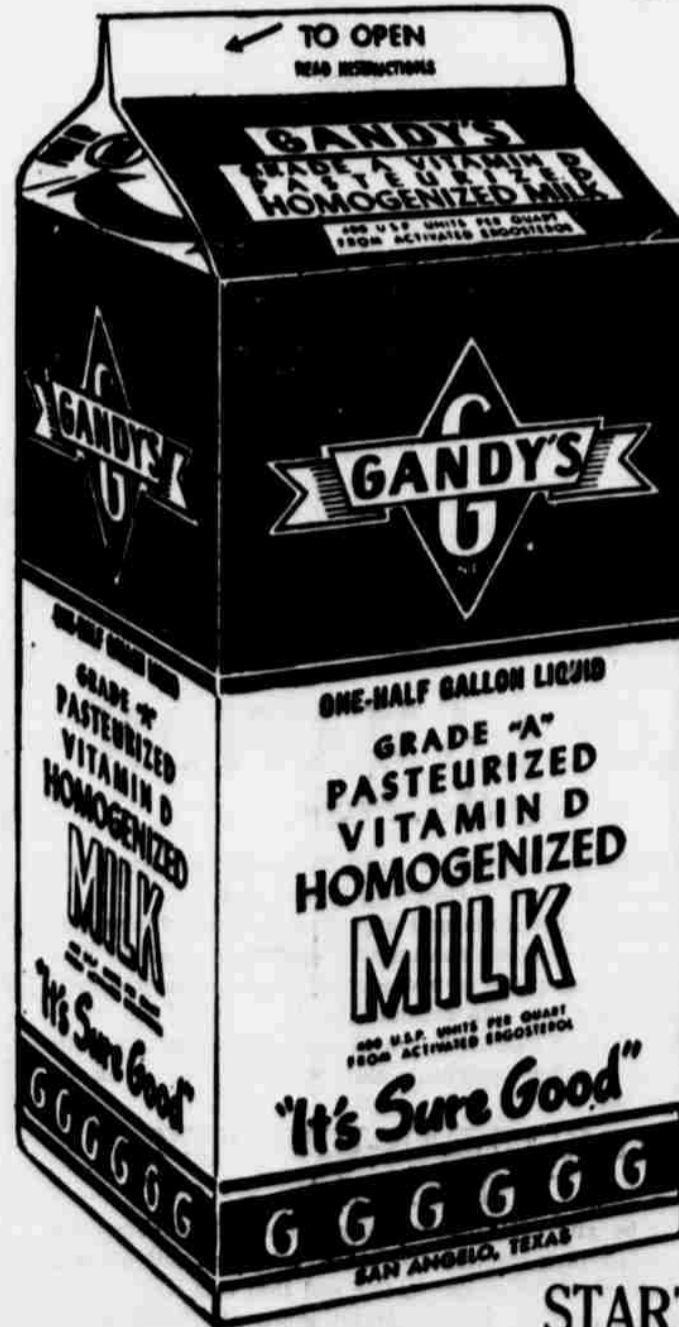
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- Deluxe Skates
- Beautiful Dolls
- Wilson Nite Striped Football
- Boxing Gloves
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- Wilson Ball Glove
- Baseballs (Little League)
- Bats (Little League)

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1 POUND
19¢

ALL BRANDS
Biscuits
9¢

ASSORTED FRUIT
Pies
EACH
39¢

Oranges TEXAS, LB. **9¢**

Radishes BUNCH **5¢**

Green Onions FRESH, BUNCH **5¢**

Welchade QT. CAN **29¢**

ST CREAM **Ordin Butter** POUND **69¢**

Shortening KIMBELL, 3-LB. CAN **65¢**

Tea WHITE SWAN, 1/4-LB. **29¢**

COND, 2 1/2 CAN **SWEET POTATOES** **25¢**

Milk PET or CARNATION 2 LARGE or 4 SMALL **29¢**

BY FOOD GERBER'S 3 CANS **29¢**

KIMBELL
Flour
10-LB. BAG
79¢

BETTY CROCKER
Li'l Angel
BOX
19¢

ADMIRATION
Coffee
POUND PACKAGE
69¢

ARROW, 4-OZ. CAN
Black Pepper **29¢**

June Peas CAN **10¢**

Preserves KIMBELL 4-LB. PEACH or APRICOT **89¢**

Dog Food WILSON'S IDEAL 2 CANS **25¢**

Tamales WILSON'S, JAR **25¢**

PEANUT BUTTER KIMBELL REFRIGERATOR JAR **49¢**

BUTTER BEANS KIMBELL'S 2 CANS **25¢**

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Salad Dressing **39¢**

June Peas DIAMOND, CAN **10¢**

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ALMON TALL CAN **49¢**

White Hominy KIMBELL 2 CANS **19¢**

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Muffin Mixes BETTY CROCKER, BOX **29¢**

Boss Bacon 2-LB. PKG. **98¢**

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W.H.S. Speech Class On Weinert Matrons Club Program

Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday at the Community Center for a regular meeting. "Knowledge of Pan America, by Our Youth," was the theme of the program. Mrs. W. B. Guess was director. Slogan was "Know each other—we will walk together."

The music and playlet presented by the speech class of Weinert high school was in the form of a television broadcast under direction of Joyce Allred, assisted by Mrs. Clyde Taylor, teacher of the speech class. James Hawkins was announcer. Appearing on the program were Charlene Sturdy, Christine Hutchinson, Patsy King, Carolyn Davis, Truman Therwanger, Walter Davis, Elwood Bruton, Durwood Bruton, Tiffen Mayfield, Truett Wren, Don Griffin, Wayne Lutes.

Ten members attended the meeting and three guests. Mrs. Ben Bruton, who is a charter member of the Weinert Matrons Club, Mrs. Clyde Walker and Martha Nell Chambers of Rochester.

Hostess was Mrs. M. W. Phemister. Next meeting of the club will be April 24 at the school directed by Mrs. M. W. Phemister on "Knowledge of Arts and Gardens." Winning ribbons will be awarded to local art students.

Junior High P-TA Meets Thursday for Regular Program

The Haskell Junior High P-TA met Thursday, April 10 at 3 p. m. in the Visual Aid room.

The president, Mrs. J. D. Weaver, called the meeting to order. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave a statement of the finances which was approved and filed.

A committee was elected to choose a Life Member of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. The committee is composed of Mrs. J. A. Bynum, Mrs. D. V. Hiebert, Mrs. Ira Hester, Rev. Oscar Bruce gave the devotional thought, taking a Scripture from the Gospel of St. Luke. Mrs. R. W. Herren reminded the group of the district meeting to be held in Abilene April 22 and 23. Officers and members were urged to attend as many sessions as possible. Mrs. Ira Hester played a recording of speeches heard at the State Convention last fall. These had been written and given by students of a Houston High School. They were greatly enjoyed by everyone.

Mrs. Byrd's room won the room count. Cakes and cookies were served at the close of the meeting.

Principal celery-growing states are Michigan, California, Florida and New York.

NEWS OF INTEREST WOMEN

Plans Completed for District 18 P-TA Spring Conference in Abilene April 22-23

The third Spring Conference of District 18, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held in Abilene April 22-23.

Mrs. Bob Herren, District president from Haskell, and Mrs. Robert Counts, district vice president and conference program chairman, met recently at the home of Mrs. Russell Day in Abilene to complete details.

For the first time, the annual conference will open with a general night session at 7:30 on April 22 in the auditorium of Abilene high school. A full day of important activity has been planned for the following day. The Windsor Hotel will be headquarters for the main sessions, as well as the luncheon on April 23.

While the night session on April 22 begins at 7:30 p. m., registration desks will be set up in the foyer of Abilene high school auditorium from 6:30 to 7:30. During the evening business session M. H. Galbreath of Girard, chairman of the nominating committee, will present to the assembly the following nominees for district offices to be voted on the next morning between 8:30 and 12:15:

President, Mrs. Horace Wood, Spur.
Vice President, Mrs. Robert Williams, Dickens. (Dickens, Motley, Cotile and King Counties).
Recording Secretary, Mrs. Robert Counts, Lueders.
Corresponding Secy, Mrs. Guy Goen, Spur.
Parliamentarian, Mrs. R. W. Herren, Haskell.
Historian, Mrs. Dave Reves, Anson.

The evening program will be a tribute to life members and teachers. The meeting will be concluded with presentation of life membership awards in an impressive ceremony.

This night session has been planned specifically to give people who cannot attend a day session the opportunity of participating in Spring Conference. Delegates, teachers and parents in the district, as well as locally, are urged to attend the night meeting. It is open to the public.

On Wednesday, April 23, registration will begin in the Windsor Hotel at 8:30 a. m. The Conference theme, "Education Is Life In The Making"

will follow the invocation at 9:30 a. m. In this presentation Mrs. Bob Herren will be assisted by North Junior High Speech Department. This will be the general theme of P-TA during the 1958-59 year.

At 9:30 a. m. Mrs. W. D. deGrassi, State President, will speak. After reports and entertainment there will be stimulator sessions, with the delegation divided into four groups.

After the noon luncheon there will be a "Treasure Hunt in Leadership Training" to help delegates interpret, become better informed and inspired in the P-TA movement. The "Treasures" will be found in tape recordings, films, panels and general discussions.

The over-all conference is dedicated to delegates. The conference program will feature many exhibits, reports, sharing sessions, "swap-shops," skits, addresses, action in music, and many outstanding people in the field of P-TA.

Between 3:00 and 4:00 p. m. the election report will be heard and Mrs. deGrassi will install the new officers.

The Abilene Conference Committee Chairmen are:
General Arrangements, Mrs. Russell Day, Mrs. Malcolm Gray.
Credentials and Registrations, Mrs. M. A. Staggs, Mrs. V. H. Shultz.

Publicity, Mrs. H. A. Hipsher.
Exhibits, Mrs. Coleman Mabray.
Prayer, Mrs. J. W. Heilhecker.
Reservations, Mrs. Sam Moser.
Arts and Crafts, Mr. Troy Caraway.

Music, Dr. Rogers.
Publicity Record Books, Mrs. Bouldin Crofton.
Luncheon, Mrs. Malcolm Gray.
Hospitality, Mrs. Lester Barry.
Tea, Mrs. Hollis Huddleston.
Treasurer, Mrs. J. M. McClarty.

Hostess to State Representatives, Mrs. D. W. Boren.
Transportation, Mrs. G. Mac Boywer.

Assistant to Recording Sec'y, Mrs. J. Francis Pruitt.

All P-TA units in District 18 are urged to make plans for participation in this Spring Conference, the district president said.

Elyzabell LeFevre, George T. Apple Wed April 8

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre of Sagerton are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Elyzabell, and George T. Apple of Lubbock. The couple was married in Duncan, Okla., April 8. Rev. W. J. McBride, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Duncan, performed the ceremony.

The bride is a 1957 graduate of Rule High School and recently obtained her beauty operator's license after attending school in Lubbock.

Both the bride and groom are employed in Lubbock, and they will make their home at 804 Ave. M., in Lubbock.

Luncheon Honors Miss Lynda Perrin In Toliver Home
Miss Lynda Perrin, a spring graduate of Haskell High School, was honored at a luncheon last Saturday given by Mrs. Raymond Pickering of Lubbock and Mrs. Bailey Toliver of Haskell in the Toliver home.

Places for six graduates were laid at a table featuring spring flowers and favors for the graduates. Attending were the honoree, Miss Perrin, Misses Sara Roberson, Robbie Roberson, Janice Hester, Jeanette Gibson, Winnette Sherman.

BEACH MATES



Smooth-fitting swim suit and matching cover-up jacket feature an Everglaze cotton print. Ensemble by Rose Marie Reid is worn by Miss America 1958, Marilyn Van Derbur.

McLennan-Blake Wedding Rites Read April 5

Mrs. Jewel McLennan became the bride of Francis C. Blake on Saturday afternoon, April 5 at 4 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in Graham. The Rev. William J. Greenwalt performed the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore an ice blue dress with a matching hat and white accessories. Her wedding corsage was of white carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake went to Palestine, Texas, on their wedding trip and visited the dogwood trails there. Easter Sunday they attended church at the Presbyterian Church in Irving which is Mr. Blake's family church, and visited his sister, Mrs. George Clendannan and her family. They will make their home at 508 Ave. F in Haskell where Mr. Blake is Commissioner of Precinct 4.

Fidelis S.S. Class Meets in Home of Mrs. Coggins

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Ruby Coggins Monday night for their business and social meeting. The meeting was opened with the class song, "Have Thine Own Way Lord."

Mrs. Cadenhead led in prayer. Mrs. Moore brought the devotional, on the theme of Happiness. Mrs. Cadenhead read the minutes of the last meeting.

Mrs. Chamberlin gave her group report of 68 per cent. Mrs. McCain gave her report and praised our president, Bonnie Cothron for being present every Sunday and at every social. Mrs. Bert Orr gave the secretary's report, and Mrs. Chamberlin dismissed with prayer.

The hostess served punch, cake, nuts and sandwiches to the following: Mesdames Cadenhead, Moore, McCain, Chamberlin, Cothron, Orr, and the hostess, Ruby Coggins. Mrs. Betty Cooper was a visitor.

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Annual Hugon-Josselet Reunion Held Sunday; 165 Family Members Attend

The ninth annual Hugon Family Reunion was held April 13, 1958 in the American Legion Hall in Haskell. One hundred and sixty-five persons registered.

Alfred Turnbow, president of the reunion, welcomed the relatives and friends. After hymns were sung by the group, with Mrs. Marion Josselet as pianist, Rev. Louis Solomon gave an inspiring message on "It does make a difference in what we believe."

After an enjoyable covered dish luncheon, a business session was held in which the officers were elected: Bill Smith, president, and Mrs. Thurman Ward as secretary for the reunion to be held in Gainesville in 1959.

Officers for the 1960 reunion to be held in Haskell are Jesse Dean, president, and Rachel Stubblefield as secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. David Solomon of Huntington Park, Calif., traveled one thousand three hundred miles to attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. David Josselet were the youngest married couple present. They have been married one year.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Josselet were the oldest married couple present. They have been married 45 years.

Hilda Cunningham displayed a scrapbook of some historical events of the family. Pictures are being secured to make a complete album of the families.

Uncle Henry Smith and Jesse Josselet have died since the last reunion. Flowers were placed in the building in memory of Lydia Turnbow and Jesse Josselet by their families.

Gifts were presented to John Solomon, the oldest person present, and Gary Baccus, the three-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Baccus, the youngest person present. Gary is the sixth generation of the B. D. Hugons.

B. D. Hugon was the father of Catherine Josselet; Catherine Josselet was the mother of David Josselet; David Josselet is father of Richard Josselet; Richard Josselet is the father of Brenda Baccus, and Brenda Baccus is the mother of Gary Baccus.

Out - of - town relatives and friends attending: Mrs. Tom Cunningham, Mrs. J. D. Turpen, Denton; Lily Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ward, Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ward, Silver Bend, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Toliver Jr., Patricia and Karen, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson, Jimmy and Vic, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, Dianne, Ronnie and Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pickering and David, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Estle Gilleland, Jackie, Tulla; Mr. and Mrs. David Josselet, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Baccus, Gary, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Medford, Eddie and Cindy, Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Joel Massey, and John, Mrs. Esther King, Olen King, Munday; Rev. and

Mrs. Louis Solomon, Royal and David of Luling, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. David Solomon of Huntington Park, Calif.

Mrs. Roy Wiseman New President of Elementary P-TA

Mrs. Roy Wiseman has been elected president of the Elementary School P-TA in elections held during the regular April meeting.

Other officers are: Mrs. Robt. C. Berry, vice president; Mrs. Claude McDonald, secretary; Mrs. John Darnell, treasurer; Mrs. W. F. Ratliff, historian; Mrs. C. G. Burson Jr., parliamentarian; and Mrs. Bill Lawson, reporter.

Speaker at the meeting was Dr. Paul Southern, Abilene, minister of the Woodlawn Church of Christ.

Rainbow Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Patterson

Regular meeting of the Rainbow Sewing Club was held in the home of Mrs. Sallie Patterson Tuesday, April 15, with 12 members and one visitor present.

The house was called to order by the president, Mrs. Patterson. A son, Let Me Call You Sweetheart, was led by Mrs. Rogers. Roll call was answered and minutes read, and the card chairman's report was made. Plans were discussed for the anniversary meeting on May 9.

Mrs. Patterson won on needlecraft, and the thought for the day was given by Mrs. New. A number of songs were led by the song leader, Mrs. Rogers. A special song was given by Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Andrews.

Refreshments were served to a visitor, Doyle New, and members, Mesdames Peavy, Pearsey, Andrews, Josselet, Edwards, New, Flournoy, Pitman, Rogers, Johnson, Patterson.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Peavy.

Mrs. Jack Merchant Hosts Meeting of Josselet HD Club

Mrs. Jack Merchant was hostess to the Josselet Home Demonstration Club in her home April 7.

The meeting was opened by the group singing "Ever Onward." Mrs. Layton Robertson gave the Council report, and Mrs. Paul Cothron read a poem, "Above the Cross."

Miss Barbara McAnnelly, county home demonstration agent, gave an interesting and informative talk on "Furnishing the Bedroom." She recommended the buying of well-made furniture, not something that just looks pretty.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to Miss McAnnelly, Mesdames Louise Merchant, Lee Walters, Mildred Robertson, Bonnie Cothron, Sharon Robertson, Deanna Robertson and the hostess, Mrs. Jack Merchant.

Paint Creek Plant Film Shown WTU Womens Club

A film showing operation and maintenance of the Paint Creek Power Plant was shown at the meeting of the WTU Women's Club held Thursday, April 10 in the home of Mrs. Margie Huss.

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Paint Creek . . . Community News

MRS. GENE OVERTON

Last weekend's rain was just what we needed. It couldn't have fallen any better if we had ordered it. Two more rains like that spaced about two weeks apart, and West Texas will begin adding its contribution to the wheat and grain surplus. After all, the plains farmer with his irrigation can raise on 15 acres what we dry land farmers raise on 100. And grain farmers are allowed 15 acres before allotments are made.

Some men who were bedding cotton land were beginning to wish for a rain, too because the winter weeds had sapped the ground, until it was getting too hard for the plow. Discs and harrows and one-ways were not getting half deep enough to plow up surplus grain. So everybody, no matter where they were in their spring farming, welcomed the rain. And it was like a bottle of Geritol for spring gardens. Too, most Paint Creekers were able to go to the lake and fish Monday while fields were still muddy. I overheard some of the men say this morning (Tuesday) that they might be able to get into some fields by this afternoon, and begin work again.

The school board met Monday night in regular meeting, and the entire faculty, the lunchroom supervisor, the custodian, and all the bus drivers were re-elected. H. W. Wright was re-elected, so will not drive a bus next year. Joe Patterson, who lives near Scott's Crossing was elected to drive his bus and assist Mack with janitor duties. Mr. Patterson is custodian at the Albany hospital now, and he wants to move back home and work here.

Supt. and Mrs. McRae served the board members ice cream and cookies after the meeting, and Mrs. Jesse Cook sent an apple pie for refreshments.

Arnold Ivy had a sick calf last week. It wouldn't eat, and when he tried to feed it, it bit him. The veterinarian came to see it and gave it a shot, and the calf died. They sent the head to Austin and the report came back that the calf had rabies. Now Mr. Ivy will have to take the anti-rabies shots. Too, he has another calf sick. It is supposed a rabid fox or some other animal infected the calves. But you people with stock down on those ranches in the southeast corner of Paint Creek had better be on the lookout for rabid wild animals or cattle.

Pfc. Bobby Roberts from Fort Sill, Okla., was home this week end for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roberts and Albert. His sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Phemister and Mickie Wayne from Abilene were also here. It was the first time the Roberts family had all been together in months.

Mr. M. Medford recently had his daughter, Mrs. Walter Nelson, Mr. Nelson and their five sons from Denver City, and daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Daugherty and husband from Lubbock for a visit. They spent Sunday afternoon with her, Willie Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moody.

The newly organized Girl Scouts had a picnic supper at the lake on Monday night. They enjoyed a weiner roast and then played games. When it began to get dark and cold, Randy Ballard who owns and operates The Anchor invited them to come in and finish their party in the store. Girl Scouts were Dorothy Coleman, Vicki and Janay Morrison, Roberta and Belva Jones, Linda McRae, Jane and Margie Earles, Joyce and Rita Woods, Margaret and Paulette Fischer, Carolyn Livengood, Mary Ballard, Evelyn Pustejovsky, Wanda Medford and Willie Petrich. Boy Scouts were Mike Shaw, Jackie Daniels, Martindale Coleman, William Haynes, Danny Simpson, Jerry Hughes, Jeff Smith, Asst. Scoutmaster, Richard Selmon, Girl Scout Counselor, Mrs. Sonny Coleman, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fischer, Mrs. Durward Lavengood, Phil Coleman and Jimmy Don Ballard.

Some Easter news I failed to get in last week was that the Dan McRae's spent the holidays in Pecos with their daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meacham and three children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welch have had as house guests their daughter and her husband from Lancaster, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Watkins and over the weekend their daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Morgan and children of Fort Worth visited them and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bean.

Mrs. M. E. Hughes and Dolin narrowly escaped serious injury when the car in which they were riding met a Haliburton cement truck on the creek bridge south of Louis Scott's home last Saturday. The truck sideswiped their car, the front and rear fenders were both bent, and there was minor damage to the truck driven by a Sweetwater man. Mrs. Hughes suffered shock and a sprained neck.

Our Scouts made us proud with their good displays in the annual Scout exposition at the Armory at Stamford Saturday afternoon. Senior Patrol Leader Wm. Haynes and Patrol Leader Mike Overton made the exhibit under the supervision of Assistant Scoutmaster Richard Selmon. They displayed and demonstrated the requirements for the Safety Merit Badge. Johnny McRae, Martindale Coleman and Danny Simpson assisted in the booth Saturday.

Our Cub Pack 48 also won a blue ribbon with their display of Handicrafts and a demonstration of rope-making. I haven't heard for sure but I think Paint Creek Troop and Pack sold the most tickets. If they didn't, at least they had the most patrons and parents to see the exhibit.

Linda Bass left Saturday to spend several days with her moth-

er, Mrs. Edna Mae Bass of Jacksboro.

In the track meet at Rochester Saturday William Haynes won 4th in the mile run.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crabbe spent Easter in Oklahoma with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton attended the Silver anniversary of the class of 1933 at College Station last weekend. There were about 46 members of the class present, and Gene visited and "remembered when" with four with whom he played varsity football, and 7 men from old H Infantry Company.

Mike Overton spent the weekend in Rule as a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones, Sr.

Alex McLennan, his wife, and Ann were in Wichita Falls last week where Mr. McLennan had a medical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bounds have as their guests this week their daughter, Mrs. Ray Deen Gressett and Christi Kay of Lubbock.

There are still several cases of measles and mumps. Jane Earles has measles and Ann McLennan has measles and mumps at the same time.

EASTER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Graham of Haskell had as their Easter guests their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brewer and Eddie, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blackard, Donnie and Jay, Leveland; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Graham and Donna, Dumas; and their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Humphrey, Pampa.

Hospital Notes

The following persons were admitted this week to the Haskell County Hospital:

Mrs. J. W. Martin, Haskell, medical

Mrs. R. L. Vick, Rule, medical

Mrs. Scott White, Rule, surgery

Bobby Howeth, Haskell, surgery

Terry Rorabaugh, Haskell, surgery

Mrs. Davis E. Webb, Rule, medical

E. C. Pace, Haskell, medical

Mrs. W. E. Oneill, Rochester, medical

R. C. Montgomery, Haskell, surgery

Mrs. M. K. Wheeler, Haskell, surgery

Mrs. W. M. Wright, Goree, surgery

Mrs. John McMillin, Haskell, surgery

Gene Roddan, Haskell, medical

Mrs. J. A. Hilscher, Rule, medical

H. B. Smith, Haskell, medical

Mrs. J. H. Berry, Stamford, medical

Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, Haskell, medical

Mrs. J. T. Kirby, Haskell, medical

Mrs. Glendon Yarbrough and infant daughter, Weinert

Mrs. H. L. Perkins Jr., and infant son, Haskell

Mrs. Mae Rodriguez and infant son, Haskell

The following persons were discharged this week from Haskell County Hospital:

Mrs. L. B. McMeans, Swenson; Marion Joesselet, Haskell; Donald Ray Moore, Seymour; H. E. Lieb, Abilene; E. S. Blair, Haskell; Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, Weinert; Shirley Blair, Haskell; Mrs. Lenzie Teague, Haskell; Mrs. Sterling Edwards, Haskell; Mrs. R. D. Burleson, Rochester; O. T. Williams, Haskell; Mrs. M. O. Brinlee, Haskell; Mrs. Samuel

Cub Scouts of Pack 36 Win Top Place On Exhibit at District Exposition

(Special)

Congratulations to the Cub Scouts and Den Mothers of Pack 36 for winning 45 points (10 points more than any other Pack), and a blue ribbon on their exhibit "Exploring Alaska" in the Northern District Scout Exposition held in the National Guard Armory in Stamford last Saturday.

Cub Master Harold Hodge said he wanted to congratulate and thank each Den Mother and Cub Scout for the fine exhibit. He complimented the Cubs for selling \$51 worth of tickets. This entitled the majority of the Cubs an Indian neckerchief slide for selling at least five tickets each.

The Alaskan scene which won first place is on display this week in the window at the office of Jason Smith, abstractor, on the north side of the square. It is typical of life in Alaska. Even though the summer is very short, the Cubs learned that a few flowers and grasses grow, the lakes thaw, and the people move into tents of seal skins. This is the time of year when they can use their kayaks for hunting seals and walrus. The uniak is the boat the women use, carrying several persons. In winter the dogs and sleds are used to carry the people of their things. The airplane is used for bringing supplies to the trading post.

Each Den took an hour's turn in working in the booth during the exhibit, and giving the things they were making to the visitors or viewers. Den 2 gave replicas of the Aaskan flag, Den 5 miniature canoes, Den 1, flowers, Den 4, snow glasses, and Den 3, miniature penguins.

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Literary Events

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Slide Rule: Douglas Beggs, Stamford and David Burson, Haskell, tie for first place; Everett Gibson, Hamlin third.

Spelling (teams of two): Louis Andrus and Brownie Middlebrook, Anson; Sue Reeves and Sylvia Willett, Seymour; Jane Smith and Donna Gambell, Stamford.

Poetry Reading (boys): Donnie Hodgins, Haskell; Mike Kessler, Seymour.

Poetry Reading (girls): Nancy Snider, Seymour; Lynn Currie, Haskell; Alyce Ann Martin, Seymour.

Shorthand: Elvia Sibert, Hamlin; Sara Roberson, Haskell; Sue Reeves, Seymour.

Number Sense: Jerry Carlton, Hamlin; Judy Scurlock, Stamford; Carrol Jo Simpson, Hamlin.

Extemporaneous Speech (boys): Jimmy Vaughtner, Haskell; Douglas Beggs, Stamford.

Extemporaneous Speech (girls): Lynorra Ratliff, Stamford.

Winners in Ready Writing will be announced after entries are graded.

Principal A. W. Simpson of Stamford High School was director general of the meet.

By agreement of participating schools, results were not tabulated on a total points basis for each school.

Paint Creek Group Escapes Injury in 2-Car Mishap

A traffic mishap near Anson Thursday slightly injured one member of a church group from Paint Creek returning from Abilene, while others in the party were unhurt.

In the group were Mrs. M. M. Haynes, Mrs. Glen Walton and Terry, Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook, Mrs. Louise Kuenstler, Mrs. Dale Middlebrook, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffith and Mrs. Vernay Howard. They had attended the District Day program at the First Baptist Church in Abilene.

"Everyone was thinking what a good time they'd had and all the things they had learned that might help to carry on our work for the Lord," Mrs. Howard said.

Then, as the Howard car and occupants neared the outskirts of Anson a car came from a side street and struck the Howard's car on the left rear bumper and fender, throwing Mrs. Dale Middlebrook's head and shoulder against the frame of the window, causing a big bump on her left temple. Others in the car were unhurt except for jangled nerves and some bruises. No one was hurt in the second car. "It's amazing what the Devil will do to try to discourage Baptists," Mrs. Howard commented.

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News from Rule

BY MRS. FAYE DUNNAM

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. H. H. Hines last Tuesday night for the nomination of officers. Mrs. Jerry Decker and Mrs. Bill Blankenship gave a program on Youth.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Herbert Hines, president; Mrs. Dessie Mae Jeter, vice president; Mrs. Nora Macon, recording secretary and promotion secretary; Mrs. Ada Williamson, treasurer; Mrs. Rex Murray, coordinator; Mrs. Herschel Hines, spiritual life chairman; Mrs. Jerry Decker, Missionary and Education Service chairman; Mrs. Bill Blankenship, supply work; and Mrs. Wanda Richardson, publicity.

Rebekah Official Visit
The Seymour, Rule and Haskell Rebekah lodges completed plans for the official visit of Pauline Ragsdale, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, when they met in the home of Mrs. Eva Speer. The District Deputy President Miss Nora Walters, of Seymour, was present.

The meeting will be on April 28 in the IOOF Hall at Haskell. There will be a formal banquet at the Highway Drive in at 7 p. m. prior to the meeting at 8. All members are urged to make plans to attend.

At their meeting Viola Tidwell showed movies taken at a recent meeting of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas in Galveston. Mrs. Speer served coffee and cake to the following lodges: Rule Lodge No. 163, Lodge Deputy Mrs. Gladys Hoag, Seymour Lodge No.

40, District Deputy President Miss Nora Walters and Vice Grand Edith Beasley; Haskell No. 43, Noble Grand Pansy Harris, Vice Grand Viola Tidwell, L.S.V.G. Eva Speer.

LOCALS
Mr. and Mrs. Moriant McKinney have returned home after a week's visit in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and children of Fort Worth visited relatives and friends in Rule over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kindley Jr., of Graham visited in Rule Sunday.

Charlie Wood has returned to the Veterans Hospital in Kerrville after a visit with his family. He expects to undergo surgery there next week.

Among those attending the ball game in Fort Worth recently were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Scott White and Scotty, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lewis and children, Mr. and Mrs. We'don Norman and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wood and children.

Mrs. Ray Alexander of Portland, Oregon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vick. Mrs. Vick is in the Haskell Hospital suffering from a broken hip.

The one-act play group is presenting their play "The Pink Dress" in Brownwood Thursday afternoon. Those making the trip are Audrey Jo Smith, Davene Jones, Robbye Nell Conner, Jack Coker, Johnny Estes, Sonja Carroll and Mrs. C. W. Dunnam.

Carolyn O'Pray brought some friends from North Texas State College home with her last week end. They were Annette Pearson of Galveston, Wanda McDonald of Howe, Ann Farrell of Bowie and LaVerne Morley of Jacksboro.

Baptist Youth Revival
Rev. Rodney Dowdy, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Rule, has announced a Youth Revival for the church for May 2, 3, and 4. Rev. Arthur Travis will preach and Tommy Mosley will be the song leader. Both are from Hardin-Simmons University.

IOOF, Rebekahs Meet
A large number attended the semi-annual District I meet of the IOOF and Rebekahs when they met in Rule for an all-day meeting last Monday.

Registration started at 9 a. m. The meeting was called to order at 10 a. m. with Ben Kittley, Noble Grand of Rule presiding.

L. P. Weems of Rotan, Marshal of the association, introduced Assembly Officers and Past Presidents of the association.

State Rep. Ed Cloud welcomed the delegates and visitors. Sadie Patterson of Jacksboro gave the response. Talks by the Grand Lodge and Assembly officers followed.

Cliff Dunnam of Haskell, president of the association, presided for the afternoon program beginning at 1:30. The afternoon was devoted to business and reports.

The Rule Rebekahs served supper from 5:30 to 7:30. The evening program was held in the American Legion Hall. Drill by Abilene 195, Skit, Asper-

R. E. Whitmire, 54, Former Resident, Dies April 1



R. E. WHITMIRE

R. E. (Erwin) Whitmire, 54, well known businessman of Edgewood, Texas, and former resident of Haskell, died April 1 in Colonial Hospital in Terrell, Texas, after a illness of several months. Death was attributed to cancer.

Funeral for Mr. Whitmire, owner of Edgewood Milling Co., was held at 4 p. m. April 3 at the Cheatham Memorial Methodist

mont No. 234, Drill Haskell No. 43-125, Skit, Rotan No. 214-895, Quartet, Haskell. Draping of Charter, Abilene No. 89. The Memorial Service was conducted by Rule Rebekahs and IOOF lodges. Closing song was "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Dismissal prayer was by Association Chaplain Mrs. F. A. Looftorow of Abilene.

Mauldin-Smitherman Rites
Janice Ruth Mauldin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mauldin, and Harold Smitherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Smitherman of Lubbock, were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony at 6:30 p. m. Friday, April 11, at the First Baptist Church in Rule.

The Rev. Rodney Dowdy performed the ceremony. Mrs. Ed Cloud played the organ. The church was decorated with white carnations, iris and candles.

Mrs. Bobby Moore of Big Spring, cousin of the bride, was the matron of honor. N. A. Martin, uncle of the bride, was the best man. Mrs. Moore was dressed in blue tulle with pink carnation corsage.

The bride wore a pink linen suit and carried white carnations and iris on top a white Bible. The Bible was a gift of Mrs. J. E. Geer.

The bride is a graduate of Rule High School and Isabella's Beauty Shop in Rule.

The groom has attended Texas Tech. He is now in the Army and recently returned from Germany. He will return to the Army on April 28.

The couple left immediately for Lubbock following the wedding ceremony.

Church. Graveside rites were conducted by the Edgewood Masonic Lodge at Oak Hill Cemetery.

Born in Coryell County, he was the son of the late R. C. Whitmire and Mrs. Whitmire, and came to Haskell with his parents at an early age. He was a graduate of Haskell High School.

In 1949 he moved to Edgewood from El Paso, and had owned and operated the milling concern since then. He was president of the Edgewood Independent School District, on the board of the Methodist Church; and was active in the Lions Club.

He is survived by his wife; his mother Mrs. R. C. Whitmire of Fort Worth; two daughters, Mrs. Bobby Starnes of Lamesa and Mrs. Ben Tarver Jr., of Dallas; one son, Richard E. Whitmire Jr., of Texas A&M; three sisters, Mrs. W. Bart Smith of Edgewood, Mrs. C. S. Brown of Abilene, and Miss Bessie Whitmire of Fort Worth; and one granddaughter, Nancy Tarver of Dallas.

Magazine Says Rivers Sampled For Pollution

Austin—In an effort to trace water pollution in the state, rivers and streams all over Texas are being sampled and analyzed. In "Streams Under a Microscope," to appear in the April issue of Texas Game and Fish, official publication of the Game and Fish Commission, Editor Jean Richmond explains the method and purpose of the study.

After an accurate pollution picture is obtained from the analyses, field crews will pinpoint the sources of pollution, and corrective measures will be sought through the Attorney General's office. This plan of enforcing the anti-pollution statutes was initiated by Attorney General Will Wilson.

First step in the program is sampling, the article states, which the game wardens and health officials do at 268 check stations set up by the State Health Department. This water sample is then studied for salt, gases, organic wastes and industrial wastes in a complete analysis by the Health Department laboratory.

"The pollution studies," explains the article, "will not be concerned with the presence of insecticides, herbicides, or other agricultural poisons in the water. These would not show up normally, and it would be extremely difficult to pinpoint the source of pollution. The survey is concerned primarily with constant pollution such as that from industry, cities with inadequate sewage treatment plants, or oil or gas well salt release."

Because the streams are all full, the editor says, pollution is not as serious as it may become when the rivers return to their more normal flow.

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There's one way you may not have thought of to help him continue to enjoy the independence he's achieved.

Be on the watch for ideas that could deprive him of it—the idea, for example, that "government should run such and such—a business, a service, an institution." You have only to remember the people in socialist nations to know that when government controls more and more things, there is less and less freedom and independence for the individual!

You can use your woman-power to discourage this idea that "the government should run it." When you hear people talk that way, point out that the loss of anybody's independence is a threat to everybody's freedom.

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Basic Training Completed By Munday WAC



PVT. JOYCE JONES

Pvt. Joyce C. Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Jones of Munday, recently completed eight weeks of basic training at the Women's Army Corps Center, Ft. McClellan, Ala. Private Jones, a 1948 graduate of Sunset High School, attended Texas State College for Women in Denton. She was employed by McKesson & Robbins, Inc., in Abilene before entering the Women's Army Corps.—(U. S. Army photo.)

Wm. B. Gleeson Is Perkins-Timberlake New Top Executive

A retailer of 23 years experience, William B. Gleeson arrived in Wichita Falls last week to become the new vice president and general manager of Perkins-Timberlake Co.

Perkins is one of North Texas' oldest retail firms with stores in Decatur, Vernon, Electra, Haskell, Bowie, Seymour, Olney and Wichita Falls. Southern Oklahoma customers are served by the Frederick, Okla., Perkins-Timberlake store.

Gleeson assumed command of the company April 15. His office will be at Perkins headquarters in Wichita Falls.

The enthusiastic executive came to Wichita Falls from Sioux Falls, S. D. where he was general manager for a large department store.

Prior to assuming management of a Dayton Co. department store in Sioux Falls three years ago, Gleeson served 20 years in Dayton stores in Minneapolis, Minn.

In Sioux Falls, Gleeson was president of the city's credit bureau, was a member of board of directors of the Civic Music Association, board member of the Industrial and Development Foundation, vice president of United Fund and member of the Rotary Club.

He was a member of the official board and finance committee of Asbury Methodist Church in Sioux Falls.

Gleeson's family includes his wife, a graduate of the University of Minnesota and Oak Hall in St. Paul, Minn.; Larry, his 18-year-old son, secretary of freshman class at Dartmouth College; Kathleen, 16, a high school sophomore; and David, 14, now in his first year in high school.

Charles Brotho, president of Perkins-Timberlake, said in announcing Gleeson's arrival, "We feel fortunate in securing Bill Gleeson's services and we feel certain he will do an outstanding job for us."

The first Perkins-Timberlake store was founded by J. J. Perkins in Decatur in May, 1897.

Nickel in Ancient Bronze
Nickel, which was first isolated as an element only in 1751, has been found to be present in significant amounts in certain bronze tools and implements made almost 6,000 years ago.

Stainless Table Accessories
Trays, platters and serving dishes are now being made of nickel-containing stainless steel table flatware which has gained widespread popularity.

Four from Haskell Attend TCTA Meet In San Antonio

(Special)
Four Haskell teachers attended the 30th annual convention of the Texas Classroom Teachers Association, held April 11 and 12 in San Antonio. Sessions were held at the Hilton Hotel.

Attending from this city were Mrs. K. H. Thornton, president of the local C.T.A., Mrs. F. W. Martin, local secretary, Mrs. Scott W. Greene and Miss Madalin Hunt.

The convention opened at 4 p. m. April 11 with registration in the hotel lobby. Then from 8:30 to 10:30 a reception was held on the roof garden of the Hilton.

First general meeting began at 8:45 Saturday morning, April 12. The outstanding feature of the morning session was the Progress Report on the work of the Hale-Aikin Committee given by Senator A. M. Aikin, NEA Salary Consultant. Eric Rhodes discussed the all-important topic, Salaries and Salary Scheduling.

The afternoon session at 2 p. m. took care of business and reports of officers. Election of new officers concluded this meeting. Mrs. Onita King of Lockhart was elected president for 1958-59. Durwood Grubb of Abilene was elected first vice president. The area in which Haskell is located feel most fortunate to be so well represented by Mr. Grubb.

The night meeting April 12 was the traditional banquet at 6:30 p. m. in the ballroom of the Hilton Hotel. This meeting was truly the "dessert" of the entire convention. Guest speaker was Mrs. Mildred B. Flagg, author and lecturer from Newton, Mass.

Her subject title was intriguing, "The Place Where You Stand," and as she began to talk and illustrate her points she completely captivated her audience. Being a widely traveled person and having so many unusual personal experiences aided in making her talk interesting and inspiring. It has been her privilege to interview many of the world's outstanding people, such as Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, Dr. Albert Schweitzer, Sir Winston Churchill, the Queen of Greece, Grandma Moses, to mention a few. In a charming and convincing manner she made each person feel that he truly was important in the place where he stood.

News from the Congress

BY CONG. FRANK IKARD

It has become more and more evident during the past several years that there is a drastic need for a complete reorganization of the Department of Defense. When our country was founded, there was no real problem about the organization of the military. At first we had only a War Department and then shortly thereafter a Department of the Navy. The Navy conducted war at sea, and the Army's mission was land war. This simple arrangement worked fine for 150 years until the advent of the airplane which brought a third dimension to warfare. At first the Air Arm was simply integrated into the two conventional service departments; however, shortly after Pearl Harbor we realized that the Air Force should be placed on equal footing with the Army and Navy, and World War II taught us that no longer are wars fought by a single branch of the service but can only be effectively carried on through close coordination of the forces on sea, land, and air. The necessary integration or coordination of the armed services was recognized in 1947 when the Department of Defense was given the task of bringing all the service forces together and unifying them. Again in 1949 and 1953 Congress made efforts to bring about greater unification. The lack of proper coordination was highlighted immediately following the launching of the first Russian sputnik last Fall, and there has been wide discussion of the substantial sums of money that could be saved if certain phases of our procurement were handled on a consolidated or unified basis.

Last Thursday the President sent his plan of further reorganization to the Congress. There are many good features about it, and its main purpose would be to increase the authority of the Secretary of Defense and the Joint Chiefs of Staff by clothing them with the power to bring real unification of our Armed Services. Of course, the plan is too involved to discuss in detail here. One phase of it that is not to draw considerable opposition is that under the President's proposal, all of the funds that were appropriated to the military, which is roughly about two-thirds of what our National Government spends each year, would be appropriated to the Secretary of Defense. This would give the Secretary unprecedented power over our economy, and many feel that this is entirely too much authority to be vested in one man. This week we were very pleased to have a group of high school seniors, parents and sponsors from Lewisville visit us in the Capitol. Others visitors from home were Henry Anderson and W. Coleman Williams of Wichita Falls.

Precious Contacts
The precious metal palladium is employed extensively for electrical contacts in automatic controls because it resists tarnishing and spark erosion.

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Baptist Church at Paint Creek Plans Achievement Project

The Paint Creek Baptist Church has entered Texas Baptist Town and Country Church Achievement and Recognition Program.

Bill Griffith was elected chairman of the program. Sammie Griffith is chairman of Better Church.

Mrs. A. L. Eubanks is chairman of Better Community. Mrs. M. M. Haynes and Mrs. R. G. Walton are chairmen of Better World.

Mrs. R. V. Earle will write the stories of each project and Mrs. Vernay Howard will take pictures. All the members of the church will be a committee working on these different phases.

The Paint Creek Baptist Church was winner of the Texas Baptist Church Achievement award in 1956.

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank all of our friends for their many kind deeds while I was in the hospital and since I've been home. Your kindness will be remembered always.—Elsie and Alvy Mitchell. 16p

Motorcycle Races Slated April 20 In Wichita Falls

Motorcycle races will be held in Wichita Falls Sunday, April 20, on the new race track operated by the Time Motorcycle Club of Wichita Falls. The track is located at 4301 Iowa Park Highway, about four miles west of Wichita Falls.

The races to be held are of the "scrambles" types. Riders do not race for money, but only for the sport, with the winners receiving trophies.

Starting time for the races is 2 p. m., with practice runs starting at 1 p. m.

VISITORS FROM MEMPHIS
Mr. and Mrs. Don Collins and David of Memphis, Texas, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Collins and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wooten.

Mortality rate of persons contracting cholera is 30 to 80%. In national mints a thousand coins can be counted out in a few minutes by use of counting tables.

Texas Tech-U of T Plans Geology Study In Davis Mountains

LUBBOCK—Texas Tech and University of Texas geologists have joined forces to study 1,000 square miles of strategic interest to the petroleum industry.

The area, called "Kent's Quadrangle of Trans-Pecos Texas," is located north of the Davis Mountains in West Texas.

A casual look at the rocky, broken terrain might cause a layman to wonder why the UT Bureau of Economic Geology is sponsoring the project.

Obviously it isn't prolific oil-producing country. "But it's a place where many of the geologic strata that are in oil-producing country crop out on the earth's surface," Tech geologist John Brand explained.

Studying these outcroppings allows us to identify details of strata that extend into oil and gas producing areas," he added.

Purpose of the current project is to study details of the Cretaceous, a geologic period estimated to be 70 to 90 million years old.

Terminology decided upon for details found in the study may be

used in the future by oilmen in communicating about the geologic system.

Dr. Brand is working with Prof. Ronald K. DeFord of the University of Texas on the study. Other staff members and graduate students of both institutions are helping on the project.

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Sagerton News

By MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

Douglas Cornelison of Lubbock is visiting here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. August Baizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spitzer accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Louis Spitzer of Old Glory to Waco last weekend for a reunion of the Spitzer family. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spitzer and family also attended the reunion, which was held near Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipping went to Fort Worth last weekend to take their little granddaughter Carla Askew, back home after she spent last week with them.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kainer and family of Stamford and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw and children of Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lehmann went to Austin last weekend to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jan Fouts.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre visited in Lubbock last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Apple. The basement of St. Paul's

Lutheran Church was the scene of a bridal shower in honor of Miss Barbara Echart of San Antonio, bride-elect of Herbert Lammer, whose home is near Old Glory. Both of them are students at Texas Lutheran College in Seguin, where the groom-to-be is studying for the ministry. They plan to wed June 14, in San Antonio.

Hostess for the affair were: Mesdames Clancey Lehmann, Emil Kainer, Werner Teichelman, John Letz, Fred Schronerstedt, Herman Nauert, Ernest Lovack, Bernard Letz, Herbert Vahienkamp, Arnold Reimer of Stamford and Eunice Rhodes of Stamford; and Miss Hilda Stremmel.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer and Jana spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Macon Ulmer and family near Plainview.

Friends of Mrs. J. W. Martin from this community have been visiting her in the Haskell Hospital, where she is ill. Mrs. Martin is a former resident of this community when her husband had a drug store in Sagerton, and she is a member of the Pioneer Club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoller spent the Easter weekend in Wilson in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ehler.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer on Easter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. William Barnett of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kainer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradshaw and family of Anson, Mrs. and Mrs. J. D. Kupat and family of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kainer and family of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis of Aspermont and Mrs. Bertha Freeman and family of Stamford.

Jerald Wayne, Billy Don and Linda Carol Bradshaw of Anson spent Saturday and Sunday night before Easter with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer visited with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis near Aspermont Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crabb and Billy of Abilene were also guests in the Lewis home.

The Sagerton Junior high school boys attended the district track meet at Rochester Saturday. Although the boys had to perform in the rain, they brought back several ribbons. They placed fourth in the group. Jimmy New, Benny Mueller, Paul Gomez and John Elias placed 4th in the relay. Paul Gomez placed fourth in the broad jump and second in the 75 yard dash, and John Elias placed 3rd in the 100 yard dash. Bob Clark won in the preliminaries in the 50 and 75 yard dash, but didn't place in the finals. Leonardo Rodriguez also ran, but did not place.

Poggo Summers of Indiana is here visiting with his cousin, Mrs. John L. Brooks and with W. Z. Summers.

The Sagerton P-TA will meet April 28 for the last meeting of the year. The election of officers for the coming year will be held.

Carl Hertel and B. L. Ross were re-elected for another term as school trustees in the election held April 4. M. Y. Benton, Emil Stremmel, and Henry Laughlin were election officials.

Sagerton and Old Glory are planning to organize a Little League baseball team of boys from 10 to 12 years of age. They will play in the Aspermont League. More definite information will be furnished later.

ATTEND ABILENE C. OF C. BANQUET.

Attending the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet in Rose Field House, Abilene, were Miss Nettie McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Swinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson and Mrs. Carrie Williams, all of Haskell.



Fifth Grade Science Students at Paint Creek

Paint Creek Class 'Organizes' Company As Part of Science Project on Petroleum

(Special)

One rural school in the West Texas area boasts as many oil wells as there are children! Paint Creek Rural School district, in Haskell County, cannot claim so great a number. However, it does have enough of the flowing "black gold" wells, that in teacher-pupil planning oil was chosen as a science project in the fifth grade.

Study was begun, materials were gathered, persons in the "know-how" of oil production were interviewed, and the school room took on the bustling activity of a bee hive.

"The Paint Creek Fifth Grade Oil Company" was organized with a president, vice president, secretary-treasurer, and working committee. Every pupil was drawn into this intensely interesting subject. All were obviously oil connoisseurs and soon were discussing "seismograph crews," "cracking towers," and the "hydrogen-carbon composition of petroleum."

A diagram was drawn tracing the route of crude oil from the time it was located in the ground—and also across the ocean floor—the transformation into its many finished products that came out of the refinery. This diagram took on real life as the children created a model showing some of the many phases of the oil industry. This model was laid out on a replica of the earth's surface which included mountains, plains, rivers and the Continental Shelf in the Gulf of Mexico. Oil derricks, a refinery, tank farms, pumps, and filling stations took form. Even a platform, supporting a derrick in the Gulf of Mexico, complete with a helicopter and its landing floor, was constructed. The refinery was a hub from which highways, railroads, and pipe lines stretched in all directions in the transportation of oil and its products. A ship, docked in the harbor, was being loaded with a cargo of oil and gasoline from the storage tanks near by.

After the study and buildings were finished an outline for our history was made and each child wrote his own version of the project.

As a climax, parents and friends were invited to take a tour, via chart, diagram, and models, which followed the crude oil through its many changes.

Danny Thane explains, "Before drilling for oil the seismograph crew goes out and puts dynamite into a deep hole. It is set off. When the power hits the different layers of rock and dirt they are

thrown out of the ground by the explosion. Someone then tests the rock, sand, and soil to see if oil can be found."

"The drillers move in," writes Patricia Medford, "a derrick is set up and drilling begins. When oil is found, pipes are put down in the hole and pumps take the oil out of the well to storage tanks. From these tanks the oil goes to the refinery by pipe lines and trucks."

From her "Story of Oil" Linda McRae says, "The refinery is the most important part of the story: First the crude oil is sent to the cracking towers where it is heated and broken into several different parts. The light is on top, which is mostly gas and the parts used in making gasoline for cars. The bottom is the thick lubricating oils and the fuel oil for heavy things such as ships—also there is asphalt."

Vicki Morrison relates, "Petroleum refining has two major branches—separation and conversion. The first step in refining is to separate the fractions from which commercially useful products can be made. This separation by distillation is called fractionating. Separation is possible because the hydrocarbons that make up petroleum boil or vaporize at different temperatures."

Some of the petroleum products Vicki lists are: kerosene, diesel fuel, natural gas for heating purposes, wax paraffin, coke for grinding wheels and electrodes, asphalt, synthetic rubber, lubricating oil, fuel oil, and aviation and automobile gasolines. Finally Frances Jones tells us in her story, "The largest part of the petroleum products are transported to the gasoline service stations in the United States. There gasoline and lubricants for cars and trucks are sold."

Mrs. James Kelley Finishes Beauty Training Course

Mrs. James H. Kelley of this city has just completed a course in beauty training at Scoggins beauty Academy in Abilene. Mrs. Kelley is employed with the Criterion Beauty Service in this city.

Chile has a 2,653-mile coastline, but is only 31 miles wide at some points.

Cattle Prices Off 50c to \$1.00 at Cornbelt Points

BY TED GOULDY

Fort Worth—Increased offerings of livestock were reported around the major market circle Monday, despite sharply curtailed offerings at Fort Worth due to the rain over the weekend.

Fed cattle prices dropped sharply at Cornbelt points as most points reported steers and heifers 50c to \$1 lower, and Chicago reports indicated spots on steers \$2 off. However, at Fort Worth prices on most cattle and calves were fully steady. Fed steers were scarce, and weak to 50c lower. Some strength on canners and cutters, as well as slaughter and stocker calves was noted here compared with late last week.

Good and choice steers and yearlings drew \$26 to \$28.50, and medium and lower grades sold at \$17 to \$25. Fat cows bulked at \$17 to \$19, with canners and cutters at \$11 to \$17. Bulls were reported from \$16 to \$20.50, odd head higher. Good and choice fat calves drew \$25 to \$28, and good stocker calves sold at \$28 to \$30, with good grade yearlings \$28.50 down.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melton Wood of Farmington, N. M., formerly of Haskell, are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Rita Diane, weight five pounds, 15 ounces. She was born April 1 in San Juan Hospital, Farmington. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller of Wolforth, formerly of Haskell; Mrs. H. L. Wood of Haskell.

Among great nations of ancient times the Romans were the last to learn the art of cookery, having neither cooks nor bakers as late as 174 B. C.

C. G. Burson, Sr., Is Re-Elected Head Stamford PCA

A large gathering of more than 1200 persons, including 313 stockholders, was in attendance at the 24th annual Stockholder's Meeting of the Stamford PCA which was held in Stamford April 10.

C. G. Burson Sr., of Haskell and Mack T. Claburn of Anson were re-elected as directors for terms of three years. Other candidates were John P. Jones of Munday and Jack Morrow of Hawley.

Guest speaker was W. H. Calkins of Houston. Mr. Calkins is treasurer of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston. He explained briefly how the Houston Bank is related to the Production Credit System and how funds are obtained for use in financing agriculture.

J. F. McCulloch of Stamford and a member of the Board of Directors, gave a report on the activities of the Board and the Association during the past year.

J. L. Hill Jr., secretary-treasurer, discussed the financial position of the Association and pointed out that the PCA system always has credit available for farmers and ranchers who operate on a sound basis.

Entertainment was furnished by the "Joy Notes," a girls singing group from Rule high school. This group is composed of Audrey Smith, Jackie Estes, Fern Ross and Jan Onley and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley.

The meeting was concluded with the election of a nominating committee for 1959 composed of Jack Morrow, Jones County; Eddie Sanders, Haskell County; Leland Floyd, Knox County; Raymond King, King County; Alton Burton, Shackelford County; T. L. Baker, Stonewall County; C. C. Kimmel, Kent County; and Cecil Estep, Dickens County.

Attendance prizes were awarded the following: John B. Nanny Sr., Haskell; J. M. Ashcroft, Stamford; Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Sagerton; W. C. Taylor, Truscott; and Mrs. Joe O. Murff, Hamlin.

At the organizational Board Meeting following the stockholders meeting, C. G. Burson was named President; J. F. McCulloch, vice president; J. L. Hill Jr., secretary-treasurer and R. C. Cobb and J. R. Cleton assistant secretary-treasurers.

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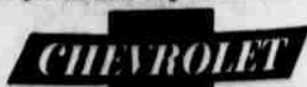
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NOTICE OF ELECTION
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held Tuesday, May 6, 1958, at the City Hall in Weir, Texas, for the purpose of electing two directors to serve 2-year terms for the Haskell County Water Supply District No. 1. Polls will be open from 8 a. m. until 7 p. m. Retiring directors are R. N. Mathison and Eddie Sanders. By order of the Board of Directors of Haskell County Water Supply District No. 1. Russell Rainey, President. 16-17c

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Exams Slated for Jobs with State Highway Patrol

Texas Highway Patrolmen Arthur Mason and Tommy Wood of Haskell announced today that examinations will be given next month for positions with the Texas Department of Public Safety. Young Texans interested in a career in law enforcement may compete in State-wide examinations for the positions of Highway Patrolman, Driver License Patrolman, License and Weight Patrolman and Motor Vehicle Inspection Patrolman. May 10th is the deadline for submitting applications to the Department Headquarters in Austin.

Marine Pfc. Jacklyn H. Lucas, at 17 was the youngest man ever to receive the Medal of Honor. At Iwo Jima he fell on two grenades to save his comrades and survived.

Barn swallows can fly at the rate of more than a mile a minute.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Free Press is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to action of the Democratic primaries. All listings are made on an advertising basis, cash in advance.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 3RD DISTRICT:
Donnell Dickson of Baylor County.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Ed J. Cloud of Haskell County, (Re-election).

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Leroy Ressel of Knox County.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
Ben Charlie Chapman

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT:
J. C. (Jim) Alvis.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
John F. Ivy

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
J. M. Crawford.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Hallie Chapman.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
John Brock.

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT:
Jessie Vick. (Second term.)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Horace Oneal. (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
A. M. Turner.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
C. L. (Pat) Lewis. (Second term)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Mrs. Harry (Artie) Bradley

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Mrs. Troy Ash.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 2:
Leon Newton. (Second term.)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 4:
Francis C. Blake (second term.)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 4:
R. A. Harris.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 4:
C. L. (Mose) Guinn.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 4:
A. L. (Arthur) Blair

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, PREC. NO. 1:
Tom Holland.

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, PREC. NO. 1:
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Trisha Chritzberg, right, receives the trophy as Haskell County's champion speller, from Dee Larned, president of the Haskell Jaycees. The award was made at the recent County Spelling Bee held here. Miss Chritzberg will represent Haskell County in the Regional Spelling Bee in Wichita Falls Saturday. (Photo courtesy Wichita Falls Times and Record-News.)

ASC Committee Cautions Farmers On Neglecting Acreage Reserve Provisions

The Haskell Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Committee April 2 urged local farmers to be careful about their responsibilities under the Acreage Reserve of the Soil Bank during the coming crop season if they want to get the full benefit of that program. In a planting season reminder to farmers, the committee pointed out that the signer of the Acreage Reserve agreement has undertaken a binding commitment to hold his reserve tract out of production during the 1958 growing season.

"It will be too bad," the committee said, "if a farmer goes into the Acreage Reserve conscientiously and means to comply, but fails to keep informed about requirements and deadlines and loses his payment through carelessness."

With regard to the Acreage Reserve tract (land on the farm diverted from allotment crops to the Reserve), the committee cited three main requirements as follows:

1. Planting. No crop may be planted on the Acreage Reserve before January 1, 1959, except with the approval of the State Committee certain crops may be planted in the fall of 1958 for harvest in 1959 or later, where that is the normal practice.

2. Grazing. The Acreage Reserve may not be grazed before January 1, 1959, except under certain conditions and with a reduction of the farmer's payment. Leasing of the land to others for grazing purposes is prohibited; and

3. Harvesting. No crop may be harvested from the Acreage Reserve during the calendar year of

Haskell Exhibitors Winners in Dallas Ceramic Show

Mrs. Thelma Adams, Mrs. Neil Royall and Curtis Pogue brought recognition to the artistic talents of Haskell last weekend at Dallas with their entries in the annual Southwest Ceramic and Hobby Show, held April 11, 12 and 13. There were over 250 entries in the show divided into three classes: Hobbyists, teachers or professionals, and children under 14 years old. Several entries were from out-of-state exhibitors.

Mrs. Adams entered four ceramic items. She received a second place on a yellow-haired china doll, and a third place on a larger black-headed doll. These dolls were beautifully dressed by Mrs. Hayden McDonald of Haskell.

Curtis Pogue entered a set of mugs with an original design, a cookie jar to match done in a matt glaze, and a covered dish done in colored glaze with a hand molded design. He won a blue ribbon (first place) on the mugs and cookie jar, and a second place on the hand molding.

Both Mrs. Adams and Mr. Pogue entered as hobbyists.

Mrs. Royall entered two china painted pieces and three pieces done in various underglazes and glazes. She won a Tri-Color Award and a blue ribbon on an original designed china painted bone dish. These are the highest awards given to entries in the show. She also won a second place on a china painted platter, a second place on a set consisting of sandwich tray and salad bowl, and a third place on a larger vase with original design. Mrs. Royall entered as a professional.

Mrs. Curtis Pogue also entered a white and gold bon-bon dish which was beautiful but did not place. Mrs. Pogue also entered as a hobbyist.

The best-of-show award was given on a china painted portrait of an elderly woman done on a large china plate in brown tones. This was entered by Mrs. Clarice Johnson of Dallas.

Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris was constructed over a period of 351 years.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: Cannas, King Humbert, fiery red, bronze foliage, Richard Wallace, Canary yellow, green leaves, both types \$1.50 dozen roots. John Stone, 1109 North Ave. J. 16-17p

FOR SALE: 50-chick battery brooder, Phone 750K1. 16p

FOR SALE: Used carpet and pad 11x20, \$50.00, terms, Mrs. H. A. Sherman, Phone 674. 16c

FOR RENT: Two, two bedroom apartments 1006 N. Ave. E. Newly re-decorated inside and out. Hardwood floors and tile. Nicely furnished. See at McCain's Laundry or Bell Station. 16fc

WANTED: Lawns to mow. Have new power mower, Call Phil Spain after 4 p. m. Phone 202. Rates reasonable. 16-17c

TRADE: Desire to trade 1957 4-door Dodge with radio and heater, for house. W. H. Pitman. Call 407-J or 237. 16-18c

FOR SALE: One baby bed and high chair. Call 373-J. 16p

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Central Baptist Has Successful Revival

A successful revival was closed Sunday night at the Central Baptist Church, reports Rev. Sam Montgomery, pastor.

The revival, with Rev. M. L. Walker Jr., of Wynnewood, Okla., as evangelist, resulted in 10 additions to the church, eight by baptism and two by letter, Rev. Montgomery reported. Also, at a special service at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, Hubert C. Johnson of Haskell was ordained as a deacon.

"As a result of the Spring revival, our church has been greatly strengthened, both in membership and influence," Rev. Montgomery said. "We are grateful for the interest and encouragement developed by the revival, and for the fine leadership provided by our evangelist, Rev. Walker," he added.

Rule Senior Winner In FFA Tractor Operators Contest

Jack Holcomb, senior in Rule High School, was named county winner in the 1958 Texas FFA Tractor Operators Contest held here April 12 by Woodard Farm Sales.

H. V. Woodard, manager of the local concern, presented Holcomb with a tractor drivers trophy for his winning performance. Five Future Farmers from this area participated in the contest.

Contest judges were Wm. E. Lawson, R. W. Herren, Hallie Chapman.

As county winner, Holcomb will compete in one of 11 district contests to be held this month.

District winners will compete in a state contest to be held at San Antonio by the Stewart Co., Texas distributor for Ford tractors and implements. That contest will be held July 15, the day prior to the opening of the State FFA Convention in San Antonio.

A new Ford row crop tractor will be awarded the state winner.

Surprise Birthday Party Given for Mrs. T. E. Mercer

A surprise birthday party was given honoring Mrs. T. E. Mercer on her 69th birthday recently. A number of her friends called, bringing gifts for the honoree. Several games were played, and cake and punch was served to the following:

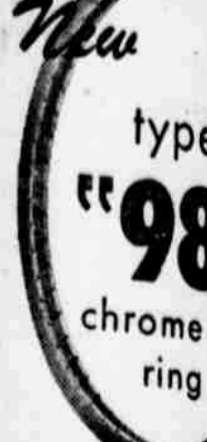
Mesdames W. T. Prddy, John Lampkin, Emory Anderson, E. J. Jeter, John McGuire, Hunt, D. B. Easterling, P. E. Bush, Lott, LeFevre, Overby, Sallie Ammons, Darden. Those sending gifts were Mrs. G. Q. Adams, Mrs. M. L. Pennington, Mrs. and Mrs. Roy Mercer.

Hostesses were Mrs. William Mercer and Mrs. Willard Mercer.

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