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## HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1953

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**County School** 

**Board Rules On** 

**Pupil Transfers** 

They carefully studied the pa-

districts since no duplicate routes

have been approved in the county

## ilene Firm Given Contract Oil Well Fire Friday Causes Paint Creek School Annex \$12,000 Damage An oil well fire Friday afterof the Paint Creek

School District Tues-

noon at the Crown Central Oil Douglas Meyers Elected Superintendent d an Abilene firm the build an addition to At Weinert, Succeeding Connor Horton did about \$12,000 damage to a workover rig cleaning out the Creek School. The new replace structures ed in March of this

For Back-to-School Program

on a low total bid 8, which included \$4,tallation of lunchroom

who resigned to accept a similar a total of five firms. position with the Rule Schools. ty the trustees Tues-Election of Mr. Meyers as suoffice of the county intendent, Mrs. Iva perintendent was announced following a meeting of the Weinert School Board.

erton, president of the ustees, presided at the Supt. Meyers said Wednesday that final plans were being com-Board members are r, Paul Fischer, Clarpleted for beginning of the 1953-154 term of Weinert Schools on Medford. Roy and John R. Watson, . Tuesday, Sept. 1st. Two vacancies on the school school Supt. Dan McRae was

meeting. 0 bond issue had earlapproved by voters in Creek district after a Added Features Being Planned 5 had destroyed the mehroom. agriculture d farm workshop, Loss ted at \$25,000. ms of the contract start in 10 days and ted in 150 calendar contractor said Tueshe work would begin

Sept. 4th in Indian Football Staaddition will be on the dium, members of the chamber the present structure. of commerce committee in charge of plans for the event said toion will include an allday. m with a kitchen at One feature of the program, a td a stage at the other letter writing contest for school mary classrooms. The room will be used

teria during the lunch Man Wanted For an be converted to a primary classrooms **Burglary Here** ave a restroom, work ik, locker space for chalk and cork boards. oms will have windows

Nabbed at Pecos John Joseph O'Connell, about All grents being planned are 30. Sceribed by officers as a designed to better acquaint school John Joseph O'Connell, about hish of the addition natural plywood The transient panhandler or "mooch- patrons and students with Hasbe of brick and tan Acoustical tile er" was arrested in Pecos Friday kell schools, faculty members, on ceilings and as- on information funished by the school organizations and activion the floors.

Construction Co. of Ab- Douglas Meyers, former Wein- faculty remain to be filled, those awarded the constructure ert high school principal, has of grade school principal and been employed as superintendent teacher for the Fifth Grade. The of Weinert Public Schools, suc- vacancies resulted from the receeding Connor Horton, former cent resignation of Mr. and Mrs. superintendent for eight years Bob Hill.

R. S. Sanders has been employed as successor to Mr. Douglas in the post of high school principal. Mrs. Doyle Williams will teach the First Grade, and Mrs. Cecil Hutchinson will also teach in the elementary departments, with her

teaching assignment to be announced Mrs. R. L. Foote will teach Homemaking in the Weinert

primary, elementary, and high

school students writing the best

ner, Ex-Officio Secretary. The fire broke out as tubing was being pulled from the hole. rent applications for scholastic Oil and gas escaping around the transfer and voted to allow all well casing caught fire from the transfers within the county, but

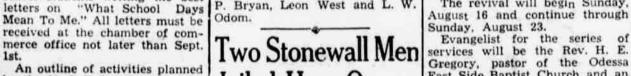
exhaust of the workover rig moto refuse all transfers out of the tor. The well burned from about 2:15 until 4:05 p. m. before it could be extinguished.

Firemen from Haskell took two trucks to the blaze and were as-District. sisted by members of the rig crew in bringing the fire under control. A Halliburton oil field truck and a Denson water truck from Rule helped supply water te fight the fire. fine their routes to their own J. F. Cason of Abilene, district

superintendent for Crown Central, was slightly burned on one hand. He was overseeing the cleanout operation at the well. Jack Wilcox, of the oil well service company, estimated damage to the workover rig at about \$12,000. The rig was practically a new unit and had been used only one time before.

Intense heat burned the rear Additional features are being students, has already attracted tires off the heavy duty truck considered this week for Haskell's several entries, C. of C. manager unit and warped the 66-foot steel second annual "Back to School Rex Felker said. Cash prizes of mast, in addition to damaging Program" to be held Friday night, \$10 and second prize of \$5 will cable and others units of the be given in three divisions for

Members of the crew operating the unit were Everett Watson, O. P. Bryan, Leon West and L. W.



Jailed Here On by the Haskell Quarterback Club will be given by Tom Watson, Favors will be distributed to all

children attending the program, and several novel entertainment Two Stonewall County men features are under consideration in connection with the program. night charged with rape in connection with the alleged assault

\*. Acoustical tile n ceilings and as-the floors. will be connected will be connected will be connected the floors. will be connected will be connected will be connected the floors. the floors. will be connected the floors. the floo

## C. of C. Announces Plans For "Cotton Festival" Oct. 26-31 The County School Board met Haskell will recognize one of excellent cotton crop that we have in cash will be paid to the cham-

from merchants going to

on the rodeo grounds.

Middleton.

the show call for a late afternoon

General steering committee in

charge of show plans is composed

of Shelly Royall, chairman; R. T.

Landess, Rex Felker, Marion Jos-

selet, Fred Gilliam, and Brooks

parade preceding the night show

in regular session August 7th, in the county's major industries, the had in several years and we want pion in the women's division and the office of the county superin-tendent with members present as long "Cotton Festival" which has follows: Roy A. Overton, presi-been set for Oct. 26-31 according to Harold Spain, president of the are not complete at this time but of boll cotton pulled. The contest dent; T. E. Beason, H. H. Sego, Will Stegemoeller, and Iva Pal-Haskell chamber of commerce we already have several features

which will sponsor the event. "Something could happen to to create much interest," he said. damage the crop before harvest but at the present time we have be a "Cotton Pulling Contest" on one of th best outlooks for an Wednesday. Oct. 28 when \$100

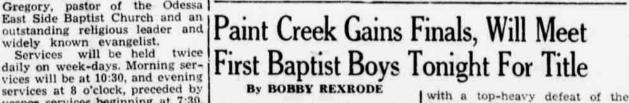


Directors of the Saddle Tramps Other attractions are aslo being iding club, meeting this morning, planned of a similar nature. approved plans for a "Western The calf roping, cutting horse, Day" to be staged in Haskell Satand barrel races will be jackpot urday, Sept. 5th, as the first of a events, and the Saddle Tramps series of events that will be held will post \$50 added money to enon the Fairgrounds recently leas-ed by the club. trance fees in the calf roping and cutting horse contests, with prizes

The Western Day will introduce new facilities of the arena and girls. rodeo grounds built on the fairgrounds by the riding club which permit staging of both day and night events.

All events to be presented Sept 5th have not been definitely outlined, but the program will include calf roping, cutting horse contests, a sponsors's barrel riding contest, and other feature events.

The program will be along lines A novel entertainment stunt of last year's Western Day, but is will be a "greased pig" contest, not being planned as a full-scale with only boys allowed to enter. rodeo attraction.



In the championship round of Anderson Roustabouts. the City Softball League play-off, The game that was rained out, between the First Baptist Boys only one game was played Tuesand Service Pipe Line, was played day night, Aug. 11, with the sec-Wednesday night, Aug. 12, with ond game of the night being called on account of rain. In the single the Baptists taking a one-sided game played, the Paint Creek Pi- victory 11-0. The winning pitches

will begin at 10 a. m. and end at on the program which promise 4 p. m. Attractive merchandise awards will be given second and One of the feature events will third place winners in each division. In addition, all contestants will be paid the prevailling rate for all cotton pulled.

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No restrictions will be placed on race or color and contestants are eligible to enter regardless of their place of residence. Each contestants willbe allowed to use two cotton sacks and may have a helper whose duties will be to carry the cotton to the scales and to provide food and drinks during the hours of the contest.

An entrance fee of \$5.00 will be charged each contestant but as a public relations promotion between farmers and merchants these fees will be paid by local business men.

The following committee has been appointed to select the fields the of cotton for the contest and to Tentative program outline for act as judges:

Bob Sego, director of the farm and ranch committee of the chamber of commerce, chairman; County Agent Frank Martin, Vocational Agriculture teacher Haskell Stone; and farmers, Noah Lane, C. G. Burson, Ed F. Fouts and Bidge Meadows.

Anyone interested in competing or furnishing an entry should contact the chamber of commerce before the date set for the contest.

Another feature of the week's program will be a beauty contest which will be held at the Texas Theatre Thursday night Oct. 29 for the purpose of selecting a Haskell County "Cotton Queen." Contestants will be required to wear dresses made of cotton material. Winner of the title will be awarded a 500-pound bale of cotton that will be on display in the theatre lobby during the week. The winner may dispose of the bale of cotton at public auction or any way that she desires. Area towns and communities are being invited to enter contestant

**Assault Charges** were placed in jail here Sunday

of a 19-year-old wife. Jailed in lieu of \$5,000 bonds set by Justice of the Peace Neal

by the Texas Education Agency. **One Week Revival** At Pinkerton To **Begin Sunday** 

Plans have been completed for a one-week Revival Meeting at the Pinkerton Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Jack D. Wester an-

Rule officiating.

Home

death..

Texas.

Oris Gibson.

the county

**Received** Here

Tuesday Night

Hail which accompanied

ed into South Knox County.

damage to crops in areas near

Rule and Rochester, and extend-

nounced today.

The revival will begin Sunday, August 16 and continue through Sunday, August 23. Evangelist for the series

Gregory, pastor of the Odessa East Side Baptist Church and an widely known evangelist.

Services will be held twice daily on week-days. Morning services will be at 10:30, and evening services at 8 o'clock, preceded by vesper services beginning at 7:30.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery

under direction of Holden Funeral

Mr. Murphy, who lived almost

his entire lifetime in Haskell with

the exception of time spent in the

armed forces, died at 2:30 a. m.

Sunday in a Veterans Adminis-

He was a World War II veter-

Pallbearers were Cleburne

Moore, Dow Flippen, Jack Moore,

Funeral Rites For

of

sent high school buildrell's Grocery Store in this city tside corridor. Wednesday night.

cRae said Friday he A small amount of money in ful the new addition pennies, some cigarettes and botpleted by Christmas. tled drinks were taken when the term at Paint Creek store here was burglarized, the with all faculty thief apparently becoming frightlled. The school will ened while in the store. Entry a lunchroom. was gained by breaking a winfor the Paint Creek dow, and the culprit left through William Pena of the the front door. of Caudell - Rowlett

### uzgerald Is y Patient In orth Hospital

1. 31

by Haskell friends Fitzgerald, teacher in me schools in recent be glad to learn that towering nicely after to major surgery in All ef last week. Miss Fitz-

O'Connell's arrest followed Frilay in Pesos, where officers said he had committed two burglaries aber of a pioneer Hastaught in the Haskell Thursday night. In a statement made to Pecos officers, O'Donnell fore going to Abilene. and wife, Mr. and admitted the burglary of the Harf Fitzgerald are with rell store. After disposition of the ald in the Fort Worth charges pending in Pecos against the transient, he will be held for

AMARILLO, CANYON

VISITORS FROM DALLAS Mrs. J. O. Merchant Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oman ad home after visiting a Max Merchant in <sup>4</sup> Max Merchant in <sup>4</sup> Mr. and Mrs. John her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Amarillo Oates

# Polling Places Set Up For Quota Referendum Friday

arper, Haskell County tary, announced this room

seven polling places Marketing quotas on wheat are signated in the county very important subject to wheat nce of wheat produfarmers, and every one of the in the marketing , 200 eligible voters are urged to on wheat Friday Aug. cast their ballot so that the re-

lers may vote at the convenient to them. band and wife are Details regarding quotas have

will open at 8 a. m. m., at the foling places:

at the City Hall. e City Hall.

tek, at the Paint Creek at Mattson

School at Weinert Elevator

quotas.

president of the club.

By Fire Fire believed to have been

Sheriff Bob Cousins and memwhich accompanied a hard downbers of his department who inpour here Tuesday night resulted vestigated, were given the desin several hundred dollars damcription of a man who had been age to the C. B. Thompson Banner loitering around the store Wed-Ice and Cold Storage plant one nesday. They later learned that the suspect had caught a ride with

The fire originated between the a bread transport truck out of ceiling and roof of the building Haskell early Thursday, in which and spread to the southeast cornhe had ridden as far as Abilene. er of the roof. An electric power A description of the man was broadcast to neighboring officers line serving the Suilding "shorted out" and burned in two during and a pick-up issued for the sus-

C. B. Thompson, owner of the ousiness, is away on vacation. Rain measuring .91 of an inch had fallen between 10:30 p. m. and midnight Tuesday. The fire was discovered a few minutes after midnight.

The electrical storm also knocked out five or six transformers in various sections of town, leav-Haskell County officers in coning the city without street lights nection with the burglary here. for a time during the night.

and little son of Dallas, were

Haskell, in the district court

sult of the referendum will correctly represent the thinking of all the interested producers.

been sent to all eligible voters, and the proposition should be clear to all concerned.

The Haskell PMA official made "The the following statement: Department in no way desires to influence the opinion of interestat the Sagerton Gin ed wheat growers, or to predict the outcome of the vote. Our sole interest is that all the eligible voters vote one way or the other

depending upon their understanding and opinion regarding acreage allotments and marketing

Banner Ice & Cold Storage Damaged

caused by an electrical storm block north of the square.

the fire.

#### Former Navy Doctor In Korea Visits **Parents** Here

Dr. and Mrs. Frank C. Spencer and children were week end visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer of this city.

Dr. Spencer only recently returned to civilian life after serving as Lieutenant, junior grade, with the U. S. Navy in Korea. The young surgeon received international renown for work in arterial surgery and was awarded the Legion of Merit in May of this year. He is now with John Hopkins in Baltimore, Md.

#### Weinert Woman Is Given Assignment In Saudi Arabia

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Therwhanger of Weinert have received word from their daughter, Margaret, of Washington, D. C., that she has been assigned by the Department of State to go to Saudi, Arabia for two years duty with the Point 4 system. She will be home at Weinert Aug. 22 for two weeks before sailing. At present Margaret is with her sister, Mrs. Roger Zingerman of Pittsburg, Pa.

year-old brother, Alvin. They are charged with criminally as- Held Monday saulting Mrs. Eldon A. McMahan late Saturday night or early Sunday morning Mrs. McMahan was brought to the Haskell County Hospital Sunday morning suffering from shock and bruises about the face and head. She told investigating officers that her estranged husband and his brother came to an As-

permont cafe where she was employed about 6 p. m. Saturday. She said she was forced into a car, driven to Breckenridge, and back to Stonewall County. The alleged attack, according to Mrs. McMahan, took place west of Aspermont.

tration Hospital in McKinney Charges against the brothers were prepared by 39th District Texas. He had suffered with a heart ailment since 1950, and had Attorney Royce Adkins and signed submitted to major surgery in by Sheriff Warren Frazier of Stonewall County. The McMahans have been sep-

arated since October, 1952, and Mrs. McMahan is reported to have filed for a divorce.

The two brothers were arrested he was the son of the late W. C. late Sunday by Sheriff Frazier, Murphy and Mrs. Murphy, and who was assisted in the investicame with his parents to Haskell gation by Sheriff Bob Cousins of County in 1921. He married Miss Haskell. After their arrest, the men waived examining trial.

**Connor Horton Is** New Rule School Superintendent

To fill the vacancy created by the resignation of J. P. Rudd as superintendent of Rule Public Schools, the Rule school board has announced the election of Connor Horton of Weinert, as

head of the Rule school system. Mr. Rudd, in his fourth year as superintendent at Rule tendered his resignation at a special meeting of the school board in that city last week. The board agreed to release Supt. Rudd for the remaining year of his current contract. He had been with the Rule system since 1950. Rudd has not announced his plans for the

imediate future but said he would continue in school work. Horton, new superintendent at Rule, has headed the Weinert

school system for eight years. He is a graduate of East Texas State ed to .91 inch. Teachers College at Commerce, where he received his bachelor of science and master of science

degrees. Remaining Rule school vacancies to be filled include high school coach, junior high English teacher, junior high mathematics and social studies teacher, high school biology and general science teachers.

rates gained a berth in the finals

Civic Leaders Of Funeral service for Basil Truman Murphy, Sr., 33, was held at the First Baptist Church in this **County To Meet** city Monday at 4 p. m., with the Rev. J. M. Edge, pastor of Central Baptist Church of Haskell and Here Aug. 30 the Rev. W. T. Priddy, pastor of Sweet Home Baptist Church of

> will be held in this city Sunday August 30 at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of discussing plans for carrying on the work of the Hascell County division of Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children.

left arm below the elbow Wed-Plans for the meetnig to be nesday night while playing softheld in the chamber of commerce ball.

the McKinney hospital prior to his office, were announced by John Barry, chairman of the county . Warm Springs organization. He an, having served three years in the U. S. Air Force. urges all civic leaders to attend. Born Feb. 16, 1920 in Stamford, The county chairman, accompanied by Tommy Davis, cochairman, toured the county Monday to set up community committees in various towns of the operator from his place of busicounty.

Marjorie Easterling of this city The Rule Rotary Club will Sept. 17, 1938 and they had made sponsor activities in behalf of the little more loafing than ordinaritheir home here since that time. Foundation in that city. Mr. Murphy had been a member

The Rev. Temple Lewis, Baptist pastor at Weinert, has been namof the Central Baptist Church for about two years, and was a ed community chairman in this city, and D. S. Goathard is commembers of the local Rogers-Cox Post of the American Legion. He is survived by his wife and munity chairman at O'Brien. Aptwo sons, Basil Truman, Jr., and pointed chairman at Sagerton was Curtis Weldon Murphy, all Rev. Rudy Wendel, pastor of St. of

Paul's Lutheran Church there. Haskell; his mother, Mrs. C. E. A Gonzales Foundation film will be shown at the meeting of Rutherford of Baird; a sister, Mrs. T. L. Naron, Haskell; and grandfather, A. A. Miller of Kirbyville. Haskell Lions Club on Sept. 1st, and on Sept. 14th the film will be

visitor in Haskell last week. He shown at Rochester, Chairman is a former County Judge of Wil-Barry has announced. barger County.

James Atkeison, Felix Miller, Roustetts Blast Childress 13-3 Saturday; **Almost Inch of Rain** To Play Dublin All-Stars In Abilene

played at Childress.

The rain was extremely spotted and did not extend over the general area to any extent, alduring the seven-inning contest. Opal Dunnam, one of the Roustthough beneficial moisture was reported in various sections of etts ace twirlers turned in a perfect mound performance, with the thundershowers did considerable

dium. In the second game of the night, A number of local fans and Burton Chevrolet Softballers desupporters are expected to acfeated the Childress men's softcompany the Roustetts to Abilene ball team in a well-played game. for the week-end game.

was Russell Drinnon, who allowed the Queen's title and are requestonly one hit and permitted only four to get on base **Finals Tonight** 

**Broken** Arm In

Softball Game

W. R. (Red) Howard, owner

and operator of Howard's Service

Station, received a fracture of his

Howard, catcher for the Ser-

vice Pipe Line team, was injured

when Bobby Rexrode, first sack-

er for the Baptist Boys team,

came into home on a close play

Although his arm will be in a

cast for several weeks, the in-

jury will not likely keep the am-

iable and likable filling station

ness. But he may get to do a

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hunter

Marvin Poteet of Vernon, for-

mer resident here, was a business

were out of town on vacation.

Play in Abilene Saturday

Roustetts step into big town soft-

ball play. They will meet the

Dublin All Stars in a game to be

played at Abilene Fair Park Sta-

Saturday night, August 15, the

**RETURN FROM VISIT IN** 

EL PASO, OLD MEXICO

HERE FROM VERNON

ed to contact the chamber of commerce for further information. Tonight, Aug. 13. Anderson

Other features planned during the week include a downtown street parade Saturday Oct. 31 which will be led by the Queen and her court, the champion boll pullers, bands, floats and other entries pertaining to the product-

ion of cotton. Saturday night at Indian Stadium the third annual Texas-Oklahoma Colored Football Classic sponsored by the Haskell Quarterback Club will be played between Paul Quinn College of Waco and Langston College Coyle, Okla.

Decoration of the downtown business district for the Cotton Festival will be under the supervision of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department.

Local merchants will be asked to feature cotton materials and products during "Cotton Festival" week.

# **Revival Meeting** Begins Tonight at **Roberts Church**

A summer Revival Meeting will be held at Roberts Baptist Church beginning tonight, August 13, have returned from a week's trip with the pastor, the Rev. Truett to El Paso, Juarez, Mexico, and other points in that section. Kuenstler doing the preaching.

The evening service will begin at 7:45, and night services only will be held during the remainder of this week.

Beginning with the regular Sunday morning service, the revival will continue through the coming week with services twice daily, at 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all services possible.

#### **Bill Reeves Takes Position** With State **Prison** System

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeves and children, Pamela and Wayne, moved this week to the vicinity of Houston where they plan to make their future home.

Mr. Reeves, who has been farming in the Mattson community, recently accepted a position with the Texas Prison System as Livestock Supervisor on the Darrington State Prison Farm, Sandy

Point, Texas.

IN SNYDER TUESDAY County Commissioner Dave Strickland and Clint Bass of Lawton, Okla., made a business trip to Snyder Tuesday.

The Haskell Roustetts, top The Byers Doughmixers called Almost an inch of rain fell in ranking girls softball aggregation off the game scheduled with the Haskell and vicinity Tuesday in this area, continued their win-Roustetts in that city Monday night, bringing some relief from ning record Saturday night when night, after notifying Managers excessive heat which has willed they defeated the Childress Girls Carl Anderson and James Adkins that a number of their players

All Star team 13-3 in a game cotton and feed crops in recent days. Precipitation here amount-The Roustetts took a commanding lead in the first inning of the game which was never threatened

Matilda Ejem receiving.

Roustabouts play Service Pipe Line in the consolation game in the first of a doubleheader bill. In tonight's second game the First Baptist Boys meet Paint Creek in the game that will decide the City League championship. **Player Receives** 

A meeting of representatives from all lodges, civic clubs and leaders of other community organizations in Haskell County PAGE TWO

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# Haskell County History

Carolyn.

#### 20 Years Ago-Aug. 17, 1933

First bale of 1933 cotton was brought in Monday by A. M. Williamson, who is farming the Kemp place east of town. The bale was ginned at Haskell Co-Op No. 1 and weighed 400 pounds. It was purchased by the gin at 9 cents a pound. In addition Mr. Williamson received \$35 premium given by Haskell business men.

George Holmesly and Arthur Brown returned the first of the week from old Fort Griffin, where they had been on a fishing trip. They report excellent luck, with their biggest catch being a 50 pound yellow catfish. This is one Gilstrap of the largest taken in recent years.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ratliff. who have been living in Louisiana for the past few years, are here visiting his parents. Judge and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff.

County Judge Chas, M. Conner has been notified by the State Highway Department that Haskell County will be required to make a tax levy sufficient to take care of the county's part in the amount of \$23.890.10 coming due next year. Based on current valuations, this will require a 35-cent levy for this purpose, the county official estimated.

Trustees of Brushy school disto assure a pure strain of seed. trict awarded a contract this week to S. S. Dishongh, local contract-Henry, Jr., and Gilbert are in or, for a new school building at Brushy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bradley benefit of Gilbert's health. and family are visiting relatives in Georgia. They expect to be is reported improving. away from home for several weeks. Abilene this week.

Mr. and Mrs. French Robertson and daughter Emily left Saturday for Houston to be gone about 10 days visiting Mr. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robertson

Jack Kimbrough was a patient

and the city water and sewer in the Stamford Sanitarium the mains are being extended into first of the week where he had new sections of town.

his tonsils removed. Miss Evelyn Pope returned this Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Henshaw week from a visit in Dallas and are rejoicing over the arrival of Fort Worth. a little daughter in their home J. M. Ivey of Jud returned this Saturday, August 12. The little week from a trip to Hill County. lady will answer to the name of He says we have the equal of

#### 30 Years Ago-Aug. 17, 1923

Several Haskell ginners attended the meeting of the State Ginners Association in Abilene Saturday, Among those going were W. A. Duncan, Jim Cameron, F. Sanders, E. F. Lamm and J. A.

be built, city officials said.

hildren. He lived here for

Cemetery

Ryan, foreman of consideration was around \$4900. Scott Ranch east of town loaded Miss Jennie Reeves of Munday five cars of fat cattle from the is visiting in the home of Mr. ranch Saturday for shipment to and Mrs. J. W. Collins, C. A. Pinkerton and G. W. the Kansas market.

The city has a crew of men at Hutto of the Wildhorse neighborwork building concrete culverts hood were in town Thursday. and bridges over small draws and They report a fine rain in their low places in various parts of the section Wednesday. city. At least 15 structures will

Having concluded the Jones County term of District Court, S. Mogford, superintendent Judge H. R. Jones is spending a GOP committeeman. of the Mebane Cotton Association, brief vacation from his duties at and three A&M cotton specialists home with his family.

are here this week going over the D. G. Hisey, one of the boss Mebane cotton fields contracted farmers in the Paint Creek neighin this area. They are pulling out borhood, had business in town all the stalks that are not show-Wednesday. ing pure Mebane lines, in order W. D. Garren, a leading farmer

and stockman of the west side, had business in the county capital Mrs. H. S. Wilson and sons. Thursday.

Uncle George Reeves was down colorado Springs, Colo., for the from Munday this week visiting He Haskell friends. has been ill for several weeks but Last Tuesday while J. F. Boander and his son Henry of the Miss Exa Cahill is visiting in Munday section were going to Stamford with wagons loaded J. A. Hester is here from Howwith wheat, the boy attempted to rd County for a visit with his tlimb from the front of the wagon onto the back of one of the mules, umber of years, and for a long while the wagon was in motion. ime was sexton of the Haskell The boy fell to the ground and one of the wagon wheels ran over Ground was broken at Rule him Though badly bruised and painfully hurt, no bones were broken. The accident happened

DAY

HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

#### By VERN SANFORD **Texas Press Association**

AUSTIN, Texas-Texas politics appear calm on top. Only an occasional ripple indicates the seething turmoil under

surface. Such a ripple is the announcement by George W. Sandlin of Austin, secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee, that the group will meet September 11 in Mineral Wells. Small space was occupied in the

newspapers by the announcement,

Thursday for a new \$50,000 school

building to be erected in that city.

Considerable new building is un-

derway in that thriving little city,

crops as any place he visited. He

is an old-timer here and is a for-

mer Commissioner of his precinct.

50 Years Ago-Aug. 15, 1903

Watts sold his farm last week to

Mr. High from the eastern part of

the state. There was about a sec-

tion of land in the deal and the

County Commissioner W. F

which was casual in tone.

Sandlin said the purpose of the gathering was mainly "finding out what the members might have on their minds,"

What they might have on their minds might be plenty. It would involve whether the Shivers "conple servative" people would retain control of the Democratic party tant question before the meetin Texas, or whether the "liberalfaction would regain ing loyalist" control.

Hopefuls in the political races next year were concerned-especially prospective candidates for state and national offices.

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Politically and otherwise,

public service.

their own plans.

politics.

Republicans.

great deal depends on the govern-

or's decision as to whether he will

chairman of the conference, had said that the problem of "tringing the government closer to the peowas considered by most of the delegates as the most impor-

states rights.

selves.

Governor Dan Thornton of Colorado agreed that there should be decentralization of government, and that the nation is still in danger of "drifting into socialsm.

From Seattle came an indication on the part of some for Shivers to enter the presidential race in 1956. Louisiana's Govern-

or R. F. Kennon made the sugto reporters there-a gestion

Everett L. Looney of Austin, president of the State Bar Association of Texas, has removed himself as co-counsel for District Judge C. Woodrow Laughlin of Alice.

withdrawal: first, he is ill and

A meeting of the executive the directors of the state bar association felt that it was improper for him, as president, to appear

neeting of the bar directors for

tion should take in the Laughlin

of hear a list of complaints against the Alice judge and to consider removing him from office.

The proceedings are scheduled o begin August 17.

Mineral Wells meeting came while other things, o finterfering with Shivers was attending the national governor's conference at a grand jury investigation into Another Texas law under at-

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Seattle, where President Eisenelection matters in his district. -tpahower expressed his views on Annexation powers of cities is The federal government, said

being studied by the Texas Legislative Council. the President, should never un-Laws governing annexation dertake to do for the states anyhave not been changed in 30 years, thing the states can do for themand there is need for revision, in

This was what most of the governors wanted to hear. Shivers, San Antonio. Bell told the council that "cities should grow in an orderly way, but we ought to prevent the in-

corporation of 'parasitic' areas seeking to avoid city taxes while obtaining the benefits of a nearby big city. On the other hand, cities should be stopped from annexing farm territory, or from

expanding where there would be no benefit offered to residents of the area."

referred to the next Legislature. -tpa-

Scheduled in federal court is the National Labor Relations Board's attack on the Texas "right to work" law.

Federal Judge R. E. Thomason of El Paso ordered Attorney General John Ben Shepperd to appear and testify in regard to an injunction suit filed by the NLRB. The board by its suit is undertaking to prevent the attorney general from enforcing parts of the law as applied to a San Antonio collective bargaining case.

Texas' law in this instance is in conflict with the national labor relations act, the NLRB contends.

Behind the NLRB action are two injunctions forbidding the International Fur and Leathers Workers Union of the United State and Canada from participating in an election to be held by workers of the Nelson Tanning Corporation of San Antonio,

Under present Texas laws labor unions are prohibited from operating in the state without first filing a detailed financial and operational report with the secretary of state. And union organizers must file a report and secure an organizers' card before conducting their soliciting activities in Texas.

-tpa-

the opinion of many, including driving it, figured in a traffic Representative Marshal O. Bell of accident.

act.

are harsh and unreasonable and nullify the entire statute.

Construction in Texas for the first half of the year was greater Findings of the Council will be than expected, reported Richard

C. Henshaw, Jr., of the University have been granted to of Texas Bureau of Business Reemployees by the Ten search. Non-residential building more ably the first paying

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and Historical Commis than counterbalanced a slump in the new appropriation

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#### un for another term, seek some other office, or retire from the thought that has been expressed in Texas and elsewhere before. Several potential candidates are waiting for the governor's an--tpanouncement before completing

Some of the "experts" here said Shivers will try for a third elective term as governon, because in that position he could exert his influence most effectively in

Looney gave two reasons for his

#### keeping Texas on the "conservative" side with respect to national unable to appear at the ouster proceedings; and second, some of

committee at this time indicates

#### strongly that the political forces are beginning early to prepare for in the Laughlin case. next year's three-sided campaigns, with competition from both Dem-Looney called for a special

cratic factions and from t h e August 13 to determine what ac-Otherwise, there was the busiion if any the lawyers' organiza-

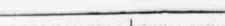
ness of replacing two members of the executive committee. Mrs. L. E. Tennyson of Clifton Eleven South Texas attorneys resigned because of illness in her petitioned the Supreme Court to family. Peyton McKnight

Quitman left the committee to take a position with Jack Porter of Houston, oil man and national

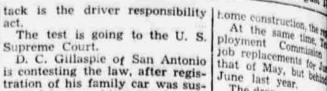
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other factors. The Texas supreme court upheld validity of the law, but As-sociate Justice G. B. Smedley SHORT SNORTS Maddox has resigned cleared the way for the case to state highway engineer go to the U. S. Supreme Court. a position with the P Gillaspie argues that the secment Association at Sa tions of law applying in his case

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shcamper, managing edi- giant pipeline in May of this year the Abilene Reporter- near Colorado City when five mathe Abience at the jor oil companies pooled their resetting of Haskell Lions sources to open up the largest esday. Theme of his inand factual talk was Soil r Conservation in West

over, we were fed out there in a actton patch by a catering service dent supporter of these out of Fort Worth which did a he related facts and figmarvelous job of serving approxiich proved conservation mately one thousand persons in would bring money to tets of the farmer and

just a few minutes. Immediately after the meal, one of the worst and consequently to the is and professional peosandstorms which I have ever seen blew up and it made me wonder why we couldn't co-oper-

pipeline in the world.

ate to conserve the soil as we did bread and butter comes other things," he said. "Today soil. How long are we farming is a science and we have sit idle and watch these learned that crop rotation, plantsandstorms blowing the ing cover crops, terracing and hundreds of miles away other modern practices are the our lands bare for the means of conserving both the soil enerations?' he asked. and water," he continued.

merican people have the w," he declared and cited "The farmers and merchants les the opening of the are not the only ones concerned



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#### about our soil and water prob-Cotton Crop Forecast at 14,605,000 lems," he said, and quoted from a pamphlet published by t h e West Texas Utilities Co. entitled "Six Inches from Starvation" to Bales; Production Controls Likely prove his point. Haskell Cunty

prospects were more favorable

Aug. 1 than was indicated a month

Texas and Oklahoma.

is in one of the better farming The Agriculture Department appears that abandonment may Monday forecast this year's cotton be around 4.5 per cent of the areas in the entire state yet only this year some fifteen and onecrop at 14,605,000 bales of 500 half sections were considered a pounds gross weight—a figure total loss from wind and water which virtually assures production controls on next year's crop. Jetty V. Clare, publisher of the Department officials have said

"After the ceremonies were Haskell Free Press was in charge of the program and introduced Mr. Wishcamper to the Club.

erosion.

Dr. Frank C. Scott reported that as yet no one had asked for quotas on the 1954 crop. the club to purchase glasses but that school time was near and he able that weather conditions bewas expecting calls to be made tween now and harvest would in the near future. reduce the indicated production

enough to make controls unnec-Guests for the luncheon were essary. Odus J. Curry, director of the California Creek Soil Conserva-A control program probably tion office; J. T. Dominey, V. L. would require farmers to reduce Hazelwood, Phillip Biard of Abiplanting next year to around lene; George Burkett of Morton, 18,000,000 acres, compared with Jim Ferguson and Johnny Mul-24,618,000 this year. lins of Haskell. The department said production

President Willard Warren pre sided at the meeting. earlier. A month ago, the depart-

#### **GUESTS IN LOWE HOME**

Guests in the home of Mrs. R. C. Lowe last week were her in Texas and Oklahoma had not germinated because of dry weathchildren, M-Sgt. and Mrs. L. B. Grappe and sons, Larry and Steve; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lowe surveys late in July indicated about 1,000,000 acres of this land of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lowe and son Robert fo Morehad germinated and was up to a head, Kentucky, and Mr. and Mrs.

sufficient stand to be retained for E. B. Williams and son, Gregg of harvest. The remaining 500,000 Dallas. acres appear to have been al-Sgt. Grappe left Saturday for a ready abandoned, the department

tour of foreign duty. Mrs. Grappe said. and children will live with Mrs. Lowe for the next few months.

#### VISITORS FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lewellen and sons, Jack and Jerry of Dallas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards and other relatives here during the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Ehno Edwards of Plainview were week end visitors in the Edwards home.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means to express our sincere gratitude for the words of sympathy, deeds of kindness, for the floral offering and for the food brought to our

Especially do we thank the doctors at the Haskell Hospital a n d the preachers for their kindness. When sorrow comes your way may you receive the same blessings .-- Mrs. Basil Murphy and boys, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rutherford of Baird; Mrs. L. L. Naron, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Easterling.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to everyone who had part in any way to lighten our burdens during the illness and death of our loved one," Mrs. A. C. Bailiff. Especially do we want to express our appreciation to thse who sent food and to our home and those who sent flowers. May per harvested acre was reported at an average of 291.7 pounds.

compared with 282.7 pounds last year and 271.4 for the 10-year average. July 1 acreage compared with the The condition of the crop on included

trols for next year.

10-year average of 2.5 per cent. In the coastal areas of the Carolinas and in South Georgia and Alabama the crop was said to be well advanced with a good set that, because of reserves already on hand, a crop of more than of bolls. In Central and Piedmont 12,000,000 bales would create a areas of these states, plants have surplus requiring rigid marketing set a good bottom crop of bolls and are continuing to fruit. Officials said it was inconceiv-

Frequent rains in Georgia were said to have been very favorable for plant growth but weevil infestation was said to be increas-ing materially. Weevil damages were described as comparatively heavy throughout these eastern states.

In the central region early cotton was reported to have made very satisfactory progress.

Following a slow start, cotton in New Mexico, Arizona and California made excellent progress during July. ment said, about 1,500,000 acres No estimate of cottonseed pro-

duction will be made until final ginnings for the season are reeased. However, if the ratio of The department said special lint cottonseed is the same as the average for the past five years ,production would be 5,-970,000 tons. This compares with 6,176,000 tons last year. Secretary Benson has until Oct

McCain Laundry In arriving at its forecast, the HELP-SELF department said it took into account a greater than average abandonment of planted land in Pick Up & Delivery 203 S 1st Phone 117-W For the country as a whole, it

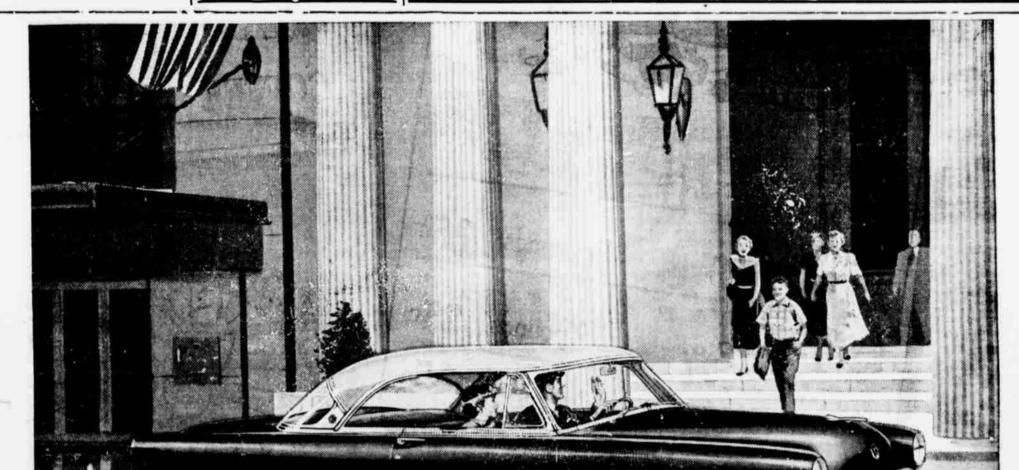


15 to decide on production con- Aug. 1 was reported at 79 per trols for next year. cent of normal, compared with 75 per cent a year ago and 77 per The indicated yield of cotton cent for the 10-year Aug. 1 average

mal, 320 pounds per acre and production 1,225,000; Louisiana, 76, 363 and 685,000: Oklahoma, 85 176 and 360,000; Texas, 70, 183 and 3,525,000; New Mexico, 89, The condition of the crop Aug. 455 and 296,000; Arizona, 93, 676 1, the indicated acre yield and production, respectively by states and 951,000; California, 86, 593

and 1,725,000.





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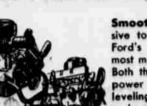
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ounty farmers taking of the farm programs by community and ction and Marketing fon Committeemen are the importance of the PMA community en elections now in

ell County eligible to Wednesday.

must be returned han Monday, August mer, whether owner, nant or sharecropper, cipating in any prostered by the county eligible to vote.

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mitteemen and delebe named from the mmunities

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nodity loans and could find one of these Tonoloans. When allotrketing quotas are in sitteemen determine age allotments. They ect condition.

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# Letters From **Our Readers**

Dear Editor: In reading our local Metropoliwere mailed ten days were mailed ten days vere tale 3000 farm-

wimately 3,000 farm- years ago. The writer was formerly emelections, and about ployed by a music firm, known have been marked as the Columbia Conservatory of PMA Secretary Joe Music, of Dallas, Texas-year 1912. They sold music courses and

taught music by mail. They used a patented gadget called a Tonograph (about 20 inches long, 1 inch wide and about 1-8th cf an inch thick). This instrument had 3 to 4 octaves of the piano keyboard printed or stamped thereon, giving the names of the keys,

notes, sharps and flats, thus help-ing the student to read the musical notes. I recall Haskell and Slaton, Texas, had a large number of students enrolled.

If your newspaper carries any news items of this subject, the teacher who gave personal assist-ance was named Prof Wolf. He had an assistant, but I do not re-

The Columbia Conservatory of

Music was very successful in their venture, and helped many play the piano and organ. My letter is an inquiry. If you

graph instruments, could it be bought and at what price? It would not have to be in peruties in connection

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# Slaughter Yearling Prices Firm To Strong on Ft. Worth Markets Monday

By TED GOULDY drouth are responsible for the Fort Worth-While it appears current low prices and the dis-that accusations of chiseling on astrous declines of the past year the drouth relief program, et cer-tera, will occupy the headlines west not in the drouth area, are for some time to come-the basic heavily over-populated with cattle program will remain.

Government authorities a r e watching very closely the permarketed each day. Until such time as the slaughter of females reach 50 per cent of the total kill-then the cattle population is still swelling. Many observers feel that huge

at this time.

cattle numbers, rather than the

Good and choice fat calves were sold at \$14 to \$18, and killing calves generally ruled weak to 50 cents lower. Cull, common and Most observers in the Southwest hope that surplus cattle here can medium butchers sold from \$10 centages of cows and heifers being be moved before the heavy grass to \$14. cattle runs from midwest and Good and choice stocker steer

western ranges hit the markets later this summer and in the fall. Chaotic conditions could result if shipments are delayed in t h e Southwest and South.

Slaughter steers and yearlings to \$18. Replacement cows cleared mouth ewes from \$7 to \$10.

\$8 to \$13.50.

brought firm to strong prices at Fort Worth Monday. Several loads Hogs sold \$1

Hogs sold \$1 higher. Hog growof well finished cattle in the \$21 ers balked in the face of recent to \$22.50 bracket. Common and low prices. Offered only 42,000 medium kinds sold from \$10 to hogs around 12 major markets-\$17. Fat cows were steady at \$9.50 | 25 per cent below a week earlier. to \$12.50, and canners and cut-Top at Fort Worth Monday \$23 ters 25 to 50 cents higher at \$7 to \$23.25. Sows steady at \$17 to \$9.50. Bulls ruled steady at \$19.

Slaughter lambs weak to 50c lower at Fort Worth Monday. Other sheep and stockers and feeders steady. Active demand for stockers and feeders.

Better kinds of fat lambs \$18 to \$20, quotable \$1 or so above that on the strictly choice kinds. Feedcalves drew \$14 to \$20.50 with er lambs \$13 to \$15. Old wethers heifer calves \$18.50 down, the top prices paid for a load of Montague \$10 to \$15, feeder yearlings \$10 County calves from S. D. Howard. down. Two-year-olds \$10 to \$12. Stocker steer yearlings drew \$12 Slaughter ewes \$5 to \$6.50. Solid

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# Subject To Draft After August 25th

Any young married man registered with a draft board had better be  $o_n$  the alert about reporting children in his family or expected birth of a child. facts.

ceived Monday from State Selective Service Headquarters, through Local Board 77 at An-On August 25 and thereafter,

fathers are not deferrable because of their children. Draft boards have this new regulation following an executive order of President Eisenhower.

son.

Those who now have children, and those who are expecting birth of a child, are deferrable; likewise, those who become fathers or expectant fathers before midnight, Aug. 24.

But these men who are fathers and expectant fathers before Aug. 25 must act at once to advise Mr. and Mrs. Arneld Jones of their draft boards in writing. If Wichita Falls and O. G. Albright they fail to perform this impor- of Andrews, Texas.

certificates from a licensed phy-sician must be secured, stating that the child has been conceived. probable date of delivery, and evidence upon which postive diagnosis of pregancy is based.

Brigadier General Paul L Wakefield, state draft director, urges all married men who come under the provisions of this new regulation to act at once if they

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## **Display** of Paintings and Ceramics Attracts Large Numbers of Visitors

A display of oil paintings and sham of this city. A number of ceramics by local artists, shown other well-executed paintings at Blohm's Studio Saturday at- were exhibited by other local artracted considerable interest and tists.

favorable comment from approximately 200 persons who visited the display during the day. One of the most admired paint- executed objects ranging from

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Harry Dixon. Worsham, Shelly Royall, Mrs. Royall expressed her ap reciation for the splendid recepion given the exhibit by the ublic and to Mr. and Mrs. Blohm or use of the studio. Also to Mrs. Worsham for her assistance

and to all who cooperated with exhibits of their work. Josselet HD Club Has Program On Polio Information

ord.

Josselet H. D. Club met Tuestay Aug. 11 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. A. Thomas. Mrs. Laton Robertson had harge of the program which was n Polio Information. Those present were Mesdames Toliver Sr., J. P. Perrin, rise Merchant, J. B. Dunnam,

Laton Robertson, Homer Shacklford, Opal Addison, J. L. Tolier Jr., C. A. Thomas, Next meeting will be at ubhouse Sept. 8 with Mrs use Merchant as hostess.



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The marriage of a popular young Haskell couple was solemnized in Lawton, Okla., Sunday afternoon August 9 at 8:30 o'clock when Miss Betty Jo Her-Tuesday evening. ren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Bob Herren of this city became the bride of Dan Clayborn Howard, son of Joe L. Howard of Has-

The single ring ceremony uniting the couple was read by A. V. Isbell, Church of Christ minister of Lawton, in the presence of city Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Henderson Bob and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. of this city, who were the cou-ple's only attendants. The bride is a 1953 graduate of

C. Walker, Tommy, Sonny and Margana, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Walker, Morris, Jerry and Carol, Haskell High School, where she was popular in all school organi-Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Weinert, Harzations and activities. She was lan, Joella and Nadine, Mr. and elected FFA Sweetheart in 1949-Mrs. O. O. McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Josselet, Mr. and Mrs. Mel-vin Josselet, Danny, Kenneth McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McGuire Jr., and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Terrell, Mollie and 50, and was Class Secretary and Reporter in her Junior year. A member of the Home Ec Club, she served as club president and Area historian in 1950-51 and parliamentarian in 1951-52. She was Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Colen Hammember of the HHS Band 1949-53 mer, Pansy and Jackie, Mr. and and held the title of First Lieute-Mrs. R. L. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. nant in 1952-53. She was elected Joe Hix, Richard, Judy and Sher-Most Beautiful Girl in 1951-52. ry, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith. Don, Hugh, Fred, David, Kath-She was a member of the Camera Club in 1951-52, and was a memryn Rueffer, Mrs. M. J. Malcom ber of the annual staff throughand the honored guests, Mr. and out her high school career, serving as sports editor of The Chieftain in 1952-53.

The bridegroom is a graduate o Rochester High School, and employed by Thos. D. Humphreys Drilling Company. After a wedding trip to Fort Worth, the couple plan to make

their home in Lawndale, Calif., where he will be employed.

#### Sue New Is Party Honoree on 14th Birthday

Mrs. D. A. New honored her her daughter, Sue, on her 14th birthday with a party in their

After a number of games had been played Sue was presented everal gifts Refreshments of doughnuts.

ounch and candy were served to Danna Hunt, Quinton Arend, minutes were read and approved. Jimmy Cox, Jo Wester, Duane Baccus, Robert Baker, Mary Mc-Millin, Oris Gipson, Jimmy Love, Maurice Fouts, Bobby McGary, Peggy Love, Eddie Wesson, Myrtia

Mullins, John Ivan Clifton, Byron rious Phemister, Joe Worrell, Janette rooms, Gibson, Robert Bird, Cleveland Farrell, Jeanette Jones, Wayne cream and angel food cake were Liles, Valta Pierson, Jerry Sor-

Menefee Bible **Class Social Held** Wednesday

The Menefee Bible Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church had its first social of the current school year on the lawn and in Fellowship Hall of the church Wednesday evening, Aug. 12.

Those enjoying the recreational hour inside and ice cold watermelons on the lawn were Irene Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Members of the Weinert Methodist Church honored Mr. a n d Bischofhausen, Mr. and Mrs. Wal-Mrs. Connor Horton and sons, lace Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Larry and Tom, with a picnic at Foote, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holt. Rice Springs Park in Haskell, O. W. Tooley, Mrs. M. R. Hemp-

After supper a gift was pre-ented to the Horton's. hill, Mrs. Hill Oates, Mrs. Elbert Payne, Mrs. Iva Palmer, Mrs Tannye Squyres, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Mr. Horton, superintendent of Weinert Schools for the past eight Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott years, was recently elected super-Pauline Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tonn, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Vaughintendent of Rule Schools and he and his family are moving to that ter, Beth and Jimmy. The following were present

### First Baptist WMU Review Books on Stewardship

Members of the First Baptist WMU met in the annex Monday morning at 9 o'clock for a review of the Stewardship book, "Sacrifice and Song." The group sang We're Marching to Zion. Mrs Will Hold Open Geo. Herren, stewardship chairman, made the introductory re House On Golden marks, telling something of the consecrated life of the writer. The first two chapters were discussed by Mrs. R. C. Couch, Sr.

They Offered Great Sacrifices and "First They Gave Their Own Selves to the Lord." "Give of Your Best to the Master" was sung and Mrs. Herren offered sary

prayer. Mrs. Retha Mullins talked on "See That Ye Abound in This Grace Also" and "The Women Also Rejoiced." Mrs. R. C. Couch Jr., talked on "And the Children Rejoiced." The last chapter was given by a group of YWA girls and their counselor, Mrs. Tyru, as follows: "From the Utmost Parts of the Earth." Songs from Cuba by Joy Allen; songs from Indians by Patsy Mullins; songs from Brazil by Wanda Long; songs from Japan by Mrs. Tyru; songs from Hawaii by Evonnie Davis; songs from China by Billie Mooney, and songs from the Philippines by Florene Ammons. Mrs.

I. N. Simmons dismissed the meeting with prayer. A covered dish luncheon was served to the group of YWA girls,

including Betty Lynn Waldrip, a visitor and their counselor special guests, Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Pinkston of Paint Creek; Rev. M. D. Rexrode, Mesdames I. N. Simmons, Jerene Couch, N. Alvis, S. G. Perrin, Arthur Merchant, B. M. Whiteker, R. C. Couch Sr., George Herren, Edna Brown, Frank McCurley, John Retha H. R. Whatley, outs. Mullins, John Couch, Ed Cass, John Ellis, Fay Thompson and

Annie Ruth Lusk.

# Haskell, Texas, Thursday, August 1

and cake to the following mem-Regular Meetin bers and visitors: Mesdames Eliza-Weinert WMS beth Whatley, Roy Oliphant, C. Jenkins, Paul Cothron, Mary Held Monday Scoggins, Ocie Cass, Ora McMillin, Mary Fouts, Hodges, Flossie Rogers, Thalia Jenkins, Young, Weinert WMS met M Claude Linville, Lucille McCur-ley; and visitors, Mr. John Crawregular meeting. Devotional was the ford, Mmes. Jim Fouts, I. N. Al-V. C. Derr. The meeting was vis, Ann Taylor, Hostesses were

prayer by Mrs. J. W. Betty Harris, Hazel Tyler, Wilma Brown, Delia Ashley, Zenia Am-The Rev. Chester W mons, Thelma Adams, Minnie Ad. an interesting according to the second secon recent visit to Cuba. After the refreshments the en-Members and ire-group joined in singing songs,

were Mmes. C. F. C. led by Jim Fouts and Mrs. Claud Sanders, R. H. Jones, Ashley, with Effie Jenkins and Clyde Mayfield, V. Mary Fouts at the piano. Crawford, Temple Rainey, W. C. Wind

L. V. N. Club Meets For Business and Social Session

he nurses.

Wedding Date

Mrs. Edwin The LVN Club met Tuesday Honoree at P night of last week in the dining And Blue Sho

Winchester,

Meeting with the club was Mrs. Mrs. R W. Herricks Ruth Anderson, RN, director of was host to a taby Mrs. Edwin Reeves T

Johnson, W. B. Guess

Following a business session all 3 to 5 p. m. in her her oined in playing games. lity Refreshments of cold watermel-Guests were register on and ice cream were served to L. D. Vaughn. all present.

Refreshments of mir ookies were served lowing guests: Mmes. gers, Edward Alexan Alexander. Fred Ma King, R. H. Jones J. Leonard Alexander, Jim Crawford, J. A.

Open house will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ed-wards from 2:30 until 5:30 p. m. sery, and Wanda Dr Sanderson, Felton Ja Sunday, August 16th celebrating Assisting the hostest dames V. C .Derr, M. their Golden Wedding Anniverand W. B. Guess.



Mrs. Horton, Larry and Tom-Dorcas S. S. Class Meets In Home of Mrs. Wheatley The Dorcas class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday

evening, Aug. 4, at the home of Mrs Allene Wheatley for the regular business meeting and sozial. Serving as co-hostesses were Mmes. Thelma Lancaster, Edna Burnett, C. Dixon, Frances Bird,

and Esterbell Turnbow Opening prayer was given by Mrs. Clara Biard. Using as her text Romans 12:1-3. Mrs. Elizabeth Whatley brought a very in-

teresting devotional, concluding with prayer. A short business session was held with Mrs. Dixon presiding. The

During the social hour Mrs. Lelia Conner gave a very informative talk on flower arrangement. She displayed and explained vabeautiful arrangements Smith, Doris Jean Roberts, Wayne which were used to brighten party

Delicious refreshments of ice served to Mmes. Freddie Ballard, rells, W. R. Pierson, L. V. Ghol- Jewel Seets, Mabelle Foote, Eliz-

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and Mrs. Willie Farrell, Mr. and sent a gift.

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son, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Andrews, abeth Whatley, Clara Biard, Lo-Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whiteker, Mr. | rene Fouts, Lelia Conner, Marjorie Waldrip, Brucille Nellums, Mrs. D. A. New. Mrs. Hilda Stone Vivian Roberson, Elsie Eastland, Ethel Lou Shelton, Ruby Avis, Betty Jo Clanton, Dewey Wester, Blanche Long, Avis Pennington, Trudie Gresham, Ruth Currie, Lottie Shackelferd, Ruth Allen, Margaret Wall and the hostesses.

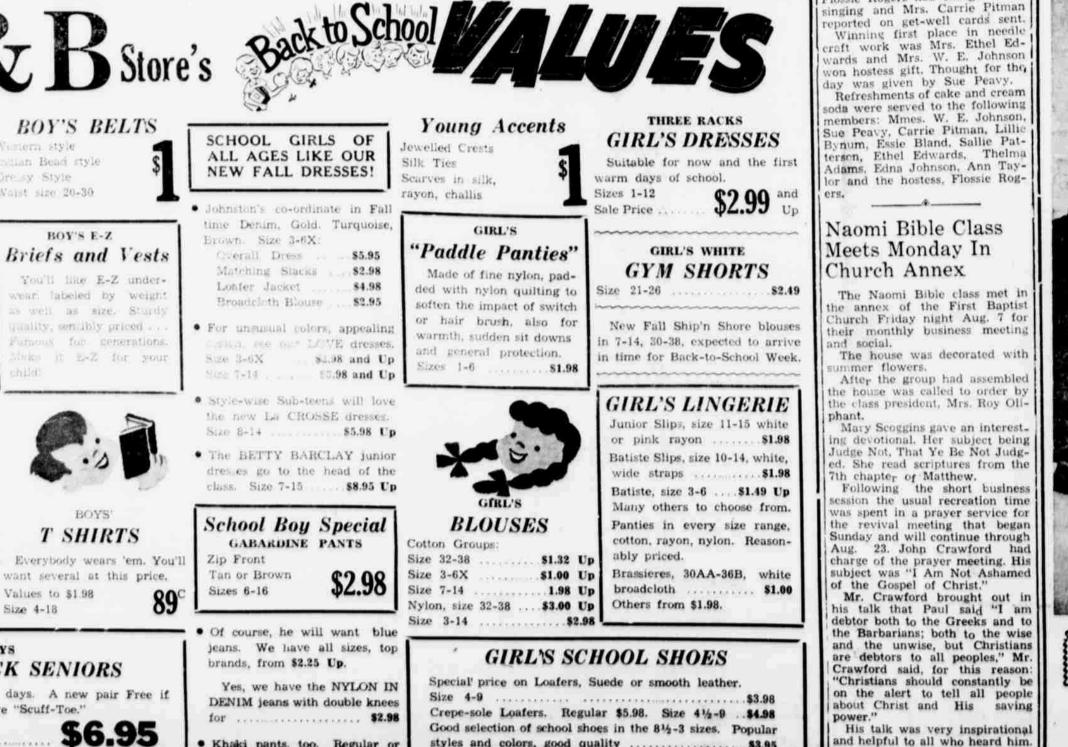
Rainbow Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Rogers

ers, Aug. 4 at 2:30 p. m. for their regular business meeting and so-Flossie Rogers had charge of the day was given by Sue Peavy.

The Rainbow Sewing club met in the home of Mrs. Walter Rogcial. Mrs. Essle Bland presided in the absence of the president. Mrs. singing and Mrs. Carrie Pitman Winning first place in needle Refreshments of cake and cream

and helpful to all who heard him. After a series of prayers for our revival meeting, we were dismiss-ed in prayer by Mr. Crawford. The hostess served ice cream

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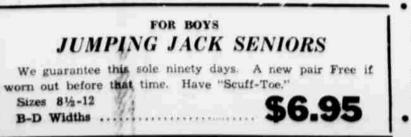




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erren and Mrs. Herren ene Tonn attended the pal session of Texas real Institute held at hospital Thursday morning were Martin Arend, medical, Has-Mrs. Tiny Oates, last week from Aug. Stamford. he 6th. This is a train-D. R. Daniels, medical, Rochessponsored by Texas au for leaders to ob-Julia Rodelia, medical, Rochesation about the organter 200 attended this George Weaver, medical, Haslaskell group reported. kell ous courses dealt with Mrs. Emilie Reber, medical, of Farm Bureau taught Rule. Hamilton, Economist, Albert Fox, medical, O'Brien. Farm Bureau Federa-Henry Donaldson, Matt Triggs, Assistant Rule. Mrs. F. J. Boedeker, surgery, Americar Stamford. Director. au, Washington D. C., for Officers by Don John Clifton, medical, Haskell.

Mrs. W. A. Fisher, surgery, Organization Director, Sagerton. Farm Bureau, Jackson L. H. Cooper, medical, Haskell. mation by Bill Hoover, Mrs. Jessie B. Smith, medical, Public Speaking by Haskell

anford, St. Louis, Mo., DISMISSED:

Mrs. L. B. Cox and infant daughter, Rule; W. T. Taylor, Rule; Mrs. C. L. Campbell and ed that next year many attend the Institute at Wimberly, Albany, Bart Adkins, e of Farm Bureau to int themselves of the Haskell: Mrs. Dora Cook, Haskell; Jim Frazier, Rule: Barbara Mcments and activities of to so they in turn can Mahan. Asperment, Charley Peek. Mr. Herren said. Rule: Buster Hunt, Haskell; Gracie Kingsbury, Haskell; Mrs. W.

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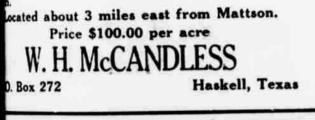
D. Hellums ha das her | Rochester, Joe E. Thomson, Has- | are: kell; Mrs. Bill Mansker and infant week her sister, Mrs. ets and her daughter son, Haskell; Morris W. Walker, Weinert; Mrs. Charlie Cox and sughter of Albuquerinfant son, Haskell: Mrs. Muhle, Mrs. Hellums accom-Rochester; H. W. Flannery, Ce-lina; Porter Myers, Guthrie; Matto Decatur where ded a home coming. tie Whitledge, Haskell; Jimmy reunion was Monday Hannsz, Haskell. which they also at-

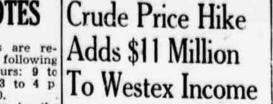
HASKELL VISITORS

IN TEXAS CITY Mr. and Mrs. Clint Bass and daughter, Carolyn of Lawton, E Welsh of this city, Okla., were visitors this week in d by Mrs. Ralph Dunthe home of Mrs. Bass' parents, ighter Jennifer of Ab-Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Strickland in this week for Texas this city, and with his brother they will visit in the and Mrs. Barton and family, County Commissioner and Mrs. Dave Strickland.

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Recent increases in the price of crude oil, averaging 25 cents per barrel, will add approximately \$11,500,000 per month to income medical, of West Texas producers and royalty owners according to estimates prepared by the West Texas

Chamber of Commerce. The additional revenue for District 7-B, which includes Haskell County, is estimated at \$878,734. The \$11,500,000 total increase in based on West Texas.

The estimate was based on production reported to the Texas Railroad Commission in March, the last month for which the commissions detailed statement of crude oil allowable, production and removal from leases has been distributed.

March production in the West Texas districts of the commis sion"s Oil and Gas division totaled 46,061,406 barrels. This would have added \$11,515,352 to the market value at an average hike

of 25 cents per barrel. The additional revenue by districts in West Texas, is estimated as follows: No. 7-B. \$878,-734; No. 7-C, \$1,342,097; No. 8. \$7,266,860; No. 9, \$1,435,259; No. 10, \$592,402.

Counties composing District 7

No. 7-B — Sotnewall, Haskell, Throckmortn, Fisher, Jones Shackelford, Stephens, Palo Pinto, Parker, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Erath, Hood, Coleman, Brown, Comanche, Hamilton, Coryell, Lampasas, San Saba, Mills.

### Pvt. Kenneth Alvis In Training At Camp Chaffee

Camp Chaffee, Ark, Aug. 8-Pvt. Kenneth R. Alvis, husband of Mrs. Kenneth Alvis of Haskell. has been assigned to Battery B, 542nd Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 5th Armored Division for basic training in the U.S. Army as an artilleryman. Private Alvis' first eight weeks

will be spent in infantry training where he will be taught the fundamentals of soldiering, learn to use and fire various infantry weapons and practice Army combat tactics.

During the final eight weeks he will be taught artillery techniques and receive training with 105 mm. howitzer. After completing basic training, he will be re - assigned for duty with an Army artillery unit.

Women who retain their maiden names after marriage are called Lucy Stoners.



Many businessmen who felt federal spending would be reduced almost immediately were shocked and feel government's financial position must be worse

than revealed. . . . Indicative of sober thought on the question is that few letters are sweep

ing protests C. W. Harder against present taxes. Most explain suggested economies based on personal observations.

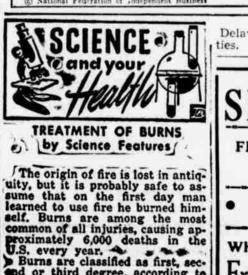
Many comments come from businessmen near military installations, pointing to fact Post Exchanges offer a wide range of merchandise at cut prices, to service men for their own use, but undoubtedly friends and members of families also benefit.

Naturally, this is competition local merchants cannot meet, and due to broad scope of merchandise sold, few businessmen escape this competition.

However, the protest is against the Armed Forces using money intended for defense in operating a wide scale merchandising venture. No one seems to know exactly just how big a merchandiser the Armed Forces have become. Some claim Army is now world's biggest merchant.

Post Exchanges sell for about cost, because overhead is paid by tax money, it is claimed. Rent, light, heat, wages of operating personnel presumably come out of defense funds.

. . . A piecing together of vague Information indicates at least the



icing post exchanges. This would mean an expenditure estimated at least \$15 million per month on the pay and maintenance of officers, men and civilians, whose military activ-

itles consist of running a mer-

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chandising organization. For years the Armed Forces sold tobacco, candy, other minor articles militarily classified as 'comfort'' items.

During World War II, Post Exchanges leaped to big opera-tions, with experienced merchants commissioned right and left to operate them.

Today Armed Forces are huge department store operators.

Even fair traded items are sold at cost by the Armed Forces, as they are exempt from state laws. The average pay in the Armed Forces is on a par, or higher, than that paid by many cities to their police and firemen. . . .

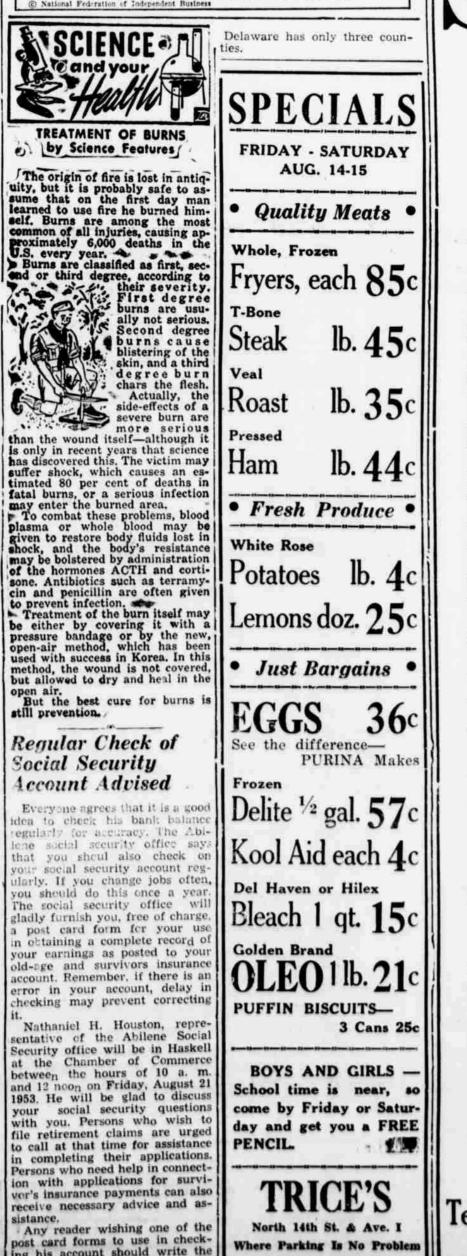
Yet no municipality makes their taxpayers provide and staff quarters to sell merchandise at cost to city employees. Securing full facts would re-

quire an investigation. As evidenced by past experience, it is

difficult to get full facts out of the Pentagon, yet opinion pre-vails that the information that would be uncovered merits an investigation. It is felt that if the Armed Services Post Exchanges were cut back to the eld custom of handling accommodation "comfort" items, cost

of operating U. S. defense establishments could be reduced at least \$200 million per year, or about the amount the government needs to pay annual in-terest on \$141/2 billion worth of bonds, or about the amount of

income tax paid by 350,000 familles with two children and inequivalent of three divisions is | comes of \$5000 per year.



## **Paint Creek Senior** To Play In All-Star Game at San Angelo

Curtis Grand, 1953 graduate of Paint Creek High School, and Bobby Harding of Vera High School were selected to represent their district at an All-Star 6-man football meeting held in San Angelo this week.

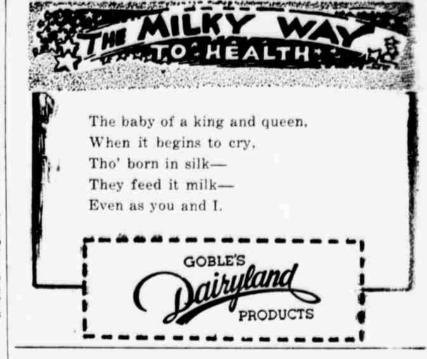
They will play in the All-Star 6-man football game scheduled in San Angelo Saturday night, August 15.

Grand was selected best boy athlete at Paint Creek High School during his senior year. He is the son of Alfred Grand of Paint Creek.

Both boys were accompanied to he San Angelo meeting by Willie Medford and Rudy Raughton of Paint Creek and Jimmy Reeves of Weinert.

#### HASKELL VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate and children of Fort Worth spent last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Tate in this city.



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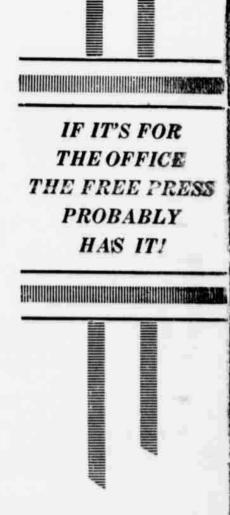
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than the wound itself-although it is only in recent years that science has discovered this. The victim may suffer shock, which causes an estimated 80 per cent of deaths in timated 80 per cent of deaths in fatal burns, or a serious infection may enter the burned area. To combat these problems, blood plasma or whole blood may be given to restore body fluids lost in shock, and the body's resistance may be bolstered by administration of the hormones ACTH and corti-sone. Antibiotics such as terramy-cin and penicillin are often given to prevent infection. open air. But the best cure for burns is still prevention. **Regular Check of** Social Security Account Advised Everyone agrees that it is a good idea to check his bank balance egularly for accuracy. The Abiene social scentity office say that you shoul also check on your social security account reg-ularly. If you change jobs often, you should do this once a year. The social security office will gladly furnish you, free of charge, a post card form for your use in obtaining a complete record of your earnings as posted to your old-age and survivors insurance account. Remember, if there is an error in your account, delay in checking may prevent correcting Nathaniel H. Houston, repre-sentative of the Abilene Social Security office will be in Haskell at the Chamber of Commerce the hours of 10 a. m. between and 12 noon on Friday, August 21 1953. He will be glad to discuss social security questions your you. Persons who wish to with file retirement claims are urged to call at that time for assistance in completing their applications. Persons who need help in connection with applications for survivor's insurance payments can also receive necessary advice and as-

sistance. Any reader wishing one of the post card forms to use in check-ing his account should write the Social Security Administration, Office Building, Abilene,





#### PAGE EIGHT

## Pre-School Planning Important In **Giving Children Successful Start**

Must parents are already thinkmg about school clothes for their Lee Bell, 74, Dies serviryment selected. Equally essential for this annual preparation us the physical check-up and emstimal preparedness that mother and father can provide the young menple.

Mecording to Miss Thelma Wirready and anxious feeling madaren have about starting to school is good insurance for happy mud successful school years. Chilwww need complete physical exm dion by the family doctor the past few months. This has not been done within past six months. Especially these children beginning school meet dental examination a n d Thorough eye, car, nose a n c the at check as well as inspection at terret and lungs, Dental defects the id be corrected even though the, occur in the baby or milk mens. An early examination may Stamford, intert other ailments that require medical attention before school egens. In addition, children atmending school for the first time must have smallpox vaccination and diphtheria imminization.

Going to school is a big step in moving up and there will be more happy first days if spend time in family THEFERIS mergaration for this event. Wise ments help children understan i what school is and what children at school. A visit to the build- ford Baptist pastor, officiating. before school starts, meeting a leacher, touring the school with its different rooms and the yard with its safe play area, and point. ing cut safe play habits can reassure the parents as well as in children. Playing school at some helps children learn activiwes they will share.

Miss Wirges says more opporounities children have for makrg choices in selection of foods, riches, and play, and assuming asponsibility for health and safer habits, help bulld good foundathems for this first big adventure in; independence.



# Tuesday at Home Near Sagerton

Lee Bell, 74, Sagerton farmer, lied at 2 p. m. Tuesday at his home near Sagerton after a long Wednesday nights at 7:30 p. m. llness

He had been in failing health for several years and bedfast for Mrs. Barry, will be in a revival meeting at Rhinehart, Mo., begin-Before moving to the Sagerton ning August 17 and continuing section, Mr. Bell had lived for through August 28. many years in Callahan County.

cemetery at Sabanna.

RETURN FROM VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilliam and

children returned Sunday from a

several days visit in Leonard in

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold

joyed a fishing trip on Lake Tex-

his friends about a whopping 20-

IN LEONARD

He was married to Maggie Allen Sunday, August 23rd Bertis at Baird in October, 1904. White will fill the pulpit.

Survivors are his wife; a daugh-FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ter, Mrs. Lola Mae Shaw Vislaia, Calif.; three sons, M. C. Bell and Walter Bell, both of N. Ave. E at Fourth St. R. K. McCall, D. D., Minister and Cotton Bell of Sagerton; five brothers, Jim Bell Services Sunday: and Charles Bell of California; Sunday Church School 9:45 a Buster Bell of Cisco, John Bell n. Belton Duncan, Supt. of Sagerton and Berry Bell of

Classes for each age. Morning Worship 11 a. m. Cross Plains: four sisters, Mrs. Pearl Peters of Cross Plains, Mrs. Messages by Dr. Flynn V. Long Mrs. Minnie Payne of Hamlin, of Fort Worth. Onie Ingram of Scranton, and Young Peoples' 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Alice Sellers of Sagerton. Funeral rites were held at the

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Sabanna Baptist Church in Eastland County at 4 p. m. Thursday, Rev. J. B. Thompson, Minister

**Church Services** 

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with the Rev. J. H. Skiles, Stam-J. A. Byrd, Church School Superintendent. Burial was in the community W. L. Richey, Chairman Offiial Board.

Kinney Funeral Home of Stam-Church School 9:45 a. m ford had charge of arrangements. Morning worship 10:50-11:45. Nursery attendant. Youth Fellowship 5 p. m. Vesper worship 6 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at p. m. W. S. S. S. Monday at 4 p. m. Young Mothers Circle one even-

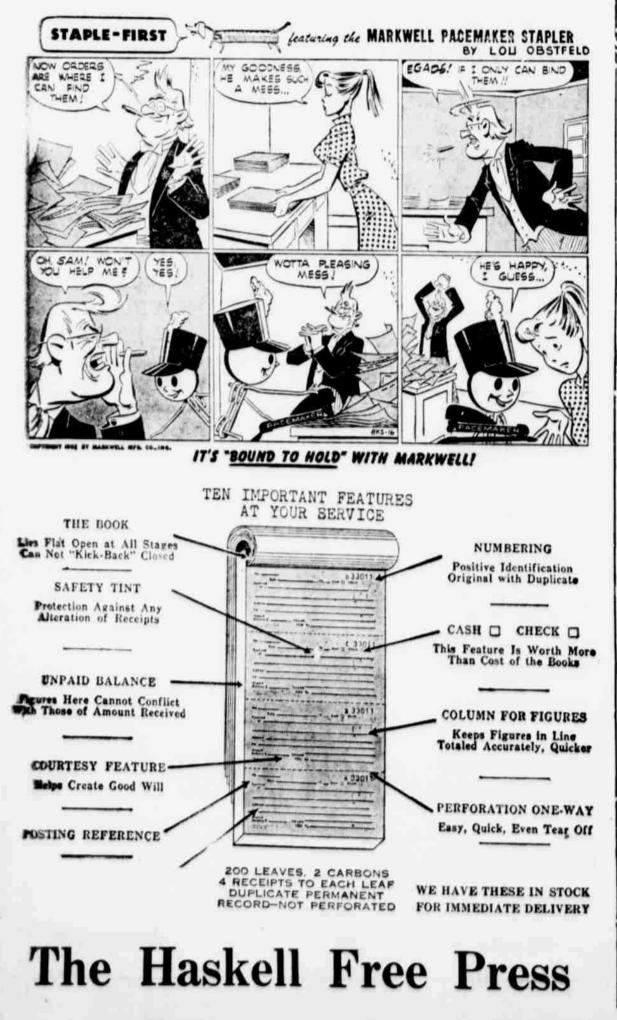
ig each month Hammond. While there they en-Wesleyan Guild second Monday oma, and Mr. Gilliam is telling evening. Official Board, first Wednesday

some odd pounder caught on the night at 7.30.

CHURCH OF GOD Rev. E. L. Murphy, Pastor. Haskell, Texas Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p. m Y. P. E. Service Saturday at

7:45 p. m. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (Located east on the city limit line the Throckmorton highway.) B. F. Gaskamp, Pastor Sunday School and Bible class

at 9:30 a. m. Worship service at 10:45 a. m. You are cordially invited to



CHURCH OF CHRIST 510 North Ave. E. Fred Custis, Minister Schedule of church activities: Sunday—Bible Study at 9:45 a. m. Communion each Lord's Day. Preaching, 10:50 a. m. and

worship and study with us.

6:30 p. m. Wednesday-Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Evening Study 7:30.

#### **Return From Trip** Through Northern **States and Canada**

Evening service 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible Study Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Persons John Barry, local minister, of

the First Christian Church and have returned from a vacation trip that took them through eight states and part of Canada. They visited friends and enjoyed several days fishing in Minnesota.

A drive along the north shore of Lake Superior, and the north woods forests and the headwaters of the Mississippi River were some of the interesting places visited.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Persons of Dallas made the trip with the Haskell couple.

There are more states east than west of the Mississippi River.

## Outlook Remains Favorable For Egg Producers

Storage holdings of shell eggs on June 30 were the lowest on record for that date. Stocks of frozen eggs on the same date were seven million pounds below the figure for one year ago. Then' to make the picture still more favorable, says F. Z. Beanblossom poultry marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the egg-feed price ratio is the most favorable since 1949. But, adds the specialist, latest reports indicate that egg produc-

tion in Texas is still declining from the peak reached in 1945. This means that more eggs will have to be shipped into the state to meet the demand, says the specialist, the present situation might cause some producers to think they would profit because of higher prices; however, this is not necessarily true. For if eggs needed in Texas are not produced tere, they will be shipped in from

other states. He poses this question for Texas egg producers. Shuld Texaos lose this segment of the poultry industry?"

He says producers should buy chicks for replacements to keep production as near the same level throughout hte year as is possible. Fall purchases of chick replace-

ments is one means of maintaining uniform production. Beanblossom also reports that egg producers in counties where

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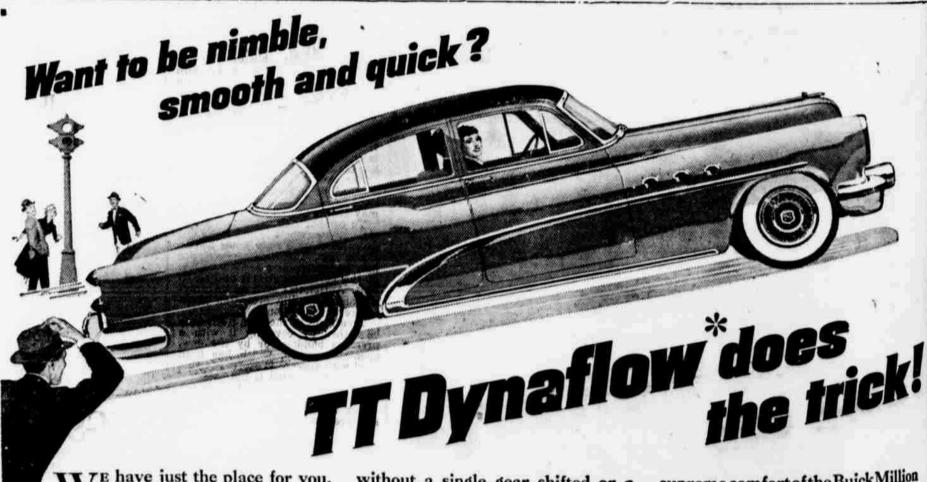
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For this fully automatic drive now has two turbines where one did the trick before. Two turbines for instant getaway response-with whisper quiet-and with infinite smoothness through all ranges.

Of course, a lot of able power goes with this smooth, quick getaway-the highest horsepowers and compression ratios, Series for Series, in all Buick history.

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supreme comfort of the Buick Million Dollar Ride. And the superb handling ease of finely balanced weight. Even Power Steering\* is at hand to make parking and turning still easier.

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Why not drop in on us soon and sample one of these great new 1953 Buicks with TT Dynaflow? It's an experience - and a value story - too good to miss.

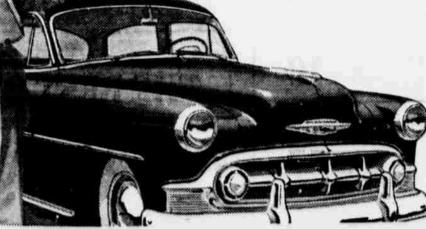
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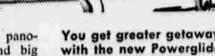
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#### Siven Going Full Blast, One Fire Engine Gane, But Location of Blaze Was Mystery!

Flord (Satch) Luck, paid driver, was awakened at 12:15 a. m. by for the Haskell Fire Department, the fire siren going full blastsocimulty is the first member of telephone hadn't sounded. the department to receive infor-Hustling into his clothes, he hit

mation concerning a blaze. That "Satch" was a bewildered tremma for a minute or so early Whonesday morning by some fast means on the part of Chief Ray

been reported to them. Nightwatchman Bob Marlow The paid driver, who with his came up then to give "Satch" the dreily occupies an apartment in the City Hall and fire station, location of the fire, at Banner Ice

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ing you a secondary cash return from this valuable

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Haskell, Texas

A.T. BALLARD - MGR

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To establish a local market, we will need to

If you are interested, come in and see us today

block north of the square. It all came about because the fire had been noticed by Chief Ray Lusk and Jack Speer, also a fireman, as they were driving into town after checking highway

the slide pole besides the trucks

and one of the fire engines had

already left. He called telephone

operators but the fire had not

conditions after the hard downpour Tuesday night. They drove imediately to the fire station. turned on the fire alarm and drove a truck to the blaze, without taking time to notify "Satch." 'Those fast boys had me stumped for a while,' he admitted.

and Cold Storage Company

Paint Creek School To Begin 1953-54 Term Aug. 31

Dan McRae of Paint Creek Rural High School has announced Monday, August 31 as opening date for the 1953-54 term of the Paint Creek School, Schedule for that date includes

registration of students and is-suance of books, with regular classwork to begin Tuesday, Sept. 1. Operation of the school lunchroom also will begin Sept. 1, he said

Enrollment for the coming tern is expected  $t_0$  be approximately 180, with 60 students in high school and the remainder in ele-We are in position to establish a permanent mentary grades. Supt. McRae, who is beginning market for all the Guar Seed you produce, provid-

his fourth year as head of the Paint Creek school, said all faculty posts had been filled. In addition to Supt. McRae.

teaching staff includes J. C. Oneal, athletic coach and high school principal; H. P. Martin elementary school principal and junior athletic coach; Andrew T. Tackett, science: Willie Lee Medford, vocational agriculture; Mrs. Pinkston, homemaking: Gerald and Miss Bess Smithey, English Physics and chemistry have been added as new subjects in high school this year, and new

laboratory equipment has been installed by the school. Teachers in the elementary hool include Mrs. Olga Taylor Mrs. Lilla Heflin, Mrs. Irene Ballard and Mrs. J. M. Owens. Miss Josephine Steuber is coun

selor, Mrs. Stella D. Trice, school nurse, and Mrs. Lelia O. Barnes s visiting teacher. Mrs. Vernay Howard will be in

charge of the school lunchroom. Paint Creek school will operate five buses this year, and the bus routes will be generally the same as last year, with an extension to the Paint Creek power station of West Texas Utilities Company.

ON FISHING TRIP IN NEW MEXICO, COLORADO

Fred Aycock and Matt Ivey are spending a week in Northern New Mexico and Colorado enjoying the rout fishing in that section.

The classic blouse is an asset in

"BANKER'S SHIRT"

any woman's wardrobe. This blouse, called a "banker's shirt," is de-signed in a colorful Avondale woven satin stripe chambray trimmed with coordinated solid cotton. This fabric is typical of the smart new cottons with texture interest, the National Cotton Council reports.

#### New Officers Are Installed By Rule **Rebekah Lodge**

New officers of Rule Rebekah Lodge No. 163 were installed recently to fill both elective and appointive stations in the order. The new officers are: Noble Grand-Gladys Hoag. Vice Grand-Coralee Duncan. Warden—Fay Dunnam. Conductor—Gladys Smith. Chaplain—Myrtie Robbins. Musician-Clara Hines. Color Bearer-Bertha Yarrough R. S. N. G.—Ellen Condor, L. S. N. G.—Eunice Miller.

Inner Guardian-Jo Alice Stark. Outer Guardian-Willie Hedsbeth.

R. S. V. G.-Verda Mae Allen. L. S. V. G.-Elizabeth Sellers. Treasurer-Nora Casey. Recording Secretary - Leora

#### HERE FROM LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Watson and children, Lynn and Wells, of Lubbock visited relatives and friends in Haskell during the week end. On their return to Lubbock they were accompanied by Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Sr., who will visit in the home of her son and family, Capt. and Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Jr. Dr. Cadenhead is stationed at Reece Air Force Base near Lub-

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#### Paint Creek School Bonds OK'd By Attorney General

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd announced at Austin Friday, August 7 the approval by his office of the \$70,000 Schoolhouse Bonds, series 1953 issued by the Paint Creek County Line Rural High School District.

The bonds have been submitted by the Attorney General to the

for registration.

L-145, Cotton Defoliation Guide in Texas, has been revised and the publication is now available at the offices of county agents. Special attention has been given to defoliating drouth stunted cot-

VISITORS FROM ILLNOIS Dr. and Mrs. Frank C. Scott Comptreller of Public Accounts

had as guests in their homes this week, his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Will Scott, who were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Curtis and daughter,

Irma Lee, all of Carthage, Ill. The Illinois people also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Helber while here.

Three birds which cannot fly are the emu, kiwi and ostrich.

HERE FROM WYOMING Wilson Beard New Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kendricks Farm Bureau Claims of Riverton, Wyo., are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Adjuster Here Mrs. W. J. Kendricks and with other relatives and friends. Before coming to Haskell they visited in the home of their daughter

and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brewer in Odessa.

office in the Masonic Building in this city. He succeeds W. G. Johnston, former insurance claims adjuster here.

Mr. and Mrs. Beard have moved to Haskell and plan to make their home here.

Napoleon was morbidly afraid of cats.

John Aadms was the first president to occupy the White House

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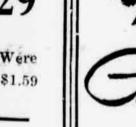
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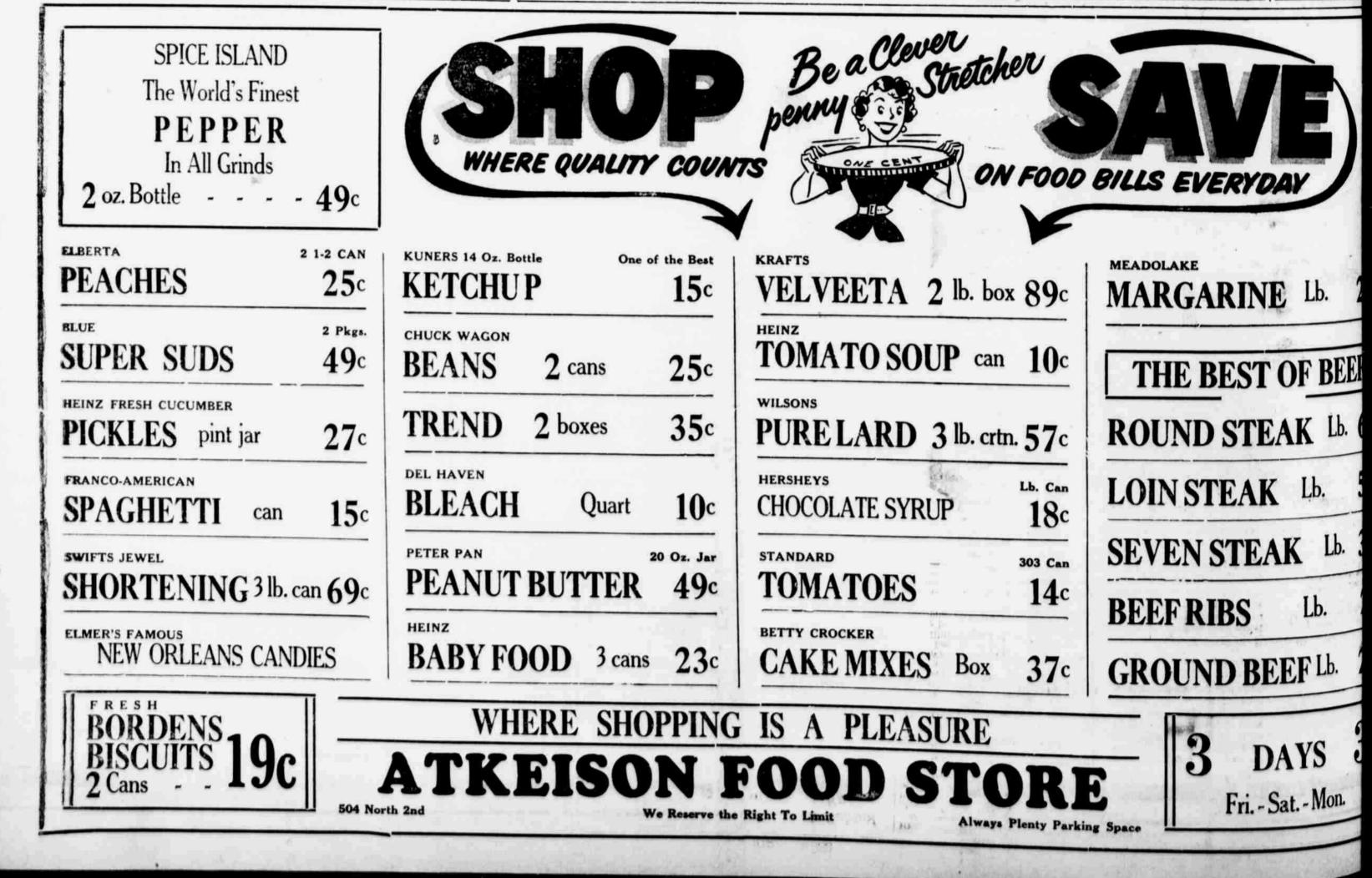
**BLUE JEANS** By "Scott's Level Best" GUARANTEED SUPERIORI 8 on blue dealm. Full cut, sanforized. Moth-Were ers, here is real back-\$1.59 to-school value you'll appreciate! Sizes 2 to Boy's Knit Cotton SHORTS White knit athletic shorts with permanent elasticized waist-

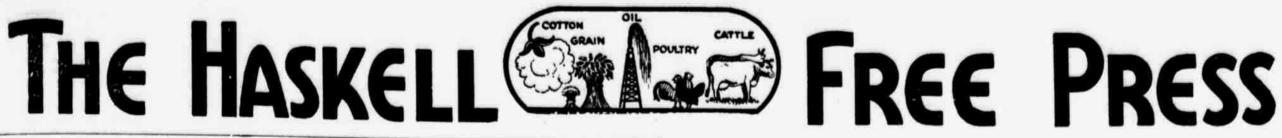




John Adams was the first U.S. ambassador to England

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### HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1953

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ug. 10—Fishing and ses for the new fisinning September 1 ibuted soon, accordicense Clerk for the and Fish Commis-

he supplies, totaling ion separate licenses, ed to approximately clerks and licensed 54 Texas counties by

ing and fishing libe renewed for the ear which begins at

ug. 31. ble demand for the center will enses will center beginning Sept. 1. nty-eight different and fishing, ranging fifty cents for a dunse to \$200 for dealer's license. e Clerk said a new the hunting licenses. ected to prove popuistal areas, calls for r, non-resident limigratory waterore, non-residents ant ducks and geese

regular \$25 nonting license. on-resident hunting onformity with the inged five-day nonmid-summer sales event. tg licenses for \$1.65 n-resident fishing

days in recent years.

Day next week will afford a time-25. Resident fishing ly opportunity to purchase clothiting permit costpopular one for is because it covers reduced prices. Shoppers who check the Dollar and small game. Day advertisements in this section Clerk noted that

again will be used since the proposed selection of items-in fact, almost every article handled in retail still being tested racticability





## Saving On School Clothes Can Be Made Dollar Day, August 18th

Haskell merchants have gone all stores will be available at special out to make Tuesday, August 18th prices on this day, one of the biggest merchandising In addition to t In addition to the reduced

prices listed in the advertisements, On this date, merchants coop-erating in Haskell's monthly Dol-prices will be found when you lar Days will offer some of the visit the stores.

A partial list of the bargains biggest bargains in years for the offered for Dollar Day in various With opening of school only a Haskell stores include the folfew short weeks away, Dollar lowing:

Perkins-Timberlake will feature a wide array of bargains, ining for the children and many cluding ladies dresses in three other items for back-to-school at groups ranging from \$1.98 to \$5, cluding ladies dresses in three women's summer hats at \$1.00, children's dresses at half price, children's shoes as low at \$1.00. of The Free Press will find a wide men's shorts, 2 for \$1.00, colored sheets \$2.49, and many other

items at reduced prices. Neely Dry Goods offer Dollar Day values throughout their store.

to-school dark cottons in sizes 3 to 6x at \$1.98 up to \$8.95 and **Fisher County Fair** other sizes at proportionately low and Rodeo Will Be prices, children's shorts at 98c Held Aug. 28-29 and a new shipment of Vicky Vaughns in junior sizes \$7.98 to

The 1953 Fisher County Fair \$14,95. The Personality Shoppe has regrouped all summer merchandise and slashed prices for Dollar Day. One group of better dresses has a \$10 tag, while others are priced \$8 to \$5. Blouses will be priced \$1 to \$2, denim skirts \$3.79, as a few of their many bargains. The Fair Store will sell men's shorts at 44c each, men's cham- 29th.

bray shirts at \$1.19, boys shirts at \$1.29 and up, ladies Stetson gloves \$1.00, Nylon hose 89c, cotfor \$1.00, to mention a few Dollar Day specials.

Sherman Floor Co. will sell 18inch push brooms for \$2.95, 16ounce wet mop \$1.57, Horn floor seal wax at \$3.75 gallon, linoleum remnants reduced one-third, and other timely items for the home

Warren's Booterie will feature a number of Dollar Day bargains, including Nylon hose at 79c pair, a group of odds and ends at half price, and other big values. of the square, will sell men's

Nylon shirts at \$4.95, men's shoes \$6.95 to \$8.95, sport coats \$12.95, boy's shoes \$4.95, men's shorts 2 pair for \$1.00 and other outstanding values. Frazier's Radio and Record

Shop will sell any speed 78 or 45 rpm record at 69c each, and offer real savings on long play records and 45 rpm albums. W. A. Lyles, Jeweler, has re-

duced the price on 60-piece set of China, regularly sold at \$194.10 to \$92.50 for Dollar Day, \$18.50 Silver chests for \$12.50, service for four in Pottery \$5.95, and many other items at reduced prices.

Hassen's offers a special group of ladies dresses at one-third off regular price, girls Kate Greenway dresses one-third and onehalf off regular price, one table

and Rodeo is open to all neighboring counties of West Texas this year, according to fair officials, and everyone is welcome to enter the annual event. Friday and Saturday, August ,28th and 29th are the dates of the fair, with a big rodeo sche-

duled for August 27th, 28th and Fair divisions open to the public

are the beef cattle show, dair, cattle, swine, sheep, horse, field ton blouses \$1.69, wash cloths 14 crops and the women's events, which include canning, sewing and cooking exhibits. No poultry show will be held this year.

No entry fees are charged at the Fisher County Fair. Ribbons will be awarded as prizes for winners of the various divisions in the fair. Approximately \$2,000.00 in prize money will

be awarded rodeo winners. 'Fisher County extends a warm welcome to her out-of-the-county friends to enter any event in the 8th Annual Fair and rodeo," states Wheatley's, on the north side County Agent Frank L. Crowder, Jr

Persons interested in entering any division are asked to write to the County Agent, Roby, Texas for a fair catalogue. No entry blanks are required. Entries will be accepted until Thursday, Aug. 27, 1953.

Farmers are urged to vote in the elections for selecting the committees which will handle the PMA programs for next year.



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| Sizes 3 to 6x            | \$1.98 up to \$8.95  |
| Sizes 7 to 14            | \$2.98 up to \$14.95 |
| Sizes Pre-Teen 8 to 14   | \$3.98 up to \$18.95 |

CHILDREN'S SHORTS, \$ Day value

Pair 98c

NUMBER 33

Just received a new shipment of Vicky Vaughn, Junior size 7 to 15. For back to school. Priced \$7.98 to \$14.95



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Service for 6 and the serving pieces \$129.20 value for \$65.50

Service for 4 in Sterling with the essential serving pieces. 41 pieces — \$75.00 \$200.50 value for

3 Silverware Chests, \$18.50 value \$12.50

| Service for 4 in  | Pottery — 24 pieces |
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| \$15.00 value for | \$5.95              |

Special Introductory Offer on Dresden Rose-50 piece service pattern for 8. Regular retail value \$94.75 for \$69.75 In DeLuxe Pacific Lined Drawer Chest

Also- A Dollar Table

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# News From Sagerton Also Harold Emerson of Haskell. Dr. John Baker of Anson and Earl Boler will explain the plan-ning conterence and how to de-

Mr. and Mrs. Loil Young spent, at Winfield. While they are in last week end visiting their Sagerton he will preach at the daughter. Mrs. Joe Swofford and morning service at the Zion Luthmorning service at the Zion Luth-Mr. Swofford at Irving. Mrs. Leslie Cobb and son, Johneran Church Sunday, Aug. 23 at 10:30. He is a graduate of Conny visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clock her cordia Theological Seminary and Washington University in St and Mrs. John Clark last

week. Mr. Cobb came after them Louis. Charles Clark was a patient in Saturday and they returned to the Stamford Hospital last week their home in Midland Sunday. end suffering with a broken bone E. D. Engleman of Silverton in his foot. He was hurt while came down for a visit with his playing softball with the Tiremen mother, Mrs. B. Hess and Mr. Hess Sunday, in his plane, He at Stamford Friday night in game against San Angelo. landed on the gravel road north

Mrs. John L. Guinn returned Mr. and Mrs. Byron DeBusk nome Sunday after spending sevand Patsy of Benavides spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John eral days in the Stamford Hospital where she was a patient af-

ter she lost control of her can and turned it over on the highway between Stamford and Avoca last week. She was not hurt badly but the car was damaged badly

elop definite plans. Pete Wiley pen.' It is caused, and it can be of Albany will explain relations y troop committee and parents. Myrom Biard will preside over

'Signs of Life"

ccident too many."

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sometimes called 'Signs of Life, the evenings activities. He will can do a lot to reduce accidents. serve refreshments with the help But these signs can be effective of Ray Davis, District Scout exeonly if people heed them," he explained.

More than 96 per cent of all the United States are marked by signs and signals to protect the motorist and pedestrian. Yet in Theme of August 1951 deaths in grade crossing ac-cidents totaled 1, 691, and there were 4,222 people injured.

prevented," he said.

Safety Program "Most of these accidents-52 per cent-happened during daylight hours, and 67 per cent occurred when the weather was clear and "One traffic accident is one Col. E. B. Tilley, Service Adthe signs could be seen easily," he said. "These tragedies certainisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation. Houston, and president of the ly could have been prevented if Texas Safety Association, made drivers paid more attention to the this statement today in announ- round warning sign, the crossbuck

ing his group's cooperation with sign, and other special signs and the August "Signs of Life" traf- signals which railroads use to fic safety program of the Texas warn the public of train crossings Safety Association and the De-



Today, everyone is seeking a way to secure himself and his family from an uncertain future, and everyone should know that the best way to achieve this is through adequate insurance coverage. We will be pleased to discuss your needs with you. See us!

PHONE:

South Side Square

551-J Home

**INSURANCE IS THE BEST POLICY** 

W. I. (Scotch) COGGINS

**390 Office** 

# Haskell, Texas, Thursday, August

Be sure all trac Even though one the by, there may be a

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## way. This is because the motorist can stop more quickly and can "Traffic signs and signals,

swerve to avoid obstacles, "The engineer cannot stop the thousands of tons of his train quickly, and he cannot swerve to avoid anything or any person on he tracks," he said.

Three tips for safe track crosshighway-railroad intersections in ings, for both pedestrians and motorists, were offered by Col. Tilley. They are:

Safety Association a Signs of Life Ka Obey Them!" 18-In. Garage Push Brooms \$2 18-In. Push Brooms - - - - \$7 16 Oz. Wet Mop - - - - - \$1 Vesco-Lite Dry Mop Treatment, Qt. -- \$ Regular \$4.50-Horn Floor Seal Wax, gal. \$3 Special-Regular 79c per Pound-Horn Paste Wax - - - 2 for \$ Linoleum Remnants --- 1/ SHERMAN FLOOR Southwest Corner Square

#### lassmate, Richard Wagner, and hen they will come to Sagerton to visit with friends and relatives before going to Kansas where he will teach at St. John's College VACATIONING IN NEW MEXICO Dr. R. K. McCall, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, ac-

companied by his brother, George I. A. Russell of Stamford will

Dorothy Knipling, daughter of Hold Planning Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipling, spent the latter part of last week visiting with classmates from Texas Lutheran College in Fredricksburg and New Braunfels. She also attended the wedding Den Mothers, committeemen and

of Marvin Rinn and Doris Loleaders will meet at Stamford's St. John's Methodist Church Aug Mr. and Mrs. F. A Stegemoeller 30 at 7 p. m. to make plans and left for St. Louis Wednesday of train for a better program for last week to attend the wedding boys of this area. of their son, Harvey, and Miss

Marion Bangert Saturday, Aug. Joe Breed of Anson will be in They were accompanied by harge of the Cubbers. John Rice Marvin Stegemoeller, son of Mr of Stamford will show a Cub Scout program planning film. Ed and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller. Their Lynch, Nathan Webb, and Hasbeen spending the summer in St. Louis kell Woodward, all of Albany will explain parts of the Cubbers and was his brother's best man program notebook. Ned Moore of Hamlin will illustrate a typical After a wedding trip in the

pack meeting. Bob Dickenson of Dzarks the newly-weds will go to Stamford will explain the idea of Houston where Harvey will be the ideas committee. Gene Sosebee of Anson will explain pack finance.

> Harold Bonner of Hamlin will be in charge of the Explorers. John S. Davis of Stamford will show the Explorer Advisor film. Wilbur Cox of Stamford will explain program planning methods.

Alton Middleton, Culver Carney, Jim Turner and Bobby Lusk will also be instructors for the train-

McCall of Dallas, left Tuesday for two weeks vacation trip in be in charge of the Scouters. Herb New Mexico. They plan to get in Carter of Stamford will show a ome fishing in the Albuquerque film on Patrol and Troop program section. However, the Haskell planning. Dick Giles of Stamford the September minister told friends they might will explain spend the major time "just loaf-Round-up program for new reing and resting." Miss Rosalie McCall accompanied her father cruits and families. R. C. Jones, Jim Ferguson and Jim Turner and uncle as far as Lubbock and of Haskell will explain parts of will visit friends in that city. the leaders program notebook.

Scout Leaders To

# Meet in Stamford

# Under the Big Tent

of Sagerton.

Rev, and Mrs. Vernon Mayfield had as their guests last week his mother who lives in Abilene, and

Mrs. Mayfield's mother, Mrs.

Russel of Anson. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Franke

and family visited relatives a Brenham and McGregor 1 a s

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will return with them.

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Annual meeting of the members of B-K Electric Cooperative, Inc. Will be Held In SEYMOUR, TEXAS, FRIDAY AUGUST 21, 1953 It Is All Free! Everyone Is Invited! The Big Tent Will Be Open Thursday Night, August 20, 1953 To the Public, from 6 p.m, to 10 p.m, Plenty of Entertainment For All! BRING THE CHILDREN

SEE THE ELECTRICAL EXHIBITS TRAINED ANIMAL ACTS BOZO THE CLOWN COWBOY MUSIC

An Amateur Contest, Open to Talent of This Area Will Be Held Friday, August 21st. This Is Open to All.

Contestants do not have to report until the morning of the 21st of August.

CONGRESSMAN FRANK IKARD WILL BE ON OUR PROGRAM

| One Day Only – Tuesday  | v, Aug. 18  |
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| LADIES DEPARTMENT   | MEN'S DEPARTMENT                                      |
| DRESSES-1 Rack \$5.00   | SUITS—Summer Tropical ½                               |
| DRESSES-1 Group <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Price   | SUMMER SLACKS   |
| DENIM PLAY SHOES <b>\$1.00</b>  | Linens  |
| SWIM SUITS 1/2 Price<br>SHORTS & TEE SHIRTS 1/2 Price   | SUMMER SHIRTS<br>Short sleeves 1/2<br>Long Sleeve 1/2 |
| STRAPLESS BRASSIERS   | SWIM TRUNKS 1/2                                       |
| Regular \$5.00 for <b>\$1 90</b>  | ALL SUMMER SHOES 1/2                                  |
| All sizes in B and C cups.  | ALL STRAW HATS 1/2                                    |
| ONE GROUP GIRDLES   | MEN'S BROWN SANDALS                                   |
| Both in Jantzen and Warner's ½ Price  | Regular \$4.95, now 52                                |
| SHIP 'N SHORE BLOUSES<br>All colors and sizes, including women's<br>and childrens <b>\$1.99</b> | LANE-FELKER<br>"Especially for You"                   |

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**U.S.** Senator s Note: This is one of a 1949, I had back of me some exarticles based on a Bu-Reclamation survey of water problem, made a little something of the water uest of Senator John- needs of Texas. I knew some-

or no drought, Texas mially-plenty of water. long pull, we would e than enough water to one of our State's fundamental our needs-if we conneeds properly and if we had

Appraisal of Problem of distributing it to the One of the first things I did as ere it could be most

AUGUST 18th ONLY

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ment of Interior to have its Bu-appraisal of the Texas water three groups: (1) those belong-three groups: (1) those belong-Farmers Vote Friday on Wheat Quotas; A report of the Bureau's study tem, including the Canadian and Red Rivers; (2) those rising in shows Texas is using only a rela- Texas and flowing into the Gulf:

tively small fraction of its po-(3) the Rio Grande and its tri-When I entered the Senate in true despite the fact that we are tential water resources. That is butaries. Teaxslxqq mfw rdl x perience with water development of two and one-half times as using water in Texas at a rate Texas has within its boundaries on the Colorado River. I knew great as our rate of use in 1940. nore streams of appreciable size than any other State. Texas has

wholly within its boundaries a Believe it or not, water used in thing of the benefits that result Texas amounts to only about 15 greater part of the streams that from solution of water problems, per cent of the yearly discharge touch its surface than any other I felt a long-range program of of streams that border or origin-State water conservation and use was ate in the State. The remaining That is where our surface water comes from. It is more than 85 per cent makes its way into enough to meet all our foreseethe Gulf of Mexico and is lost to able needs-if we will conserve

Texas. **Texas Drainage System** a Senator was to ask the Depart- Texas has 15 major drainage

For some years I have been elling everyone who would listen that water is more important to Texas than oil. We will be

t for our use.

needing and using water long after our valuable petroleum resources have been exhausted. All Texans Affected

The water problem directly and personally affects every Texan. It affects the mother with a thirsty child-and the rancher with thousands of head of thirsty cattle. It affects the man who wants to wash his car on a Saturday afternoon-and the chemiusing perhaps 100,000,000 gallons of water per day.

Above everything else, we must have water-plenty of water where it is most needed and when I it is most needed.

**Coordinated Program Needed** Up to now there has been no coordinated Federal-State water conservation program. We need one-badly. In fact, we must have one if we hope really to solve

The Bureau of Reclamation report such a program. This appraisal may not hold all the answers. but it does at least give a basis It opens a path that can lead to a permanent solution of the

ages in Texas. That is a path which we in Texas-for the sake of our own future-must follow.

#### **All Counties In** State To Receive Alamo Memento

Every Texas county will have a bit of Alamo as a result of plans being made at the University of Texas.

The Texas Memorial Museum, located on the University campus, and the Texas Heritage Foundation will send each county piece of stone from the famed San Antonio site where 155 outnumbered Texans, commanded by Col. W. B. Travis, fought in 1836 until death rather than surrender to Mexican forces.

Facsimile copies of a Travis letter in which he wrote, "We shall never surrender or retreat." will be sent with the stone pieces, Museum History Curator A. Garland Adair said

Reduction Would Mean Cut In Parity

Wheat farmers have the op- quotas when the actual wheat portunity Friday to decide wheth- supply is more than 20 per cent r or not quota controls will apabove the normal supply. Our ply to their 1954 crop by voting total supply is more than 50 per the wheat quota referendum. cent above normal level. If more than two - thirds of

Despite this nervousness, how-

with the parity program. More-

over,, they note that, despite re-

current talk of the need for in-

idual freedom for farmers, few

are ready to single out one type

of warning to be removed from

Farm, Ranch Income

Texas farm and ranch income

for the first half of 1953 was 18

per cent less than in the same

period last year, the University of

Texas Bureau of Business Re-

state's 331,000 farms and ranches

was \$648,000,000. That's \$144,400,-

-64 per cent—and wheat—46 pe

In dollars, cotton income was

The total brought in by the

In State Declines

First Half 1953

price supports while other crops

are getting them.

Some Chicago wheat traders wheat growers with an allotment freely predicted that if farmers of more than 15 acres or those fail to vote for the quotas, the with an intention of sowing more than 15 acres this fall vote for market might drop the full 10cent limit two or three days in a the marketing quota the price row. The quotas, of course, will support at 90 per cent of parity not influence the 1953 drop one will be available for those stayway or the other, but two coning within their allotment. With this type of program protracts-March and May, of next year's crop-already are being duction would be held down, traded, and sharp drops in these

thereby helping to bring supplies would be reflected in all months more in line with the market demand. raded If one - third or more vote ver, many traders were predict-

on the referendum, there will be ing that the quotas would carry. trol of production. Acreage allot-They point out that farmers after trol of production. Acerage allotall these years are fully cognizant

ments will be in effect with 50 per cent of parity as the support price for those who plant within their farm allotment if the referendum fails to carry by the required majority. While there has been wide ex-

pectation that the quotas will cal industry on the Gulf Coast carry, grain traders on the futures exchange got nervous last week and prices dropped sharply

> The nervousness was occasioned by the fact that, for the first time since the marketing quota system was adopted, the Depart-

ment of Agriculture has taken a strictly neutral stand. In previous years when quota votes were scheduled, the department sent out literature and urged farmers

to vote for htem, explaining in detail the consequences of unrestricted production and of the low parity payments. Benson Saturday Secretary gave this explanation of the de-

000 less than last year. Biggest reductions came in income from partment's position: cottonseed-down 80 per cent-He invoked the quotas-subject less than last year, grain sorghum o farmer approval-because in the first, "we have too much cent. wheat."

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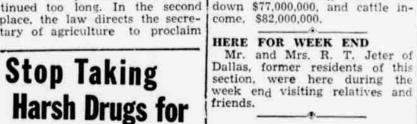
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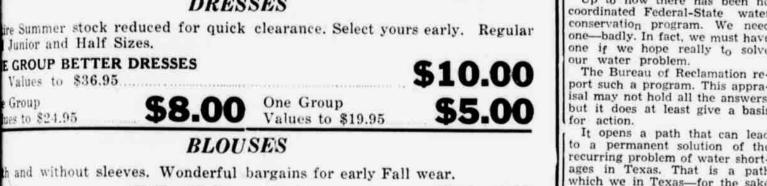
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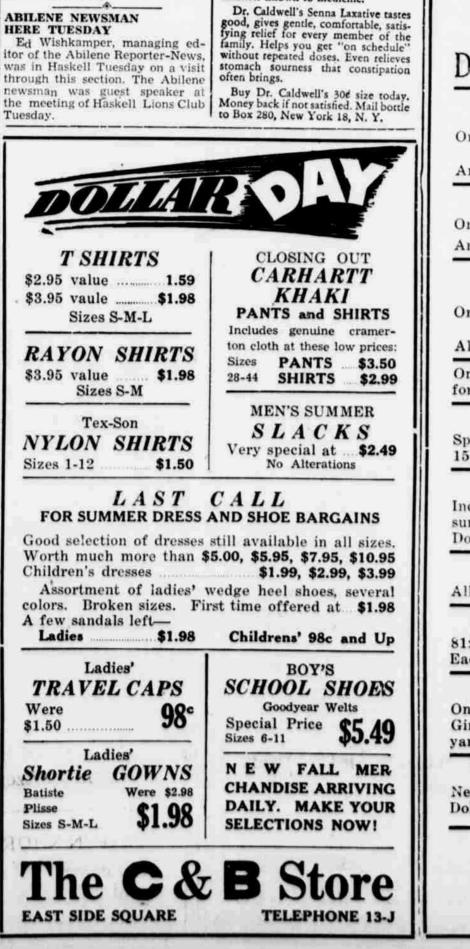
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