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BOB WALDEN

Walden Didn't Strike Out

By REX FELKER

A fellow has the misfortune to become the victim of a polo at the age of 12 and then later at the still age of 32, fall and break most any baseball fan would assuredly say "that has two big strikes a-him." The aforementioned accidents are exactly what led to Bob Walden, one of the newest business men, instead of taking a desperation swing at the pitched ball, Bob waited the right one came over and proceeded to knock out base hits in a routine as he daily operates his repair business in downtown Haskell.

Bob refused to give up in the face of adversity, because, as he expressed it, "I always wanted to see my own row." He promptly disregarded his doctors' advice and began thinking of ways in which he could still be useful to society and consequently make his own livelihood. After a consultation with his former supervisor, who suggested that perhaps shoe repair was the answer to his problems, he steered his interests in that direction.

He immediately began a training program under the supervision of Tomas Vargas, who along with his father, had operated this type of business for many years in El Paso. The elder Mr. Vargas made Tony Lama boots for 17 years and recalled that in the early days of boot making, they sewed their stitches with cactus fiber.

Soon after discovering that he was adapted to the art of shoe repair, Bob began to look for a suitable location where this type of business would be in demand and where it had the potentials of becoming a paying project. He then began the arduous task of typing out 76 letters to chambers of commerce, which he mailed and received 65 answers from towns and cities interested in a shoe repair shop. This is an indication that the business could be an art which is rapidly disappearing from the American scene like blacksmith shops and others.

After due consideration of the returned letters, he corresponded by letter and telephone with Rex Felker, Manager of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and decided that the west Texas town was a good location for his proposed project. His next move was to make an automobile trip to Haskell last winter to look over the town and to find an available building which would be suitable. This was quickly solved in a short meeting with Mr. Lorraine Johnson who owns several business buildings. The request was not an ordinary one because numerous things had to be taken into consideration that would have not been necessary for someone without his physical handicaps. Comfortable living quarters, adjacent and in the same building, had to be provided, outside concrete ramps with hand rails had to be installed to enable him to get in and out in his wheel chair. Also, a special platform had to be built inside the shop high enough to make it possible for him to get over his machines where he might have the proper leverage while repairing boots and shoes. These problems were quickly worked out by the owner and the prospective tenant on a combination basis of sharing the expense on certain items.

The Texas Rehabilitation Commission of the El Paso Division, under the supervision of Mr. E. E. (Bubba) Van Doren, had long been interested in his particular case and had worked closely with him. They agreed to purchase the necessary equipment and to transport it to

Rayland Hayes of O'Neil, Sam Cole Turner and F. Barbee of Rule will be participating in the event. Players will arrive Monday, August 5, for registration, and the first of workouts before the day night battle between East and West Teams.

For this year for the team are Buddy Fornes, Ronnie Giles, of Tarleton State, and coaches for the East are, Dean Slayton and Ed Mayo, of Howard Payne University. The play announcer will be Jim Pratt, managing news for KVIL-TV, Channel 7.

Each player has selected a mascot. The winner of the Bowl will be crowned during the ceremonies the night of the game. Nominees will be featured in the Parade of Queens, scheduled for 4 p. m. Saturday, August 10, and will also be entertaining at local organizations Friday night. Tickets for the game sell for \$1.00 general admission; \$1.00 for students and \$3.00 reserved seats and can be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce, or the gate.

Bloodmobile Here Tues., Aug. 6

The Red River Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Haskell August 6, at the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank from 1 p. m. to 6 p. m. Charles Thornhill, County Blood Chairman, said, "We desperately need to fill our quota of 70 pints and even need more than this." He urges donors to participate when the Bloodmobile comes to Haskell. Donors are accepted ages 18-65, and those over 65 may give if they have specific written approval from their personal physician dated within two weeks of the date of donation. Those who are 17 may donate if they have parents consent.

The Red Cross Blood Program is important to Haskell County as it provides needed blood to the hospital for all residents of the county. The Red Cross provides the trained medical, technical and administrative staff, as well as the equipment and laboratories to provide the life-saving blood when it is needed. For each paid staff person, there are 168 volunteers who recruit blood donors and assist in bloodmobile operations. Over 70 percent of all voluntary blood in

the nation is provided through the Red Cross and the purpose of the organization is to provide the highest quality blood at minimum cost to the patients. There is never a charge made for blood from the Red Cross since all blood is voluntarily given, only part of the cost of collection and processing is passed on to the patient by the hospital. This is usually much lower than in hospitals not serviced by the Red Cross.

Blood is only good (by law) for 21 days after it is donated. A fresh supply each day is necessary to maintain a safe inventory, readily available when patients need it. It has been determined that each 100 people need 4.3 pints of blood each year to meet their total blood needs. This is how Haskell County quota is figured and the 70 pints should be no problem for the residents of Haskell to meet. The Red River Regional Red Cross Blood Center provides all of the blood and blood products for 35 participating hospitals serving over 350,000 people in a 20,000 square mile area of Texas and Oklahoma. The blood program will replace any blood for those in participating chapters (counties) used anywhere in the United States (provided the hospital will accept replacement by Red Cross). Remember — Blood cannot be manufactured — it must be given. Only one time has Haskell reached its quota. It has almost reached it two or more times but Chairman Thornhill is urging Haskell residents to go over the quota on August 6.

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Haskell ISD School Calendar

- August**
- 12—Band practice begins
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 - 12—Sr. Registration, 1:30 p. m.
 - 13—Jr. Registration, 9:00 a. m.
 - 13—Sph. Registration, 1:30 p. m.
 - 14—Freshman Registration, 9:00 a. m.
 - 12—8th Grade Registration, 1:30 p. m.
 - 13—7th Grade Registration, 9:00 a. m.
 - 13—Elementary K-6 Registration, 9:00 a. m.
 - 12-16—Teacher In-Service and Workdays (General Faculty Meeting 9:00 a. m., August 12)
 - 19—First day of classes
- September**
- 2—Labor Day holiday
 - 27—End First Six Weeks
- October**
- 14—Teachers' Meeting
- November**
- 8—End 2nd Six Weeks
 - 28-29—Thanksgiving holidays
- December**
- 23-Jan. 1—Christmas holidays
- January**
- 9—End First Semester
 - 10—Teacher Workday
 - 13—Begin Second Semester
- February**
- 21—End 4th Six Weeks
 - 24—Teacher In-Service
- March**
- 21—Teacher Workday
 - 24-28—Easter holidays
- April**
- 11—End Fifth Six Weeks
- May**
- 23—Last day of school
 - 24—Teacher Workday

Warriors To State

The Haskell Warriors were champions in the Texas Teen-Age Baseball tournament, District 7, which was played here July 24-27.

In their first outing the Warriors met Hamlin on Wednesday night and defeated them 12-2. They faced Rotan on Thursday night and quickly disposed of them, 18-3. Hamlin and Rotan played on Friday night and Rotan was winner of the contest by a score of 18-4. The Haskell Warriors met the Rotan team again Saturday night and repeated previous victories by a score of 10-0.

By winning these games the Warriors were crowned District

7 champions. As winners of District 7 they advance to the state tournament which will be played in Conroe August 6-10. The first foe of the Warriors will be Conroe and the game will be played August 6 at 8:30 p. m.

Three Firemen Attend School

Tom Watson, Chief, Jim Alvis and Floyd Lusk, volunteer firemen on the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department, attended the 45th Annual Texas Firemen's Training School July 22-26, on the Texas A & M Campus at College Station. The school set an attendance record this year with students representing about 520 cities from approximately 20 states.

Firemen chose their course at the school from a list including Firefighting, Fire Prevention, Fire Department Officer Training, Fire Department Pump Maintenance, Specialized Fire Protection, and Disaster Rescue Operations.

Fireman Watson was sponsored in part by Haskell County Farm Bureau and the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies by contributing toward the cost of the school. Since volunteer firemen are interested in attending this school to help do a better job of fire fighting and fire prevention, 104 County Farm Bureaus and the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies in the statewide program have sponsored 104 firemen at the school. "The Farm Bureau Insurance Companies believe volunteer fire departments have been very effective in reducing the amount of loss involved by fire in rural areas," said President J. T. (Red) Woodson of Gober. "It is our hope in sponsoring this program that the firemen will help the Haskell Volunteer Department to better serve the residents of Haskell County."

Gilly Attends Vo-Ag Workshop

Vocational Agriculture teachers, some 1400 strong, met in Houston on July 29 for the Annual In-Service Education Workshop sponsored by the Agriculture Education Department of the Texas Education Agency, Austin, Texas. The meeting will conclude on August 2.

Duane Gilley, Vocational Agriculture teacher from Haskell High School attended the meet. Site for the meeting was the Shamrock Hilton Hotel. Registration for the meeting was held on Monday, July 29, according to Mr. J. A. Marshall, State Director, Vocational Agriculture Education, Texas Education Agency, Austin.

A full slate of events made up the program for the Workshop. The first general session was held on Tuesday morning in the Grand Ballroom of the Shamrock Hilton Hotel. Appearing on the program were Mr. Joe Kelly Butler, member of the State Board of Education, Houston; E. C. (Dick) Weekley, Manager, Houston Livestock and Raising; Doug Leggett, State PFA President, Wall; and John Guemole, Associate Commissioner for Occupational Education and Technology, Austin. Dr. A. Reuben Gornitzka was the keynote speaker and addressed the group on "Taking Another Look."

On Tuesday evening the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association presented the Annual Awards Program to award tenure pins to members and give awards to Congressmen, Legislators, School Administrators, Texas news media and individuals who have contributed to the progress of Vocational Agriculture Education. James Blakely, Th.D., Wharton, listed by Knife and Fork Clubs as America's number one intellectual humorist, addressed the group.

On Wednesday and Thursday the teachers took part in area meetings and attended ten In-Service Education Workshops.

The second general session began on Thursday morning and appearing on the program were, Mr. James L. Patrick, Farmers Home Administration, Washington, D. C.; Mr. Carl Morgan, member of the State Board of Education, Jasper; Mr. Erwin C. Giesler, President, Texas Young Farmer Association, Three Rivers; and Mr. Bo Gatz, humorist, Houston.

A membership meeting for the Vocational Agriculture Teacher Association of Texas, was conducted during the conference. Coy R. Jagers, President of the Association, from DeKalb, was in charge of the membership meeting.

Haskell for installation in his new location.

Bob's Shoe Shop has been in operation in Haskell for approximately four months and ample business to keep him busy during the daylight hours and often far into the night, has been provided. This influx of repair work can be primarily attributed to the fact that he does an excellent job and also that people are interested in getting additional service out of old boots and shoes due to the present high cost of new ones. It is doubtful that any work has been brought into the shop out of courtesy or sympathy for the owner.

Bob Walden was born in Olney, Texas, 34 years ago, and is proud of the fact that he is a former president of the Run-A-Way-Bay Riding Club, as he has always been interested in livestock and especially horses. He has his own special equipped automobile, a 1964 Cadillac with hand brake and throttle. When you see him driving down the road, dressed in his ten gallon hat and other articles of western wear, you can easily imagine that he is on his way to some Texas rodeo to take part in the festivities or perhaps some of the contests.

He is blessed with a wonderful personality and his ready wit and humor is something to be envied by persons in the picture of health. In fact, the writer would heartily recommend to anyone who might be thinking of lying down on the doctor's couch, to first spend 10 minutes with Bob Walden. He or she might quickly decide that life is a bed of roses. His philosophy is, "That the game is never over until the last whistle blows."

WTC To Offer Art Courses

Graduate and undergraduate art courses will be offered on the Western Texas College campus by Sul Ross State University during the fall semester.

The classes, taught by Mike Thornton, will be held on Monday evenings from 6:30-9:30.

Both courses, Art 3326, Art Metals and Jewelry Design, and 5304-5, Special Problems in Art, may be used for electives in art or toward a Bachelor of Fine Arts or Master of Fine Arts degree. Also, individuals may take either course in a non-degree status.

For further information, call Mike Thornton at 573-8511, ext. 232, or 573-8751.

Sayles-Centerpoint Reminder

The Seventh Annual Sayles-Centerpoint Homecoming will be held at the Haskell Country Club Sunday, August 4th. The lunch will be catered by the Haskell Steak House.

A get-together of all ex-students is scheduled for August 3 at 7 p. m. at Rice Springs Park. Refreshments will be served. The Country Club pool will not be available as was previously announced.

Dist. 7 Tourney Here This Week

The Senior Division, District 7, Teen-Age Baseball Tournament will be held in Haskell, August 1-3, at the Haskell Teen-Age Baseball Field.

The double elimination tournament will include teams from Rotan, Comanche, and Breckenridge. In the Thursday night game, scheduled for 8 p. m., Rotan will meet Comanche. A double-header is scheduled for Friday night beginning at 6:30 p. m. with Breckenridge meeting the winner of Wednesday night's game. The second game will start at 9 p. m. The two losing teams will play this game. The finals will be played on Saturday night beginning at 7 p. m. and could possibly be another double-header. If a second game is played it is scheduled for 9:30 p. m. Immediately following the Saturday night game, or games, trophies will be presented to the champion and to the second place winner.

Admission to all games is \$1.00 for adults and 50c for high school age and under. Children under six years of age will be admitted free.

All proceeds from the games will be used to send the Haskell Warriors to the state tournament in Conroe next week.

Library Requests Over-Due Books

Mrs. Elsie McGee, County Librarian, requests all over-due books be returned to the County Library.

She states that after school starts there is a big problem in getting the books returned.

WEATHER SUMMARY	
July 23-30	
By Sam Herren	
Rainfall	
26th	0.07
Total to date	8.11
Normal to date	14.23
Temperature	
Hi	108
Lo	69
23rd, 24th	27th

Local Students Attend Band Camp At Tech

Attending the Texas Tech Band Camp at Lubbock July 14-26 from Haskell were the High School twirlers: Lisa Stocks, Lisa McBroom, Christie McAdams, Kim Drinnon, and Jill Adkins; Junior High twirlers: Patricia Arrendondo, Karen Gray, Vicki Bledsoe, and Junior High drum major, Renae McBroom. Other band students attending the camp were Debbie Stubblefield, Kem Kemp, Teresa Carter, Rosmary Kimbrough, Greg Gideon and Clark Richardson.

The high school twirling line was awarded a trophy for being one of the two most outstanding lines at the camp. The Odessa Permian line also received a trophy for this honor.

The twirlers learned many new routines which will be used at the football games this fall.

Instructors at the Band Camp from Haskell were Bonnie Adkins and Luene Lane. They are Tech Twirlers and will be twirling at the Tech football games this fall.



THE FIRST LOAD OF MAIZE harvested in the area was brought in by Carl W. Rastetter to the Circle 7 Grain Company last Thursday. The grain was grown on Mr. Rastetter's place six miles south of Haskell and the 20-acre field being harvested was producing approximately 1300 lbs. per acre. Shown in the picture on the left is J. D. Davis of Circle 7 Grain Co. and on the right is Mr. Rastetter.

RULE ROUNDUP

BY OLETA CORNELIUS

LITTLE LEAGUE
The Rule Little League All-stars were defeated 13-3 by the Haskell All-Stars on Thursday night, July 18, in Stamford. Team members on Rule's 1974 All-Stars were: Santos Baiza, Jeffery Sorrells, Wesley Jones, Jerry Petty, Rodney Threet, Jerry Threet, Jessie Ortiz, Victor Ortiz, Randy Thomas, Raymond Thomas, Jerry Coker, David Lisle and Mike Gonzales. Coaches were Jerry Threet and Jerry Weaver.

New uniforms were purchased this year and if you would like to donate any money toward this expense, it may be given to John Greeson or Gilbert Petty. Any financial help received would be appreciated. The champions for 1974 were the Giants. This past year 40 boys participated in the Little League in Rule. The support of all the people who attended the

games and helped in many other ways was greatly appreciated. Little League is a great program for young boys and without your support it would not work.

BULLETIN BOARD
OES, Thurs., August 1, 8:00 p. m.
City Council, Tues., Aug. 6, 8:00 p. m.
Mrs. Ruth Eaton Community Prayer Services, Wed., Aug. 7, 8 p. m.
Greenbelt Bowl at Childress, Aug. 10, 8 p. m.
Lions, Mon., Aug. 12, 8:00 p. m.
Cottage Prayer Meetings, 8:00 p. m., August 12-16
Scrap Paper Pickup, Sat., Aug. 17, 8 a. m. to 1 p. m.
Prayer Vigil, U.M.C., Sat., Aug. 17, 7 p. m. to 7 a. m.
City Wide Crusade, Aug. 18-25

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cornelius last week was Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Parsley and Kimberly of Midwest City, Okla., and Mrs. Dollie Bewley of Wichita Falls.

SCHOOL STARTS SOON
Summer vacation will soon be over with teachers reporting for in-service on Tuesday, August 13-16 and students on Monday, August 19. There will be a total of 10 in-service workshops, 14 holidays and 180 school days for the 1974-75 school term. Holidays will be Sept. 2, Labor Day; Nov. 28-29, Thanksgiving; Dec. 23-Jan. 1, Christmas; March 26, 27, 28, Easter. Teachers' workday or in-service will be Aug. 13-16, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, Jan. 13, April 18, May 2 and 23.

Supt. Lavon Beakley said the faculty has been completed for the term and are as follows: migrant, Joy Denton; kindergarten, Cheryl Robinson; 1st, Mildred Chambers; 2nd, Myrtle Kutch; 3rd, Geraldine Pool; 4th, Kay Hartgraves; 5th, Ann Lehty; junior high and high school, Jerry Cannon, Olga Taylor, R. W. Callan, Bobby Lusk, Dennis Briles, Tom Kutch, Jasper Wilnam, Becky Baker, Jasper Wilson, Mrs. Alvis; special education, Wanda Briles. Aides will be Shirley Rhoades, Allene Summers, Reynelle Miller, Margie Fannin, Reba Mahler and Dora Torres. Nurses aide, Dale Lewis. Other personnel is: cafeteria, Alice Lewis, Adel Bogard and Jo Andrews, Custodian Delbert Howell and George Smith.

New faculty members are Mrs. Kay Hartgraves, 4th grade, formerly of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Ann Lehty, teaching the 5th grade, formerly of El Paso, and Mrs. Becky Baker, teaching home economics, former home demonstration agent at Spur.

Boys interested in participating in football are asked to report to the school gym Monday, Aug. 12.

REUNION
The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. W. May held their 23rd annual reunion Saturday and Sunday, July 20-21, at Hubbard Lake at Breckenridge with approximately 70 persons attending. Representative of the oldest generation was Mrs. Ora McCollough of Rule, and of the youngest was Tonya Kellogg of Abilene. The furthest attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jay May of Chicago, Ill. Cities represented were Dallas, Houston, Irving, Arlington, Fort Worth, Hermleigh, Sweetwater, Greenville, Bryan, Rule, Abilene, Albany, Coleman, Alvin, Snyder and O'Brien.

ALL-STAR GAME
Art Briles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Briles, has been selected to participate in the 42nd annual Texas High School Coaches Association All-Star football game to be played on Thurs., Aug. 1, in the Astrodome in Houston. He will play for the North which will be coached by Bill Shipman of Abilene, assisted by Donald Harvey, Tommy Shields and David Vsentime. 6-45 coaches from throughout the state attended the school last year. Registration began last Saturday with clinics and lectures scheduled throughout the week. The playing of the All-Star football game on Thursday night will close out the school.

A graduate of Rule High School, Art has lettered in football, basketball and track four years, winning numerous honors. His senior year he was selected All-District offense and defense, All-Area offense and defense, All-State 1st team offense and 2nd team defense, and was on the Prep All America in football.

In track he placed in the 220—1st in district, regional and 2nd at state; in the 100—1st in district, regional and 2nd at

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GOLDEN - ELLIFF REUNION
Mr. and Mrs. George Smith were hosts for the Golden and Elliff Reunion which was held in their home Friday through Sunday, July 19-21. Approximately 30 persons attended the reunion. Five of the original family attended.

Attending was Mr. and Mrs. Dick McNatt, Mrs. Bob Hunt and Mrs. Shot Miller, all of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks and Mrs. Grace Brooks of Blue Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Golden and family of Lubbock; Mrs. Betty Rowell and family of Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks of Dallas; Mrs. John Black of Brownfield; and Mrs. Margaret Verner of Austin.

ROTARY NEWS
Meeting at noon on Monday, July 11, at the Bluebonnet Cafe in Rule was the Rotary Club with president John Greeson presiding. Novis Ousley led the prayer, Harold Woods the singing, accompanied by Miss Lanel Williams on the piano.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Gerald Kehoe, Division Manager for General Telephone of Seymour. The topic of Mr. Kehoe's talk was of the new telephone system recently installed enabling Rule citizens to direct dial long distance calls. He also mentioned that in three years, work would be completed where calls could be made without any operators assistance at all.

Three guests were present from Haskell, R. C. Couch, Fred Boone and Abe Turner.

Mullins New Personnel Chief
George W. Mullins, son of the late George W. Mullins and Mrs. George Mullins of Haskell, was recently appointed Chief, Civilian Personnel, at Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Tinker AFB.

He had served with Headquarters, Air Training Command, as Chief, Standards Division, Directorate of Personnel for the past four years.

Mr. Mullins said, "I'm really excited about my job. I think that the job that I have been lucky enough to get is one of the top jobs in the Air Force, in the area of civilian personnel administration. I am looking forward to getting acquainted with the job, and Tinker, and hopefully being able to make some contributions to an organization that is rated by most as a top organization in the Air Force."

Mullins was born July 5, 1931, in Haskell. He graduated from Haskell High School in 1948, and began college at North Texas State University in Denton, but this was interrupted on August 1, 1950, when he joined the U. S. Marine Corps.

He returned to North Texas State after his military discharge and earned a Bachelor's degree in Education in 1955. That same year he began his civil service career at Amarillo AFB, Tex. He was hired as a training instructor in an aircraft maintenance school. He left this job after only six months to become a personnel management specialist.

Since his first civilian personnel job at Amarillo, he has remained in some phase of civilian personnel work.

He has worked at Greenville AFB, Miss.; Laredo AFB, Tex.; Holloman AFB, N. M.; Andrews AFB, MD; Brooks AFB, Tex.; San Antonio Appellate Review Office for Headquarters, USAF and Randolph AFB, Tex.

His hobbies include woodworking, gardening, fishing and hunting when he finds time. He has been active in the Air Force Assn., The Lions Club, United Methodist Church, and general personnel association.

Mullins is married to Mrs. Mia Beas Chamberlain. They have a daughter, Cathy, 18, in the school of pharmacy at the University of Texas at Austin, and a son, Bill, 8. They are living at 1513 Westwood Road, Moore, Okla.



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BPW Committee Met Tuesday
The Year Book committee of the Haskell Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday night, July 30, at the home of president, Opal Kenan. Complete details of the programs were finalized.

Opal Kenan, district director of District 11, has announced that she will host the District Conference year and that a planning meeting for that conference will be held in Abilene, Sunday, August 11, one p. m. at Bartlett's.

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In the sandy soils of Haskell County, primarily in the Wichita Brazos Soil and Water Conservation District, the predominant method of applying irrigation water is by sprinkler systems. Some of the newest in designs is being used. The most popular sprinkler system in today's labor-short farming operations, the self-propelled systems are beginning to exceed in number those of the hand-moved systems.

During this irrigation season, SCS soil and water specialists will be gathering data to up-

date the Haskell County irrigation information. We will be gathering such information as to what crops you are watering, how much water you are applying, and the efficiency of the system you are using. We hope that while we are gathering this data, we can be of some assistance to you, the irrigation farmer, with any problems that you might have in the operation of your system. Irrigation water improperly applied, either in not enough or too much, is costly, to the farmer, is unwisely using fuel or power, and is time-consuming. Today, we can afford none of these in irrigation.

Those of you who are irrigating, if you will keep some simple records on how often you watered what crops, and how much water you applied, will be assisting in the irrigation survey. Sometime during the rest of the summer and early fall, we will be contacting as many of you as possible to collect this data.

If you are having problems with your systems, please feel free to call on your SCS technicians. We might not know all there is to know about irrigation, but we sure can find out and help you all we can.

Nell, Roger, Rhonda Small, Kevin Small, Mrs. Ronnie Stafford and Sherry of Riverside, Calif.; Mrs. Bill Rainey, David and

Donna of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Randell Arend of Burleson; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zahn of Portales, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Merchant of Haskell.

Leisure Lodge News

By Anna Lee Tribbey
Mrs. Dewie Wester attended the funeral of Mr. R. C. Spurlock in Ft. Worth, Monday, Mr. Spurlock was Mr. Wester's stepfather.

Den Mullis and wife, Carol, and four daughters from Broken Bow, Okla., visited his grandmother, Mrs. Easter Mullis, Saturday.

Kenneth Walters of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Flint, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Rucker from Kansas visited her mother, Mrs. Trudie Bush on Saturday. Mrs. Bush accompanied them to Rule where they spent the night with Mrs. Maggie Martin.

Mrs. Jo Fry, Mrs. Wester's daughter of Abilene, had dental surgery in Haskell Memorial Hospital, Wednesday. At this time she is doing fine.

Mrs. Ann Stapp is a patient in Baird Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Visiting Mr. Tom Rogers recently were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bean, Mike and Terry, from Circle Back, Texas. Mrs. Ione Sheid of Rule also visited with him.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Wright and family of Silverton visited with his father, Mr. J. A. Wright on Sunday.

Dewey and Gladys Laughlin of Waco and Mrs. Etta Leach

from Sagerton visited with Mr. C. H. White on Wednesday. Grace Montgomery visited with Della Cox this week.

Vets Eligible For Benefits

Many men and women who have served in the Armed Forces of the United States are unaware of their eligibility for medical care through the Veterans Administration hospital system. Unfortunately for some, the inquiry concerning this eligibility comes only after they have spent all of their ready assets for private hospital care. Every veteran should acquaint himself with the benefits to which he may be entitled, according to C. H. Herren, Veterans Service Officer for Haskell County.

Under present laws, a veteran may be eligible for admission to a VA hospital if the period of military service terminated under conditions other than dishonorable. This applies to both

men and women, and to wartime and peacetime service. Some veterans may be eligible even though their discharges were other than the regular honorable type.

Eligible for admission to a Veterans Administration hospital for treatment of any condition is the veteran whose discharge was either Honorable or General under Honorable Conditions. If a person received an Undesirable Discharge or a Bad Conduct Discharge, he may or may not be eligible for VA hospital care, depending upon the circumstances causing the discharge. In such instances, a veteran should apply for medical care when it is needed, and the VA will obtain the military records and determine whether the discharge is a bar to benefits. A Dishonorable Discharge is given as a result of a General Court Martial, and will always serve as a bar to veterans benefits.

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Arend Reunion Held In Lubbock

The Martin Arend reunion was held Sunday, July 28, at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arend; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stansell and Sandy; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McNeese; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Arend and Gwen; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Arend, Shanie, Sharie and Shannon of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Don Stansell and Tommy of Amarillo; Mr. Claude Faubus, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and Wayne Taylor of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Faubus, Rex and Ray of Des Moines, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Faubus, Mr. and Mrs. John Faubus, Tilia and Masty, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams of McAdoo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Zahn, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zahn, Toby and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Zahn, Kendon and Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kloiber of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brueggeman and Curtis of Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Al Arend of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Arend, Kurt and Cindy of Barstow, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. David Arend, Jimmy and Kelli of Hacienda Heights, Calif.; Mrs. Fern Harwell, Rae

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Sagerton News

Sagerton could possibly have a Retirement Center soon with the help of the FHA and about 25 interested citizens. There will be a community meeting at the Community Center on August 7, at 8:30 p. m. and all local citizens should come to find out about the possibilities. It will have 8 to 12 units for local senior citizens who are no longer able to live alone.

The monthly Saturday night musical will be on August 10 at 8:00 p. m. All local talent and area talent is invited, and a good crowd is expected to listen.

M. Y. Benton, who was a patient at Haskell Memorial Hospital last week, is home and doing better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark are moving into their new home on Johnson Drive. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark and children of Abilene were here on Sunday to help them.

Mrs. Edward Laughlin of Cyril, a former citizen of this community, visited here last week with Mrs. Cliff L. Fevre and they visited old friends in Stamford, Haskell and Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kelley of Idalou, also former residents of Sagerton, visited here recently with members of the John Clark family.

It is vacation time for many of our residents. Here is where some of our residents chose to go for theirs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer have returned from a trip to Santa Fe, N. M. and the mountains. They met Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitaker and children there and the children, Stacey and Kyle, came home with them and stayed until last weekend when their parents came by on the way home to Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt and Kris and Kraig, visited the

Bruno Kupatts in Fredricksburg and Kerrville last week. Mr. Kupatt is still a patient at the Veteran's Hospital in Kerrville, and good wishes from his friends in Sagerton go to him there.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cobb and Randy of Midland brought Mrs. John Clark home from a visit with them last week. Then on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cobb and Randy came by after her to attend the funeral for Leslie's mother in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Kent and Jill, spent several days in Ruidoso, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Spitzer and Jana were also in Ruidoso all last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Trede-meyer joined Mr. and Mrs. Larry Letz and family of Abilene in a trip to Ruidoso recently. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swofford, Susan, Jay, and Joanne visited with the Malcolm Hertenbergers at their cabin in Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gellner visited in Odessa recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Guinn and Deborah.

The Community Teens and their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Meiers, went to Six-Flags and Seven-Seas on their annual trip last weekend. They made the money for the trip by working at various projects during the year. Besides their projects, they meet each Monday evening for a Bible Study. Those making the trip were: Lyn Fouts, Jill LeFevre, Debra and Cindy Soto, Martha Kittley, Mary Macias, Kris Kupatt, Susan Swofford, Jay Swofford, Kraig Kupatt, Jeff Thane, and Kent LeFevre and Debbie Shaver of Abilene went also as sponsors.

Mrs. Sue Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hertel of

Rule, formerly of Sagerton, was recently awarded the Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the University of Texas at El Paso. Her major is in accounting. She is married to Raymond Olson, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church in El Paso. They have two daughters, Laura and Kelly.

Mrs. Mary Ellison of Weslaco, Texas, visited with Pastor and Mrs. Joe Aalbuve recently.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane recently for supper and ice cream were: Dennis Hlaudy of El Campo, Mrs. Rosie Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stremmel, Rhonda and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse and DeWayne, Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman, Mrs. Vineta Stremmel of Stamford, Kenneth Stremmel of Abilene, Mrs. Hilda Koch and the host and hostess and sons, Mark and Jeff.

Dennis is a great-nephew of Mrs. Rosie Stremmel. He then went to Abilene to visit with the Melvin Thane family.

Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Joe Clark and Peggy and Mrs. Emma Rappelt of Stamford attended a bridal shower for Peggy in Abilene on Sunday, July 21.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz of Snyder, Mrs. Sylvia Tiemann, Jerry and Debra's Sue and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schmidt of Austin visited with Mrs. Otto Lehrmann recently. Mrs. Tiemann, Mrs. Lehrmann and Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz all visited with Mrs. Alvina Holle at Rice Springs Care Home and with Miss Lydia Stienke at Clear View Lodge in Haskell. Other guests in Mrs. Lehrmann's home while they were here were: Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann, Randy, Maria and Norva of Rule, and Mr. and Clancey Lehrmann and Steven of Old Glory.

The women of Faith Lutheran Congregation gathered in the church basement Monday of last week and quilted a quilt for Pastor and Mrs. Aalbuve.

Mrs. Jimmy Tiechelmann was honored with a "pink and blue" shower Tuesday evening of last week in the home of Mrs. Edwin Mueller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hertel attended a Jungman Family Reunion at Pep, Texas and attended the "Texas" show at Palo Duro Canyon.

The Lehrmann Family held their annual reunion at Possum Kingdom last weekend. Those attending were: Mrs. Otto Lehrmann and all her children and nearly all her grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calloway of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Opitz and Jeff of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Clancey Lehrmann and Steven of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann, Randy, Maria, and Norva of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Jan Fouts, Leann, Kimberly, and Melissa of Lubbock, Ricky Lehrmann of Lubbock, Gail Lehrmann of Lewisville, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dee Lehrmann and Michael, Scotty, and Mark of Richland Hills, Gregg Lehrmann of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Opitz of Dallas. This was the 11th year they have met at Possum Kingdom Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse Sr. accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse and DeWayne to Wichita Falls for the wedding of Tommy

Attention Christians: Please join us in praying for the RULE TENT REVIVAL... August 18-25—T.E.L. Class of Rule First Baptist Church.

Joe Mrazek and Debra Jane Crum. Tommy is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse Sr. The wedding was held in the Chapel at Sheppard AFB. Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann, Ricky and Maria of Rule, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Vahlenkamp, Brenda, Bud, Charles and John of Denton, were also there for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre have their daughter, Mrs. Mike Bailey and sons, Rob, Rus, Brian and Brad, of Hurst, visiting with them this week while Mike is at coaches' school at Houston.

Lions Hold Regular Meeting

The regular noon meeting of the Haskell Lions Club was held Tuesday at the Haskell Steak House with club president Doyle High presiding.

Darold Roberson led the song session accompanied by Jo Overton at the piano. After the Pledge of Allegiance the invocation was given by A. C. Pierson.

Guests for the day were introduced and they included Kenneth Sams, Haskell School Supt., guest of Jerry Sorrells; John Wallace Cox, guest of his father, Wallace Cox Jr.; Joe Williams, Jr., guest of his father, Joe Williams; and David Beauchamp, guest of Lanny Beauchamp.

O. W. Tooley, Club Sec.-Treas., gave the club a report on coming events in Lionism, a report on the recent National Lions Club Meeting, and other interesting facts relating to the club.

Surprise Party For Mrs. Johnson

The Philothen Sunday School Class of the First United Methodist Church gave Mrs. W. E. Johnson a surprise party in her home July 26. Refreshments of angel food cake and punch were served.

Mrs. Johnson has been a member of the class many years although confined to her home. She has an alert memory and recited several poems, one of which she learned when a child 11 years of age. Mrs. Johnson made the plate favors for each guest. She is a remarkable and gracious lady, her classmates said.

Nine class members and two guests were in attendance at the party and all reported an enjoyable time.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admissions
MEDICAL: Margie Tubbs, Haskell; Howard Brass, Rule; Elaine Blohm, Haskell; Eula Crow, Haskell; M. L. Blohm, Haskell; Mrs. Bernice White, Old Glory.
SURGICAL: Jane Prichard, Haskell; Jo Wester Fry, Abilene; Helah Swinson, Haskell; Clifford Rhoads, Munday.

Dismissed
Jane Prichard, Jo Wester Fry, Helah Swinson, Margie Tubbs, Clifford Rhoads, Howard Brass, Elaine Blohm, Marvin Benton, Mary Kemp, James J. Smith, Lunelle Mitchell, Jonnie Hise.

Look Who's New
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brister of Haskell announce the birth of a son, Jeffrey Scott, born July 28, 1974, weighing 3 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Langford of Haskell announce the birth of a son, Shannon Michael, born July 25, 1974, weighing 6 lbs., 6 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Hester of Weinert announce the birth of a son, Michael Joe, born July 23, 1974, weighing 8 lbs., 4 1/2 ozs.

Roberts Host Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roberts hosted a family reunion for the brothers and sisters-in-law of the late Mrs. Lillian Reaves Banks at Lake Stamford.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reaves of Azle; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reaves and grandson, Tony, of Deer Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Daddie Reaves of Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. James Voyles and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Carter and Heather, all of Jacksboro; Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Brown and Mark of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniels, Sr., Mrs. Edna Mae Grubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Plemister, Ricky, Randy, and Missy, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Roberts, Tammy and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Alberts, Tonya, Lee and Chad, all of Haskell.

Austin Reunion

Descendants of Jim and Mary Austin met at the American Legion Hall in Haskell July 28, for their family reunion, with 74 attending. The group enjoyed fellowship, food and picture taking.

Prior to the business session they were favored with special music by re-ording artist, Mrs. Peggy Glenn. In the business meeting Sterling Scott was re-elected as president and Mrs. W. L. Yardley as secretary.

Clarence Austin, accompanied at the piano by Patti Adams, led the group in singing patriotic songs. John Fred Phillips, McMurry College Coach, returned thanks before the noon meal.

Present at the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Wallace, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Austin, Mrs. Dotti Holland and Jack of San Angelo; Mrs. Myrtle Barbour, Harold Ivey, and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Lewis, Scott and Eddie, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phillips of Water Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Buford Austin, Sandra and Joanna of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. John Fred Phillips, Lowell and Dwight, Mrs. Rilla Williams, Dr. and Mrs. Bill R. Austin and Terri, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Austin, Mrs. Ralph Anders and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Oren McGrew, Scott and Stacey, all

of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Yardley, of Andrews; Mrs. Ila Moody of Weinert; Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Scott of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Ivey, of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Austin, of Waco; Mrs. Theo Scott of Stamford; Lee Cornelius, of Sagerton; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Windham of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. Garth Austin of Liberty Hill; Jim Finny, Mr. Peggy Glenn, Debbie, Patti and Jeanie Adams, all of Austin; Mrs. Vera Beck of Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beck, Pam, Sherri, Sterling, and Michelle, Bill and Cindy Free of Oncall, Nebraska; Mrs. Faye Burden, Lynette and Rodnie, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughes, L. Don Hughes and family of Vernon and Lt. and Mrs. John Austin of Laredo.

Rev. Aalbuve Rotary Speaker

Several Rotary Club members were absent at the regular noon meeting of the Civic Organization, held at the City Cafe, Thursday, July 25. This can probably be attributed to the fact that it is now vacation time and some members took it upon themselves to seek cooler climates in which to spend their time off from work.

Program chairman for the day, substituting for Sam Rosser who could not attend, was Roy Wiseman. He introduced the Rev. Joe Aalbuve, pastor of the Faith Lutheran Church of Sagerton and also a leader in the Brazos West organization which encompasses 17 communities in the four-county area.

Rev. Aalbuve explained the goals of the organization and listed some of the accomplishments reached in the efforts to improve the communities in looks, new industries and other facets of growth and improvement. He had photographed quite a few things which he called "Eyesores in Haskell," and explained what should and could be done to change the situations so as to give a better impression to strangers who might see them. He complimented the downtown district of Haskell and stated that he could see much improvement in that area but urged those present to concentrate on making still other

changes for the betterment of the general outlook.

The invocation for the meeting was given by Bob Beauchamp and the singing led by H. V. Woodard with Joan Dean providing accompaniment. The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was led by Charles Thornhill.

The guests were introduced by E. J. Stewart. They were Woody Frazier, guest of Roy Wiseman, and Howard Morgan and Richard Tell of Wichita Falls, guest of R. C. Couch and Bob Herren.

Girls Softball Team Loses Bid For State Title

The Haskell Girls Softball All-Star Team won in an encounter with the team from Fritch here last Saturday night. Final results of the game gave Haskell the victory by a score of 8-7.

Winning pitcher for Kim Lane... top of the fifth... was 6-3 in favor... Fritch then... lead by one... the sixth with... Edgwyne... Johnson hit a... drive in the two... put out at home... tremendous hit... victory, the girls... the state tournament... The girls were... Waco by Glenda... ager, and Nola... where they stayed... Hall on Baylor... Eight teams... for the tournament... Kell girls met... Tuesday night... successful bid they... 20-4 Winner of... ment will advance... tional tournament... Florida.

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spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lehde and Carol.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and children, Kimberly, Mark and Matthew, of Weslaco, spent last week with the Clarence Taylors. Others visiting the Taylors were Doris Harrell and son, David Harrell, of Abilene.
Visiting in the Al Arend home this week are Mr. and Mrs. David Arend, Kelli and Jimmy of Hacienda Heights, Calif., Mrs. Fern Harwell, Roger and Ruo Nell, Rhonda and Kevin Small, Mrs. Ronnie Stafford and Shelle of Riverside, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Arend, Cindy and Kurt of Barstow, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Randell Arend of Burleson, Texas, Mrs. Bill Rainey, David and Donna, of Abilene, Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. Joel Nanny and Michelle spent the weekend in Odessa. Flint and Monica Nanny returned home with them for several days visit.
Mrs. Sonny Everett and Laura of Bryan spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couch, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Hester of Weimert announce the birth of a son, Michael Joe, born July 23, 1974, weighing 8 lbs., 4 ozs. He has a big brother, Wayne, age 2 years, 11 months. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dutton, Weimert, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hester of Rochester, great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oman, Haskell, and Mrs. Mary Dutton of Waco.
Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Nash of Floyd, N. M., spent the weekend with Mrs. W. A. Lyles.
Mrs. Frank Spencer had four of her grandchildren visiting her over the weekend. Spencer Tyler, Huntsville and Lynn Swindell and Bruce and Lora Tyler from Dallas.
Mrs. Kenneth Campbell and Karen are at Four Square Youth Camp at Whispering Oaks, Buffalo Gap, this week.
Mrs. Herman Lacey and children were in Amarillo this week visiting Herman who is undergoing therapy in an Amarillo Hospital.

Rice Springs News

Hot weather seems to be the topic everywhere, but in Rice Springs Care Home, it is nice and cool. They seldom ever complain except they are too cold. Activities is the main topic here this week. Eve Gray, our Activities Director, makes an appeal to you as we begin a new program at Rice Springs.
 Activities are getting into full swing
 At our home in Rice Springs a little help, we sometimes need
 You ladies out there, please hear our plea.
 One hour per week is all we ask.
 To help us complete our little tasks.
 We are so sorry that Georgia Davis fell and broke her hip. She is in Hendricks Hospital. We wish you well, Georgia, and we miss you.
 We miss Thula Perry's visits here at the home. What is more important, Mr. Matt Keathley, her father, misses her daily visits desperately. She had a toe operation, and we hope she is out and about real soon.
 We are glad Mrs. Eva McMjlin is up and about after a spell of sickness. Mrs. Alverine Merchant is still on our sick list.
 Eugene Collier had his dad, Charlie Collier and sister, Charlene Mitchell of Rochester, visiting him.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz of Snyder, Mrs. Sylvia Tieman of Austin and Mrs. Otto Lehmann of Sageron visited Mrs. Alvena Holle.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Letz and grandchildren of Old Glory visited Mrs. Alvena Holle and Mrs. Henriette Druesedow. Also visiting Mrs. Druesedow was her daughter, Nora Kline, of San Antonio, Royal and Ethel Enloe of Ft. Worth and Mr. and

Mrs. Willie Wilde of Ft. Worth.
 Mrs. Hazel Almond and Mrs. Bob Dickey of Rule visited Mrs. Bertha Yarbrough and Mrs. Charity Bradley over the weekend.
 Robert Brown and wife from Brownwood visited his Aunt Martha Collins.
 Mr. and Mrs. Holland Bell of Sweetwater visited Mrs. Eeckle Highnote.
 Mrs. Manley Branch had as her company this week her sister, Hattie Carter, from Seagoville, Texas and nieces, Mrs. Winomia Stephenson and Mrs. Sue Linare of Grand Prairie.
 Barbara Ellison from Peacock visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Groves from Tuscola visited Mrs. Ida Lemon. Grace McKelvain took Mrs. Lemon out visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Andrews.
 Sherry and Beth Alvis of Old Glory visited Mamie Hopkins and their great-grandmother, Mattie Gipson.
 Velma Clark of Stamford,

Mrs. Hubert Hunt and Mrs. Alma Smith of Rule and Myrtle Wood of Munday and Ruby Jones of Grand Prairie visited Mrs. Bertha Yarbrough.
 Mrs. Al Pierce of Old Glory came to see Mrs. Elizabeth Yakey.
 Della Petrich a nurse's aide of Rice Springs, has returned from visiting her daughter, Alice Gail Hanks in San Antonio.
 Roy Phemister took his mother, Ida Phemister, from Rice Springs to Clyde where she attended church services. Roy Phemister did the preaching on Sunday morning with 480 in attendance. Mrs. Phemister also visited her brother, Allen Henry, in Arlington. He is 96 years old.
 Mrs. Pinkie Robertson had her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ethel Hix and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Claude Hix from Roaring Springs visiting her.
 Mr. Deen Lowery, LVN here, has returned from a trip to Abilene, Post and Lubbock. She says if you want something interesting to do, visit and tour

the Burlington Mills in Post like she did. They make sheets and pillow cases and it is quite fascinating to see how it is done.
Playday Results
 In the Playday sponsored by the BVRA in Knox City, July 27, Shawn Chambers won the first place trophy in barrels, 2nd place in flags and 4th in poles in the Pee Wee Division. Stacey Hager won 5th place in barrels in the Junior Division, and Debbie Aycock won 1st place trophy in poles, 3rd in barrels and 3rd in flags in the Senior Division.
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 Services on Sunday included Sunday School and the 11 o'clock message by former pastor, Rev. A. L. Phea. Lunch was served at noon and was enjoyed by all. Services continued at 3 p. m. with Rev. J. W. Hanson in charge of the devotional. Prayer was led by Joe Johnson of Fort Worth. Singing continued with visitors, the Fellowship Choir, and visiting churches participating. Memorial services for Mrs. Willie M. Johnson, Mrs. Hill, and Mrs. Nettie Curtis were conducted. The afternoon sermon was by Rev. W. R. Pittman. The church expresses thanks to all for the donations received helping make the gathering a financial and spiritual success.
 Homecoming Queen was little Miss Dedie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Johnson, Jr.

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Mrs. C. A. Merchant

Mrs. C. A. Merchant, 85, of Haskell, died at 6:00 p. m. Friday, July 26, at Rice Springs Care Home. Funeral services were conducted at 4 p. m. Saturday, July 27, in the First Baptist Church in Haskell with the Rev. Dudley Bragg, pastor, and Larry Suttle, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in the Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born Nov. 28, 1888 in Comanche County, Tex., she came to Haskell in 1902 with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Atchison. She was married to C. A. Merchant Nov. 3, 1906 in Haskell. Mr. Merchant preceded her in death Feb. 27, 1958. Mrs. Merchant was a member of the First Baptist Church in Haskell.

She is survived by one son, Glen Merchant of Haskell; two grandchildren, Paul Merchant of Abilene and David Eugene Merchant of Austin; three great-grandchildren; one brother, Will Atchison of Turlock, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Otis Jones of Stanton, Mrs. Cortez Hill and Mrs. Floy Mapes, both of Haskell. She was preceded in death by one son, Lewis Horton, in 1909.

Pallbearers were D. T. Atchison, Gerald Atchison, Don Mapes, Charley Mapes, Bob Mapes and Doyle Murphy.

Sarah Jane Akins

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Jane Akins, 86, of Haskell were conducted Tuesday, July 30, at 5 p. m. in the First Baptist Church in Haskell with the Rev. Dudley Bragg, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under direction of the Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born December 3, 1887, in Georgia, Mrs. Akins died Sunday, July 28, at 8:15 a. m. at Leisure Lodge. She had been a resident there for about four years. Mrs. Akins was married to O. O. Akins April 23, 1905 in Trenton, Texas. Mr. Akins preceded her in death Nov. 14, 1952. The couple came to Haskell County in 1917 and farmed south of Haskell until Mr. Akins' death and then she moved to Haskell.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Bill Woodson of Haskell, Mrs. S. L. Gustafson of Gonzales, Mrs. Gerry Bell of Ft. Worth; three sons, James Rey Akins of Emmett, Calif., Ollis Akins of Ft. Worth, Dr. Jack Akins of Waco; three sisters, Mrs. Fannie Williamson of San Angelo, and Mrs. Callie Akins of Leonard; two brothers, Jim Wilson of Leonard, and Doyle Wilson of Lamesa; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sons.

Pallbearers were Charles Swenson, Bud Herren, Albert Barnett, Norman Nanny, Wayne Shahan, Chester Smith, Barry Johnston and Dr. David Gustafson.

Rhoda Epley

Mrs. John E. (Rhoda) Epley, 91, lifetime Rochester resident, died at 10:10 p. m. Monday in the Knox County Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the First Baptist Church in Rochester with the Rev. Danny Johnston of Rule officiating and assisted by the Rev. Randolph Wilson of Haskell and the Rev. Rudy Smith of Rochester. Burial was in the Rochester Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Epley was born April 12, 1883, in Montague County and came to Haskell County in 1899. She married John Epley Dec. 25, 1902, in Haskell County. He preceded her in death in 1931. Mrs. Epley was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Buford McCamey and Johnny of Crane; four daughters, Mrs. Lillie Webb of Rochester, Mrs. Jewel Flournoy of Lubbock, Mrs. Frances Harrell of Plainview and Mrs. Ruth Williams of Rule; two sisters, Mrs. Mattie Males and Mrs. Bessie Hutchens of Rule; 20 grandchildren, 37 great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Three sons and one daughter preceded her in death.

Martha Middleton

Funeral services for Mrs. David Middleton (Martha) were conducted Tuesday, July 30, at 10 a. m. in the First United Methodist Church in Lake Jackson Cemetery under the direction of Lakewood Funeral Home.

Mrs. Middleton died Saturday, July 27, at 7:10 p. m. in Houston after an illness of approximately one year. Mrs. Middleton, wife of David Middleton, and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Middleton, was a school teacher in the Brazosport Independent School District and had formerly taught in Haskell and Abilene.

Survivors are her husband, David; three children, Michael, Cathy, and Alecia; her mother, Mrs. Walter Ely of El Campo; one brother, Walter III, of El Campo; and one sister of Houston.

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Senior Citizens Club Me. July 24

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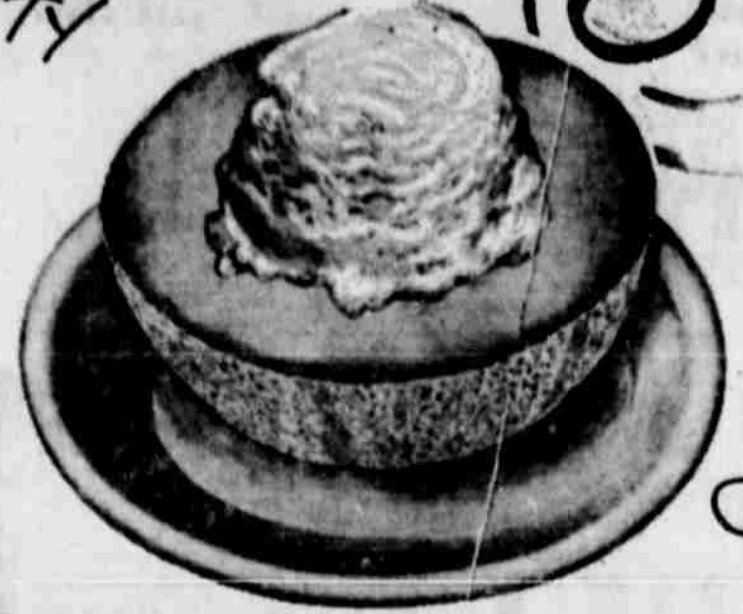
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KOUNTRY FRESH COTTAGE CHEESE
16 oz. CTN. **49¢**

KOLD KOUNTRY FROZEN FRESH SHOE STRING POTATOES
20 oz. BAG **49¢**



Gladiola Enriched FLOUR
5 lb. BAG **79¢**



PUREX BLEACH
GALLON JUG **49¢**

KOLD KOUNTRY FROZEN ORANGE JUICE
5 6oz. CANS **\$1.00**



LIPTON INSTANT TEA 30z. JAR **99¢**
DIAMOND PAPER PLATES 40 COUNT **89¢**
FRENCH'S MUSTARD 24 oz. JAR **39¢**
Kountry Fresh Instant ORANGE DRINK MIX 18 oz. jar **89¢**
TOOTH PASTE CLOSE-UP LARGE TUBE **69¢**