

Bellard To Speak At All-Banquet Saturday Night



EMORY BELLARD

The Elementary School Cafeteria will be the scene of the annual "All-Sports" Banquet, scheduled for Saturday night, February 14th, 7:00 o'clock. The event is sponsored by the Haskell Indian Booster Club.

Guest speaker will be Emory Bellard, offensive backfield coach at the University of Texas.

Bellard joined the Texas Longhorns coaching staff in 1967 following a fabulous career as a Texas high school grid coach.

He produced three state championship teams and 11 district winners in 15 years of coaching at Ingleside, Breckenridge and San Angelo. He finished his career as a high school coach by directing the San Angelo Bobcats to the 1966 Class AAAA state title.

A native of Luling, Bellard attended the University of Texas, Austin, for two years and is a 1949 graduate of Southwest Texas State College.

Following three years as an assistant coach at Alice, he embarked on his great head-coaching career at Ingleside in 1952. He became head coach at Breckenridge in 1955 and moved to San Angelo in 1960. He won state titles at each of the latter three schools.

His overall record as a head coach is 136 wins, 37 losses and four ties.

Bellard and his wife, Mary Kay, have three children... Emory, Jr., who quarterbacked Austin Reagan High to the State AAAA championship in 1968; Debra Lynn, 17; and Bobby, 8.

Other highlights of the evening will be the presentation of numerous awards and the introduction of the Haskell High School athletes.

Tickets at \$3.00 each, may be purchased at Johnson Pharmacy or from members of the Booster Club.

William Morphew Speaks At Rotary Club Meeting

William Morphew, a director of the Haskell National Bank, spoke to members of the Rotary Club last Thursday at the noon-day luncheon session at the City Cafe. R. A. Lane was program chairman for the day and introduced the speaker.

Mr. Morphew explained Estate Taxes especially pertaining to the State of Texas, and also defined community property laws as pertaining to inheritance and estate taxes.

Morphew, of Abilene and Haskell, is a certified Public Accountant and has served as president of the Abilene Area Public Accountants organization. He is a past vice-president of the State Association of CPAs.

Bob Beauchamp, chairman of the nominating committee, announced the following officers and directors to head the civic organization for 1970. New directors, retiring club president Eldon Anderson and Ferrell Coston; secretary-treasurer, Abe Turner; vice-president, Brooks Middleton and president, Bob Herren. Club members voted that the nominees be duly elected.

Newly elected president, Bob Herren, in his acceptance remarks, stressed that he would expect full cooperation from all club members and stated that a former Haskell resident, Maurice Crawford, presently of Wichita Falls, would serve as District Governor this year, and he would certainly expect an outstanding club in Haskell.

Guests introduced by Bob Wheatley included Fareed Hasen of Stamford and student guests from Haskell High School, Kate Helweg and Beth Middleton.

Rotarians voted in favor of having a representative of the Club as a buyer at the Youth Livestock Auction, held here last Saturday following the Junior Livestock Show.

President Eldon Anderson presided over the meeting. Invocation was given by H. O. Abbott, and the song session was led by R. C. Couch, with Gail Barnett at the piano.

Meeting Held By Democratic Executive Com.

In a meeting of the Haskell County Democratic Executive Committee, Monday morning, February 9th, in the District Courtroom, courthouse, candidates were assessed 10 per cent of their yearly salary.

Clay Smith, Haskell County Democratic Executive Committee Chairman, who presided over the meeting, said that J. R. Miller was appointed Precinct Chairman 4 to fill the unexpired term of H. R. Fischer. V. W. Howard was appointed Precinct Chairman, P a i n t Creek, replacing Hoyt Perry, who has moved to Haskell.

School Trustee Election Set Sat., April 4

In a meeting of the Board of Education, Tuesday night, the trustee election for the Haskell Independent School District was set for Saturday, April 4th.

The election will be held in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank at which time three members will be elected.

The terms of Jack McAdoo, C. G. Burson Jr. and Bob Wheatley will expire; however, all three have filed for re-election.

Holdover trustees include Frank Cadenhead, M. D., president; Wallace Cox Jr., secretary; Jim Medley and Abe Turner.

Tom Rhoades will serve as election judge.

Absentee voting begins 20 days prior to the date of the election, and continues four days prior to date of election. Absentee votes may be cast at the office of Mrs. Lee McKeivain, County Clerk, Courthouse.

The main business on the agenda at the regular meeting of the City Council, Tuesday night, was the calling of a city election to be held Saturday, April 4th, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and three councilmen.

The terms of Mayor H. V. Woodard and councilmen Buster Gholson, Carl Anderson and Belton Duncan will expire.

Holdover councilmen are W. O. (Bill) Holden and John Thomas.

The election will be held in the City Hall Annex.

Anyone desiring to file for a place on the ballot must do so 30 days prior to the date of the election. Deadline for filing is March 4th.

Voting by absentee begins 20 days prior to the date of the election and continues four days prior to date of the election.

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HASKELL CHAMPION—Sue Hager, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hager of Weinert, shows the 898-pound Hereford judged champion steer of the Haskell County show Saturday by Fisher County Agent Richard Spencer.

Large Number Of Entries Are Judged At Jr. Livestock Show

Ronnie Reed Lions Speaker Tuesday Noon

Cooperative Part-Time Training prepares high school youth for useful employment in approved off-farm agricultural occupations of their choice.

Danny Tollison was program chairman and introduced the speaker.

Time and conditions changes and Agriculture is subject to change just like everything else," Reed said.

Students in Cooperative Part-Time Training spend an hour each school day in class receiving instructions in the occupation for which they are training, and three hours each school day at a training station, the speaker said.

Cooperative Part-Time Training in Agricultural Occupations provides a student to learn an occupation while earning a high school diploma," Reed said.

During a short business session, Lions, upon recommendation of the board of directors, elected Gene Long, Lion Tamper, replacing Perry Spenny who resigned due to ill health.

Guests noted were Roy Johnson of Kingsland; Buster Putnam of Dallas, and Aaron Edger, of Munday.

Vice-president Charles Thornhill presided over the meeting. Mike Abbott led the singing, with Judy Therwanger at the piano, and the invocation was given by J. C. Yeary.

Commissioners Court Meeting Held Monday

The Haskell County Commissioners Court met Monday, February 9th, with the following members present:

B. O. Roberson, County Judge, presiding; C. A. Thomas, Jr., Commissioner Precinct 1; S. E. Bledsoe, Commissioner Precinct 2; J. R. Perry, Commissioner Precinct 3; E. C. Collins, Commissioner Precinct 4, and Mrs. Lee McKeivain, County Clerk.

Minutes of the January 27th meeting were read and approved, and the following business was transacted:

Motion was made and passed to pay all approved bills.

Due to the fact that the Courthouse basement is in dire need of attention, the Court appointed Mrs. Lee McKeivain, County Clerk, Jimmy Owens, Tax Assessor-Collector, and W. P. (Bill) Ratliff to act as a committee to index and arrange old records, which cannot be destroyed, therefore making space for storage.

The County Auditor and County Treasurer presented their reports, which were reviewed and accepted.

An Order of the Court states that the polls will open at 8:00 A. M. and close at 7:00 P. M. on election day.

Motion was made and passed to purchase a new radio for the Haskell County Sheriff's car.

Two Persons Charged In J. P. Court

Charges were filed Wednesday, February 4th, in Hubert Bledsoe's Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 1, against Terry Don Lowery, age 19, of Haskell, and Donna Compton, 18, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, on possession of Narcotic Paraphernalia.

The couple were taken into custody Tuesday night, February 3rd, six miles north of Haskell by Haskell County Sheriff, Garth Garrett, Deputy, Pete Mercer; City Chief of Police, Tom Paul Barnett and Highway Patrolman, James Davis.

Both Lowery and Donna Compton were placed in the Haskell County Jail, under bond of \$5,000 each, pending Grand Jury action.

High Court Rules For J. E. Kittley Plans Complete For The Annual C of C Banquet

AUSTIN—J. E. Kittley of Haskell County will be able to collect \$10,878 he was awarded by the Haskell County Court in an eminent domain proceeding, the Supreme Court in effect ruled Wednesday, February 4th.

West Texas Utilities Company began court proceedings to condemn 8.2 acres of Kittley's land to install a high voltage transmission line which resulted in the award. The right of the company to condemn the land was undisputed in the county court.

The jury at Judge B. O. Roberson's county court in January 1969 found that the installation of the line would result in a \$1,783 loss in value to the 8.2 acres. It also found that the value of the 48 other acres would be affected by the installation of the line, resulting in a loss of \$9,095.

In the County Court level, District Attorney Royce Adkins, of Haskell, and J. R. Black Jr., of Abilene, represented the defendant. West Texas Utilities was represented by Les Cochran and George Leonard of Abilene.

The utilities company appealed the decision to the 11th Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland, arguing that the \$9,095 was excessive for the actual damage done.

However, the appeals court agreed with the lower court. The Supreme Court found no reversible error in the lower court opinion, so Kittley can collect the money.

Haskell County Heart Ass'n. Meets Tonight

The Haskell County Heart Association will meet tonight, (Thursday), February 12th, at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. R. C. Couch Sr., 1507 North Avenue E.

Mrs. Paul Cargill, of Wichita Falls, Regional Director, will show a campaign briefing film and plans will be outlined by Abe Turner, Finance Chairman, for the fund drive.

Bob Beauchamp, president, of the Haskell County Heart Association, urges all workers to be present for tonight's session.

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Dr. T. W. Williams In Austin Hospital

Dr. T. W. Williams, long time physician, surgeon and civic worker of Haskell and West Texas, suffered a severe heart attack in Austin Monday, February 2, and was placed in intensive care at Seaton Hospital, Austin.

His condition is reported to be somewhat improved and Mrs. Williams reports he was able to be removed from the intensive care unit yesterday morning to room 338.

FIREMEN ANSWER CALL TO BETH'S AA DRIVE-IN

Firemen answered a call just before 9:00 p. m., Tuesday at Beth's Double A Drive-In, 1103 N. 1st. With the exception of some "overcooked" meat which caught on fire in the barbecue pit, no damage was reported.

Services Held Wednesday For Mrs. Wimberly

Mrs. J. A. (Pearl) Wimberly, 85, passed away Tuesday, February 10, at 7:30 a. m. in Rice Springs Care Home.

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, February 11th, at the Foursquare Church, Haskell, with Rev. Katherine Byrd, pastor of the Foursquare Church, officiating. Interment was in Willow Cemetery with Holden-McCauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She was born December 20, 1884, in Tarrant County and was a member of the Haskell Foursquare Church.

Survivors include three granddaughters, Mrs. M. O. (Bobbie) Shell, of Azle, Texas, Mrs. R. L. (Tommy) Crawley, LaPorte, Calif., Mrs. Alton (Katherine) Byrd of Rochester; two sons, James B. Wimberly of Romoland, Calif., H. N. Wimberly, of Albany, Texas; three daughters, Mrs. Olive Wadley, Denton, Mrs. J. M. Sloan and Miss Ruby Wimberly, both of Haskell; nine grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Mollie Brandon, of Bald, Mrs. Alma Branson, of Burleson, Mrs. Fannie Chandler, of Amarillo, Mrs. Mable Jones of Midland.

Palbearers were Lloyd Conner, Ray Merchant, Anthony Byrd, Tommy Byrd, Bobby Wimberly and Michael Shell.

Broilers: 1. Willie Bagley, Rule FFA; 2. James Washington, O'Brien FFA; 3. Ray Torres, Rule FFA; 4. John Allison, Rule FFA; 5. Lupe Gonzales, Paint Creek FFA; 6. Randy May, Rule FFA.

Grand Champion, Willie Bagley; Reserve champion, James Washington.

Gilts (open class): 1. Riley Middleton, Haskell FFA; 2. Devvy Holmes, O'Brien 4-H; 3. Glenn Castleberry, Paint Creek FFA; 4. Danny Reed, Haskell FFA; 5. Jessie Bernal, O'Brien FFA; 6. Steve Alsbrook, Haskell FFA.

Durocs (lightweight): 1. John Allison, Rule FFA; 2. Randy May, Rule FFA; 3. Lynn Dale Dudensing, Rule FFA; 4. Lynn Dale Dudensing, Rule FFA; 5. Lynn Dale Dudensing, Rule FFA; 6. Lynn Dale Dudensing, Rule FFA.

Lightweight Duroc Champion, John Allison, Rule FFA; Reserve Champion, Randy May, Rule FFA.

Durocs (heavyweight): 1. Carol Dudensing, Haskell 4-H; 2. Tommy Farrar, Rochester FFA; 3. Carol Dudensing, Haskell 4-H; 4. Tommy Farrar, Rochester FFA; 5. Riley Middleton, Haskell FFA; 6. Wayne Rowan, O'Brien FFA.

Hampshire (lightweight): 1. John Allison, Rule FFA; 2. Mike Turner, Haskell 4-H; 3. Randy May, Rule FFA; 4. Ed Murray, Rule FFA; 5. Bobby Anders, Rule FFA; 6. Alan Matysiak, Rule FFA.

Hampshire (heavyweight): 1. John Allison, Rule FFA; 2. Wimberly and Michael Shell.

Champion Hampshire was shown by John Allison and Reserve Champion, Mark Lewis.

Lightweight Crosses: 1. Eugene Lee, Rule FFA; 2. Clayton Stegemoeller, Rule FFA; 3. Ed Murray, Rule FFA; 4. Clayton Stegemoeller, Rule FFA.

Heavyweight Crosses: 1. Joe Allen Martin, Rule FFA; 2. Ed Murray, Rule FFA; 3. Ed Murray, Rule FFA; 4. Dale Smith, Rochester FFA; 5. Alton Holmes, O'Brien FFA; 6. Hank Byrd, Rochester FFA.

Champion Crosses, Eugene Lee; Reserve Champion, Joe Allen Martin.

Grand Champion, John Allison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Allison, of Rule; Reserve Grand Champion, Eugene Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee, of Rule; Showmanship Susan Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lewis, of Rule.

Intermediate Mutton Lambs: Jim Ballard 1 and 2, Rochester 4-H; 3. Susan Lewis, Rule 4-H; 4. Mark Lewis, Rule 4-H; 5. Bill Butler, Haskell FFA.

Butter Breed Lambs: 1. Jim Ballard, Rochester 4-H.

Grand Champion Fat Lamb: Jim Ballard; Reserve Champion Fat Lamb, Jim Ballard.

Breeding Sheep

Ewe Lambs: 1. Steve Alsbrook, Haskell FFA; 2. Riley Middleton, Haskell FFA; 3. Bill Butler, Paint Creek FFA; 4. Terry Chapman, Haskell FFA; 5. Edward Wright, Haskell FFA.

Grand Champion Breeding Ewe: Steve Alsbrook, Haskell FFA; Reserve Champion Ewe, Riley Middleton, Haskell FFA.

Fine Wool Lambs: 1. and 2. Jim Ballard, Rochester 4-H; 3. Riley Middleton, Haskell FFA; 4. Danny Reed, Haskell FFA; 5. Edward Wright, Haskell FFA.

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Essay Contest Winners Present Progressive Study Club Program

The Progressive Study Club met last Thursday evening, February 5th, at 7:30 in the Community Room of Haskell National Bank. Club President, Mrs. Kenneth Lane, called the meeting to order, and conducted a brief business session. During the course of the business meeting, Mrs. Vance Abeldt was elected to active club membership. Decorating plans for the upcoming Haskell Chamber of Commerce Banquet were discussed, and Mrs. Jimmy D. Browning, a guest representing the Haskell Young Homemakers Club, presented plans for a community project which Progressive Study Club members were invited to participate in, should they desire to do so. The suggested project and other items of new and old business discussed during the meeting are to be voted upon at the next scheduled business meeting.

Young ladies representing Girl Scout Troop Number 465 of Haskell and their leaders, Mrs. Cleatus Drinnon and Mrs. Lee Roy Schaake, then "Presented the Colors" and led members and guests in the Pledge of Allegiance. The girls and their leaders, all dressed in uniform, presented a most inspiring ceremony and set the mood for the outstanding Americanism Day program which was to follow. Mrs. Arlos Weaver, Program Director for the evening, introduced three talented Haskell High School students, all of whom had been declared winners in this year's patriotic essay contest sponsored by the Club. The participating students had been instructed

to prepare an essay on American ideals. Following their introduction, each student read his or her respective essay for the group. Third place winner was Miss Susan Wainscott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wainscott. Second place was won by Jim Kemp, son of Dr. and Mrs. William J. Kemp, and first place was won by Miss Rhonda Woodard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace V. Woodard. At the close of the program, Mrs. Kenneth Lane congratulated the contest winners, and presented each a cash prize. The meeting was then adjourned.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. R. A. Lane, Mrs. Buck Everett, and Mrs. Robert Speer.

Nelda Lane To Present Students In Recital

The piano and organ students of Nelda Lane will be presented in recital Sunday, February 15, at the First United Methodist Church at 3:00 p. m. Works from Hamer, Wagner, Pierpont, Brainard, Wright, Arlon, Streabogg, Liszt, Chopin, Arndt, and Tchaikovsky will be presented.

Those appearing on the program are Darlene Abbott, Rena Abbott, Shirley Abbott, Mona Bledsoe, Vicki Bledsoe, John Cox, Lugene Lane, Sussie McCrebroom, Melisa McCauley, Amy Medford, and Robin Wheatley. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Teichelman, Dan Humphreys To Wed In May



MARILYN KAY TEICHELMAN

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Teichelman, of Sagerton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marilyn Kay, to Dan Humphreys, of Colorado City, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Humphreys.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Stamford High School, and will be a May graduate of Texas Lutheran College in Seguin. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Cooper High School, Abilene, and Texas A&M University, College Station. He is employed by Dowell Chemical Company, Colorado City.

The couple plan a May wedding.

Center Point H. D. Club Holds Meeting

The Center Point H. D. Club met in regular session, Thursday, February 5, at 2:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. E. Johnson with the president calling the meeting to order, Mrs. H. E. Bland served as hostess.

The opening song was led by Mrs. T. M. Patterson, and a reading was given by Mrs. J. R. Davis.

Roll call was answered with "How I Cut Down on Calories." Council report was given by Mrs. Albert Hannsz. It was reported that each club member pay 50c for a Scholarship Fund for the Gold Star girl in 4H. The district meeting will be held in Vernon in April. A delegate and alternate were elected to attend the Vernon meeting.

The program chairman introduced the T.H.D.A. chairman, Mrs. Henry Smith, who gave an interesting program on T.H.D.A., in which she pointed out the duties of the T.H.D.A. chairman and read the proposed program of work for this year as follows: citizenship, family life, health, cultural art, recreation and safety.

A quiz followed on T.H.D.A. and the T.H.D.A. pledge was read.

Mrs. O. W. Whitaker and Mrs. John Larned directed games. Mrs. W. E. Johnson conducted guessing and Valentine games, with Mrs. H. E. Bland, Mrs. J. R. Davis and Mrs. T. M. Patterson each winning a prize.

Two visitors and 10 members were present as follows: Visitors, Mrs. Henry Smith and Mrs. John Larned, Members, Mmes. W. E. Johnson, Eva Pearsey, O. W. Whitaker, Albert Hannsz, T. M. Patterson, Eva Cain, Oris Gibson, J. R. Davis, T. W. Jetton and the hostess, Mrs. H. E. Bland.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Oris Gibson, February 19th.

Phariss-Marr Wedding Plans Are Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Phariss Jr., of Haskell, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leeta, to Billy R. Marr, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Marr, also of Haskell.

Miss Phariss is a senior in Haskell High School. The prospective groom is a graduate of Haskell High, class of 1969, and is attending North Texas State University, Denton. Wedding date is set for Friday, June 6th.

The following friends, neighbors and Kindergarten classmates attended: Mersa Lane, Kristie Hannsz, Donnie Kretschmer, Horace Abbott, Sharla Drinnon, Cam Klose, Sheila Moeller, Emily Cox, Jeff Medford, Monty Moeller, Doug Richardson, Tom and Baul Barnett, Frederic Barnett, Giles Bryan and Kathy Kemp.

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Judges were Mrs. R. C. Liles and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. Each child was given a flag. Those present were Mmes. V. C. Derr, R. E. Hutchinson,



Weinert Home Demonstration Club Meets

The Weinert H. D. Club met February 5, at the Community Center with Mrs. Floyd McGuire Sr., Mrs. Henry Smith, and Mrs. Fred Roberts as hostesses. Mrs. Tom Yates presided during the business session. She turned the meeting over to Mrs. Floyd McGuire and Mrs. Henry Smith, who had attended the Leader Training meeting on Quick Meals.

Mrs. McGuire prepared barbecued meat loaves and Mrs. Smith cooked Potatoes Au Gratin. They also demonstrated making a perfect meringue. They distributed recipe sheets.

The hostesses served the foods prepared, coffee and hot tea to the following: Mesdames Bailey Guess, John Haley and Tammy, Marvin Plemister, Alton Sanders, Johnny Early and Kelly, Glen Caddell, R. E. Hutchinson, Tom Yates, M. C. Cunningham, Henry Smith, Fred Roberts, Floyd McGuire Sr.

The Home Demonstration Club will sponsor a Knitting Workshop (6 sessions) at the Community Center beginning February 16th. Everyone is invited to attend this Workshop; instructor, Laura Miller. Meeting 9 to 11 a. m.

BRIDES-TO-BE, order your genuine engraved invitations, announcements, thank-you cards and napkins from the Haskell Free Press. 15tfp

Organ Club Meeting Held Monday Night

The Organ Club met in the home of Mrs. Virgil Meadors, Monday, February 9th, at 7:00 p. m.

Decorations throughout the rooms were in Valentine motif. Large Valentines hung from the draperies which added to the spirit of the occasion.

Miss Martha Meadors was leader of the program which was American Operetta and Sacred Hymns.

Mrs. Henry Withers played a number of selections which included "My Lord What A Morning", "The Desert Song", and "Love Came Back To Me" by Sigmond Romberg.

A piano and organ duet, "Holy, Holy, Holy" was presented by Mrs. Henry Withers and Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead Sr.

Mrs. Morrell Dick presented the hymn, "The Perfect Song" by Clarence Lucas.

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead Sr. played "My Sanctuary", a hymn by Crowell and Buckley and "Face to Face" hymn, transcribed by William Stickler and "Say It With Music" from Alexander Ragtime Band production.

Miss Martha Meadors played the hymn, "Beyond the Sunset" and the selection from Victor Herbert, "Kiss Me Again," closing the program with "The Grand Offertory" by E. Baptiste.

Following the interesting concert, the hostess served delicious hot punch, horsd'oeuvres and cookies.

The next meeting in March will present Easter music, and will be held at the First Methodist Church, with Mrs. Henry Withers, hostess, and Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead Sr., director.

Haskell Woman Receives Letter From Governor

Mrs. R. H. Darnell, of Rice Springs Care Home, celebrated her 82nd birthday, Sunday, February 8th.

One of the highlights of the day was a letter from Governor Preston Smith, congratulating Mrs. Darnell on reaching her ninety-second milestone.

Mrs. Darnell received numerous cards, letters, telephone calls, and a number of persons "dropped by" to wish her a "happy birthday."

A son, Dennis Wilson and wife of Stamford, and a daughter, Mrs. Johanna Mitchell, of Haskell, were present for the special occasion.

A daughter, Mrs. Robert Tarkington, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was unable to attend, but telephoned.

Haskell CAP 4-H Club Girls Hold Meeting

By Sherry Whitaker
The Haskell CAP 4-H Club girls met Friday, February 6, at 4:00 p. m. at the Neighborhood Center. The HD Agent, Mrs. Barbara Elliott, took time out to meet with the girls and their leader, Mrs. Elliott was introduced by Sherry Whitaker.

Two new officers were elected: vice president, Ruby Collins; assistant secretary, Diane Brown. Visiting with the girls was Tanya Whitaker.

Girls present were: Catherine Williams, Sherry Whitaker, Willie Erwin, Ruby Collins, DeLores Kirk, Joyce Kilgore, Dolores Reed, Patsy Rodela, Sally Rodela, Debra Randle, Irish

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Ruth Circle Of The W.M. Holds Meeting

The Ruth Circle of the W.M. men's society of Haskell, Tuesday evening, Mrs. B. R. chairman, conducted business session, general announcements.

The program, "In A Broken World" by Mrs. Wallace G. discussion followed the program and the closing of each member and assume her with the heart of each.

Next meeting with Mrs. Darold Roberts

B&PW Club Map Plans Tasting Bee

The Haskell B&PW Club in regular session on February 10th, at 4:00 p. m. Bags filled with candy, decorated hearts and ribbons to both rest homes, club members, Haskell Community Room, National Bank, mess meeting.

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Girl Scout Cookie Sale Set Feb. 20-28

On Friday, Feb. 20, local Girl Scouts will begin knocking on doors.

They will be asking for a helping hand, NOT a handout for their organization when they sell cookies. Feb. 20 through Feb. 28 to friends and neighbors.

This is each girl's service project for her fellow Scouts, and it is a money-earning project.

The 50c you pay for a box of cookies goes a long way toward improving Girl Scouting for your girl or your neighbor's girl.

Twenty-two cents from each box's sale goes into the West Texas Girl Scout Council property fund which supports summer camp at Camp Boothe Oaks in Sweetwater, year-round troop camping, the new G. S. service center in Abilene, and other local properties.

Five cents a box goes into each troop's treasury, one cent assists girls and adults who attend national and international events, and the remaining 22c goes back to the cookie company. COUNCILS DO NOT GET COOKIES FOR FREE!

Money from United Fund drives and/or Girl Scout Fund Drives only goes into operating budgets for the Council. Thus, the cookie sale is the only source of income for camp and general properties.

Girl Scout Cookies will be sold only during the week of Feb. 20 through Feb. 28. If you are not contacted by a Girl Scout and would like to buy cookies, then please call your local service unit cookie chairman.

Representing Haskell is Mrs. Jessie Dean, 1000 N. Ave. G.

"Americanism Our Responsibility" Program Theme Of Weinert Matrons

The Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday, February 5th, at the Grade School in Weinert, guests of the third and fourth grades, taught by Mrs. Betty Sanders.

The room was attractively decorated with valentines and numerous pictures of Washington and Abraham Lincoln.

The program on "Americanism Our Responsibility", was directed by Mrs. R. C. Liles. Kimberly Hager gave the American Creed and the children presented a puppet show.

All children wrote essays on "Being A Good American." First place winner was Tammy Herrick; second, Jerry Walker and third, Eddie Freeby. The children also made flags, with first place winner, Sandra Smith; second, Joe Barajas; third, Terri Therwanger.

The essays were read and the first place essay follows:

"A way I could be a good American is to help people give to our land. I like to live in America because you do whatever you want to, if you have the money."

"I love my country, and I'm glad that it became a great country. It is always good to obey laws and traffic rules. You should always obey them so you won't get hurt. We are doing a lot of things about our great country. We are even learning about the symbols of our country. We like to learn about our country so we may tell other people about it. We have been learning songs about our great country. I love the United States very much."... Tammy Herricks.

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The Wranglers are here!

In straight leg and also snug at the hip with flare at the foot! . . . Bold prints in red, blue, green and pink.

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Mental Health, Mental Retardation Program Slated Wednesday, Feb. 18 **WHAT'S REALLY IMPORTANT ABOUT YOUNG DRIVERS?**

Mental Health and Mental Retardation will be the title of the program that will be presented Wednesday, February 18th, 2:00 p. m. at the Haskell National Bank Community Room, according to Barbara Elliott and Max Stapleton, County Extension Agents. Mr. Larry Mildren, Regional Coordinator, West Central Texas Region, Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, will present the program.

Mr. Mildren received a B.S. Degree in secondary education from Texas A&I College, M. S. Degree in health, physical education and recreation from North Texas State University and did graduate work at the University of Kansas. Mr. Mildren has been very active in community work. His service to his community includes: president, Madison Junior High PTA; president, Austin Elementary School PTA; president, Cooper High School Booster Club; chairman, Professional Division, United Fund of Abilene, and chairman, Athletic Committee, Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

The Haskell County Home Demonstration Council will serve as host for the afternoon meeting. The program is open to the public and everyone is invited to attend.

What is the real problem when a youngster starts to drive? His safety? Concern for others? The cost of auto insurance?

Insurance companies hear much about auto insurance rates for the young driver, the Insurance Information Institute says, but these rates recognize and encourage safe driving in a situation where there isn't enough of it.

Consider these facts: Although only 20.9 per cent of the nation's motoring population is under age 25, drivers age 24 and younger were involved in 34.6 per cent of all reported accidents and 33.9 per cent of fatal accidents in this country in 1968.

The number of drivers involved in fatal accidents, ages 20 through 24, in 1968 was 117 per 100,000 drivers, almost twice the average rate of 67 for all age groups, according to the National Safety Council.

Because younger drivers tend to have more frequent and more serious accidents, they run up a bigger accident bill and auto insurance rates are higher for those in this group. However, steps can be taken to limit the extent of the premium increase when a young person starts driving the family car. A premium discount is offered by most insurance companies for youthful motorists who have satisfactorily completed a recognized driver education course offered by high schools and colleges.

Also, many insurers offer a premium discount ranging up to 25 per cent for young drivers who maintain good grades in school, the Institute said, reflecting the fact that generally good students also have good driving records.

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Dangers: Physical addiction, painful withdrawal symptoms, mental deterioration, destruction of brain and liver, death from overdose.

Drug used: Cough medicine containing codeine.

Physical symptoms and behavior patterns: Drunk appearance, confusion, possible itching, pin-point eye pupils, drowsiness.

Look for: Empty cough medicine bottles.

Dangers: Physical addiction, painful withdrawal symptoms.

Drug used: Marijuana, pot, grass, tea.

Physical symptoms and behavior patterns: Talkativeness, laughter, sleepiness or excitability, wandering mind, lack of coordination, craving for sweets, increased appetite, hallucinations.

Look for: Strong odor of burnt leaves, small seeds in pocket linings, cigarette paper, discolored fingers.

Dangers: Possible inducement to take stronger narcotics. Recent medical claims—chronic exposure may injure organs.

Drug used: LSD, DMT, STP.

Physical symptoms and behavior patterns: Impaired judgment or ability to think clearly, severe hallucinations, goose bumps, chills, vomiting, trembling incoherent speech, cold hands, nausea, laughing and crying, enlarged eye pupils, impulsive behavior.

Look for: Cube sugar or animal crackers with discoloration in center, unusual body odor, small bottles or tubes of liquid, hypodermic syringe and needle, tourniquet, cotton.

Dangers: False sense of safety, unpredictable behavior, chronic exposure causes serious mental changes, Brain damage. Potential for birth defects.

Drug used: Amphetamines, pep pills, ups.

Physical symptoms and behavior patterns: Enlarged eye pupils, aggressive behavior, giggling, silliness, rapid speech, confused thinking, no appetite, extreme fatigue, dry mouth, shakiness, hallucinations, sleeplessness.

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Happy Birthday Club Sponsors Monthly Project

The Happy Birthday Club met Friday, February 6th, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Johnson. Mrs. Nell Woodson was hostess, honoring Mrs. Alvin Corzine on her birthday.

The president for 1970, Mrs. Woodson, named committees for the new year.

The club sponsors a worthy project each month of the year and for January each member donated to "The March of Dimes".

For the February project members will donate articles of clothing and linens to a family who recently lost their home and furnishings in a fire.

Program was presented by Mrs. W. E. Johnson, who gave a reading, and each member received Valentines from the attractively decorated post-office. Hundreds of Valentines were on display. The "Wishing Well," was the center of attraction. The old-fashioned well with the bucket and rope revealed a wish for each member. Several prizes were given by Mrs. Johnson. Mrs. O. W. Whitaker was in charge of games.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Woodson to Mesdames Raymond Davis, Alvin Corzine, O. W. Whitaker, W. E. Johnson, Eula Daniels, Albert Hannsz, F. I. Pearsey, H. D. Bland, Tony Patterson.

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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) What taxes can I deduct?

A) If you itemize deductions, state and local income, sales, gasoline, personal property and real estate taxes may be deducted. These should be listed on Schedule A Itemized Deductions, and attached to your Form 1040.

Those who itemize will find that using the new Schedule A provides more room to list things such as medical expenses and charitable contributions than was available on the back of the old Form 1040.

Q) I kept a record of my earnings and withholdings for the year and am all set to file my return. Do I have to wait until I get my W-2?

A) Yes, one copy of all W-2's must be attached to your tax return when you send it in. Processing of the returns and refunds are delayed if this is not done. You should receive your W-2 no later than February 2.

Note that this year, the W-2 should be stapled to the back of Form 1040 rather than the front.

Q) Where can I get a copy of your tax guide?

A) A copy of Your Federal Income Tax 1970 edition may be purchased from most IRS offices for 60 cents. You may also obtain this publication by using the order form on the inside cover of the 1940 tax form package. Send a check or money order with the order blank to the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C. 20402.

Q) I'm a senior at college and I'm due a tax refund on some part-time work I did. Can I claim my own exemption without causing my father to lose the exemption he claims for me?

A) Yes, if you were a full-time student during some part of five months of the year, you can claim your own exemption and your father will not lose you as an exemption, so long as the necessary dependency tests are met. In this situation, the same exemption can be claimed on two returns, yours and your parent's.

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O'Brien, Rochester, Rule, Weinert Eligible For New Postal Service

Congressman Omar Burleson announced today that he has been advised by Postmaster General Winton M. Blount of a major new postal service program that will expand home deliveries to an additional 4 million Americans—principally in small communities—for the first time.

Under the program, persons living more than a quarter mile, but less than half a mile from 18,700 post offices that do not have city delivery are now eligible to receive the delivery at home. Previously, they have been compelled to go to the post office for their mail.

Since they live less than half a mile away from a post office, they have not been eligible to receive rural delivery service prior to Mr. Blount's new order, the Congressman explained. And because they live near a post office that does not have city delivery they have missed out there, too.

Congressman Burleson said he had been advised that the Postmaster General is issuing instructions in the Postal Bulletin Thursday making the service available to the 1.2 million families living in the eligible areas—4 million individuals.

The only requirement to obtain service is that it must be requested of the postmaster, and a majority of those living in the area must desire the service.

The expansion will be achieved by such steps as extending shorter rural routes and adding delivery stops to some rural routes. In other instances, "star" or contract routes may be used to provide the service; in some locations, it may be necessary to establish new rural routes, the Postmaster General advised the Congressman.

"Mr. Blount's order provides for one of the most significant advances in service in many years," the Congressman commented. "I am particularly pleased that the order will benefit communities in our 17th Congressional District."

He listed the following areas in Haskell County which will be eligible for this service expansion under the order: O'Brien, Rochester, Rule and Weinert.

ON DUTY IN THAILAND

Captain Anthony K. Dunnam, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dunnam, of Rule, is on duty at Udorn Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Captain Dunnam is a navigator with the 7th Airborne Command and Control Squadron, a unit of the Pacific Air Forces, headquarters for air operations in Southeast Asia, the Far East and Pacific area.

Before his arrival in Thailand, the 1954 graduate of Rule High School attended Indiana University where he was awarded his M.B.A. degree.

A former student at the University of Texas, he earned his B. S. degree in 1950 at West Texas State University, where he also became a member of Theta Xi. In 1960 he was commissioned through Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

His wife, Linda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lewis, Rule.

Gov. Endorses High School Essay Program

Texas Governor Preston Smith has endorsed a high school essay program designed to rekindle an awareness of the "positive" basics of American life among young people of Texas.

Termed "Why You've Got A Lot to Live," the essay program will be conducted throughout the state by Pepsi-Cola bottlers in 24 Texas franchises, according to Charles L. Sandahl, Jr., director of the national Pepsi-Cola Bottlers Association.

Sandahl said students will be asked to express their thoughts on the vital issues facing America today, with emphasis on the means by which the country can achieve its potential.

Winners at local high schools will be eligible to participate in an area competition and the winning entry will then be forwarded for judging in the state finals. State winners from all fifty states will participate in a national contest with the top essay announced in June, 1970.

Sandahl reviewed the program with Gov. Smith accompanied by James L. Stafford of Dallas, Southern Division Director of Public Relations for Pepsi-Cola Co., and Buddy L. Gould, district manager for the soft-drink firm from San Antonio.

The Texas state winner will receive a \$1000 U. S. Savings Bond, while the national winner receives a \$10,000 bond. Matching prizes will be presented schools of the winning students.

THE AMERICAN IDEAL: A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first in a series of the three winning essays written by talented High School students who were declared winners in this year's patriotic essays contest, sponsored by the Progressive Study Club. The first place winner was Rhonda Woodard and her essay follows:

I had a dream last night. I was in a foreign country, where... I knew not, the countryside was strange to me. Everything was so different! The farm laborers were poor, so very poor! Their little cottages and shacks threw a dim reflection on the country. There was a disturbing feeling in the air—of fear, hunger, rebellion, harsh inequality, unjust governmental dictatorship. The city was no better. The people seemed to be afraid to speak out, but what would happen to them if they did? I asked a factory worker about the government. My answer—silence, only a mute, dumb silence! Suddenly all eyes were turned to the arrival of The Leader, a man who thought he was a god—a man of all power and authority. He raised his hand to speak... I woke up. It had been a troubling dream, a disturbing one. As my sense of reality and right-and-wrong returned, I realized that I was home again—home in America! What a blessed thought! I heaved a sigh of relief. Yes, in America, I began to realize, though, that the things that caused the terrible void in that country were the very things I was taking for

granted here in America. But what were these things—these ideals? Democracy? Freedom? Liberty? Equality? Inalienable rights? Yes, all these, and many, many more!

Democracy... We say we live in one, but just what is a democracy? Webster defines it as a "government in which the supreme power is in the hands of the people, who exercise it either directly or through their chosen representatives." The American ideals in my life seem to center around this one tremendous word—democracy. Abraham Lincoln put it another way. He stated that a democracy is a government of the people, by the people, for the people. I suppose all governments could be classified as being "of the people", and even dictatorships may say they are "for the people", but a democracy, and only a democracy, is "of, for, and by the people."

Here in America, we, the people, are sovereign; we govern ourselves. We have the active voice in the day-to-day control and management of our nation. This is done by expressing our opinions through a relatively small body of persons chosen to act as our representatives.

We who live in a democracy have found, through the ages, certain ideals in which we can believe and trust. In America, we recognize the fundamental importance of every individual. The individual is the rarest and most precious resource of our society! We have a deep faith in the majority rule and min-

OUR HEALTH

By J. M. Amberson, M.D.

Why are children so prone to skin problems?

While we all have observed the incredibly smooth skin of infants and children, they are still very susceptible to many skin diseases. Dryness of the skin is very common in infants from the time they leave the maternity ward for the next 3 to 4 years. Excessive bathing is one of the major factors in dry skin in children.

Very much the same conditions exist in the skin of the very young as in the elderly. In the former, the oil glands have not fully developed; in the latter, age, normal wear and tear have decreased their functions. One way to alleviate some of the dry skin discomforts that many infants and children suffer is with a therapeutic bath additive like Alpha-Keri. A capful or two can be placed in the child's bath, providing a thin, protective covering on the whole body.

Pediatricians have found that the daily use of Alpha-Keri in the bath keeps the skin of the baby soft, smooth and clean and prevents it from becoming dry, itchy—and uncomfortable.

How dangerous is laryngitis? In most cases, laryngitis, or inflammation of the larynx, is not a serious condition. It can

be part of a general upper respiratory infection or a warning sign that you are doing something wrong—smoking, drinking too much, abusing your vocal chords or perhaps inhaling dust, fumes or other air pollutants. If you have a simple case, it generally clears up in a few days. However, if hoarseness persists or keeps recurring, it can be a warning that something is very much wrong. See your doctor by all means. Long-lasting hoarseness, for example, can be a sign of throat cancer, usually curable if it is caught in time.

What are callouses? Callouses are nature's way of protecting feet and hands from friction and pressure. In many instances they are quite necessary—guitarists and cellists, for example, work at building up protective callouses on their fingers. If you wear high heels, you've probably noticed that the heels and balls of the feet develop a calloused area for a little extra reinforcement. Sometimes callouses can become unsightly or painful—and then they should be removed. Soak the calloused area and then rub away at the callous with a pumice stone or one of the specially formulated removers? If you remove the dead skin cells merely a layer a day, you will soon get rid of the callouses completely. Then the next step is trying to pinpoint the cause—tight shoes, constant rubbing or whatever—and removing the irritant.

priority rights. One of the many foundations on which a democracy is built is that the majority of the people will be right much more often than wrong. The majority must, however, also recognize "minority rights"—the right of any minority to become if it can, by fair and lawful means, itself the majority. We recognize the necessity of compromise. Here, public policies are blended to find an agreement acceptable to both sides.

Freedom... a right that I, as an individual, have been granted, a right that my forefathers struggled and gave their lives for! It has been stated that free-

dom is rooted in the conviction that God alone is absolute Lord, and that no man is another's master. To me, this means that no dictatorial tyrant can ever reach the heights of God's glory to reign over me as a supreme being. I am free from a government-over-man rule, for in America, man is the government. I can disagree with my neighbor and criticize the national policies without fear of harm. I can pore over the wisdom of the past and the knowledge of today without it being censored.

Liberty... From early colonial times, my ancestors have been liberty-loving people. In verse, song, and formal declaration, America, since attaining independence, has been extolled as "sweet land of liberty."

Liberty, as it applies to me, means freedom from interference by others. This is basically my liberty of freedom of choice, with due respect for the equal rights of others. Without this freedom, my decisions would not be voluntary, a true self-expression, would not be based upon a choice between right and wrong, good and evil, as my conscience and moral codes direct me. Democracy can thrive only in an atmosphere of complete individual freedom. Democracy insists that each man must be free to do as he pleases as long as it injures no one else or usurps no one else's liberties. As one teacher explained, "Liberty extends only as far as the end of your nose."

Equality... Perhaps a statement from the Declaration of Independence can aptly express my belief in equality. "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the pursuit of Happiness." Being one of the most debated sentences in American history, it is also one of the most precious to me. It is quite evident that men are created unequal in looks, ability, character, and so forth. Rights are not "inalienable," for they are taken away every day by tyrants. These thoughts, however, are based on a misunderstanding of Thomas Jefferson's original meaning.

"All men are created equal." "Equal" here means that I am equal in rights, but not in abilities or circumstances. As all men are equal before God, so we are all equal in God-given rights. We are also equal in opportunities and before the law. "Inalienable" means, not that a tyrant cannot take away my rights, but that by doing so, he violates divine law.

In America, I am equal to everyone else. I can take advantage of every opportunity afforded me to develop the best

that is in me. I have an equal opportunity with everyone else to obtain the best possible education.

All of these ideals I have talked about are my inalienable rights. They were given me at birth by my Creator, and I have no power to surrender them to anyone else, for they were given me by God! I, as well as every individual, have the right to worship the Supreme Being of the Universe in my own choice and manner.

I, therefore, as an American, realize my duty and responsibility, and for this reason, I can proudly take the "American's Creed" by William Tyler Page:

"I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic, a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect union, one and inseparable, established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and their fortunes.

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According to P. O. Settle Jr., president, 30,378 crippled persons received Easter Seal treatment during 1969.

Nationwide, Easter Seal services were provided for almost a quarter million handicapped Americans last year, he pointed out. Quoting the annual report of the National Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults, of which the Texas Society is an affiliate, he said that almost all programs in operation across the nation are expanding. They include treatment and rehabilitation centers, sheltered workshops,

camp, recreation programs and "Through the hands of persons with a handicap receiving need to lead to Settle said.

The Texas Easter Seal Society helps support facilities, where adults are treated their ability to perform those suffering from cerebral palsy, sclerosis, muscular dystrophy, speech disorders, and other conditions.

The Easter Society which provides continuation of begins February 10, 1970, through Sunday.

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We wish to express our appreciation to each and everyone who helped in any way when we lost our home and all our possessions. Each item is deeply appreciated. Everyone has been so kind and thoughtful to us. We especially want to thank the fire boys in trying their best to save our home. Thanks for every thing. Sincerely, the Manuel Medellin Family. 7p

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the Doctors, Nurses, Holden-McCauley, friends and neighbors for the many flowers, food, cards and other acts of kindness shown us during my stay in the Haskell Memorial Hospital. Sincerely, Frances Byrd. 7c

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Our sorrow in the loss of our loved one is easier to bear with the help of friends. We want each of you to know how much we appreciate all that you have done for us. Thank you for your sympathy. The family of George Moller. 7p

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SPORTS

"All Sports" Banquet Held At Weinert

All-Sports Banquet was held Thursday night at the Weinert Gym. A good crowd attended to enjoy the delicious meal, and the outstanding program. Chet Forehand was master of ceremonies.

A group of girls, Janis Rainey, Alexia Mayfield, Lorenia Caddell, Pauletta Wilfong, Joan Caddell and Debbie Campbell, accompanied by Mr. Guess, entertained with song. Coach Haley introduced the football boys, and Tommy Miller was named most-consistent player.

Coach Berry introduced the basketball players, and Donna Adams was named most valuable player.

Freddie Horan was elected "Football Hero", and Debbie Campbell "Football Sweetheart". They were escorted to the stage where she was crowned. Both received gifts.

Dan Sloan, an ex-student and an ex-teacher, was the speaker. He spoke of the tremendous amount of sacrifice, mentally and physically, to be a good athlete. He admonished them to think positive, go into the contest to win, and mentioned it took good physical condition to be a good athlete. He also told them to so live that each would be successful in the game of life.

throw, but then Benjamin's Shane Milson got the rebound when he purposely missed his second chance.

Rule claimed the girls' game 35-30.

WEINERT WALLOPS PAINT CREEK

The Weinert Bulldogs blasted the Paint Creek Pirates, 53-31, in District 26-B play at Paint Creek Friday night.

Tommy Miller topped the winners with 25 points. Ricky Green hit 20 for the losers.

The Weinert girls blitzed Paint Creek girls 73-25 behind Donna Adams' 39-point output. Terry Walton bagged 22 for Paint Creek.

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But the Bluecats turned on the stall as soon as the Indians got within striking range, and Coleman won the game at the free throw line as the Indians had to foul for possession.

Now 10-3 in district, the Bluecats must beat Hamlin (also 10-3) Friday for a share of the championship with Merkel.

Haskell's Ed Stewart led all scorers with 26 points, but the Indians took their 11th loss against three district wins.

Haskell won the girls' game, 38-36, in double overtime as Jan Medford and Pam Colbert both scored 12 for the winners. Coleman's Pam Puckett scored 22. Coleman won the B-team game, 57-43.

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CAGE RESULTS

OLD GLORY OUTLASTS O'BRIEN, 82-39

The Old Glory Pirates won their 11th straight District 26-B contest at O'Brien Friday night, running over O'Brien 82-39.

Russell Letz topped the Pirates with 25 points, while Wayne Rowan netted 14 for the Bulldogs.

The Old Glory girls edged the O'Brien girls, 45-41, behind Regina Letz's 21 points. Susie Del Hierro hit 16 for O'Brien.

BENJAMIN EKES FAST RULE

The Benjamin Mustangs gave the Old Glory Pirates a helping hand by knocking off the Rule Bluecats, 60-58, in 26-B action Friday night at Benjamin.

A three-count play by Bud Colwer with 30 seconds left proved to be the key to victory. Jimmy Lisle missed a free

The Sportsman's Corner

by Clark Webster, Remington Wild Life Expert



INDIANS DOWNED BY BEARCATS

The Ballinger Bearcats stepped up to the charity line and won themselves a District 7-AA ball game at Ballinger Friday night, downing Haskell 71-57.

Ballinger earned but one more field goal than the Indians, but outscored them from the free-throw line 27-14.

Haskell stayed close until the final quarter, when Ballinger picked up its barrage from the free line.

Ballinger took the B game 71-40.

ROCHESTER STEERS HOOK WEINERT BULLDOGS

The Rochester Steers topped the Weinert Bulldogs, 55-48, here Tuesday as Randy Goode meshed 24 points.

Tommy Miller of Weinert was high for the game, however, with 30 points in a losing cause. Rochester is now 8-4, while Weinert dropped to 4-8.

Weinert's undefeated girls won, 56-55, despite Lois Byrd's 43-point production for the losers. Donna Adams led Weinert with 37.

The Weinert girls will play Trent for bi-district honors at a site to be announced Wednesday.

RULE BOBCATS CLAW PAINT CREEK PIRATES

The Rule Bobcats remained alive in the District 26-B flag race with a 61-35 win over the Paint Creek Pirates Tuesday night.

For the Bobcats to win the

crown, however, they will have to win their remaining games while Old Glory, now 12-0, loses.

Kent LeFevre paced the Rule attack with 17 points, while Ricky Green had 13 for the Pirates.

Rule won the girls' game, 55-52, behind Pam Pitcock's 20 points. Terry Walton tossed in 19 for Paint Creek.

BENJAMIN BOUNCES O'BRIEN 74-31

Shane Milson scored 27 points and paced the Benjamin Mustangs to a 74-31 victory over the O'Brien Bulldogs Tuesday night in District 26-B.

High pointer for O'Brien was Bobby Summers with 17 points.

In the girls' game, O'Brien won over Benjamin 53-27. Susie Delhierro scored 22 for O'Brien and Lanay Patterson accounted for 18 points for Benjamin.

GRASS FIRE

A grass fire, which threatened to get out of control along the banks of the Rice Springs Branch, south of Anderson Tire Company, around 4:45 p. m. Tuesday, brought out the fire truck to keep the blaze under control. An eye-sore along the branch was burned-off.

TAX QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q) Is there any change in who has to file a return for 1969?

A) Filing requirements for 1969 Federal income tax returns are unchanged from last year.

To summarize them, a return must be filed by every person under 65 who had gross income of \$600 or more for the year. For those 65 or older on the last day of tax year, a return does not have to be filed until gross income reaches \$1,200.

Also, anyone who has net earnings of \$400 or more from self-employment, is required to file a return and pay self-employment tax.

Filing requirements also apply to minors. A parent or guardian should file a return on behalf of a child who has gross income of \$600 or more during the tax year. In every case, you must file a return to get any refund due.

Hospital Notes

Admitted

Rochester: Robert Speck, medical

Munday: Eugene Brazell, medical

Haskell: Mrs. Vera Baugh, accident

J. L. Collier, medical

Marion Brook, medical

Princeton Ford, surgical

Cora Grant, medical

Willie Grace Pace, medical

Mrs. Lorene Adkins, medical

Nancy Green, medical

J. F. Isbell, medical

Old Glory: Herbert Klump, medical

Lillian Garner, medical

Rule: Sam Warren, medical

Bertha Greene, medical

Alvin Louis, medical

Dismissed

Dahlia Gideon of Knox City.

Ollie Karr, Mrs. Joyce Ary, Gladys Stewart, H. A. Sherman, Diana Felker, Eskie Highnote, Mrs. David Summerville, Manra Gomez, Bill Shaw, Marvin Medford, E. R. Lowe, Frances Bird, Stella Bartley of Haskell.

Sue Cole, Ed Verner, Janice Marquis, Pierrey Goad, of Rule.

O. W. Vaughn of Weinert.

Nancy Brown of Old Glory.

Karen Wolf, Ramona Flores, of Abilene.

The Very Newest

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Felker, of Haskell, baby girl, Hester Sue, 5 lbs., 13 oz., Feb. 3, 1970.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Flores, of Abilene, baby girl, Mary Helen, 8 lbs., 1 oz., Feb. 5, 1970.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wolf, of Abilene, baby girl, Melissa Beth, 5 lbs., 9 oz., Feb. 4, 1970.

Mr. and Mrs. David Summerville, of Haskell, baby girl, Deana Kay, 5 lbs., 4 oz., Feb. 2, 1970.

Conference For Civil Defense Directors Set

Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today that some 400 local officials and civil defense directors are expected to attend the 10th Annual State Conference for Civil Defense Directors in Austin February 16-17.

Speir said John E. Davis, director of the National Office of Civil Defense in Washington, will be principal speaker for the two-day conference conducted by the DPS Division of Defense and Disaster Relief.

Large Crowd:

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5. Terry Chapman, Haskell FFA; 6. Walter Blair, Haskell FFA.

Crossbreed Lambs: 1. Walter Blair, Haskell FFA; 2. Steve Alsabrook, Haskell FFA.

Cattle

Commercial Steers (lightweight): 1. Hal Hunt, Rule FFA; 2. Sam Powell, Haskell FFA; 3. Jimmy Lisle, Rule FFA; 4. Gary Miller, Rule FFA; 5. Jimmy Faulk, O'Brien FFA; 6. Larry Mathis, Rule FFA.

Commercial Steers (heavyweight):

1. Mark Hager, Haskell 4-H; 2. Gary Miller, Rule FFA; 3. Tim Powell, Haskell 4-H; 4. Kim Hager, Weinert 4-H; 5. Sam Powell, Haskell FFA; 6. Hal Hunt, Rule FFA.

Fat Steers (lightweight): 1. Kim Hager, Weinert 4-H; 2. Sam Powell, Haskell 4-H; 3. Jim Mickler, Haskell 4-H; 4. Don Hisey, Rule FFA; 5. Danny Hisey, Rule FFA; 6. Tim Jones, Rochester FFA.

Fat Steers (heavyweight):

1. Sue Hager, Weinert 4-H; 2. Joe Mickler, Haskell 4-H; 3. Cindy Thomas, Haskell 4-H; 4. Jim Mickler, Haskell 4-H; 5. Tim

Powell, Haskell 4-H; 6. Jeff Denson, Rule 4-H.

Grand Champion Commercial Steer: Mark Hager.

Reserve Champion Commercial Steer: Gary Miller.

Grand Champion Fat Steer: Sue Hager.

Reserve Champion Fat Steer: Kim Hager.

Grand Champion Steer (entire show): Sue Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hager, Jr., of Weinert.

Reserve Champion Steer (entire show): Mark Hager.

Showmanship Award: Joe Mickler, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mickler, Haskell.

Express Thanks

The Haskell County Junior Livestock Association expresses thanks to buyers and the Haskell Livestock Auction who gave their time, facilities and personnel to stage the auction, following the show.

Judges

Richard Spencer, Fisher County Agent judged the beef and sheep, and Bill Scott of Abilene, Agriculture teacher, judged swine, poultry and rabbits.

4-H AND FFA YOUTH LIVESTOCK AUCTION SALE

Highlighting again this year's show was the Youth Livestock Auction. Sale order follows:

Steers

Mark Hager, Reserve Champion of Show, 51.50, Haskell National Bank.

Gary Miller, Reserve Champion National Bank, 46.75, Farmers National Bank, Rule.

Hal Hunt, 1st place L. W. Commercial, 45.00, Hale Farm Supply.

Sam Powell, 2nd place L. W. Commercial, 50.00, Mrs. D. L. Powell.

Jimmy Lisle, 3rd place L. W. Commercial, 47.00, Lisle Gin, Rule.

Cindy Thomas, 3rd place H. W. Fat, 52.00, Home State Bank, Rochester.

Kim Hager, 4th place H. W. Commercial, 48.50, Weinert Gin, Paymaster Gin and Kimbell Mill.

Don Hisey, 4th place L. W. Fat, 55.00, Mahler Supply, Rule.

Jim Mickler, 4th place H. W. Fat, 50.00, J. H. Strain & Son.

Danny Hisey, 5th place H. W. Fat, 49.00, Bill Wilson Motor Company.

Tim Powell, 5th place H. W. Fat, 50.00, Mrs. D. L. Powell.

Larry Mathis, 6th place L. W. Commercial, 47.00, Wilcox Well Service.

Tim Jones, 6th place L. W. Fat, 44.00, Stamford Oil Mill.

Jeff Denson, 6th place H. W. Fat, 50.00, Rule Co-Op Gin.

Jackie Wilcox, 7th place H. W. Fat, 49.00, Mahler Supply, Rule.

Johnny Ross, 7th place H. W. Commercial, 49.00, Rule Chamber of Commerce.

Swine

John Allison, Grand Champion, 71.00, Nine-Point Grain.

Eugene Lee Reserve Grand Champion, 57.00, Haskell Farm Bureau.

Carol Dudensing, 1st Heavy Duroc, 47.00, Haskell County Farmers Union.

Joe Allen Martin, 1st Heavy

Crossbreed, 38.00, A. D. May, Bob Herren, James W. A. Thomas, Roy Torres, as, John Allison, Lade Conner, Thomas.

Tommy Farrar, 2nd Heavy Duroc, 40.00, Farmers Gin, Rochester.

Mike Turner, 2nd Light Hampshire, 72.00, Wheatley's Store, Haskell.

Mark Lewis, 2nd Heavy Hampshire, 46.00, Haskell County Warehouse Co.

Lynn Dudensing, 3rd Light Duroc, 41.00, Hager-Couch.

Susan Lewis, 3rd Heavy Hampshire, 42.00, Felker's Restaurant.

Ed Murray, 3rd Light Crossbreed, 41.00, Harris Slaughter Service.

Jan Allison, 4th Heavy Hampshire, 40.00, Wilcox Well Service.

Clayton Stegemoller, 4th Light Crossbreed, 36.00, Harris Slaughter Service.

Dale Smith, 4th Heavy Crossbreed, 43.00, Rochester City Grocery.

Riley Middleton, 5th Heavy Duroc, 49.00, Bob Herren.

Bobby Anders, 5th Light Hampshire, 41.00, Simpson Oil Co.

Allan Holmes, 5th Heavy Crossbreed, 40.00, Oates Drug.

Wayne Rowan Heavy Duroc, 37.00, Renfro Grocery.

Alan Matysiak, 6th Light Hampshire, 51.00, Wilcox and Mahler.

Hank Byrd, 6th Heavy Crossbreed, 49.00, City Grocery, Rochester.

Rodney Amonette, 8th Heavy Hampshire, 46.00, Felker's Restaurant.

Sheep

Jim Ballard, 70.00, Farmers Gin, Rochester.

Walter Blair, 54.00, Haskell Rotary Club.

Steve Alsabrook, 39.62, Furrh-Lane Insurance Agency.

Susan Lewis, 66.00, Oates Drug.

Riley Middleton, 72.00, Haskell Lions Club.

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We applaud these recommendations, but suggest that the list "musts" should be extended. It isn't enough for a person to see his doctor for prompt treatment or any high blood pressure that may be present. There's more to it than eating fewer saturated fats and cholesterol-rich foods. Avoidance of excess weight, slothfulness and cigarettes still doesn't complete the picture.

Clearly, there is a missing element. What is it? Simply this: Give your Heart Association all-out support through your contributions of money and volunteer services to the Heart Fund. Your Heart Association is the one agency mobilized to combat the nation's foremost health problem.

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SAGERTON NEWS

MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

Stitch and Chatter Club Meets

Mrs. Harvie Jordan was hostess to the meeting of the Sagerton Stitch and Chatter Club Wednesday afternoon of last week. Those present were: Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. M. Y. Benton, Mrs. G. A. Leach, Mrs. Will Stegemöller and the hostess.

Mrs. Rudolph Lamm celebrated her birthday with a party at their home Monday, Feb. 2. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vahlenkamp of Old Glory, and Mrs. Minnie Schmidt and Buster of Old Glory.

Mrs. Dewey Stubbs of Aspermont visited with Mrs. Hilda Koch Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar LeFevre of Skiatook, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence LeFevre of Wortham were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre. On Sunday, the LeFevres and their guests joined Mr. and Mrs. J. S. LeFevre and Cliff of Coleman and their granddaughter, Charla Taylor of DeLeon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and family. Larry LeFevre of McMurry and Mr. and Mrs. Bece Clark and Mrs. Will Stegemöller were also guests.

Carl Stegemöller, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemöller, celebrated his birthday Sunday, February 8th. Guests in their home were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stegemöller and family of O'Brien, Mrs. Emma Baitz of Stamford, C. E. Stegemöller and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lehmann visited in Snyder over the week-

end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz and daughters. F. A. Ulmer is a patient at the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene where he had surgery Tuesday of last week. He is reported doing fine.

Mrs. Alice Lewis is confined to her home this week with the mumps.

Mrs. Clota Engleman of Spur visited with Mrs. Ben Hess over the weekend.

Mrs. Oscar LeFevre, who was visiting her from Oklahoma with the Cliff LeFevres, received word Sunday morning that her brother had passed away in New Mexico and they left immediately.

Sgt. Steve Clark left Monday for Mountain Home, Idaho where he will be stationed until August. He has been here on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark since his return from Thailand. He will enroll at Howard County Junior College in Big Spring when he is discharged.

Kenneth and Judy Neinast, both students at Texas Tech in Lubbock, were home last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinast.

Monthly Meeting

The ALCW of the Faith Lutheran Church met at the church Thursday night of last week for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Marvin Stegemöller had the topic on "Christian In Society—Making Ethical Decisions."

Mrs. J. A. Hertel, president presided during the business meeting. Yearbooks were distributed to the members by Mrs. Fred Kupatt who had printed and made them. There were 15 members present.

Hostesses for the refreshments were Mrs. Otto Schaake and Mrs. Will Stegemöller.

The organization's regular meeting night is the first Thursday night of each month, but during the Lenten Season, their meetings will be held the first Friday night of each month, since Lenten Services are held on Thursday night. Miss Lillian Neinast will have the next program.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell and daughter of Decatur and her mother from Lubbock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cotton over the weekend.

Lone Star Gas Co. Dividend Is Declared

Directors of Lone Star Gas Company meeting in Dallas declared a regular quarterly dividend of 28 cents per share of common stock payable March 9th to shareholders of record February 20. Consecutive dividends have been paid on company stock since April 1912.

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Haskell County History

30 YEARS AGO (February 16, 1940)

Horace Payne of Hobbs, N. M., spent the weekend in Haskell. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Payne, who has been a guest for the past few weeks in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. L. Lemmon and Mr. Lemmon.

Successor to Vida Moore as district home demonstration agent for Extension District 3 is Mrs. Isla Mae Chapman who will be remembered as the former Isla Mae Chitwood, born and reared in Haskell. District 3 includes 17 Northwest Texas counties.

John Lee Smith, former County Judge of Throckmorton County, and prominent Democratic leader of this section, has announced his candidacy for State Senator from the 24th District, which includes Haskell county.

Cooperating with County Agent G. R. Schumann and Vocational Agriculture teachers in Haskell county schools, the Haskell Chamber of Commerce will sponsor and underwrite a substantial premium list for an annual Haskell county FFA and 4-H Club Boys Beef Show to be held each year beginning in 1941.

With a delegation of 31 persons, Haskell furnished the largest group from neighboring towns attending the annual Rule Chamber of Commerce Banquet Tuesday night. Attending the affair from Haskell were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Leon Server, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murchison, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Willoughby, Misses Mildred Vaughan, Ethel Frierson, Odell Williamson, Mrs. H. S. Wilson, John Crawford, Chesley E. Phelps, T. R. Odell, J. E. Reeves, Courtney Hunt, G. R. Schumann, Wallace Sanders, J. C. Davis, Jr., Olen Dotson, Chas. E. Smith, Woodley Davis, A. C. Pierson, J. A. Bynum, Frank Turner, John A. Couch.

Mrs. T. R. Odell was in Sagerton Tuesday night where she addressed the Parent-Teachers' Association on Citizenship. The Sagerton group presented Mrs. Odell's original play, "Tomorrow's Citizen," at this meeting.

60 YEARS AGO (February 12, 1910)

We are authorized to announce Hon. John D. Hupson as a candidate for the office of District Judge.

An examination for census enumerators for Haskell County was held in Haskell, February 5th by Postmaster John B. Baker. There were fourteen applicants from different parts of the county. The examination was written and the papers were sent to John B. Little of Big Spring, district supervisor. Mr. Little will grade the papers and make appointments of the enumerators.

Citizens met Wednesday in response to a call for the purpose of reorganizing the Board of Trade in order to widen the scope of work and secure larger means for carrying out its plan. The meeting was called to order by Judge McConnell. S. W. Scott was made temporary chairman, and J. E. Poole temporary secretary. More than 60 enrolled as members. Committees were appointed as follows: Constitution and by-laws, W. H. Murchison, H. G. McConnell, P. D. Sanders; membership, G. T. McCulloch, J. S. Rives, E. A. Chambers; permanent organization, M. H. Gilliam, A. H. Alexander, H. S. Wilson and S. W. Scott.

The Democratic county executive committee met last Saturday and elected J. A. Couch, Mr. Ed Shumway, of Abilene,

and the following Haskell men, held a Court of Honor for Haskell Boy Scouts on Monday evening in the Boy Scout rooms of the Methodist church. Rev. E. Gaslon Foster, C. B. Breedlove, A. C. Pierson, J. E. Bernard, D. H. Parsons and Clyde Foote. Those who passed the tenderfoot test were: Olvin Kearnes, Billy Burt, Byron Frazier, Hugh Shelby and Norwood Roberts. Scouts who received merit badges were: Ralph Bernard, C. B. Breedlove, Jr., Floyd Taylor, Edwin Parsons and Frank Bryant. Three were raised to first class scouts: Wallace Sanders, Herman Pittman and Frank Bryant.

Miss Hattie Paxton, who is teaching in the Abilene schools, was at home over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton.

Frank Pilley, one of Sagerton's leading farmers and a pioneer citizen of Haskell county, visited the Free Press office while in town, Friday.

Miss Lois Earnest is visiting her sister in Dallas this week.

Editor James A. Greer of the Rochester Reporter was a business visitor in Haskell, Monday.

Sheriff W. T. Sarrels and C. A. Lewellen made a business trip to Anson, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Koonce motored to Sweetwater last Sunday.

J. H. Strain Is Selected Top Rancher

Directors of the Upper Clear Fork Soil and Water Conservation District have selected J. H. Strain of Haskell as the outstanding conservation rancher of the district for 1939.

Strain, also a prominent West Texas contractor, ranches approximately 10 miles northeast of Rotan. This unit is known locally as the "Jamieson Ranch." Strain also has ranching and farming interests at Haskell.

Strain believes that a rancher is a grass farmer. He markets grass through pounds of beef. He points out, "eliminate brush as a competitor for water and balance number of animals with forage produced and the increased grass production will amaze you."

He has increased grass production since taking over the operation of the ranch in 1934. Strain reports that his 1934 calf crop averaged about 350 pounds as compared to 475 pounds in 1939.

To speed up rangeland recovery, Strain has rootplowed and reseeded to adapted grasses over 3000 acres of the ranch. In addition, approximately two sections of leased part of ranch

county chairman.

The Philathea class of the Baptist Church, assisted by local talent, will give a very entertaining and enjoyable entertainment, Saturday evening, February 19th.

At the Haskell Opera House, February 17th, the Matinee Girl Musical Comedy, bunch of pretty girls, gorgeously gowned. All the latest song hits will be introduced with the big beauty chorus, and those very clever comedians, Russell O'Neill and Gross, will handle the comedy parts and furthermore they know how to do it. This being the last big attraction of the season, no doubt the house will be crowded.

has been aerial sprayed. The ranch has been cross fenced so that no pasture has more than 700 acres in it. Water has been provided at several locations in each pasture.

Strain pointed out, "In those pastures where we had only one watering location, we noticed that we weren't getting even distribution of grazing. Beginning in March of 1939, Strain will start a two pasture deferred rotation grazing system on two sections of pastures and a four pasture deferred-rotation grazing system on four other sections of land. He plans to stock at approximately 30 animal units per section.

Strain is a member of the Methodist Church and Associated General Contractors.

Annual Safety Conference Set March 22nd

The 31st Annual Texas Safety Conference will be held in Dallas on four days in March this year, the Texas Safety Association announced today.

Starting Sunday, March 22nd, the conference will feature 200 speakers and panelists. TSA predicts this will probably be the largest and most successful safety meeting ever held in the Southwest with heavy attendance from New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas.

Over 2,000 accident-prevention leaders from all sections of the nation will be present to give their 1970 views of the many phases of personal-protection knowledge.

Safety topics to be discussed include traffic and motor transportation problems; industrial, chemical, and manufacturing safety and hygiene; safety in the home; church and women's activities; fire prevention and engineering; public utilities problems; marine and aerospace technology; water and gun subjects, and over twice as many more pertinent themes.

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ited in the hotel for the convenience of conference.

Pre-registration is urged for everyone, attendance is not restricted, and information is available from the Texas Safety Association, 1221 South Lamar Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78704.

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News from Weinert

By Mrs. Henry Smith

Blonnie Sanders, brother of Jack Sanders of Weinert and Mrs. Washington Alexander of Haskell, has returned to his home in De Leon after three months in the hospital and is doing remarkably well. Jack visited with Blonnie and his family Sunday night.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Alexander of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Cox and girls of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis of Fort Worth, Vicki Baldowski of Stamford, and Rocky Sanders of Irving.

Rev. and Mrs. Ross Anderson attended the funeral of his nephew, Alvin Smith at Lamesa last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Jenkins and Mrs. J. A. Driggers visited Mrs. Jenkins' mother, Mrs. Edith Smith at Rice Springs Care Home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndol Struck, Twila, Foster and Becky, of Odessa spent the weekend in his mother's home, Mrs. C. N. Struck.

Sue Hager won with her calves at the Haskell Show. Grand Champion fat steer class, also first in fat steer, and grand champion of the whole show. Kimberly won Reserve Champion fat steer, first in light-weight class, and fourth in the heavy weight class. They will compete in the show at Wichita Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hager, Sr. of Lueders, visited in their son's home Sunday, the W. R. Hager, Jr.

Mrs. Bud Rainey and children visited her grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Oliver Hix and Monday Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hutchinson, Dieter, Wayne, and Debbie, and his mother, Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Curd in Arlington over the weekend, Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson stayed for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander visited over the weekend with their son and family, the Billy Wayne Alexanders in Pleasant Valley, Mrs. Alexander visited her brother, the E. D. Robisons, and her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Jones, all of Slaton.

Mrs. M. L. Raynes Jr. of Munday and Mrs. M. L. Raynes Sr. of Seminole visited Mrs. Leonard Alexander Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rainey, Jeff, Kristi and Rusty of Floydada spent the weekend in the home of his parents, the R. J. Rainays.

Arch and Evelyn Mayfield attended the ball game at Paint Creek last week and spent the night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. They returned to school at Hardin-Simmons the next morning.

Mrs. Ferrell McCampbell returned to her home in San Jose, Calif., after a three-week vacation here with friends and

Menus...

School lunch menus for week of February 16-20:

Monday: Beef stew, grilled cheese sandwiches, cabbage slaw, peach halves, refrigerator cookies, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken and rice, English peas, tossed green salad, rolls, butter, cherry cobbler, milk.

Wednesday: Pizza, buttered carrots, blackeyed peas, celery sticks, rolls, butter, prune cake, milk.

Thursday: Hot dogs, pinto beans, baked potatoes, grapefruit sections, cornbread, butter, peanut butter cookies, milk.

Friday: Beef and spaghetti, green beans, Waldorf salad, rolls, butter, peach cobbler, milk.

SALARIES INCREASED
Salaries of white-collar workers increased 5.7 percent in the business year which ended June 30, 1969, according to a Labor Department survey. Salaries for professional, administrative and technical occupations increased 5.8 percent and salaries for clerical positions advanced 5.5 percent.

WMS Meets
The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church in Rochester met Tuesday morning at the church, February 2. Those attending were Mrs. Knott Ballard, Mrs. Guy Marshall, Mrs. Virgil Mitchell, Mrs. Vestus Alvis, Mrs. G. Hicks and Adelaide Hicks.

Hobby Club Meets
Last Thursday, Feb. 5, the Rochester Hobby Club met in the home of Vera Keel. After playing Bingo and exchanging Secret Pal gifts, they were served pecan pie, hot chocolate and coffee by the hostess.

Those attending were: Vera Keel, Hattie Wreyford, Cleve Hester, Eunice Newberry, Bobbie Steele, Mary Adkins, Mae Speck, Hattie Clark, and visitors, Mrs. Earl Hanson, Helen Cox and Johnnie Bell King.

Rotary Club Sees Film
The Rochester Men's Rotary Club met last Monday night, Feb. 2, in regular session at the school cafeteria. The members saw a film on Red River, presented by Phil Simmons, for the program.

Miss Chambers Receives Award
Miss Martha Nell Chambers, on the basis of her score in the homemaking knowledge and attitude test taken by senior girls Dec. 2, is Rochester's 1970 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow, it has been announced. In addition to receiving a specially designed silver charm from General Mills, sponsor of the annual homemaking education program, Martha Nell is now eligible for one of 102 college scholarships totaling \$110,000.

From school winners in the state, a State Homemaker of Tomorrow and runner-up will be selected within the next few weeks. The state winner will be awarded a \$1,500 scholarship and the runner-up a \$500 educational grant. In addition, the school of the state Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive a complete set of Encyclopedia Britannica from Encyclopedia Britannica, Inc.

Martha Nell is a 1970 mid-term graduate of Rochester High School. She is the daughter of Mrs. Bill Chambers. Martha Nell served as a cheerleader in high school for 3 years, played flute in the Steer band, and served as church pianist

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Wednesday attended the funeral of Mrs. C. M. Overton, formerly a resident of the Mattson Community. Floyd was a pallbearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Row McGuire, Debbie and Bill David of Pyote spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McGuire Sr., and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jr., and boys of Munday. Billy Row is working with the West Texas Children's Home in Pyote. Mrs. McGuire is teaching at Monahan.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boykin and family of Holiday visited his parents during the weekend, the Ted Boykins. They attended church at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Guinn, Jr., and Andrea of Dallas spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Dutton and attended Sunday School and church at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clark and children of Iowa Park visited her parents, the Ted Jettons, over the weekend. They attended church at the Church of Christ Sunday. Mrs. Jetton's mother, Mrs. Eva McMillan of Haskell also visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jetton and Jami of Abilene visited Sunday evening in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jetton. Last Tuesday Mrs. Ted Jetton went to Wichita Falls to be with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Stafford of Kamay during surgery. She is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Carroll and children of Odessa spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Carroll.

Cecil Davis and Pam Rhoades of Crosbyton spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis. They are students in McMurry.

Rochester News

By Edwin Roberson

Literary Club Hears Reader

Thursday, Feb. 5, the Rochester Literary Club met in the school cafeteria for their bi-weekly meeting. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr. The hostesses this week were Mrs. John Nichols and Mrs. George Mullino.

The Study Leader, Mrs. Earl Alvis, introduced the speaker. The study is on: Let's Become Involved - Juvenile Problems. The speaker was Joe Reeder, County Attorney for Knox County, who brought a speech on Helping Today's Youth.

Those members in attendance were: Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr., Clarence Gaunt, R. A. Shaver III, Lowell Freeman, Don Lamb, Earl Alvis, Dan Wadzeck, Knott Ballard, John Nichols, George Mullino, Eunice Michaels, Warren Short, W. H. Patterson, Tony McWhorter, Vestus Alvis, Thomas Bevel, Joe Fletcher, and Miss Adelaide Hicks.

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in the First Baptist Church for several years. She is now attending Hardin-Simmons University.

Joint revival services were held in Rochester Friday night at the Rochester Church of God. Bringing the message was Rev. Leon Ward, pastor of the Knox City and Rule Churches of God. Around fifty were in attendance from all three churches. Pastor of the Rochester Church of God is G. F. Moore.

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top 52-37. Tuesday night the teams traveled to Weinert. The scores are listed in the Cage Results inside this paper. This was the final game of the year for the Steerettes, capping a good season. Now they can look forward to volleyball and another good basketball season next year as they will return all the players plus a good junior high crop.

The Steers will play the Rule Bobcats Friday night in Rule then travel to Benjamin Tuesday night for their final game of the season.

The Rochester Junior High will host Rule Thursday night in 4 games involving grade school and junior high. These are tune-up games for the upcoming district tournament the week of Feb. 16-21. Many exciting games will be played during the tournament to be held in O'Brien. Teams in this district are from Rochester, O'Brien, Paint Creek, Rule, Weinert, Benjamin, Old Glory and Gooey. Professional referees will be hired for all games. Watching these games will be worth the time and money to see these future stars at work. This is for both boys and girls.

Here And There
Keele Acree was in Abilene on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Murray and daughter of Kress were in Rochester over the weekend visiting with the Dan Wadzecks.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Alderman and family of Fort Worth were here visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Rogers and family.

Visiting in Rochester over the weekend with relatives were the Winford Jenkins family of Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Broek of Haskell were Sunday visitors in Rochester visiting with Ira Blair and Mrs. John Clemmer. Ann Hicks and Karen Sanderson were in Abilene Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mullino and family vacationed in Ruidoso last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Speck were in Dallas over the weekend visiting their son, Jerald Dee.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Marshall left Sunday to go to Hale Center to visit their son and his family.

Mrs. Herman Williams was in Graham Saturday visiting her daughter and family.

S. R. Quattlebaum was in Abilene Saturday on business. Phil Acree, a student at Howard Payne, was home over the

weekend visiting his family, the Keele Acrees.

Mrs. Aubrey Headstream was in Wichita Falls all week and Bro. Headstream joined her on Friday and Saturday where they visited the David Hollingsworths.

Joel Bevel and Ginger Mullino were in Abilene Saturday night to see the Ice Follies.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Hearn were in Abilene Sunday on business.

Ginger Mullino, a student at McMurry College in Abilene, visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Mullino.

The Herman Williams family and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Wolf were in Abilene Sunday to see the Ice Follies.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brittain of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hays and daughter of Knox City were luncheon guests of S. R. Quattlebaum in Rochester on Sunday.

John Nichols has been hospitalized in Knox City this week.

Late news: Joel Bevel and Hoye Tibbets, both of Rochester, spent the New Year holidays in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Robert Speck was admitted to the Haskell County Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Keele Acree, Patti and Bob, and Miss Betty Hodges of Knox City were in Abilene last Monday night to see the basketball game between Howard Payne and McMurry in Indian gym. Howard Payne won the game by a substantial margin.

Lydia Miller and Chris Higgins of McMurry College visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Mullino last weekend. They came with Ginger Mullino.

Mrs. T. C. Bevel and Mrs. Jo Ann Carroll and Cynthia of Rule were in Abilene Sunday to see

Kathy Hager On Dean's List At Texas Tech

Kathy Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hager of Weinert, was named Dean of Business Administration's list at Texas Tech University for the year with an average of 88.5.

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Miss Hager is planning to major in business and plans to major in accounting.

She is a graduate of High School, where she was named Most Popular.

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the Ice Follies. Mr. and Mrs. all and family of were weekend visitors and Mrs. Red Me

Mr. and Mrs. Michaels and family Guthrie Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lee Buck was here over the iting Mr. and Mrs. and Joel.

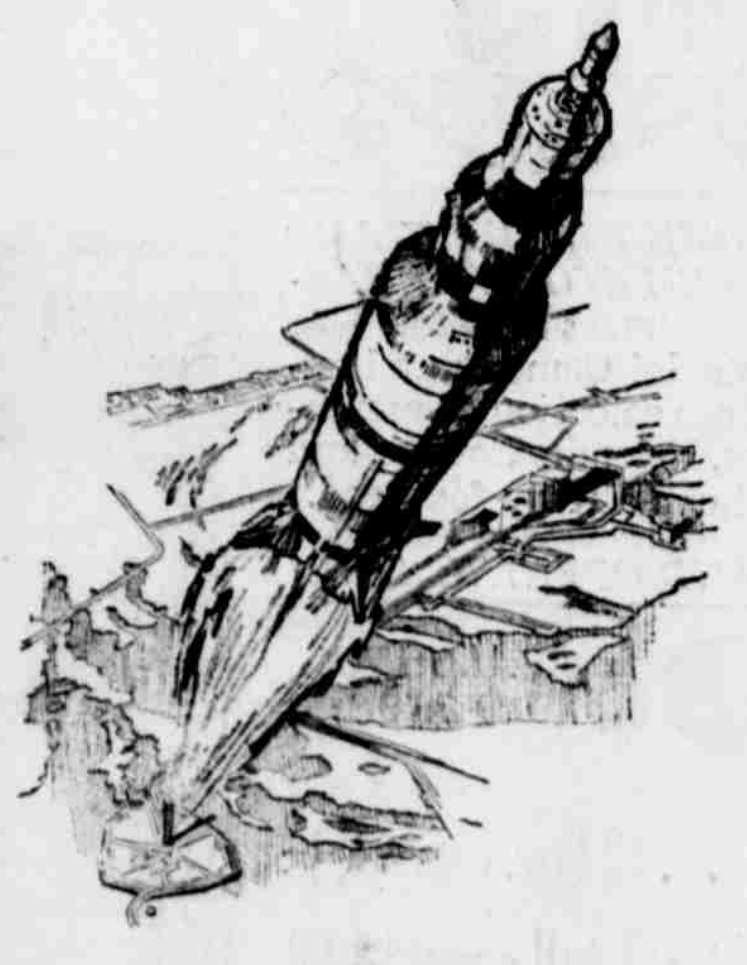
Martha Nell Oden at Hardin-Simmons in Abilene. Mrs. Bill Chambers over the weekend.

Mrs. John Clemm Haskell Wednesday. Ira Grindstead of the Knox County

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy of Snyder lives in Rochester weekend.

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