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## First Baptist Church Education Building Bid Is Below Budget

C. B. Oates Construction Company of Abilene was low bidder Thursday, March 13, at Haskell, on the Haskell First Baptist Church Education Building with a bid of \$185,400.00. The bid includes demolition of two existing structures and construction of the 15,200 square foot new education facilities. The budget set by the church was \$200,000.00 and preliminary estimate of construction last September by Architect Grady Cozby, Jr., of Abilene, was \$184,700.00, excluding demolition work.

The bid was approved by the church members Sunday, and demolition and new construction is expected to start March 25th, with expected completion in November, 1969. The church accepted five add alternates.

Low sub-contractors were Cecil Perry Plumbing, Abilene Air Conditioning, and Plovman Electric, all of Abilene. Other general contractors' bids were: Haney Construction Company, \$192,448.00; Rose & Sons, Inc., \$204,800.00; and Gabbart Construction Company, \$204,979.00, all of Abilene.

## Prattle

By AL HINDS



barber in Salem, Va., since has closed his shop... "he you can't tell the girls the boys anymore." It is the barber commented, "I'm sick of looking at people wondering what they are." "I'm going into the exterminator business," he said.

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Texas rancher had some made, and they turned to be too tight. The booter insisted on stretching of on your life!" said the her. "These boots are gony too tight. Every morn- ing I get out of bed I got a real some cows that busted in the night, and mend they tore down. All day I wash my ranch blow in dust. After supper I to the radio tell about the prices of feed and the low of beef, and all the time she is nagging me to move to the city. Man, when I get for bed and pull off these boots, that's the only one I get all day!"

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seven-year-old had gone with her father. After our of so, her dad asked, "You having any luck?" "I replied indignantly, "No, I think my worm is real- izing."

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day's food for thought: All water in the world, however I tried, could never, never a ship unless it got inside, the evil in the world, the best kind of sin, could nev- er you one least bit unless it in.

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very colorful brochure, "Flowers of Texas" re- leased by the Texas way Department, reveals there are more than 5,000 spe- cies of Texas wild flowers offer unlimited view- ing to Texans and visitors, a challenge to botanists strive to name and clas- sify them.

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reason for Texas' abun- dant of blossoming plants varieties than any other can be credited to the diversity of Texas geog- raphy. Nature is never at a to provide plants for every of environment, and the graphy of Texas covers a spectrum of physical set-

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recently in an address before an session of the Texas ature, Attorney General Ford Martin called upon us to uphold the concept of individual responsibility for in- dividual acts against society. He said as surely as the defend- ers of the Alamo were under- stood when Texans declared independence, so are Tex- ans since now, he said, by "brain trust" that says that lers and looters aren't re- sible for their action at all, that a sick society is to be.

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the same philosophy pre- valent in regard to the common who breaks the law as occupation, and the junior revolutionist who breaks law as a fad," Martin point-

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Attorney General said the most fashionable idea in ica today is to build up a guilt complex for all the of humanity. He rejects as a group," Martin said, "deserve some of the blame the problems of our nation. We simply cannot abandon concept of individual re- sponsibility for individual acts and lose the battle for law order."

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ies: "You must have long- term goals to keep you from frustrated by short-range ones" - Charles C. Noble, "My men have been capable of doing a wise thing, more a doing a thing, but very few a doing a thing" - Alexander



KATHARYN DUFF

## Katharyn Duff To Speak Here Tonight, Thurs.

Katharyn Duff, Abilene Reporter News Assistant Editor, and Page One columnist, will be the guest speaker tonight, Thursday, March 20th, at the Elementary P-TA meeting.

Tonight's activities will officially get underway at 7:00 at the Elementary School, at which time parents are welcome to visit their child's room to observe evidence of learning, and to visit briefly with the teacher.

A special invitation is extended to "Dads", who ordinarily are unable to attend the customary day-time meeting of the P-TA.

At 7:45 p. m. the program begins in the lunch room and following Miss Duff's address, refreshments will be served during the social hour.

Miss Duff recently was presented the coveted John H. Keeter Award at Hardin-Simmons University's Homecoming Alumni Luncheon. Hardin-Simmons annually presents the award to the alumna who through his, or her particular field of endeavor, has contributed most to the betterment of the University.

Miss Duff completed her studies at Hardin-Simmons in 1936 and prior to joining the Reporter News staff she taught school at Rotan, Fort Stockton, and Abilene High School.

During her 26 years as a newspaper woman, she has worked every reporter's beat in the city of Abilene, acted as wife editor, city editor and women's editor. She also wrote the newspaper's editorials in 1960-61.

## Wintry Blast Deposits Six Inches of Snow

Haskell received a taste of real winter weather last weekend, as a drizzle which fell most all day Friday turned into heavy showers early Saturday morning, followed by snow and sleet, plus more snow and rain Saturday night, Sunday, and Monday.

The heavy, wet flakes of snow which fell most of the day Saturday, measured six inches. A total of 2.37 inches of moisture was gauged from the drizzle, rain, snow and sleet, according to Sam Herren, "The Weatherman".

Highways 277 and 24 through Haskell County remained open, but hazardous driving conditions were issued by the Texas Highway Department for Saturday and Saturday night.

Although the conglomeration of drizzle, rain, snow and sleet created "sloppy" weather conditions, Haskell County farmers were jubilant over the soil, soaking moisture.

## Absentee Voting Underway In City, School Election

Absentee voting in the school trustee and city election got underway Monday, March 17th, and will continue through Monday, March 31. At press time one absentee ballot had been cast in the city election.

Both the city and school trustee elections are set for Saturday, April 5th.

Very little interest is being shown in the Haskell Independent School District Trustee Election, since only two trustees are to be elected and only two candidates' names, Dr. J. F. Cadenhead and Jimmy Medley, appear on the ballot.

The "old political pot", however, is beginning to simmer in the city election with four candidates, Bill Holden, Frank Jenkins, Raymond Davis and John Thomas, seeking two council seats. Holden and Thomas are running for re-election.



FRED C. ELLIOTT



BEVERLY G. REEVES

## Cotton Production Meeting Is Slated Tuesday Night, March 25

Haskell County Agricultural Agent Max E. Stapleton announced today there will be a cotton production meeting on Tuesday, March 25th, 7:30 p. m., in the District Courtroom on the second floor of the Haskell County Courthouse.

All Haskell County cotton farmers and interested persons are invited to attend, Stapleton said.

Agricultural Extension Service Specialists that will be on hand to conduct the meeting will be Fred C. Elliott, Cotton Specialist; Emory P. Boring III, Area III Entomologist, and Beverly G. Reeves, Cotton Ginning and Mechanization Specialist.

The topics that will be discussed by the specialists will be weed control, varieties, harvesting and insect control.

There will be new and up-to-date information discussed about each topic, so mark your calendar for March 25th, 7:30 p. m., Haskell County Courtroom, and plan to attend the cotton meeting.

Charles Thornhill, president of the Haskell Jaycees, will serve as Crusade Chairman, with Jaycees assisting with the fund drive.

Mrs. Jim Medley was named as publicity chairman.

## Murder Trial Is Set Here March 24th

The murder trial of 21-year-old Melito Perez, of Haskell, has been set for Monday, March 24th, in Judge Ben Charles Chapman's 39th Judicial Court.

Perez is charged with the murder in the shooting death of Domingo Villa, 27, of Haskell. The shooting occurred at a trailer court in Haskell on Thanksgiving night, November 28th, 1968, and Villa died at 5:00 a. m., Friday, November 29th, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene.

Perez was billed by the Grand Jury in Haskell, in session January 7th, 1969, with murder a- forethought for killing Domingo Villa by shooting him with a gun, on or about November 28, 1968.

District Attorney Royce Adkins, of Haskell, will present the state's case and Clay Coggins of Roby will represent Perez.

## Country Club Is Sponsoring Bridge Tournney

The Haskell Country Club is sponsoring a bridge tournament Friday, March 28th. Non-members are invited.

The tournament will get underway at 6:30 p. m., and as many as possible should start at this time; however, if there are those who are unable to begin play at 6:30, they still will be able to play.

Entry fee will be \$1.00 per person. For further information contact Pete Frierson.

## Final Rites Held For Billie Gene Freeman

Billie Gene Freeman, 37, passed away Monday morning in Haskell Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

Funeral was held at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday at Holden-McCauley Funeral Chapel with the Rev. H. O. Abbott, pastor of First United Methodist Church, and the Rev. Troy Culpepper, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

She was born January 21, 1932, in Alvord.

Survivors include her father, R. H. Freeman of Haskell; two brothers, John G. and Robert L. of Haskell.

Palbearers were J. W. Wheeler, Chester Cunningham, Buford Cox, Slover Bledsoe, Hubert Bledsoe and Jesse Dean.

## Jury Answers Issues Favorable To Plaintiff

Case No. 8517 styled Edwin L. Brown, et al. vs. South Builders, Inc., which got underway here on Tuesday of last week in Judge Ben Charles Chapman's 39th District Court, finally ground to a halt Monday around 11:00 p. m. after a week-long proceedings.

The suit grew out of a sub-contract on Highway 24 between Haskell and Rule.

The jurors answers to 37 special issues were favorable to the Plaintiff.

Dennis Ratliff, of Haskell, and David's Herne of Austin, represented the Plaintiff.

D. D. Crawford, of Dallas, and Pat Andrews of Stamford, represented South Builders, Inc.

Jurors were Bobby Howard, John Thomas, Worth Green, Clyde Grice, D. S. Gotthard, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Chester Abbott, K. K. Kirkpatrick, Roy Ammonette, Roy Fought, T. C. Bursors and Allen Strickland, foreman.

## Who Is Mary Jane, Miss Emma, Harry? Emma, Harry?

Have you heard someone talking about Mary Jane, Miss Emma, and Harry lately?

If you have, most likely these people have some knowledge about drugs. To find out what effects Miss Emma, Harry and Mary Jane have on the human body and mind, be sure to attend the drug and narcotic program, Tuesday, March 25, 7:30 p. m., at the Haskell High auditorium.

This program is sponsored by the Home Demonstration Council Triple "E" Committee.

Mrs. Floyd L. Rogers will introduce the key speaker for the evening's program, Jim G. Smith, of Mineral Wells, with the Department of Public Safety, who will present a film on drugs and narcotics, "Sight and Sound".

Following the film, a question and answer period will be held. Serving on the answer panel will be Dr. Frank Cadenhead, Albert Johnson, Garth Garrett, Bob Connel and Harold Wood.

Parents are invited to bring their children to this educational program.

## Mrs. Terry Diggs Lions Speaker Tuesday Noon

"Why not make a school again for children?" Mrs. Terry M. Diggs, Haskell High School Speech teacher, told members of the Lions Club at the Tuesday noon-day luncheon meeting at Felker's Restaurant dining room.

Hugh Ratliff was in charge of the program, and introduced the speaker.

"We live in a changing world and face a generation gap. Sixteen and seventeen-year-old boys and girls should be guided," Mrs. Diggs said.

Mrs. Diggs expressed thanks to Lions for their donation to the Haskell High School Library, and closed her remarks by quoting from Kathryn Marshall: "Every person is placed on earth to make this world a little better."

During a short business session the club voted to donate \$50.00 to sponsor a boy to "Boys' State".

Bud Herren presided over the meeting. Wallace Cox Jr. led the singing, with Judy Therwanger at the piano. Frank Martin gave the invocation.

## Former Haskell Resident Named Pioneer Gas VP

C. J. (Jack) Gholson, of Amarillo, former Haskell resident, brother of Buster Gholson and Mrs. Walter Hadley, of Haskell, and Buford Gholson, of Rochester, has been named new vice-president of finance for Pioneer Natural Gas Company.

Gholson is the first person to hold the office, which has just been created by the company. He has been the assistant to the executive vice-president since May, 1967.

Mr. Gholson first joined the Pioneer family in 1949 when he went to work for Amarillo Oil Company as an Assistant Auditor. He transferred to Pioneer Natural in 1954 and in 1957 was named Assistant Manager of Corporate Taxes. He held the position of Assistant Vice-president since May of 1967.

Gholson has served the Company continuously since 1949 except for four years spent in the Army as a Data Processing Officer. He achieved the rank of Captain during his hitch.

A Certified Public Accountant, Jack has been a member of the American Institute of CPA's since November of 1956. He has served as treasurer of the Trinity Baptist Church for the past nine years, and has been treasurer of the Panhandle Baptist Foundation for the past four years.

He and his wife, Bettye Jo, have one daughter, Twyla Lynn, age 10. The family resides at 1508 South Bowie in Amarillo.

## Rotarians Hear C of C Manager Rex Felker

Rex Felker, Haskell Chamber of Commerce Manager, spoke to members of the Rotary Club last Thursday at the noon-day luncheon meeting at Felker's Restaurant dining room. Bob Philpot was in charge of the program, and introduced the speaker.

Felker pointed out some of the highlights of the Chamber of Commerce activities.

"Our most urgent concern at present is our water supply; re-routing of Highway 277; lack of industry and a landing strip for air traffic," Felker said.

"We are in search of industry, and plans are well underway for the 1969 Haskell County Fair, which will be held here September 25, 26 and 27th," Felker said.

In a short business session, the club voted to render financial assistance to a local needy family.

Guests noted were Hollis Haynes, Rotarian, of Stamford; H. T. Fillingim, of Captain, New Mexico; Pat Hale, of Haskell, and Haskell High School senior student guests, Laura Sampson and Pam Burson.

Eldon Anderson presided over the meeting. Bob Herren lead the singing with Mrs. Henry Withers at the piano. Invocation was given by C. A. Thom- as.

## Contested Race In Rule School Trustee Election

Two places are to be filled at the Rule Independent School District Trustee election on April 5. L. W. Jones, Jr., present board president, and Cecil Lewis will be the out-going trustees.

Incumbent Lewis will again seek the post, along with Sam Turner and Joe Mathis.

Lewis, Turner and Mathis are all local farmers. The remaining trustees are Roy Dean Smith, Jack Wilcox, Ed T. Fouts, Delbert LeFevre and Leon Stegemoeller.

## Teenage, College Students Dance Friday Night

A Teenage and College Student dance featuring "George" from Abilene, will be held Friday night, March 21, from 8:30 day night, 12:00 p. m., at the Corral Building in Haskell.

The dance is being sponsored by the Haskell Jaycees.

## PUBLIC MEETING SLATED TONIGHT AT COURTHOUSE

A public meeting for discussion of all types of law enforcement problems will be held tonight, Thursday, March 20, at 7 o'clock in the Haskell County Courthouse. Purpose of the meeting is to afford citizens opportunity to ask questions and express their opinions concerning law enforcement.

The Haskell meeting will be one of a series of five being sponsored by members of the Council of Governments' Advisory Committee on Law Enforcement Planning. Meetings are scheduled in each of the five regions into which the Council of Governments' 17-county area is divided. The local meeting is being sponsored by members of the Advisory Committee representing Region 3—Haskell, Kent, Knox, Stone-wall and Throckmorton counties. They are Knox County Independent School District, Principal Ward Cooksey, Knox City; County Judge of Kent County, Bob Gallagher; Jayton; City

Secretary Ira Hester, Haskell; Texas Ranger Homer Melton, Benjamin and Richie Smith of Munday.

Representatives of the Council's law enforcement planning consultant firm, Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Company, and the Council staff will explain purposes and scope of the planning. It embraces, but is not limited to, administration of criminal justice, juvenile problems, rehabilitation of criminals, parole, jail facilities, training of law enforcement officers, and communications and cooperation among local, county and state law enforcement officials.

The planning is being done in cooperation with the Texas Criminal Justice Council of which Governor Preston Smith is chairman. It is being financed from a block grant of funds allotted the State of Texas by the U. S. Department of Justice under provisions of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968.

## Inclement Weather Fails To Halt The Second Annual Trail Drive

Despite four days of drizzle, rain, six inches of snow, and sleet, Haskell County's Second Annual Trail Drive went off in grand style here Monday, March 17th.

One-hundred and ten head of cattle belonging to Allen Overton were "headed-out" from the Midway community northwest of Haskell, "western-style" and moved over-land through downtown Haskell to the Haskell Livestock Auction, a distance of eight miles.

When the herd reached the Livestock Auction, the cattle were penned and a free barbecue was served to the drovers and to all on hand.

The "slush and mud" didn't seem to bother the large number of persons who gathered at the Livestock Auction grounds to watch the arrival of the herd at 2:30 p. m. Many cars lined the highway and the Auction grounds were bustling with activity.

Thirteen mounted riders participated in the old-fashioned cattle drive in "living color". Following the trail drive on Monday, a special "wheatfield cattle sale" was held at the Haskell Livestock Auction, Tuesday, March 18th, at 1:00 p. m.

## Three Persons Injured In Rural Accidents In County During Feb.

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated five accidents on rural highways in Haskell County during the month of February, according to Sergeant Frank Jircek, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in three persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$2,675.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first two months of 1969 shows a total of 13 accidents resulting in no persons killed, nine persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$7,140.00.

"Windy" March is here. Pedestrians and drivers can be temporarily blinded by blowing dust or sand...long enough for a hazardous situation to develop and lead to an accident. The reduction of visibility can cause a head-on collision, a rear-end collision, or a run-off roadway type of accident.

The sergeant said, "Be alert and prepared for these dangers of gusty winds and reduced visibility."

## Board Members of Chamber Of Commerce Hold Busy Session

Board members of the Chamber of Commerce met at 7:00 a. m. Tuesday, March 18, in the banquet room of Felker's Restaurant with president, Joe Williams, in charge of the business session.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by the manager and approved by the board.

The president devoted a few minutes of time to committee assignments for the chamber program of work for 1969.

A special meeting of the Executive Board, composed of President Williams, C. O. Holt, first vice president; Bob Philpot, second vice president; Albert Johnson, treasurer, and manager Rex Felker, met for a breakfast session at 7:00 a. m. on Wednesday, March 19. Committee chairmen and additional committee workers were appointed at that time.

Mrs. Luther Burkett announced she had received information that "we were still on the priority list for a Junior College and that renewed work would begin in the near future on this project."

Mrs. Burkett, chairman of the annual Haskell County Cotton Queen Contest, set a tentative date for this year's pageant for July 11th.

Due to the early date set for the annual county fair, Sept. 25, 26 and 27, it was decided that it would be best to stage both the Cotton Queen contest and the Hey Day Pageant in July. Also, the possibility that Haskell could be selected as the site for perhaps a regional or state playoff in Little League Baseball and a state playoff in teenage, were factors in the decision to stage the pageants in July.

Tom Watson gave a report on the present status of the pending water bill in Austin and announced that it was in the hopper.

James Powell reported on the cattle trail drive held on Monday, March 17, in conjunction with the wheat field cattle sale, held on Tuesday, March 18, at the Haskell livestock auction.

Present for the meeting: Joe Williams, C. O. Holt, Bob Philpot, Albert Johnson, Abe Turner, Mrs. Luther Burkett, Mrs. Opal Adkins, Bud Herren, Bud Pogue, Tom Watson, James Powell, Charles McCauley, Charles Thornhill and manager, Rex Felker.

## Haskellites Hear Facts Concerning "Weather And Cloud Formations"

Sponsored by the Haskell Young Homemakers, C. E. Stiehler, noted Abilene weather advisor, spoke to some fifty persons at the Haskell Elementary School Auditorium here Thursday night, March 13th.

Mrs. Betty McBroom, program chairman for the club, introduced Mr. Stiehler as the "best known voice in this area". Stiehler began by noting that on the same date, March 13, 1953, that Knox City had its terrible tornado occurrence, one that he could distinctly remember. It was shortly after the

San Angelo and Waco tornadoes of that same year that a professor in that area traced tornado disturbance by radar action. This new method proved reliable for tornado detection.

Texas became the first state in the nation to use radar in tornado seasons. The national headquarters entitled ESSA (Environmental and Science Services Administration) was established around 1954 and its center located in Kansas City, Missouri. People began to re- (Cont. on Back Page, Sec. 1)

# NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## Christian Church Missionary Society Meets

The Missionary Society of the First Christian Church met on Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Dennis P. Ratliff. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Lynn Pace Jr.

Mrs. Patsy Cobb, president, presided over the business session, and a good report was given by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. O. Holt.

Mrs. Cobb gave the devotion from 2 Kings, 6-17, as her main thought... open his eyes, that he may see.

Mrs. Luther Burkett brought the lesson on Africa. The group heard of the good work being carried out by Robert and Phyllis Mills; the Gordon Nelsons, and Dorothy Nichols.

The Lord's business is big business in all nations and the prayers and support are needed by all Missionaries. South Africa produces one-half of the world's supply of gold. South Africa is more like the Great Southwest. Nigeria has more people than any other division of Africa. Nigeria also is the "worst pest hole" for yellow fever. The climate is very hot and humid.

The group closed the meeting with the Missionary benediction.

A social hour was enjoyed by members and visitors present. Mrs. Ratliff invited the group in the dining room where a beautiful table was spread.

Sandwiches, chips, nuts, cake, coffee and spiced tea were served to Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Miss Madalin Hunt, Miss Martha Meadors, Mrs. Russell Morrow, Mrs. Luther Burkett, Mrs. George W. Fouts, Mrs. Patsy Cobb, Mrs. C. O. Holt, Mrs. Grace Murphy, Mrs. Jackie

Young, Mrs. Mike Abbott, Mrs. Travis Clopton, Mrs. Lynn Pace, Jr., Mrs. J. M. Glass, Mrs. James E. Crawford, the hostess, Mrs. Dennis Ratliff, and a visitor, Mrs. Virgil Meadors Jr., of Munday.

## Longoria-Ramos Wedding Vows Read March 15

Diana May Longoria, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Longoria of Rule, became the bride of Manuel D. Ramos, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Ramos, Sr., of Gorcee, on Saturday, March 15, at 3 p. m., in the First Methodist Church of Rule.

The Rev. Mike Herrington, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the marriage vows. She was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Edward D. Fisk of Fort Worth, sister of the bride, was soloist and Matron of Honor. She wore a long blue satin dress with short sleeves. Her headpiece was of blue satin and net and she carried a white rose. Molly Ramos of Gorcee, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Her dress was a long blue taffeta with lace. Her flower and headpiece was identical to the matron of honor.

Best man was Oscar Joe Ramos of Wichita Falls and groomsmen was Arthur Ramos of Gorcee.

The bride wore a long white organza dress with short sleeves. She carried white roses. Her headpiece was of Spanish lace.

Connie Reyes and Dora Torres hosted the reception at the Philadelphian Clubhouse.

The bride attended Rule High School. The groom is a graduate of Rule High School and is now serving in the United States Army.

## Mrs. Kenneth Lane Winner In Cookbook Contest

Mrs. Kenneth Lane, of Haskell, was named as one of the winners in the "Cookbook Contest", sponsored by the Wichita Falls Times, Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Lane's winning recipe, "Pork Chops and Rice Recipe" was printed in the Sunday, March 16th edition of the Times "Kitchen Cookbook Section", as follows:

**Pork Chops And Rice**  
1 can onion soup  
1 can cream of chicken soup  
1 cup raw rice  
1 cup water  
Salt and pepper pork chops  
Put rice in casserole. Add pork chops and pour other ingredients over meat. Cover and cook one hour. Uncover and cook 15 minutes.

## Little Girls Find Spring's In Fashion

This year, little girls will find Spring's in fashion for them. Along with the traditional pretty, ruffled Easter dress with full skirt, frilly collar and cuffs, there will be a myriad of bewitching looks to choose from—a veritable fashion explosion of color, fabric and style.

Three major color tones will make their appearance this Spring. Soft cotton candy pastels like coral, blue, mauve, melon and apricot will be in full force. New neutrals like cadet gray, frosty chamois and off-white will spark new interest in these perennial favorites. And the tri-color, those grand old patriotic colors of red, white and blue will make a come-back in snappy new outfits with a nautical or sporty look.

Little girls will look more romantic than ever in sheer voiles, dotted Swiss, lenos and cotton lawns. But, according to Cinderella, makers of fashions for little girls, textures are also coming up strong with puckers leading the way with the crinkled ribbon look. Knits will be soft and loopy, extra-spectacular with new texture. Cottons in chambray, couverts or shirting weights confirm the haberdashery look this season. Linens will perform importantly in rayon blends and heavier cottons such as piques, matelasses and jacquards. And, of course, that super-great performer, permanent press, will be increasingly evident.

The password for this Spring's fashions is individuality. Pocahontas or Juliet, Gypsy, Spanish Gaucho or Victoriana Peasant—any little girl will be able to choose from this great new costume looks. Styles will range from the beruffled and bewitching romantic look to dashing sport separates like a trimmed bolero over a contrasting shirt and skirt.

High fit 'n flare silhouette, bold unusual prints, new midriff interest—in short, everything big girls' fashion has this year, little girls will have too—and more!

## Mary SS Class Holds Business Social Session

Thursday evening, March 13, at 3:00 p. m. the Mary Sunday School Class, of the First Baptist Church met in the Fellowship Hall for their monthly meeting, with Mrs. Bonnie Buntyn, president, presiding.

Mrs. Walter Rogers led the group in singing, "Did You Think to Pray," also "Our Best," with Mrs. Ed Fouts at the piano.

Opening prayer was voiced by Mrs. Jim Fouts. Minutes were read by Mrs. Wilma Brown. Mrs. D. A. Jones, card chairman, gave a report on cards sent.

The group voted to change the meeting from 3:00 to 2:30 p. m. each first Thursday in the month.

Mrs. Jim Fouts brought a thoughtful and interesting devotional, using as her subject the 8th Psalm, and Acts 4th chapter. She closed by reading a poem, "The Soul of a Child."

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Ed Fouts. Mrs. J. H. Reding was in charge of the recreation. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ed Fouts and Mrs. C. C. Middleton, Group No. 1, to the



# FUTURE HOMEMAKERS of AMERICA

## Better Home and Community Living

The winsome lass above, representing her more than 74,000 sister FHA'ers in Texas, is appearing on billboards all across the State in observance of National FHA Week, March 23-29, 1969. This salute to the contribution made by these young people to their homes and communities is sponsored by the Future Homemakers of America, Texas Association, and rural electric cooperatives. The Outdoor Companies of the State are donating the sign space for the showing.

## Haskell Garden Club Observes "Guest Day"

With Mrs. C. B. Rhea, president, presiding, the Haskell Garden Club met Thursday, March 13, at 4:00 p. m. in the community room of the Haskell National Bank.

The March 13th meeting was observed as "guest day" and each member introduced her guest, or guests.

Program leader for the day, Mrs. Ed Hester introduced Mrs. Marvin Stanford, of Stamford, who in turn presented a program on "Driftwood and Driftwood Arrangements."

She displayed many interesting pieces of driftwood, in addition to a large number of beautiful driftwood arrangements.

Mrs. Stanford pointed out there are numerous kinds of driftwood to be found in various places which may be used in many ways.

Mrs. Stagner, also of Stamford, accompanied Mrs. Stanford to Haskell to help set-up the driftwood display.

Announcement was made that a "call" business session will be held prior to the next regular meeting, April 10th.

Refreshments were served to members, Mesdames Ed Fouts, Ira Davis, Kenneth Thornton, R. L. Lemmon, S. P. Kuestler, Jetty V. Clare, E. L. Wyche,

following members: Mmes. Jess Jossilet, Walter Rogers, Jim Fouts, E. E. Buntyn, J. H. Reding, D. A. Jones, W. E. Adkins, John McMillin, Wilma Brown, Sam Cobb, E. J. Couch, Ed Fouts.

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## Party Perfect



Her first real party... where the boys pull her pigtails and tease her about her dimples. She's all in a dither about what to wear... but you'll set her straight. A little feminine coquette of a dress by Cinderella in leno voile. Side-wrapped and sashed at the waist in a huge bow. With a cape collar and armholes edged in frilly lace for that pretty girl feeling.

## Tower Drive-In Theatre RULE, TEXAS

4-BIG DAYS—Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat., March 19, 20, 21, 22



SUN., MON., TUES., March 23, 24, 25



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## Happy Birthday Club Meets In Johnson Home

The Happy Birthday Club met March 14th in the home of Mrs. W. E. Johnson, wife of Daniels, hostess. The meeting was called to order by president, Eva Pearsey.

Sallie Patterson led a group in singing, "The Valley". Roll call was given "with what we do for others". A report was given from the committee on sick; visits made and sent.

The project for April will work to be done at the Center. Pal names drawn, to be revealed in July.

Doris Hannsz had charge of the program and gave a report on "Easter".

Refreshments were served by the hostess, to the following members: Lil Davis, Mrs. E. Johnson, Eva Pearsey, ma Bland, Sallie Bland, Doris Hannsz, Essie Bland, hostess and one visitor, Larned.

Next meeting will be April 11 in the home of Woodson.

## Junior Food Project Group Holds Meeting

The Junior 4-H Food Project group held their regular meeting Monday afternoon, March 11, after school. Unit 1 made peach delight, orangeade, and iced sandwiches.

The girls in Unit 2 prepared muffins, tossed salad and chicken.

There were ten girls and adult leaders present.

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## Time Out For Beauty

By Dorothy Gray

### Gifts From The Sea

Since time immemorial, people have fished into the sea and gotten a whole lot more out of it than just fish. Phenicians made their famous purple dye from a sea snail; sponges taken from the deep served as the leading cleaning utensil for the

Creek housewife. Ancient ladies were adorned with sea jewelry—corals and pearls, as well as tortoise shell and mother-of-pearl ornaments. Even the mammoth whale contributed to midlady's elegance—yielding ambergris—a fluid used as the base for expensive perfume.

Now beauty, too, has received a very generous gift from the sea. And its discovery was very un-cosmetic indeed. For many years, lobstermen—particularly those off the coast of Maine—had done their rough work with paradoxically smooth-handed results. When it was found that many of them handled and harvested marine algae (sometimes called Irish Moss; commonly known as seaweed) researchers looked into the question: if seaweed could have such smoothing effects on tough-handed fishermen, what couldn't it do for the skin of women?

The resultant answer was Satura Algene—the beauty gift from the generous sea. What does Satura Algene do? It clings to the skin and forms a film that reinforces the skin's natural protein by locking in the moisture that is removed during cleansing and aging. This film also isolates the skin from the effects of climate and forms a barrier between the skin and pore-clogging cosmetics. Its light silky texture works like a vanishing cream and is absorbed in minutes; the skin then develops a velvety texture, wrinkles are minimized, and the user has a smoother, fresher appearance.

Though many underwater riches have already been discovered, people are still dipping in for fun and profit. Texans are tapping the deep in hopes of striking huge supplies of oil, and miners have already found large gem deposits in the briny. The gifts from the aquatic grab bag just keep a-coming!

## Weinert Matrons Club Meets In Mayfield Home

Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday, March 13th, for a regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. Mrs. R. W. Raynes was elected delegate to the spring convention in Sweetwater. Mrs. Bill King was elected alternate delegate.

Mrs. Bill King was also elected to the office of first vice president.

Date of the March 27th meeting was changed to March 20th. Mrs. C. T. Jones and Mrs. R. W. Raynes were speakers on these subjects, "Leaders For a Greater Texas" and "Texas Under Six Flags".

Thirteen members attended, including Mrs. C. T. Jones, Mrs. Bill King, Mrs. R. C. Liles, Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, Mrs. Fred Monke, Mrs. R. W. Raynes, Mrs. Henry Vojkufka, Mrs. C. N. Struck, Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. V. C. Derr and Mrs. R. W. Anderson.

Mrs. Mayfield served a refreshment plate of open-faced sandwiches, cookies and punch.

## Weinert FHA Chapter Holds Regular Meet

The Weinert F.H.A. Chapter met March 11th in the Home-making Department. Judy Gray was in charge of the program, entitled, "Health and You." Mrs. Elizabeth Acree, school nurse, talked to the group about nursing.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Amy Dunnam. Sheila Dutton called the roll and read the minutes. Alexia Mayfield lead the group in song.

Answering the roll call were Donna Adams, Brenda Boone, Wilene Bredthauer, Loretta Caddell, Joann Caddell, Sheila Dutton, Amy Dunnam, Doris Davis, Betty Edwards, Judy Gray, Debbie Campbell, Kathy and Sue Hager, Kathy Grimes, Judy Offutt, Janice Sanders, Debbie Struck, Alexia Mayfield, Pauletta Wilfong, Caron Guess, Dorothy Freely, Nan Reeves, and Janice Rainey.

Guests included Mrs. R. J. Rainey, Mrs. Glenn Caddell, Mrs. J. O. Davis, Mrs. J. A. Mayfield and Mrs. Andy Wilfong.

Mrs. Walter Hadley, Chapter Advisor, was also present for the meeting.

ert Matrons To Honor Dunnam

According to the pres- Mrs. M. W. Phemister, the time of the Weinert Club has been changed to Saturday, March 20, at 7:00 p. m., at the Weinert

Dunnam, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Dunnam, of will be honored at the

Dunnam was first place of the Soil Conservation District (Wichita-Brazos) contest, sponsored by the Soil Conservation District.

ford Young Homemakers To Musical

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Walk Instead of Jog, Advises Podiatrist

World tensions getting you down? Try walking it off. A foot specialist says that the gentle art of walking is nature's best tranquilizer.

"Not only is walking a muscle-toner, it is also a tension reliever," claims Dr. Leo N. Liss, Associate Clinical Professor of Podiatry, Department of Medicine, University of California Medical School, San Francisco.

"Walking works in a psychological way to soothe the frayed nerves. It helps work your problems down to size."

Dr. Liss believes that the melancholia that afflicts so many Americans is the result of too little activity. When a man sits still, the specialist said, the mind turns inward and magnifies one's problems.

"This observation parallels what history tells us about our greatest creative people," the foot specialist said.

Mozart said his favorite time to compose was while walking after eating. Goethe walked a lot. Mark Twain was a "pacer."

Dr. Liss points out that walking is so desirable because it brings into activity most of the body. Perhaps the most

important part of the anatomy involved is the big toe. With each step the entire weight of the body is concentrated on it, and it serves to propel the body forward.

One can tell whether he is making use of the big toe properly by the wear of the shoe. If most of the wear is toward the outer part of the sole, he is not walking with proper balance.

As far as jogging is concerned, Dr. Liss noted that jogging has become more popular than ever since an article, "Aerobics," appeared in the magazine, "Readers Digest."

"Aerobics," the doctor says, "simply means building up the body by means of exercise which develops the use of oxygen. However, the question arises whether jogging or other aerobic exercises might be too severe for the average person."

Some people are physically able to jog or to perform any of the other violent exercises suggested in the article and others are not, Dr. Liss contends. One must be careful not to overtax the apparatus which supplies oxygen-carrying blood to the many parts of the body," he says.

Quality, that is eating quality of beans is measured by the absence of strings, the tenderness of the pod and by the flavor when you taste them.

You'll find that all of the newer varieties measure up to these standards. So why continue to grow the same variety your grandfather did?

Northern gardeners will do well to protect young plants of perennials with a light weight, non-packing mulch which admits air.

Such materials as straw, evergreen boughs, salt hay or tobacco stems may be used, depending on their availability.

When you're ordering seeds, turn to the back of the catalog and explore the listing of sundries.

Every gardener needs some of these, but others, while not necessities, are a real convenience. Why not treat yourself to a few like weatherproof pencils for marking on plant labels, or some sturdy plant supports?

Moisture is of utmost importance in the garden. During winter look over your lot to make certain none is running off in erosion, rather than seeping into the soil.

Rule Women Attend District Garden Club Meet

Mrs. Alma Allen and Mrs. Joe W. Cloud attended the Spring Meeting of District VIII Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., at Sweetwater March 5th.

Highlights of the meeting included club presidents' reports, a talk by the president of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., Mrs. E. O. Barton of Houston, announcements of district awards for 1968-69, and a delightful exhibition of creative abstract and creative naturalistic designs in flower arrangement by Mrs. C. E. Courtney, National Flower Show Master Judge of Arlington.

She illustrated her lecture with an exhibit of some fifteen interesting interpretations showing that "Flowers Can".

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Tuesday: Porcupine meat balls, buttered corn, English peas, cabbage slaw, rolls, butter, Jello, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, seasoned lima beans, potato chips, peach cobbler, milk.

Thursday: Hot tamales, pinto beans, buttered spinach, pine-apple-prune salad, cornbread, butter, ice cream, milk.

Friday: Salmon croquettes, mashed potatoes, green beans, tossed green salad, rolls, butter, refrigerator cookies, milk.

Teen-Age Thievery reports. Although many teenagers are said to steal cars for joy-rides, almost a third of all recovered cars have been stripped and badly damaged.

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Prepare soil thoroughly before sowing seeds. Start fertilizing with a starter solution poured over newly planted seeds. Continue to fertilize every 2 or 3 weeks.

Keep dead and faded flowers picked or cut them off regularly so plants will produce more flowers.

And water deeply, thoroughly, when there is no rain for a week.

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# VIETNAM VIEW

(As reported by Marine Corps Combat Correspondents and edited by Sgt. Ed Mitschke)

Third Marine Division infantrymen operating northwest of the Ashau Valley in South Vietnam are discovering that the enemy is using some unusual weapons.

A 16-man patrol from 9th Marine Regiment, discovered an

enemy arms cache that included six 1936 vintage French service rifles, four hand-made crossbows and two spears.

"We found the weapons hidden under a large North Vietnamese Army (NVA) living hut," said Cpl. Charlie Brown, Nashville, Tenn., the patrol leader.

Although none of the men of the patrol had ever seen the enemy employ the antique weapons in combat, they all felt that they could be effective.

Lance Cpl. Leroy Fanning, Cincinnati, Ohio, theorized that the enemy might have used the crossbows and spears to hunt game.

The spears were made from long wooden shafts and had sharp cutting edges on each side. The crossbows were skillfully handcrafted from polished wood and each had a bamboo quiver containing small arrows of thin slivers of bamboo. The arrow points varied from blunt ends to barbs, and sharp points that were cut from the shaft itself.

Although small, the crossbows proved to be very effective. Fanning fired one of the thin wooden shafts at a tree and the arrow buried itself deeply in the hardwood tree trunk.

"I sure wouldn't want to get hit with one of them," said Fanning.

For infantrymen in the field it is sometimes impossible to get to the dentist. Members of 3rd Dental Company have alleviated this problem by traveling to where the patients are in the field.

A two-man mobile unit, consisting of dental officer, Lt. Cmdr. R. C. Turhane, Salem, Ore., and Dental Technician Third Class L. Geringer, South English, Iowa, travels around the 3rd Marine Division area to provide dental care for Marines operating in the field.

"We got the idea after talking to several Marines who had come in from the field for dental treatment," explained Dr. Turhane. "We learned of the

time lost in traveling back and forth from the field and decided to do the traveling ourselves."

After arriving at a field location, it's just a matter of choosing a site and a few minutes later the clinic is open for business. Their equipment consists only of a small dental chair with head rest and a dental first aid kit.

Besides performing extractions and temporary fillings, the two-man team also makes routine dental check-ups and distributes new toothbrushes to the men to replace their old and worn-out ones.

## Darrell Sorrells Is Named Rule's Top Citizen

Rule service station owner, Darrell Sorrells was honored as Rule's outstanding citizen of the year Tuesday night at the annual Rule Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

Outstanding woman of the year was Mrs. Clyde Laughlin, who was cited for the help she gives to the older citizens of Rule.

Chamber of Commerce members and their guests met at the Rule high school for the annual banquet to honor citizens and install new officers.

Featured speaker at the banquet was Ray Fullenwider, former Rule High School principal, whose theme "the way to boost Rule is to boost its people," took its lead from the C-C's banquet theme, "boosters go places and do things, critics go places and boo things."

Fullenwider told his audience that if they remembered what the letters RULE stood for—Responsibility, Up with people, Love for people, and Education, and put them into practice Rule would have the greatest year it had ever known.

Presiding over the banquet was retiring C-C president, Harold Wood, who is succeeded by last year's vice president, Bill Bowles. New vice president is R. C. Ezell. Nona Norwood remains as the Chamber's secretary-treasurer.

## Jr. High Band To Participate In Band Festival

Haskell Junior High School Band under the direction of Wendell Gideon will participate in the annual Cisco Band Festival at Cisco Junior College this week-end.

More than 3000 junior high musicians from 54 bands and orchestras will convene on the CJC campus.

The festival will begin Friday morning at 8:30 and will continue all day Friday and all day Saturday.

The festival will include events in concert playing, sight-reading, instrumental solos and ensembles, and twirling solos and ensembles. Bands and orchestras will be rated from I to V by the judges in concert and sight-reading, and groups receiving ratings of I will be awarded trophies. Individual students in solos and ensembles will receive award medals for I ratings. There are approximately 1500 individual entries.

**FEDERAL AID**  
Federal financial aid to schools reached \$2.45 billion in the 1968-69 school year, which is 7.3 percent of the Federal-State-Local total of \$33.7 billion.

## The Active Life by Dan Eams

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## Taxpayer Unit Goal Is Assessed

Hobart, Oklahoma 73651 Sunday, Feb. 23, 1969

At a Saturday breakfast of local businessmen, M. L. Hart, Hobart, founder of the Taxpayers Constitutional Action Committee, asked the diners to express their views as private citizens on the feasibility of the Committee. Each present did so, then asked Hart to detail the background for the committee organization and its purposes.

The Taxpayers Constitutional Action Committee is, Hart said, beginning to become a nationwide move, since taxpayers at all levels and in various localities and states have expressed their opinions.

"I was asked in Hobart today what could be done now, a-bout the congressional action in raising congressional and high cabinet members' pay at by far too heavy an increase at any time, much less right now."

Hart acknowledged that the pay raise has been accomplished and is now in effect.

"What the general public does not seem to know, or has not been informed of, is that these raises are being given to several thousands of people, costing more than one-half of the money raised by the 10-percent income surtax placed in effect this year.

"This means several billions of money we have been obligated to pay, without elected people entrusted to protect the welfare of this nation, according to the laws in force raising any concerted opposition in congress.

"There were a good number of members of Congress, however, that objected to this outrageous pay raise, and unless the voters and taxpayers make themselves heard, loud and clear, the United States of America will continue to be ruled as nations in the past, by kings and lords.

"This Committee plans to see if it is at all possible, whether governmental branches, city, state, national are governed by the voters and taxpayers or by the people in office who act according to their own personal interests.

"Such officeholders," Hart continued, "records show, never quite seem to find their way back to home base and become again taxpayers supporting the expenditures they helped vote into effect.

"Our main interest is to see if the pay raises of Feb. 14, 1969, were voted according to Constitutional law; then to see that no further legislation by an appointed advisory board makes recommendations without public discussions and voted consent of Congress.

"Too much time is wasted at all levels of government by investigating committees are investigating themselves and not enough time spent in trying to remove thousands of worthless laws.

"This Committee publicly states that we are not accepting any help, assistance from any person, firm, corporation, group that advocates the overthrow of the government of the United States by force, any tax revolt, public marches, as protests on any public area; utter or cause to be uttered any name-calling against any office holder or past holder, solicit any funds for this organization from any person, nor state policy in the name of the Taxpayers Constitutional Action Committee.

"However, the Committee has, and reserves the right to express its opinions in any matter of public interest as private citizen and taxpayer.

"One of our long-range goals is to have taxpayers and private citizen representation present at meetings of legislative bodies and stop these closed-door ses-

## Tips For Outdoorsmen

By VERN SANFORD

Most anglers take along an extra spool of line for emergencies. And it's a great idea.

Usually this "spare" is unexpectedly needed to replace the line on your favorite reel...or to add more line to the reel spool.

More often than not the need for line is real urgent. Often you run short of line or your supply runs out at a most inopportune time. Sometimes it happens right in the middle of the lake.

Adding line to a spool while afloat is no problem for Gene Adenholz, Gene is an Austin angler who has fished most of his life. He's used to solving his own problems.

Ever try to rewind a spool of line while afloat in your boat? It's not easy even if your buddy is with you to hold the spool. And its tougher yet if the water is rough. Besides you're wasting a lot of your's and your partner's fishing time.

It's a real problem if you're alone, in the middle of the lake. Or at least we thought it was.

But Gene has the answer. It's a neat, fast trick, if you know how! And Gene does.

He runs the end of the fresh new line thru the guide at the tip of his rod—then on down the rod through guide after guide—and under the bail of his favorite open-faced Mitchell 300 spinning reel. Next he ties this new line to the reel spool—or to the left-over line that's still on the spool.

Gene then gives the crank a turn or two to see that the line "spools on" properly—and quick as a flash, he's all set to fill the spool.

Question then is how he's going to single-handedly keep the line tension just right to "spool on" properly.

Gene does it so easy it's amazing. He simply tosses the new spool of fresh line (now tied to the reel spool)...far out over the water. Then he begins to turn the reel crank.

What happens is almost unbelievable at first...that is until you realize what resistance water has.

As Gene turns the reel handle the floating spool of fresh line begins to rotate. Resting flat on top of the water, the floating spool spins as the reel handle turns. Resistance of the water is enough to keep the line at just the right tension.

In a jiffy Gene's new line is transferred from the fresh spool to the reel spool, and Gene's back in business again. He refuels that reel so fast

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## MY ANSWER

### What Does the Bible mean when it speaks of Salvation?

The word "salvation" means "deliverance." Deliverance from danger, material and spiritual evil. God is the One who delivers from trouble (Ps. 34:6), enemies (2 Sam. 3:10), death (Ps. 6:4), sin (Ezek. 36:29) and hell (Ps. 86:13).

The condition for deliverance or salvation is trust in Jesus Christ. The Philippian jailer asked Paul "What must I do to be saved?" (Acts 16:30). Paul answered him, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." Jesus is the only avenue of escape from hell. Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." (Jn. 14:6). Jesus did not say, "I am a way, Buda is a way to heaven, Mohammed is a way to heaven, baptism is a way to heaven or church membership is a way to heaven." Jesus is the ONLY way. Salvation is not in a program, it is in a person; the person of Jesus.

Jesus Christ died and arose to provide salvation for whosoever will believe upon Him. Salvation is by God's grace, through faith in Christ. We don't deserve salvation, but God's love provides and offers us the free gift of salvation.

The greatest verse in the Bible on our obtaining this salvation is found in John 1:12. "As many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His name."

(We invite you to submit questions to Troy Culpepper at the First Baptist Church in Haskell.)

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**PAMELA REEVES ON DEAN'S HONOR LIST**  
 Dean Lorrin Kenamer of the School of Arts and Sciences, of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, presented a certificate to Pamela E. Reeves for scholastic achievements qualifying for the Dean's Honor List awarded only to those students who have attained a grade-point of 3.0 or better during the past semester.  
 Pamela, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeves, of Haskell, is majoring in mathematics with a minor in physics, with an overall grade-point of 3.12.

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alize in the early fifties that tornado clouds were extremely dangerous and that warning systems were needed to save lives. With the help of ESSA and the local weather advisories, this warning is now possible.

Mr. Stiehler noted that he has been criticized in the past for not hitting his forecast of weather "on the nose". But he also noted that a forecast or warning cannot be accurate at all times. He does not believe in stirring up people unnecessarily and waits until it is absolutely certain that danger exists before he takes the microphone of warning.

Stiehler presented a film entitled "Tornado" which must be called an "eye-opener". It was most informative as to the safety precautions that must be taken when a severe weather warning is issued in an area. Further comments from Mr. Stiehler informed the audience that our area is on the southern edge of what is called "Tornado Alley". This is the name given to the area of the nation where tornadoes have repeatedly occurred due to the air masses during the spring of the year. Tornadoes in this area are the type to dip to the ground and then rise again without remaining in one area over two or three minutes.

Mr. Stiehler stated that his most reliable source before giving a report of a sighted cloud "are the level-headed eye-witnesses such as the Highway Patrolmen"... "these are the men that can save lives", he said. Slides were then shown of various tornadoes and clouds that look like hail or heavy rains. A question and answer period ended the program. The Young Homemakers then presented Mr. Stiehler with a gift of appreciation.

Tom Watson from the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department gave a short report on how the Haskell warning system works.

In the Haskell tornado of 1962 there were only two units to cover and warn the entire city. Consequently not every part of town was covered and warned in time. Now there are four units in Haskell, consisting of two highway patrol cars. The town is divided into four parts with units possessing one-way radios and sirens that enable the units to warn the whole town of Haskell within 7 1/2 minutes. This is a fine system and one of the best for a small town like Haskell.

The meeting was dismissed and information pamphlets provided by Mr. Stiehler were available for those who wanted to pick them up. Those who attended the meeting learned that dedicated men such as the Texas Highway Patrol, the Volunteer Fire Boys, and weather watchers, such as Stiehler, are valuable to the safety of communities throughout "Tornado Alley".



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**Rites Held  
Wednesday For  
Ben F. Redwine**

Ben F. Redwine, 74, former Haskell County resident, passed away Monday in an Odessa Hospital where he had been a patient for three weeks. He had been in ailing health several years.

Funeral services were held from the Knox City Church of Christ at 10:00 a. m., Wednesday, with John Barnhill, minister, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, Haskell, with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Born September 14, 1894, in Cook County, he married Ellen Alexander in 1916 at O'Brien, Haskell County, and moved to Odessa in March of 1966. He was a retired farmer and member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife of

Odessa; three daughters, Mrs. Elsie Campbell of Odessa, Mrs. Frankie Carlisle of Tulsa, and Mrs. Nova Walling of O'Brien; his mother, Mrs. S. J. Redwine of Haskell; one brother, T. C. of Haskell; four sisters, Mrs. Virgil Sonnemaker of Haskell, Mrs. Odie Bland of Yukon, Mrs. Wilburn Kelso of Haskell, and Mrs. T. C. Beason of O'Brien; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Fuller Shannon, Lyndol Cypert, Joe Ray Smith, Guy Marshall, Bailey Guess, C. B. Banner, Lloyd Stephens and Coyt Hix.

**DROPOUTS**

The proportion of dropouts from Labor Department-sponsored manpower training is less than the proportion of dropouts from the nation's high schools, according to the Manpower Administration.

**FIRST TWO YEARS**

In its first two years, Medicare paid out \$8.4 billion in hospital and medical benefits.

**Tax Questions  
And Answers**

(This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.)

**Q—**I'm all set to file my return but my W-2 hasn't come yet. What should I do?

**A—**Wait until your W-2 arrives. The law requires employers to issue tax withholding statements to employees by January 31 so you should receive the statement shortly. If you don't get your W-2 statement by January 31 ask your employer about it.

**Q—**Where can I get a copy of the new 1040 ES tax form?

**A—**About 13 million new estimated tax form packages were mailed to taxpayers February 1. If you filed an estimated tax declaration last year or owed more than \$40 when you filed your 1967 return, you will receive a 1040 ES form, Declaration of Estimated Income Tax for individuals, in the mail. The new forms are pre-addressed to assure proper identification of estimated tax credits. Be sure to use your pre-

addressed form when you file. Others filing for the first time should get a Form 1040 ES from their District Director.

**Q—**When parents are divorced which one gets to claim the children as dependents?

**A—**Generally the parent who has custody of the child for the greater part of the year is entitled to the dependency exemption. However, if the other parent contributes at least \$600

during the year to the support of the child he or she may be entitled to the exemption. There is also a special rule for a parent who furnishes more than \$1,200 of support during the year but does not have custody.

These rules apply only if the divorced or separated parents together provide more than half of the child's support and have custody for more than half of the year. For further details get Publication 501, Your Exemptions and Exemptions for Dependents, from your District Director.

**Q—**I operate my farm on a cash basis. Does this mean I won't have to figure out my inventories for tax purposes?

**A—**Farmers using the cash method do not have to report the value of their inventories for tax purposes. However, you should keep good records so that income and expenses can be accurately reported.

**Q—**If I file my return now, how long will it take for me to get my refund?

**A—**The normal processing cycle for refunds mailed now is 5-6 weeks if the return is accurate and complete. Send your return to your regional service center.

If there is a delay beyond the usual 5-6 week period due to the large volume of returns being received or missing or inaccurate information, you should hear from IRS about your refund within 10 weeks from the time you filed. Taxpayers should wait at least 10 weeks

from the time they filed before writing about their refund.

To avoid delays, be sure your Social Security number is entered accurately, all W-2 forms are attached, and the return is signed. Both husband and wife should sign if it is a joint return. Where the wife has income, her Social Security number and W-2 forms must be included.

**Q—**I'm paying back a loan I took out for my son's college education. Can I deduct these payments on my 1968 return?

**A—**No, only that part of your repayments representing interest on the loan will be deductible when you itemize.

**Q—**I can reduce my taxes if I itemize my deductions and my wife takes the standard deduction. Can we do this?

**A—**No. Married couples filing

separate returns must itemize their deductions the same. If one itemizes deductions other must also itemize. Married couples filing jointly must also take the type of standard deduction one takes the 10 per cent standard deduction, both must itemize.

**FALL ENROLLMENT**

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**Conservation District News**

Harry G. Koehler  
S.C.S. Conservation Technician

Cooperators with the California Creek Soil and Water Conservation District have installed conservation practices. Cost-share assistance was furnished by the Agricultural Conservation Program.

Emil Dikatrik of Paint Creek and James A. Lisle of Rule have installed parallel terraces to add to an existing parallel system.

Tom B. Roberson of Haskell has completed the installation of an underground irrigation pipeline for better distribution of water.

Thurmond Bynum has completed a system of parallel terraces under his Great Plains Conservation Program Contract.

Cooperators with the Wichita-Brazos Soil and Water Conservation District have installed conservation practices, cost-share assistance being furnished by ACP.

W. L. Ballard and S. B. Williams of Rochester are in the process of completing land leveling for irrigation.

Mrs. Sylvia Tiner of Abilene has completed the installation of conventional terraces on her farm operated by Raymond Brewer of Haskell.

New Conservation Program Cooperators with the Wichita-Brazos SWCD includes lands owned by Bush and Burnett Ranch operated by Marvin Stegemoller of O'Brien, Melvin Hill of Haskell operated by W. B. Hill, and Mary Grindstaff operated by Sammy Grindstaff.

A Great Plains Conservation Program Contract for Glenn A. Merchant of Haskell has been approved. The lands included are located in the California Creek SWCD.

**CARD OF THANKS**

May we express our loving and sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness shown us in the passing of our loved one. We express our thanks for the food brought to the house and to the church, and also to the ladies who served the meals, and for your prayers and visits.

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## Haskell Federal Land Bank Ass'n. Presented At Houston Meeting

Burnett, of Haskell, has returned from Houston where he attended the annual meeting of the Haskell Federal Land Bank Ass'n. The meeting was held at the Houston Hilton Hotel and was attended by representatives from 73 Federal Land Bank Associations located throughout Texas. About 400 delegates, alternates, and heard president, Herbert Baker give the annual report and addresses by Mr. W. W. Gage, representative from the Congressional District of Texas, and Mr. Arthur A. Gage, vice-president of the Haskell Federal Land Bank in Dallas.

Others attending the meeting from this area were Joe Harp, Federal Land Bank Association manager from Haskell, and Felix Copeland, assistant manager from Seymour.

## Rites Held For Brother of Mrs. Mary Barnett

Allen B. Coontz, 78, brother of Mrs. Mary Barnett, of Haskell, passed away shortly before midnight, March 12, in an Amarillo Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were held Friday, March 14, at 2:00 p. m. in the N. S. Griggs Pioneer Chapel, Masonic graveside services were conducted at Llano Cemetery, Amarillo.

Born, January 24th, 1891, in Throckmorton, he had resided the past 44 years in Amarillo. Prior to his retirement eight years ago, he was a railroad engineer with the Burlington Lines.

Survivors in the immediate family include his wife, of the home; one son, James Allen of Los Angeles, California; one daughter, Mrs. Grace Allen of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. Mary Barnett of Haskell; one brother, Abby, of Fort Worth, and five grandchildren.

## Captain John Hill Receives "Bronze Star"

Army Captain John E. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill Jr., of Stamford, received the Bronze Star Medal during recent ceremonies near Phu Bai, Vietnam.

Capt. Hill received the award for outstanding meritorious service while serving as assistant intelligence officer in Headquarters, XXIV Corps Artillery near Phu Bai, Vietnam.

The captain was stationed in Salt Lake City, Utah, before arriving in Vietnam in February, 1968. He has received the Army Commendation Medal.

Capt. Hill graduated from Stamford High School in 1949 and received his commission through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps program at Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, College Station, where he received his B. S. degree in 1951.

His wife, Mary, lives at 2921 10th St., Bay City, Texas.

## Annual Meeting Held By Stamford Electric Co-Op

Over 600 members were in attendance at the 30th Annual Meeting of the Stamford Electric Cooperative in Stamford, March 12.

Entertainment, presentation of the winning speeches of Lucia King and Theo Smith, Youth Tour Winners, reports of S.E.C. activities, election of directors, and drawing of prizes constituted the program. The meeting ended with a noon barbecue lunch. Open House of the Stamford Electric Cooperative office building followed immediately after the noon meal.

All directors were re-elected. These included E. W. Carlson, Ed F. Fouts, O. G. Lewis, R. P. Nunneley, Leo McKeever, H. L. Osment, M. E. Overton, J. C. Rainwater and G. J. Smith. In a brief meeting following the annual meeting, the directors returned all officers to the positions they held last year.

There were 30 door prizes given away during the meeting. Eighteen of these were cash prizes, which totaled \$180.00, while the remaining 12 were six months free use of a security light.

The printed annual report was dedicated to C. M. Lester, who served as manager of the cooperative for 25 years before retiring December 31, 1968.

## COTTON PICKIN'S

Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

One of the first major decisions to confront the new Department of Agriculture in Washington and the new Republican Administration, will be whether changes should be made in Commodity Credit Corporation loan and resale policies for cotton.

Cotton producer groups representing growers in the 14 states met in Dallas on February 28 and in a show of cooperation unseen in recent history, unanimously agreed to petition the new U.S.D.A. leadership for changes in the government's cotton merchandising program.

Calling themselves the Bellwide Cotton Producer Committee, growers from North Carolina to California expressed the conviction that CCC loan and sales policies practiced by the Kennedy and Johnson administrations in recent years have depressed cotton prices, have reduced producer incentive to provide adequate supplies, and have unnecessarily increased public criticism of the cotton program.

Texas farmers, who produce about 40 per cent of U. S. cotton, were represented at the meeting by all six of the State's chartered cotton producer organizations: Rolling Plains Cotton Growers at Stamford, Plains Cotton Growers of Lubbock, Blackland Cotton & Grain at Hillsboro, Trans-Pecos Cotton Association at Pecos, El Paso Valley Cotton Association at El Paso, and South Texas Cotton and Grain of Victoria. While Texas general farm organizations, Farm Bureau and Farmers Union, were not present at the meeting, Texas Farmers Union president, Jay Naman quickly endorsed the producer recommendations. Texas Farm Bureau is expected to follow the lead of Farm Bureau federations in Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi, who have voiced support of the proposals.

The issue revolves around whether the 3.5 million bales of cotton now in the government loan and future crops will be marketed through normal trade channels or through CCC catalogue "fire sales" soon after August 1 of each year.

## EARNS UNIT AWARD

Master Sergeant Robert A. Miller, whose wife is the daughter of Henry Perry of Rochester, is a member of a unit that has earned the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller of 807 Terry Ave., Billings, Mont.

Sergeant Miller, an aerial photo systems superintendent in the 544th Aerospace Reconnaissance Technical Wing at Offutt AFB, Neb., will wear the distinctive service ribbon to mark his affiliation with the unit.

The Strategic Air Command (SAC) unit was cited for extraordinary mission accomplishment from July 1, 1967 to June 30, 1968. The 544th produces intelligence data for long-range operational planning of the nation's nuclear deterrent force and supports SAC commitments in Southern Asia.

The Sergeant, a graduate of Billings Senior High School, has completed a tour of duty in Vietnam. He is a veteran of the Korean War.

## Deadline For Motor Vehicle Inspection Near

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today reminded motorists that only one month remains before the 1969 motor vehicle inspection deadline.

To date, an estimated 2.8 million vehicles have received the inspection required by state law. The Department of Public Safety said some 3.2 million additional vehicles remain to be inspected prior to midnight, April 15.

Speir said 42.2 per cent of the vehicles inspected so far required mechanical adjustments prior to issuance of an inspection sticker. The defect found most often has been misalignment of headlights.

The Department of Public Safety urged motorists to get the inspection soon to avoid long lines which will develop at inspection stations as the April 15 deadline approaches.

## TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

When it comes to arithmetic the IRS computer would get a straight A and stand at the head of the class. Most of us make simple errors in arithmetic anytime we add more than two and two. However, when we figure our income tax returns we have to go through the painful process of adding and subtracting and multiplying just like we did when we were in the fifth grade.

When an Internal Revenue agent or any tax professional figures a tax return he uses an

adding machine and/or calculator to work the tax computation. He also goes back and re-checks all of his figures. In many cases the professional man who works with figures also has someone else to check the figures. If all taxpayers would follow the system used by the professionals and very carefully re-check their figures, they would keep the IRS computer from sending out so many math error notices.

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GOLD MEDAL FLOUR	5 LB. SACK	49c
FOR DISHES IVORY LIQUID	GIANT SIZE	49c
ROXEY DOG FOOD	303 SIZE CAN	12 for \$1.00
BAMA—Dump Bin Selection JELLY AND JAMS	18 OZ. GLASS	3 for \$1.00
WAGNER BREAKFAST DRINK	32-OZ. JAR	3 for \$1.00
HORMEL VIENNA SAUSAGE	5 cans	\$1.00

Lipton 1/4 lb. box  
**TEA . . . 39¢**

DELSEY TOILET TISSUE	2 ROLL PACKAGE	25c
ZEE TABLE NAPKINS	PACKAGE	10c
SKINNER'S CUT ELBOW MACARONI	10 OZ. PACKAGE	19c
KRAFT MACARONI & CHEESE DINNERS	7 1/4 OZ. PACKAGE	23c
AIR KING PEANUT BUTTER	LARGE 1 LB. JAR	39c
CREST TOOTH PASTE	EXTRA LARGE SIZE	69c
SO-SOFT FACE & HAND LOTION	REGULAR \$1.00 SIZE	39c

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OF PRIMARY CONCERN

Legislative action can soon be expected on proposals that will have tremendous impact on our state's public school system and the young people of Texas for years to come.

The recent and controversial report of the Committee on Public School Education is represented in several bills already introduced in both houses of the Legislature.

Of primary concern is the proposal to force the consolidation of 865 of the state's 1,218 districts, creating 353 districts containing no less than 2,600 students. This would obviously eliminate practically every rural and small community school in the state.

Also of great significance is the proposal to institute a sweeping re-evaluation of all real property in Texas, a program that will, for all practical effect, establish the state board of education as a statewide tax assessor for local school taxes.

That this is aimed directly at the thousands of rural landowners and residents in Texas can hardly be doubted, as the committee's report declares: "The Bartlett study verified the fact that city school districts are being created in the distribution of state school aid because county tax rolls favor rural areas."

Certainly it should be recognized that there are schools, supporting only a handful of students, that should consider consolidation with neighboring districts: certainly it should be recognized that tax inequities, favoring some rural districts, do exist.

But we submit that arbitrary elimination of our rural schools and the resultant decay of thousands of rural communities, and the many complex problems arising from the establishment of county-wide and multi-county school districts, is not the answer. Voluntary consolidation should be encouraged, but mere bigness is no guarantee of quality or economy.

We also submit that the tax proposal, that will result in tax bills to our state's rural residents—farmers and ranchers who live on their land and make their living from the land—increasing two, three and four times in size, is certainly as inequitable as is now claimed by the committee on behalf of metropolitan centers. The old saying that two wrongs don't make a right certainly seems appropriate in this area.

It would appear much more logical and practical, then, while encouraging voluntary consolidation of many of our smaller schools, to seek new ways to improve and upgrade the curricula of these schools and to spend our tax money to help accomplish this goal; to bring advanced and improved educational opportunities to the students rather than forcing them to travel many additional miles per day for their education, and to keep control of our schools where it always has been and always should be—in the hands of our local citizens and taxpayers.

TANE Programs To Be Held In Area Churches

TANE speakers, ministers and laymen of several Christian denominations, speak in some 2,500 churches in Texas each year.

The speaker's purpose in visiting a church is not to visit drunks and narcotics addicts, but to report to the church on alcohol and drug problems.

what can be done, and what is being done about them.

Churches to have TANE programs in Haskell and the Haskell area include East Side Baptist Church; Calvary Baptist Mission; Paint Creek Baptist Church; Sweet Home Baptist Church; Rule and First Baptist Church, Rule.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Meyer of Lancaster, Texas, announce the birth of a 7 1/2 lb daughter, Laura Ann, March 7th.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nichols, of Lancaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Meyer of Pennsylvania.

Great grandmother is Mrs. Mary E. Scott of Haskell, and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nichols of Lancaster, Tex.

HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

30 YEARS AGO (March 24, 1939)

Crockett English, student in Texas University, spent the weekend with relatives in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Warren had as their guest this weekend, Will Ritter of Chillicothe, who is an uncle of Mr. Warren.

Miss Ruby Sue Persons has been placed on the honor roll in the Arts and Science Department of Texas University. From a group of 773 students places on the honor roll of the 5773 in that department. She was one of the 421 in her particular division.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wair were Abilene visitors Saturday. Misses Frances Kaigler and Hazel Foote spent last weekend as guests of the L. A. Howsley, Jr., at A&M College. They were chaperoned by Mrs. L. A. Howsley, Sr., of Throckmorton.

W. P. Trice made a business trip to Dallas Thursday. Mrs. John V. Davis and daughter have returned from a visit with relatives in Dallas and Tyler.

Mrs. Tom French and daughter, Nancy, have returned to their home in Dallas after a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cahill spent the weekend in Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mrs. H. S. Wilson and Mrs. R. J. Paxton left Wednesday for a visit in Houston and Goose Creek.

Capt. H. K. Henry of Winnsboro, is visiting with Mrs. Henry and son this week.

Miss Anita Jo Simmons from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Simmons this week.

Mrs. W. P. Ratliff, Mrs. Jno. A. Willoughby and Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough spent Saturday in Abilene with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reynolds and children of Munday visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Sunday.

Russell A. "Miscellaneous Shower" had been planned and the gifts when presented to the bride were accompanied by a shower of rice. Limericks telling the fortune of each guest were read and after dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, she requested the young ladies to tell the way they have planned to marry. Those invited were Mrs. John Russell, Misses Sibyl Collins, Ann Fields, Mabel Wynman, Florence Couch, Erna Dean, Vera Neathery, Louise Lamar, Ethel Kinnard, May and Lillian Pace, Eva and Dullin Fields, Frankie Terrell, Army Houston, Annie Ellis, Mamie Meadors, Cecil, Lucille and Ann Lida Hughes, Tishia Simmons, Eunice McKelvan, Minnie Dell Davis, Kate and Cora Lemmon, Julia and Doccia Winn and Glenie Russell.

The team of Mr. T. C. Patterson ran away here Tuesday and Mr. Patterson jumped out of the wagon and had his arm dislocated.

Among those who attended the stock show at Fort Worth were Messrs. W. T. Hudson and Virgil Hudson.

The Haskell Telephone Company has put in a new switch board with five hundred drops. The Magazine Club, with the assistance of a few of Haskell's talented young people, will give an entertainment at an early date.

On last Tuesday the parade of Buster Brown and Old Tige, the team ran away and overturned the vehicle they were in, bruising the occupants, but hurting no one seriously except Herbert Buchanan who had both shoulders dislocated.

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WASHINGTON "As it looks from here" OMAR BURLESON Congressman 17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The V.I.P.s (Very Important Persons) are common around Government facilities—like military bases and other installations—VIP lounges, parking spaces and other accommodations. Big business also recognizes status-VIP.

The term applies to the position the persons holds rather than to the person. It is a matter of convenience.

In cities and probably a great many other places, the term should probably be better applied to the fellow who can fix a doorknob or unscrew a sink. He is an important person, if he does it right and at the time specified. The trouble is that a great many of those VIPs let the opportunity slip.

A man the other day was talking about being in a fairly new and modern hotel. When the bellboy placed his bag on the bed, the headboard fell off. The dresser had a split that extended across two drawers. The bath room fixtures had even been anchored to the wall. A little while later, the marble foyer was blocked while workmen tried to stop a leak in the ceiling. All this for \$40 a day.

An automobile dealer was describing his dilemma and said he spent most of his time trying to repair new cars he had just sold. He had to keep knobs from falling off, tighten loose chrome strips and repair sloppy painting.

The question is being raised: Is this a fallout of full employment? In spite of joblessness among the hard-core unemployed, apparently almost anyone who is willing to work and not walk off before quitting time can draw a living wage. Those who are fired can usually walk down the street to another job and be re-employed.

Looking at the over-all picture, the whole operation that produces anything may be at fault—the paneled executive office, engineers, chemists, accountants, college professor—whoever, may share some of the blame. Experience indicates that when skills are in short supply, the prima donnas, job snappers and the like, increase.

Maybe we are all cheating on one another.

The careless man on the automobile assembly line is robbed when his sly TV repairman replaces perfectly good tubes. The TV man cusses when his new shoes split the third time he wears them, or the button falls off his new shirt.

The lazy foreman in the factory is outraged when the walls of his new apartment seem to be made out of cardboard. Probably a very few of us would do the best possible job about any thing unless we are concerned of the consequences of doing a bad job. It is not because we are bad—it is because we are people. The fear of the consequences of "bugging out" must at least equal the courage to stand firm.

There have been times when there was probably too much job discipline. In the depression days there were ten hungry guys and their families standing behind everyone with a job and the man doing the job knew it had to be done properly.

Today the economy is so heated, the value of the dollar is in danger. Prices and wages have been leaping ahead of improvement in quality and productivity. The new Administration's policy is to "cool it."

In reason and logic, this seems to be the time to earn a reputation as being an "Honest John" and a "Willing Willie." When customers get choosy and when "Help Wanted" signs come down, reputations will likely become important again. The doorknob fixer, who is now VIP, can maintain his status if he really fixes it on the day and time he says he will be there and not three days and three trips later.

born October 1, 1901, or earlier fit this category; and if they have never been enrolled, they must do so by March 31, 1969. He noted that this group would not be able to apply next year in the general enrollment period since it will have been over 3 years since they could have first enrolled.

According to Tuley the general enrollment period does not apply to those just now nearing age 65, as they should apply in the 3-month period before reaching 65.

LT. BLACK ON LEAVE Marine Second Lieutenant Robert V. Black Jr., 22, has completed TBS training at Quantico, Va., graduating in the upper four per cent of his class, which qualifies him for flight training.

Lt. Black wears the expert rifle badge for accuracy with the M-14 rifle and .45-caliber pistol. Also the defense ribbon.

Lt. Black has been visiting his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Black Sr. and Gary, enroute to Pensacola Air Station, Florida.

A REMINDER Social Security beneficiaries are reminded that if 1968 earnings went past \$1680.00, a report must be filed with social security on or before April 15, 1969.

County Superintendent Is Textbook Custodian Of All Rural Schools

In addition to the bookkeeping service which the rural schools receive from the county superintendent's office, they also receive textbook service. The county superintendent is the textbook custodian of all the rural schools, and is required to keep all textbooks in one single inventory. This makes it possible for textbooks to be shifted from one school to another, to avoid requisitioning new books when another school has some that are not in use. Since the smaller high schools offer some subjects on alternate years only, the state is saved hundreds of dollars by this shifting of books from school to school.

It is necessary, of course, for the county superintendent to keep individual school records of the number of books checked out to each school, and to have a general counting of all books each spring. New books are requisitioned in the spring, and out-of-adoption books are collected in the summer and shipped to the State Textbook Depository. The new books (some thirty cartons or more) arrive in July or August, and are checked out to the schools according to grade and class quotas. During the autumn, the surplus current-adoption books are collected from the schools and shipped to the state depository. The 1968-69 inventory consists of approximately 6,500 books, with a total value of \$17,442.00.

The state provides the salaries for a school nurse, a visiting teacher, and two supervisors, all of whom work in more than one school and on a cooperative basis. They are employed through the county school office, and the county superintendent schedules their time on a pro rata basis to the different schools—not only to the rural schools, but to all schools in the county.

Other services of the county superintendent's office consist of compiling the scholastic census report for the county each year, receiving and reporting all transfer applications, supplying teachers with copies of their records, providing birth records for the public from original census slips, requisitioning school buses and tires, reporting all bus route changes—and various other activities.

In the present situation, it would hardly be accurate to say that the office of the superintendent of schools in Haskell County is needed.

David Dumbor Buick, of the famous car, died in a man in a white car by a fire because of his invention, trip toilet and his perfect enamel bathtub. He lost a tune in development of a that bears his name and to Wm. Durant, who was giant General Motors. The ment of bathtubs and ening Harold Warp Pioneer at Minden, in south Nebraska.

Farm Fires Near Fires on the nation's cost an average of many \$500,000 a day. The Information Institute of that farm fire losses totaled a record of \$28

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**TOMATOES**  
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**NEW POTATOES**  
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Nylon **HOSE** 3 PAIR **\$1.00**

Swift's Honeycup  
**MELLORINE** 1/2 gal. **39¢**

Grade A, Small or Ungraded  
**EGGS** Doz. **39¢**

Soft Parkay  
**OLEORIBS**  
lb. **39¢**

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**RIBS**  
lb. **43¢**

BEEF  
**RIBS**  
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### Stitching And Stewing

By Ruth Ann Fansler  
County H. D. Agent

Suppose you made a list, right now, of five of your top values. What would you put first? Financial security? Feeling of accomplishment? Growth toward maturity? Service?

Perhaps none, or several of these would be on your list. Whatever you put on your list is there because you think achieving it would give you satisfaction—it is important to you.

Whatever values you listed, are important to you because they give your life meaning or direction. And, identifying some of your values is important because knowing what you really want in the long run helps in solving immediate day-by-day problems. In almost any situation that calls for decisions, you are forced to evaluate possible alternatives. Just what does this mean, to evaluate alternatives? Simply, it means to weigh alternatives in terms of your identified values; that is, what is most important in the long run? Will this choice help me to get what I really want most? Or will it take me in the right direction? In other words, a person who has taken time to work out a specific list of values in the order of importance to that person, can make better decisions—a-b-o-u-t—immediate plans in everyday situations.

Clear defined values and long range goals and an honest evaluation of immediate goals can bring real satisfaction. Even a person who has clearly defined values may make choices of immediate action that will take him or her in the opposite direction because that person did not evaluate well. A sense of conflict arises when our actions aren't consistent with our values.

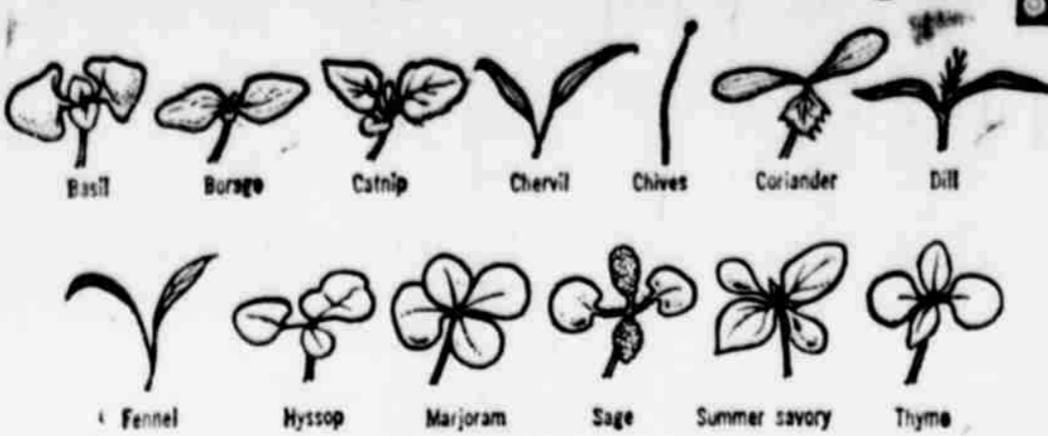
Mrs. Dufward Campbell, a member of the Young Homemakers and a Brownie Leader in Haskell submitted this week's recipe.

**Frozen Fruit Salad**  
1 pkg. jello  
1 pkg. Dream-Whip  
1 c. chopped pecans  
1 c. small marshmallows  
1 can fruit cocktail  
Prepare jello according to package directions. Chill until firm. All prepared dream-Whip whip, pecans, marshmallows and fruit cocktail.  
Pour in milk cartons and freeze. Slice frozen jello when ready to serve.



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### News from Weinert ...

MRS. O. W. VAUGHN

#### Birthday

Children and grandchildren of Mrs. C. L. Garrett helped her celebrate her 80th birthday Friday of last week. Those present were sons, Leroy Garrett of Portland, Oregon; Alton Garrett of Abilene; daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dixon of Lubbock; Mrs. Ida Farrell of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Griffith of Weinert. Grandchildren, Mrs. Hershel Alexander of Munday; Mrs. Ruth Lankford and children of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Griffith and three girls, of Weinert.

She was surprised by a lot of gifts and a big birthday cake.

#### Snow

Weinert had its first big snow of the year on Saturday, March 15. Reports are that Weinert received around 7 inches. The run off when melted will help fill the stock tanks.

#### Attends Mission Study

Those from Weinert attending Mission Study at First Baptist Church in Haskell Tuesday of last week were Mrs. Raymond Liles, Mrs. Ross Anderson, Mrs. W. B. Guess, Mrs. J. A. Driggers, Mrs. Bill King and Mrs. Ben Bruton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Stout went to Fort Worth Friday for the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bledsoe. Mrs. J. A. Driggers accompanied them as far as Weatherford and visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Flanagan and Jay. All returned Sunday afternoon and reported no snow until they got to Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ashley returned home Thursday of last week after a four weeks stay in Killen visiting children, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Ashley, Mrs. Mary Johnston, grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. Winford Curb and daughter, Lee Ann.

Out-of-town visitors in the home of the O. W. Vaughn's on Thursday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mapes of Modesto, California; Mrs. Ida Farrell of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn, of Chickasha, Okla., spent Wednesday until Friday in the Vaughn home.

Mrs. Ruby Yandell, of Munday, visited Mrs. Nettie Wren and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bruton Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Caddell, of Stephenson, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Caddell and girls.

**Style Show**  
The Adult Clothing Short-course that has been conducted in Weinert for women in Precinct 2 by Miss Ruth Ann Fansler, county home demonstration agent, will be completed with a style show in the Community Center March 24 at 2:00 p. m. Women who have participated in the short-course will model

the garments they have made. There will be a guest speaker. The public is invited.

#### How To Spot A Tornado

This has been proven to be accurate: In time of stormy weather, dial your TV to channel 13, darken the screen and turn dial to channel 2 and you will be able to see the lightning. As the storm gets nearer, the screen will be more light and bars will form across the screen. If a tornado is near the screen will become completely light.

**Sod houses** once dotted the plains states where wood was scarce. They are now all gone, but one has been reconstructed at the Harold Warp Pioneer Village at Minden, in south central Nebraska, where nearly two million people have marveled at the ingenuity of our pioneer forebears who built this great country of ours.

Turn to the classified columns of the Free Press for profitable reading.

### OIL NOTES

**WILDCAT RE-ENTRY IS COMPLETED**  
A wildcat re-entry was completed as a Strawn sand discovery five miles northwest of Haskell.

It is Hayden Farmer of Olin No. 1 Laird, section 72, E. Giraud survey A-547. Daily potential was 132 barrels of 41 gravity oil. Flow was through 16-64-inch choke with 60 pounds casing and 80 pounds tubing pressures.

Production is from perforations at 4835-48 feet, fractured with 5000 pounds of sand. Operator set 4 1/2-inch casing at 4-956 feet, the plugged back depth. Gas-oil ratio was 490-1.

The venture was originally drilled as Cox Drilling Co. No. 1 C. F. Laird, and plugged in 1963 at 5325 feet.

#### REGULAR FIELD PROJECT STAKED

Carlos A. Richter, et al, operating from Abilene, staked a regular field project 20 miles southeast of Haskell.

It is No. 1 M. M. Cobb, located on a 40-acre lease and slated for 1,500 feet with rotary.

Site is 150 feet from the south and east lines of the northeast quarter of Section 101, Indianola RR Survey.

### Immediate Steps Must Be Taken To Meet Growing Needs Of Education

Texas must take immediate steps to meet the growing needs of higher education, which promise to double in size and cost by 1980, the Coordinating Board for the Texas College and University System reported recently.

The growth projections were brought out in the "Blueprint for Progress in Higher Education," the Board's recommendations for caring for the massive educational system through the next 12 years.

"The average citizen has no idea of the magnitude of higher education," Board Chairman John Gray of Beaumont said in unveiling the report for Legislators and executive leaders of Texas.

"Although higher education is already the largest industry in Texas, it promises to double in the next 12 years," he said. "Enrollment in public colleges and universities will increase by 102 percent, and private institutions will grow by 34 percent."

He said enrollment in higher education facilities will increase from 375,000 in 1969 to 707,800 in 1980.

To care for this growing mass of student population, Gray said, will take by 1975, a total of \$401,400,000 in federal, state and local funds for additional public facilities, and about \$401 million in state funds annually for educational programs.

The "Blueprint for Progress" outlined by the Board was the result of in-depth research and planning dating back to the creation of the Board in 1965.

The Board used three basic points in developing the flexible plan. It is designed to (1) care for the rapidly increasing growth in enrollment, while (2) providing a rising level of excellence in higher education, in (3) the most efficient and effective methods possible.

The Blueprint divides the higher education system in three component groups—community junior colleges, senior colleges with program expansion possibilities through first-level graduate offerings, and complex universities, with program jurisdiction over doctoral-level graduate work and post-baccalaureate education for the professions.

The Board recommends creation of 53 community junior college regions, each an area where most of the community junior college students will come and where at least one junior college district is feasible during the next 20 years.

The Blueprint foresees junior colleges as basically commuting institutions with both technical-occupational programs and the

first two years of baccalaureate education, to meet the needs of all students in the state.

The Board also recommends creation of six new senior colleges—four-year institutions in San Antonio and Houston and upper-division colleges in Midland-Odessa, Corpus Christi, Dallas and Houston.

Other senior college recommendations call for stabilization of enrollments in existing institutions and acceptance by the University of Texas System Board of Regents of the Southwest Center for Advanced Studies in Dallas.

To meet the critical needs of medical education in the state, the Coordinating Board recommends establishment of new medical schools in Houston and Lubbock, and increased enrollments at existing facilities.

In outlining recommendations for dental education, the Board noted that Texas has only one dentist for every 2,903 residents and only two schools to meet the growing needs for more dentists.

Establishment of a new dental school at San Antonio was recommended along with state help in expansion of Baylor University College of Dentistry to ease the dental problem.

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### Noted Author Is Speaker At College C. of C.

Jimmy Allen of Searcy, Ark., noted author, speaker and teacher, will speak March 16-23 during the annual spring meeting of the College Church of Christ in Abilene.

Sunday services during the event are scheduled for 8:15 a. m., 10:30 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. Weekday services will be at 7:00 p. m. Allen will also speak each morning at chapel

services of Abilene Christian College.

Allen has become one of the most effective speakers for Churches of Christ since he began his preaching career one month after his conversion. Since 1963 more than 3,000 have been converted during his campaigns or meetings.

Currently an assistant professor of Bible for Harding College in Searcy, Allen owns bachelor's and master's degrees in religious education from that school.

He has spoken in more than half of the 50 states and in 1965

filled the pulpit during the Singer Bowl meeting at the New York World's Fair. He has spoken around the world and next month is scheduled for a campaign in Ireland.

Allen is author of a book titled "What Is Hell Like?" and "Other Sermons".

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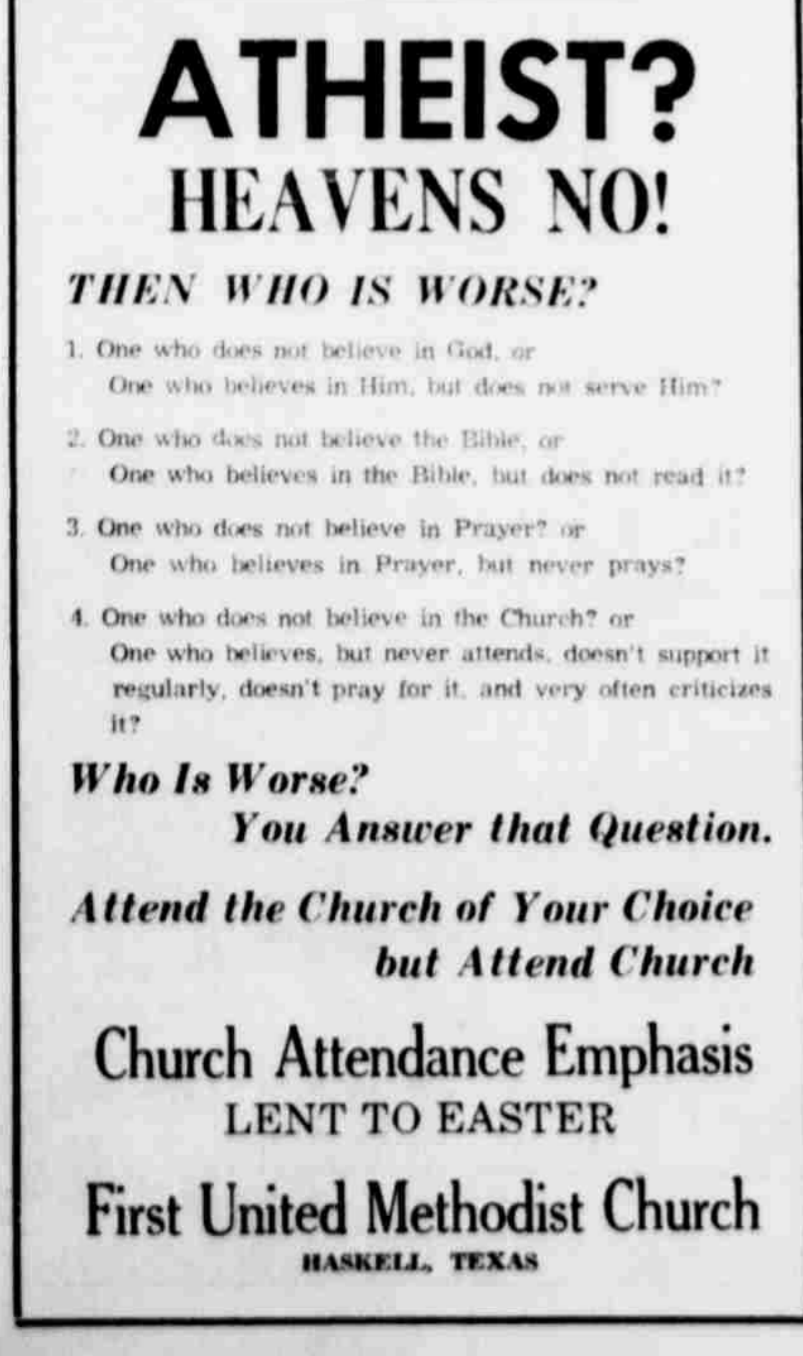
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