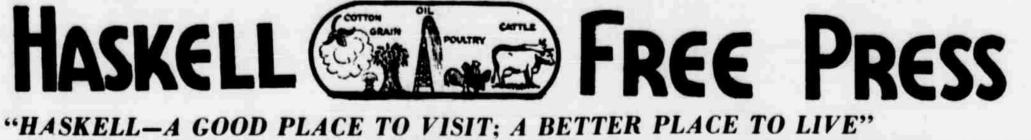
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Trap Club

Holds Final

1974 Shoot

Most trap clubs throughout the United States stop shooting trap in September and start again in March. Haskell Trap Club shoots 12 months of

the year, with one 3-day shoot

and three 2-day shoots. The

rest are 1-day shoots on the

The December Trap Shoot

was held Sunday with 100

singles, 100 handicap, and 25

pair of doubles targets as

Haskell wound up it's 1974

shooting season. With nearly

a half of million targets thrown

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Shooters, all scores become a

permanent record of the Trap

Sunday's results in

16 YD SINGLES

Class AA W. E. Wooten.

Class A Roger Blackard,

Class B W. V. Blankenship.

Class C a tie with Lonnie

Blackard, Snyder, Texas

and Max Belyeu, Com-

anche, Texas-94x100. Lon-

nie Blackard prevailed in

Haskell, Texas-100x100

Snyder, Texas-97x100

Guthrie, Texas-99x100

Shooter.

following events:

last Sunday of the month.

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HASKELL, TEXAS 79521, THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1975

NUMBER ONE

askell Youths Recovering om Colorado Trip

Haskell youths, Les nd Danny Hartsfield, Christmas afternoon skiing vacation in and a visit to the ity of Colorado where was thinking of ng college.

is the 17 year old son and Mrs. Bud Lane and eld is the 18 year old Mr. and Mrs. Hess

wo were supposed to me every night. The me late Wednesday om Trinidad, Colo and nursday from coily, Colo.

a trip to Boulder and a the University of the two left for Vail they skiled part of a rom Vail they were ed to go to Aspen to ne's sister, Lugene.

trip was made in a van was well equipped for Somewhere between Aspen, they decided short cut and ended

Club ds Meet

Hustler's CB Club their first Christmas gether December 16, Stamford Lions Club Approximately 50 were present to large meal prepared

door prizes were given The president was ed with a new mobil. next meeting will be night, January 20, at in the Stamford Lions Building. All area ted CBers are invited to

up on a dead end road. The road was in good shape where they turned off the highway and didn't get bad for several miles. As the snow got deeper, the boys stopped and put chains on the tires. Another mile or so up the mountain, the van had a flat. After trying and failing to change the tire, Lane started up the mountain to a town the boys thought was only a couple of miles. Lane instructed Hartsfield to stay in the van until he returned.

Danny stayed in the van all that night and the next morning left following Lane's tracks. The trail became unfollowable and Danny returned to the van. During the day he (Hartsfield) had stepped on a snow covered stream and had gotton one foot wet. After returning to the van, Danny decided to spend the night there and start down the mountain the next morning. Les had all the matches and Danny couldn't light a fire in the van. The next morning his foot was swollen and he couldn't get but one

sock on under his boot. He started down the mountain and after walking about eight miles met two Drs. and their wives. The local sheriff's dept. searched for about three

hours before finding Lane. One of the Drs. said the temperature was about twenty degrees below zero during the time the boys were walking.

Hartsfield was taken to one of the doctors homes in Denver and Lane was taken to a motel in Eagle and later transferred to a Vail hospital. Danny returned home with his parents late Monday night

and Lane was supposed to

return with his parents Tues-

The condition of both boys was reported as good Tuesday morning. Hartsfield will be on crutches for a few days and Lane will probably be in a wheel chair for a few days, but no permanent damage is expected in either case.

field were flown to Denver Saturday afternoon by Pat Hale and Burnell Gilleland. They returned home Monday The Lanes and Bud's

Hess and Dorothy Harts-

brother-in-law flew to Vail Saturday and returned to Amarillo Monday with Les. To say the least it was an

exciting holiday and the families are glad to be safe and back together.



LARRY RUSH right, gets his card punched for a win in the handicap event during a trap shoot held December 29, at the Haskell Trap Club. W. E. Wooten is shown punching the card. The shoot was the last of the year at the Haskell Trap Club. During the year over 500,000 registered targets were thrown.

Goodfellows Fund Nears \$800.00

Royce Adkins, chairman of the Haskell Lions Club Goodfellow Fund, announced this week that a total of 72 boxes were distributed. 70 of the boxes were distributed to the needy and one was taken to each rest home.

Cost of the boxes has not yet been completely totaled but is expected to be about \$1,300. according to Adkins.

Adkins expressed his thanks to all persons who made donations to the drive. members of the Lions Club, Haskell Volunteer Fire Department. City employees, and members of the screening

Total donations to the fund were \$789.50. Balance of the

money raised from projects such as the annual pancake supper and other activities. DONATIONS money used will come from In memory of Robin the Haskell Lions Club from

WTU Names New Sales Manager

A. C. (Al) Berry, district sales manager for West Texas Utilities Company's Stamford District since 1971, has been transferred to Childress as sales manager for the Panhandle District.

Harell Petty, salesman in Stamford, has been promoted to district sales manager for WTU's Stamford District.

The announcement was made today by Russell Crownover, district manager for the Stamford District. Berry joined WTU in 1966 as a salesman in the Stamford

District. He was promoted to sales manager for the Stamford District in 1971. Berry, a native of Stamford, was employed by Montgomery

Stamford before joining the Company. Mrs. Berry is the former Martha Corley of Stamford. They were married there in 1942 and are the parents of a

Ward as a sales agent in

son and a daughter. Berry has been active in civic activities while in Stamford. He is on the Housing Authority Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and has served as a director of that organization. He has served as district director, president and secretary-treasurer of the Exchange Club and is currently serving on the Board of

Control. Berry is serving as president of the Adult Council of the Stamford Youth Center and has served as president of the Jones County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

Petty came to work for the company in 1971 after working for the First State Bank in Bryson for nine years.

A native of Lueders. Petty graduated from Lueders High School in 1949 and attended Ranger Junior College.

Mrs. Petty is the former Carole Ann Felts of Lueders. They were married there in 1953 and are the parents of four children.

They are members of the First Baptist Church and he is also a member of the Lions Club and the Masonic Lodge where he has served as worshipful master.

Mark Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Medford . . \$20.00 In memory of Truman Barbee, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hadaway and Family 5.00 Anonymous 10.00 Mr. and Mrs. Don Comedy 10.00

3 Accidents Over Weekend

Texas Highway Patrolmen James Sanders and Larry Gilbreath investigated three accidents which occured last weekend.

The first of the accidents occured December 27, at 10:30 p.m. approximately 1.2 miles north of the Haskell City limits on U. S. 277. Jeff Teague was traveling north and pulled off the side of the road to turn around. As he pulled back onto the highway, his 1973 Oldsmobile collided with a 1966 Pontiac driven by Steve Alsabrook. According to THP Alsabrook was also traveling

The two highway patrolmen investigated another accident at 2 a.m. December 29. The accident occured 150 feet south of the red light in Rule on Texas 283 when a 1973 Chevrolet driven by Don Hisey of Rule collided with a parked semi-tractor, trailer.

The third accident occured at 5 p.m. December 29, about one mile north of Stamford near the intersection on U. S. 277 and Texas 6.

The mishap occured when a pickup truck driven by Carla Fowler of Perkins, Okla. collided with a semi-tractor. trailer driven by James Coleman of Oklahoma City, Okla. According to the THP both vehicles were traveling south.

Carla Fowler was treated and released at Stamford Hospital.

the shoot-off. Class D R. A. Stone, Paducah, Texas-83x100 HANDICAP EVENT Champion Larry Rush, Paducah, Texas, 241/2 yd line-95X100 Runner-up W. V. Blankenship, Guthrie, Texas, 221/2 yd. line-89X100 **DOUBLES EVENT** Mr. and Mrs. John Champion James Dodson, McDermett 10.00 Childress, Texas-46X50 The H.O.A. of the three

Cattlemen To Hold Meeting January 9

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events was Larry Rush,

Paducah, Texas with a

An important area wide meeting of concerned cattlemen and women will be held Thursday, January 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room of Haskell National Bank.

All persons interested in cattle are urged to attend the meeting.

The meeting will be under the direction of a representative of the Independent Cattlemen's Association.

The Independent Cattlemen's Association was formed several months ago by T. A. Cunningham of Goliad. At the end of one month the Association boasted some 60,000 members and the total is growing rapidly.

An added feature of the meeting will be beef cookies and coffee prepared and served by members of the Haskell CowBelle Chapter.

If you are interested in the future of the cattle industry. please attend.

A REMINDER

No Texas store license will be required after December 31, 1974. This law was repealed by acts of the 1971. 62nd Texas Legislature.

ee Press Begins 89th Year

this issue of the Free Press, we begin year of publication. ue begins the eightyear of publication for Press

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Haskell Youth Take Honors In Stamford

Four Haskell youth took honors in the Stamford Jr. Sheriff's Posse jackpot roping and barrel race held December 22, in the Quarter Horse

Arena. James Hopkins placed second in the first go of the junior barrels. Debbie Aycock placed first in the second go and Debra Morris placed second. Morris placed second in the

average. Susan Hopkins placed first in the first go of the open barrels. She also placed first in the second go the the open

poles and first in the average. Aycock placed first in the first, second and average of the junior poles.

times when the publishers wondered.

The thought cropped up several times during recent months during the change over to offset printing. When people who have trained a lifetime to learn a trade and suddenly have to learn all over again mass confusion becomes the rule and not the exception.

Put this changeover together with some of the biggest papers of the year and throw in a few holidays and it's easy to understand why the Free Press staff looks forward to starting a new and hopefully better organized

Year to all our subscribers. **MEETING POSTPONED**

So Happy Birthday to the

Free Press and Happy New

The meeting of the Progressive Study Club which was scheduled January 3, has been postponed until January 9, at 7:30 p.m.

Record Crowd On Hand For Drawing

Another record crowd was on hand December 23, for the final cash drawing sponsored by the Haskell Merchants.

Mrs. Tom McAdams won the \$100.00 with a ticket from Pogue Grocery

Winners of \$50.00 were: Mrs. Jody Kennedy with a ticket from Wheatley's; Betty Raines of Weinert with a ticket from Bynums; Debbie Thomas with a ticket from Martha's Beauty Shop: Mrs. Jake Holcomb, Furrh-Lane Ins. Agency: Betty Watson, Renfro Grocery; Mary Gonzales; Mrs. Ernest Peiser, M-System; and C. D. Childress with a ticket from Pogue Grocery.

Over 250,000 tickets were distributed by Haskell merchants during the program.

Sagerton News

get-togethers abounded in our community during the holidays, but two of our residents were on the sick list. Mrs. Margie Sellers had to return to Houston for treatment and stay during the holidays. Her address is: M. D. Anderson Hospital, Thomas St. Annex, 2015 Thomas St., Rm. 402B, Houston, Tex. 77009. M. Y. Benton was a patient at the Haskell Memorial Hospital, Christmas Day. We wish them both a very speedy recovery

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jordan and little daughter from New Braunfels spent the holidays with the J. H. Jordans.

Jesse Macias, who is serving with the U.S. Navy. was home for the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cato Macias and family

The Clark family Christmas supper was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark Saturday, December 21. Those attending were: Mrs. John Clark of Sagerton. Mr. and Mrs. Whit Clark of Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark of Sagerton, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cobb and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny E. Cobb and family of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark of Sagerton. Mrs. Glenda Terrell, Kay and Clark of Stamford. Olan Goodman of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark and son of Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Bivens and family of Sagerton and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer spent Christmas in Lewisville with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelson Kathy Cornelson from Wichita Falls came by and drove them to Lewisville.

Guests in the Delbert LeFevre home Christmas Eve for dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bailey and sons of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre and family of Aspermont. Kent LeFevre of Abilene and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller.

Lots Knipling of West Columbia and Mrs. Dahlia Perkins and Carla and Tonya of West Columbia. Erna and Walter Schaake and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knipling of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney and family of

the time to trim.

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Sagerton were guests in the A. C. Knipling home Christmas Day. The J. B. Toneys left Thursday to visit relatives in Boling, Kingsville, and West Columbia. Mrs. Hattie Clark, a former

resident of this community. died in Holliday, December 19, at the age of 87. She grew up here in Sagerton and married Charlie J. Clark here 1907, and moved to Holliday in 1914. She is survived by two daughters. Mrs. Ailene Palmer of Springer. Arizona and Mrs. Floy Welsch of Holliday, six grandchildren. 8 great-grandchildren and 3 great-greatgrandchildren, three sisters. Mrs. John Clark of Sagerton. Mrs. Vera Burk of Holliday. Mrs. Louell Fenner of Nocona. and two brothers, Harold Smith of Henrietta, and C. B.

Smith of Corpus Christi. Mrs. John Clark and her sons, Reece, Whit. Joe and Charles were in Holliday for the funeral.

The family of Mrs. Vela Meier gathered at her home here on Sunday, December 22. for their Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tabor. Bill and Jim, of Austin visited with Mrs. John L. Brooks and Beulah Mae Summers during the holidays.

Mrs. Alice Lewis and her mother. Mrs. Emma Lammert, of Stamford went to Amarillo for the holidays to visit the Tullie Herrings and the T. C. Herrings.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Otto Lehrmann for Christmas Day were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Wood and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calloway all of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Opitz and Jeff of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Clancey Lehrmann of Old Glory. Steve and Rickey Lehrmann of Lubbock. Gail Lehrmann of Lewisville. Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann, Maria and Norva, of Rule. Randy Lehrmann of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Jan ests, Kim. Melissa and of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Lehrmann. Mike, Scotty and Mark and Worth. The Lee Monse, Sr. home

had the following guests during the holidays: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mrazek of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mrazek and Dana of Asperment, Bubba Mrazek of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse, DeWayne and Diane of Sagerton and Donni Barbee of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann and family of Rule. Bonita Jackson of Haskell Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Vahlenkamp and family of Denton. and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howle and Jeff and Jill of Abilene. The Monses' grandchildren. Virgil Vahlenkamp, Jr., placed third highest in a debate

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tournament at Denton High recently in which 8 high schools competed. He is a Junior at Denton High. His sister. Brenda, who is a Senior, made the Board of Trustees honor roll. Congratulations kids!

Mrs. G. A. Leach spent her Christmas at Rule in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gibson

Fred and J. D. Kupatt went to Fredricksburg on Christmas Day to visit with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. B. Kupatt. Mr. Kupatt, who had been a patient at the Veterans' Hospital at Kerrville for some time, got to come home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredmeyer went to Sweetwater for their family Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Tredemeyer Guests in their home on Sunday, December 22, were: Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jennings and family of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Letz and family of Abilene, Mrs. Hilda Barber of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lehrmann of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schmidt of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lehmann and daughter of Winfield, Kansas, and Mr. Lloyd Cleveland of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs.

Lisbon Letz of Old Glory

Mrs. Cliff LeFevre attended the funeral Monday at Wichita Falls, of Keith Majors, her cousin's boy, who died suddenly with a heart attack. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Van Laughlin of Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nugent, who came from Sundown and spent Sunday night with Mrs.

LeFevre. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller and Calvin, Carl. Clifford, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stegemoeller of Lubbuck, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bivins and family and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz and sons and Mrs. Emma Raphelt of Stamford, all went down to Austin for the Baitz family Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baitz and family.

Mrs. Emma Raphelt of Stamford, Mrs. Offie Buske of Wellington, and C. E. Stegemoeller and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stegemoeller and Calvin Stegemoeller of Lubbock were all guests in the Leon Stegemoeller home on December 24.

Kansas and Lyndell Quade of Garland were both home for Christmas with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade.

Larry Quade of Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whit-

eaker. Staces and Kyle, of Alpine spent Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer and Mrs. J. N. Boxkin

in Rule. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schronerstedt during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Schronerstedt and family of Levelland. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Briles of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rhoads and family of

The family & Mrs. Mary

Schronerstedt held their Christmas dinner at the Lions Club Building in Stamford with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nauert as the hosts. Those attending this year were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schronerstedt. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Briles of Canyon, Mrs. Gene Rhoads. Linda and Mike of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tiechelman. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Boedeker. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boedeker of Austin. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Rice and family of Carroltown, Mrs. Mary Schronerstedt and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nauert and family of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nauert of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reesman and family of Golida, and Mr. and Mrs. Brian Geohike and family of Victoria and the

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt. Kris and Kraig, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hewett in Stamford on December 23 for

their Christmas gathering. Several Community Teens and their guests and sponsors. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Meiers and Kevin and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane and Mark enjoyed a Christmas party at the Sagerton Community Center on Monday evening. December 23.

The first meeting of the year 1975 for the Sagerton L.O.C. Home Demonstration Club will be held in the home of Mrs. Herbert Lemmert, and the program will be given by Mrs. Barbara Elliott. on "Tailoring Tips". This should be a very helpful program and visitors are welcome. The meeting starts at 2:00 p.m. on January 2, 1975.

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Men In Service

(4Dec 4-N-548"-N00-262-2 CW FHTNC) Dec. 6-Navy Fireman Recruit Rickie D. Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Kochler of Haskell. Tex., graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center. Orlando. Fla.

He is scheduled to report to Machinist's Mate School, Great 1.1' N. III.

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Q. When is this increase effective?

A. It is effective Wednesday, November 27, 1974, at all FDIC-insured banks.

Q. How can I tell whether my deposit is insured by

A. Each of the 14,500 FDIC-insured banks in the United States has an official sign at each teller's window using the FDIC logo that appears at the bottom of this ad.

Q. Can I get more than \$40,000 insurance at the same bank?

A. Yes, if you hold accounts in different legal ownership capacities. For example, if you are married, you can have an account in your name insured up to \$40,000; your spouse can have an account in his or her name insured up to \$40,000: and you and your spouse can have a joint account insured up to \$40,000. If you hold several accounts in the same ownership capacity, however, the maximum insurance to which you are entitled is \$40,000-even if the total amount in all of the accounts is more. The new law has not changed the rules-only the dollar amount of insurance has been changed.

Q. How frequently do FDIC-insured banks fail?

A. In the past ten years, five or six FDIC-insured banks on the average have failed each year-about four-one hundredths of one percent of all insured banks in the country. The year 1974 will probably be no different in this respect than past years.

Q. What is the record of depositor protection for insured banks that have failed?

A. To date, in all failed banks insured by FDIC, over 99 percent of all deposits, insured and uninsured combined, have been paid or made available to their owners.

Q. If an FDIC-insured bank fails, when and how will I get my deposit back?

A. If an FDIC-insured bank is closed and liquidated, FDIC will start to pay insured depositors up to the statutory limit within ten days after the closing. As the bank's assets are liquidated, owners of claims in excess of the \$40,000 insurance limit will share in the proceeds with other general creditors. In cases where the deposit liabilities of a failed bank are taken over by another sound bank with financial assistance from the FDIC, depositors have the use of all their funds to the same extent they had in the failed bank before it

Q. How good is FDIC insurance?

closed.

A. Since its creation in 1933, the FDIC has never failed to honor its deposit insurance commitment.

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The federal deposit insurance fund, which has been built up from insurance premiums paid by FDIC-insured banks and the investment income on such premiums, now stands at more than \$6 billion, and is increasing each year by about \$400 million. In addition, the FDIC, by law, can borrow from the United States Treasury an additional \$3 billion if it finds this necessary for deposit insurance purposes. The FDIC has never found it necessary to borrow any money from the Treasury, however. In fact, although the deposit insurance fund has never been much larger than 1% of all insured deposits in the country, the FDIC has never had to use more than a small amount of the fund at any one time, even when very large banks have failed.

Q. How large have the insurance losses of FDIC been over the years?

A. Putting to one side for the moment the nation's two largest bank failures (United States National Bank, San Diego, in 1973 and Franklin National Bank, New York, last month) the FDIC's net loss in 506 bank failures since 1933 has been approximately \$75 million.

Q. Most of those must have been very small banks. What about the \$1 billion United States National Bank and the \$3.6 billion Franklin National Bank?

A. The FDIC laid out about \$370 million in connection with the failure of United States National Bank, but it expects to recover a substantial portion of this amount as the receivership of that bank progresses. In the case of Franklin National Bank, the FDIC's only outlay so far has been \$100 million for a capital note of European-American Bank & Trust Company and a small amount for initial liquidation expenses (since repaid). Further outlays are possible, but the FDIC's net loss, if any, will probably be very small. No depositor, of course, lost a nickel in either failure.

Q. I thought the FDIC agreed to pay \$1.7 billion to the Federal Reserve System to retire the liquidity loan Franklin needed before it closed.

A. It did, but it has the right to collect assets carried on Franklin's books at more than \$2 billion in order to pay off this loan.

Q. How can I obtain additional information and facts about FDIC and federal deposit insurance? A. Information may be obtained by writing to the Public Information Office, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Washington, D.C. 20429.





NSERVATION POSTER CONTEST **FOR 1975**

regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of ta-Brazos Soil and Water Conservation District on ecember 20, the Board adopted rules and regulations rst annual Conservation Poster Contest. The contest n to all students in grades one (1) through eight (8) in s in the District.

ntest is not intended as an addition to the school hal program. The purpose of this program is to a greater interest in the conservation of our natural The directors have arranged to give appropriate the winners of the first three places in each grade in

e four phases of conservation which may be considered in the posters are wildlife, plants, water, and soil. The ant is to try to deal with at least three of the four phases. e same grade-level posters will be judged against each in the school to determine the winners for the three places ach grade. Ribbons will be given as prizes, with a first. id, and third place ribbon in each grade in each school. winning posters will then be brought together to judge second, and third place winner for each grade-level

Its should create their own posters with a minimum of er assistance. Ideas should be the student's. "Cut-outs" be used if they are not of printed materials, and the posters

the prepared at school.

I are will not exceed 14 inches by 22 inches over-all. If the prefers to mount his poster, then the portion of the that is to show must not exceed 12 inches by 18 inches. bil's name, name of the teacher, name of the school, and blevel will be placed on the back of the poster.

sters will be judged on (A) appropriate treatment of the et matter-50%, (B) originality-30%, and (C) neatness-

ools in Haskell County portion of the Wichita-Brazos D are O'Brien, Rochester and Weinert. It is hoped that students will undertake the construction of conservation



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RULE ROUNDUP

Officiating was the Rev. J.

First Baptist Church.

GARDEN CLUB

Members of the Rule Garden Club will meet on Wednesday, January 8, at 2 p.m. in the Rule Philadelphian Clubhouse for the election of officers. Due to the New Year's following on the first Wednesday, their regular meeting time was changed this month only, for the second Wednesday.

Mrs. O. G. Lewis will be in charge of the program on Trees and president, Mrs. Olis Macon will preside during the business. Hostess for the day will be Mrs. Macon and Mrs.

WORKDAY

There will be a workday for teachers on Monday, January 13, but students will receive a holiday that day and will not need to attend school. Classes will resume at their regular time on Tuesday, January 14.

MENU [JAN. 6-10] (Milk served with all meals) MONDAY

beef and noodles candied sweet potatoes butter corn seasoned green beans hot rolls

TUESDAY butter potatoes cabbage salad blackeyed peas

banana pudding

hamburgers pickles & onions lettuce & tomatoes mixed greens butter green beans graham crackers with filling THURSDAY

WEDNESDAY

red beans french fries cooked cabbage tomato relish catsup & onions cornbread peach cobbler

FRIDAY chicken & gravy cheese & spaghetti butter english peas peanut butter cookies

MICHAEL STULIR

Michael Brandon Stulir, 11 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stulir of Old Glory, died at 3:30 a.m. Thursday in Haskell Memorial Hospital of

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NEW YEAR EARLY In the continuing effort to provide better and faster service to the veteran population served by the Waco Regional Office, the Veterans Administration now provides local telephone service for use when seeking assistance. Jack Coker, Director of the Waco Region, reports that a veteran living in Haskell, may call 800-792-1110, and reach the Regional Office in Waco. Coker further states that the only expense involved will be the cost of a local call. Office hours are from 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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a short illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Rule

2, 7 p.m.

R. Williams, pastor, the Rev. Jack Key, pastor of Sweethome Baptist Church of Sat., Jan. 3-4 Rule; and the Rev. Danney Johnson, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church of Rule, Burial Jan. 7, 7 p.m. U.M.W., Tues., Jan. 7. was in Rule Cemetery directed 9:30 a.m.

by Pinkard Funeral Home. The baby was born Jan. 10 in Stamford.

Survivors include his parents; grandparents, Mr. and and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Stulir of Old Glory; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Patman, Mrs. Emma Lee Minefee and Mrs. A. L. Evans.

BULLETIN BOARD

Rule at O'Brien, Thurs., Jan.

Rule in Jayton Tourn., Fri. & City Council, Tues., Jan. 7 Old Glory at Rule, Tues..

Book Exchange, Tues., Jan. 7. 1 p.m., Mrs. J. E. Geer Garden Club, Wed., Jan. 8.

Mrs. J. W. Minefee of Rule McCaulley at Rule, Fri., Jan. 10, 7 p.m. Workday, Mon., Jan. 13 Lion's, Mon., Jan. 13 Rule at Rochester, Tues., Jan. 14, 7 p.m.

Fertilizer Supplies Uncertain

COLLEGE STATION-Un certain' is one way to de scribe fertilizer supplies as farmers begin to plan next year's crop production pro-

Nitrogen, a key plant nutrient in fertilizers, is expected to continue in short supply," points out Dr. Charles Welch, soil chemist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "In fact, top officials in the fertilizer industry predict short nitrogen supplies until the late 1970's."

portant ingredient in fertilizer, is also in generally short supply, but production is increasing so that an adequate supply should be available by late 1975, notes Welch. Turning back to the nitro-

Phosphorus, another im-

gen situation, the soil chemist explains that nitrogen production in the United

States faces a questionable future because natural gas supplies are limited. 'This means that U. S. agricultural producers must depend heavily on imports. Conse-

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the expected benefits before quently, the price of nitrogen making a purchase. will continue high as the need for food production increases. With regard to expanding nitrogen production, four to six new ammonis plants are on the drawing boards in the

U. S. and Canada," notes Welch. "However, at least three years are required to get these plants into operation. Some relief to the world supply may come with the construction of nitrogen plants in a number of foreign countries, China and Hussia." Of course, one factor that has caused U. S. companies

to be cautious in planning for expansion of fertilizer production in some foreign countries has been political instability and the lack of agreements allowing companies freedom to market the nitrogen produced. Changes here could lead to increased production, contends the Texas

A&M University System spe-

cialist. With the present situation. Welch advises farmers to determine the cost of each nutrient in a fertilizer and

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Miss Lorenia O. Caddell of Rt. 1. Haskell, and Joseph Henry Davis III, of Jacksonville. Fla., were united in marriage December 28, 1974. in Weinert Church of Christ with Dr. John Stevens, president of Abilene Christian College officiating.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Caddell and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henry Davis, Jr. of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Cam Hurst III, sister of the bride, was Matron of Honor. Bridesmaid was Susan

The groom's father served as best man and groomsman was Mike Davis, brother of the

Sportswear

groom. Ushers were Larry Caddell and Cam Hurst III. Leigh Ann Caddell, niece of bride, was flower girl, and ring bearer was Shannon Caddell, nephew of the bride. Alexia Mayfield was soloist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of silk organza over taffeta. Peau D' Ange Chantilly lace covered the manderian collar and empire waist which held the A-line skirt that swept to a chapel train, circled with deep bands of lace. The bishop sleeves and cuffs were topped with matching lace. The Cathedral veil of silk illusion was outlined with lace.

Attendants wore formal

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MRS. JOSEPH H. DAVIS III ...formerly Lorenia O. Caddell

gowns of burgandy and carried pink carnation bou-

Reception was held in the home of the bride.

The bride is a graduate of Weinert High School and a senior at ACC. She is employed by Abilene Public

The groom is a graduate of Wolfson High School and a senior biology major at ACC. He is employed as a lab instructor in the ACC Biology

Following a wedding trip to Lubbock the couple will be at home at 6491/2 E. N. 15th.

Grand, Pike Vows Solemnize

Gina Coleen Grand became the bride of John Fredrick Pike, December 26, in a

bride's parents, with the Rev. Hubert Sego officiating. The bride is the daughter of

Around Down

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Nanny and Michelle took Flint home to Odessa, then spent the weekend with Mrs. Nanny's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bevel had as guests on Christmas their children, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cummings, Seminole and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Harvey, Debra and Michael from Odessa. Over the weekend they met another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nielsen, Tracy and Amy of El Paso in Seminole at the Cummings home.

BAPW MEET SET

The B&PW Club will meet Tues, night, Jan. 7, at 7:30 in the Community Room. Mr. O. G. Lewis, Rule, president of that city's American Association of Retired Persons, will be the speaker. The finance and benevolence committee will be hostess for the evening. Members are urged to come and bring a guest.

Janet Folistaedt, Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. David Follstaedt. Albuquerque, N. M. spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Follstaedt and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Myre of St. Louis, Mo. visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Greene. Buster Medford, Dover,

Ohio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Med-Mr. and Mrs. Vance Abeldt spent Christmas in Dallas

with Mr. and Mrs. Buford Abeldt, Jeff, Ford and Mon-Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henshaw. Scott and Brady of Casper, Wyoming visited in Haskell and other points in Texas during Christmas, as

Atlanta, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Albro of Abilene spent Christmas with

did Major and Mrs. James

Lundy, Chad and Jennifer of

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burson. Mrs. Margaurite Jordan of San Antonio is visiting Mrs.

N. I. McCollum and Nettie. Mrs. Lucille Shorrill of Abilene spent Christmas with her sisters, Mrs. lola Henshaw and Miss May Belle Taylor.

Hunting in Ozona were Allen Isbell, the Don Comedys, the Billy Middlebrooks, the Tom Pritchards and the Jerry Johnston's from O' Brien

Mrs. Vern Foreman, Lucy and Flint and Monica Nanny spent Christmas in Haskell.



MRS. JOHN F. PIKE ...formerly Gina Coleen Grand

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Grand. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pike of Rule.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Matron of honor was Christy Kreger of Haskell.

Fred Kreger was best man. Vows were read before a fireplace decorated with greenery and Poinsettis.

The bride wore a chapel length gown of Ivory muslin accented with lace around the square neckline. The straight sleeves flared at the elbow to form a bell effect. The bride wore the traditional blue garter and a sixpence in her

The matron of honor wore a

white, carrying ou chosen colors.

Immediately for ceremony, a rec held in the home. and Charlotte Ha cake and punch for laid with an offcloth. Appointmen crystal and silver.

Following a wedd Ruidoso, N. M., 6 will live in Haskell The bride is a Haskell High Schr

she will continue he The bridegroom uate of Haskell Ha and attended Tare College. He is m

The couple will res floor length gown of red and N. Ave. B.

farming.

Wittenborn, Clark Repeat Nuptial Vows

Miss Judy Martha Wittenborn of Haskell and Mr. Douglas Bassett Clark III, of San Angelo were united in marriage December 28, in Trinity Lutheran Church in Haskell with Rev. Joe Alabue, Faith Lutheran Church, Sager-

and the groom's parents are

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark. Mrs. James Sawey, sister of the bride, of Ft. Worth, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Walene Bredthauer, of San Angelo, cousin of the bride, and Margie Kretschmer, of Wichita Falls, cousin of the bride.

Larry Socha of San Angelo was best man. Greemsmen were Kirby Brynn of Midland and Mark Brock of Houston. Ushers were James Wittenborn, Haskell, brother of the bride, and Tommy Horne, of

Organist was Mrs. Elton Klose of Haskell, and soloist was Miss Pat Harris of Haskell. Jamye Sawey of Fort Worth, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown The bride is the daughter of of candlelight crepe. The Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wittenborn neckline, edged in point d'Angleterre, was also along the cuffs of the sleeves and along the empire waistline. The veil of illusion was also edged in the same lace as the dress. The bride's bouquet was of pink and white carnations with a pink rose corsage centered in the middle

with ivy and baby's breath. Attendants wore dresses of deep pink crepe, the collar and cuffs were of a floral pink voile. The empire style, low waistline gowns, were tied with a pink sash in the back. They carried nosegays of deep pink carnations centers and light pink outline.

A reception was held at the community room of the Haskell National Bank. Serving at the bride's table were: Mrs. Robert Buescher, of Christoval, Miss Paula Clark of San Angelo, Mrs. Sammye Trantham of San Angelo, all isters of the groom, and Mis Lindy Brandon of San Angelo. Miss Lynne O'Neil of San Angelo registered guests.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Haskell High School and attended Angelo State University. She is currently employed as a bookkeeper at J. C. Penny Co. in San Angelo.

The groom is a 1970 graduate of San Angelo Central High School, served four years in the U. S. Navy and is currently in the Naval Reserve. He attends Angelo State University where he is a pre-med major.

Following a wedding trip to Abilene, the couple will be at home at 1313 B. South Jackson, San Angelo.

HYH Hold Meeting

On Thursday, December 12, 1974, at 7:30 p.m. the Haskell Chapter of Young Homemakers met in the home of Bettye McBroom for their annual Christmas party.

Judy Lowe, home economist for West Texas Utilities at Stamford, gave the program. She showed some very interesting gifts and arrangements for Christmas. The program was entitled "Senses of Christmas", and touched on the five senses of touch, smell, sight, taste and feel. She showed some very beautiful yet inexpensive gifts for Christmas giving.

After the program, Mary McCollum gave thanks and twenty-one members and guests sat down to a delicious meal. After the meal, three certificates of appreciation were given to Mary Lee Sorrells, Grace Hannsz, and Bettye McBroom for their dedicated service in past years to Young Homemakers. They were also made lifelong honorary members. A goingaway gift was also given to Janice Phillips as a token of appreciation.

Plans were made in regard to those hoping to attend the state convention in Fort Worth, January 17 and 18, 1975 at the Sheraton Hotel. Gifts were then exchanged.

Leander Dake of Quanah and Glenn Dake of Knox City spent Sunday with their sister. Mrs. Audie Stocks.

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the effects of it will in our hearts. It was a ul Christmas at Rice Everyone received s gifts galore. The m Santa Claus on the as enjoyed by the as well as all the young and old. Apely 200 people enjoyarty. Beautiful Christties and green punch

was served. A group people sponsored by k Wilcox entertained. es of the Lutheran furnished the cookies ruit was given by the staff, Mr. and Mrs. vailes, Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs, and Victoria Everyone appreciamany kindnesses that

holiday season The Goodfellow's goodies, the Grace ass. Lydia Bible Class s Myrtle Penick all ted very nice gifts. pillows, lap robes, and tally the little shoes by Penick. This truly took a be blessed by all these e. We are sure you all et mention everyone but ank you anyway from the of our hearts. There many anonymous gifts

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Matt Keathley's visitors were Mrs. Irene House of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Curtis of Amarillo, H. P. Perry of Rule and Mr. and

Mrs. W. H. Perry of Haskell. Mr. Keathley celebrated his 83rd birthday on Saturday. December 21st, at the home of his daughter. He planned the menu-chili and beans-only the birthday cake was traditional. Thula Perry, Mr. Keathley's daughter, thanks Alene for all her kindness to her dad.

Mrs. Ada Brother went to Rule to visit in the home of A. L. Brothers, to spend several Christmas holidays so she could be with her children.

Mrs. Willie Rose went to spend Christmas Day in the home of her son, Gene Rose. She also spent some time with Charles, her son from San Angelo.

Mrs. Marion Granddaughter and family was here, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hill and Paula of Ft. Stockton. They also visited with Earl Barnes. Mrs. Marion had Christmas at Julie Gibson, her daughter and family.

Visiting Mrs. Yarbrough was her daughter, Myrtle and Gene Wood of Munday. Velma Clark of Stamford. Mae Hamilton, Irene Yarbrough, Lorene Vernon, Mrs. Hershal Hines, Lucy Williams, Juana

Sue and Dena Lewis, Nan Simpson, all of Rule and Beth Simpson of Dallas.

Visiting Mattie Gipson was her grandson James Franklin of Dallas, and her granddaughter Mrs. Thomas Alvis and family of Old Glory.

Mrs. Connie Martin spent Christmas with Lucile Martin in Rule. Her granddaughter. Lonnie Lou Moore of Houston. was also visiting here. It was a very enjoyable day.

Mrs. Clara Hines of Rule came by to visit W. F. Goad. His daughter, Mrs. Paul Bell came and picked him up on Christmas Day and they ate dinner at the L. J. Corzine family home.

Visiting Mrs. Ola Isbell was her son, Clyde Isbell from Bayard, New Mexico, grandson, Jimmy Isbell from Denton, Texas, grandchildren, Bobby and Jane Ann Sego of Dallas, granddaughter, Judy Berry and son from Abilene.

The Earl Cathy's had their son and family, Buford Cathey of Aspermont and Ladelle and Milbert Opitz of the city visiting them.

O. D. Vanderworth and family from Marcin, Arizona, Michel Vanderworth, grandson and great-grandson of Wichita Falls and Herbert Rinn of Rule visited Oscar Vanderworth.

Alpy West of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited Daisy West.

Mrs. J. B. Gipson's daughter came by and picked her up and she spent Christmas Day there and she certainly enjoyed herself. Her grandson, Jay Gipson was also home from Hendrick Hospital where he is a patient.

Cleo Mondy spent Christmas Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Karr. She certainly enjoyed the ride through town looking at the Christmas lights.

Pastor Joe Albue of Sagerton visited Alvena Holle. Also visiting her was Mrs. Otto Lehrmann and Mrs. Lena Boedecker, all of Sagerton, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz of Snyder, Mrs. Jan Fouts of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Clacy Lehrmann of Old Glory, Miss Gail Lehrmann of Lewisville,

Visiting Faye Dunnam was Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Dunnam of Haskell, Wanda Ham and Family of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunnam of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dunnam of

Eula Bird visited Mrs. Stella Josselet. Stella Josselet had her son Marion and family from Brownfield here during the holidays. They fixed Christmas dinner at Stella's home and everyone enjoyed being at home together.

Mrs. Florence Russel and children from Oklahoma City. Okla. came by and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Manely Branch. Also visiting them was Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of

Merkel. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford went to their son, G. A. Bradford of Peacock for Christmas. They also visited with their daughter and family, Mrs. Faye Cox of Clairemont. Visiting the Bradfords was Mrs. R. F. Clack of

Mattie Peavy's visitors were Jack Peavy of El Paso and Harold Peavy.

Peacock.

Maggie McGuire had her grandson Bill McGuire and family of Monahans visiting.

Mrs. Earl Roberts visited with her family, Ed and Robbie and children. They all had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Childress on Christ-

Guests of the Charlie Moeller's were Mr. and Mrs. Olen Sidden of Guthrie, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moeller and family of Alma, Okla., and Ernest Moeller of Haskell.

We are glad to have Mr. Klump back from the hospital and sorry he had to spend Christmas there, but we are glad he is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scruggs and son, Morris of Ft. Worth and Carl Baugh of Rule

visited John Baugh. Mrs. Beulah Server of Hamlin came to see Mrs. Earl

Visiting Charity Bradley over the holidays were Johnny McCain of Rule, Lucile Stephen of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirbey and son of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. William Camp, Maie Hamilton, Mrs. Vernon, and Pastor Williams, all of Rule.

The Staff at Rice Springs enjoyed the candy from Oates Drug Store, Mr. Goad, Onah Crume, and the cake from the Lasseter family.

E. H. Walton and family of Lovington, N. M., visited with his dad, W. H. Walton.

We at Rice Springs wish you all a very Happy and Prosperious New Year!

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Leisure Lodge News

Things are getting back to normal after the holidays, or pretty well, at least. Residents eating out on Christmas Day were, Pat Weaver h his daughter, Mr. and Smith. Jr. Visiting and over the holidays were his sisters. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Free of Abilene, Mrs. Sam Brooks of Anson, and friends, Willie Shannon of Throckmorton and Albert Lyman of Brecken-

Visiting the Flints were Dr. and Mrs. DeWitt Van Siclen from Bellaire, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Mark McCoy from Waco and Paulette Dick of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Sarah Howard ate lunch with her son, Vernay Howard and wife at Paint Creek

Mrs. Ivy Massie went to Euless to visit with her son, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Massic.

Mrs. Leola Hicks went to Rochester to be with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hines

Mrs. Emma Banner visited her niece, Mrs. Donna Scpertt in Munday. Another niece, Mrs. Gloria Sue Carlile, and daughter. Peggy visited with

Mrs. Christine Uhrich ate with her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Moore, here in Haskell.

Visiting with Pat Weaver was a niece, Mrs. Vernie Lee Bartello, of Buchanan, New York.

Mrs. Carrie Edwards ate lunch with relatives. Visiting her were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grant from Wickett, a nephew. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee from Blooming.

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N.M., a grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole and children from Plano, a nephew called from Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards.

Mrs. Della Cox spent the week end in Odessa with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cox. Her daughters, Mrs. Helen Coleman and Mrs. Alice Byrd from Dallas and Irving visited with her there.

Visiting Otto Vaughn on Sunday were, son, Dolan Vaughn and family from Panhandle, grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins from Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton, Haskell, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hufhines of Dimmit.

Mrs. Etta Crosson ate lunch with her daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bristow, where several of her children visited with her.

Mrs. Trudie Bush ate lunch with Mrs. Pearl Soloman on Christmas, and on Tuesday night with her daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bilbrey in Abilene. Her daughter, Mrs. Margie Sellers from Sagerton. has been ill in a hospital in Houston with pneumonia, but is reported to be improved at this time.

We welcome Mr. Dobie Robinson from Old Glory to

Our many thanks to each person making our Christmas Party a success. We will not name each individual for fear we may miss one but these are among the many sending gifts, or helping with our party. Each drug store for sending gifts to each customer, for sending candy to employees, for all the families giving candy and cookies to the employees and for the party. We thank Santa and his helpers, Paul Williams, for his piano selections, Sherrie Hawkins for her solo's, for the basket of fruit, nuts and candy the Goodfellows sent. and anonymous donor who gave the crocheted booties. So

many nice things were done

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DIAGONAL

that we will probably miss some but we were grateful for everything.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

Week of Jan. 6-10 MONDAY

Grilled Cheese Sandwiches Cabbage Slaw Orange Juice Ci n Rolls

TUESDAY Fried Chicken Mashed Potatoes

Blackeyed Peas Hot Rolls Fruit Jello WEDNESDAY

Spanish Dumplings

Seasoned Greens Onion & Green Pepper Rings Cornbread Butter Sliced Peaches

THURSDAY

Beef and Spaghetti **Buttered Corn** Garden Salad Hot Rolls Butter Apple Crisp

FRIDAY Teacher Workday

College News

COLLEGE STATION... Randy J. O'Neal of Haskell was graduated cum laude from Texas A&M University. O'Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. O'Neal, earned his degree in civil engineering. TAMU had a total of 1,074

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The bride was given in marriage by her father.

David Smither played the organ and Damon Holmes played the violin.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at Grid Iron Restaurant, December 27. A reception was held in Learning Center of Church following the cerem-

The bride is a senior at Texas Tech University, majoring in Horticulture. The groom graduated from Texas Tech with an English Degree. He is employed by Human Development Center in Lubbock.

Following a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, and Tres Ritos, N. M., the couple will be at home at 1901 9th St. Apt. #3, Lubbock.

Engagement ·



JANNA LYNELLE HISE Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hise announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Janna Lynelle to Dickie Duane Brendle.

Brendle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Brendle of

The couple plan a February l. wedding in Haskell First Baptist Church.

Miss Hise is a 1974 graduate of Haskell High School. Brendle is a 1970 graduate of Patton Springs High School. He is currently employed by Growers Seed in Lubbock. Miss Hise is now attending Commercial College in Lubbock.



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Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane and sons accompanied by Mrs. Rosie Stremmel spent Christmas Day in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thane and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck and Melissa Christmas Eve were: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Nierdieck and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cook and children, all of Abilene, Roy Nierdieck of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee Bredthauer and family of Houston, Alvin Bredthauer of Stamford, and Ernest and C. C. Bredthauer. On Christmas Day the Bredthauers and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck and Melissa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bredthauer and family at Weinert

Mrs. Clara Kainer had Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kainer and sons of Cedar Falls, lowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kainer and family of San Antonio as her guests during Christmas. Her brother, Carl Fischer of Paint Creek, was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Manske and children went to Oklahoma to visit her father after Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bohn of Taylor visited with Mr. and Mrs. Werner Tiechelman last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman and Mrs. Hilda Koch spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spiegelhauer at Lueders. On Friday they visited in Seymour with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Fugua.

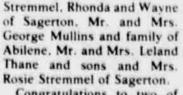
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hewett of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hewett of Stamford were guests of Mrs. Fred Kupatt, Kris and Kraig on Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Thorn of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. James Wilhite of Lueders were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tiechelman on Christmas Dav

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tiechelman and sons of Abilene and Terry Tiechelman of Irving were guests of the Eugene Tiechelmans on Christmas Day. Saturday night the Moeller family from Weinert had their Christmas gathering in the Eugene Tiechelman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kieke and family of Breckenridge were here as guests in the Leonard Kieke home during the holidays.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel on Christmas Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Henrichs of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Larry



Congratulations to two of our community girls! Kris Kupatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt, and a seventh grader at Rule Junior High, was recently selected as head twirler and drum major for the Rule Junior High Drill team next season. Lyn Fouts. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed T. Fouts, and a freshman at Rule High School, was selected as the drum major and leader of the Rule High Drill Team for next season. We arc

very proud of both of them! Pat Sellers and his son, Billy from Abilene, went to Houston Friday to visit Margie Sellers who is receiving treatment at M. D. Anderson Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sellers and family from Wichita Falls were here and he ran the gas station for his

50th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. 1. L. Smith of Rule, will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary Sunday, January 5, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Rule Philadelphian Club located at 7th and Union.

Haskell County and Mrs. The couple met in Knox County and were married in

They have five grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

They are members of the

Their children, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. (Speedy) Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dean Smith and grandchildren will host the reception. Others in the houseparty will be Mrs. Sam Turner, Mrs. Don Davis, Mrs. W. G. May, and Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook.

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By: Barbara Elliott

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Any veteran who feels that he might meet the requirements for disability pension should file his claim with the Veterans Administration. This may be accomplished by contacting the local Veterans Service Officer, who will be happy to assist in completing the necessary application

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The meat, poultry and fish items in meals usually cost the most. One-third of the food dollar spent goes for meat.

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Sample cost of a 3 oz. serving of cooked lean meat. poultry and fish based on average prices are as follows: 11 to 20 cents....from....

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steaks, pork chops, veal cutlets, lamb chops. These cost comparisons show in general which types and cuts of meat are expensive

and inexpensive choices. Check the "specials". At special prices you may be able to afford some cuts that are usually too expensive.

Use small servings of meat and rely on economical foods such as potatoes, rice, cheese, to fill in meals.

Use left over meat in casseroles, salads, sandwiches and sauces to be served over toast. Use leftovers in one to three days.

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VA News

Some veterans may fail to receive the full amount of retroactive disability pension benefits to which they are entitled if their claims are not filed with the Veterans Administration on or before December 31, 1974. According to C. H. Herren, Veterans Service Officer for Haskell County, this retroactive benefit was provided by Public Law 93-177, enacted by the Congress December 6, 1973, and became effective January 1.

An honorably discharged veteran with 90 days or more wartime service may be eligible for VA pension if he is shown to be permanently and totally disabled or is 65 years of age or older, and if his annual income is within the limits prescribed by law. A single veteran is eligible if his annual income from all sources other than the VA is not more than \$2,600. The annual income limitation for a veteran with dependents is \$3,800. Prior to January 1, 1974. pension could be paid only from the date on which a veteran's claim was received by the VA. Public Law 93-177 provided that disability pension could be paid retroactively for up to one year prior to the date on which the claim is received, if the evidence shows eligibility. If a veteran files a claim prior to January 1, 1975, and is shown to meet all of the requirements of the law, pension may be paid from January 1, 1974. When a veteran files a claim after January 1, 1975, and is found to meet all of the requirements, pension may still be paid retroactively for up to one year prior to the date on which the claim is received

John Simpson Funeral services for John W. Simpson, 85, were held December 30, in the Haskell First Baptist Church with Rev. Kenneth Blair, pastor, Trinity Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral

Home. Mr. Simpson died December 29, in Leisure Lodge Care Home in Anson after a stay of

about four weeks. Born August 23, 1889, in Fisher County, he came to Haskell in 1919 from Merkel and had lived here since. He was self employed as a mechanic and welder. He married Iva Yates on October 19, 1913 in Haskell. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Haskell.

Survivors include: wife, Mrs. Iva Simpson of Haskell; one daughter, Ada Simpson of Haskell; two step-sisters, Mrs. Ethel Cobb of Hurst, Mrs. Myrtle Pelton of Anson; step-brother, Coffman Simpson of Utah; and several

nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were: Severn Simpson, L. H. Simpson, Randy Denson, Howard Simpson, Billy Simpson, and Doyle Shelton.

Heavy Rains Help Mesquite Eradication

Heavy rains this fall have provided almost ideal conditions for getting rid of mesquite by chaining, says a brush control scientist.

C. E. Fisher, a 40-year veteran researcher who heads the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station's brush control field team, says that heavy rains during the fall months have made it considerably easier to uproot mesquite trees and brush by the chaining method.

He explains that two or sometimes three powerful crawler tractors are used to pull a 400-foot chain weighing up to 36,000 pounds over the ground, destroying any dead brush or trees in its path.

"Chaining when the soil is wet helps to pull up larger trees. Smaller brush plants are at least knocked down to ground level," Fisher says. Best results have been

obtained in the late fall and winter, he adds, when mesquite is dormant and brittle so that it breaks up readily.

Marriage

Licenses

County Clerk Jenny Brazell

reported the following mar-

riage licenses were issued

Gerald B. Baggett and

Jerry Glenn Stiewert and

Robert Lee Crawley, Jr. and

Roy Gene Johnson, Weinert

John Fredrick Pike, Rule

Olin Buford Westmorland.

Bobby Lee Shea, Jr.,

Shirley Virginia Kline, Wei-

and Karen Sue Walker,

and Gina Colleen Grand,

Rule and Audrey A. Holwick,

Haskell.

during December, 1974:

Velva Jewel Hise, Haskell.

Cynthia Ann Lane, Haskell,

We have found when the soil is dry, most of the trees are broken off at ground level and are able to sprout again following year." scientist reports.

Chains, much like anchor chains of large ships, are able to cut a swath through the mesquite, knocking down everything in their path.

Fischer notes that the chains most commonly used range from 300 to 400 feet and weigh 60 to 90 pounds per

Costs of this method vary from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per acre. he reports, depending on the type of growth and terrain and whether the brush has been sprayed before.

"Chaining mesquite that has not been aerial sprayed is usually more costly and ineffective," Fisher says. "On unsprayed mesquite, more power is required to pull up large trees while small ones either bend or break off at ground level, easily sprouting back again. Sprayed mesquite pulls up much easier since most of the roots are dead and

are not clinging to the soil." According to Fisher, one of the most effective and economical methods of controlling mesquite on extensive areas of rangeland is to aerial spray with 2,4,5-T, Tordon 225 or Banvel 2 + 2, and then chain the treated area one to three years later. The spray kills a high percentage of the small brushy plants and the chain uproots most of the large trees.

This combination of chemical and mechanical methods yields good control at low cost, opens up vast acreages of productive rangeland, and reduces the cost of gathering cattle by as much as 50 to 80 per cent," he concludes.

Caution Due When Saving Cotton Seed

Cotton farmers who are planning on saving seed from their 1974 crop should be sure it is high in germination and low in free fatty acid.

"Most farmers check germination closely but may not be aware of the importance of the free fatty acid content," points out Dr. Robert Metzer, cotton specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Ser-

"Free fatty acid is a byproduct of seed deterioration so its content should not be more than 1 per cent. Seed exposed to long periods of wet weather prior to harvesting or subjected to poor storage after harvesting will generally have a higher acid content, indicating considerable seed deterioration," notes the Texas A&M University System spe-

The acid content of cottonseed is especially important this year since much of the 1974 cotton crop suffered from wet weather this fall, explains Metzer.

He adds that cottonseed delinting plants commonly use the 1 per cent level of free fatty acid as the breaking point in saving or rejecting seed for planting purposes.

"Seed with a high acid content often shows a high germination test, initially, but these seed will deteriorate rapidly in storage and germination will drop," explains the cotton specialist. "Of course, a low acid content does not insure top quality seed. Immature seed may be low in free fatty acid content."

Metzer advises producers against saving cottonseed for planting that has 2 per cent or more free fatty acid. Seed delinting companies can assist producers in obtaining an acid test on their planting seed. Numerous laboratories in the state also are equipped to check the acid content of cottonseed.

"So, get your seed tested and then store it in a dry location," says Metzer. "The use of high quality planting seed is important in getting a crop up to a good stand and growing vigorously.

Visiting over the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ray were Holland Weaver, of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weaver of Olden.

nett. Abilene. Joe Bert Fincher, Dallas Haskell.

Tuscola and Alma Gail Bar

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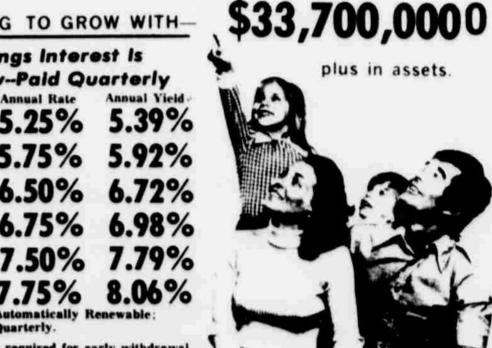
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