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CITY OF STAMFORD IS REQUESTED TO PROHIBIT FISHING FROM LAKE BRIDGE

A traffic problem created by
persons fishing from the bridge
across the upper end of Lake
Stamford, route of one of the
main traveled rural roads in
the area southeast of Haskell,
has resulted in a request that
the City of Stamford prohibit
fishing from the bridge or its
approaches.

This request was made by
the Commissioners Court this
week in a letter to Stamford
city officials. Area within the
boundaries of the high water
mark of the lake was annexed
a few years ago by the City
of Stamford, and as a result
the bridge and causeway are
within the city limits of Stam-
ford, county officials pointed
out.

Since the lake was built sev-
eral years ago, the practice of
fishing from the bridge and
along the causeway has created
a traffic problem for farmers
and ranchers using the road on
which the bridge is located. At
times, fishermen parking their
cars on the bridge and ap-
proaches have almost com-
pletely blocked traffic. Resi-
dents of that area have told
officials.

Continued complaints to lo-
cal officers and county offi-
cials led to the action of the
Court this week in asking
Stamford's cooperation in elim-
inating the hazard created by
fishermen, since the area in-
volved is within the boundaries
of that city by virtue of an-
nexation.

The letter, addressed to
Harry Steenson, Stamford city
manager, read as follows:
"This letter is to advise you
that the Commissioners Court
of Haskell County, Texas,
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acres of land, and a portion of
this is now being subdivided
into lots which are being sold
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Final Rites for
G. B. Willis, 89,
Held Here Today

Funeral service for George
B. Willis, 89, who died at his
home here Tuesday, were held
at the Assembly of God Church
this morning at 11 o'clock.

Interment was in the New
Hope Cemetery south of Stam-
ford, with funeral arrange-
ments in charge of Holden Fun-
eral Home.

At Least 15 Candidates To Speak at Weinert Rally

H. C. (Henry) King, WTU Manager Here 31 Years, Retiring July 1st

Henry C. King, manager for
West Texas Utilities Company
in Haskell for the past 31
years and an employee of the
company for 38 years, will re-
tire from active service July
1. The announcement of his re-
tirement was made today by
District Manager K. K. Fran-
cis of Stamford.

He will be succeeded by
Henry Withers of Rotan, who
had served as manager in that
city for the past 17 years and
has been an employee of the
company since 1923.

Mr. and Mrs. King are pi-
oneer residents of Haskell and
will continue to call Haskell
home. Although he has com-
pleted a long and useful career
as manager for WTU here, Mr.
King will continue to have an
active part in the civic affairs
of his city. He will have more
time to devote to civic activi-
ties and his farming and ranch-
ing interests in Haskell County
and vicinity.

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Heavy Downpour
Heralds First
Day of Summer

The first day of summer
brought the year's heaviest
downpour when 2 1/2 inches of
rain was measured here Sat-
urday afternoon. The near-
cloudburst apparently was
centered in Haskell and extended
south and southeast.

Precipitation of 1.36 inch was
recorded in the north part of
the city, while the areas south
and east reported downpours
of from two to three inches.

In the area near Paint Creek,
Wayne Perry reported 2 1/2 in-
ches measured on his farm,
while further south and east
heavier rains were reported.

Widespread interest has de- veloped among both voters and candidates for office in a coun- ty-wide political rally which is scheduled Saturday evening, June 28, in Weinert.

The rally, first to be held in
Haskell County in several
years, is being sponsored by
the Weinert Study Club, and
will be held at the Weinert
Community Center beginning at
8 p. m.

At least 15 or more candidates
will speak during the evening's
program, including candidates
for precinct, county, and dis-
trict offices. Every candidate
in Haskell County has been in-
vited to take part in the pro-
gram, and all will be allotted
equal time, sponsors said.

Sponsors stressed that no fee
or charge would be made in
connection with the program.
However, members of the
Study Club will be in charge
of booths where ice cream,
cake, pie and sandwiches and
soft drinks will be sold to the
public.

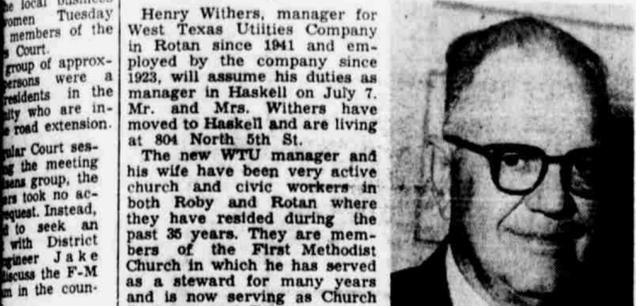
A public address system will
be installed for use of speakers
in addressing the large crowd
expected.

Mayor Bailey Guess of Wein-
ert will give the welcome in-
augurating the program, and
Mrs. Wanda Vojkufka of the
sponsoring club will preside as
master of ceremonies.

Chas. M. Conner, county
Democratic executive commit-
tee chairman, will address the
gathering on the subject, "Get
Out the Vote." County Judge
Alfred Turnbow, who is not a
candidate, is also scheduled for
a brief talk.

County Clerk Horace Oneal,
who is a candidate for re-elec-
tion, will explain absentee vot-
ing procedure.

Other candidates who had ac-
cepted invitations up to Wed-
nesday noon included:
Jim Avis, Halie Chapman,
John F. Ivy, and J. M. Craw-
ford, candidates for County
Judge.



HENRY WITHERS

Henry Withers, manager for
West Texas Utilities Company
in Rotan since 1941 and em-
ployed by the company since
1923, will assume his duties as
manager in Haskell on July 7.
Mr. and Mrs. Withers have
moved to Haskell and are living
at 804 North 5th St.

The new WTU manager and
his wife have been very active
church and civic workers in
both Roby and Rotan where
they have resided during the
past 35 years. They are mem-
bers of the First Methodist
Church in which he has served
as a steward for many years
and is now serving as Church
Secretary and Treasurer.

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Council Authorizes Purchase Of Storm Warning Signal

The City Council, in regular
session Tuesday night, au-
thorized the purchase of a mobile
storm warning signal, canvased
returns of last week's
Water Authority confirmation
election, and transacted several
routine matters in a two-hour
meeting.

The warning signal purchas-
ed is designed for use on a
police car or other emergency
vehicle, and is identical to unit
recently bought by the City of
Olney. Members of the Council
had inspected the unit in the
neighboring city, and recom-
mended a similar installation
here. One-half the cost of the
signal will be paid by the Civil
Defense Administration, city
officials said.

Returns from the North Cen-
tral Texas Municipal Water
Authority confirmation election
were officially approved by the
Council. The vote, 584 for and
176 against, was unchanged
from the unofficial count an-
nounced at the close of the
polls June 17.

In other business transacted,
the Council granted a 15-day
military leave to Police Chief
Tom Paul Barnett, to permit
his attendance at summer
training with the 375th Re-
placement Battalion, USAR,
during July. Also, an increase
in benefits provided by in-
surance carried on members

of the fire department was au-
thorized. An order was also
passed authorizing insuring of
city-owned trucks against fire
and theft.

Aldermen Brooks Middleton
and Jim Byrd reported that a
plan was being worked out
with the Commissioners Court
whereby the county would en-
ter a contract to pay a stipu-
lated fee when city fire fight-
ing equipment is called to fires
in rural areas.

Business Holiday To Be Observed On July 4th

Retail activity will be at a
standstill in Haskell Friday,
July 4th, when virtually all
business concerns and offices
will observe a holiday.

The date was included in the
list of special days selected by
Haskell merchants in a poll
conducted by the Chamber of
Commerce to determine dates
on which the town would close,
as far as retail business is
concerned.

In addition to business es-
tablishments, all offices in the
courthouse and city hall will
be closed with the exception
of the sheriff's department and
the city police station. Also,
all government agencies will
observe the holiday, including
the State Highway Department.

Independence Day is likewise
one of the few holidays obser-
ved by the post office. Win-
dows in the local office will be
closed and there will be no
mail delivery on city carrier
or rural mail routes. However,
all outgoing mail will be dis-
patched on regular schedule.

Postmaster Harold Spain said
Some service establishments
will likely remain open for the
day for the convenience of
tourists. Only concerns in this
category expected to remain
open are some of the filling
stations and cafes.

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Mr. Cook was a former resi-
dent of Haskell, and was well
known here. He and his family
had been living in Glen Rose
for a number of years. He is
survived by his wife, one
daughter, four sons, and sev-
eral grandchildren.

The funeral was held at the
Glen Rose Methodist Church.
Attending from Haskell were
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook, Mrs.
Dora Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd
Lusk, Mr. and Mrs. Richard
Bischofhausen, Roy Cook and
Mrs. Owen Cox.

In connection with 100th an-
niversary of the creation of
Haskell County, a special Cen-
tennial Edition of The Free
Press will be published Thurs-
day, August 21, 1958.

Advertising copy and feature
material for the special edition
is now being assembled, with
Mrs. Bertie Mae Dumas hand-
ling Centennial advertising, and
Mrs. Jean Lawson helping as-
semble material for feature
stories.

Theme of the edition will be
a portrayal in pictures and
feature stories of the develop-
ment of Haskell County from
the days of its first settlement
until the present.

Salvation Army Fund Drive Underway Wednesday

Salvation Army's annual
Haskell was kick-
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J. C. O'Neal,
Billy Jack Ray,
E. B. Love,
Herbert Ray, Abe
Robison, Lon-
Woodrow Frazier,
George Fouts,
Bud Herren,
Billy Ray Lusk,

by supporting the Salvation
Army. This program provides
funds for the county's 18 mem-
ber committees to administer.
No red tape is involved. Gro-
cery orders, lodging, medica-
tion, clothing or anything that
constitutes an emergency will
be given immediate atten-
tion.

Attend Funeral Of Relative In Gainesville

Funeral rites were held Fri-
day in Gainesville for Mrs.
Pauline Smith, 85, longtime
resident of Cooke County, and
a sister of the late Mrs. V. J.
Josselet of Haskell. Mrs. Smith
died Wednesday of last week at
her home near Gainesville.

Mrs. Smith is survived by a
daughter, three sons, six grand-
children, and six great-grand-
children, and a sister-in-law.

Stamford Church Will Host Fifth Sunday Singing

The Calvary Baptist Church,
Stamford, will be host for the
regular Fifth Sunday Singing
on Sunday, June 29.

The program will begin at 2
p. m., and all singers and mu-
sic lovers in the area are in-
vited. Sam White of Stamford
is helping in plans for the pro-
gram.

Rotarians Told Of Health Work In Local Schools

Members of the Rotary Club
were given an insight into the
health program carried out in
the public schools, in a talk by
Mrs. Stella Trice, Public School
Nurse, at the club's regular
meeting and luncheon Thurs-
day at the Texas Cafe.

In the business session, with
vice president Tom Barfield
presiding, plans for the anniv-
ersary meeting, ladies night
and installation of officers
were announced. The event will
be held in the Elementary
School auditorium June 26 at
8 p. m.

Kay Cuberson was pianist
during the meeting and was
accompanist for the club sing-
song. Guests were Rev. Wm.
Barnett, Presbyterian minister,
and Hubert Bradshaw, Stam-
ford Rotarian.

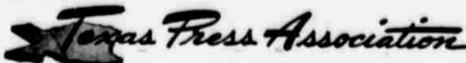


Marvin Cobb, left, of the
Cobb community and Virgil
Hudson of Haskell, secretary
of the Texas Cowboy Reunion
Association discuss some of the
brands at the Old Timers
Building on the rodeo grounds
in Stamford. As the reunion
and rodeo are just around the
corner, the two men are won-
dering how many of the more
than 100 brands around the ro-
deunda will be represented at
the reunion July 2, 3 and 4.

Introduced by H. T. Wilkin-
son, program chairman, Mrs.
Trice explained that eight
schools in the county under her
supervision as nurse, had an
enrollment of approximately
2,000 pupils. Two of the first
tests provided for the children
are for vision and hearing, she
explained. She told of the help
being provided by the Lions
Club in furnishing glasses for
children where the parents are
unable to provide them.

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Our Citizens Are Interested

The decisive majority given by Haskell voters in confirming membership in the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority indicates that our citizens are very definitely interested in the city's water problem and a solution to the problem.

The fact that there was opposition to the proposal is a healthy sign. An expression and airing of differing opinions, granting that they are honest and sincere, is both desirable and helpful in arriving at a sensible decision on any important matter.

Now that the membership in the proposed Water Authority has been definitely confirmed, it will be possible for engineers to determine a more accurate estimate as to the cost of the entire project.

This information, in all necessary detail, can then be presented to the residents of the five towns now constituting the Authority, or district, as the basis for future decisions they will be called upon to make.

At whatever figure the cost is determined, it is a certainty that a bond issue in that amount will be voted upon in the five member cities, together with a water purchase contract.

However, pending the availability of definite cost figures, it now appears that Haskell citizens will be able to underwrite the project at a cost no greater - and possibly not as much - as the cost to neighboring Stamford and Hamlin in solving their municipal water problem.

Other Viewpoints

(Wichita Falls Times)

What one city might not be able to do by itself in the matter of municipal water supply can be accomplished collectively by mutual cooperation of a group of cities with a common goal.

This has been proved again with the election this week which has linked together the five cities of Seymour, Haskell, Rule, Munday and Goree in the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority for the proposed development of a joint new water supply.

A new lake will be created on Miller Creek, between Seymour and Munday, if the authority is permitted to proceed with present plans.

A body of water with storage capacity equivalent to half of Wichita Falls' Lake Kickapoo is contemplated in initial construction which will include filtration facilities and distribution lines to each of the cities participating.

Expenses of approximately \$6,000,000 entailed in the project will be met by an authority bond issue, which calls for another vote. Debt amortization and operating costs would be prorated.

The five cities participating are currently supplied by well water. As in almost all areas of the nation, water tables are dropping and cannot be depended upon in the future, particularly if requirements continue to rise.

The cities are in an area where irrigated farming has been expanding rapidly and with remarkable success, both in introducing new crops and in assuring crop yields every year of well-established farm products. A surface water supply for municipal purposes thus will ease the problem arising from dual uses of well water, for domestic purposes and for irrigated farming. It will resolve conflicting interests between townspeople and farmers before the issue is sharply drawn.

The citizenship of the five communities is to be congratulated on their far-sighted action taken this week. The joint water supply not only offers a solution to present water needs but also provides for future requirements. Aside from water, it will strengthen other ties binding the separate cities.

Haskell County History

20 Years Ago-June 17, 1933
Twelve persons were killed, at least 40 were injured, and 23 houses were destroyed when a tornado hit the little city of Clyde last Friday night.

Mrs. Virgil Meadors and daughter, Martha, accompanied Mrs. Meadors' sister, Mrs. E. F. Garne to Pottstown, Pa., for a visit. The Haskell people returned by way of Nashville, Tenn., where they visited Mrs. E. M. Regan and family, and by Fort Worth where they visited other relatives.

Dr. Floyd Taylor returned to Haskell this week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor, who had been in Dallas to attend his graduating exercises.

He will remain in Haskell for a short visit before going to Baltimore, Md., for his intern work.

Hubert Lee Watson of Haskell was one of the 177 honor graduates at the June commencement at the University of Texas. He received his bachelor of law degree with highest honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sherrill and son of Pittsburgh, Pa., are here visiting the couple's parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherrill.

Mrs. A. C. Pierson and daughter Louise have returned from Menard, where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Theis.

Alvy Couch Jr., was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium Monday, where he will undergo surgery.

Mrs. Irene Ballard and daughter, Helen, left Monday for Greeley, Colo., where they will attend school this summer. They were accompanied by David Perrin, brother of Mrs. Ballard.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cox several miles east of town burned about 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. The family lost all their household goods. They were working in their field and the fire, believed started from an oil stove, had spread throughout the house before it was noticed.

The six-room structure was known as the old Bischofhausen place. It was built a number of years ago by G. W. Bischofhausen, one of the early farmers in this section.

40 Years Ago-June 29, 1918
Registration of women who desire to vote in the primary July 27 was started here Wednesday by Tax Collector H. H. Langford. Forty-two women registered the first day.

Grandpa G. F. Glenn left Thursday for Temple where he will visit his grandchildren for several weeks.

Fifteen Haskell County men left Wednesday afternoon for Camp Travis, where they will enter Army training. Those leaving were Christopher Columbus Hager, Fred Copps, Chas. H. Moeller, Ewell B. Lusk, Tillman Smith, Alfred B. Brandenburger, Jesse J. Benson, John Franke, Luther Pope, James E. Boyd, Terry L. Robertson, Clifford C. Rose, Joe H. Stockton, Aubrey L. Robertson, Jerry F. Morrison.

J. M. Maxwell and family left Monday for Ranger where they will be for a while. J. M. will be employed in contract work for a few weeks.

Floyd Gauntt, who is now in training in the U. S. Navy at Great Lakes, Illinois, passed through the city Friday on his return to the training base after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gauntt in Rochester.

A. A. Burdett of the Brushy

community, who has been working in Arizona since December, arrived Saturday on his way home.

D. M. Biard was in the city Saturday from Weinert. He reports his section needing rain, but said that crops were holding up well.

The county Democratic committee met this week and fixed the assessments to be made against candidates on the first primary ballot. Each candidate will pay the following: All State and district offices: \$1.00; county clerk, \$30.00; County Judge, Sheriff, Tax Collector, Tax Assessor, County Superintendent, each \$25.00; County Treasurer, County Attorney, District Attorney, \$20.00 each; County Commissioner, \$10.00; Constable, Justice of Peace, Cotton Weigher, \$5.00 each.

50 Years Ago-June 27, 1908
G. H. Taylor of the east side was in town Monday and we learned from him that he was building a new house on his place.

C. W. Turner has returned from a visit to his old home in South Carolina.

Steve Neathery, Fred Collier, K. Collier, Jack Simmons and Willis Buchanan returned a few days ago from an extended fishing trip.

V. J. Josselet, whose farm is six or eight miles east of town was here Saturday. He said crop prospects were good and that he had about finished his grain harvest. His wheat averaged 26 bushels on 69 acres, and he threshed 60 bushels per acre from 42 acres of oats.

J. L. Baldwin of Haskell and G. C. Nance of Rule have purchased a 20-horsepower automobile and will run it regularly between this place and Rule, meeting all passenger trains at both places. Passengers will be carried for \$1.00 each way.

Ernest Sutherland is building a residence in the east part of town.

Albert English has returned from a trip out west.

The first carload of hogs ever shipped from Haskell County was billed out by W. T. Hudson a few days ago, going to Fort Worth. This sounds much better than reports of lard and bacon being shipped in to Haskell.

John B. Baker returned Thursday from Chicago, where he attended the Republican convention as a delegate from this congressional district.

R. L. Abels of the north side was in town with a load of wheat Monday.

A good rain amounting to 1.77 inch fell here Wednesday. Farmers coming in Thursday and Friday report rains in all parts of the county.

60 Years Ago-July 2, 1898
A mass meeting of citizens was held Tuesday night to discuss the progress being made in preparing for the Cowboy Reunion here July 27-29. Reports were that everything is progressing in top shape.

A telephone message received here at 5 p. m. Friday stated that the city of Santiago had surrendered to American forces.

The Haskell school trustees have asked for bids on 15 cords of mesquite wood, to be corded and measured on the ground at the school house.

W. M. Reedy announces that he now keeps ice for sale and delivery anywhere in town.

The school census completed last week shows 517 scholastics in the county, an increase of 71 over 1896.

PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS

By A. PATE

Weinert Study Club is sponsoring a political rally in that city Saturday evening, June 28, and the event is expected to attract a number of candidates and a large turnout of voters.

If the Weinert rally is a success, other similar events will likely be staged in other towns in the county.

This will be a return to the old-time campaigns when "candidate speakings" were just as much a part of campaigning for office as handing out cards.

As a rule, these rallies were enjoyed by candidates as well as voters, especially after the

timid office-seeker had 'broken the ice' in making his first speech. We recall that some of the more bashful candidates who almost had to be forced onto the speakers stand later developed into pretty fair orators.

We're plugging for the success of the Weinert program this weekend. Then we'd like to see a similar program in every community in the county before the first primary.

Looks as if West Texas Utilities Company is getting the jump on that "face-lifting" program due to be launched by a

Among Those Who Know the Candidates Best

Advertisement for Joe Greenhill, featuring a portrait and text: '3 to 1 FOR THE TEXAS SUPREME COURT'.

A statewide poll of the legal profession, conducted by the State Bar of Texas, shows the vote to be: JOE GREENHILL 5,844 votes; His Opponent 1,727. This is the overwhelming verdict of members of the candidates' own profession after carefully weighing their qualifications and experience, studying their record and considering their judicial temperament and personal integrity.

P. C. Ad by J. C. Dougherty

C. of C. committee within the next few weeks. Now, WTU has provided a good example of what the project means. Work was started last week on removing most of the front of the WTU Building on the south side of the square. It will be replaced with a modern new plate glass front. The improvement will not only add to the appearance of the building, but will provide a large amount of additional display space for merchandise and appliances handled by WTU.

Must be this 106-degree heat we've had that's made people so fractious lately. For some reason or other, there's been a near epidemic of shootings, stabbings, affrays, and plain, ordinary fisticuffs during the past two weeks. Lawmen are not overly concerned, since very few of the affairs have been of too serious a nature.

One ruckus provided an added feature for the crowd attending the Colored Rodeo Friday night, at least for a few minutes before officers separated the combatants.

It came about during a bronc riding event. Just as a Negro rider mounted his bronc, a Negro handler in the chute jabbed the animal with an electric "hot shot" with the result that the rider was catapulted through the air. Brushing himself off, he headed for the chute and his tormentor and the two started landing hefty swings until separated.

Only beneficiaries from the flare-ups have been the county treasury, and in one or two instances the hospital, when participants in some of the melees were in need of "repairs."

Instead of the heat, it could be that the phase of the moon has something to do with the current outbursts of tempers. An old friend of ours, the late "Rusty" DeBard, would say "there's blood on the moon" when a series of untoward incidents occurred. He'd recall many happenings of early days, some serious, others on the humorous side, that took place when the "moon was right."

One incident he related was both funny and serious, in that some damage resulted from what was intended as a prank. Several young cowboys, noting a small bunch of calves at a watering place south of town one moonlight night, decided on some fun. After "canning" one of the calves, they headed the frightened animals onto the trail leading to town, stampeding the critters.

When the bawling, scared calves hit town, horses and teams hitched to wagons and buggies in front of saloons and other businesses, broke loose and took off. Shafts were broken out of several buggies, and one or two wagons were overturned.

After they realized what had happened, the culprits made a wide circle and rode into town about two hours later from an opposite direction. Took the rest of that moonlit night to round up the scattered teams

and buggy horses. "There would have been blood on the moon" sure enough if those cowmen had found out who started that stampede," the veteran cowboy would chuckle.

On another occasion, several youthful cowboys decided to "booger" a herd of sheep being grazed southeast of town near a small creek. Around midnight they rode quietly near the herd, then spurred their horses and started yelling like Comanches as they rode pell-mell through the sheep, which had been bedded down for the night, scattering the animals in all directions.

The sheep-herder, awakened, went into action. He started throwing bullets from a Winchester and kept it up as long as he could see a horse and rider.

One of the young cowboys, known as "Club" recalls the incident vividly. "If you think you can't stay on a horse going full speed through brush, just let someone start clipping branches all around you with bullets from a Winchester," he declares.

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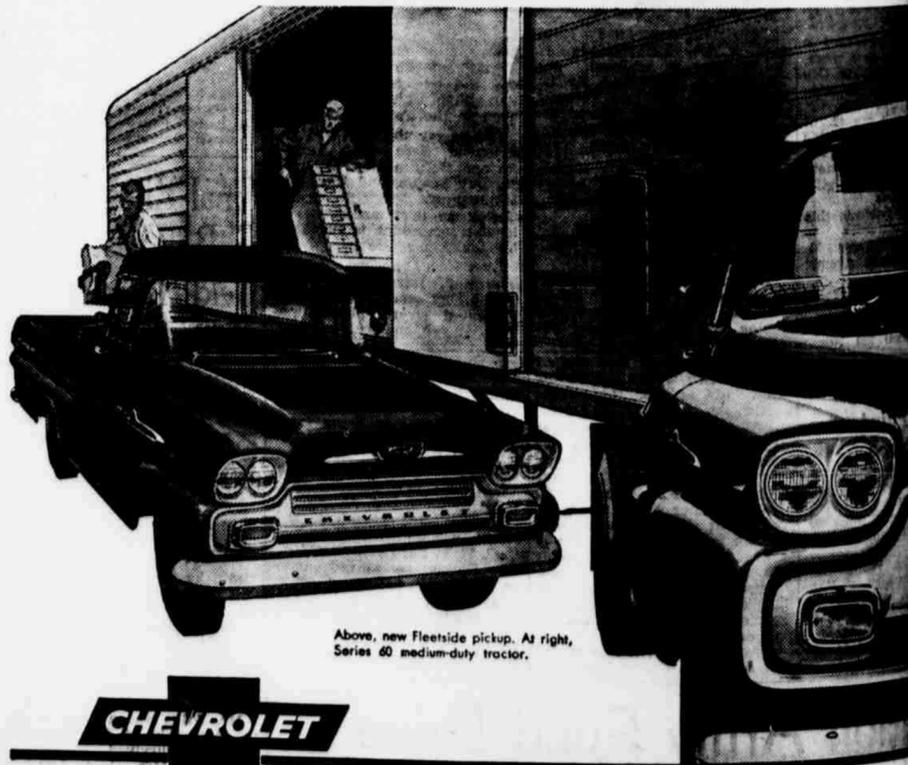
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PRICES GOOD FOR JUNE 27-28

Rainbow Sewing Club Meets with Mrs. Rogers

Regular meeting of the Rainbow Sewing Club was held June 17 in the home of Mrs. Walter Rogers. Attending were 11 members and a visitor.

NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



MRS. C. W. DRINNON

Robbie Lou Roberson Becomes Bride Of Cleatus W. Drinnon in Home Rites

Robbie Lou Roberson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Roberson, became the bride of Cleatus W. Drinnon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drinnon of Weinert, in a candlelight ceremony in the home of the bride's parents Saturday evening, June 21, at 6 o'clock.

Drinnon is employed by the ASC office. They will both be students in Hardin-Simmons University in the fall.

Reunion of Bland Family Will Be Held Sunday

The third annual reunion of the Bland Families will be held Sunday, June 29, at the American Legion Building in this city. The event is being planned as an all day affair.

Hospital Notes

The following persons were admitted to the Haskell County Hospital: Mrs. Gene Elliott, surgery, Haskell. Carol Joe Thompson, surgery, Abilene.

Recent births in Haskell Hospital:

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Alton Hoppe, Stamford, baby girl, Shelly Ann, born June 19, weight 6 pounds and 12 ounces.

Beckham-Bolles Family Reunion Held Sunday

The annual Beckham-Bolles reunion was held at the American Legion Building Sunday, June 22.

Gift Tea June 19 Is Compliment to Bride-Elect

Former Robbie Lou Roberson, was honored with a gift tea Thursday, June 19, from 5 to 7 in the home of Mrs. Harold Spain.

Vancouver Girl And Rule Man to Marry July 26

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holgate of Vancouver Island, British Columbia, Canada are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara, to Ed Tilden Fouts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fouts of Rule.

VISIT IN CAMERON

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Freeman spent last weekend in Cameron where they visited Mrs. Freeman's sons, Francis and Wayne Puckett. Wayne is a star player on the Little League team of Owls in that city.

LaWanda Cooksey, Bill Rutherford, Wed in Lubbock

Choosing the date of the bridegroom's parents 33rd wedding anniversary, LaWanda Lee Cooksey and Billy Frank (Bill) Rutherford were united in marriage at Bowman Memorial Chapel, First Methodist Church, in Lubbock.

Hazel Adress and Glenn W. Hale to Wed July 6

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adress of Haskell announce the engagement and approaching marriage of the daughter, Hazel Nell, to Glenn W. Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hale of Benjamin.



MRS. BILLY FRANK RUTHERFORD

RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hilliard and their four children and nephew Howard Sheets, returned Wednesday from a 10-day vacation. They visited Mrs. Hilliard's brothers, Stanley, Joe and Frank Kolasa in Minnesota, and Mr. Hilliard's sister and family, T/Sgt. and Mrs. R. A. Cusick of Grandview, Mo. The Haskell people also stopped in Harmony, Minn., and toured Niagara Cave there.

SPEND WEEKEND IN HOBBS, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dumas and son Bill spent the weekend in Hobbs, N. M., where they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Milliman and were joined by their daughter, Roberta, who had spent the week there.

Josselet H.D. Club Meets With Mrs. Robertson

The Josselet Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Layton Robertson Tuesday, June 24.

News From The Congress

By Congressman Frank Ikard Next Fall the Supreme Court will be hearing another important case involving the tidelands. The Attorney General of the United States has filed a massive 425 page brief in the pending case contesting the Texas title to all of the submerged lands along the Gulf between the three mile and the ten and one-half mile limit.

under the jurisdiction of the Federal Government. The view of the fact that the Committee Report... until this year, Government had not... for pensions for Confederate Veterans... ever now they are... Federal pension... that only about 200 Confederate Veterans... living, and there is... difficult to locate a... of such a... contact the nearest... Administration... details about the... Within the next... the House will be... legislation, the... would be to over... on the part of... Court which has... States have no... rights to enact... with matters... Congress has... tion. These Supre... cisions have to... States' rights. The... need for the... bill.

Pfc. Carl W. Myers With 36th Pz In Germany

U. S. Forces (AHTNC)-Army Pfc. Carl W. Myers, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Myers, 200 Haskell, recently in a field... conducted by the Artillery Battalion... enwohr, Germany. Myers is assigned... chanic with the... vice Battery in... Hall. He entered... July 1957 and... rope last February. Myers attended... School.

Advertisement for Jantzen swimwear. It features a large illustration of a woman in a white, backless swimsuit. Text includes: 'latest low-down on backs from Jantzen', 'They are most conspicuous by their absence! Jantzen dares you to try one of these new backless swim suits. You will find it the most exciting, compliment-getting suit you have owned in years. Choose from completely backless ones, the big dippers, and beautifully rounded curves. Right out of Life Magazine, we show: "Depth Charge" with the neck plummeting to a belted waist. Terrific in boucle 19.95. "Ribbon Counter" shows the wider, rounded low neckline, its slimming tricks a matter of reversed satin strips in front 19.95. Others \$10.95 and Up. Lane-Felker'.

Advertisement for Haskell Pharmacy. It features a logo with a mortar and pestle and the text: 'YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS COMPOUNDED WITH PRECISION BY EXPERTS'. Below this are several bullet points: 'Phone with Complete Confidence', 'Twenty-Four Hour Prescription Service', 'Prescriptions Delivered to Your Door', 'Complete Line Sick Room Supplies'. At the bottom, it says 'Haskell Pharmacy Prescription Delivery Service' with phone numbers 775 on either side.

HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

BY VERN SANFORD

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strength behind conservative Democrats at precinct conventions and primaries, but supported Republican nominees for national offices in the general election. Presumably, unless conservatives are on hand to vote, Cantrell's friends might scratch GCP-favorite Alger in his own primary.

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Outlook Remains Favorable for Egg Prices

Reduced cold storage holdings and a lower number of layers on farms point to favorable egg prices until the latter part of this year, according to F. W. Martin, county agent.

The number of layers on Texas farms in April, 1958, was 2% less than in March 1958, and 4% less than last April. The United States total this April and May a year ago.

Martin points out that this is favorable for prices in the short run. However, commercial hatcheries in the nation produced 5% more egg-type chicks in March and April this year than a year ago and the production of these chicks during January through April was 6% above the same period in 1957.

This means there will be more eggs in the channels of trade when these chicks start laying this fall, and this will affect prices. Too, production during the first four months of 1959 will probably be larger than the first four months of 1958 and prices will probably be lower.

Cold storage holdings at the end of April were only about one-half as large as the holdings a year ago and one-half the average for that date, reports Martin.

Farm flocks in the U. S. laid 3% less eggs in April of this year than last April and was the lowest April production since 1941. Total egg production since January through April, 1958, was 4% below the same period last year. The rate of production per layer this April was 18.6 eggs compared to 18.7 in April 1957 and the 1947-56 average of 18.0 eggs.

Haskell Student Attends Session Of Girls State

Peggy Williams, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. O. T. Williams of this city, has returned from Austin where she attended the annual session of Girls State, held at the Texas State School for the Blind. The meeting extended from June 11 through June 22 and included Junior High School girls only, who were given comprehensive courses in State Government.

Attendance of Miss Williams was sponsored by the local American Legion Auxiliary. She was chosen by the high school faculty and the Girls State committee of the Auxiliary, composed of Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mrs. Dave Persons and Mrs. T. C. Patterson.

The human brain has been compared to a giant switchboard which brings every part of the body into contact with other parts.

Cotton producers will find that such practices as weed, disease and insect control; fertilizing at rates based on research findings; irrigating for good maturity in areas where it is done with special attention given to cutoff dates; careful harvesting and ginning; keeping low grade and high grade fiber separate and selling on grade can boost the income from this year's cotton crop.

Carlsbad Caverns are visited by a half million people annually.

Apaches Nip Anson All-Stars 7-6 in 12 Innings

The Haskell Apaches subdued the Anson All-Stars 7-6, Sunday at Fair Park Field before a record crowd of fans from both towns.

The two teams were deadlocked 6-6 at the end of the ninth, with the Apaches forging ahead with the winning score in the last of the 12th.

Moundsmen for Haskell were Jessie Sanchez and Paul Nieto, with Sanchez the winning pitcher. Losing pitcher for Anson was Tony Flores.

Sunday's win gave the Apaches a 5-1-1 record for the season. After the game the Apaches were guests at a watermelon party in Rice Springs Park, sponsored by Victor Sanchez Jr., and Mike Enriquez of this city.

Extra rewards await the cotton producer who succeeds in producing a high quality crop this year, while discounts for low quality will continue to be stiff, reports Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist.

J. M. Crawford

Soliciting Your Support For COUNTY JUDGE Haskell County, Texas



33 Happy Years in Haskell If You Don't Know Me, Ask Your Neighbor. If You Know Me, Tell Your Neighbor

Some three weeks ago I had an ad in this paper discussing some of Haskell's water problems. Some of my friends and supporters tell me this was a most unwise act, to bring forth at this stage of the race for County Judge.

To these friends and to all voters, I want to say, that throughout all my mature years, I have sought to concern myself with every problem effecting the common good and the general welfare of the people.

To do this one must have an opinion, for cause, and must be ready at all times to stand up and be counted. Fear cannot enter into my race. And if elected, fear cannot affect my performance of duties.

J. M. CRAWFORD

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Pfc. Jerry Cobb With 8th Infantry In Germany. Mainz, Germany (AHTNC)—Army Private Jerry D. Cobb, whose wife, Genie, lives in Knox City, recently participated in an air transportation training exercise conducted by the 8th Infantry Division in Germany.

SUMMER SALE Friday, the 27th at 8:30 A. M. FABRIC SHOP 706 North Avenue H MATERIALS Cottons, Regular 98c, Sale Price 69c. Disciplined, Regular 1.39, Sale Price 77c. Regular 1.49, Sale Price 89c. Cottons, Regular 89c, Sale Price \$1.00. Water Fabrics, 45", Regular 1.39, Sale Price 89c. Georgettes, Regular 1.79, Sale Price \$1.00. Cottons, Regular 1.39, Sale Price 79c. Swiss, Regular 98c, Sale Price 59c. Gingham, Regular 89c, Sale Price 59c. Silks and Silks, 50" width, Regular 1.39, Sale Price 79c. Chiffons, Regular 1.19, Sale Price 69c. Cottons, Regular 1.79, Sale Price \$1.19. Cottons, 45", Regular 1.29, Sale Price 77c. Wash Silks, Regular 1.49, Sale Price 79c. Room for Fall Fabrics Mrs. Opal Hadaway

Pronghorn Story Traces Life Span Of Texas Stock Texas' pronghorn antelope finds itself the object of history as well as hunters in the May issue of Texas Game and Fish. Two writers trace the pronghorn from the days of the sabre-toothed tiger to present times of controlled hunts. Bob Slaughter, free lance writer, follows "Mr. Fleetfoot" from his beginning about 30 million years ago along a trail of danger from animals and man. Theron Carroll, assistant director of the Information-Education Division of the Commission, picks up the story with the modern approach of protecting the pronghorn by propagation and controlled harvests. Mr. Slaughter writes that the pronghorn antelope's ancestors were a branch of the same family of mammals from which cattle and bison developed. He brings out that almost 25 million years of adaptation were required to produce a species with traits similar to the pronghorn of today. After set backs during the "Ice Age" the pronghorn was hunted by man, whose weapons became more effective against the creature's amazing speed and eyesight. Coming to the present, Carroll paints the picture of the Texas pronghorn with facts and figures taken from years of research and population counts. He points out that since the hunting season was closed in 1903 the pronghorn was given the chance to increase to 4,742 in 1941 and to 7,500 in 1957. In 1944, however, the hunting season was opened, and State wildlife biologists set up a harvest program to control the numbers of the pronghorn. "Thus," writes Carroll, "Mr. Fleetfoot enjoys the distinction of being the first game species in Texas to be harvested under a method affording complete scientific control." A frosty glass of milk is a best choice for a cold drink on a hot day both from the standpoint of flavor and nutrition, say extension foods and nutrition specialists. Bucharest means "city of joy."

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Winters Student Wins Scholarship At Texas A&M

College Station (Spl.)—Herman Ray Adams, Route 4, Winters, has been named winner of a \$3,000 four-year scholarship at Texas A&M College, according to an announcement by Dr. R. C. Potts, chairman of the Faculty Scholarships Committee of the college. Adams will enroll at A&M in September, majoring in agronomy. The scholarship is provided by the Western Compress and Storage Company, with main offices at Abilene, Hamlin, Rule and Sweetwater. Young Adams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Adams, and graduated this spring from Winters high school, where he was a member of the National Honor Society, an officer in the Future Farmers of America, and a member of agricultural judging teams. He was in the top quarter of his school class.

Jim Alvis, Seeking Judge's Place, Proud to Be Part of Haskell County

Since I am asking to be elected your County Judge I would like to present the following facts to the voters of the county in order that you may know me better.

I was born in Haskell County in 1907. I finished Haskell High School with the class of 1927-1928.

I married Miss Ruby Matthews in 1928 and we are the parents of three children, two boys and a girl, and have two grandchildren.

My boys and myself have served nine years for Uncle Sam. My oldest son volunteered and serving four years in the Navy. The other son was drafted and served three years in the Army. I served two years during World War II training recruits for the infantry.

I am a member of the First Baptist Church, and the Fire Department of Haskell.

I do not call myself a successful man but what I have, I have made it in and around Haskell. I am and have always been proud to be a part of Haskell County and its people.

I have lived in Haskell all my life and have farmed most of that time. I served one year in the Sheriff's department which gave me an insight into the duties of your County Judge. I fully believe with all my heart I can make you the kind of Judge you would like to have. And I do promise if you see fit to make me your County Judge to do my best to qualify for that honor.

Yours hopefully,
Jim Alvis.



JIM ALVIS

H.S. Students Attend Fine Arts Workshop at TCU

Seven high school students from Haskell attended a two-week High School Fine Arts Summer Workshop at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

They are: Shirley Atchison, Barbara Elliott, Linda Lane, Robbie Mullins, Gail Ratliff, Pinky Ratliff and Dana Smith, who were enrolled in the twirling and drum majoring clinic.

The annual workshop, held June 8-20, had an enrollment of 283 students. Activities were scheduled in band, orchestra, twirling and drum majoring, speech, drama, radio-television, art, music appreciation, theory and conducting.

It is sponsored by the TCU School of Fine Arts to encourage high school students to continue participation in these various activities during the summer months.

A Grand Concert and play festival climaxed the two-week period on Friday evening, June 20th.

A second twirling clinic, under the direction of F. R. "Woody" Woodard and his staff of twirling specialists, will be held Aug. 10-15, at TCU.

Weinert News

MILDRED GUESS

Weinert Study Club will sponsor a political rally Saturday evening, June 28, beginning at 8 p. m. at the Community Center.

Food booths will be in the building and speaker's platform will be nearby in the park.

Each speaker will be allotted time. Horace Oneal has announced he will speak on the absentee ballot.

Proceeds from the affair will be used to purchase a lawn mower to be used in the park.

At a special meeting of the club Tuesday Mrs. R. S. Sanders was elected Club Master. Mrs. Loyd Lemley was appointed assistant Den Mother for Pack No. 1.

Mrs. C. F. Oman and Mrs. Fred Monke visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis in Goree Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Edwards and daughter of Dallas, visited his father, R. S. Edwards and other relatives last week. Wanda Miller, Shirley Sanders, Jane Cox, Sandra Button and Mary Alice Davis, attended Intermediate GA Camp at Lueders Monday through Thursday. Mrs. W. B. Guess was sponsor.

PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elmore of Arcadia, La., are the parents of a son, born May 14 in that city. The new arrival weighed six and one-half pounds and has been named Stephen Joe. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Adams Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elmore, all of Haskell.

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Successful VBS Held Recently At Pinkerton

One of the most successful Vacation Bible Schools held in recent years has been concluded at the Pinkerton Baptist Church. Rev. C. M. Slate, pastor, was principal of the school and Mrs. Slate served as secretary.

Total enrollment was 79 and the average attendance was 68. Out of the total enrollment, 86 per cent were in attendance daily. Rev. Slate reported, to give the school a Grade AA rating.

During the course of the school there were three professions of faith, and 17 dedications.

In addition to Rev. and Mrs. Slate, staff of the school was as follows:

Nursery superintendent, Miss Darlene Davis; teacher, Mrs. Odell Helweg.

Beginner superintendent, Mrs. James Jones; workers, Mrs. M. R. Stone, Mrs. Buck Bland, Mrs. Bill Lees.

Primary superintendent, Mrs. Nolan Lees; workers, Mrs. Donna Thomas and Mrs. Viola Tidwell.

Junior superintendent, Mrs. Melvin Miller; workers, Mrs. Carl Norman, Mrs. Marie Townsend.

Intermediate superintendent, Mrs. A. R. Hannsz; workers, Mrs. Jess Glover and Mrs. Roy Casey.

Mrs. Haskell Stone was pianist and Mrs. Delma Williams was refreshment chairman.

RETURNS FROM VISIT IN BROWNWOOD, SANTA ANNA

Mrs. R. C. Lowe has returned home after visiting relatives in Brownwood and Santa Anna. She attended a family reunion and celebration of her brother-in-law's 80th birthday, when 38 persons gathered for the occasion. It was held at Mrs. Lowe's old home place where she was married 46 years ago, to the late R. C. Lowe in the Eureka community about 10 miles from Santa Anna.

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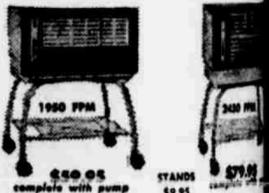
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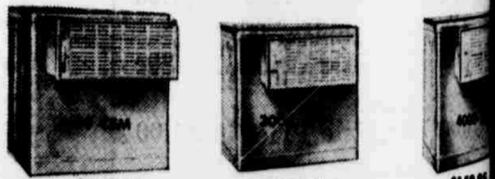


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News from Rule

BY MRS. FAYE DUNNAM

Merle Eaton and Mrs. Horton and sons are visiting in Greenville. Mrs. Horton's mother will return with them to make her home in Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pool and family of San Angelo visited with the R. C. Pools last week.

Mrs. Hattie May Estes of Stamford has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Estes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus Hunt and Hal spent Sunday in Denton with their daughter, Danna.

Mr. and Mrs. Berline Barbee and family of Magnolia, Texas, have been visiting with his parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Agnew and children have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Allison. They are from California.

Quality Cotton In Good Demand

Extra rewards await the cotton producer who succeeds in producing a high quality crop this year, while discounts for low quality will continue to be stiff, reports Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist.

The abundance of low grade cotton that was left over from last year's crop will continue to depress the market for low grades, points out Elliott. However, he adds, the present outlook for the 1956 crop indicates a continued shortage of high grade fiber.

A late spring, shortage of good seed, and too much moisture have contributed to a poor start for cotton this year in many areas. But the specialist says there is still plenty of opportunity to aim for high quality through careful management and harvest practices.

These practices include weed, disease and insect control; fertilization at rates based on extension service recommendations; irrigating for good maturity in areas where it is done with special reference to cut-off dates; careful harvesting and ginning; keeping low and high grade fiber separate and selling on grade.

Almost a third of last year's cotton crop classified as spotted, resulted in a lower average grade for 1957 crop than for any year on record.

Much of this spotting could have been avoided through better management practices, says Elliott. Widespread failure to adhere to such practices weakens cotton's position in marketing for many uses. And this, in turn, contributes to cotton surpluses and depressed prices.

Broom corn is a grass from which brooms and clothes brushes are made.

How You Drive Can Make Fourth Gay or Tragic

To millions of motorists, the long Fourth of July weekend brings promise of a fun-packed three days of fishing, swimming, boating, golf, camping and other recreation.

The long holiday week end also will spell tragedy to some of these motorists because they failed to observe the safety code of the highway.

To help reduce the holiday accident toll, Jeanne Smith, Dodge safety consultant, offers these suggestions for all drivers.

1. Never pass a car on a hill or a curve where your vision is restricted.
2. If children get out of hand, pull your car off the road and come to a complete stop before administering discipline.
3. Keep on your side of the road, even though no other car is visible.

4. Always give the other fellow more than his share of the road—and be careful of careless drivers who are over-anxious to reach their destinations.

5. Be extra cautious when driving on unfamiliar roads.

6. If you stop along the highway for a picnic or to sightsee, pull your car entirely off the road.

7. Never pull out into traffic without first looking to see that the way is clear.

8. Come to a complete stop when entering a "stop" street or when emerging from an alley or private drive.

9. And, of course, don't mix alcohol with your fireworks fun.

Mrs. Ruth Reed of Rogers, Ark., sister of County Treasurer Pat Lewis and Mrs. Hugh Smith was a visitor last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Adams Jr., of Canadian, Texas, are the parents of a daughter, Carla Nan, born in that city June 4, weight six and one-half pounds. Grandparents are Mrs. Carlos Bowen of Killeen and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Adams Sr., of Haskell.

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as a new residential section. He also has 176 acres of land in Throckmorton County, 32 miles from Haskell, which is used for farming and cattle raising.

Although he will have these business interests to oversee, Mr. and Mrs. King plan to do some traveling which will be either to Iran or Houston. In Iran, they will visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bertis White and three grandchildren, Krysa, Micael and Kara. The next trip will be to Bel Air, near Houston, for a visit with the other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Van Sieten and three grandchildren, Mary, Clinton and Sally Jane.

Mr. King began his career in the electric industry in 1920 when he was employed by the Haskell Ice & Light Company as a helper—a second man to help the electrician and the lineman. Back in those days, the two did all the house wiring, built the lines and practically everything else that was done outside the office. When they needed help at the small light plant or at the ice plant, Henry King was helper there too.

All of his long period of service with WTU was spent in Haskell, except for a short time spent with a construction crew at Weintert.

Born in Throckmorton in 1893, Mr. King attended grade school at the Forty-two Community five miles west of Throckmorton and was graduated from Throckmorton High School in 1916.

The first job he had for pay was pitching hay to a hay-baler and drew fifty cents a day, working from sun-up until sundown. Later he worked on a ranch breaking horses at \$1.00 per head. He would give them three rides and turn them over to the cowboys.

He was just the right age for service in World War I and volunteered for service in the Air Corps. He entered the service in July, 1917; "washed-out" in September and joined a supply company for overseas duty. His company landed in France in January, 1918 and was assigned to the 509th Engineers and helped operate supply trains.

King returned to the States and was discharged in August with the rank of Tech. Sergeant. He became interested in the electric industry while in France when he was assigned to duty at a power plant in an Army camp at Montoir, France.

During his 37 years' residence in Haskell, Mr. King has been one of the city's leading citizens and most loyal civic workers. He is a past member and officer in the Bonehead Club, the Lions Club and the School Board and County Red Cross Chapter chairman. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, the Knights of Pythias and Elks Club.

Mrs. King is the former Una Shook of Haskell and was married to Mr. King in 1921. They are the parents of two daughters, Beverly, now Mrs. D. C. Van Sieten of Bel Air and Chan, now Mrs. Bertis White of Iraan.

Buckwheat, by its rapid growth, stifles weeds and leaves the field clean for the next year.

Alaska is the largest peninsula in the North American Continent.

Brutus, slayer of Julius Caesar, was later defeated in battle and took his own life.

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.

Hawks and Frogs Lead in Little League Play

The Hawks and Frogs were on top in major and minor divisions of Little League baseball this week with the Hawks winning two games during the past week, while the Frogs took one and dropped one. Results in games during the past week, in the major division:
June 19—Hawks 7, Cubs 5.
June 20—Tigers 3, Rams 2.
June 23—Rams 18, Cubs 3.
June 24—Hawks 8, Tigers 6.
Results in the minor division:
June 19—Frogs won over Red Horses.
June 20—Cats lost to Bears.
June 23—Red Horses lost to Cats.
June 24—Bears won over Frogs.

Standings (Major)
GP W L T Pct.
Hawks ...5 3 2 0 .600
Rams ...4 3 1 1 .600
Tigers ...4 2 1 1 .500
Cubs ...4 0 4 0 .000
Minors
Frogs ...12 8 4 0 .667
Cats ...13 7 6 0 .538
Bears ...13 5 7 1 .385
R. Horses 11 4 6 1 .364

RETURN FROM VISIT IN FARMINGTON, N. M.

Mrs. Mamie Alley and Jimmie have returned home from Farmington, N. M. They visited Mrs. Alley's three daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dotson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sanders, and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wood and daughter. Mrs. Wood was in the hospital at Farmington, but is improving nicely and has been returned to her home.

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

BY VERN SANFORD

It's catfishing time in Texas. The real meat fishermen now are showing up to have their pictures made with full-grown catfish. I've seen several of them taken from trot lines and throw lines, the past week, on Lake Travis.

Catfish can be taken any time of the year. However, July and August seem to be the months when most of the big ones are hooked.

Perhaps the principal reason is that other fish are less likely to be caught during the hot summer months and fishermen just naturally turn to the catfish.

Some bass and crappie are caught, but generally they seem to have their tummies full and seek out some good cool spot to spend the day. I don't mean that many are not caught. However, the number decreases as the temperature rises. Whether it is the fault of the fish or fisherman I would not say. But I do know that there are fishermen who catch them any time of the year, hot or cold.

Generally speaking catfishing isn't as much work as bass fishing. Catfish can be caught in most any manner. Frequently one will hit on a plug. They will take minnows, cut bait, dough bait, even Ivory soap.

They'll come to a baited hole and will be enticed by almost any kind of scent bait. A sack of fermented shorts or corn chops, or a gunny sack filled with uncooked bones dropped into the water alongside an old tree usually is a good magnet to attract catfish.

Many pole fishermen come up with some dandies by baiting a hole and then sitting quietly in their boats and waiting for the catfish to move in.

However, the old time favorite way of taking catfish is by trot line. Usually such a line is extended between two points, perhaps a couple hundred feet apart, down a creek or across a channel where catfish are likely to be foraging.

The line can be anchored to a stake, tree, stump or weighted down with glass bottles for buoys.

Most often one end of the line is tied to something solid. The other end has a heavy weight, with a guy line from the weight to a lightly closed bottle which floats on top of the water to designate the end of the line or the location. They also help keep the line off the bottom.

Some catfishermen like for their lines to be on the bottom; others like to have their lines barely under the water. In any event when they are in the open they should be deep enough that they won't be cut apart by outboards moving over the area. It's a good way for you to lose a line and also for an outboard to get its prop badly tangled.

Hooks can vary in size. Most fishermen usually use a 5/0 to 7/0 Eagle Claw. A great deal depends on the area in which you are fishing. If the fish are small, then a smaller hook is best. Some fishermen use 3/0 but these are very light for large fish.

The hooks are attached to the trot line via a sturgeon with a short line of about 60 pound test. This sturgeon or drop should be from a foot to 18 inches long. It can be tied directly to the trot line, or

L-L Tournament Schedule For Dist. 6 Mapped

Plans for tournament play in Dist. 6 Little League baseball were adopted at a meeting in Graham Sunday of representatives from the 15 towns in the district which are participating in organized Little League play.

Haskell's representative at the meeting was Wallace Stark. He explained that the 15 teams in Dist. 6 were divided into four groups according to areas, with Haskell in Group A with Sheppard Air Force Base, Iowa Park and Seymour.

Tournament play will be held at Seymour, with the first round scheduled July 14 when Haskell meets Sheppard AFB at 5 p. m., followed at 7:30 with a game between Iowa Park and Seymour. On the following evening, losing teams will play to determine runner-up, while winning teams will play to decide the winner in Group A.

Similar play-offs will be held at Graham, Cisco and Brownwood. District 6 finals between the four group winners will be played at Graham July 17 and 18 to determine the district champion.

Little League officials said this week that several requests had been made for advertising space on the outfield fence at the Little League field. As a result, it is planned to place a second row of signs on the fence if a sufficient number of firms are interested. League officials will appreciate it if any interested persons will contact them immediately.

Stamford Lake - - -

(Continued from page 1) deem it necessary for the protection of persons and property that an ordinance be passed by the City of Stamford, Texas, prohibiting fishing on the bridge at the lower end of Lake Stamford, and prohibiting the parking of automobiles on the bridge and the causeway and the approaches there to, all of which are in the city limits of Stamford, Texas.

"We will appreciate the City of Stamford taking this necessary legislative action, and as stated above, it is specifically requested by the Commissioners Court of Haskell County, Texas."

Park-Plant Road - - -

(Continued from page 1) county officials have no "say so" as to where F-M roads were placed in the past. The three Commissioners agreed that the proposed road was definitely needed and would benefit not only Haskell but the entire county.

Stating that he was "not against" the proposed F-M extension, Commissioner Blake explained that he had approximately 200 miles of unimproved road in his precinct, and had only been "promised" about 3 1/2 miles of F-M road. More F-M roads are needed in his precinct, he stated, adding that "I need to think this over before going with you in designating it as our No. 1 road need," Blake said.

Commissioner Ashley of Prec. 1, agreeing that the extension was needed, took the position, however, that "We can't put this particular project ahead of all other roads in the county."

Commissioner Newton stated he was in favor of building the proposed road "right now."

Kimbrough explained that when the Haskell group appeared before the Highway Commission, they were advised that Haskell County would be entitled to some eight or nine miles of F-M road construction during the coming year. "We were told to have our Commissioners Court designate any road within that mileage as their No. 1 project and it would be built," Kimbrough stated. Other members of the committee meeting with the Highway Commission verified this statement.

A suggestion by John Payne, Haskell druggist, was to the effect that the Commissioners Court include the proposed park-plant road with other roads in the county. Then, he pointed out, the local group could seek Highway Commission approval of the project under discussion. Payne's suggestion was enthusiastically received by the group present.

Others stating their views on the proposed extension and all endorsing the project, were W. O. Holden, Jetty V. Clare, A. C. Pierson, Mrs. W. R. Johnson, and several employees of the WTU plant, along with Col. Pete Greene, supervising engineer for West Texas Utilities Company on the installation of a new unit at the Paint Creek plant now underway.

VISIT IN DECATUR AND GRAND PRAIRIE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Viney and Mrs. Jake Stewart and son Eddie of Haskell, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dale Phelps of Tatum, N. M., spent last weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stewart of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Andrews of Decatur.

Too Late To Classify

For Sale: the price will be right any day you may need shoes. I get them to sell, they do not make me any money staying in the shelves. I can always get more. Dee Phillips Shoe Store. East of court house. 26-27c

FOR Sale or Trade: 4 room modern house, across street from elementary school. See Alvie Mitchell at 1003 Ave. E. 26-29p

FOR SALE: 4 rooms and bath. Carpet with storage room, all newly decorated, new roof, on paved street. \$3500. Barfield-Turner Agency, Phone 258, Haskell, Texas. 261fc

FOR SALE: Good 3 bedroom home with attached garage. 4 lots. All \$4500. Barfield-Turner Agency, Phone 258, Haskell, Texas. 261fc

FOR RENT: Large 7 room house. Good location. \$40.00. Good 5 room house 3 miles east on paved highway. \$30.00. Barfield-Turner Agency, Phone 258, Haskell, Texas. 261fc

good one. Among others are the flat-heads; the yellow bullhead, also known as the Pollywog; the black bullhead; the brown bullhead and the widemouth catfish. There are also several other varieties not too frequently found.

If you want accurate information on all these fish, so you can readily identify them, you should get a copy of the bulletin prepared by Will Brown, assistant director of inland fisheries of the Game & Fish Commission in Austin. A two-penny postal card addressed to the Game and Fish Commission, Walton Bldg., Austin, Texas, will bring it to you.



Tomorrow's Leaders Are Made Today. The Salvation Army is increasing its services to youth with the purpose of developing Christian leadership for the future. The Salvation Army provides guidance and recreation geared to the youth

of today. An important part of these activities is found at the Salvation Army Camp Hoblitzelle near Midlothian, a year-round and state-wide camp center where hundreds of boys and girls from throughout Texas are offered camping

opportunities they could not otherwise afford, all under the guidance of trained and dedicated Salvation Army officers. This is one of the Salvation Army programs supported by your community.

Home Garden Insect Guide Now Available

A good home garden can be a source of much pleasure and reducer of the family budget. But both the pleasure and saving can be greatly reduced by harmful insects if proper control is not exercised, says F. W. Martin, county agent.

With few exceptions, vegetable insect control is a preventative program. Control measures should begin before insects appear in damaging numbers. Dusts and sprays, in most instances, are equally effective.

A new leaflet has been re-issued by the Texas Extension Service entitled "Texas Guide for Controlling Insects on Vegetable Crops." It includes information on home garden mixtures, methods of application and precautions and contains a chart outlining a dust or spray program for controlling vegetable insects.

This leaflet should prove most helpful to all home gardeners. It can be obtained from local county agents. Ask for L-255.

HASKELL VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bradford of Abilene and their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Maynard of Big Spring spent the week in Haskell with Mr. Bradford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frazier.

Tests indicate that laying hens perform best when the temperature ranges from 45 to 85 degrees F. Ben Wormell, extension poultry husbandman, says poultrymen should make sure their laying houses are properly ventilated and that the supply of drinking water is adequate to meet hot weather needs. Too, when temperatures are around the 100 mark a fogging or sprinkler system installed in the laying house will pay dividends.

Swimming Gains In Popularity, Poll Shows

Ask the first 100 people you meet what their favorite sport is and chances are good that at least 70 will say swimming. Even golf and fishing have taken back seats as sport choices, a recent nationwide poll shows.

An estimated 50,000 new pools will be constructed this year throughout the nation. In Texas at this moment well over 4,000 pools are attracting swimmers like bees to a flower.

This is all to the good, because swimming lends itself to social adjustment. It teaches coordination and builds stamina and character. A child who overcomes fear of water has learned courage.

But there is also an element of risk. This accelerated interest in swimming creates hazards to life and limb, and danger of disease transmission. That's why the State Health Department conducts courses to teach pool operators the various skills of their jobs.

"Short schools" for pool operators are concentrated during April, May and June, the intention being to enroll as many operators as possible before hot weather and overflow crowds make it hard for them to get away from their work.

Co-sponsored by the Texas Beach and Pool Association, courses consist of eight hours of intense technical and practical instruction. It covers such things as how to disinfect the water, and how to control water acidity—the factor incidentally, which causes swimmers' eyes to burn, rather than chlorine as is popularly supposed.

The course also covers pool safety, bathroom sanitation, and the various filtering systems used by modern pools. How important are swimming pools as links in the chain of disease transmission? Eye, ear, nose, and throat, skin and intestinal infections are

ATTEND MERCHANDISE SHOW IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frazier of Frazier Radio & Record Shop were in Dallas last week where they attended a Merchandise Show sponsored by the Adleta Company. Featured in the show were the new 1959 models of RCA Victor and RCA Whirlpool lines.

VACATIONING IN ALABAMA

Mr. and Mrs. Hughey Bledsoe and Mr. and Mrs. Wayburn Oates of Odessa are vacationing in Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee. They expect to return the latter part of the week.

Advertisement for BIARD'S CLEANERS. Text: CAN YOU AFFORD NOT TO HAVE YOUR PARTY COTTONS DRY CLEANED? It costs too much to wash a nice dress and have it look drab and lifeless when our excellent dry cleaning service will keep it new-looking for months. BIARD'S CLEANERS Service That Satisfies MYRON BIARD, Owner 115 North Ave. E Haskell, Texas. Includes image of a woman in a dress and a logo for Lanonet.

Vertical advertisement on the right edge of the page. Text: RETURN FROM IN WYOMING Mr. and Mrs. Phillips of Amarillo... Mercury is the that remains liquid temperatures... Brazil occupies the entire South continent... Brussels sprouts grow to a height... Snap-A-Part Forms... Includes small images of forms and a woman's face.