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Presbyterians Slate Ordination, Installation of New Minister

First Presbyterian Church of Haskell will have ordination and installation services for its new minister, Mr. Douglas B. Finch, on Sunday evening, Feb. 18, at 8 p. m.

Dr. Francis Benton, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Abilene, will preside at the service and will pronounce the constitutional questions.

Mr. Barton Freeland Sr. of Crowley, La., the father-in-law of Mr. Finch, will charge the minister. Mr. James Robinson, Attorney of Abilene, and an elder in the First Presbyterian Church of that city, will charge the Haskell congregation.

Perry Motor Company Low Bidder On Cars for Sheriff's Department

Perry Motor Company, Chrysler and Plymouth dealers of this city, were low bidders on furnishing two new automobiles for the sheriff's department, it was learned after the Commissioners' Court opened bids Tuesday morning.

All bids were contingent on acceptance of two present cars used by the sheriff's department, as trade-in on the new vehicle.

Perry Motor Company's successful bid was \$1,122 per unit under the next lowest bidder, Bill Wilson Motor Company, Ford and Mercury dealers.

Perry Motor Company submitted a bid of \$1,990 for two new cars, after allowing for trade-in.

Bill Wilson Motor Company bid for two new cars was \$1,922.24, plus trade-in.

Other bids received were: Bailey Toliver Chevrolet Company, two new Chevrolets, \$2,812.00, plus trade-in.

Medford Buick-Pontiac Company, two new Pontiacs, \$2,436, plus trade-in.

Importance of Making Wills Told Rotarians

The importance of every adult person executing a will was stressed by District Attorney Royce Adkins, guest speaker at the Thursday noon meeting and luncheon of the Rotary Club.

Any person of sound mind, after reaching the age of 19 years, is capable of making a will. The speaker explained the various types of wills, and also discussed property laws as they would affect an ordinary estate.

The speaker also told the difference between community property and separate property, and the manner in which the different classes of property would revert to next of kin where no will existed.

The speaker was introduced by Ferrell Coston, program chairman for the day.

During the business session, members voted to invite the Rotary Club of Wichita Falls to present a program in Haskell at an early date.

Special guests at the meeting were the Rev. Douglas Finch, new pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Haskell, and Marlene Letz, HHS Senior who is the club's student guest for the month.

Out-of-town Rotarians attending the meeting and luncheon were Rev. Bergen Watkins, Wayland Fuqua and K. K. Francis of Stamford, Aubrey Simpkins of Rule and V. L. Clement of Abilene.

Final Rites for Joe Phelps, 94, Held Feb. 8th

Funeral for Joseph Irwin Phelps, 94, longtime Haskell resident, was held at 3:30 p. m. Thursday Feb. 8 in the Assembly of God Church. Officiating were the Rev. I. A. Burns, pastor, and the Rev. Cecil Vaughn of San Angelo, former pastor of the local church.

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

Mr. Phelps, a retired farmer and resident of Haskell since 1926, died at 11:15 a. m. Feb. 7 in the Haskell Hospital.

He was born May 24, 1867, in Pickett County, Tenn. He married Jennie Force June 1, 1904, in Byrdstown, Tenn.

Surviving are his wife; three sons, Jessie R. of Hamlin, Frank and Dudley of Haskell; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Sparks of Clifton and Mrs. Mary Edith Gilleland of Roby; and 13 grandchildren.

Ballot Fees Apportioned On Basis of Officer Salary

An assessment of eight per cent of the annual salary of the office involved will be levied against candidates for the 1962 Democratic primary elections.

This schedule will apply to all county and district offices with the exception of State Senator, State Representative, and Congressman, it was announced following a meeting of the County Democratic Executive Committee Monday morning.

Ballot fees charged State candidates other than those mentioned are not set by individual counties, it was explained.

Notices of the individual assessments were sent to all candidates Monday, and the assessment must be paid no later than midnight, Feb. 17, County Chairman Chas. M. Conner explained.

Assessment for each office will be divided among the candidates for the respective position, or where there is only one candidate the total fee will be paid by the one individual.

The eight per cent levy will raise approximately \$3,300. This amount should pay costs of the two primaries, a comparison with 1960 election costs indicated.

Salary of the office, and assessment levied against candidates, are listed:

Congressman, 13th District: \$50.00 (set by state).

State Senator, 24th District: \$10.00 (set by state.)

State Representative, 83rd District: \$10.00 (set by state.)

District Judge, 39th District: \$450 against one candidate.

County Judge: Salary, \$4,687.50, assessment \$375, or \$187.50 each against two candidates.

County Treasurer: Salary \$3,125, assessment \$250 against one candidate.

District Clerk: Salary \$3,600, assessment \$288 against one candidate.

County Clerk: Salary \$4,687.50, assessment \$375, or \$187.50 each against two candidates.

County Superintendent: Salary \$6,924, assessment \$554 against one candidate.

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Rep. Carl Wheatley, Haskell, is pictured as he explained the new Farm-to-Market Road program to a legislative committee during the recent special session.

Under the new law there is an excellent chance that new F-M Roads can be secured leading to Scott Memorial Park and Stamford State Park. Rep. Wheatley is working with Commissioner Louie Kazianer of Prec. 3 on the possibility of securing the two new State roads.

The newly-passed F-M Road program will make possible the building of 50 per cent more new roads, Rep. Wheatley estimated.

Requirements for a project to qualify have also been modified, he said.

Suit Against Council Rejected At Pre-Trial Hearing Tuesday

District Judge Ben Charlie Chapman Tuesday threw out a civil suit which had been filed by a citizen's group against members of the City Council.

The action came at the conclusion of a pre-trial hearing of the case, which had been pending on the docket since last July.

In his pre-trial ruling, Judge Chapman said the suit was rejected on the grounds that the plaintiffs had no standing to raise the questions involved.

Taking part in the two-hour hearing were D. D. Williams, Throckmorton lawyer retained by the citizen's group, and Jas. W. Wilson of Austin, legal counsel representing members of the City Council.

The three-pronged suit asked for: 1. A writ of mandamus to compel the mayor and city council to prepare a budget showing revenues and expenditures in compliance with state budget laws.

2. Recovery of money paid to the mayor and several city councilmen purportedly for expenses for trips to Austin, and \$1,500 paid to an Austin law firm.

3. An injunction restraining city officials from selling anything to the city and receiving payment for it.

An outline of Judge Chapman's interpretation of the laws applicable to the points at issue in the lawsuit, taken from the official records of the pre-trial hearing, will be published as soon as available.

Rev. Finch New Presbyterian Pastor Here

New pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here is the Rev. Douglas Finch, who with his family moved here last week and are living in the church manse at 304 North Avenue E.

Mother's March Raises \$1,420 In Drive Here

A total of \$1,420.78 has been raised in Haskell in the 1962 Mother's March, Mrs. Ramia Lee Frazier, community chairman in the finance drive, reported Monday.

This total represents all contributions reported through Monday morning, and an additional small amount may come in with late reports, she explained.

Mrs. Frazier expressed appreciation for the time and efforts of mothers and volunteer workers who helped in the campaign, and to all donors for their generous support.

A report on the total amount raised in Haskell County has not been released.

Christian Church Memorial Chapel To Be Dedicated

Rogers Durham, minister of the First Christian Church, has announced that a special dedication service will be held in the new Memorial Chapel of the church building Sunday morning, Feb. 18, at 11 o'clock.

The chapel is the result of extensive remodeling work in a large room at the rear of the auditorium. The remodeling has been made possible by many generous contributions in memory of loved ones and love gifts.

"We hope the starting time of 11 a. m. will accommodate our members and many friends," the minister said.

"The building will be open throughout the day for your convenience in visiting the chapel," he added.

Cancer Society Seeks Volunteer Workers

The local chapter of the American Cancer Society issued a call for volunteer workers to report at a meeting scheduled Monday, Feb. 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the Visual Aids Room at High School.

The chapter has been granted use of a room conveniently located on the square to be used as a workshop in making handbags, etc. Volunteers are wanted Monday night to help plan and set up the new workshop, it was explained.

Heretofore, the workshop has been located on the second floor of the courthouse, inconvenient for many who would like to help.

Remember the time and place of Monday's meeting—7:30 p. m. at the High School Visual Aids room.

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Anniversary of Rotary Observed This Week

The Rotary Club will observe the 57th anniversary of the founding of the organization during the week of Feb. 22-28.

The strong appeal of Rotary's concept of service to men of different vocational interests is evidenced by the organization's phenomenal growth. On the day it becomes 57 years old, Rotary International will be comprised of approximately 11,100 clubs.

That means that since its founding, Rotary has grown at the rate of one new club every 45 hours. It also means that somewhere in the world, every day of every week, men gather for a Rotary Club meeting.

The Rotary Club of Haskell meets every Thursday at noon in the dining room of the Highway Drive-In. Its meetings, like those of all Rotary clubs everywhere, are important to the success of the club's entire program of service, and thus attendance is expected of all members.

At least three charter members, Bob Wheatley, R. A. Lane and Robert R. King, have not missed a meeting since the club was formed. Many other members have near-perfect records of attendance.

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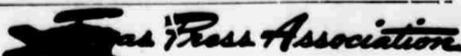
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Rotary's 57th Anniversary

Fifty-seven years ago, when the motorcar still brought cries of "Get a horse" and the airplane could fly for no more than a few minutes, a new kind of club for businessmen was born. It was the Rotary club and today, in countries around the world, the 57th anniversary of the founding of that club is being celebrated by more than 11,000 Rotary clubs that have descended from it.

It was in Chicago, on February 23, 1905, that a young lawyer, Paul P. Harris, Rotary's founder, gathered with three business associates and formed the nucleus of the organization which now numbers in its global ranks more than a half million business and professional men—doctors, lawyers, retailers, educators, and hundreds of other representatives of different vocations.

In Haskell, the Rotary Club has 30 members, each selected not only on the basis of his vocation, but also for his interest in serving this community, in raising its standards of business and professional practices, and in accepting his personal responsibilities for the betterment of human understanding as a means of insuring world peace.

With Rotarians everywhere dedicated to the attainment of these goals, Rotary is conveying its message of service to millions of people and is exerting a tremendous force for the good of all.

For their devotion to the ideal of being thoughtful and helpful to others, we salute Rotarians of the world, and wish them still greater success in their program of service.

25 Years of Community Service

One of Haskell's fine women's clubs which has meant a great deal to the cultural and civic development of our city, is marking its 25th anniversary this year.

It is The Progressive Study Club, organized in 1923 and affiliated with the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs the same year. During its quarter century of existence, the club has accomplished innumerable worthwhile projects which have had a bearing on every phase of community progress.

The Progressive Study Club currently has 25 active members, eight life members, and 10 associate members. President for the 1947-48 club year is Mrs. Virgil Cobb. President-elect for 1948-49 is Mrs. Arlos Weaver. Mrs. R. W. Herren, a life member of the club, is currently serving as first vice-president of Mesquite District in the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

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ANNOUNCING...

We have purchased the Horace O'Neal Abstract Company and in the future the business will be operated from our offices at 107 North Avenue D., under the name of Guaranty Abstract Company.

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Haskell County History

February 12, 1948

Miss Janice Tate, daughter of Mrs. E. M. Tate of Haskell, has joined the Ferry Command of the Air Force and will report Feb. 21 to begin training. Pvt. James Theodore Pace and Pvt. Kenneth Nebhut from Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent the weekend here in the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Gladys Pace.

News of the promotion of former Lieut. M. E. Overton of this city to the rank of Captain has been received by relatives and friends here. Capt. Overton is a company commander in a Tank Destroyer Battalion, U. S. Army, and is stationed at Camp Bowie, Tex. Prior to his present assignment he attended Officers Training School at Fort Benning, Ga. Mrs. Overton and the couple's twin sons are making their home at Brownwood while Capt. Overton is stationed there.

Martelle Clifton of San Antonio spent the weekend in Haskell visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Clifton.

Mrs. Carrie McAnulty, former manager of the Tonkawa Coffee Shop, but who has been employed in a war plant in Amarillo for several months, has returned to Haskell to accept the position as manager of the Texas and Rita Theatres. She succeeds former manager R. A. Coburn who resigned to accept a position as deputy in the office of Tax Assessor-Collector J. B. Gipson.

Pvt. Garvin Foote and Mrs. Foote of Laurel, Miss., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Foote in this city. Pvt. Foote is with the 115th Observation Squadron at the Mississippi air base.

Mrs. Louise Hill left Thursday for Childress where she plans to spend several days with relatives and friends, after which she will go to Dallas where she will make her home in the future.

Joe Larned, Seaman first class in the U. S. Coast Guard and who is stationed at Fort Arthur, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Larned Sr., last week on his first furlough since entering the service six months ago.

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Both the morning and evening schedules for the Wichita Valley passenger trains have been changed. The morning train, No. 1 northbound, now arrives at Haskell at 8:21. The southbound, No. 2, from Wichita Falls, arrives at 6:19 p. m.

Watson Hayes of Overton, Texas, spent the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hayes. He left Monday to return to his job in Overton.

Mrs. Harlan Hester of Fort Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. J. Earnest in this city. Twenty million voters in the United States are now being polled by the Literary Digest, a leading national magazine. Haskell's allotment of ballots was received and distributed by the local post office this week.

The Government has allotted the sum of \$10,000,000 to be loaned to Texas farmers and stockmen. To administer the loan program, the following county committee has been appointed: O. E. Patterson, county chairman; W. H. Overton and Lynn Pace, members. County Agent Joe Williams and R. C. Couch are advisory members. Community sub-committees were named as follows: A. A. Bradford, Ed Cloud and B. Walters for Rule; J. L. Teel and J. H. Mansell for Rochester; Pitzer Baker and H. Weinert for Weinert; and Paul Summers for Sagerton.

Misses Eunice Huckabee and Nettie Roy Killingsworth and John V. Davis spent Friday in Abilene.

Friends in the Cottonwood community surprised Mrs. Stanley Furrh with a cup towel shower at the schoolhouse Friday afternoon.

Fred Norman and his sister, Mrs. Billie Schaeffer, are opening a new tailor shop on the south side of the square, next door to the Magnolia Service

Station. It will be known as Fred's Tailor Shop.

30 Years Ago—Feb. 17, 1918
E. R. Wallace of El Paso, District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler, B.P.O.E., paid the Elks Lodge of this place an official visit Feb. 9. He complimented the Haskell lodge for its progress and growth since it was organized three years ago.

A mass meeting has been called in the Howard community for the night of Feb. 22. Object of the meeting is to consider plans for arranging for the erection of a cotton gin in that community. We understand that a party is ready to build the gin if given sufficient encouragement by farmers in the area.

When the rain came, Lee Pierson had 300 acres of oats sown that were ready for the moisture and he now plans to sow 200 acres more. J. F. Pinkerton has 500 acres in oats and will put 600 acres in corn and 500 acres in other crops.

Miss Frankie Terrell left on Tuesday night for Fort Worth where she has accepted a position with a business firm.

Hon. Bruce W. Bryant made a professional visit to Benjamin Monday, where he is interested in some legal matters. Jack Simmons has sold his livery business to Mr. Weaver and Mr. Weaver has sold his transfer business to Mr. Simmons.

John Hinton arrived here on Monday night from Oklahoma, enroute to the home of his brother, Will Hinton, near Jud in this county. About two months ago a tree fell on him, inflicting injuries which necessitated the amputation of his right arm and left leg.

J. M. Blakemore, who has moved to the Chitwood place 13 miles east of town, was in town the first of the week. He says there will be a light snowing of oats in his area. Farming operations are getting underway throughout his section.

Dr. W. A. Kimbrough was called to McConnell Wednesday evening, and left on the 6:45 p. m. train.

Mrs. Kerr of New Mexico and Mrs. Thompson of Anson, who have been visiting the family of J. E. Ellis, returned to their homes this week.

60 Years Ago—Feb. 15, 1902
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones of Munday visited friends here the first of the week, being on their return from Stamford, where they met their daughter, who was returning from a trip east.

E. T. Lanier of the north side of the county was here Wednesday right along in his section notwithstanding the dry weather, and that a large amount of sod land is being put into cultivation this year.

Dave Garren was in town this week. He says his section would welcome a good rain.

J. T. Wright, a prominent attorney of Throckmorton and a prospective candidate for district judge, spent Wednesday in our town. He is making a circuit of the district to see how the land lies.

Capt. B. H. Dodson arrived home Monday night.

Tom Griman was up from Stamford this week to visit his mother.

Miss Hunt of Alvord is here on a visit to the C. D. Grissom family, to which she is related.

A. C. Foster returned Tuesday from Fort Worth, where he had business in the Second District Court.

Some local parties are organizing an electric light and ice company for this place and we understand that most of the stock has been taken and several parties are contemplating taking the remainder. In our next issue we will probably be able to report the ordering of the machinery, as that was the next step planned after the company was set up on a sound financial basis.

It is said that the saloon of White & Keaton was burglarized Wednesday night and several bottles of whiskey stolen. Officers intimate they have strong suspicions who the guilty parties are and are continuing their investigation of the case.

The County Commissioners and citizens of the town have come to an agreement to plant trees in the courtyard and provide water for irrigating them and for public watering places, the county and citizens to share the expense equally.

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(Prices listed below plus your old battery)

- 8 V.—Heavy duty, 24 months guar. for \$20.95
- 12 V.—For Olds '55, Buick, Packard, 36 months guarantee \$21.95
- 12 V.—For Chev., Pontiac, Dodge, etc., 36 months guarantee \$18.95
- 12 V.—For Chev., Pontiac, Dodge, etc., 24 months guarantee \$14.95
- 6 V.—For Chev., Dodge, Plymouth or tractors, 36 mos. guarantee for \$12.95
- 6 V.—For Olds., Chev., Plymouth, etc., 12 months guarantee \$ 6.95

Other Batteries Priced Accordingly

CORLEY'S TIRE SHOP

People, Places & Things

By A. PATE

Douglas Finch, the new Presbyterian minister who moved with his family to Haskell last week, feels that he is rapidly becoming acquainted with Haskell people, thanks to the co-operation of Brooks Middleton. Brooks, a Methodist, ordinarily would not go out of his way to help a Presbyterian unless it was a matter of servicing his car with Gulf products, putting on a new tire, battery, or something like that.

But evidently he took a liking to the Presbyterian preacher and went into detail in furnishing background profile on some of the prominent members of the flock, including Judge B. C. Chapman, Ira Hester, and others.

Release of U-2 Pilot Powers by the Reds last weekend looks like a friendly gesture on its face. But the free world and particularly the U. S., would do well to keep a sharp eye on the next move.

Reminds us of the tourist being shown around a zoo in Russia by a guide. They came to a cage in which were a tiger and a lamb. "That's an amazing example of co-existence," said the tourist. "How on earth is it managed?"

"We put in a new lamb every day," came the answer.

Allen Reeves received an advertisement recently which offered a sample product. "Just fill in the coupon," the ad said, "and we'll do the rest. Don't worry. No salesman will call on you."

Two days later a representative from the very same company called on him. Allen was sore. "Whatsamatter with you guys?" he demanded. "You specifically said in your ad that you'd send no salesman."

"Mr. Reeves," muttered the poor guy who called on Allen. "I'm as close to 'no salesman' as this company has."

The exploits of two famed desperadoes of the Southwest during the 'roaring 30's', Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker, have all but been forgotten by everyone except veteran lawmen.

But an expression which originated during that era is still heard around the prison system when an alibi is needed to get out of doing a distasteful job, according to County Clerk Bill Reeves, who was livestock management supervisor with the prison system for several years in the early 50's. He heard the story from veteran prison wardens and guards.

The Barrow gang had planned a bold prison break to free one of their leaders, Raymond Hamilton, from the penitentiary—and did.

On the appointed day, the gangsters roared up in high-powered cars to the prison farm where Hamilton was held and cut loose with machine guns in mowing down guards, while Hamilton made his break for a waiting car according to pre-arranged plans.

In the resulting confusion, trustees and guards who had been missed by gangster bullets were trying to help the injured men. The warden and assistant warden both were at their homes quite a distance from where the break occurred, and two trustees were dispatched to get the news to the warden as quickly as possible.

When they had gone about half the distance, the trustees met an assistant warden, who had heard the shooting and started to investigate. Then he asked the trustees what had happened and where they were going in such a hurry.

The frightened trustees told of the machine gun attack, that it was feared the gangsters might return for more of their buddies, and that they were going to report the break to the warden.

Quickly summing up the situation, the assistant is said to have told the trustees: "You men go back and help guard against any further escapes. It's my responsibility to make a report to the warden, so I'll go and tell him what happened." With that he turned and headed in the opposite direction.

From that day on, Reeves was told, gold-bricking guards tried to dodge distasteful jobs by claiming, "It's my responsibility to do so-and-so; I've got to go right now and do it."

Reeves recalls one attempted break on the Eastham Farm while he was working for the system, when several "punks" overpowered a mounted guard, took his weapons and held him hostage in a small farm building while they plotted a getaway.

Prompt measures taken by the farm's warden, Capt. B. B. Bullard and his assistant, Bob Cousins, nipped the "punks" plans in a hurry. Reeves related. Cousins is a Haskell native and former sheriff here.

"Those men are absolutely fearless," Reeves said of Bullard and Cousins.

Despite the fact that the convicts were armed and had every advantage inside the small building and had threatened to shoot anyone attempt-

ing to enter, Bullard and Cousins coolly told the men they were coming in after them and walked inside. The convict holding a shotgun was floored when Cousins threw a right to the chin and the attempted break was over.

Most striking feature about Capt. Bullard, Reeves says, is the fact that the officer has one brown eye while his other eye is blue.

Exploit of the officers in nipping the attempted prison break was the subject of a lengthy story in a nationally circulated detective story magazine a few months after the incident. Reeves gets a kick out of re-reading the author's version occasionally.

The Hamilton-Barrow-Parker gang met an untimely end when Barrow and his cigar-smoking companion Bonnie Parker were losers in a gun-fight with Texas Rangers and other officers near the Texas-Louisiana border.

One of the officers taking part was the late Manny Gault, widely known Texas Ranger who worked with Haskell Sheriff Giles Kemp in solving the murder of an aged O'Brien woman in 1936.

Although the Barrow-Parker gang was never definitely known to have "pulled" any jobs in this immediate area, rumors had them in and out of Haskell and this vicinity at various times during the depression and "bootleg" days of 1930-35.

And at least one Haskell man, an officer at the time, had a close call at the hands of two purporting members of the Barrow-Parker gang.

He is John Draper, now an Austin business executive, who was a member of the State Highway Patrol when it was first created.

State Patrolmen used motorcycles exclusively when the force was first organized. A patrolman who had stopped a car for checking was murdered in cold blood, with the crime being credited to Barrow and

his moll.

Not too long afterwards, Patrolman Draper stopped two men in a car and when he pulled up on his motorcycle found himself looking down the barrel of a .45. "Your time is up, Cop, they'll find you like they did that other guy," he was told.

Since there was little traffic on that particular highway, John realized that it might be an hour or more before a car or truck came along and if his killers meant business they could make a clean getaway.

John did some fast thinking and started talking. He started out by admitting they had the upper hand and there was nothing to keep them from killing him. But they'd never get away with it, he warned.

Talking glibly and looking the man holding the gun square in the eye, John explained that his partner was due along any time now. Then he and his partner were to meet two patrolmen coming from the opposite direction for an exchange of information.

The story undoubtedly sounded authentic, because the man holding the gun on Draper

shifted his hand to the firing wheel and barked right, Cop, don't try to out, as he gunned the motor off.

Naturally Patrolman had the car's license and the next day the which had been stolen las a week before, was abandoned near a small

John recalls the incident chukles. "You know, birds could have eaten me by staying around a My 'partner' never did up!"

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Sagerton News

BY MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

D. Ross, M. R. Ross, H. E. West of Dublin last weekend in the last week of the year. They were family. They were the funeral of their Leona Perkins. A Leach entertained at the St. Paul's and in her home Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Emmer joined the group member. Those present: Mmes: R. N. Y. Benton, John O. Gibson Sr., Ben LeFevre, Ewell Kitz-Stegenmeyer, Emma and the hostess.

Mrs. J. A. Hertel and Leslie Baitz visited in Lamesa Sunday afternoon. The Cub Scout den is composed of nine boys and they plan to join Pack 39 in Stamford. Their den mother is Mrs. Cansler and the assistants are Mrs. Fred Scheffel and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre. At present the meetings are being held in the basement of St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Thursdays of each week, after school. The boys are beginning their

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work on scrapbooks as their first project. Plans are being made for a "pot luck" supper in the Sagerton School Cafeteria on Friday, Feb. 23, at which time the boys that have earned them will receive their Bobcat pins.

Guests in the Leo Monse home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Vahlenkamp and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mrazek and family of Aspermont, and Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehmann and family.

Judy Gwinn and her roommate Sally Bartlett, of Texas Tech, were here this weekend visiting with Mrs. John L. Brooks and Buehla Mae Summers. Bill Tabor of Camp Polk, La., was home last weekend visiting his mother, Mrs. Brooks and his wife.

Elwood Bruton is Named Officer in ROTC Unit

Elwood Drue Bruton of Weirter has been named administrative officer of the Air Force ROTC unit at North Texas State University, Denton, for the spring semester.

The announcement of the cadet staff appointment came from Lt. Col. Nash E. Lorino of the air science faculty.

Bruton will hold the rank of cadet captain, one of 19 cadet staff assignments. Thirty-one other students received appointments in the unit's eight squadron commands.

Bruton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Bruton, Route 1, Munday, is a senior business administration major at NTSU.

Haskell Seaman Serving Aboard Destroyer

Norfolk, Va. (FHTNO) — George A. Petrich, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Petrich of Route 1, Haskell, is serving aboard the escort destroyer USS Eaton, operating out of Norfolk, Va.

The ship and crew visited New York City, Jan. 27-30, and enroute back to Norfolk conducted anti-aircraft gunnery and anti-submarine warfare exercises.

Diane Reid of Rochester Named To NTSU Post

Diane Reid of Rochester has been placed in charge of public relations for Angel Flight, Air Force ROTC auxiliary at North Texas State University, Denton.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reid, Route 1, Rochester, Miss Reid is a junior speech and drama major. She is a member of Alpha Phi social sorority, Young Democrats and Women's Forum and is a cheerleader at NTSU.

HOME ON LEAVE TO VISIT FATHER

Charles R. Prater, R. N., U. S. Navy, is at home on 30-day emergency leave to be at the bedside of his father, W. L. Prater of Mattson, who recently suffered a heart attack. Charles was stationed aboard the U. S. Hamul in Pearl Harbor. He will report back to Long Beach, Calif., Feb. 25.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us during the loss of our loved one. We especially wish to thank the staff at the Convalescent Home for the excellent care given and to the doctors and nurses at the hospital. We will always be grateful for the kind words, floral offerings and to those who prepared and served food. May God bless each of you. The Family of W. D. Gilliland.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my friends and neighbors for putting up my land while I was ill and unable to work. My thanks to the ladies who served lunch and to all who helped in any way. W. C. (Dick) Storrs.

Stamford WAC Finishes Basic Training

Fort McClellan, Ala. (AHT-NC) — Pvt. Alpha A. Taylor, daughter of Mrs. Irma J. Gambill, 1014 Symonds pl., Stamford, Texas, completed eight weeks basic military training at the Women's Army Corps Center, Fort McClellan, Ala., Jan. 26.

Private Taylor received instruction in such subjects as Army history and traditions, administrative and supply procedures, map reading, first aid and military justice. She received aptitude and interest tests to determine the field of work for which she is best suited during her Army career.

Private Taylor has received orders assigning her to Fort Lee, Va., for advanced individual training at the Quartermaster School.

The 18-year-old private is a 1961 graduate of Stamford High School. Her father, Davis W. Taylor, lives on Dale Street, Winters.

Birds Starting Spring Move Through State

Spring migration of birds has begun in Texas, although some of the waterfowl heading north for their nesting area have hit new cold waves. But robins have moved into South Texas by the thousands. This is the report reaching Howard Dodgen, executive secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

Most interesting news of the week, however, was the announcement of H. J. Johnson, Aransas Wildlife Refuge Manager, that two more whooping cranes had been counted on the refuge. This now brings the total to 38 birds wintering there.

At first it was believed there were only 36 whoopers on the area during the past 10 days have proved conclusively that there are now 38 birds, with 23 adults and 5 juveniles.

Johnson also reports the present deer population on the area is approximately 7200, a-

long with many young javelinas. The quail population is very low, with only two small coveys seen following Hurricane Carla last September.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends and neighbors, especially of the Mattson Community for their many kindnesses shown us during Bill's stay in the hospital and after he came home. We especially want to thank Dr. Cadenhead, Mr. Chapman and the many nurses. Words cannot express our thanks for your prayers and other things. May God bless each of you. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. (Bill) Prater and Boys. 7p

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere appreciation to the hospital staff, doctors, and friends for the wonderful care; words of consolation, food and beautiful floral offerings at the loss of our loved one, Joe Phelps. May God bless each of you. The Family of Joe Phelps. 7p

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WOMEN'S INTEREST

Parent-Teacher Association Groups Observe Founders Day, Silver Tea

The Haskell Elementary and Junior High School Parent-Teacher Associations met Feb. 7 at 4 p. m. in the Elementary School Cafeteria for a joint meeting and their Founders Day Program and Silver Tea.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. James Schaefer, minister of the Lutheran Church.

A skit, "Way Back When," written and directed by Mrs. Sam Herren was presented by Mrs. Wallace Stark, Mrs. George Fouts, Mrs. Truitt Parsons, Mrs. Howard Perry, Mrs. Virgil Wall and Mrs. Frank Cadenhead Jr., with Mrs. Fred Brown as narrator.

The Junior High Choral group presented Where You Walk, Steal Away, and Gonna Ride in the Chariot, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bell.

Mrs. John Fouts told of the organizing of the first Parent-Teacher Association in Haskell, with Mrs. John Crawford as its leader. Mrs. Dave Persons continued the history during the 30's and closed with a poem, A Prayer for You.

Mrs. Roy Wiseman gave a

brief history of The Founder's Day Gift and what it is used for.

Past Presidents who were present and recognized by the president, Mrs. Glen Sammons were Mrs. John Fouts, Mrs. Dave Persons, Mrs. Bill Woodson, Mrs. Dave Hiebert, Mrs. Bob Herren, Mrs. John Kimbrough, Mrs. Jean Elliott, Mrs. Guy Kennedy, Mrs. Ed Hester, Mrs. Ira Hester, Mrs. Roy Wiseman and Mrs. Frank Cadenhead Jr.

Mrs. D. W. Boren of Abilene, 18th District President, was a special guest for the afternoon.

Mrs. Garvin Foote's room had the largest representation of parents present.

The Hospitality Committee members were hostesses for the tea hour following the meeting.

Haskell Rebekah Lodge Installs New Officers

The Haskell Rebekah Lodge held installation ceremonies in the lodge hall Monday night, Feb. 5, with the Seymour Rebekahs as installing officers.

District Deputy President, Velma Camp of Seymour installed the following officers:

Frances McDonald, Noble Grand; Mary Honea, Vice Grand; Avis Pennington, secretary; Calie Robison, treasurer; Leone Pearsey, warden; Eva Speer, conductor; Viola Tidwell, flag bearer; Middle Lees, inside guardian; Bertie Mae Dumas, R.S.N.G.; Mary Kingston, L.S.N.G.; Mildred Collins, L.S.V.G.; Wilma Brown, R.S.V.G.; Della Ashley, chaplain; and Clara Parks, financial secretary.

District Deputy Camp also presented the Past Noble Grand's pin to Janice Garrett, retiring officer.

Mrs. Emma Pitman, the lodge mother, was presented a beautiful white carnation corsage from the lodge by Warden Leone Pearsey. There was one new member present for the ceremony. Alice Beasley has transferred her membership to the Haskell lodge from Andrews, Texas.

The refreshment table was laid with white damask and a centerpiece of pink roses and hearts. Angel food cake topped with peaches and ice cream was served to 30 Rebekahs.

Out-of-town guests present were Velma Camp, district deputy president; Maudie Mae Morris, deputy marshal; Alice Bee Johnston, deputy warden; Bertha Whitten, deputy first secretary; Henrietta Walters, recording secretary; Watsy Potter, deputy chaplain; Marcia Bynum, outside guardian; Eula Fancher, musician; Nora Fancher, Henry Camp, Gib Whitten and Bob Miller, all from Seymour.

Gift Tea Honors Julie Collins, Bride-Elect

A gift tea honoring Miss Julie Collins, bride-elect of Tommie Cathey, Aspermont and Amarillo, was hosted by Mrs. J. V. Hudson, Dennis P. Ratliff, Courtney Hunt and Miss Madalin Hunt in the home of Mrs. Hudson Saturday, Feb. 10, from 3 to 5 p. m.

Mrs. Hudson greeted guests. Those receiving with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. Guy Collins, the mother and sister of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Buford Cathey and Miss Judy Cathey and sister-in-law of the bride-elect, Mrs. Guy Collins Jr.

Mrs. Riley J. Pace invited guests to register. Mrs. Lon McMillen, Abilene, and Miss Shirley Atchison assisted in serving.

Mrs. Ratliff and Madalin Hunt ladled frosted punch.

The table was laid with an Italian art work cloth. Table appointments were crystal and silver.

The centerpiece featured the bride's chosen colors in white carnations, turquoise hearts and love birds.

Mrs. J. C. O'Neal invited guests to view gifts which were displayed on the lovely sun porch.

More than 200 guests sent gifts and called.

The couple will be married in the Memorial Chapel of the Christian Church Saturday afternoon, Feb. 24.

Catholic Women's Guild Meets Friday

The regular monthly meeting of St. George Catholic Women's Guild was held last Feb. 9 in the sacristy of the St. George Church.

Mrs. Joe W. Cloud, president of the Guild, announced that Mr. Matthew Praxal is the new teacher of the Catechism class for the Intermediate group. He will be assisted by Mr. George Bailey.

Members were given Confraternity of Christian Doctrine Associate Member Records which they are to keep until May. On these blanks they will keep a record of Holy Masses offered, Holy Hours offered, Rosaries prayed and Sacrifices made for the success of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine. They will also keep an account of the hours of actual work done for the CCD, such as teacher, helper, visitor, discussion leader, parent educator or apostle of good will. These will be recorded by Sister M. Rosella, Abilene, who is Deanery director of the Confraternity work for the Council of Catholic Women.

Father James A. Meuree informed the members of the visit of Bishop Thomas Drury to the Haskell Church.

The group began preliminary plans for the blessing and dedication of the new church which will be at an early date in March.

The next meeting of the Guild will be on March 9 at 8:00 p. m.

Surprise Party For T. C. Cobbs On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Truett C. Cobb of this city were honored with a surprise party on their 50th wedding anniversary Feb. 6.

Singers met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Haynes for a get-together singing. After singing for an hour or more there was a surprise party for Mr. and Mrs. Cobb.

Those attending were the Dale Haynes family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Justice of Goree, Mrs. John Scheets, Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keller, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams, Mrs. Clyde Bland and Charlotte, Mrs. Lizzie Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman, Keith Terry and Glenda Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cobb, Gary and Bobby, and Claude Norman.

Gifts were also received from Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bassing of Farmington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Toxie Cobb of Bloomfield, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holland of Moab, Utah.

Two special songs were sung by the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Cobb. A beautifully decorated cake was served with coffee and hot chocolate to all present.

Ivy-Warren Vows Repeated in Home Rites Sunday

A wedding of interest to the many friends of the couple in the Haskell area was solemnized at 3 p. m. Sunday at the home of the bride in this city when Mrs. Pearl Warren and John F. Ivy were united in marriage.

Officiating for the quiet home ceremony was the Rev. C. R. LeMond, pastor of the First Methodist Church, assisted by the Rev. Warren Boley of Oklahoma City, grandson of the bride. Present were members of the families and intimate friends of the couple.

Wedding attendants were Willard Warren of Austin, who gave his mother in marriage; James Turner of Andrews, who served as best man; Mrs. Glynn Boley, matron of honor; Mrs. James E. Turner, bridesmaid. Ring bearers were little Marie and Jodie Kay Floyd of Hobbs, N. M., great-granddaughters of the bride.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Boley of Ada, Okla.; Rev. and Mrs. Warren Boley and children, David and Debbie, of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Turner and Leisa of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd and children, Marie and Jodie Kay of Hobbs, N. M.; Willard Warren of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Maxwell of Andrews.

From Haskell, Messrs. and Mrs. Alvin Sherman, Frank McCurley, Jack Speer, Homer Harrison, Alvie Mitchell, Mrs. W. A. Holt, Mrs. Opal Barker, Mrs. Lillian Townsend.

State Federation President Is Guest Speaker at Rule Club

By FAYE LUNNAM

"Impressions of Finland" was the topic of the interesting program brought to the Rule Club on Thursday, February 8, by Mrs. Harry Griffith of Austin, state president of Texas Federated Womens Clubs.

Mrs. Ed Cloud, president, gave words of greeting; and following the reading of the Club Collect, led by Mrs. J. H. Geer, the yearbook chairman, Mrs. C. O. Davis, introduced Mrs. John Ward of Aspermont, who in turn presented Mrs. Griffith.

Following the program refreshments were served from the tea table decorated in the valentine motif with colors of red and white.

Receiving members and guests at the door were Mrs. Dock Rose, and Mordant McKinney; at the registry, Mrs. John Behringer; and serving punch was Mrs. Sam Davis. Others on the entertaining committee were Mrs. O. G.

Bishop Drury Is Visitor to New Haskell Church

On Thursday, Feb. 8, The Most Reverend Thomas J. Drury, made his first visit to Haskell as the newly consecrated Bishop of the recently established Diocese of San Angelo.

Accompanied by Father Jas. A. Meuree, Pastor, he inspected the new St. George Catholic Church, Bishop Drury will return next month to officiate at the blessing of the Church. The date has been set tentatively for March 4 at 5:00 p. m. While in Haskell, he also called on some of the local parishioners.

The Most Reverend Drury was appointed Bishop of the new Diocese last Nov. 3. His consecration and installation was held Jan. 24 at the Sacred Heart Cathedral in San Angelo.

Julie Collins is Shower Honoree in Amarillo

Miss Julie Collins was honored at a surprise miscellaneous shower in the home of Miss Louise Liefeste, Amarillo, Texas.

Guests were the twenty girls who are co-workers with Julie in the offices of Producers Grain Company, Amarillo.

The entertainment table was centered with a shower cake, using the valentine motif which carried the names of Julie and Tommie and the wedding date.

The hostess served cake, coffee and tea.

Mrs. Rogers Is Hostess For Rainbow Club

The Rainbow Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Flossie Rogers Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 6, with 13 members present.

The house was called to order by the president, Stella Josselot led the group in singing the Club Song, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." The secretary, Mrs. Smith, conducted roll call, and dues were paid. She also read the minutes of the last meeting. Thought for the Day was given by Florence Larned. A committee report on members and friends who are ill was given and names were taken for cards to be sent those who are ill or bereaved.

Mrs. Edwards won on Needlecraft and Mrs. Smith won the hostess gift. Two special numbers were sung, one by Florence Larned and one by LaVerne New. Stella Josselot led the group in singing a number of songs. Florence Larned led in recreation.

A refreshment plate was served to the club's little mascot, Johnnie Larned, and Mrs. Stella Josselot, Essie Bland, Ethel Edwards, LaVerne New, Eva Pearsey, Eddie Johnson, Zada Smith, Sallie Patterson, Ann Taylor, Elizabeth Andrews, Cora Pitman, Florence Larned, and the hostess, Mrs. Rogers.

The next meeting will be on Feb. 20 in the home of Mrs. Annie Thomas.

District TFWC President Will Speak Here

The Progressive Study Club will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock in the community room of the Haskell National Bank.

Mrs. John Ward of Aspermont, President of Mesquite District, will be guest speaker. A Vogue Style Show will follow. All members are urged to bring a guest.

Hannah SS Class Meets In Home of Mrs. Yancey

The Hannah Sunday School Class of East Side Baptist Church held its monthly business and social meeting in the home of Mrs. J. A. Yancey, on Thursday, Feb. 8, at 2:30 p. m.

The meeting was opened by singing of "Amazing Grace" followed with prayer by Mrs. W. W. Quattlebaum.

In the absence of the Secretary, Mrs. McGuire, Mrs. Curtis called the roll and seven members answered with scripture verses.

Mrs. W. P. Curtis, Class President, presided over the business session, and also conducted a Bible quiz.

Mrs. R. L. Banks gave an interesting devotional taken from the 13th Chapter of 1 Corinthians on Charity.

Mrs. T. E. Mercer closed the meeting with prayer and gave thanks for the refreshments, and "Blest Be the Tie" was sung.

During the social hour the members were seated around the dining table and served Hi-Ho sandwiches and delicious homemade cake with hot chocolate and coffee.

The next class meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. W. Quattlebaum, 800 North Ave. B, on March 8, and all members are urged to come.

Morris-Vaden Vows Read In Wichita Falls

Iona Georgia Morris and Edward Earl Vaden exchanged marriage vows Thursday Feb. 8, with the Rev. Edgar C. Carlisle reading the ceremony at the Beacon Baptist Church in Wichita Falls.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Mubie of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Vaden of Seymour are parents of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a beige dress with a single pearl necklace. She wore a pair of gloves belonging to her late grandmother.

The bride is a graduate of Rochester High School. The bridegroom is a graduate of Seymour High School. He has served in the U. S. Navy and is now employed on the Wichita Falls police force.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaden are residing at 1710 Monroe Street, Wichita Falls.

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Birthday Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Whitaker

The Happy Birthday Club met Feb. 8 in the home of Mrs. Janie Whitaker, honoring the birthday of Claudia Mae Bland.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Lorene Fouts. Songs were sung, including Let Me Call You Sweetheart, and the Happy Birthday song. During the business meeting plans were discussed for a Valentine Party Feb. 15 in the home of Mrs. W. E. Johnson. Cards were sent to the sick. Cookies were brought to be delivered to both Old Folks Homes.

Janie Whitaker had charge of recreation and several games were played followed with a program on George Washington on which several took part.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Aline Wheatley, Doris Hansz, Essie Bland, Eva Pearsey, Claudie Mae Eland, Sallie Patterson, Zada Smith, Emma Bland, Eddie Johnson, Lorene Fouts and the hostess, Janie Whitaker. Flats favors were miniature cherry trees.

East Side W.M.U. Circle Has Roy Service Program

The Katherine Howell of the East Side Baptist W.M.U. met Monday, Feb. 7, for their regular monthly service program.

The program was with the group singing, Work Till Jesus Comes, Lillian Banks read the Star of Prayer, and the prayer was offered by Mrs. Lillian Banks. The vice president, Mrs. Regeon, acted in the absence of the president, Mrs. Tancy, the program chair was in charge of the service program. The program was closed with prayer, Mrs. Quattlebaum, who were present.

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Club Is Report on Job

Club met Feb. 14 at the home of Mrs. W. C. Winchester for a Fine Arts program. Mrs. Winchester served a collection of art from Mexico and South America and color slides.

Weinert Study Club Meets With Mrs. Winchester

Weinert Study Club met on Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. C. Winchester for a Fine Arts program. Mrs. Winchester served a collection of art from Mexico and South America and color slides.

Officers for the 1962-63 club year were elected. President is Mrs. E. D. Barie, vice president, Mrs. M. W. Plemister; 2nd vice president, Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. W. B. Guess; board members are Mrs. Glenn Caddell and Mrs. Henry Vojutka.

The next meeting will be on Feb. 22 when Mrs. Fred Monke will be guest speaker for a Federation program. Guests will be members of Weinert Matrons Club. Judging of Vogue sewing contestants will be at this time also.

ious songs. Festivals were popular with Boston and New York giving group meetings as early as 1736.

Songs of Colonial times given by the club were Battle Hymn of the Republic, Jeannie With the Light Brown Hair, and Were You There, with Martha Meadors as accompanist. One of the early national compositions, "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the club with Martha Meadors accompanist.

Former Members of Fidelis Class Meet for Annual Memorial Dinner

The third Hazel Reynolds Memorial Dinner was held on Saturday evening, Feb. 10, at 7 o'clock in the community room of the Haskell National Bank. Thirty-three former members of the Fidelis Sunday School Class when the late Mrs. R. J. Reynolds was teacher, gathered for a reunion.

The president, Mrs. Buford Cox, welcomed the guests and Virgil Reynolds of Fort Worth expressed appreciation to the organization and the worthy project they have undertaken. He then gave the invocation after which a lovely meal was served. Mrs. Cox read letters and telegrams from a number who could not attend.

The Hazel Reynolds Memorial Group was organized Feb. 2, 1960. Its purpose is to continue a fund started when Mrs. Reynolds was teacher, for the education of a Brazilian girl. The student is to be selected by Maye Bell Taylor as long as she is on the foreign mission field in Brazil.

If there are former members of this class who have not been contacted, they are urged to turn in their names and addresses.

A short business session was held and Artie May Burkett

was elected president and Nettie McCollum secretary, both for a two-year term. Dues of \$1.50 per member are paid in to the fund and all contributions to the scholarship fund are voluntary. Everyone was generous with contributions and the group voted to send money for two girls this year instead of one.

Those attending were Mrs. J. P. Cadenhead Sr., R. C. Couch Sr., both former teachers of the class; Hattie Couch, Claudia Mae Bland, Nettie McCollum, Estelle Tennyson Lee of Rule, Vera Oates Wilson, Lola Welsh Scott, Lela Welsh Duncan, Murrell DeBard, Mary Grindstaff of Dallas, Edna Mae Lyles, Leone Pearsey, Joyce Ruff, Tillie Chapman, Alice Ballard, Sadie Payne, Ruby Smith, Iola Taylor Henshaw, Mary Louise Robertson, Hazel Robertson Womble from Abilene, Frances Lane, Letta Christian, Gerry Cox, Elma Guest, Artie May Burkett, Opal Adkins, Veta Furrh, R. J. Reynolds, Virgil and Brucille Reynolds from Fort Worth, and Helen and Oscar Oates.

Closing the meeting, the group sang "An Evening Prayer" led by Mrs. Cadenhead.

Mrs. Joe Cloud Guest Speaker At B&PW Club

Members of the B&PW Club met Tuesday night in their regular semi-monthly meeting in Haskell National Bank community room. A valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and on the refreshment plate.

Artie May Burkett, vice president, presided in the absence of the president, Ramie Lee Frazier. The club collect was read in unison to open the meeting. Grace Reid, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting, and called the roll to which 22 members answered present. After the business meeting, Miss Jessie Vick introduced the guest speaker of the evening, Mrs. Joe W. Cloud of Rule, who gave a very interesting and inspirational talk on "Our American Heritage."

She is a very gifted speaker. The program committee consisted of Miss Vick, Madalin Hunt, Mildred Tonn, and Edna Mae Lyles. Refreshments were served by Leone Pearsey, Bertha Humphrey, Veta Furrh and Lois Redwine.

The next meeting will be on February 27th, and a very interesting program is being planned, the vice president announced.

In and Out The Tee-Pees

By JOANIE FRAZIER

February 9 and 10 the Explorers of Haskell's Post 36 and their advisors journeyed to Abilene in their ever faithful bus, "Lizzie." The purpose of this trip was an overnight camp-out and hike south of Meikel, Haskell. The purpose of this trip was an overnight camp-out and hike south of Meikel, Haskell.

The crews from Haskell were made up of Tommy Hoagland, Eddie Hester, Ronnie Hilliard and Jimmy Yeary, Crew No. 1; and Eddie Smart, Jim Bynum, Duwayne Moore and Gene Hester, Crew No. 2.

The crews were given a map and compass and were told to hike 15 miles to a certain destination and make four check points along the way. A crew from Dyess AFB came in first and Haskell's crew came in second. These were the only two to finish their hike and make the four check points.

They then returned home late Saturday and started planning the program given the Eagle Scouts Sunday. The Eagle is the highest rank in Scouting and the six boys who received this honor are to be congratulated as it took many long and hard hours of work to qualify.

The six boys receiving this award are: Tommy Hester, Eddie Hester, Eddie Smart, Barry O'Neal, Bill Perry and Jim Bynum. These boys are the first to receive the Eagle Court of Honor in Haskell since 1951.

The Scouts, their dates and families were entertained with a banquet in their honor at the Highway Drive - In following the ceremony.

Attend Concert Several students from Haskell High School attended the concert presented by Van Cliburn at Hardin-Simmons new chapel auditorium Thursday night, Feb. 8.

Thomas Holden was so inspired that he is now practicing three and four hours learning one of the selections presented at the concert.

The students left at seven o'clock and arrived just in time, as the concert began at 8:15. In two hours and forty-five minutes (11:00) the concert ended and everyone journeyed home in a trance.

Van Cliburn was quoted as saying: "A piano and the music it makes are beautiful, therefore beautiful things belong together." And he certainly proved his statement.

Nancy Brite went to all the trouble of rinsing her hair red so she would be outstanding at the concert. But she was rather disappointed when she found the stage was lighted with red lights and everyone looked red-headed and she was just "E Pluribus Unum" (one of many). See you in seven suns.

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EARLY BIRD LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L. Rows: Oates Drug, Guest's, M System, Haskell Warehouse, Lyles Jewelry, Harry's Humble.

High Men's Game

Table with columns: Name, Score. Rows: Volley Ivy, M. L. Cook, Gene Campbell, Herbert Ray.

High Women's Game

Table with columns: Name, Score. Rows: Ardella Ivy, Velma Campbell, Mary Watson.

High Individual Game

Table with columns: Name, Score. Rows: Louise Josselet, Ophelia Medford, Jean Yearwood.

CHIEFTAIN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L. Rows: Haskell Lanes, Biard Cleaners, M System, Brazelton Lbr. Co., Northern Star, Bradberry's.

High Team Game

Table with columns: Team, Score. Rows: M System, Biard Cleaners, Bradberry's.

Men's High Game

Table with columns: Name, Score. Rows: Chester Abbott, Bobby Hester, Bill Steele.

Women's High Game

Table with columns: Name, Score. Rows: Stella Steele, Jimmie Frierson, Mary Abbott.

FRIENDLY CITY

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High Team Game

Table with columns: Team, Score. Rows: Gholson Grocery, Tolver Chevrolet, Tolver Chevrolet.

High Game, Individual

Table with columns: Name, Score. Rows: Max Brown, David Frierson, Herman Josselet, Marshall Benner.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends and neighbors: Since it is not possible to see each of you in person may we use this method to express our deepest and heartfelt thanks for all the food, flowers and other acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to us in our recent bereavement. May God bless and keep you in our prayer. Mrs. J. W. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cameron and family, and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hudson and family.

IN STAMFORD HOSPITAL

Gwendolyn Freeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Freeman of this city, has been a patient in the Stamford Sanitarium since Friday, suffering with bronchial pneumonia.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS
Haskell—Miss Murrell DeBard, med. E. R. Starr, medical. Mrs. Elmer Turner, accident John Fisher, surgical. Mable Willis, medical. Mrs. Robert Dumas, medical. Mrs. C. V. Payne, medical. Mrs. J. F. Schaefer, surgical. R. E. Throneberry, medical. Mrs. L. N. Lusk, medical.
Weinert—Rickey Estrado, medical. Mrs. Thurman Stout, surg.
O'Brien—Mrs. William E. McQueen, medical.
Stamford—J. D. Rasco, medical.
Knox City—Mrs. J. R. Weatherall, med.
Old Glory—Mrs. Lenora Dumas, medical
Rochester—M. C. Webb, medical.
Sagerton—Mrs. Laura Shaw, medical.
Rule—W. W. Webb, medical.

DISMISSED

Paul Dunlap, Haskell; Sgt. Frank Jircik, Haskell; Joe Barnes, Haskell; Jack Breedlove, Haskell; Mrs. M. L. Swartz, Guthrie; Gary Lytle, Haskell; Mack Magana, Rochester; Mrs. Frank Spencer, Weinert; Otto Nanny, Haskell; Tommy Baitz, Haskell; Jesse Sotelo, Haskell; Judy Faye Bate, Haskell; Mrs. Billy Jack Ray, Haskell; Mrs. George M. Wilson, Colo. Springs, Colo.; Mrs. E. A. Howard, Haskell; Mrs. Bill Reeves, Haskell; J. D. Stephens, Lubbock; J. R. Darden, Haskell; Mrs. B. Q. Furrh, Weinert; Dorothy Martin, Rochester; Olivia Mercado, Sagerton; Alice Moreno, Rule; Severiano Nombro, Haskell; Mrs. George Gibbs, Haskell; Mrs. C. M. Shwadelensk, Knox City.

THE VERY LATEST

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Louis Tucker, Haskell, boy, Marty Lee, born Feb. 5, 1962, weight 8 lbs., 3 1/2 oz.
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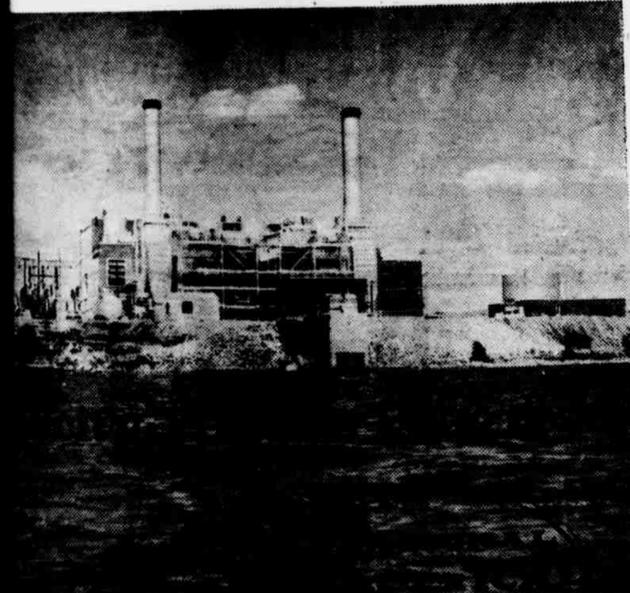
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last Saturday night at the school lunchroom. The mothers brought a fried chicken supper, and after supper the boys had charge of the program. Randy Wiseman, Senior Patrol Leader, was Master of Ceremonies. Twelve boys gave the scout laws as they lighted the candles beneath the Scout emblem, and Joe Greer explained the Scout emblem.

Allen Rascoe, Randy Wiseman and Wayne Cadenhead played "America the Beautiful," "The Vesper Hymn" and "America" on their cornets and slide trombone. L. G. Greer awarded the Tenderfoot badges to Lonnie Hodgins, Joe Greer, Bob Tate, Mike Wright, John Josselot, Steve Livingston, Dean Maltzburger and Terry Lowry. Glen Watson awarded the 2nd Class badges to Scouts Mike Wright, Larry Walton and Clinton Callaway. Calvin Smethie awarded the First Class badge to Steve Smethie. R. V. Earles awarded the Star badge to Scouts Mike Felker, Danny Isbell, Ricky Perry, Phil Coleman and Bob Earles. B. B. Gilmore awarded the Junior Leader's Training Course certificates to Bob Earles, Steve Smethie, Thornton Gilmore, Riley Couch, Wayne Cadenhead and Walter Felker.

R. C. Couch awarded merit badges to the following scouts: Mike Felker, Citizenship in the Home, Astronomy and Athletics; James Wall, Gardening and Citizenship in the Home; Steve Smethie, Citizenship in the Home; Wayne Cadenhead, Music; Walter Felker, Athletics; Bob Earles, Public speaking, Citizenship in the Home, Camping, Cooking, Motor Boating; Ricky Perry, Public speaking, Horsemanship, Citizenship in the Home; Phil Coleman, Swimming, Camping, Citizenship in the Home, Cycling, Fishing and Cooking; Larry Walton, Farm Mechanics, Fishing, Home Repairs and Hiking; Alan Rascoe, Home Repairs, Athletics, Public speaking; Derrrell Davis, Cooking; Alan Smethie, Cooking, Camping, Citizenship in the Home; Danny Isbell, Cycling; Randy Wiseman, Cooking; Firemanship, Art.

This is the most advancement at one Court of Honor

that we have had in a long time, but these represent all the advancement since the August Court of Honor. The scouts gave a scout stamette to Roy Wiseman, assistant scoutmaster, engraved "for a job well done." Guests attending the dinner besides families of the boys were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLennan and Pat Morrison who are school board members and superintendent of the school. Our Paint Creek school sponsors the Boy Scout troop here.

The members of the Methodist Church are doing some improving of their church building. They have taken out the ceiling and are having a new one put in, and have new light fixtures also. They plan to do some painting also. Rev. and Mrs. V. P. Morrison of Graham spent Friday and Saturday with their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Van Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morrison, and attended the tournament and saw Van's junior teams play. Vern Howard and Jeff Smith played with a music combo in the Knox City talent show on Thursday night and they won second. They will play for the banquet at the Baptist Church Monday night and at other talent shows this spring.

The school census is complete and Paint Creek has 141 students on its 1962-63 census. The new 6 year olds are: Robbie Dale Peiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Peiser; Douglas LeFevre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan LeFevre; Deborah Michler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Twain Mickler; Quaila Buerger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buerger; Marcus Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Coleman, (all of these are children of former Paint Creek graduates). Donald Wayne Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones, Jerry Don House, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby House; Ricardo Gonzales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Gonzales; Raymon Guzman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Guzman; Rojelio (Roy) Gonzales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonzales; Ted Silvas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Teodoro Silvas; and Juan Ortega, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ortega. One will transfer out to Stamford, four will transfer out to Haskell, or at least are on our rolls now, and say they will attend next year.

The senior basketball girls will play their first play-off game with the Rochester girls in the Paint Creek gym Thursday night at 7:30.

Roger Davis who attended Paint Creek year before last when his family rented one of the teacherages on the campus, is visiting in the community. He is stationed at Ft. Hood and is leaving for Germany next month. He attended the basketball tournament and spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Bud Moore and family.

Mrs. Jodie Earles has returned home from the hospital in Dallas and is feeling fine. Cadet Jimmy Griffith of Texas A&M spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffith, Linda and Brenda.

Mrs. Paul Fischer and Mrs. Gene Overton were Abilene visitors last Wednesday. They visited Margaret Fischer. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Callaway are the proud grandparents of a new granddaughter. Little Denan Loe was born last Thursday morning at Garland. Mrs. Callaway has been in Garland for the past two weeks, with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Loe, the parents. Denan's other grandmother is Mrs. John Loe of California, and her great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Callaway of Haskell. Second Lt. Wallar Overton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton, arrived home Sunday

from Ft. Knox, Ky. He graduated from the Armored School Friday morning, and came right on to Texas. He spent Saturday night in Garland with his twin brother, William. His new orders are to report to Fort Dix, N. Jersey, March 13, from where he will go to Germany for overseas duty.

In the junior basketball tournament Thursday through Saturday, Haskell A teams girls and boys won first. Paint Creek girls A team and boys A team won second and the Haskell boys and girls B teams won consolation. The senior class sponsored the tournament and they asked that we thank Mr. Willie Lee Medford, Mr. Bill Tate, Mr. Pat Morrison, Jeff Smith, Jerry Hughes and Martin Dale Coleman for refereeing the games; Miss Billie Boshier and Mrs. Willie Lee Medford for helping furnish food for the concession stand. Mrs. Allen Isbell for loaning the lunchroom facilities for some of the cooking, Mr. Mack Sanders for cleaning up after the tournament, senior mothers Mrs. Roy Medford, Mrs. Alec McLennan, Mrs. Frank Pustejovsky, Mrs. Albert Bittner and Mrs. Gene Overton for supplying food and running the concession stand. Paulette Fischer and Butch Kohout for running the gym clock. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ortega lost their home on the George Free place several weeks ago when it burned. Mr. Free has bought and moved another house for them, and they moved into it last week.

J. M. Mickler suffered a stroke last weekend and is a patient in the Stamford Sanitarium.

SCHOOL LUNCHROOM Menus

Monday: Baked ham, green lima beans, mashed potatoes, pineapple-cheese salad, rolls, butter, cinnamon rolls, milk.
 Tuesday: Shepherd's pie with mashed potato topping, English peas, tossed green salad, rolls, butter, applesauce, peanut butter and crackers, milk.
 Wednesday: Vienna sausage with sauerkraut, pinto beans, baked potatoes, carrot sticks, cornbread, butter, peach halves, milk.
 Thursday: Turkey sandwiches, potato chips, sliced tomatoes, cranberry sauce, green beans, apple cobbler, milk.
 Friday: Fish sticks, scalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas, cabbage slaw, rolls, butter, oatmeal cookies, milk.

WEINERT NEWS

Mrs. Fred Monke, Mrs. J. W. Liles, Mrs. M. W. Phemister, Mrs. Bill King, Mrs. P. F. Weinert and Mrs. Henry Vojtkufka, members of Weinert Matrons Club, attended the meeting of the Philadelphia Club, Rule, to hear Mrs. Harry Griffith, TFWC president, speak Thursday. Mrs. Jack Therwanger and Susanna of Big Spring spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Williamson. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Lynn Meers Jr., are announcing the arrival of a son, Tod Boyd, born Feb. 4, 1962, at Knox City hospital. He weighed 7 lbs., 14 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson of Weinert and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meers of Goree. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Phemister Saturday and Sunday were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Phemister, Ricky and Randy of Abilene. Wayne is a senior at A.C.C. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jetton entertained their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Tommy Clarke, Wade and Angela of Electra, during the past week.

HASKELL VISITORS
 Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Post of Denver City spent the weekend here looking after business interests and visiting relatives and friends. They are former longtime residents here and Mr. Post was City Secretary for a number of years and a charter member of the Haskell Lions Club.

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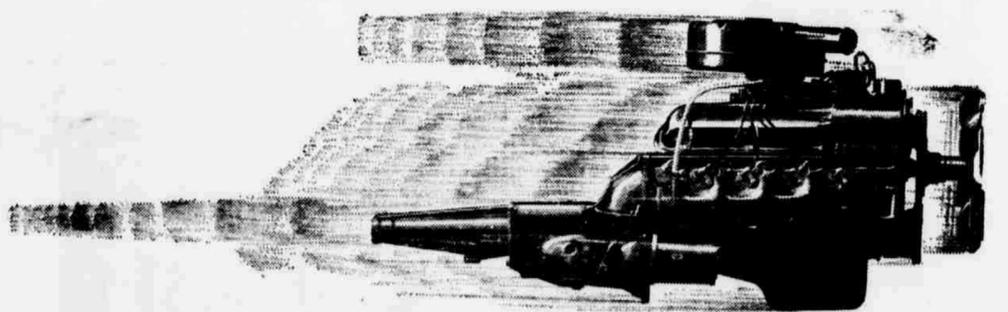
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Arledge Makes Formal Statement Of Candidacy for Representative

Roy Arledge, veteran West Texas cattleman, farmer, businessman and civic worker, made his formal announcement as candidates for state representative from the 83rd district this week.

The 83rd district is composed of Jones, Haskell, Knox, Baylor and Throckmorton counties.

A lifetime Democrat, Roy Arledge said he announced his candidacy for state representative in the Democratic primary at the urging of many Democratic friends whose "advice and counsel I value."

The list of local and state civic club offices Arledge has held is long and impressive. His success in cattle breeding and sales has long been phenomenal in this area.

Roy Arledge was pioneering the use of airplanes in ranch operations long before it became popular with "big city boys who happened to invest in land." For his interest and work in flying, Arledge was elected president of the Texas Private Fliers Association. He was written about in national publications for his use of airplanes to seed grassland.

But the use of airplanes was not the reason for the candidate's success in business. A knowledge of stock handed down by his father, the late Thomas Emitt Arledge of Nolan County, was the basic ingredient.

While the use of air transportation and the breeding of cattle have made the Arledge name well known in Jones, Haskell, Knox, Baylor and Throckmorton counties, Roy Arledge considers himself basically a farmer who is concerned with planting and raising grain and cotton.

Roy Arledge understands our area and its problems—water and financing. He worked to obtain Lake Stamford and has long been interested in water for West Texas.

When Roy was president of the Stamford Chamber of Commerce he also was elected as



ROY ARLEDGE

president of the Southwestern Ice Manufacturer's Association. He served six years on the Stamford City council. And during this time, Arledge did not neglect other civic duties. When he was awarded the coveted Boy Scout Silver Beaver award, only 27 men in the history of the 31 years the Chisholm Trail Council has been in existence, received the honor.

Arledge attends the First Baptist Church in Stamford.

After such a lifetime of busy, active work, Roy Arledge still has the advance philosophy and way of thinking that made him a pioneer in the use of airplanes in West Texas.

"When people discuss politics, I am a Democrat," said Arledge. "I like to look at each individual issue and not vote just on political expediency alone. But this doesn't mean I am trying to straddle any fences. I would classify myself as a middle of the road Democrat."

Roy Arledge and his wife, the former Lois Lee of Haskell County, moved to Stamford in 1950. He has two sons, Jack, the Ford dealer in Knox City, and Jimmie, a builder in Abilene.

Arledge said he is going to work hard as a candidate and pledges to work to the very best of his ability to represent his area when elected.

IN WICHITA FALLS HOSPITAL
Mrs. Roy Weaver of this city is a patient in a Wichita Falls Hospital for observation and possible surgery. She was accompanied to Wichita Falls by her daughter, Mrs. Opal Adkins.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: 1953 Ford 1/2 ton pickup, 3 speed, heavy duty transmission. See Jerry Benson at Cook Trailer Park. 7p

Weinert F.H.A. Members Help In March of Dimes

The Weinert Chapter of Future Homemakers were Co-Chairmen with R. S. Sanders for the recent March of Dimes Drive in Weinert.

Linda Cunningham, Weinert F.H.A. President and a candidate for state degree, was chairman of a group of girls now working on degrees of achievement including Shirley Sanders, and Linda Adams, who are completing their Chapter degrees. Sandra Dutton, Linda Davis and Sue White, working on their Junior degrees.

The girls worked mainly with the churches and school groups. Approximately \$124.00 was collected.

The average social security check to a disabled person averaged \$90 in September, 1961.

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Political Announcements

The Free Press is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic primaries in 1962. All announcements are cash in advance, at the following rates: All county and district offices, \$30.00; all precinct offices, \$20.00.

FOR STATE SENATOR 24th Senatorial District
David Ratliff, of Stamford (For Re-Election)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 83rd Legislative District
Foy H. Easley of Jones County
Roy Arledge of Jones County

J. C. (Carl) Wheatley (Second Term)

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE 30th Judicial District
Ben Charlie Chapman (For Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
Jas. C. (Jim) Alvis (Second Term)
Lea Roy Denton

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Artie Bradley (Second Term)

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Carrie McAnulty (Second Term)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
W. W. (Bill) Reeves (First Elective term)
Carolyn (Lusk) Reynolds

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:
Jessie Vick (Re-election)

FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. NO. 2:
Speck Sorrenson
Leon Newton (Re-election)
Stever Bledsoe

FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 4:
F. O. (Francis) Blake (Re-election)
Bob Melton
Eva Coleman

J. M. (Monroe) Blackwell
Zenor Summers
Tommy E. Foster

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE PREC. NO. 1:
Virgil A. Brown (First Elective Term)

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

Like to fish where fish bite the year 'round?

Then consider Alcoa Lake! When Alcoa Lake was opened to public fishing in July of 1954, there were many skeptics who claimed that fishing there wouldn't stand up for two years. Fishing pressure, they said, would kill off a lake that small in nothing flat.

However, by the fall of 1960, more than 215,000 game fish had been taken from Alcoa. Today it still shows no sign of wilting under the pressure.

Where is Alcoa Lake? Alcoa is located about 60 miles east of Austin. Built by the Aluminum Company of America, it serves as a giant radiator for the firm's big plant near Rockdale.

Actually, the lake is in two parts, separated by a dike and connected by a mile-long canal. Water from the "cool" side is pumped through the plant to keep the machinery from overheating. It comes out in what is called the "hot" side.

In total, Alcoa Lake is about 850 acres in size. Only the cool side, or about 650 acres, is available for public fishing.

No fee is required to fish at Alcoa. You can fish from sunrise to sunset. But for safety reasons no fishing is allowed at night.

This is one lake strictly for fishermen! No motor larger than 15 hp. is permitted. Water skiing is banned.

There is no natural inflow of water into Alcoa. That's one reason why Alcoa usually remains clear and fishable, even during the hardest downpours.

Water for the lake is pumped through a pipeline some 12 miles from the junction of the San Gabriel and Little rivers.

Although only the cool side is opened to fishing, biologists point to the hot side as the real key to Alcoa's success. They believe that fish spawn in the hotter side the year 'round, and that many fish migrate down the canal to be caught by fishermen in the cool half.

Actually, one of the most popular spots to fish is where the blockade cable is stretched across the mouth of the canal at the cool end. The cable is there to keep boats from moving up the canal and disturbing the fish.

There are two public fishing barges at Alcoa. Many people

fish off these barges, which have baited waters beneath them. But many more go out in boats to probe the shoreline weeds for catfish, bass and crappie.

Alcoa is one lake that doesn't fit the pattern of others. It offers fishing spring and fall, summer and winter. It stays good! Perhaps the flow of cool and warm water between the two parts has something to do with it.

Crappie fishing at Alcoa reaches its peak during the summer's two hottest months—July and August.

Many big bass are caught in the dead of winter, especially near the mouth of the canal.

To date the largest catfish taken from the lake is a 44-pounder. Several flathead (yellow) cats in the 30-plus class have been taken—all on sport-tackle. No trotline fishing is allowed.

Thus far, no really big bass have come from Alcoa. However, a couple of seven-pound-plus specimens have been caught. Ironically, both these were taken the same day.

Jack Lewis of Rockdale has the distinction of having caught the largest bass to come from Alcoa to date. But he admits that his record won't stand up for long.

Fred Smith, Gene Leonard Make Two Recordings

Fred Smith and Gene Leonard were at home over the weekend in the interest of their record, "Pretty Blue Jean Bait" and "Checked Continental Pants" which has just been released. Roland Pike and Fred Smith wrote the songs, and Gene Leonard is singing the lead. Hugh Smith is one of the background singers. It is on Locom label and is recorded under "Tad and the Smalfry."

Fred and Hugh are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and Gene is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Leonard of the Mattson community.

Brush Control Helps Native Pasture Grass

Your native pasture may be covered with a good growth of grass and still not be of the quality and quantity that it is capable of supporting, even with a good seed source present, according to Hinds A. McGowen, Jr., Soil Conservationist, Haskell. This condition exists because of mesquite brush infestation. Grassland will not produce as it should until the brush is controlled by some recommended methods.

Mesquite brush growing on turn rows or in pastures adjacent to cropland affects crop-growth to more than 50 feet distance into the field. Lateral root growth from mesquite is drawing needed moisture that otherwise would be available for crop usage. Native grasses are also competing for moisture with the mesquite brush, only on a larger scale. The lateral root system of mesquite trees may be so interlaced that in many instances the pattern could be compared to that of net wire. You can see by this type of root system that a tremendous amount of water is required to support mesquite life, McGowen stated.

Mesquite brush requires about 2000 pounds of water to produce one pound of growth. The same amount of water will produce about 12 times as much grass. Once mesquite brush is controlled and proper management of grassland is followed the grass, being nature's highest form of vegetation, will keep mesquite re-infestation in check.

Now is the time for farmers and ranchers to make plans for brush control work this spring. Cost-share assistance may be obtained through the ASCS or the Great Plains Program, McGowen stated.



GLENN LAWRENCE
Glenn Lawrence, tractor mechanic at Bule's, Stamford, who has just returned from a Diesel and Hydraulic Farmall Tractor School in Dallas. Lawrence says "today's tractors require special tools and work knowledge."

Conservation of Soil Gains Favor With Farmers

"Conservation Doesn't Cost—It Pays" has been the slogan of the Soil Conservation Districts of America and the Soil Conservation Service for many years, stated J. C. Yearly, Jr., Work Unit Conservationist of Haskell.

It is always interesting to see how much conservation is applied each year. During 1961 nearly 400 cooperators with the California Creek and the Wichita-Brazos Soil Conservation Service applied one or more conservation practices to prove again that "Conservation Doesn't Cost—It Pays."

Conservation cropping systems were established on about 7500 acres for the first time, 2400 additional acres were farmed on the contour. Approximately 1500 acres of winter cover and green manure were planted. This is far below the average acreage planted each year, Yearly stated.

Residue management was practiced on approximately 20,000 acres of land which contributed greatly in preventing dust storms. All small grain and maize stubble should be managed each year, Yearly said, to afford maximum protection of the soil from wind and water erosion.

Mesquite brush was controlled on nearly 3200 acres. Each acre of mesquite controlled, Yearly stated, affords great savings annually in water made available for the production of grass. In connection with the proper management of range and pasture grasses, approximately 6000 acres of grassland was grazed at an intensity that would leave half of the annual production of grass.

Three waterways were established in native grass for the safe disposal of outside water. One-half mile of diversions were constructed to aid in the control of water erosion, while 85 miles of terraces were constructed to aid in the control of water erosion on cropland.

Twenty farm ponds were constructed to provide adequate livestock water and to aid in the proper management of valuable grasslands.

Thirty-nine farmers and ranchers signed cooperative agreements with the Soil Conservation Districts. Conservation plans were developed on the 39 cooperators' farms or ranches which will bring about complete treatment of the land. Fifty-five cooperators revised their conservation plans during the year to bring about the sound treatment of the land.

1961 was a good year, any way you look at it, Yearly stated. Prospects for 1962 look much better. Much interest is evident in conservation work as more farmers and ranchers are requesting assistance from their Soil Conservation Districts through the Soil Conservation Service, Yearly concluded.

WHAT'S NEW?
It is a hollow lure, therefore very buoyant. A one-piece metal keel runs from the line terminal to the treble hook attachment on the tail. Keel provides not only strength but balance—and tremendous action, especially for casting or trolling.

Haskell Stores Sponsor \$ Day February 20th

February "Dollar Day" sponsored by Haskell merchants comes Tuesday, Feb. 20, only four weeks ahead of the first day of Spring.

The nearness of spring, with Easter not far behind, makes this month's Dollar Day an important event for budget-conscious shoppers.

Many of the stores cooperating in Dollar Day will be featuring some of the new spring and Easter merchandise on special sale for that day. This will afford thrifty shoppers an opportunity to make timely selections at reduced Dollar Day prices.

In addition to merchandise items for the family, many stores will feature articles for the home, the car, or the farm, all at reduced prices for one day only.

A four-page circular carrying a partial list of Dollar Day items offered by the cooperating stores will be mailed and distributed throughout the area this week.

Watch for your copy, and use it in making out your shopping list.

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