



Center, is of the group gathering well-known Haskell Monday afternoon. In the picture, from left: Ira Hester, Mrs. Hester, Mrs. Bob Herren, Brooks Middleton, Wright, Mrs. Howard Perry, Mrs. Robt. R. King, Tom Barfield, Henry W. Smith. (Photo by Barbara Kimbrough)

## "Inventory," C of C Speaker Urges Audience

nothing but gloom in the future," he declared. He attributed America's greatness to the atmosphere of freedom which exists in the United States, where an individual can go into business if he chooses, operate his own business in his own way without interference. He pointed out that although the U. S. has only 6 per cent of the world's people and 7 per cent of the world's land, it has 60 per cent of the world's electricity lines, 40 per cent of the paved highways, 33 per cent of the railroads and two-thirds of the world's telephones, television and radios. "We should be mindful of our blessings, and move forward with hope and faith toward the full development of a better world," he told his audience. The speaker was introduced by Supt. Robert R. King of the Haskell schools. Wright left immediately after the banquet for Abilene and went by plane to Washington Monday night in order to be in Congress Tuesday for a vote on the House Rule committee. Tom A. Barfield, retiring president, was master of ceremonies and introduced the 1961 officers. They are Ira Hester, president; Barfield, vice president; Harold Spain, second vice president; H. E. Stephens, treasurer; Mrs. Roy Johnson, manager; Dr. T. W. Williams, representative to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. New directors introduced were Desmond Dulaney, Mrs. Opal Dotson, Alton Hester, Nettie McCollum, Holdover directors are John Kimbrough, Henry Withers, Jim Alvis, Lon Pate, A. T. Ballard, Bill Pogue, Bailey Toliver. Retiring directors are Wilda Medford, Mrs. Luther Burkett, Mrs. Byron Frazier, Charles Swinson and Dr. Williams. The Rev. Rogers Durham, minister of the First Christian Church, gave the invocation. Special music was presented by The Nine Teens, with Linda Speer as pianist and directed by Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bell. District Attorney Royce Adkins welcomed guests and introduced the out-of-town visitors, including delegations from Rule, Stamford, Mattson, Weinert, Rochester, O'Brien, Paint Creek, Anson, Knox City, Hamlin, Graham, Seymour, El Paso, Wichita Falls, Munday, Fort Worth, Abilene. Stamford's delegation, 36, was the largest present. Rule was next with 21 present from that city. The meal was prepared by the school lunchroom staff and served by the HHS Homemaking Class under supervision of Mrs. Mary McCollum and Mrs. Jean Jeter.

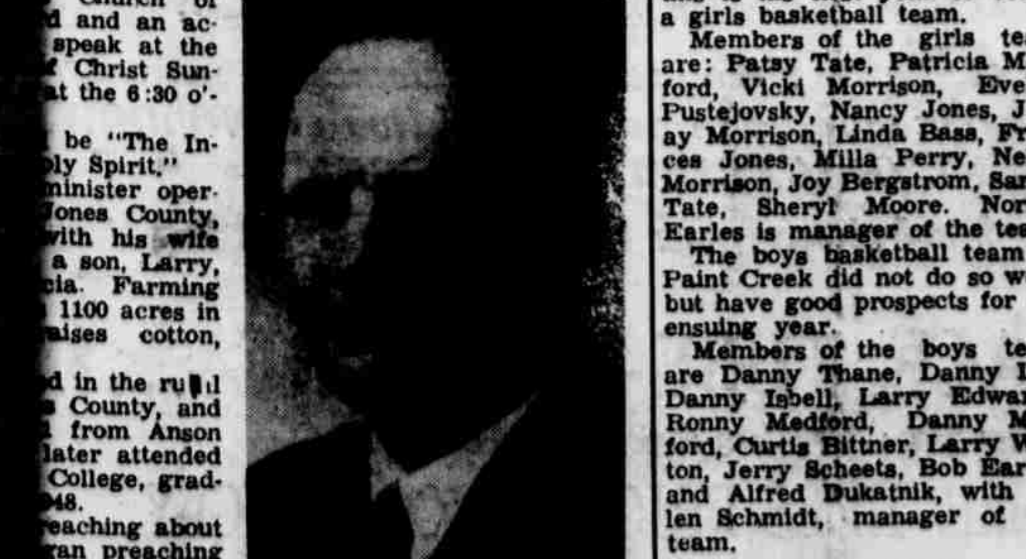
## Lions To Help Clean Grounds At Youth Center

At the Tuesday noon-day luncheon session of Lions, Dr. T. W. Williams, chairman of the Community Betterment and Civic Improvement Committee, reported on the project of helping with some of the finishing work at the Youth Center. Williams, in his report before the club, stated the most important project at present at the Youth Center was the cleaning of the grounds. He also said that Jaycees would assist Lions in the grounds cleaning program to be carried out some afternoon in the near future. Theron Cahill, Information Committee Chairman, read an editorial from the October issue of "The Lion," which was very informative as to what Lions can do for the betterment of their own town and community. Wallace Cox Jr., presided at Tuesday's meeting in the absence of president, C. O. Holt.

## Girls Cage Team At Paint Creek Wins Title

Girls basketball team of the Paint Creek Rural High School has achieved an outstanding record for the season, winning 16 games while losing two, and copping the championship in District 16-B. In addition to the season schedule, the Paint Creek girls team entered several tournaments. They won the Paint Creek tourney, placed third in tournament play at Weinert. Coach of the girls team is V. P. Morrison, who is in his first year at Paint Creek. Likewise, this is his first year to coach a girls basketball team. Members of the girls team are: Patsy Tate, Patricia Medford, Vicki Morrison, Evelyn Pustejovsky, Nancy Jones, Janay Morrison, Linda Bass, Frances Jones, Milla Perry, Nelda Morrison, Joy Bergstrom, Sandy Tate, Sheryl Moore. Norma Earles is manager of the team. The boys basketball team at Paint Creek did not do so well, but have good prospects for the ensuing year. Members of the boys team are Danny Thane, Danny Ivy, Danny Isbell, Larry Edwards, Ronny Medford, Danny Medford, Curtis Bittner, Larry Walton, Jerry Scheets, Bob Earles, and Alfred Dukatnik, with Allen Schmidt, manager of the team.

## Preacher, Active Farmer, at Church of Christ Sunday



DALE KING Preaching yearly, and has preached in Wyoming, Connecticut, Illinois and other states. Minister Jim Pennington of the Church of Christ says, "Bro. King is an outstanding speaker and preacher of the gospel, a dedicated man. He is a busy man — but never too busy to have plenty of time for the Lord's work. He is an earnest Bible student, and all who hear this man will feel that their time was well spent."

## Area Thawing Out After Blast of Ice and Snow

Haskell and this area enjoying thawing temperatures this week, following winter's worst cold spell which hit this area last week, bringing sleet, snow and ice which remained on the ground for several days. Sam Herren, local observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau, reported snowfall of 2.5 inches on Jan. 28 which amounted to .15 inch of moisture. Also, on Jan. 29, coldest weather of the winter was recorded, with the mercury dropping to 12 degrees. Precipitation for the month of January was above normal, 1.43 inches being gauged, a departure of .62 from normal, which is .81 inch. Moisture was recorded on five days in January, the heaviest being .55 on Jan. 8. High temperature for the month was 73 degrees registered on Jan. 18.

## 2,096 Poll Tax And Exemptions Issued Here

A total of 2,096 poll tax receipts and 27 exemptions had been issued through Jan. 31, it was reported at the office of Tax Assessor - Collector Elizabeth Stewart Wednesday noon. This figure could be changed slightly by mail payments of poll tax which had not been received at that time but were mailed before midnight, Jan. 31. The total poll tax and exemptions—2,096—is far below last year's total of 3,288. However, the figure is higher than the last "cif" year, 1959, when only 1,925 poll tax receipts and exemptions were issued.

## Completely New Bowling Lanes To Open Friday

Announcement has been made of the re-opening of the Haskell Bowling Lanes Friday evening, Feb. 3 at 6 p. m., with all new equipment, including automatic pin spotters installed. The lanes will be sanctioned by the American Bowling Congress in league competition. As a result of the refinishing and installation of new equipment, the alleys will be in perfect shape and the equal of any to be found in the larger cities. Everyone is invited to visit and inspect the lanes Friday night or during the weekend, and note the extent of the modern facilities installed for the pleasure of those who enjoy bowling. Plans are underway for organizing several leagues, and all bowlers, both men and women are urged to take part.

## Former Haskell Woman Dies In California

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Feb. 1, in Sacramento, Calif., for Mrs. J. A. (Andrew) Shriver, a native of Haskell and Haskell County. She passed away Sunday morning in Shuttles Hospital from a heart attack where she had been a patient the past week. Burial was in Sacramento Cemetery following services in Normal Funeral Chapel. She was born and reared in Haskell and was active in the First Methodist Church before moving to California. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crow of Haskell. Survivors are the husband and one sister, Mrs. G. E. Davis of Rule and a number of nephews and nieces.

## Tickets for Minstrel Going Fast, Costuming Now in Full Swing

Those who delay until the last minute buying reserved seats for the big Minstrel Show to be given Feb. 9-10 may find themselves going early and standing in line for seats, according to reports. The usual job of getting out and selling tickets has been no problem this time for the Seniors, they said this week. Calls are coming from all over town, and in one or two instances from neighboring towns for reserved seats. Typical of the response was a telephone call from an elderly couple who said, "At our age we don't get out much at night except in case of emergency — but a good, old fashioned blackface Minstrel Show is an emergency!" Reports from the "rehearsal halls" indicate that the show is moving along with progress. Section rehearsals begin at 4:00 p. m. and continue until 6:00.

## Patrolmen Nab Two Youths In Stolen Car

Two 17-year-old youths, driving a stolen car, who admitted to officers that they were AWOL from Fort Hood, Texas, were arrested by Highway Patrolmen Tommy Wood and Jesse Priest about 1 p. m. Monday after a chase of several miles on State Highway 24. Officers identified the two as Douglas Mark Jackson and John Oliver Johnson, both 17. The youths, driving a 1955 Plymouth reported stolen Friday in Dallas, were first spotted by Constable Raymond Denison of Rule. The youths, hitting 100 miles an hour at times, eluded the Rule officer and headed toward Haskell on State 24. Constable Denison and Highway Patrolmen Wood and Priest started for that city. They met the speeding car between Haskell and Rule, turned around and gave chase, overtaking and halting the youths about four miles west of town. The two, booked on fugitive complaints, were placed in county jail to be held for Dallas officers.

## Rotarians Hear Classification Talk by Hester

Interesting facts concerning the operation of a retail franchise store were given members of the Rotary Club at its noon meeting and luncheon Thursday by Alton Hester, owner and proprietor of White Auto Store in Haskell. Hester's talk was on a classification assignment, in which Rotarians discuss their particular vocation. Program chairman Haskell Stone introduced the speaker. The first White retail store was opened in 1930 in Clinton, Okla., Hester related. Today, there are 230 franchised dealers banded together in the White organization in five states, together with 80 company-owned stores. Franchised stores are locally owned, Hester pointed out. The value of a franchise stems from the fact that it enables each store to benefit from White's immense purchasing power and merchandising experience. Club President Thos. B. Robertson announced that Haskell was in third place in the district in attendance during December. Concerning next Thursday's program, he announced that a Japanese attending college in Abilene would be the guest speaker. Announcement also was made of the pending 50th anniversary celebration of Cisco Rotary Club on Feb. 2, with several Haskell Rotarians and Rotary Anns planning to attend. Rotary "Ideals of Service" were discussed briefly by Bill Ratliff. A sing song was led by Bob Herren, with Ruth Withers as pianist. Guests introduced by Desmond Dulaney included two HHS Seniors, Student Guest Jan Eastland and Carolyn Bruce; Maurice Gannaway, Haskell farmer, and J. L. Hill of Stamford Rotary Club.

## Raja Hassen Wins Radio at Dallas Merchandise Mart

Luckiest among the group of Haskell merchants attending merchandise markets in Dallas last week was Raja Hassen, who won a transistor radio given away as a special feature. Raja and Mrs. S. Hassen were in Dallas to select spring and summer merchandise for Hassen's department store.

## Annual All-Sports Banquet Scheduled for Feb. 11

### Occupants of Two Cars, Truck Unhurt in Four-Car Smash-Up

Occupants of two cars and a truck escaped injury in a four-vehicle smash-up on the north west corner of the square late Friday. The crash was partially blamed on snow and sub-freezing temperatures which had coated streets and highways with ice. The mishap occurred when the brakes failed on a 1956 GMC truck-tractor driven by Elvis Carl Davis of Megargel. Davis, driving east on State 24, discovered his brakes were out as he neared the intersection with US 277. Turning south at the intersection to slow the heavy vehicle, the truck swerved into the side of a 1958 Chevrolet occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Leon Allen Brown and their small children, Bobby, 6, and Paula Kay, 12, of Abilene. Still rolling, the truck then hit a 1956 Ford occupied by Roy Scheets of Haskell, swerved to the right and struck a 1957 station wagon belonging to Frazier's Radio & Appliances which was parked in front of the store. The truck then rolled onto the sidewalk and came to a stop within inches of a street light pole. The Abilene couple and their children were badly shaken and received slight bruises. However, after examination at the Haskell Hospital, they were dismissed. Scheets, occupant of the Ford, also escaped injury, as did the truck driver, Davis. The crash was investigated by Chief of Police Tom Paul Barnett, Sheriff Garth Garrett and Deputy Covell Adkins. Chief Barnett estimated damage to the Chevrolet at between \$600 and \$700, while the Ford belonging to Scheets had about \$200 damage and the station wagon \$125 to \$150 damage. A charge of driving a vehicle with defective brakes was filed in Justice Court against the Megargel truck driver, Davis, signed by Chief of Police Barnett. Davis entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$25 and costs, a total of \$44.50. Davis told officers he had moved an oil field drilling rig from Megargel to the Wiseman lease west of Haskell and was returning to Megargel when the mishap occurred.

## Sen. Moffett Is Named on 12 Senate Panels

Permanent organization of the Senate of the 57th Legislature was completed this week with the appointments Monday by Lt. Gov. Ramsey. Members of the 24 Senate committees are chosen by the Lieutenant Governor largely in accordance with their familiarity with the legislation dealt with by the particular committee to which they are appointed. Sen. George Moffett of this district has been named a member of 12 of the Senate's 24 committees. He drew the post of Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock and was appointed to 11 other committees in the Senate, as follows: Constitutional Amendments, Finance, Contingent Expense, Game and Fish, Interstate Cooperation, Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts, Military and Veterans Affairs, Rules, State Affairs, Water and Conservation. Senator Moffett holds the record for the length of service in the Legislature. He has served in the Senate for 23 years and the House of Representatives for eight years. Moffett said he was "very pleased" with the appointments but added, "there's a lot of work involved here."

## Rep. Wheatley Named on Five House Panels

State Representative Carl Wheatley of Haskell, has been named on five permanent committees in the Legislature. Appointments of House Committees was announced Monday by Speaker James A. Turman. The Haskell legislator who is serving his first term, was named on the following committees: 1. Oil, Gas and Mining. 2. Agriculture. 3. Highways and Roads. 4. Penitentiary. 5. State Hospitals and Special Schools.

## Rep. Wright Talks Politics at Informal Gathering Monday

Congressman Jim Wright of Fort Worth, candidate for U. S. Senator in the April 4 special election, met with a group of 45 local citizens Monday afternoon at an informal coffee in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank. Wright was in Haskell to address the annual C.C. banquet and membership meeting Monday night. Flown from Pampa to Stamford in the private plane of Joe Ed Parsons of Ft. Worth, Wright was met there and accompanied to Haskell by Mr. and Mrs. John Kimbrough and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hester and Bob Herren. Wright met the group individually, and then in a brief talk detailed his political philosophy, stressing particularly the need for regaining America's role as the friend of free peoples. He suggested that the country's surplus of foodstuffs could be used as one means of helping gain the friendship and good will of people in impoverished countries who are beginning to realize there is a better way to live. Despite the fact that Russia is spending three billion dollars annually in propaganda, the U. S. as a Democracy has all the facts on its side. "To win the cold war and keep out of a hot war, we need to seize the initiative, we must show the people of the world the right way," he declared. In closing, he told the group that in his campaign to win the Senate race, he intended to "see more people, shake more hands, make more speeches, stay up later and work harder" than any other candidate in the race. "Speaking to you sincerely and seriously, we should if possible, elect the smartest man in Texas as U. S. Senator. But I have an idea that the smartest man in Texas is not a candidate," he added. "If you can agree with some of the things I have said, if you think they make sense and that I am qualified, I sincerely ask your vote and your help in my campaign," he concluded. The personable speaker received a lengthy applause following his brief talk, and was warmly congratulated by the group, made up of businessmen, farmers, ranchers, civic leaders, city and county officials and several women. He was introduced by Chas. M. Conner, former State Legislator who served in the Texas Legislature with Wright several years ago.



Rep. Jim Wright of Fort Worth, candidate for U. S. Senator, is shown with Haskell friends who greeted him at a coffee Monday afternoon in the community room of the Haskell National Bank. From left are Courtney Hunt, Chas. M. Conner, who served in the Legislature with the Fort Worth man, Henry Withers, Wright, and Jetty V. Clare. (Photo by Barbara Kimbrough)

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C. of C. Reports Community Progress

The Progress Report of the Chamber of Commerce covering the past year, released at the annual banquet and membership meeting Monday night, should be a source of pride to members of the organization and all others interested in the progress and well being of our community.

Although none of the projects sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce are of a spectacular nature, the accomplishments during the past year have been solid and worthwhile, projects that contribute to steady community growth and build good will between Haskell and neighboring communities.

A case in point was the program celebrating completion of a paved road to WTU's Paint Creek Power Plant last summer. The C. of C. had spearheaded efforts to secure the road for several years, but its interest did not end when the road was finally built. In behalf of Haskell business concerns, the C. of C. hosted a celebration honoring WTU employees and officials as a gesture of appreciation to them.

From a commercial angle, the C. of C. has worked with local merchants in promoting Haskell's monthly "Dollar Day" which has greatly expanded the trade area of the community.

From a civic improvement viewpoint, accomplishments have been outstanding. A major item in this category was the surfacing of the street leading to Willow Cemetery and the paving of between 30 and 40 blocks of city streets.

Active support has been given continuing efforts to improve and enlarge the Haskell County Hospital for which \$80,000 in bonds have been voted.

Other projects and activities carried out would comprise a lengthy list - from get-acquainted services for newcomers to a substantial premium for the first bale of cotton each year.

These past accomplishments can be looked upon with pride by retiring officers and directors of the civic organization. In an equal sense, the work program mapped for the future presents a challenge to the best efforts of incoming officers and directors, as well as the entire membership of the organization.

Advertising and You

You sometimes hear a clerk or salesman say, "The reason this article sells for less is because the manufacturer doesn't advertise."

Nothing could be further from the truth. Advertising doesn't cost you money when you buy something - it actually saves you money.

Here's why that is so: Through advertising, a manufacturer or a retailer can so increase the demand for his goods that he secures "volume sales." That's just a fancy way of saying he sells a lot of goods to a lot of people - instead of just a few things to a few people. And as you well know, the more you produce and sell - the lower your price-per-unit can be.

So, by telling a lot of people about a product, and persuading them to buy it, advertising makes it possible for all of those people to buy that product at a price far lower than would otherwise be possible.

True, when you buy an advertised product, the price you pay includes the cost of advertising.

But do you know how much it amounts to? Well, in the case of a dozen oranges, for instance, it's less than a penny! In a can of soup it's about a third of a cent! And even in the case of a bigger purchase, say a mattress, it's far less than you probably think. For the manufacturer of one of America's best known and largest selling mattresses actually pays more for the paper carton he puts around each mattress than he does for all the advertising he puts behind it!

And if he didn't spend the money for advertising, the chances are he'd sell so many fewer mattresses that you'd have to pay a lot more to buy one of them.

All of which means that "it pays to advertise." Pays you as well as the advertiser.

People, Places & Things

By A. PATE

Supt. Elvin T. Mathis of O'Brien (Carney) Schools, admits that he once sent \$1 for a book let on "How to Remember Names," studied it assiduously and then flunked the first time he tried to use the method.

Instructions were simple. Merely associate something about the stranger with his name, Mathis explained. For example, "Mr. Claire has black hair," or (looking at our skinny frame) "Mr. Pate could use some weight."

It was a snap. Infinitely. Fociproof. He'd be the envy of everyone at those future district meetings of TSTA with his uncanny memory.

At the next gathering of teachers one of the State's prominent educators was present, a large portly man who had acquired a noticeable bay window. Dr. Rommick was the name, and when Mathis was introduced he made a mental note. "Dr. Rommick has a big stomach."

Came the next meeting, and Dr. Rommick was again among those present.

Supt. Mathis, recalling the most noticeable feature about the distinguished educator, confidently walked toward him, reached out his hand and said: "Glad to see you again, Dr. Kelly."

We learned the other day that one of the newest angles in rodeo entertainment is now being worked by a veteran rodeo promoter, "Hackberry" Johnson, whose home is in Austin but whose rodeo "range" includes all of Texas.

Hackberry's newest is a "Buffalo Rodeo," in which the top event is tie-down roping of wild buffalo!

Sponsored as a benefit for the March of Dimes, Hackberry's first Buffalo Rodeo was staged at Camp Mabry Sunday, Jan. 29. Well wager that spectators saw plenty of action, if Hackberry himself had to get into the roping act.

Incidentally, Hackberry would like to put on his Buffalo Rodeo in this area if he can secure a sponsoring organization. His address is Hackberry Johnson, 2002 Wilson St., Austin, Texas.

The rodeo promoter's nickname was given him when a young man, after an injury caused him to lose his right leg above the knee. It is told that when an artificial limb was being fitted, he demanded that it be made of the "toughest hackberry" that could be found.

A man with plenty of nerve and gumption, he refused to let his handicap slow down his career as a cowboy. He'd ride broncs, rope calves or bulldog steers with the best of them, and more often than not, he'd take top money.

Because of the active life he led, after a few years the uninitiated would never guess that Hackberry had an artificial limb. He was a smooth dancer, and had even been known to accept a challenge to a foot race for a \$10 pot. After the race, he pocketed the money.

Hackberry did meet his match once. That was the time he agreed to girth his saddle on the tail of an airplane and let the pilot take him up. Hackberry says that's the only time he was slight to "pull leather" while in the saddle.

It is curious, the way nicknames become attached to certain people. Sometimes they are incongruous to an extreme, such as "Tiny" for a 300-pound giant, while other nicknames fit like a glove, such as "Slim" for a tall, gangling character, or "Shorty" for an undersized dude.

Then, we recall a few years ago, an employee in the highway department was nicknamed "New Ground." Fellow road hands facetiously explained that he'd never been worked.

One of this section's early-day rodeo promoters was a bronc rider known as "Booger Red."

The affairs were not rodeos in those days, but were simply called "bronc-busting" or wild west shows. The professionals as the men with the show were known, would challenge local cowboys in the riding contests. They'd also guarantee to ride any bronc brought in, or pay a substantial forfeit.

"Booger Red," a squat, bow-legged cowboy with a balding reddish thatch, was among the last of the old-time bronc riders. He was known throughout West Texas and New Mexico, and it is said that in his lifetime he was unseated or "pitched off" a bucking horse fewer than a dozen times.

A good many Haskell old-timers, including Virgil Hudson, Albert English, Wayne Perry, and others were acquainted with "Booger Red" and saw many of the exhibitions he put on in this section.

Mike Campbell, veteran linotype operator who had been with The Free Press since 1950, retired Jan. 1 and is now living the life of Riley, and enjoying a well-earned slowing-down period after putting in his quota of busy work-filled years.

Not that Mike has completely cut loose from the newspaper profession in which he has spent so many years. He still will work part-time as occasion warrants and the mood suits him. But no more hard-and-fast schedule that newspapers of necessity must follow.

Now that he has some leisure time, Mike intends to do a little fishing, and also plans to do a lot of other things that he has never had time for heretofore, including completion of a book on which he has been working for some time.

Although Mike has worked most of his lifetime as a newspaperman, he was a railroader for several years, during which he enjoyed many interesting experiences, and accumulated a wealth of railroad lore.

Mike tells of the time when he was a brakeman on a Central Texas run, a cow was killed by the train. It fell to the lot of the conductor to make out a report of the accident on a form the railroad had provided for such purposes. The conductor checked all the facts and filled in all the lines readily enough until he came to one headed: "Disposition of carcass." The conductor scratched his head for a moment, then wrote: "Kind and gentle."

Last week's frigid temperatures brought the most severe recall of winter in several years, recalling some of the yarns we have heard about old-time "blue northers."

The bitter cold, sleet and snow was tough on livestock. In some instances weather conditions made it impossible to get feed to cattle for a day or two, making a real hardship for livestock.

H. K. Henry declares that when he went to feed some of his cattle Friday, ice was so thick on a stock tank of water that he couldn't break it with an ordinary claw hammer. Had to use a heavy sledge-type hammer to shatter the ice so his cattle could drink.

The heaviest snowfall during the wintry spell fell Friday night, a disappointment to school children since the Saturday holiday prevented the usual schoolground snowball battles.

Although about two and one-half inches of snow covered the ground Saturday morning, only a few sleds made an appearance. Snow men, too, were scattered with a few small ones appearing now and then on lawns over town. The bitter cold apparently was a deterrent to sleigh-riders and snow sculptors alike.

The spell is reminiscent of one in the winter of 1920 or '21, when Fred Quattlebaum and another man almost froze to death after abandoning their Model T truck between Haskell and Stamford.

It was after night, and Quattlebaum and his companion were hauling a truckload of groceries to local stores. Their truck stalled in blinding snow driven by a stiff north wind.

When repeated efforts to start their truck failed, Quattlebaum decided to walk on into Haskell on the Wichita Valley tracks which paralleled the road at the point where their truck had stalled.

Facing the bitter wind and snow for some seven or eight miles was almost too much for Quattlebaum, but he finally made it.

He told the plight of his companions and rescuers set out immediately. When they reached the stalled truck, its remaining occupant was found, half-frozen, slumped over a front fender and covered with snow.

Regaining consciousness after being "thawed out" the man said he started to follow Fred, got scared and barely managed to get back to the truck.

Fortunately, neither man suffered serious ill effects, other than frost bitten fingers and toes. A similar experience today would wind up in two severe cases of pneumonia.

Haskell County History

Jan. 30, 1942

John A. Couch, local lumberman and civic leader, will head the Chamber of Commerce as president during the ensuing year, succeeding Chesley E. Phelps, retiring president.

Eighteen men have been inducted into the Army in filling three draft calls for January. In addition, eight men volunteered for enlistment during the month. Inducted through the local board were Thomas C. Grusendorf, Willie Stremmel, Marion Chapman, Calvin Birch Wilfong, T. C. Stewart Jr., Emil Garrett Kainer, Walton Whitefield Nanny, Uriel Franklin Jarred Jr., Randolph Wilson, Carlton Cobb Middleton, John Walter Elmore, Lelon Floyd Giliam, John Gibson Freeman, Grady Lamar Holmes, J. W. Scarborough, Ernest Edgar Welsh Jr., Wm. Elton Sanders, James Webb. Men enlisting during the month were David Truman Elmore, James Clarence Norwood, Gordon Lenear Wood, Carl Hardin Blackwell, Herbert Roland Fischer, Curtis Forrest Pogue, Samuel Jackson Reeves, Howard Sidney Logan.

Mrs. Hugh Ratliff and daughter who have been making their home in Panama for the past few years, are in Haskell for a visit with Mrs. Ratliff's mother, Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough.

Mrs. A. A. Bradford and daughter, Jane, Mrs. S. R. Rike, Mrs. John P. Payne and daughter, Mary Beth, were in Abilene Saturday.

Activities of prowlers who entered at least two homes while occupants were absent Sunday night, were reported to the sheriff's department Monday. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tidwell, thieves took a man's suit and other articles. At the neighboring home of Mr. and Mrs. Hayden McDonald, theft of a flashlight, neckties and other articles was reported.

Billy Kemp, student at the University of Texas, Austin, was home for a weekend visit between terms with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp.

30 Years Ago—Jan. 29, 1931 While Mr. and Mrs. John Behringer were in Rule Saturday afternoon and evening, thieves broke into their farm home about three miles north east of Rule. Bed linen, clothes, and other articles were taken, along with a large quantity of meat. Mr. Behringer having killed hogs a few weeks previously.

The home of Ira Roberts in the extreme south part of town was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin Sunday morning about 11 o'clock. A mass meeting has been scheduled Saturday afternoon at the courthouse to explain provisions of the recently enacted Federal Relief Loan. Committee appointed to administer the loan in Haskell County is composed of R. C. Couch Sr., W. H. Overton and Lynn Pace, with County Agent Joe Williams an advisory member.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Cahill

and little son, Jerry, spent the weekend in Breckenridge visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brevard Long. Miss Marguerite McCollum and her mother, Mrs. N. I. McCollum, spent the weekend in Abilene and Sweetwater visiting relatives and friends.

John Draper and little daughters from San Angelo spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Draper.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Gaston Foote have returned home from White Deer, Texas, where the Haskell minister was called to conduct funeral services for a deceased member of the White Deer Methodist Church. Rev. Foote formerly was pastor there.

Misses Hazel Wood of Eastland and Evelyn Cobb of Stamford spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald.

Hon. W. R. Chapman has returned to Abilene after presiding in district court here this week on an exchange of bench with Judge Clyde Grissom.

B. Q. Furrh and family are moving back to the Cottonwood community from Rogers, N. M.

50 Years Ago—Feb. 4, 1911

Cecil Howard, the little six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stewart was accidentally shot a few days ago and died Feb. 1. It seems another boy was popping matches on the tubes of an old muzzle loading gun that was not supposed to be loaded. The gun was finally discharged, tearing the little fellow's leg in such a way that it had to be amputated at the hip. The child died a few days later.

Mrs. J. L. Baldwin has returned from a visit to Fannin County where she was called to the bedside of a sister who was ill, but has about recovered. Mrs. Baldwin reports the drouth in that section was more severe than in West Texas.

There were 2404 poll tax receipts issued by the Tax Collector through Jan. 31.

A. H. Tandy of Canadian, the father of Henry Tandy and Mrs. S. W. Scott, is here visiting them this week.

Hardy Grissom left Wednesday for St. Louis and Chicago to purchase the spring stock of goods for C. D. Grissom and Son.

C. L. Jacks and family have moved to Bell County. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Whitman left Monday for their home in Roswell, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Irby gave a tea Sunday evening in honor of Miss Carver of Farmersville. Those present for the affair were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace B. Alexander, Miss Mary Carver, Miss Vera Neathery, Miss Opa Lloyd, Miss Lois McConnell, J. E. Barnard, W. B. Long.

The contract has been let to build concrete sidewalks around the new Methodist Church. Elmer Wall has accepted a position in the post office as delivery clerk.

Miss Jewel McCullough of Lingville, Texas, is visiting relatives here.

den, some fine calves, and a few found it pays to haul west part of the town Thursday from a trip to buying supplies that he needed here at the railroad. Miss Collins Tenn., is visiting W. T. Jones at S. W. York party who from from the gin line to return it to or the gin.

Advertisement Wanted: Man with team and harness to haul us to next town. Apply at tent near Gossett Hotel.

Miss Laura Garren spent several days this week with friends in town.

M. A. Drinkard and family arrived here Wednesday from Van Zandt County and expect to locate here permanently.

G. J. Thomason returned the first of the week from St. Louis where he purchased a complete stock of furniture.

B. T. Lanier was in Friday to have a lot of cotton ginned, and says he has not finished picking all of his crop. He made a good all around crop last year, including cotton, corn, wheat, sorghum, besides a good gar-

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# NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## Club Entertained With "42" Party In Fouts Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Fouts recently entertained the members of the Sunshine Sewing Club and their husbands with a "42" party.

Each one present had an enjoyable time. Refreshments of coffee, pie, candy and nuts were served to Messrs. and Mrs. Claude Ashley, V. A. Brown, Calvin Wheeler, Sam Parks, D. A. Jones, Frank McCurley, Charles Smith, Mrs. Thalia Jenkins and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. John Fouts.

## P-TA Groups Plan Joint Meeting February 9

A joint meeting of the Elementary and Junior High School Parent-Teacher Associations will be held Thursday, Feb. 9, at 4 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. R. W. Herren, past district president of P-TA will be the speaker.

All members are urged to be present.

Preceding the joint session, the Junior High P-TA will meet for a short business meeting at 3:45 p. m. in the Visual Aids room.

## Jossette H-D Club Meets With Mrs. Howeth

The Jossette Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. T. M. Howeth, Tuesday, Jan. 24. The president, Mrs. Paul Cothron, called the meeting to order. Each member answered roll call with "How I Can Save Money on My Food Budget."

Mrs. Martin Rueffer gave a reading entitled "My God." The agent, Miss McAnelly, gave a very interesting program on "Economizing With Your Food Dollar."

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to the following: Mesdames J. L. Toliver Sr., Laton Robertson, Martin Rueffer, Paul Cothron, J. L. Toliver Jr., and Karen, J. P. Perrin and Kathy, Carl Bailey and Lanna Sue, Miss McAnelly and the hostess, Mrs. Howeth.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Carl Bailey on Tuesday, Feb. 14.

## Weinert F.H.A. Chapter Presents Style Show

A F.H.A. Style Show was the gala occasion held in the Weinert gym at 2:00 P. M. Tuesday, Jan. 24. Mary Nell Raynes, the monitor, welcomed the school students and the parents. Music was provided by Mrs. Tucker, Shirley Sanders, escorted by Johnny Cunningham, and Wanda Miller, escorted by Wayne Offutt, modeled dresses which are appropriate for church wear during the fall and autumn months. Linda Cunningham, escorted by Joe Williamson, and F.H.A. President Mary Davis, escorted by F.H.A. beau Don Cunningham, exhibited white dresses.

Erlinda Alexander and Linda Davis and Beverly York showed the girls what they should wear when they go out with their dates. Quite naturally dating brings parties and banquets. Linda Adams, escorted by Johnny Cunningham, and Sherry Hix, escorted by Dale Carroll, modeled very pretty informal party dresses. Some girls like to really dress up with formals when they go to banquets. Erlinda Alexander with escort Don Cunningham, Shirley Sanders with escort Dale Carroll, and Patsy Raynes with escort Wayne Offutt showed the audience beautiful formals. Shirley Walker escorted by her brother-in-law, Raymond Walker, modeled her wedding dress.

Everyone who goes to school has to have school dresses. Sue White, Lois Davis, Dorothy and Delores Raynes, and Mary Davis presented the perfect way to dress. The models for sport clothes were Linda Davis, Sue White, Linda Cunningham, Sandra Dutton and Delores and Dorothy Raynes.

After the dress revue the homemaker students were proud to show off what they had made in class. The junior girls, Patsy Raynes, Linda Cunningham, and Mary Davis with their escorts respectively, Wayne Offutt, Joe Williamson, and Don Cunningham, were especially proud to show their winter wool suits which they lined.

The sophomore girls, Wanda Miller, Lois Davis, and Sherry Hix showed their cotton dresses.

Linda Adams showed an apron and two shirts which she made. Shirley Sanders also showed an apron and a duster. These two girls are the first-year students.

The co-chairmen, Mary Davis and Linda Cunningham, along with the other F.H.A. members, want to thank the eighth grade girls, Linda Davis, Sue White, Sandra Dutton, and Dorothy and Delores Raynes for their cooperation in presenting the style show.

## Sophomore Class At O'Brien Has Movie Party

The sophomore class and guests of O'Brien High School had a movie party and scavenger hunt on Thursday night, Jan. 26. They went to the Tower Drive-In Theatre at Rule, then had the hunt of articles from a maize seed to a log before returning to the high school cafeteria for refreshments.

Those on the party included Jean Manning, Larry Gibson, Sandra Ellis, Taylor Hodges, J. M. Emerson, Jimmy "A" Ston, C. H. Underwood, Bobby O'Neal, Bobby Cox, Jerry Stewart, Gail Day, Joe Matura, Coach and Mrs. Charles Thorn and son, Greg, Supt. and Mrs. Elvin Mathis and daughter, Mary.

A nice time was reported by those attending the party.

## HASKELL VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Crawford of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford Monday, and attended the C. C. banquet that night. Tuesday they attended the funeral of Bob Prichard in Anson, an uncle of the Wichita Falls woman.

The beginning minimum salary for a teacher with a degree in Texas is \$3,204.

## Sara Holderbaum, John B. Duncan Repeat Vows in Fort Worth Rites



MRS. JOHN B. DUNCAN

Miss Sara Holderbaum became the bride of John Belton Duncan at 3:00 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 28, in Ridgelea Presbyterian Church, Fort Worth, with the minister, Rev. Clifford W. Williams and Rev. Wm. J. Barnett of Haskell officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Holderbaum of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. J. Belton Duncan of Haskell.

Maid of honor was Miss Letitia Elizabeth Hall of Houston. David Duncan of Haskell was his brother's best man.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She wore a street length dress of white Italian silk, designed with a jewel neckline, elbow length sleeves, complimented by a loosely fitted blouse type bodice and short white kid gloves. She wore a strand of pearls and carried a white Bible and white camellias.

Misses Kay Curry and Molly Morris of Austin College, and Mrs. Wm. J. Barnett of Haskell were members of the house party at the reception in the church parlor.

The couple will reside at 727 Exposition Blvd. in New Orleans, La. The bride, who attended Austin College in Sherman, will be a senior at Sophia Newcomb College. She is a member of Kappa Gamma Chi and Alpha Chi. The bridegroom, a member of Drake fraternity, was graduated from Austin College and is a student of Economics in the graduate school at Tulane University.

## Weinert Study Club Sees Slides, Has Election

At the Weinert Study Club meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. C. Winchester, members heard a program on Fine Arts.

The hostess was director of the program which included a discussion of the ancient arts and cultures of Mexico. Mrs. Winchester showed slides of scenes in Mexico and displayed works of Mexican art.

Mrs. W. B. Guess showed slides of Germany, France and England, including London, Paris and Versailles, from a collection belonging to Raymond Boykin, who recently returned from a year's tour of duty with the U. S. Army at Bamberg, Germany.

New officers elected for 1961-1962 were Mrs. E. D. Earle, president; Mrs. Melvin Vojkufka, first vice president; Mrs. Henry Vojkufka, second vice president; and Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. W. C. Winchester and Mrs. Loyd Lemley were elected executive board members.

Refreshments of apple pie, coffee, tea and nuts was served. Appointments were silver and the centerpiece was an arrangement of pink roses and the table was covered with pink embroidered organdy.

Present were Mesdames Henry Vojkufka, Melvin Vojkufka, Glenn Caddell, M. W. Phenetier, Spencer Liles, W. B. Guess, the hostess, Mrs. Winchester and a guest, Sharon Caddell.

The next meeting will be Feb. 9 in the Community Center. Mrs. Henry Vojkufka will direct a program on Federation. Speaker will be Mrs. P. F. Weinert.

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## Shirley Norman Receives Award as HHS "Homemaker of Tomorrow"

The 1961 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Haskell High School is Shirley Norman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Norman.

Having received the highest score in a written examination on homemaking knowledge and attitudes taken by graduating seniors in her school, she becomes a candidate for the state Homemaker of Tomorrow award which will be announced in March.

Each school Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive an award pin, manufactured by Josens and representing the slogan, "Home Is Where the Heart Is." The examination papers of school Homemakers of Tomorrow will be entered in competition to name the state's Homemaker of Tomorrow.

The \$110,000 homemaking education program sponsored by General Mills offers a \$1,500 scholarship to the first ranking girl in each state and \$600 scholarship to the state's second ranking participant.

State Homemakers of Tomorrow and their faculty advisors receive an expense-paid educational tour to New York City, Colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Washington, D. C., April 8-13, the trip culminating in the announcement of the All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow whose scholarship is increased to \$5,000. Second, third and fourth ranking Homemakers of Tomorrow in the nation will have their scholarships raised to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000, respectively.

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## Shower Honors Mrs. Hatfield, Recent Bride

Mrs. Don Hatfield of this city, the former Loretta Turnbow, was complimented with a surprise wedding shower recently in the home of Mrs. Bud Turnbow.

Friends and relatives greeted Mrs. Hatfield with gifts, and refreshments were served.

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By LANE

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### SCHOOL LUNCHROOM Menus

School lunch menus for February 6 to 10:

Monday: Salmon croquettes, mashed potato salad, buttered peas, cole slaw, rolls, butter, brownies, milk.

Tuesday: Chili con carne with beans, buttered greens, baked potatoes, cornbread, butter, congealed fruit salad, milk.

Wednesday: Meat loaf, buttered corn, harvard beets, green pepper and carrot sticks, rolls, butter, banana pudding, milk.

Thursday: Fish sticks, green beans, mashed potatoes, celery cheese salad, rolls, butter, orange halves, milk.

Friday: Hamburgers, tomatoes, lettuce, onions, pickles, blackeyed peas, potato chips, apple cobbler, milk.

Telling." This will tell which medium is best in story telling, setting and presentation techniques.

The themes should be very interesting if one could judge the content of the theme by the way the Indians have been working.

The DNA chemical, found in the nucleus of cells, is believed by many scientists to be the chemical basis for heredity.

### Hospital Notes

#### PATIENTS

Mrs. R. O. Pool, medical, Rule.  
Hallie Chapman, surgical, Haskell.  
J. W. Bartley, accident, Haskell.  
Floyd Rogers, medical, Haskell.  
Ben F. Neal, surgical, Rule.  
J. C. Smith, medical, Rochester.  
R. O. DeLo, medical, Haskell.  
Mrs. Rueben Keith, medical, Rule.  
D. L. Kinney, medical, Rochester.  
L. H. Cooper, medical, Haskell.  
Mrs. Bob Brock, medical, Haskell.  
Mrs. W. L. Holt, surgical, Haskell.  
Mrs. R. V. King, medical, Haskell.  
W. L. Price, medical, Haskell.

#### DISMISSED

Mrs. Harry Slapak, Stamford; Janis Sue Howell, Haskell; Leona Goad, Knox City; Mel Wayne Matthews, Haskell; Gary Strickland, Old Glory; Adolf Vrzalik, Old Glory; H. F. Johnston, Knox City; Tom Mitchell, Rule; Mrs. Bill Holden, Haskell; Mrs. J. H. Berry, Stamford; John Crawford, Haskell; Larry Webb, Rule; Cynthia Brazell, Rochester; Mrs. Romona Baldez, O'Brien; Mrs. C. V. Schwartz, Haskell; Lori Strickland, Knox City; Mrs. John E. Robison, Haskell; Mrs. Morris Gardner, Old Glory; Mrs. Frances Redder, Munday; Mrs. Sam Herren, Haskell; Allen Strickland, Haskell; Vicky McClure, Haskell.

#### THE VERY NEWEST

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dunlap, Haskell, a girl, Anita Kay, born Jan. 27, 1961, weight 8 lbs., 10 oz.  
Mr. and Mrs. Borden W. Clifton, Haskell, a boy, Borden Bruce, born Jan. 26, 1961, weight 6 lbs., 15 1/2 oz.

### Haskell Exceeds 1960 Quota of Bond Purchases

During 1960 citizens of Haskell County purchased \$310,436 in Savings Bonds, to achieve 115.0 per cent of the sales goal of \$270,000 set for the county last year.

This announcement was made this week by J. M. Crawford, chairman of the Haskell County Savings Bond Committee.

The total bond purchases in Texas during 1960 were \$152,823,432. This figure equaled 92.3 per cent of the year's goal of \$165.5 million. December sales of \$13,539,528 were the highest one month's totals since last February.

### WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

The post-election action in Washington to seek to stop the flow of gold out of the United States was not to remedy a situation that just came up.

As a matter of fact, this column several months ago stated that some governmental action was needed to avert the serious trouble that is now being quite widely discussed.

The nation's independent business people, voting C. W. Harder through the National Federation of Independent Business, on several occasions, requested drastic reductions in the foreign give away programs to conserve U.S. financial strength.

There is nothing particularly mysterious as to how this situation came about. If a person who has only sufficient money in a checking account to pay off the mortgage on the home issues a lot of checks to charity, and these checks for charity are charged to his account before he makes the mortgage payment, he has a problem.

He would have a problem, in any event, with the holder of his mortgage. But if in addition, he had an enemy who wanted to see him thrown out of his home, and this enemy was so bitter that he was willing to offer the mortgage holder a premium which could be paid out of funds the enemy had gathered by robbery, trouble would be magnified.

And that gives somewhat an idea of the gold situation.

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#### SUNDAY VISITORS IN HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Foster of Abilene were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fouts in this city.

#### VISIT IN COPPERAS COVE

Mr. and Mrs. John Larned and children, Shirley Ann, and Johnny Jr., spent the weekend in Copperas Cove visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erby Wolfe Jr., and Vance Wade. Mrs. Wolfe is the former Betty Sue Larned, daughter of the Haskell couple. They also visited the new brick home just completed by Mr. and Mrs. Erby Wolfe Sr., in Copperas Cove.

#### J. M. CRAWFORD HOME FROM HOSPITAL

J. M. Crawford, well-known Haskell man who was hospitalized following a heart attack recently, is improving nicely and was able to be removed to his home this week. He is able to sit up a great part of the time, and can have company, but will be confined to his bed for some time. Incidentally, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford missed their first C. of C. banquet in 25 years, since they were unable to attend Monday night's affair due to his illness.

Texas public schools enrolled 2,129,967 students and employed 88,050 teachers in 1960-1961.

### Final Rites Held For Retired Carpenter

Final rites for James Wilson Roberts, 57, retired carpenter and former resident who died Jan. 20 in a Midland hospital, were held at Holden Funeral Chapel Saturday, Jan. 21.

The Rev. Jesse Jones, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, officiated. Burial in Willow Cemetery was under direction of Holden Funeral Home.

Mr. Roberts, coming here in 1905 from Bell County, was a carpenter and building contractor for years. Since retiring, he had lived in Midland the past few years. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Irene Crawford and Mrs. Gladys Adkins, both of Pampa; one son, Leo Roberts of Midland; four grandchildren; and one brother, Frank Roberts of Birmingham, Ala.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Roberts, 1010 W. D. Rogers, Robert M. Winslow of Midland and Jack Darden of Rotan.

### Frank G. Ragsdale, Harlingen Editor, Dies in Kerrville

Frank G. Ragsdale, 65, of Harlingen and former managing editor of the Valley Morning Star in that city, died Jan. 25 in a Kerrville hospital.

Mr. Ragsdale was well known in Haskell, his wife being the former Alberta Smith of this city.

He suffered a stroke in 1958 and had been hospitalized since. Funeral services for Mr. Ragsdale were held in San Antonio, and burial was in that city.

A native of Dallas, he worked on newspapers in Cleburne, San Antonio, Houston and Harlingen and was named managing editor of the Valley Morning Star in 1952.

He is survived by his wife, of Harlingen; and one son, James Ragsdale, of San Antonio; and his parents.

#### ATTENDS FUNERAL IN SAN ANTONIO

Mrs. Hill Oates returned Friday from San Antonio and Harlingen, where she had attended the funeral of Frank G. Ragsdale, Harlingen newspaper editor and husband of the former Alberta Smith, sister of Mrs. Oates. The funeral was in San Antonio, former home of Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale.

#### HERE FROM LIMA, PERU

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond O'Neal and little daughter, Robin, from Lima, Peru, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. O'Neal recently.

### New U. S. Stamp To Stress Range Conservation

Conservation leaders here are looking forward to the issuance of the world's first range conservation stamp by the Post Office Department in Salt Lake City, Utah, J. C. Yearly, Soil Conservation Service, said today.

The commemorative 4 cent stamp, printed in three colors, will be issued today (Feb. 2) at the American Society of Range Management's annual meeting at Salt Lake City.

The stamp will go on sale at the post office here tomorrow, Friday, Feb. 3.

The new 4-cent stamp in three colors — blue, reddish brown, and black, is a split-frame stamp, one part being a reproduction of "Trail Boss," a famous sketch by Charles Russell, noted western artist and the

### Firemen Called To Extinguish Oil Well Fire

Haskell firemen were called to extinguish an oil well fire on the Thos. P. Roberson farm northwest of town Saturday around 6:45 p. m.

The well, on pump, caught fire as the pumper, Allen Overton, was thawing out some frozen pipelines. Waste oil, leaking from the well, also caught fire and burned over a small area of ground.

Firemen were able to quickly extinguish the blaze after reaching the well, despite the sub-freezing temperatures.

#### CALLED TO BEDSIDE OF RELATIVE

Mrs. Roy Weaver, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Artie May Burkett, left the first of the week for Temple to be at the bedside of Mrs. Weaver's brother, Joe Silver, 78, who is seriously ill in a Temple hospital. Another sister, Mrs. W. E. Welsh of Haskell, was unable to make the trip.

Other showing a modern range conservation scene. The strip symbolizes the development of range conservation from the pioneer days of open range to today's scientific management techniques, Yearly said.

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# Sagerton News

BY MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

The ice and snow and cold weather kept everyone close to home last week and the sun looks very good this week.

Mrs. John L. Brooks reports that this community has gone over its quota of \$150.00 for the New March of Dimes. The first of this week \$231.00 had been collected and by the end of the week when all the coin jars and all other funds have been turned in, she expected to have about \$250.00 in the fund.

August Strimmel was taken to the Hamlin Hospital Sunday evening, but he is reported to be getting along better.

A. C. Tschelman was a patient at the Stamford Hospital last week, and he, too, is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Steve and Bob went to Aspermont Sunday where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Marr.

Bill Tabor of Fort Worth was a guest in the home of his mother, Mrs. John L. Brooks, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lambert and little daughter of Lubbock were guests in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert the latter part of last week.

Winston Ulmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer, and a student at Texas Tech, was home last weekend.

Carl Kainer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kainer, has returned to Texas Tech to resume his studies there this semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Spitzer, Jana and Gary, attended the cutting horse contest at Ft. Worth last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt and Craig Sunday evening, January 29, were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hewitt of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kupatt and children of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemöller and Pastor and Mrs. Scheffel and Timmy. The occasion was a birthday party in honor of Fred.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Kupatt are on a trip to Fredericksburg and other points in South Texas.

Rudolph Ramm recently had surgery at the Haskell Hospital, but he is back home now and recovering nicely.

Make it a habit to check the Want Ads in The Free Press each week.

## G. R. Prichard Funeral Rites Held at Anson

Funeral for George Robert Prichard, 86, former resident of Hawley who died Saturday, Jan. 28, in a Haskell rest home, were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church at Anson.

Officiating was the Rev. James N. Easterwood, pastor, and the Rev. Harold Watson, pastor of the Clyde First Baptist Church. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery at Anson under direction of Kiker-Warren Funeral Home of Abilene.

Born Feb. 14, 1874, in Mississippi, Mr. Prichard married Mary Johnson on May 30, 1900, in Anson. He operated a mercantile and drug store in Hawley and a drug store at Bethel for several years. He retired in May, 1939, as a lakekeeper at Clyde.

Surviving are his wife of Haskell; one brother, Dr. C. L. Prichard of Abilene, and several nieces and nephews.

### REX FELKERS RETURN TO HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Felker and son, Stevie, are returning from Colorado City to make their home in Haskell. Mr. Felker resigned as manager of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce recently. Previously, he had served in that capacity at Quanah and Haskell. Mr. Felker has not announced definite plans for the future, but the family plans to remain in Haskell.

### IN APPRECIATION

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the doctors and nurses for their unselfish and attentive services, and to all those who remembered me with cards, letters, flowers and personal visits during my stay in the hospital. Your kindness is deeply appreciated.—Mrs. Troy Ash, 5c

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# News from Rule

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### MID TERM HONOR ROLL

Students making an all "A" average for the first semester are: Seniors: Barbara Stryker, Linda Higgs, Keith Whitaker. Sophomores: Marguerite McQuinn, Freshmen: David May, Dolores Stryker.

8th Grade: Linda Simpson. 7th grade: Ronda Stryker. 6th grade: June Hill. 5th grade: Tommy Anders, Nan Jones, James Kitley, Marjane McAdoo, Susan May, Johnny West.

4th grade: Debra Adair, Debbie Bryan, Anella Chambers, Caron Cloud, Sandra Gilliam, Linda Jones, Gayle Richards, Tommy Stryker, Debbie Wilson. 3rd grade: Charlotte Allison, Kathy Bailey, Menda Beard, Deanna Boles, Rhonda Carroll, Delle Davis, Mike McGregor, Winston May, Marilyn Moore, Rickie Sorenson, Sonny Self. 2nd grade (Garlington): Linda Bryan, Patricia Hill, Marsha Moore, Pamela Pittcock. 2nd grade (Henry): Carol McCandless, Pamela Wilson.

**NEW EQUIPMENT ADDED**  
Rule school, aided by the National Defense Education act, has added a large amount of new equipment to the plant to assist the teachers and give greater learning possibilities.

An overhead projector can be used by the teacher in making explanations and in many ways. The materials placed on the projector are projected on the wall or screen, but the teacher is facing the students as she

writes or explains. Other new equipment is: a 16mm projector and screen on wheels to be wheeled from room to room and can be used without darkening the room; two new tape recorders; three record players, one of them stereo; an opaque projector with pointer; film strip and film slide projector with pointer; and two individual slide projectors to be used with electricity or batteries.

Mr. and Mrs. Odus O'Pry attended graduation exercises at North Texas State College in Denton Friday night. Their daughter, Carolyn, received her degree. Carolyn will be teaching in Albuquerque, New Mexico this spring.

Mrs. Lois Martin is home after several days in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Martin attended the market in Dallas the first of the week.

### Three in Dallas District Billed For Tax Frauds

The Federal Grand Jury in Amarillo, Texas, indicted three Dallas District residents for income tax fraud on January 11. Abner J. Coit, a Dallas resident, was indicted on five counts, for the years 1954 through 1958, for claiming a dependent for each of the years involved when he well knew and believed he had no dependent. The 32-year-old Coit is a graduate of Southern University, Baton Rouge, La. and is employed as a clerk in the U. S. Post Office. Coit was released on \$750 bond.

Robert J. Terrell of Decatur, Texas, owner of the Elghter From Decatur Cafe, and the Terrell Ford Sales in Decatur, was indicted on four counts. The indictment charges Terrell with failing to report \$70,311.86 and owing income tax of \$21,608.37 for the years 1954 through 1957. Terrell's bond was set at \$1,000.

The third indictment was against Melvin W. Williams and Dallas D. Williams, brothers, of Pampa, Texas. The two brothers prepared false income tax returns in the names of eight separate individuals to claim income tax refunds to which they were not entitled. Melvin Williams was arrested in Pampa on January 16 and is being held in the Potter County jail pending his release on \$1,000 bond. Dallas Williams is still at large.

### Yvonne Gaither of Rule Enlists In U. S. Navy

Miss Yvonne Kay Gaither, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dial of Rule, has enlisted in the Woman's Division of the U. S. Navy for three years. She is stationed at Bainbridge, Maryland, for 10 weeks basic training.

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## Medical Costs of Older Farm Families 1.5 Those of Younger

Medical costs per person over 1.5 times more for older than for younger farm families, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

A nationwide survey conducted by USDA and the Bureau of the Census indicated medical costs for farm families in which the farm operators were 65 years of age or older averaged \$92 a year per person, while those of all others averaged \$59.

Among farm families in which the farm operator was 65 or older, 12.4 percent of the family net income was spent for medical items. The proportion for all younger families was about 9 percent. Only 37 percent of the older families, compared with 55 percent of younger families, had any kind of medical insurance.

Increases in the cost of medical expenditures for farm fam-

ilies between 1935 and 1955 were more than four times as great as increases in all farm family consumption expenses. Medical costs rose 178 percent, but all consumption costs rose 41 percent.

These are among findings in the nationwide survey, reported and analyzed in "The Older Farm Family and Medical Costs," Agriculture Information Bulletin No. 235, issued by USDA. The report was prepared for use in conjunction with the White House Conference on Aging to be held in January, and is based on recent nationwide information available on the medical expenditures of farm families.

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that conditions have been de-... teriorating steadily all fall and... into the winter... Continual dry weather has... left a great many of the small-... er sloughs and potholes com-... pletely dry. Ducks and geese... must have these places for nest-... ing and feeding. Many of the... larger lakes are very low... A good heavy snowfall dur-... ing the winter months definite-... ly is needed for the run-off nec-... essary to replenish these vital... waterfowl areas.

From Alberta comes the word... that the snowfall there has been... about six inches, not nearly... enough to assure an average... run-off. Provincial reports from... that general area indicate that... the last flocks of geese and... ducks departed for parts un-... known during the first part of... November... The same report comes from the... Saskatchewan area. All... waterfowl there had left by No-... vember 7. A snowfall of about... 7 inches fell in the area just... prior to the freeze-up. More... snow is needed... A heavy snow is needed in the... Saskatoon area to replenish... water supplies in both park-... lands and prairies there... So, it looks like the ducks... and geese are going to need the... helping hand of both man and... nature. We cannot control na-... ture, but thanks to the conserva-... tion minded people both here... and in Canada we can take em-... ergency measures to guarantee... waterfowl a maximum protec-... tion from complete eradication... by unnatural causes such as... hunting... Some hunters often neglect... the fact that restrictions are... sometimes quite necessary. And... when these needed regulations... are drawn up, we often get a... little perturbed and criticize... those who must write and en-... force them... Every so often, a greedy... character will knock down il-... legal ducks or kill twice his... limit. He does this without con-... sidering what the consequences... would be if all hunters did the... same thing. Thank God there... are only a few of this kind... of people around... History tells of many once... popular game species that to-... day are found only in museums... If such game had been as for-... tunate as our waterfowl is to-... day, they might have been spar-... ed... In Texas, for example, the... pronghorns once faced extinc-... tion. So did the turkeys. Luck-... ily for them and for us, biolo-... gists of our Game and Fish... Commission stepped in with... their management and restora-... tion programs... Hunting pronghorns is once... more a common sport. Turkey... hunting is even more popular... It looks like a duck coopera-... tive program is in the making... With the help of all concerned... and nature's aid, it should work.

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1. Type of license or permit: Beer Retailer's Off-Premises License.
2. Exact location of business: 70 ft. North of the Haskell-Jones County line on the west side of U. S. Highway No. 277.
3. Name of owner or owners: U. M. Ferrell.

Any person shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure said license or permit upon giving security for costs as provided by law.

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### Cash Income of Texas Farmers, Ranchers Shows Drop in 1960

AUSTIN — In 1960 estimated farm cash income for Texas farmers and ranchers amounted to \$2,209,219,000, down 3% from 1959. Income from livestock was up 2.7%, but this was not enough to offset the 7.6% decrease in income from all crops. 1960 income from all crops amounted to \$1.2 billion, while income from livestock totaled \$1.0 billion.

The increase in farm cash income for livestock is principally the result of 24% heavier marketings of cattle in 1960 over 1959. Average prices for cattle were down about 16%, but the heavier marketings more than offset the price decrease, and the net result was that Texas cattle producers received \$534,634,000 for their stock, a 4.6% increase over the previous year.

The decrease in farm cash income for crops may be partially attributed to the decreased income for cotton and cottonseed. In 1960 cotton and cottonseed accounted for approximately 57% of farm cash income for crops, but in 1960 this figure had dropped to about 52%. For cotton, farmers received 15.9% less for their smaller crop with lower prices in 1960 than they did in 1959. Farm cash income for cottonseed was 15.3% less in 1960 than in 1959.

Not all of the decrease in income for cotton and cottonseed can be attributed to lower prices, however. Part of the 1959 crop was not harvested until 1960. Almost all of the 1959 crop was harvested in that calendar year, but the 1960 crop

was not all harvested during the calendar year. As a result there was a change in the marketing pattern which made the year 1960 not quite comparable to some of the other years. Actually, the smaller crop, lower prices, and the shifting marketing pattern were all contributing factors to decreased farm cash income for the cotton crop.

Income from sorghum grain dropped 6% from the previous year. Marketings in 1960 were similar to those of 1959—a record-breaking year for sorghum grain producers. The big factor accounting for the decreased income was, of course, lower prices. The average prices received were approximately 6% less than what they were in 1959 with the result that farm cash income for sorghum grain was down to \$194,968,000 in 1960 as contrasted with the 1959 income of \$207,479,000.

Farm cash income to Texas wheat growers was 27.6% greater in 1960 than in 1959. Prices received in both years were fairly constant, but volume of marketings was much higher last year. The income for wheat in 1960 was \$135,475,000, up considerably from the 1959 income of \$106,205,000.

Farm cash income to Texas wool growers for their wool was 14.1% greater in 1960 than in 1959. Average prices received were 6.7% greater in 1960 than the previous year, and increased marketings were 6.9% above year earlier levels. As a result, farm cash income for wool jumped to \$21,167,000 for 1960

### O'Brien School Attendance for First Semester

Those with regular attendance for the first semester at Carney Rural High School, O'Brien, are listed by grades.

First: Enequina Gomez, Johnny Hayes, Carol King, Vickie Sue Hester, Wayne Rowan and Gary "Bimbi" Wilcox.

Second: Albert Alsides, Gilbert Valencia, and Carol Ann Huckabee. Third: Claudia Jean Barnard, Melody King, and Donna Wright.

Fourth: Johnny Lewis, Jerry Joe Brothers, David Hewitt and Lanny Covey.

Fifth: Lynn Duncan, John Holden and Esperanza Alsides.

Sixth: James Smith and Shirley Johnston.

Seventh: Carolyn Capers, John McAda, James Manning, Jill Walsworth and Carol Cox.

Eighth: Connie Bryant.

Freshmen: Jack McAda and Jerry Wilcox.

Sophomores: Bobby Cox, Gail Day, J. M. Emerson, Taylor Hodges and Jean Manning.

Juniors: G. C. Eggleston; and Seniors: Royce Cox and Jerry Rowan.

Those with regular attendance of less than a day's absence the first semester will be featured in the 1961 Bulldog, the annual published each year by the senior class.


from the 1959 figure to \$18,548,000.

Income for mohair was 12.7% less in 1960 than in 1959. In 1960 there was an average decrease of 5% in prices and an 8% drop in marketings. Lower prices in the latter half of the year were a strong influence in holding income below the previous year's level.

Meanwhile, the Texas Crop Production Index for 1960, as compiled by the Texas Crop and Livestock reporting service, stands at 138, two points greater than last year and equal to the 1958 level, the second greatest crop year in Texas history. The peak year for Texas agriculture was 1949 when this index (1946-55=100), which includes 13 important crops, stood at its all-time high of 145. The larger wheat, sorghum, peanut, and hay crops offset lower production of cotton and corn and were largely responsible for 1960 being a high level year in Texas agriculture.

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Presented by The Texas Press Association on Jan. 21, 1961 at TPA's Mid Winter Convention in San Antonio, Texas.

Texas Press Association, representing the daily, weekly and semi-weekly newspapers of Texas, presented its first annual Texan of the Year Award to

native born Texan Paul Richards of Waxahachie. Presentation was made recently at an Honor Banquet during TPA's 14th annual mid-winter conven-

tion in San Antonio. Above is a miniature reproduction of the large engraved plaque which was presented on behalf of the association.

### Honor Roll of O'Brien School Is Announced

Joe Matura and Jerry Wilcox led the first semester honor roll at Carney Rural High School, O'Brien, with identical 95 averages. Matura, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph R. Matura, Sr., is a sophomore. Wilcox, a freshman and last year's eighth grade valedictorian, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynward Wilcox.

Others on the high school honor roll are Jerry Rowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rowan; G. C. Eggleston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eggleston; and Sandra Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ellis. Rowan is a senior, Eggleston a junior and Miss Ellis is a sophomore.

Matura and Wilcox had all A's; Rowan an average of 95 1/5 and Miss Ellis and Eggleston averages of 91.

Three girls, Connie Bryant, Mary Mathis and Janice Stewart, made the honor roll from the eighth grade. Dianna Underwood and Jill Walsworth were from the seventh. The following also made the honor

### Mattson College Students Visit Parents

Fred Smith visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith of the Mattson community last week. He was accompanied by Ray Budde of Houston. They are students at Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Tommie Walker, student at McMurry, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Walker of the Mattson community.

Gene Leonard spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Leonard. He had as his guest, Sam Chaffin of Crane, Texas. Both attend Texas Tech College.

Dorinda Kretschmer visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kretschmer of the Mattson community. She is a student at North Texas State College, Denton.

W. L. Holt Jr. spent a few days last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Holt Sr. of the Mattson community.

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**Completes Navy Training at San Diego**

SAN DIEGO (FHTNC)—Devoy C. Wester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Wester of Haskell, Texas, graduated from recruit training Jan. 20 at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The graduation exercises, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp", included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

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We desire to express our sincere appreciation to friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us during the dark hours of bereavement in the loss of our beloved wife, mother, and grandmother. We are grateful to the doctors and the hospital staff for their tender care, for the comforting words and reassuring messages, for the beautiful flowers, for your prayers and for the food brought to our homes. We especially thank Mr. Holden for his services. May God bless each of you as our prayer.—J. P. Moeller Sr., and family. 5p

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### Newsman Suggests Referendum for Determining New Tax Preferences

By VERN BARNFORD  
Texas Press Association

KINSEY, Texas—A proposal would offer the members of the House of Representatives who campaigned on a no-revenue tax preference platform the opportunity to determine the future of the tax preference.

It is the feeling of many persons in Kinsey as well as other towns that the public is ready for a definite, long-range tax program, whether it be a sales tax, an income tax or the Governor's proposed personal tax.

They are convinced that the state has to take some definite financing steps and they are ready to vote for the bill.

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ing the cost of collecting taxes. Rep. Don Carr of Victoria has proposed a bill that would set up a commission to study the agencies of state government with a view to eliminating duplication and bringing about maximum economy and efficiency. It has been dubbed the "Little Hoover Commission."

Local Congress Rep. George Lee has introduced a bill that would require all companies to file a statement of their assets and liabilities with the State Supreme Court. The bill is titled "the certificate act" but it is not legal.

Under this plan a borrower had to buy an investment certificate from the loan firm and pay for the certificate as well as pay off the loan.

Rep. Gen. Will Wilson said it is urgent that the Legislature set up a guide by which out-of-state companies can operate legally in Texas.

Rep. W. W. Clark of Jacksonville suggested a constitutional amendment authorizing a one per cent levy on gross income of all businesses. He estimated it would bring in \$100,000,000 a year.

A 10 per cent levy on the gross receipts of trading stamp firms was suggested by Rep. Henry A. Fletcher of Luling.

A graduated levy on gross income of the wholesale trade and on income from personal services — for an estimated \$200,000,000 yearly — was put forward by Rep. Lloyd Guffey of El Campo.

Rep. Marcell O. Bell of San Antonio took the opposite approach by proposing a constitutional amendment that would prohibit either a state income or payroll tax.

Earliest suggestion came from Rep. Y. E. Reed, Berry of San Antonio who, as he promised in his campaign, introduced a bill to legalize horse racing and permit betting and to levy a tax on the track proceeds.

As bills dropped into the hopper, S. J. L. Treasurer Jesse Jones announced that the general revenue fund deficit has risen to \$95,322,222.

Legislative proposals also are being considered at the Texas Press Association, reporting on a study made at the request of the Legislature, made by the association's for revenue.

### New License Tags Placed on Sale At Tax Collector's Office February 1

New license tags for motor vehicles for 1961 were on sale at Haskell County Tax Collector's Office February 1.

License tags may be purchased until March 31 and must be on all vehicles on license by April 1, 1961. The new plates may be attached any time after purchase.

The county tax collector is required by law to examine titles of ownership and the previous year's registration receipt before issuing the registration of any vehicle.

The collector Elizabeth Brewster explained that the law had to be followed, and advised owners to have both items in possession when they purchase 1961 tags.

At inspection certificates are not necessary for purchase of license tags, however, the law requires vehicles to be inspected and stickers properly displayed by April 1, 1961.

The new license tags are in the revenue category from those in 1960, having black letters and numerals on a white background.

Tags assigned Haskell County this year will have the following numbers:  
Passenger cars: 02-9025 to 02-9026, total 2000  
Trucks: 02-9027 to 02-9028, total 2000  
Farm Trucks: 02-9029 to 02-9030, total 2000  
Tractor Tractors: 02-9031 to 02-9032, total 2000  
Farm Tractor Tractors: 02-9033 to 02-9034, total 2000  
Tractor Tractor Tractors: 02-9035 to 02-9036, total 2000  
Motor Tractors: 02-9037 to 02-9038, total 2000  
Motorcycles: 02-9039 to 02-9040, total 2000  
Dealer Tags: P-0001 to P-0002, total 20

Final Rites Held At Weinert For Mrs. Crawford  
Mrs. Ella P. Crawford, 90, resident of Haskell County since 1922, died at 2:30 a. m. Thursday, Jan. 26, in the Haskell Memorial Home. She had been in failing health the past few years and had been bedfast since June, 1960.

Funeral for Mrs. Crawford was held at the Baptist Church in Weinert at 2:00 p. m. Friday, Jan. 27. Officiating were the Rev. Walter Copeland, retired Baptist minister, and the Rev. T. L. Wilson, pastor of the Weinert First Methodist Church.

Burial was in Weinert Cemetery under direction of Hoider Funeral Home.  
Mrs. Crawford was born on March 25, 1870, in Tennessee. After coming with her parents to Texas as a young girl, she later married C. C. Crawford of Weatherford, Texas. He preceded her in death.

Mrs. Crawford moved from Iowa Park to Haskell in 1922. She was a member of the Baptist Church.  
Surviving are a niece, Mrs. Lillian Hayes of Weatherford, and four nephews, James Crawford of Weatherford, Edward Lee Crawford of Littlefield, Jack Pope and Tom Pope of Seymour.

Palldressers were: Harlan Weinert, A. D. Johnson, Leon and Alexander, R. L. Adams, Roy Harnock, Tom Kruger.  
Stores Will Close For Six Holidays This Year  
Haskell business establishments will close for six holidays during the coming 12 months, according to the schedule set up by the Chamber of Commerce.

Holidays to be observed are listed as follows:  
Memorial Day—Tues., May 30  
Independence Day—Tuesday, July 4  
Labor Day—Monday, Sept. 4  
Thanksgiving Day—Thursday, Nov. 23  
Christmas Day—Monday, December 25  
New Year's Day—Monday, Jan. 1

Parents of Son  
Mr. and Mrs. James Reeves of Rotan are announcing the arrival of a son, Jimmy Ray, born Jan. 31 in Rotan Hospital, weight 7 pounds, 2 ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. Mary Davis Brown of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reeves of Rotan.

### Rochester Class Seeks Facts on School History

The Texas History Class of Rochester High School has undertaken an interesting and challenging project. They will try to reconstruct the history of the county schools which consolidated to form the present-day Rochester Public Schools.

Former common school districts which were incorporated with the present Rochester school district include: Ideola, New Mill, Marry, part of Jew, most of Foster, part of New Cook and part of Rhoda common school districts.

Persons having any information, pictures or data concerning this project are asked to contact the class by writing to "History Class" in care of Rochester Public Schools.  
The history research is a project for Public Schools Week, March 6-8.

### Public Can Help Mail Service

Efficient general delivery service can be given by post offices only if the public clearly understands the limitations of such service.

Postmaster Harold R. Spain explained the situation in a large post office of thousands of people were calling on his general delivery window each day to receive their mail to be staged.

General delivery service is designed primarily for the use of patrons at offices not having carrier delivery service. Mail bearing a part of its address "Transient," "To Be Called For," "General Delivery," or other similar words, is placed in the general delivery case to be delivered to the addressee upon his application and presentation of proper identification.

At post offices having carrier delivery service, the postal regulations provide that service through general delivery be limited to transients such as traveling salesmen, tourists, or others who are not permanently located. Persons intending to remain for 30 days or more in a city having carrier service should arrange to receive their mail at a street address or through a post office lockbox.

Change of address orders for mail to be forwarded from general delivery are honored for a period of 6 months unless the patron specifies a shorter period. Such orders for forwarding mail to other than a permanent local address are valid for just 30 days.

When requested by the sender, mail addressed to general delivery is retained at the post office up to 30 days for the addressee's call. If the sender does not specify a retention period, such mail is held 10 days at an office having city carrier service, or 15 days at one not having city carrier service, after which it is returned to sender or other appropriate disposition is made.

RETURN TO NTSC  
Edwood and Durwood Bruton have returned to NTSC at Denton to begin the spring semester after spending the between semester holidays in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Bruton of Weinert.

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### Stamford Man Is Indicted for Tax Evasion

The arrest of Ira Mason of Stamford, Texas, for an income tax evasion, was the subject of a grand jury indictment returned by the Federal Grand Jury at Amarillo on Jan. 11 last.

Mason was indicted on two counts, and was charged with owing \$1,984.75 on his 1954 and 1955 taxes. Mason is engaged in the trucking and house-moving business in Stamford. He was released on bond at Amarillo.

Dallas D. Williams of Pampa, Texas, was committed to the county jail at Lubbock, Texas, in default of a \$1,000 bond. Williams, a resident of Melvin W. Williams, who was indicted with him on a charge of preparing false income tax returns in the names of eight separate individuals to elude income tax returns to which they were not entitled, had previously been arrested in Pampa.

Abner Coit, a Dallas postal clerk, and Robert J. Terrell, owner of the "Lighter from Denton" cafe in Denton, Texas, had already made bond.

Internal Revenue Service filed a complaint against Lewis V. Bortner, a Pishview, Texas, farmer on Jan. 20, 1961, with the United States Commissioner at Dallas. The complaint charged him with filing an income tax return showing he had no taxable income and owing no income tax when his income was \$25,429.58 for the year 1954, and that he owed income tax of \$7,419.02.

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by CAROL LANE  
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GULF OIL COMPANY  
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INCLUDES THESE TIPS ON DRIVING FOR SAFETY, COMFORT, FUN.  
SAFETY: except when I AM PASSING, I'LL ALWAYS KEEP TO THE RIGHT; I'LL SIGNAL ALL MY TURN-OFFS, BY HAND OR BLINKER LIGHT.  
COMFORT: I'll always START OUT EARLY, AND STOP BEFORE IT'S DARK; I'LL PULL CLEAR OFF THE ROADWAY, WHENEVER I HAVE TO PARK.  
FUN: weekends, I'LL GO TOURING TO SEE WHAT I CAN SEE— ENJOYING FRIENDS AND PLACES, A FEW SHORT HOURS FROM ME.

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WALT DISNEY  
THE HOUND THAT THOUGHT HE WAS A RACCOON

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