

**CONSERVATION
VIEW POINTS**

J. C. YEARY, JR.
District Conservationist



vation assistance. 250 applied one or more conservation measures. Over 1/2 million feet of standard level terraces have been constructed, and just under 1/2 million feet of parallel terraces have been rebuilt. 60 acres of grassed waterways were constructed and vegetated for protection against erosion.

In early June, about 2/3 of the county suffered severe to extremely severe damage from heavy rains. The results — the Haskell County Development Group applied for and was approved for Emergency Conservation Measures assistance to replace the damaged areas. 356 applications for repair to conservation practices were made. 81 units applied for 1,817 acres of grading and shaping as a result of gullies washed through cropland. 24 units applied for 1,000 acres of irrigated land to be relevelled. 164 units requested 7.6 million feet of standard level terrace reconstruction and 25 units asked for assistance to rebuild over 1.4 million feet of parallel terraces. 30 waterways consisting of 3,900 acres were damaged, 12 farm ponds were washed out, and 13 diversion terraces were damaged beyond being effective. The total requests amounted to nearly \$600,000 of assistance.

We have managed to complete 36 of these requests in addition to servicing 25 Great Plains Conservation Program contracts. Six of our GPCP producers completed their contracts in 1973. They are Fred Kupatt of Sagerton, Ray Perry of Paint Creek, V. P. Terrell of Haskell, Delma Williams of Rule, Leonard Weise of Mattson, and Coyt Hix of Haskell.

New GPCP contracts on D. W. Adkins, Willard Mullins and Bailey Toliver of Haskell; Richard Mathis of Rule, J. A. Hertel of Sagerton, Dan Griffith of Paint Creek and Glenn Caddell of Weinert were developed during 1973.

Lynn Gray of Weinert joined the Haskell Field Office staff the first of December as a part-time technician. Our staff now consists of three full time conservationists, J. C. Yeary, District Conservationist; Jim Boykin, Soil Conservationist, and Harry Koehler, Conservation Technician; and three part-time conservation technicians, Milton Christian of Haskell, Bob Earles of Paint Creek and Gray.

All in all, 1973 was a good year, but 1974 promises to be a better year. We have a lot of work ahead of us, but with time and patience we hope to get all of it completed.

So we of the Haskell Field Office of the Soil Conservation Service along with the Directors of the California Creek and Wichita-Brazos Soil and Water Conservation District wish each of you a very Happy and Prosperous 1974.

Cotton Classing
USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service Office classed 4,800 samples during the week ending Friday, Jan. 4, 1974, according to Sidney Ferrell, in Charge. This brings the season total to 97,800 samples classed. White cotton accounted for 55 percent of the cotton classed, while light-spots dropped to 41 percent. Grade 41 was predominant with 48 percent, and grades 31 and 51 had three and four percent respectively. Grade 32 accounted for 15 percent; grade 42 was 25 percent; and spotted cotton was 4 percent. The predominant staple continued to be staple 31 with 74 percent, followed by staple 32 with 18 percent and staple 30 with 7 percent. Mike readings of 5.0 and higher went up to 22 percent, while readings of 3.5-4.9 dropped to 77 percent. Cotton activity was slow during the New York period, and prices were off 200 to 400 points from the previous week.

SAGERTON NEWS

Mr. J. C. Yeary with the Soil Conservation Service in Haskell showed a film and discussed "Conservation and Recreation" at the first meeting of 1974 for the members of the L.O.C. Home Demonstration Club Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. J. A. Hertel. Mrs. Barbara Elliott, Haskell County Extension Agent, was also a guest.

The club has four new members this year, Mrs. Leland Thane, Mrs. Ernest Lowack, Mrs. J. B. Toney, who were all present, and Mrs. Fred Schronerstedt. Others present were: Mrs. Leonard Kieck, Mrs. Eugene Teichelman, Mrs. Lewis Corzine, Mrs. A. C. Knipping, Mrs. Clarence Teichelman, Mrs. John Teichelman, Mrs. Herbert Stremmel, Mrs. P. A. Ulmer, Mrs. J. N. Huggins, Mrs. Clarence Lehmann and Mrs. Herbert Lammert. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Ross during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. James Strickland and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Macon and Leroy of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ross of Shiner.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jennings of Avoca, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sylvester of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sylvester of Del Mar, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Cyrus of San Diego, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sylvester and Holly of Albuquerque, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Briles of Canyon were omitted from the list of family members at the Schronerstedt family. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sylvester and Holly of Albuquerque, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson and family of Dallas, visited over the Christmas holidays with their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane and family. Congratulations go to Kris Kupatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt, who will be one of the twirlers of the Rule Jr. High Drill Team next year. Tryouts were held before Christmas holidays and Kris, who will be a 7th grader next year, was chosen.

The beginning of a new year always causes a looking back over the past twelve months. We are prone to accentuate the bad in many instances. Seldom do we stop to reflect upon the positive aspects of the year past.

Basketball Teams Began District Competition Here Last Week

The Haskell Maidens met Hamlin Jan. 3 here in their first district game of the season, and lost by a score of 56-62. Margie Kretschmer was high for the night with 23 points. Fonda Horn made 15 more; Karen Croft dropped in 14; and Shirley Abbott added 4. Guards seeing action were Lee Ann Toller, Nean Newton, Debbie Young, Cynthia Escobedo and Cathy Pringle.

Croft with 12, Shirley Abbott with 5, and Emilie Thigpen with 1. Guards in the game were Lee Ann Toller, Nean Newton, Cathy Pringle, Cynthia Escobedo, Lisa Stocks, Marcie Mickler and Debbie Young. The Boys B team was defeated by Anson 47-29, with Terry Strickland leading the scoring with 9 points. Both boys and girls play at Stamford Friday night.

The B girls played and won their game by a close 28-25. Emily Thigpen was high scorer with 12 points to her credit.

Friday night, Jan. 4, the girls played Winters here in another district game and won by a whopping 83-56. Fonda Horn was high with 36 points; followed by Margie Kretschmer with 24, Shirley Abbott with 11, Karen Croft with 9, Gena Lancaster with 2 and Emily Thigpen with 1.

Guards seeing action in the game were Lee Ann Toller, Nean Newton, Debbie Young, Cathy Pringle, Cynthia Escobedo, Lisa Stocks and Marcie Mickler.

The Indians won against Winters by a 72-60 score Friday night, with Martin Randle and Randy Ivy leading the team with 18 points each. James McCoy scored 13, Tim Pringle 12, Robin Colbert 9, and Kyle Wilfong 2. Other Indians seeing action were Chris Love and Cliff Grand.

The girls played Anson Tuesday night, and won their game 54-40. Fonda Horn and Margie Kretschmer both made 18 points in the game, followed by Karen

Hospital Notes

Admissions
MEDICAL: Shannon R. Lusk, Rule; Robert L. Dumas, Haskell; Henry Akins, Rule; Effie Weatherly, Rule; Bertha Peluse, Haskell; Beatrice Kirkland, Haskell; D. O. Toller, Merkel.

SURGICAL: W. O. Irvin, Haskell; T. N. Gillespie, Stamford.

ACCIDENT: H. V. Woodard, Haskell.

DISMISSED: Shannon R. Lusk, Robert L. Dumas, H. V. Woodard.

Look Who's New
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Castaneda of Stamford announce the birth of a son, Ernest Thomas, born Jan. 4, 1974, weighing 7 lbs., 13 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Douglas Epley of Rule announce the birth of a son, Tommy Cullen, born Jan. 5, 1974, weighing 9 lbs., 4 ozs.

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SPECIALS... PLUS SERVICE PLUS WHEEY EVERY DAY

Wilson's Savory			
Wieners	Pkg.	69¢	
Pork Steak	LB.	98¢	
Pork Roast	LB.	89¢	
Pork			
Sausage	LB.	89¢	
Hamburger			
Meat	LB.	89¢	
Slab Sliced			
Bacon	LB.	98¢	
Kraft Miracle			
Oleo	LB.	43¢	
Musselman's Red			
Pie Cherries	303 can	49¢	
Peter Pan	18 oz. jar		
Peanut Butter		79¢	
Del Monte			
Tuna	Flat can	49¢	
Del Monte	No. 303 can		
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Flour	5 lb. bag 8
Gladiola Cornbread	
Mix	3 pkgs. 3
Pet	
Sour Cream	3
Heinz	
Catsup	14 oz. 3
Fireside	
Crackers	1 lb. box 3
Griffin's	4 oz. 3
Black Pepper	3
Griffin Mexican Style	
Beans	Can 19
TIDE	Giant size 79

Menus
School lunch menus of January 14-18:
Monday: Hamburg, tuce, tomatoes, onion ranch beans, french crisp, milk.
Tuesday: Beef and buttered corn, cabbage salad, hot rolls, buttered cobbler, milk.
Wednesday: Chili con carne, potatoes, corned beef, hot rolls, buttered cobbler, milk.
Thursday: Turkey seasoned green beans, green salad, hot rolls, orange juice, refrigerated, milk.
Friday: Swiss steak, potatoes, green beans, English peas, hot rolls, buttered cobbler, milk.

Hartsfield, Bonds Repeat Vows

San Currie of Dallas. Elizabeth Ann Millwee, the bride's niece, was flower girl and her nephew, Mark Millwee, was ring bearer.

Danny Hartsfield was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Terry Pringle, Bob Barton, Nelson Bennett, Loyd Warner and Les Millwee, all of Abilene.

Lutcher Sinclair of Houston, Richard Allen Snow and Ray Weyandt of Abilene and Sam Powell of Haskell, seated the guests.

The bride's gown was of bridal satin with appliques of Venice lace on the empire bodice, a victorian neckline and bishop sleeves.

The skirt was banded with a wide pleated flounce applied with Venice lace, and flowed to chapel length. Her Juliet cap of Venice Rose lace held her cathedral length veil of



MRS. LARRY HARTSFIELD
... formerly Suzanne Bonds

imported English illusion. Her bouquet was of gardenias, stephanotis and English ivy, with white satin streamers entwined with English ivy.

Her attendants wore royal blue velvet gowns with halter bodices and white satin collars, and caplets lined in white satin. They wore mini-Camelot caps in white ribbon velvet.

The groom wore a tux with a royal blue crushed velvet coat, while his attendants wore black tux.

Mother of the bride chose a royal velvet and pale blue taffeta gown featuring a sabrina neckline that fell low in the back and was caught with a Dior bow. Groom's mother chose a royal blue gown of velvet and matte jersey fashioned with basque bodice, long sleeves and high crown collar. Waistline was defined with a crusted belt.

Parents of the bride hosted the reception at their home.

After a wedding trip to Ruifoso, N. M., the couple will live at 698 EN 18th St., Apt. B, Abilene.

The bride was graduated from Cooper High School in 1971 and attended West Texas State University. She is employed by Radiology Associates.

The groom graduated from Haskell High School in 1971 and is a senior at Abilene Christian College where he is a member of Alpha Psi Omega and Sigma Tau Delta. He is employed by J&J Grocery Store.

His parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Jamaica Inn.

Local Couple Celebrates 40th Anniversary

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Montgomery hosted a reception Dec. 30, from 2 to 4 p. m. in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church, in honor of the Montgomery's 40th wedding anniversary.

Hosting were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery, Travis and Melanie of Mesquite; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Montgomery, Wray, Kendall and Jamey of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. (Betty) Furr, Lee Ann and Gloria of Grand Prairie.

Guests calling were registered at a polished wood table centered with an arrangement of red feather flowers, by Lee Ann and Wray.

Seating tables were laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a poinsettia arrangement. Silver and crystal appointments were used to serve coffee, punch, cake, nuts and mints. Mrs. Bud Montgomery and Mrs. Frank Montgomery served, assisted by Mrs. Clay Smith and Mrs. Carl Rastetter.

Mrs. Montgomery was born in Sterling County, Texas. He was born in Fisher County. They married Dec. 31, 1933 in Robert Lee. They moved to Haskell 21 years ago, and he is employed at the West Texas Utilities Power Plant.

Guests called from Hamlin, Seamore, Midland, California, Haskell, Rotan and Grand View. Special music was by Mrs. Alva Montgomery of Rotan.

PARTIES

Mrs. Larry Hartsfield was honored Thursday with a bridesmaid's luncheon at the Petroleum Club.

Hostess was Mrs. Joe Snow. White linen cloths covered the guest tables. Decorations included an arrangement of blue and white carnations.

Special guests were the mothers of the couple. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Bonds of Abilene, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Hess Hartsfield of Haskell.

DINNER

Mrs. Larry Hartsfield, the former Susie Bonds, was honored at a dinner in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Haag. The occasion concluded with the guests tying rice bags. Attending from Haskell were Mrs. Hess Hartsfield, mother of the groom; Mrs. Glen Sammons, Mrs. Mike Newberry and Mrs. Jack Rich from Burbank, Calif.

SPICE & RECIPE PARTY

A 'spice and recipe' party honored Mrs. Larry Hartsfield in the home of Mrs. Malcolm

R&PW Club Holds Business Meet

Haskell R&PW held their monthly business meeting Wednesday, Jan. 1, in the home of president, Mrs. Artie May Burkett.

The meeting was opened with Mrs. T. C. Redwine reading the Collier. Program committee chairman, Oral Adkins, gave a report on the upcoming programs. Mrs. Burkett read a number of letters and several items were discussed and voted on.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 15 in the Community Room, with Aubrey Headstream as guest speaker.

Mrs. Burkett served sandwiches, salad, cake and coffee.

HDC NEWS

Mr. Harold Couch, Safety director with the Texas Department of Public Safety in Mineral Wells, will be speaking to Haskell County Home Demonstration Club members on Jan. 16 at 2:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Haskell National Bank.

Mr. Couch will be speaking on Safe and Defensive Driving according to Mrs. Barbara Elliott, County Extension Agent.

Don't miss for the high school students... he or she will... late word comes of his or her... We have it at The Haskell Free Press

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| 805 Sheer support Stockings | \$3.95 | \$3.25 |

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New Pastors Are Honored By HYH

The Haskell Chapter of Young Homemakers of Texas met Friday evening, January 4, in the Community Room to honor Haskell's new ministers.

To begin the new year in a special way, the Young Homemakers wanted to get acquainted with each new pastor and his wife. Those honored were: Mr. and Mrs. Larry Suttle, minister to the Church of Christ; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Friedel, minister to the First Presbyterian Church; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Bragg, minister to the First Baptist Church; Mr. and Mrs. A. Gutierrez, minister to the Calvary Baptist Church; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Aalhue, minister to the Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton, and husbands of the Young Homemakers were also special guests.

Speaker for the occasion was Rev. Joe Aalhue, Texas Rural Minister of the Year for 1973. Widely known for his work in the Haskell County area, Rev. Aalhue is recognized for his

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by CLYDENE AND LOIS

sense of time was wee bit disappointed in the first Monday morning sighting. I was expecting something quite spectacular, and at this point in time, it just isn't so. Perhaps around Feb. 10th, when it is supposed to be the brightest, my expectations will be more justified. I intend to watch and see.

Back to the Daylight Savings Time issue, most Haskell merchants are going to try opening at their normal times, and if they see that isn't justified, they will make adjustments according to Old Sol.

We'll see.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morrell Dick the past week were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Woodring of Kohoutek, Col. and Mrs. A. S. Coleman; Col. and Mrs. A. S. Sherry and Michael of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. David Sherry of

Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. James Woodrow of Davis, Calif.; Kayna Sherry of Sacramento, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Connell and Robert Loyd of Post.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Britt have returned to Ogden, Utah, after visiting family and friends in Haskell. Sgt. Britt had been in Alamogordo, N. M. on a 45-day special duty assignment. Mrs. Kathy Britt stayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Lees, and friends and relatives. Her grandmother, Mrs. Middle Lees, gave them a going away supper before they left for Utah. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Pointer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Helmes and children, Mrs. Claude Norman, Mrs. Roy Norman, Stacey and Mark, and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Lees.

Lanny Beauchamp of Haskell spent the New Year holidays in San Juan, Porto Rico.

Kenneth Ketron of Big Spring came for his mother, Mrs. Ralph Ketron, before the holidays, and she went to Seminole with he and his family for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Chet Sample, Michael and Denise, of Commerce, brought her home.

Lula Ketron has returned home after a trip to Sherman and Fort Worth for the holidays. Her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Harwell of Sherman, returned with her for a visit.

Gerald D. Bird, stationed with the U. S. Army Missile Dept. in Bad Kreuznach, Germany, flew home unexpectedly and spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Eastland of Monahans spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perkins of Lubbock have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gilliam and family.

Mrs. Leon Burson spent Sunday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Isbell of Abilene spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Isbell at Paint Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rainey in Weiner.

During the Christmas holidays, Mrs. Ed Welsh had as her guests her daughters, Mrs. Jo Watkins of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bean of the Bean Ranch, and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welsh and Terry of Midwest City, Okla., Thursday after Christmas, they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bailey and family of Dallas and Mrs. W. E. Laird of Grandview spent the holidays with Mrs. Virgil Bailey.

Paul Brown spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rich of Burbank, Calif., are visiting her sisters, Mrs. Lynn Toliver and Mrs. Buck Caloway. They attended the Bonds-Hartsfield wedding in Abilene.

Linda Hartsfield, a student at West Texas State University in Canyon, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hess Hartsfield.

Mrs. Jeny Brazell attended Stamford Jr. Livestock Show with the Paint Creek FFA group and saw her daughter, Connie, win a number of honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor, Terri, Mark and Bob of Birmingham, Mich.; Mr. Taylor's mother, and Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. Iola Henshaw, flew to the Bahamas for a week's stay during Christmas.

Mrs. Ruby Smith and Mrs. Frankie Atchison spent New Years with Mrs. Raul English and Mrs. Virginia Henshaw in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Schroeder and Curtis, and Mrs. Catherine Roberts, all of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trammell of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dippel and David of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Schroeder and sons of Abilene, spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Taggart, Tammy and Sherry of Crowley visited during the holidays in the homes of Mrs. Opal Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jetton and daughters. Mrs. Taggart also visited with friends in

Leisure Lodge.

Mack Cason of Fort Worth visited with the Bill Comedys Tuesday on his way to Lubbock.

Congratulations to Mrs. Betty McBroom. She made the Dean's List for the fall semester at Abilene Christian College in Abilene. She attained a grade point average of 3.3 of a possible 4.

Mrs. E. G. Graham enjoyed a Christmas holiday visit from all her children, grandchildren and some of her brothers, and a host of friends. Visiting during the holidays with her from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Humphrey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Amons of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brewer and son, Grandad Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Amons, all of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blackard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Blackard and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rumbough and daughter, all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Graham and

children of Midland. Twenty-one had Christmas breakfast with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowers had all their children but one home for the holidays plus other relatives and a host of friends. The children were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bowers, Randy and Jamie, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hardaway, Pam and Lori, of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gavlik, Wayne and Randy of Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bowers, Michael and Jon, of Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gavlik and Jamie were unable to come as Gary was on duty at Ellington AFB in Houston. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Murphy, Renee and Basil, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marr and Sheree, all of Denton; Mrs. Irene Stewart, Eddie Stewart, Mrs. Lela Mae Atchison, Mrs. Elsie McGee, LaNell McGee, Vena Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Alvis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fuson of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Marr.

Mrs. Jerry Crawford, Thomas Alexander and George Alexander of San Antonio, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Alexander of Haskell over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Henderson and Tammy of Austin visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Haddock.

See you next week...

Marriage License fees, \$183.00; Copies, \$86.50; Criminal Court fees, \$97.50; Probate Court fees, \$135.00; Misc. fees, Notary Bond, \$4.00; Sheriff, Judge, Attorney, \$265.50; Law Library, \$25.00; Fines, \$292.00; Comp., \$25.00; Cattle Brand, \$2.00. Total, \$1,576.50.

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Russet 10 lb. bag
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CARROTS 15c

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DELTA BRAND BATHROOM TISSUE

4 Roll Pkg. **39c**

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6 1/4 oz. can **39c**

BETTY CROCKER CAKE MIXES

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Armour Star 12 oz. pkg.
All Meat Franks **79c**

White Swan 15 1/2 oz. can
Pork and Beans **4 for \$1**

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BISCUITS 10 count can **11c**

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Sammy's Pride Twin-Pack
Potato Chips 9 oz. pkg. **49c**

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Root Beer No Deposit **49c**

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48 oz. Bottle **99c**

WHITE KING or W-P BRAND All Purpose DETERGENT

Giant size 49 oz. **67c**

Rice Springs News

By Priscilla Ford

Joe Teague came home from having spent nine days with relatives and friends in Sweetwater. He gave his daughter Linda Jenice in marriage to Pete Martinez, Dec. 27, 1973. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Townsend from Lubbock visited their mother and mother-in-law, Mrs. Hagle, recently.

Rev. Simms from Central Baptist Church last sermon of '73 was "The Last Days". We thank Central Baptist Church for the services.

Due to the illness of Larry Suttle, minister of the Church of Christ, there was only singing, praying and communion.

Due to so much virus and confinement to the rooms, we don't have much news. The virus is much better now and people are getting out again.

and residents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson from Odessa visited their mother, Mrs. Esther Elmore.

Goodfellows:
Thank you so very much for remembering our residents at

Christmas time. It was thoughtful of you and much appreciated by all.

Thanks again,
Mrs. Ruth Ann Klose,
Residents and Staff,
Rice Springs Care Home

visited his mother and sister, Mrs. Myrtle Trussell and Em-mie Trussell.

We all extend our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Johnson for the boxes of chocolates. We enjoyed them so much.

Mr. Von Cobb of Leisure Lodge visited in Stamford Friday, Dec. 28.

We're happy to report Mrs. W. C. Grissom is ed of her recent Mr. and Mrs. of Rule were home Tuesday.

Leisure Lodge News

The New Year found some of us ailing, but we had our traditional blackeyed peas so we should have all have good luck in the world at Rice Springs. I remembered a poem from childhood, but not the author:

Another year passed over gone
Hope beaming with the new.
Thus move we on, forever on
The many and the few.
The many of our childhood days
Growing fewer one by one
Till Death in duel with each life
Proclaims the last is gone.

The Tom Watson singers entertained us last night and wished us all A Happy New Year.

Mrs. Lillie Hagle's son, G. L. Hagle, and Uncle Claude Edwards visited her from Throckmorton.

Mrs. Ruth Ann Klose wished to thank Johnson's Pharmacy for the candy for the nurses

We enjoyed a New Year's Eve musical put on by the Rule High School students. They were Jackie Wilcox, Lane Hertenburger, Wes Kitley, Wyatt Williams, Nerva Lehmann, Lanelle Williams, and they were sponsored by Mrs. Linnie Yarbrough, Maxine Hertenburger, Beulah Ezzell, Ruth Wilcox and Mikeanna Wilcox. Cookies and punch were enjoyed by all, and we're looking forward to them coming back.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford of Corpus Christi visited his mother, Sallie Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Alexander of Weibert and J. W. Alexander of McKinney visited Albert Adress and friends of Leisure Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Robinson of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Robinson of La-

mesa visited their mother, Mrs. W. C. Grissom last weekend.

Everyone enjoyed the Sunday morning service brought by Bro. Ronnie Tins of Central Baptist Church, and the services Sunday afternoon by the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robinson of Munday visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Janice Sheets of Stephenville visited her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Grissom Wednesday.

Mrs. Dorothy Fann of Munday visited his aunt, Mrs. Tommie Hawkins, Wednesday.

A sincere 'Thank You' to Mrs. Channault of Aspermont for the beautiful yellow chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Pat Anderson of Mt. Pleasant visited her father, Mr. J. A. Wright Monday.

Mr. H. R. Trussell of Rule



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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
 FOR RENT OR SALE: 3 room house on Lake Stamford. Call 864-2939. R. W. Woodson. 2-4p
 FOR SALE: Small house and two lots, north of Fair Park, Ivey Rhodes place. If interested, see or call Dora Cook, 1006 N. Ave. G, 864-2136. 50-2p
 HOUSE FOR SALE: 1003 N. Ave. J. Call 316 / 356-4269, Ulysses, Kansas, \$7800.00. 1-3p

REWARD
 REWARD: Lost poodle north of Stamford, wearing green rhinestone collar. Answers to Pierre. Call 773-3853. 2-3p

LOST
 LOST: 4 year old chestnut sorrel mare with streaked face, 1 foot and 1 rear white foot. Lost 4 miles southeast of Munday approx. 3 weeks ago. Leeland Floyd, 422-4371, Box 253, Munday. 2-4p
 LOST: Wednesday in M-System, yellow gold wedding band with sentimental value, reward. Call Mrs. J. L. Reid, 864-2879. 2p

HELP WANTED
 WANTED: Mechanic and wash-grease, clean-up boy. Perry Motor Co. 864-2550. 43fc

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Pol. Calendar
 The Free Press is authorized to make the following announcements for office in Haskell County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in 1974.
 All political advertisements, announcements, and printing is cash in advance.

STATE SENATOR
 30th Senatorial District
 Charles Finnell
 Ray Farabee

DISTRICT JUDGE
 W. P. Ratliff

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
 Carolyn (Lusk) Reynolds (Re-election)

COUNTY SUPT.
 Cleatus W. (Biggon) Drinnen

HASKELL COUNTY CLERK
 Jenny Brazell

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
 Artie Bradley (Re-election)

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE
 H. M. Bledsoe (Re-election)

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4:
 E. C. Collins (Re-election)
 C. A. (Bud) Turnbow

COUNTY JUDGE, HASKELL COUNTY
 B. O. Roberson (Re-election)
 O. E. Patterson

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 2:
 W. R. Hager, Jr.
 R. L. (Jiggs) Edwards
 Colen Hammer

CARD OF THANKS
 Thank you to the American G. I. Forum of Haskell for making Christmas possible for my children this year. Mrs. Nicollasa E. Castro. 2p

CARD OF THANKS
 To our many friends and neighbors, a sincere thank you for your many thoughtful deeds of kindness shown to us during the illness and loss of our loved one. A special thanks to Dr. Thigpen and Dr. Colbert and to the entire staff at Rice Springs Care Home. A special thanks to Rev. H. O. Abbott and Dr. Sarles, Nelda Lane and Roberta High for their precious service. May God bless each of you. The family of Mrs. G. N. Turnbow. 2p

PUBLIC NOTICE
 NOTICE
 The Rat Control Demonstration that was to be held on the Wendell Guess Farm at 10:00 a. m., today has been postponed to a later date. Time and date will be announced later.

A COURTESY REMINDER:
 Please remember that classified ads are cash in advance for individuals not owning businesses and not having charge accounts with the Haskell Free Press. Rate is 5c per word for the first insertion and 4c per word thereafter with a minimum of \$1.50 per week. Please bring your ad by (we will be happy to help you with it) or mail it with your check. Classified display \$1.50 per in. Thank you for your cooperation. Classified Ad Dept. tfe

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 Real clean vinyl sofa bed, \$59.95.
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DEATH NOTICES
Mrs. A. A. Green
 Funeral services for Mrs. A. A. Green, 89, of Paint Creek, were held Friday, Jan. 4, in Paint Creek First Baptist Church. The Rev. Bud Moore, pastor of Castle Avenue Baptist Church in Hobbs, N. M., and the Rev. Jim Townsend, pastor of Paint Creek, officiated. Interment was in Howard Cemetery under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.
 She died Thursday, Jan. 3, at 6:20 a. m. in Haskell Memorial Hospital after a stay of about three weeks.
 Born Oct. 11, 1884, in Comanche County, she came to Haskell County in 1902 with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cox, and settled in the Paint Creek community, and had lived there ever since. She was a member of Paint Creek First Baptist Church.
 She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Russell Grand of Haskell, and Mrs. Albert English of Rochester; four sons, Walter, Lawrence, Durvin and Ambrey, all of Haskell; 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Sue Wiley of Stamford.
 Survivors include the wife of the home; his mother, Mrs. Connie Martin of Haskell; one daughter, Mrs. Bob Moore of Houston; two grandchildren and one brother, E. W. Martin of Knox City.
 Pallbearers were Clyde Grice, Bill Dunnam, Ben Kittley, E. F. Nauert, Leroy Casey, Rex Murray, Bill Martin and Emmitt Eakins.

Mrs. Rinehart
 Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Rinehart, 73, of Midland, were held Tuesday at 2:00 p. m., Jan. 8, in Newbie Ellis Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Don Stovall, pastor of the Church of God, and the Rev. J. W. Farmer, pastor of First Assembly of God, officiating. Burial was in Rest Haven Memorial Park.
 Born Oct. 6, 1901 in Rising Star, Texas, she was reared in Haskell County. She married Melton Rinehart Oct. 11, 1923 in the Bunker Hill community. They later moved to Weinert.

Mrs. Mae Brooks
 Funeral services for Mrs. Mae Brooks, 78, were held in First Baptist Church of Haskell at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 6. The Rev. Dudley Braig, pastor, officiated and burial was in Johnson Memorial Cemetery at Munday, under direction of the Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.
 She died Friday, January 4, at 6:30 a. m. She was born on April 7, 1895 in Athens, Texas, and married W. K. Brooks Dec. 26, 1920, in Athens. He died Dec. 26, 1946. She was a member of South Side Chapel of the First Baptist Church. She moved to Munday in 1925 from Athens, and lived there until 1949 when she moved to Haskell.
 She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Nolen Green of Graham and Mrs. Dorothy Whitefield of Borger; two sons, Wayne of Amarillo, and Bill

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