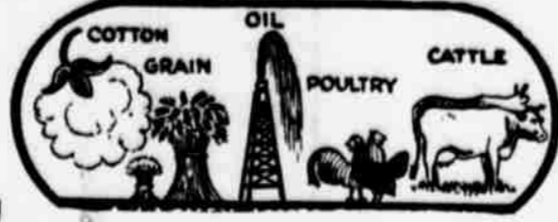


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## Riding Club Project on CWT Fairgrounds Now Underway

Progress is being made on the improvement project for the Central West Texas Fairgrounds recently leased by the Saddle Tramps from the county for a 20-year period. The riding club and fair plant have not been used since the year the Central West Texas fair was held and officers of the fair association voted to transfer the riding club. Several weeks ago a crew of other workmen engaged in a general cleanup of the grounds and rodeo arena. Several pens have been added to make the present arena for a full-sized rodeo. Additions planned in the project are complete.

The county and city engineers and bulldozers are clearing off the 23 acres comprising the fair plant. Barns have been cleared to allow installation of feed and watering troughs for club members' horses of visiting contestants and horse shows.

An exhibit building has been built and furnished with tables and chairs. The building will be used by the riding club headquarters while in effect with the fair.

Work is being carried on to put on a pay-as-you-go new bucking chutes and stands to be added to the present rodeo arena without extra cost.

Plans to help further the improvement project, July 13th was designated "day" when members for a day of free labor were asked to work for cleaning up the fair.

Tommy Joe Ballard, son of Mrs. A. T. Ballard of home on a 10-day project of his basic camp Rucker, Ala. will leave by plane July 22 for Camp Calif., for overseas service.

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## Directors Call Special Meeting Of Saddle Tramps Membership July 21

Directors of the Saddle Tramps Riding Club, at their monthly meeting Tuesday night in the Chamber of Commerce office, voted to continue the improvement project under way on the old CWT fairgrounds. They also set price to be charged for use of stalls in the stables on the fairgrounds, and called a special meeting of all members of the club for Tuesday night, July 21.

Directors discussed progress that had been made on cleaning up the fairgrounds and new building work, and instructed Brooks Middleton, supervisor of the project, to continue with the work until next week.

Rental of \$5.00 per month will

be charged for stalls in the club stables on the fairgrounds, when the building is ready for use. Members may advance money for construction of the stalls. All stalls will be built to club specifications.

Several important matters will be up for discussion at the membership meeting called for Tuesday night, and it is imperative that all members attend, President Myron Biard said. The meeting will be held at the C. of C. office.

Directors present at Tuesday night's meeting were Shelly Royal, Buford Cox, Adell Thomas, Jetty V. Clare, Roy Cook, Truett Cobb, Gene Hunter, and Myron Biard, club president.

## Rains General Over County Wednesday

A virtually made-to-order rain, coming at an opportune time to give late-planted cotton and feed a shot in the arm, dumped one and one-third inches of moisture on Haskell County farms and pastures Wednesday.

The rainfall, spotted over a wide area extending from Wichita Falls to San Angelo, apparently centered in this section and areas

where the heaviest rains fell last June 30 again were favored with hard rains.

Sweeping in from the east on low-hanging clouds, more than 1.25 inches was recorded here between 7:15 and 7:45 a. m. Wednesday. The gauge at the City Hall registered that amount, while in the north part of the city, Government Observer John B. Martin recorded 1.08.

East and southeast of Haskell, in the Irby and Cobb communities, the downpour was estimated at between 3 and 4 inches. Paint Creek and the vicinity around the Stamford Lake reported between one and one-half and two inches. A heavy rain was reported in the Mattson section, and Weinert received one inch, while the fall was lighter in the west part of the county.

Additional moisture fell this morning, with .17 inch being measured at 9 a. m. Heavy clouds held prospects for additional moisture.

This week's rains, following the June 30 crop-reviving downpours, have changed altogether the county's cotton and feed prospects, County Agent Martin said.

Since the rains June 30, farmers have been busy replanting cotton and late feed, Martin said.

He estimates that around 30,000 acres has been planted in cotton since June 30, with an estimated 25,000 acres of feed sorghums. This week's rains will carry the young cotton and feed well into August, in addition to greatly benefitting early cotton that is growing off rapidly, Martin said.

Some light hail was reported along with Wednesday's rain, but only negligible damage resulted to cotton in spotted areas. Rainfall this week boosted the total for the year to 10.88 inches.

## Local Reservists Leave For Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Four Army reservists from this city, members of the 375th Replacement Battalion, left Sunday, July 12 for Camp Chaffee, Ark., where they will receive two weeks Army training.

Lt. Col. H. K. Henry, commanding officer of the 375th, said the men were Sam Matthews, Bobby Boutwell, J. W. Merrill and Louis Stephens. The Army furnished the men bus tickets to Camp Chaffee and return, with meals en route. Lt. Col. Henry said.

While at Camp Chaffee the men will undergo basic training and upon completion of the two weeks training period each man will be promoted to Private II from Private I.

Others members of the 375th Replacement Battalion will leave July 26 for Fort Hood, Texas, for summer training exercises.

New enlistee in the 375th is Jimmie L. Bell of Munday, who joined the local unit July 14. Lt. Col. Henry reported. This makes four members from town outside Haskell. Other vacancies still exist for five officers and two warrant officers. Clerks are also needed in the unit and prior service is not necessary to fill any of these posts, the commanding officer explained.

Returns from fishing trip on Devils River. James Adkins of this city returned Tuesday from a several days fishing trip on the Devils River in Southwest Texas. He was accompanied by a brother-in-law, George Fields of Roby. Adkins reports a pleasant and successful trip.

Meet Vernon Here Saturday Night. The Roustetts are booked against a formidable team Saturday night when they play the Vernon Girls All Star team at Fair Park. Game time is 7:30 sharp, and following the girls game Burton Chevrolet Softballers will play the Vernon men's team in rounding out a twin bill for Saturday night.



HASKELL STONE

## Quarterback Club Meeting Slated Tuesday Night

First meeting of the Haskell Quarterback Club of the year will be held Tuesday evening, July 21 at 8 p. m. in Rice Springs Park, Club President Charles Swinson announced today.

Purpose of the meeting is to organize the club for the coming football season, and to elect officers and one new member of the board of directors, Swinson said.

All football fans and supporters of the HHS Indians are urged to attend Tuesday night's meeting and take part in organizing and planning the activities for the coming grid season. If possible, a film of some outstanding football game will be secured and shown during the meeting.

In addition to Swinson, officers of the Q-B Club are Jim Byrd, and Buck Everett, vice presidents, and George Neely, secretary. Club directors are Dr. Wm. J. Kemp, Carl Wheatley and Otta Johnson.

## J. S. Sloan, Retired Mail Carrier Of Stamford Dies

Funeral services were held Friday at the First Baptist Church in Stamford for John S. Sloan, 80, retired rural mail carrier who died Wednesday night at the family home in that city.

Rev. Byron Bryant, pastor, officiated and was assisted by Rev. W. R. Underwood, retired Baptist minister. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under direction of Kinney Funeral Home.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters and three sons, several grandchildren, and two brothers and two sisters.

## Conner's Attend Florists Convention In Fort Worth

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Conner returned yesterday from Fort Worth where they attended the State Florists Convention, held in that city Monday through Wednesday.

The Haskell florists attended special panels during the three days which included designing schools conducted by outstanding artists, who gave instructions on newest ideas in arrangement and execution of designs.

## Haskell VA Teacher Is Awarded Top FFA Award

Haskell Stone, teacher of Vocational Agriculture in the Haskell High School, has been selected as one of five teachers in Area Two of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers of Texas to receive the top honorary award given by the Future Farmers of America.

Joe Dan Boyd, Winnsboro, president of the Texas Association of Future Farmers, has announced that Mr. Stone will be awarded the Honorary Lone Star Farmer Key at the State Future Farmers Convention in Fort Worth on July 23.

From the 937 teachers of Vocational Agriculture in Texas about forty are selected each year by the executive committee of Future Farmers to receive this high honor.

The other teachers in Area Two who are to receive the award are Kenneth Roberts, Rochester; Tommy Toland, Rotan; J. W. Reed, O'Donnell; and Homer Jones, Wellman.

## Sister of Haskell People Dies In Cordell, Okla.

Mrs. C. A. Wolf, 74, of Cordell, Okla., sister of W. C. Allen and Mrs. Ben Worley of this city, died at her home in Cordell, Tuesday July 7.

Mrs. Wolf had been in failing health for a long time and her death Tuesday morning followed a heart attack.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Thursday, July 9 at the First Baptist Church in Cordell, conducted by the Rev. Roy L. Hurst of Oklahoma City. Burial was in Lawnview Cemetery in Cordell.

Mrs. Wolf, formerly Miss Mollie Allen, was born in Collin County, Texas, Feb. 18, 1879, and was married to C. A. Wolf at Montague, Texas, Nov. 1, 1896. They moved to Cordell more than 40 years ago. Mr. Wolf died in 1932.

Mrs. Wolf is survived by four sisters, Mrs. W. E. Males of Watts, Okla., Mrs. Worley of Haskell, Mrs. Rhoda Euley an mMrs. Abb Hutchens of Rochester; and six brothers, A. M. Allen of Lubbock, E. F. Allen of Jacumba, Calif., H. G. Allen of Sulphur, Okla., W. C. Allen of Haskell, Joe and R. H. Allen of Rochester.

## Haskell Minister Announces Series Of Sermons

Beginning Sunday morning, August 2, John Barry, minister of the First Christian Church of this city, announces that he will preach a series of sermons Sunday morning and evening dealing with "New Testament Christianity."

The series will continue for three weeks, Aug. 2, Aug. 9, and Aug. 16.

Some of the topics to be discussed will be, "My Church," "Ten Reasons Why I Know the New Testament Church is Right," and other topics of scriptural interest.

## Three Carloads Corn Arrives For Area Farmers, Ranchers

First livestock feed provided under the drought emergency program arrived in Haskell Tuesday, and there is now plenty of corn on hand to fill all orders for drought feed, County Agent F. W. Martin said today.

Up to Wednesday noon, three carloads of corn has been received for farmers and ranchers of Haskell County, and two more carloads will arrive soon, Martin said.

Between 40 and 50 farmers and stockmen who had ordered corn had unloaded their shipments from the railroad cars yesterday, Martin said.

Farmers desiring corn to feed cattle should experience no delay in the near future in getting a 30-day supply, the county agent declared.

Other livestock feed available under the emergency program includes wheat, oats, cottonseed meal or cake and cottonseed pellets. The county committee has been advised that a shipment of cottonseed pellets is due to arrive possibly this week.

Any farmer or rancher who has cattle or sheep is eligible for this feed, provided the major portion of income is from farming or ranching, County Agent Martin said.

The Haskell County drought feed committee has approved 289 applications for feed up to noon Wednesday, members reported. Feed applications are approved only for a 30-day supply, it was explained.

The county committee is composed of John Brock, chairman; Bill Lawson, C. G. Burson, A. C. Pierson and County Agent Martin.

## Willard Warren Heads New Slate Of Lions Club Officers and Directors

New officers and directors of the Haskell Lions Club were installed at the regular club meeting this week, with Willard Warren, owner of Warren's Booterie succeeding Dr. Wm. J. Kemp as president of the local service club.



WILLARD WARREN

The installation was conducted by Jeff Graham, Zone 5 chairman and president of the Knox City Lions Club.

In addition to Warren, other officers installed are Harold R. Spain, first vice president; Bill Holter, second vice president; Wix B. Currie, third vice president; Dr. J. G. Vaughter, tail twister; Dr. R. K. McCall, lion tamer; Kendal Henderson, secretary.

Newly-installed directors are John Barry and Rex Felker. Hold-over directors are Myron Biard and Gaston Hattox. Dr. Kemp, retiring president, will be an ex-officio advisory director for the coming year.

Guests at the meeting included C. D. Allen, newly-elected superintendent of Haskell Schools, C. H. Keek of Knox City and Tom Davis of Abilene.

In succeeding to the presidency of the club, Mr. Warren in a brief talk urged the wholehearted support of all members and asked that renewed emphasis be placed on enrolling new members in the Lions Club during the coming months.

## School Board Sets Sept. 8 Date For Beginning New School Term

Tuesday, Sept. 8th has been set as opening date for the 1953-54 term of Haskell Public Schools, it was announced following a meeting of the School Board Tuesday night.

Opening of the school term, customarily set on Monday, was deferred until Tuesday due to the fact that Labor Day comes on Monday, Sept. 7, it was explained. In addition to routine business

coming before the board, members studied estimates and plans for contemplated improvements and additions to Indian Football Stadium.

Among the improvements planned is replacing the stands on the east side of the football field with modern steel seating facilities. No definite action was taken by the board Tuesday night pending further study. However, board members indicated that the improvement project would likely be launched at an early date.

Concerning the opening of the new school term, board members stated that several vacancies on the faculty remained to be filled but that selection of personnel for these posts would be made at an early date. A number of applications are on file with the board for the positions.

Supt. C. D. Allen, elected by the board as successor to former Supt. Sam H. Vaughter, is making preparations to move his family to Haskell at an early date.

Supt. Allen, who has already assumed his duties with the schools, is now devoting his full time to becoming acquainted with the local system. He met with the board Tuesday night.

## Approximately 50 Turn Out For Chuck Wagon Supper

Approximately 50 members of the Saddle Tramps riding club and guests met at Rice Springs Park Monday evening for the regular monthly chuck wagon supper which was followed by a brief business session.

In charge of the supper was chuck wagon boss Truett Cobb, and the meal was cooked by O. T. Williams.

## Methodist Revival Begins July 22 At Weinert

A revival will be held at the Methodist Church in Weinert beginning Wednesday, July 22, the Rev. C. C. Lamb, pastor, has announced.

The revival will continue through Sunday, August 2. Advance plans for the meeting are being completed this week, and church leaders are hopeful the revival will be one of the most successful in years.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend all services possible.

## Haskell Boys Visit St. Louis; See Major League Games

Three Haskell youths realized a long-standing ambition last week, when they spent a week in St. Louis and saw a major league baseball game each day they were there.

Composing the trio were Daniel Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sloan; Borden Worsham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Worsham; and Tommy Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robinson.

## Mrs. Shelly Royall To Conduct Class In Ceramics

Elewhere in the Free Press will be found an announcement of the beginning of a ceramics class by Mrs. Shelly Royall. She will be assisted by Mrs. Carl Worsham.

The class will be held at the home of Mrs. Royall and those interested may start at their convenience any time during the week of July 20th.

## While Taking Patient To Wichita, Deputy Recovers Car Stolen Here, Arrests Suspect

Despite his easy-going nature, Deputy Sheriff Johnny Adkins can be a fast operator when necessary, as was demonstrated this week.

Tuesday morning, the sheriff's department was advised of the theft of a 1947 Ford sometime Monday night from J. L. Dunlap, employe of Anderson Construction Company, who had parked the car in front of his home several blocks north of the square.

## Sgt. Dan R. Dawson Assigned This Area As Recruiter

Sgt. Daniel R. Dawson has been assigned to this territory as recruiting officer for the armed forces, it has been announced.

Sgt. Dawson will be in Haskell every Friday from around 9:30 a. m. until 12 noon. He will be glad to explain the opportunities offered eligible men in the armed forces.

## Throckmorton Marine Promoted To Staff Sergeant

Camp Pendleton, Calif.—Riley Henry Condon, Jr., of Throckmorton, was recently promoted to the rank of staff sergeant in the Marine Corps.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley H. Condon of Throckmorton.

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## Haskell County History

20 Years Ago—July 20, 1913

The Free Press has been reliably informed that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners Court next week asking that a county-wide local option election be held on August 20 date of the state-wide election. A proposition to be decided is whether the sale of 3.2 beer shall be permitted in Haskell County.

Commissioners Courts in Jones and Knox Counties have called elections on Aug. 20 on the question of legalizing beer sales in those counties.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Aruckle and little daughter, Sara Beth visited Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Jenkins at Tuscola the first of the week.

Miss Kathryn Rike left last week for Chicago where she will attend the Century of Progress Exposition. From there she will go to Boston where she will visit Mrs. Una Foster Weatherly and take a special course in English at Radcliff College during the summer term.

Hassen Dry Goods Co., of Sulphur, Okla., has taken a lease on the Barnes Building, first door south of the postoffice and will open a new store here around August 15. Buyers for the company are now in the St. Louis markets purchasing merchandise stocks for the new store, which will be under management of S. Hassen.

Report of the condition of the Haskell National Bank at a close of business June 30, 1933 lists loans and discounts of \$165,400.41 and deposits of \$281,203.70.

Mrs. Wallace Cox and little son, Wallace, Jr., left Saturday for Abilene to visit in the home of her mother.

Misses Dorothy and Florine Morgan of Hamlin spent last week end with Misses Jean and Geraldine Conner.

Within the next week farmers in Haskell County will begin plowing up 49,130 of the 145,615 acres planted to cotton in the county this year. Under the emergency farm program, the farmers will receive payments of \$412,

829 for reducing their cotton acreage.

30 Years Ago—July 20, 1903

The Strickland & Montgomery Tailor Shop is a new business concern in Haskell. The shop is located in the Oates Building in the location formerly occupied by Haskell Ice & Light Company.

G. S. Medford of the Howard community was painfully burned about the face Monday by steam and hot water from the overheated radiator of his car. He had stopped at a local service station after noticing his car heating while coming into town. When he removed the radiator cap, he was enveloped in a geyser of steam and boiling water. The burns, although painful, are not too serious.

R. C. Montgomery and H. M. Rike spent several days last week on a tour of West Texas. They visited Snyder, Post, Talokai, Camp Springs, Brownfield, and other points. They say crop prospects look good in the sections they visited.

R. F. Pitman and family are spending their vacation in Bell County visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Ela Stanley and Erma English visited friends in Throckmorton Friday and attended the big picnic and barbecue in that city.

Mrs. R. M. Edwards of Burk Burnett is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Lamkin in this city.

Misses Elizabeth and May Baldwin and brother Paul Baldwin, sisters and brothers of Mrs. J. U. Fields, accompanied by Mrs. C. J. Baldwin, all of San Antonio, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields.

Howell Cobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Cobb of the Rockdale community, underwent an operation for appendicitis Friday in the Stamford Sanitarium. He is reported recovering nicely.

A contract was closed this week whereby H. A. Johnson will stage a rodeo in connection with the

## HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Texas—The drought, burned out in Texas, but help was on the way. President Eisenhower flew to Amarillo for a conference with governors of the parched southwestern states. With the president were the secretary of agriculture and the federal civil defense administrator.

Congress rushed legislation to extend emergency credit to farmers and ranchers. A bill passed by the Senate would set up a revolving fund from which the Agricultural Department could make farm and

Haskell County Fair on Sept. 25, 26, 27. Mrs. T. E. Wright of Spur is visiting relatives and friends here.

30 Years Ago—July 18, 1903

Mr. Rich, a prominent stockman of Jacksboro, is here prospecting for a ranch. Mrs. M. K. Hanaford of Rockport was here a few days this week looking after some land interests she has here.

Sam Gibson, a young rancher of Domingo, N. M., who has been visiting the Irby boys for the past two weeks, left Tuesday for his home. J. M. Perry of the north side marketed a load of wheat in town Thursday.

George Flippin and family and Mrs. J. G. Miller went plum gathering on the river this week. Miss Kate Crosswhite left Tuesday morning for her home at Avoca after a several weeks visit here with Miss Annie Ellis.

Judge H. R. Jones, who is holding a term of district court at Anson, spent the latter part of the week here with his family. W. T. Hudson, J. B. Tomkins and E. Robertson made a shipment of several cars of beef cattle to the Fort Worth and St. Louis packers this week.

W. P. Caudle has just had a well dug at the townsite of Sager and secured 19 feet of water. He feels good over his success and is thinking of placing a windmill over his well. M. S. Shook and family, accompanied by Miss Docia Winn, are spending a week or so on Mr. Shook's ranch where fishing and hunting will be the diversion for several days.

Hugh Rogers of Fort Worth was here this week looking after cattle interests and visiting friends. W. T. McDaniels, R. G. Bennett, J. M. Tarbett and others whose names we failed to get, constituted a party of Wild Horses who passed through town Thursday on their way to the Clear Fork on a fishing expedition. James Shrum, who has been clerking in Dr. Terrell's drug store, is sick with a fever.

ranch loans. A similar bill was passed in the House.

The bill was reported out of the Senate Agriculture Committee, of which Senator George D. Aiken, Republican of Vermont, is chairman. Aiken lamented that some people were trying to make money out of the Southwest's misfortune.

Bankers wanted to handle the loans, he said, and grain operators wanted to handle the distribution of feed under the program. The senator commented: "I don't understand the workings of the minds of people, some of them thousands of miles away from the drought section, who are trying to figure out a way to profit from the situation."

Aiken was opposed to the suggestion of Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas and others that Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson start a government cattle-buying program to bolster prices. Aiken said a previous buying program was not very successful. Johnson said that the agriculture department had the money and the authority to buy cattle.

The Texas senator contended that credit will do no good, nor will cheap feed and low freight rates, unless prices are improved. Benson has refused to support cattle prices or buy beef on the hoof to strengthen the market.

While Congress wrangled over emergency drought relief measures, the Production and Marketing Administration started feed going to parched Texas counties. C. H. Moseley of the Dallas PMA commodity office said 277 rail cars of corn, 114 of oats, and 4 of wheat were on their way to 100 points in the state.

F. P. Biggs, PMA commodity director at New Orleans, stated that 6,134 tons of cottonseed meal and pellets were moving into Texas. All this feed was being sold at low prices and was being hauled by the railroads at half the usual rates.

Ranchmen at Dalhart, meanwhile, found backers for their proposal of federal price supports for cattle. They called stockmen from five states—Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico and Colorado—to a meeting for the organization of an association to forward their campaign.

Governors of the same five states met at Amarillo the next day to talk about the drought. The conference was called by Governor Allan Shivers of Texas on a suggestion originally made by Gov. Dan Thornton of Colorado.

A campaign to increase beef consumption at retail and consumer levels has been drawn by officials of organizations interested in the current livestock program. The program resumed from a conference held Monday in Ft. Worth. In charge of the meeting was Robert M. Reiser, chairman of the agriculture and livestock committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Well, the end of the drought may not be far off. That's based on the long-range predictions of Abraham Streiff, hydraulics engineer who worked on the Colorado River dams above Austin and incidentally made an intensive study of the weather. C. L. Dowell, chief hydraulics engineer of the Lower Colorado River Authority, says Streiff's prophecies have been coming true for a long time.

The forecaster's idea is that floods will return to the river this year, that next year will be wet, and that heavy rains will fill the river in 1955 and 1956.

Another promise of rain came from the Rev. E. L. Taylor of Albany, Ga., who sent this telegram to Mayor C. A. McAden of Austin: "The Rev. E. L. Taylor has sent this morning an order for rain in Texas. Look for rain within three days. I have been calling for rain for 27 years and getting it."

There was some moisture around the state, but nothing like what it would take to break the drought. There was heavy precipitation in the Big Bend area, some rain in the Panhandle and all across the North Texas border.

Galveston had a commotion. Col. Homer Garrison, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, took a couple of Rangers from there and sent them to Port Arthur, where they were needed to put down violence as the result of a gas utility strike. Immediately rumors began to fly. Would Galveston run "wide open"?

The Galveston News reported that "local owners, dealers, and cropper men are working harder and faster than ever to make up for lost time."

The newspaper quoted Representative Wm. H. Kugle, Jr. to the effect that Rangers Pete Rogers and Harvey Phillips had clamped down on gambling, and that many big-time gamblers had left town.

Col. Garrison's answer was that the Rangers would be back. He said there were only six Rangers available for the 49 counties in the South Texas coastal area, and "If they are not needed in Port Arthur, they will be returned to Galveston."

It looked like a brief operation in Galveston for the croppers. There was some activity in school circles. The State Board of Education said it wanted the searchlight put upon itself to determine whether it was doing a good job. Directing the searchlight will

be the Texas Research League, a privately-financed agency set up for the purpose of studying the various phases of state government. J. W. Edgar, commissioner of education, recommended the study.

There have been four years of operation under the Gilmer-Aikin laws, Edgar said, and the program ought to be examined.

The State Education Board adopted a new economic index reducing the contributions of 142 counties to the public school program next year.

On the other hand 112 counties will be required to make increased contribution, and of this number, 62 will be assessed 10 per cent more than last year.

Study of higher education in Texas will be made by a House committee appointed by Speaker Reuben Senterfitt. Committee members are Representatives H. A. Hull of Fort Worth, J. O. Gillham of Brownfield, F. S. Seeligson of San Antonio, Reagan Huffman of Mar-

shall, and Ben Glusing of Kingsville. Also appointed by Senterfitt were House members to serve on the Legislative Budget Board for the next two years. They are Representatives Fred Niemann, Jack Fisk, Max Smith and D. H. Buchanan.

SHORT SNORTS: The state's general fund increased \$5,171,506 during June, mainly because of greater oil revenues. Plans proceeded for construction of tourist facilities at Inks State Park on the Colorado River and Eisenhower State Park on Lake Texoma. Senator Price Daniel presented to Texas Memorial Museum the pen used by President Eisenhower in signing the tidelands bill. Greater progress has been made in modernizing

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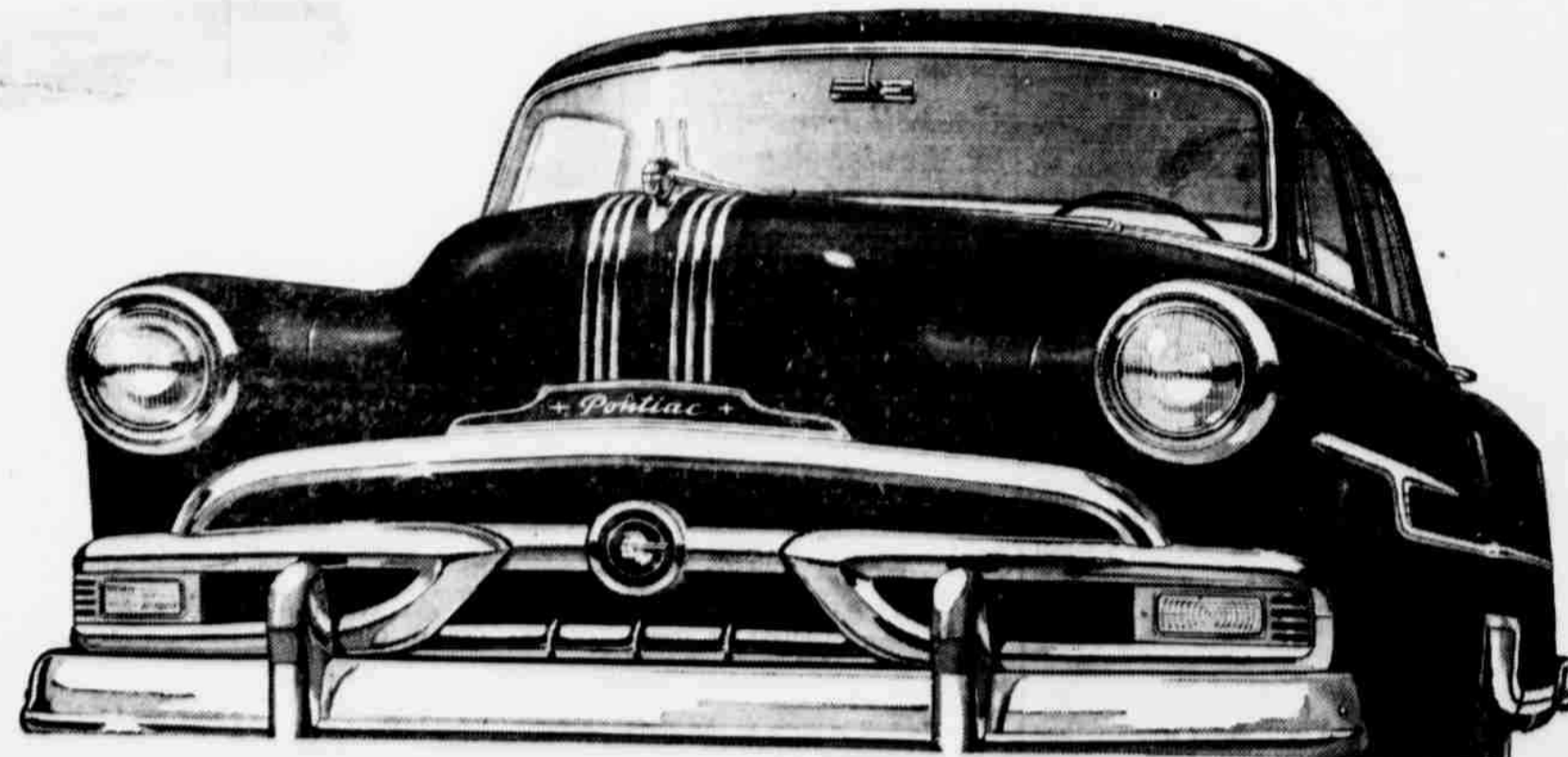
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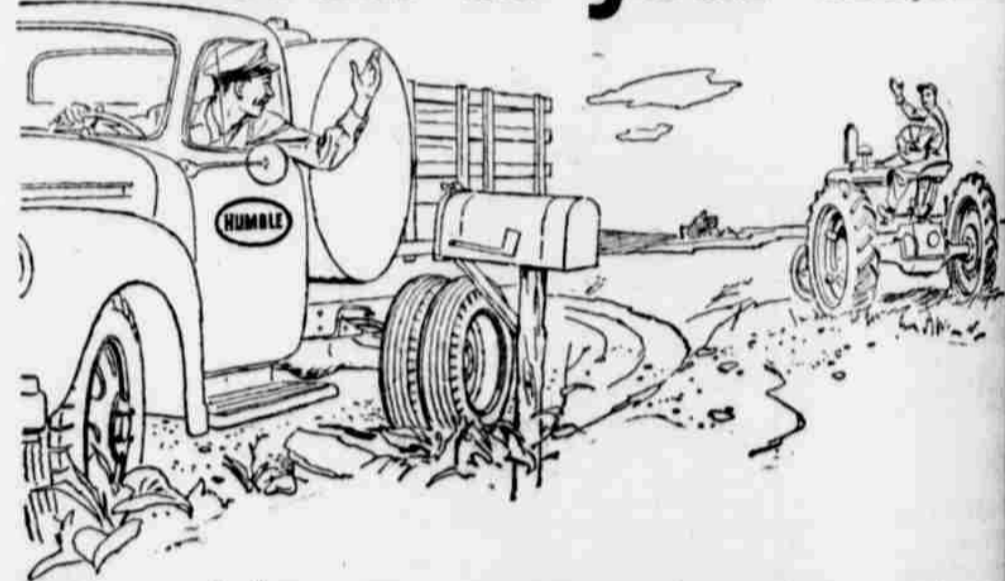


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### er and Feeder Demand Ups Prices attle and Calves At Fort Worth

**TED GOULDY**  
 Demand for stocker-cattles and calves in most classes of cattle is higher than it was a few weeks ago. The demand for stocker-cows was such a few weeks ago that they were selling at \$12 to \$13 a head. Now they are selling at \$15 to \$16 a head. Small calves are selling at \$17 to \$18 a head. Stocker-cattles are selling at \$18 to \$19 a head. Feeder-cattles are selling at \$20 to \$21 a head. Choice fed steers are selling at \$22 to \$23 a head. Choice fed hogs are selling at \$24 to \$25 a head. Choice fed pigs are selling at \$26 to \$27 a head. Choice fed chickens are selling at \$28 to \$29 a head. Choice fed turkeys are selling at \$30 to \$31 a head. Choice fed ducks are selling at \$32 to \$33 a head. Choice fed geese are selling at \$34 to \$35 a head. Choice fed rabbits are selling at \$36 to \$37 a head. Choice fed cats are selling at \$38 to \$39 a head. Choice fed dogs are selling at \$40 to \$41 a head.

### Finances Present Obstacle To Farm Ownership

The young family seeking to become a farm owner in Texas today seldom is heard to say "no help wanted." Acquiring title to a modern family-size unit requires a sizable chunk of capital, and this, says C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is not always easy to get. But, he adds, families with determination usually find a way to turn the trick.

This financial assistance is obtained from many sources and the specialist cites information obtained from a recently made study in Virginia on where this help comes from. In a majority of cases in that state, financial aid was provided young farmers by their parents or families. Some of the help was in the form of inheritance, family financing or the privilege of working on the home farm. The family help factor in the main was in the form of an assist for acquiring more land when the start was made on a small scale.

A big factor in becoming an owner, independent of family help, was non-farm employment during prosperous times, says Bates. Farmers worked in industries and saved enough to make the down payment on their chosen farm. The average down payment, in the Virginia study, was about 40 per cent of the total cost. The balance on the purchased farm was obtained from individuals, commercial banks, life insurance companies and the Federal Land Bank.

Farm tenancy, says Bates, remains a factor in the process of becoming a farm owner but is not so important as it once was. Some young families find it easier, he explains, to put their available capital into machinery, equipment and livestock and rent land until they are able to purchase the farm of their choice. Experience has taught that good returns can be made on rented farms if they are operated under sound rental agreement. This means that costs of such items as livestock, fertilizers, soil improvement practices and seed for legumes used for soil improvement and in some cases machinery and needed improvements on the farm are shared by the tenant and owner. Bates believes this is a good system to follow in growing into a farm owner and says it proves the old adage, "there's more in the man than in the land" that influences success.

### Farmers In California Creek Soil District Happy Over Recent Rains

Farmers and ranchers in the California Creek Soil Conservation District are feeling mighty good after the rains that fell last week, Hiram Olson, chairman of the board of supervisors said. The ones that feel the best about it are those whose land soaked up most of the rain.

Terraces stood full of water and backed water from terraces to terrace in the area east of Stamford, receiving around four inches, he said.

More important was the way the water soaked in the ground on land protected by wheat stubble and stubble mulch plowing, Olson pointed out. Terraces on wheat land had been grazed. Such results emphasized the need for keeping the soil in good shape to soak up rain where it falls.

Observations made by Garth McCallum and A. T. Jordan of the SCS at Stamford and Bernard Buie, district cooperater, on his place north of New Hope, pointed out the value of cover on pasture land in helping the soil soak up water. They found dry soil four inches from the top of the bare ground, while it was 16 inches down to dry soil where the ground had a cover of grass or litter. Buie said he got 2.4 inches of rain on his place. Buie is resting 150 acres of his pasture land after the rain to give his grass a chance to grow and provide a protective cover.

Albert Thane, district supervisor at Paint Creek, is also resting 50 acres of his pasture land to give his grass a chance to spread and make seed.

A protective cover of wheat stubble proved its value on a farm in one area of the district that got more than eight inches of rain. Terraces on the wheat land were not damaged, while across the road on cotton land, the terraces were washed out and from a foot to 16 inches of soil deposited in the bar ditch.

The supervisors approved 21

condition a year ago. The condition of all cattle was 74 per cent of normal compared with 81 per cent a year ago. The 10-year average for this date is 85 per cent.

Ewes and lambs showed heavy shrinkage, the USDA said. They were 70 per cent of normal, four points below the previous July 1 low record recorded in 1934.

Ranges are practically bare of grass over the main sheep producing areas and the animals are being kept alive by feeding.

The USDA said commercial meat production during the first five months was 13 per cent above a year ago, reflecting the heavy marketing of livestock in the drought.

### Sheets Rank Tops As Cotton User

Sheets were the largest single customer of cotton in 1952, a new study by the National Cotton Council reveals.

Products following sheets as cotton customers were shirts, automobiles, men's trousers, and drapery-upholstery slip cover fabrics. These five top customers accounted for almost a fourth of the estimated cotton consumption.

Sheets consumed 523,000 bales of cotton in 1952. Cotton used in men's shirts increased last year, accounting for a total of 475,000 bales.

Automobiles required 460,480 bales during the year. The use of cotton in men's trousers jumped 11 per cent in 1952 over the preceding year. Total cotton consumed in men's trousers reached 449,930 bales.

Drapery-upholstery slip cover fabrics used 425,000 bales in 1952.

**Range Conditions Worse Than In Dust Bowl Days**

The condition of Texas ranges July 1 sunk to an all-time low, even under that of the dismal dust bowl days of the 1930s, the U. S. Department of Agriculture reported.

The condition of sheep dropped to a new record low, the USDA said.

It reported ranges at 61 per cent of normal July 1, one point lower than on July 1, 1934.

It was 22 percentage points below average, 14 points a month ago and also 14 below the range

authorizes closing hunting and fishing where fires become a menace.

He said he thought hunters and fishermen are entitled to some protection against being blankly blamed for all fires. He suggested the best approach is to do their own policing and also to be alert to check fires caused by cigarettes tossed by motorists.

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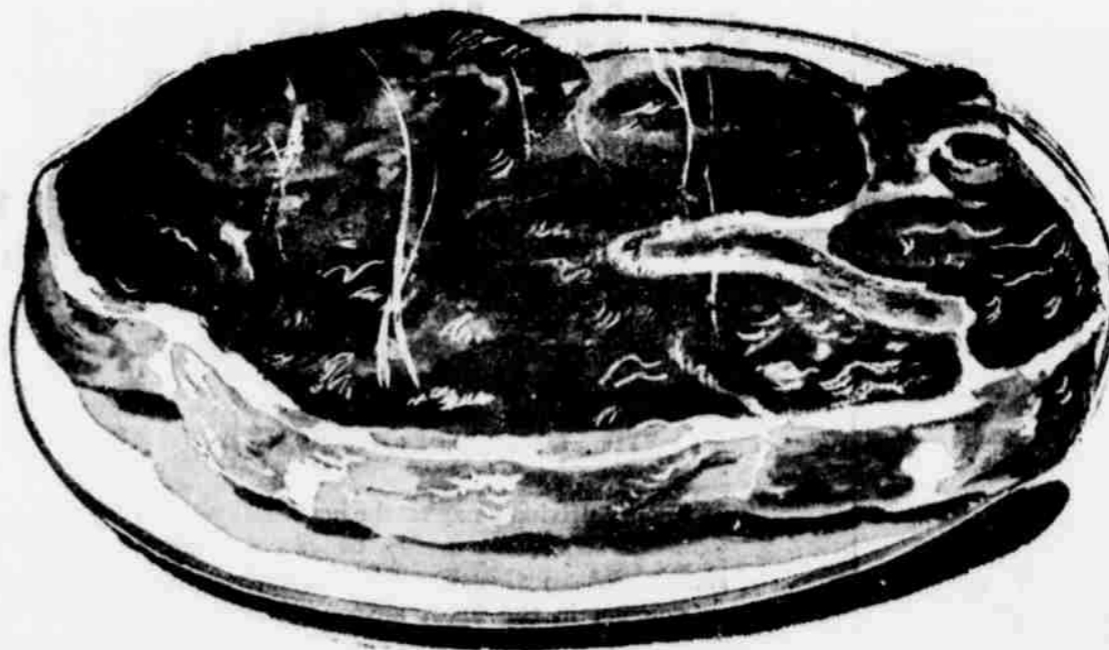
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Price Supports On Livestock Favored By 59.9 Per Cent In Newspaper Poll

By TED GOULDY

Final tabulation of the ballots in the poll among the home town and county newspapers of Texas revealed several surprising developments. Apparently a sizable number of "rugged individualists" among the voters took some additional time to study the matter and their late ballots swung their total from around three per cent in the last week's count, up to 9.6 per cent of the total in the final.

These voters had their own ideas as to what should be done rather than voting for one of the other proposals.

Most editors reported a light vote and in most cases this was probably due to the fact that the ballot was run only one time. However, in order to prevent "loading" the ballot it was felt that a light vote would more truly represent the livestock producers' attitudes. The wide coverage of the vote and the percentage of the ballot that the various proposals got accomplished their purpose in getting at the feeling of those concerned.

Final tabulation showed the vote for removal of all supports at 9.3 per cent, an increase of almost 2 per cent over the first count.

No. 2, the proposal for supports on livestock as well as other agricultural commodities tallied 59.9 per cent of the vote, a gain of almost 2 per cent over the first count.

No. 3, the proposal for flexible price supports on commodities, excluding livestock, held on with 10.1 per cent about the same as a week ago.

No. 4, the proposal for maintaining rigid supports on commodities, and none on livestock. The program now in force, was the big loser in the final count slipping from near 20 per cent on the first count to 10.6 per cent in the final.

The Jack County Herald reported of 33 ballots that 31 favored livestock supports, with one each for removal of all supports and for flexible supports.

The San Saba News reported 22 per cent for removal of supports; some 2-3 for livestock supports, and 12 per cent furnishing their own ideas.

A voter in the Knox County Herald wrote "If you and the Good Lord can't run your business, better sell it or give it away. Washington will just get your business in a mess, like they have their own."

A ballot in the Olney Enterprise said simply "Just leave us alone." Others pointed out the

risk inherent in any business venture and cited the dangers of creeping socialism.

Results of the poll will be forwarded to the Texas congressional delegation and to Administration officials.

The majority of the marginal comments written on the ballots pointed out that if prices were supported on commodities, then livestock production could not survive unless supported also.

Many pointed out that the nation's farmers have again and again supported the government's farm programs and that removal of support would certainly run counter to the majority's wishes.

The slaughter program to get rid of surplus cattle received a steady percentage of endorsements as the ballots were checked. Of the "own ideas" submitted this was the most popular, with rigid limitation of imports of meat the next most popular.

Hot Weather Tips On Marketing Hogs

A live hog weighing 200 pounds is worth more than \$50 at most markets but a dead one represents a loss instead of a profit. And warns E. M. Regenbrecht, swine husbandman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, thousands of hogs will be dead when they reach the market unless special attention is given to making their summer trip to town a comfortable one.

He says hogs should not be disturbed prior to shipping and

that loading and shipping should be done either early in the morning or evening when it is cool. Never over feed prior to shipping for hot weather coupled with nervous digestion can make the trip to town costly from the standpoint of losses.

Clean, wet sand makes the best bedding and it is a good idea, the specialist says, to give the sand an extra wetting after loading. Check the truck to make sure there is sufficient ventilation to prevent suffocation but watch for heavy wind drafts which will cause the hogs to pile up.

Load the hogs slowly and quietly driving them with a broom or a canvas slapper. Never use a whip, club or cane for bruises are expensive.

While in transit, the hogs should be checked at least once per hour. Fast or reckless driving gains little time and is seldom worth the price that is often paid.

The important thing, says Regenbrecht, is to get the hogs to market in top condition. Dead hogs take the profit from an entire shipment. And finally, he says don't overload. The few extra head crowded into the truck may prove to be very expensive passengers.

Before you wash a garment, check to see if there are any stains. Remove the stains before laundering because often washing can set stains permanently.

To keep your towels soft and fluffy, always rinse at least three times during laundering. Inadequate rinsing often makes terry towels feel rough.

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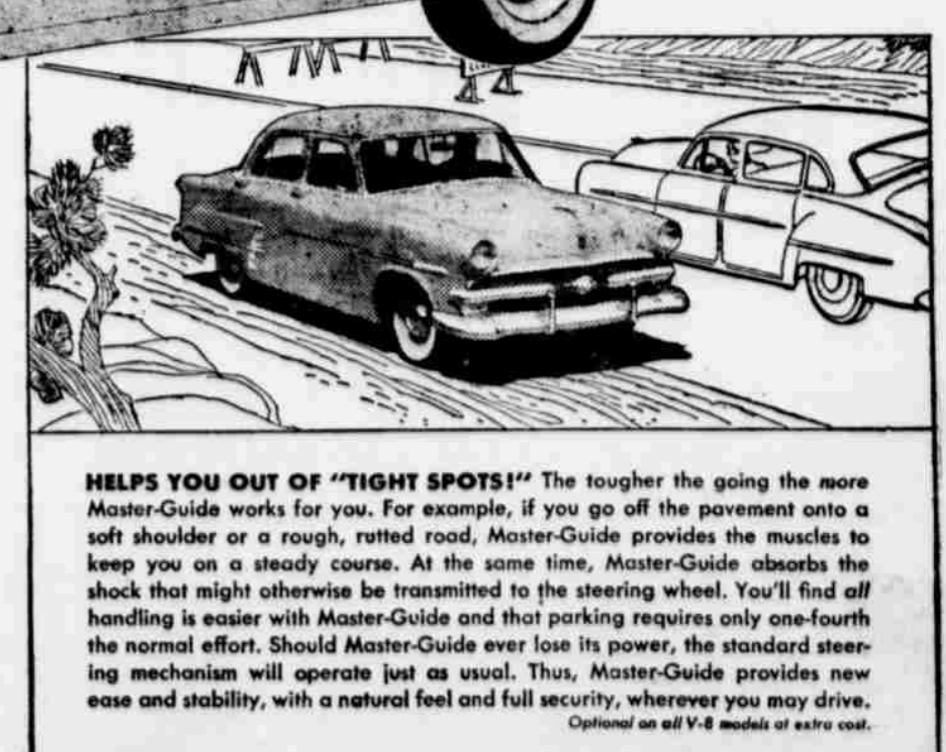
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Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Caddell, Mrs. E. C. Capers of Haskell, Mrs. Bill White, Mike and Rickey, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Body, Mrs. Elouise Price of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ammons, Leton, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fought and granddaughter, Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coffey, Mrs. S. J. Noonkester, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Noonkester and family of Campbell, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Wash Noonkester and Clyde, LeLeon, Howard Noonkester and family, Mr. and Mrs. Noonkester, Joan and Clyde of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Newton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Good and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bikes of Breckenridge, Mrs. Bertha Perkins, Mrs. Lula Young, Houston, Mr. and Mrs. R. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson, Merkel, Misses Martha Jackson and Nora Larvin, Abilene.



Miss Darlene Belew, Bobby Neil Smith Wed In Abilene Rites Thursday, July 9

In a candlelight setting, Ouida Darlene Belew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Belew, 2718 South 10th St., Abilene, became the bride of Bobby Neil Smith, Thursday evening, July 9, in the First Baptist Chapel in Abilene.

The double ring ceremony was read before a lighted altar banked with greenery, and adorned with baskets of white gladioli and majestic daisies.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Leo F. Petrie of Huntington, Ind., wore a waltz-length dress of white imported organdy. The underskirt was bouffant and bodice was fitted.

Her fingertip veil belonging to Mrs. Bennett Young, was of imported French illusion held by a coronet of seed pearls. She wore white organdy mitts and a single strand of pearls, gift from her bridegroom.

Best man was Clay Smith, father of the bridegroom. Groomsmen were Billy Anton Dillbeck, Abe Turner, both of Haskell. Theo Blue of Rankin lighted the candles.

Reception was in the home of Mrs. T. C. Anderson, 1902 Marshall St., Abilene. The bride's table was laid with white lace and centered with a 3-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bridal couple.

Others assisting were Alice Chandler, Mrs. Bennett Young, Mrs. Ben Leverett, Mrs. Gene Neilson, Mrs. Calvin Neal, Mary Lee Swindell, and Mrs. R. L. Wilson. Rooms were decorated with white gladioli and burning white tapers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robison Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robison of this city observed their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, July 12 with open house at their home from 2 to 6 p. m.

Tom Robison and Miss Ada New were married July 15, 1903 at Iredell, Texas. The following year they moved to Haskell and have made their home here since.

Mr. and Mrs. Robison have five children, John E. Robison of Haskell, Robert Robison of Riviera, Calif., Mrs. Jewel King of Canyon, Mrs. Ethel Pendergrass of Haskell, and Mrs. Opal Copeland of Stamford; nineteen grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

At Sunday's open house, guests were met at the door by a granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Hosen of Monday and registered in a white satin bride's book, trimmed with yellow rosebuds and blue satin streamers, made and given to the couple by a daughter, Mrs. Pendergrass.

The refreshment table was covered with a black lace over gold tablecloth. A three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom centered the table, flanked on either side with white candelabra and cut flowers.

Gold punch and white cake was served to the guests by a granddaughter, Mrs. Maurice Ford of Stamford, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. John E. Robison of Haskell.

Around one hundred and twenty-five guests called during the afternoon, including many old-timers of Haskell County.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were displayed.

Birthday Dinner Honors Mrs. T. J. Basham Of Arkansas

A birthday dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rodgers July 13th honoring her oldest sister, Mrs. T. J. Basham of St. Joe, Ark., on her 66th birthday.

The table was laid with ice green linen cloth and appointments of silver and crystal. A low bowl of mixed summer flowers and the beautiful birthday cake, baked by Mary Lou Josselet, completed the table decorations.

After lunch the following program was given: The hostess gave an opening address, Loydene Duncan gave a reading, Birthday Wishes: Carolyn Josselet read, "The Best Auntie in the Whole World;" Mrs. V. A. Duncan read, "Flowers for Your Birthday;" Mrs. Jess Josselet gave a musical reading, "Sweet Memories," accompanied by Mrs. Duncan.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Pat Bennett, employe of the Paducah Post, and George Carter, of Crowell were visitors in Haskell Sunday afternoon.

VISITORS IN AUDIE STOCKS HOME

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Audie Stocks were her mother, Mrs. W. D. Dake of Quanah, and Mrs. Stock's brother, J. D. Dake of Phoenix, Ariz. Also Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dake of Quanah, Sue Dake of Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. Berry of Quanah. Also a niece, Shirley Dake of Quanah who spent a week visiting Mrs. Stocks and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lancaster and Alton. Other visitors included a brother, Marvin Dake and family of Matador, and niece, Mrs. Wesley Couch of Matador.

Bridge Luncheon Compliments Miss Pat Harrison

Miss Theron Cahill of this city and Mrs. Jerry Cahill of Tyler entertained with a bridge luncheon Tuesday afternoon in the Theron Cahill home complimenting Miss Pat Harrison of Seymour, bride-elect of James Walter Eastup of Nocona.

Guests were presented individual corsages of shrimp pink and green. Ice cream in the shape of wedding slippers was served.

Guests at four tables of bridge included the honoree, Miss Pat Harrison and her mother, Mrs. Claud Harrison of Seymour, Mesdames Bill Richey, Bill Lane, Wallace Cox, Alfred Pierson, Oscar Oates, Hill Oates, Brack Gilmore, R. C. Couch, Sr., W. P. Trice Claiborne Payne, J. P. Payne, J. V. Hudson, John W. Pace and the hostesses.

Wanda Bergstrom, Coy Allen Morris Wed July 3rd

In an informal ceremony July 3 in the home of the groom's parents, Wanda Lee Bergstrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bergstrom, became the bride of Coy Allen Morris, son of Mrs. H. N. Ivy.

The Rev. Jim Felts of Abilene read the double ring service before the fireplace covered with pink and white gladioli.

The bride wore a two-piece dress of pink silk pique. The fitted jacket was fashioned with a collar designed with pink pearls and rhinestones. She wore white accessories and chose a corsage of white gardenias.

The two-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom was served with punch after the ceremony to all wedding attendants.

Denson Family Reunion Held Recently

Eight brothers and sisters of the late Chas. and Mollie Denson re-united for the annual Denson reunion held July 4th in the Bunk House at Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Denson came to Haskell County in 1888. Both passed on several years ago. All eight children were reared in Haskell County: Mrs. Lucy Hickman of Aspermont, Rufus Denson of Rule, Miss Eunice Denson of Stamford, Ott Denson of Spur, Ruby High of San Antonio, and Mrs. C. O. Barley and Jack Denson of San Antonio.

There were five generations present with 65 members of various branches from four different states present.

Those present, the eight children

Advertisement for Kelvinator Dress-Up Kit for refrigerators. Includes images of the kit and a refrigerator, and text describing the product and its benefits.

Advertisement for Bynum's trade-in offer. Text: 'BYNUM'S WE WILL STILL GIVE UP TO \$100 For Trade-In'.

Large advertisement for Packard cars. Includes an image of a Packard Clipper and text: 'Why take less than a Packard-built car?' and 'EXTRAS AT NO EXTRA COST: Lighter • Electric Clock • Foam Rubber in Front Seat Cushion...'.

Comic strip titled 'STAPLE-FIRST' featuring the Markwell Pacemaker Stapler. Includes dialogue bubbles and a drawing of the stapler.

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Small advertisements for 'HASKELL VISITORS' and 'RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS'.

Large advertisement for Payne Drug Co. featuring 'JULY FEATURES' and various products like 'Picnic Jug' and 'Hand Cream'.

Advertisement for SKY-VUE Drive-In Theatre. Includes text: 'MOVIES, RAIN OR MOON' and 'TRY OUR SNACK BAR'.

Advertisement for 'ALL ASHORE' featuring Mickey Rooney and Dick Haymes.

Advertisement for 'Jack McCall Desperado' featuring George Montgomery.

Advertisement for 'KANSAS CITY CONFIDENTIAL' featuring John Payne, Coleen Gray, and Preston Foster.

Advertisement for 'The Lady Says No' featuring Joan Caulfield and David Niven.

Cox Family Held At

Family reunion was held at Fair Park Saturday afternoon...

Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Shine Cox, Ardmore, Okla.; Della Huckelbury Clout and Fay, Brownfield...

Alex Edwards, Once Resident Here, In Abilene Hospital

Alex Edwards of Lawn, Texas, former Haskell resident and City Marshal here years ago, is a patient in Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene...

Miss Nanette Weaver Is Abilene Entry In West Texas-New Mexico Beauty Tour



NANETTE WEAVER

Miss Nanette Weaver, 19-year-old brunette from this city who is attending McMurry College, has been selected as Miss Abilene in the West Texas-New Mexico beauty contest...

Friendship H. D. Club Meets With Mrs. Otto Vaughn

The Friendship Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Otto Vaughn Tuesday July 7, with Mrs. Edward Newton giving a demonstration on Finishes That Are Professional.

Mrs. I. N. Alvis led in prayer. Mrs. O. O. Aikens brought the devotional reading from Psalm 19th chapter. Mrs. George Herren led in prayer. The president, Mrs. Joe Maples presided for the business session...

HOSPITAL NOTES

Relatives and friends are requested to observe the following schedule of visiting hours: 9 to 10:30 a. m., afternoon 3 to 4 p. m. Registered as patients in the hospital Thursday morning were: m.; evening 6:30 to 8:30.

Most poisonous of all snakes is the King Cobra. Aesop, author of the book of fables, was a slave.

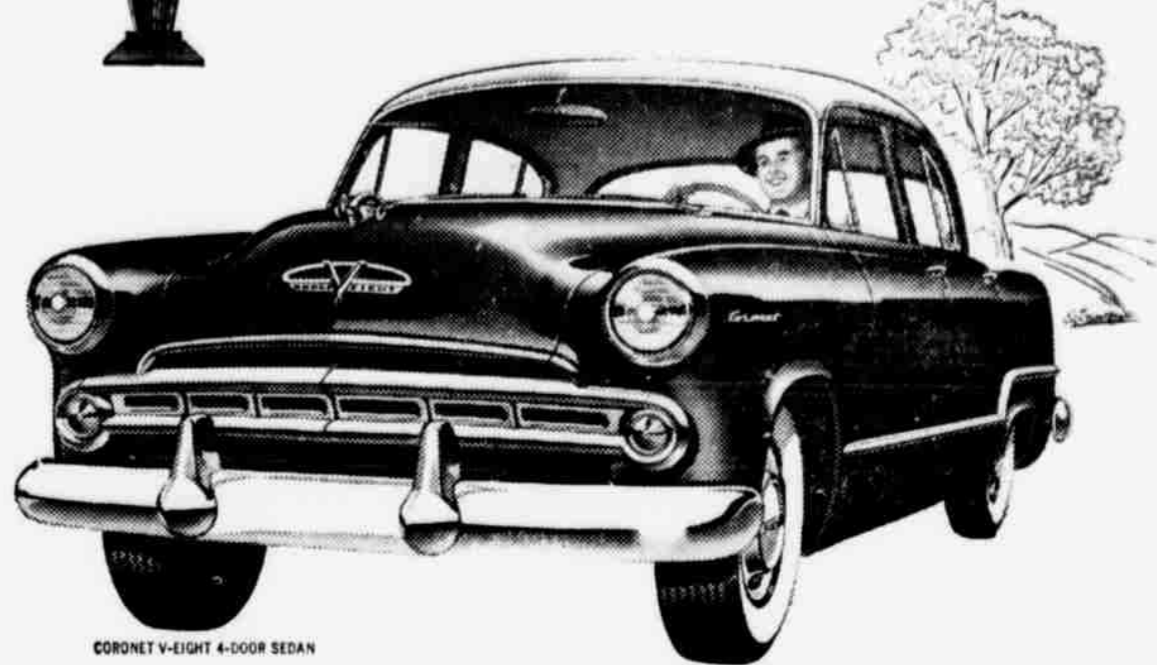
Saber-toothed tigers are now extinct. Snakes have as many as 300 pairs of ribs. The extended right arm of the Statue of Liberty is 42 feet long.

The year following 1 B. C. is 1 A. D. Next to the diamond, the sapphire is the hardest stone. Honey bees are sold by the pound.

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### Sweets For The Family Table

One shelf of the family pantry doesn't seem to change much with the trend in present day methods of preserving foods. The array of jellies, jams, preserves and other sweets for the family table is still bright with colored fruits in various sizes and shape containers.

According to the foods and nutrition specialists for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas Food Standard includes sweets every day. And, they agree, they are best taken along with the meal.

To help farm and ranch families provide these sweets for their family meals, the specialists have compiled a new publication giving detailed directions for making favorites. The table of contents says there is information about jelly, jelly making, preserves, jam, conserve and fruit butters.

If you have just been told at making jelly, you will be interested in the directions for extracting the juice and testing for pectin. The specialists say, "Home methods have not been developed for determining the pectin salts or the alcohol test as an approximate guide to the amount of pectin present in the fruit juice which determines its ability to jelly. If there is not sufficient pectin, the specialists advise, "You may use the juice for punch or combine with home-made pectin and make into jelly."

For best results, work with 2 to 4 cups of juice at a time when making jelly. Measure the sugar, the bulletin states, and the juice accurately. Use 3/4 to 1 cup of sugar to each cup of juice, according to the pectin test. Use a good grade of granulated white sugar. Prepare the jelly glasses by washing, and placing on a rack in a pan, cover with cold water and boil 12 to 15 minutes.

Cook the jelly by heating the fruit juice and sugar quickly to boiling, using a large flat bottom pan that permits rapid evaporation. Stir only until the sugar is dissolved and then boil rapidly until the jelly stage is reached. You can test for the jelly stage by sheeting or temperature test. Allow the hot syrup to stand a few seconds, quickly remove scum from the hot syrup, and pour into hot dry glasses to within a fourth inch of the top. Pour melted paraffin onto the top of each glass to cover the jelly. When cool add more hot paraffin and rotate glass so that it will run up the rim and form a good seal. Cover and label, store in a clean, cool, dark, dry place in your pantry.

Demonstrations of B-200 "Sweets For The Family Table" are available at your county home demonstration agent's office.

### Athlete's Foot More Prevalent During Summer

You don't have to be a Mickey Konic or a Babe Zaharias to be afflicted by athlete's foot. You're afflicted just by being human.

This ringworm foot infection can come to either sex at any age at any time, although it is probably more prevalent during the summer months when feet are more apt to perspire.

You'll know you've got it when your feet begin itching and blistering, and when you see the soggy dead skin between the toes or on the soles. Take action then, and you can usually get rid of it as a hurry. But neglect it and you're in trouble.

Here are some suggestions from State Health Officer George W. Cox which will prevent athlete's foot or help you get rid of it if you have it now.

Try carefully and thoroughly between your toes after bathing as often as practical during the day. The disease is caused by a fungus which thrives on damp, perspiring feet.

Massage your feet with a mild rubbing alcohol. This will help prevent spreading the infection



Great-great-grandfather S. R. Pogue, 92, poses with members of his family representing five generations. Seated with him are Mrs. Darryl Davis, his granddaughter, and her son, Darryl Franklin Davis; standing are Mrs. Davis' father, Manis G.

### S. R. Pogue, 92-Year-Old Throckmorton Resident, Oldest of Five Generations

When S. R. Pogue, 92-year-old Throckmorton resident, was in Haskell recently on one of his frequent visits with his son, W. S. Pogue and family, he celebrated the occasion by posing for a five-generation picture with his son, a grandson, great-granddaughter, and great-grandson.

The representatives of five generations include the great-great-grandson, Darryl Franklin Davis, who was born in Throckmorton, Tex. After 15 years in storage, Elliott says, seed kept at 33 degrees F. with 7, 9, and 11 per cent moisture still germinated well. Those stored at 13 per cent moisture showed some deterioration while those with 14 per cent moisture were all dead after 15 years.

### Cottonseed Stored For 15 Years Still Germinates

Under controlled conditions, cottonseed has been stored for periods up to 15 years and germination was good at the end of the test period. The percentage of germination was most affected by moisture and temperature, says Fred C. Elliott, cotton specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Seed from two upland cotton varieties were used in the tests which were conducted jointly by the Tennessee Experiment station and the USDA. The seed were divided into lots and adjusted to moisture levels ranging from 7 to 14 per cent. Samples of each were stored in constant temperatures of 90, 70 and 33 degrees F. Similar lots were stored at normal uncontrolled air temperatures at Knoxville, Tenn.

Dust a good fungicide powder or even an unscented talcum powder or powdered boric acid between the toes, in stockings and shoes. If at all practical, change stockings once during the day.

Wear absorbent socks and put a piece of cotton on areas between the toes where cracks or soggness are evident.

Don't use remedies which have been sold for eczema. Consult your physician if the cracks and blisters and soggness do not yield to these measures.

And keep this in mind: if athlete's foot is neglected, it can spread readily beyond the feet. The lesions will go deeper and deeper, and may cause critical damage.

After 15 years in storage, Elliott says, seed kept at 33 degrees F. with 7, 9, and 11 per cent moisture still germinated well. Those stored at 13 per cent moisture showed some deterioration while those with 14 per cent moisture were all dead after 15 years.

Seeds stored at 70 degrees and with 7 per cent moisture for 15 years still showed 73 per cent of the seed capable of germinating. All lots stored at 70 degrees with more than 7 per cent moisture were dead at the end of the test period.

Seeds stored at uncontrolled air temperature did not fare so well, says Elliott. Only those with a moisture content below 7 per cent survived beyond three years in storage and all lots were dead after 13 1/2 years.

Most rapid deterioration of seed occurred at 90 degrees. Those containing 1 per cent moisture were dead in four months and those at all other moisture levels were dead or badly deteriorated in 3 years, says Elliott.

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for dates and events going back to his childhood days.

The son of a Confederate soldier, his father returned home at the close of the Civil War, the family moved to Caldwell County in the winter of 1869, and Pogue lived there until he was 20.

He married Miss Mattie Galloway at Caldwell, Burleson County, on June 19, 1884, and they

died, he was born in January, 1861, in Fayette County. After lived there 22 years. He recalls that their wedding date came on Thursday, and on the following Tuesday the couple moved into their own home. Throughout their married life they lived in a house of their own, he emphasized. And in keeping with his individualist character, Mr. Pogue has lived

alone and maintained his own home since the death of his wife in January, 1945.

Mr. Pogue brought his family to West Texas in 1902 and settled at Stamford, where he remained until 1912. He moved to Throckmorton that year. While in Stamford he was engaged in the mercantile business for a time, then operated a cafe, later owned and

operated the leading cafe in that city. After Throckmorton he was in mercantile business for some time before retiring.

Mr. Pogue has three daughters, W. S. Haskell, Mrs. H. L. Mrs. Jimmy Lee Davis, Throckmorton and Mrs. W. Clarendon.



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How about visiting us this week for a thorough sampling of the greatest Buick value in 50 great years?



World's only car with all these features:  
HIGH-COMPRESSION VALVE-IN-HEAD FIREBALL 8 ENGINE  
TWIN-TURBINE DYNAFLOW® • POWER STEERING®  
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THE GREATEST  
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IN 50 GREAT YEARS

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You Have the Season Now and Can Afford to Plant At These Prices:

Sweet Sudan, per 100 pounds	\$15.50
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Hegari, regular bundle type, per 100 pounds	\$5.00
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Certified Martins Milo, per 100 pounds	\$5.00
Certified Plainsman Milo, per 100 pounds	\$5.00
Certified Cap Rock Milo, per 100 pounds	\$5.00
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7078 Milo, per 100 pounds	\$5.00
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You will find our seed high quality and low priced

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# 3 trucks in 1!

Nine pickup models available, 3/4, 1 and 1-1/2 ton sizes, 6 1/2, 8 and 9 foot bodies. Ad-A-Rak attachments available for all sizes. GVW ratings, 4,200 to 8,600 lbs.



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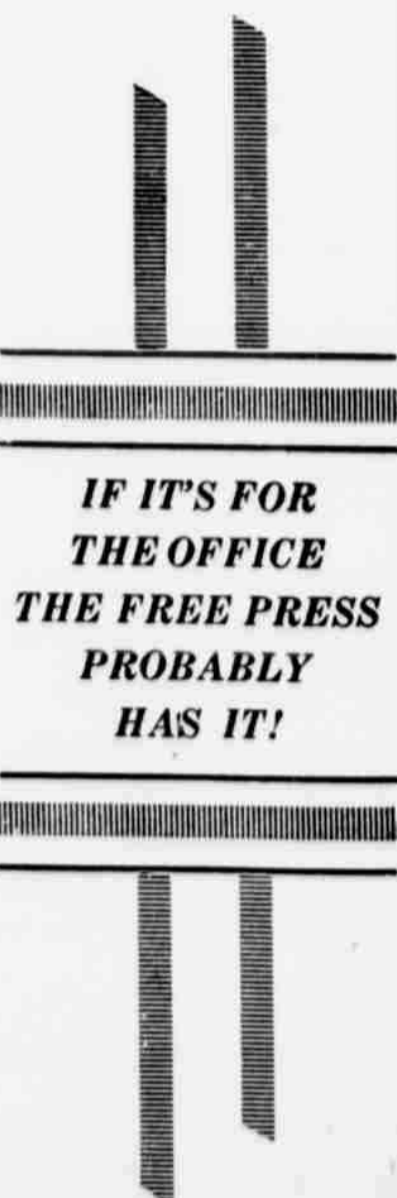
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# Office Supplies . . .

- Loose Leaf Ledgers
- And Post Binders
- Ledgers, Journals, Etc.
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- Pencil Sharpeners
- Staples and Staplers
- Desk Fountain Pens (Esterbrook)
- Desk Letter Trays
- Filing Cabinets
- Clip Boards
- Large, Heavy Envelopes
- Typewriters
- Letter File Boxes
- Manila Folders
- Stamp Pads, All Colors



IF IT'S FOR THE OFFICE THE FREE PRESS PROBABLY HAS IT!

# The Haskell Free Press

Office Supply Store

Telephone 207

Haskell

## Cottle Officials Voluntarily Take Cut In Salaries

Cottle County officials last week accepted 10 per cent salary reductions in an economy move resulting from the drought in that area.

The action was revealed by Cottle County Judge A. A. Payne following a meeting of county officials with the Commissioners Court and the resulting agreement on a voluntary salary cut.

Dismissal of one deputy sheriff was announced after the meeting.

The Paducah City Council previously had taken action to curb expenditures by reducing the city's monthly payroll by about \$500. One city police officer and a trash collection employee were dismissed.

## Wheat Growers To Vote On Quotas August 14

Wheat growers will decide in a referendum Aug. 14 whether to limit next year's crop to 62 million acres, or take a sharp cut in government price supports.

Agriculture Secretary Benson ordered the national referendum Wednesday, as he was required by law to do. Existence of a record supply of the grain, much of it without a market, forced him to invoke measures to restrict production and marketing.

Two-thirds of farmers voting must approve the crop restrictions to make them effective. Unless they are approved, the price support rate will drop from 90 to 50 per cent parity, or from about \$2.20 to about \$1.20 a bushel.

The secretary set next year's wheat planting allotment at the minimum permitted by an amendment to the crop control law signed recently by President Eisenhower. Until then, the minimum had been 55 million acres.

The 62 million acre allotment—about 15,400,000 acres less than was planted for this year's crop—will be apportioned among farms largely on the basis of past plantings.

Should quotas be approved, wheat grown on land in excess of a farm's allotment would be subject, if sold or used on the farm, to a penalty tax equal to 50 per cent of the price support rate of wheat, or roughly \$1.10 a bushel.

Whether quotas are approved or rejected, planting allotments will continue in effect. Only those farmers who plant within their allotment will be eligible for price support aid at any level on wheat.

Any person having an interest in a wheat crop in 1954 on a farm with an acreage in excess of 15 acres and with a normal production of 200 bushels or more would be subject to a marketing quota and would be eligible to vote in the referendum.

## John Kimbrough Is On Panel To Study Water Problem

State Representative John Kimbrough of this city was one of three House members named on a between-sessions committee to make a long-range study of water problems. The appointment was made Friday by Reuben Senterfitt, speaker of the House of Representatives at Austin. Two other members of the panel are Reps. Bob Paxton of Palestine and J. F. Gray of Three Rivers.

Senators already named to the committee are John Bell of Cuero, Jimmy Phillips of Angleton, Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo.

The committee was set up by a bill passed by the 53rd Legislature in an effort to find a solution to Texas water conservation problems.

## Pvt. Don C. Graham Now Training At Ft. Leonard Wood

Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.—Pvt. Donald C. Graham, whose wife, Nellwyn lives at 300 South Ave. L in Haskell is nearing completion of a 16-week training cycle here with a unit of the 6th Armored Division.

As a trainee, he received eight weeks basic training in the fundamentals of Army life and the use of infantry weapons. He is now completing an additional 8 weeks engineer training.

Private Graham is being taught the use of pioneer and power tools, construction of fixed and floating bridges and related subjects besides additional combat skills.

At the end of the 16-week training cycle with the famed "Super Sixth" the men completing training here will be sent either to specialist schools or as replacements to other units.

Benjamin Franklin is author of the statement, "Nothing is certain but death and taxes."

Lancaster, Pennsylvania was capitol of the United States for one day.

## Too Late to Classify

FOR RENT: 3 room furnished apartment with large bedroom, kitchen and living room completely redecorated. 205 North Ave. G. Mrs. Linna Cunningham. 29c

## Continued Home Improvement Seen In Nation

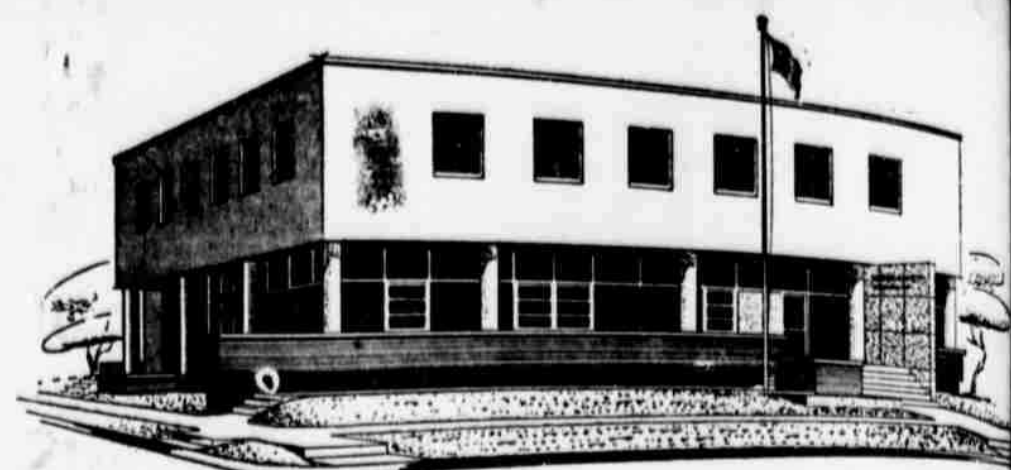
In spite of the fact that a tremendous number of new homes have been built throughout this nation during the past decade, the vast majority of Americans still live in what may be called "old houses," structures built as long as thirty to fifty years ago.

Bringing these homes up to full value as measured by modern standards through remodeling has already become one of the major activities of the nation's building industry and is expected to increase.

Remodelling, including maintenance and repairs ran up a total of \$8,500,000,000 in 1951. One building material manufacturer is reported to have sold one half of his total product for use in remodeling in 1950-51, and in 1952 this total was almost two-thirds of his output with present indications that 1953 will be as good or better.

Wonders have been accomplished in remodeling exteriors of old houses to conform with current tastes in architectural style but even greater wonders have been effected by interior remodeling. Such rooms as kitchens and bathrooms are the places most likely to be "dated," because great strides have been made in recent years in streamlining appliances and plumbing fixtures, adding color to them and developing entirely new and varied materials for completely changing the appearance of rooms through re-finishing walls and ceiling surfaces.

## AMERICAN LEGION'S NEW STATE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING



Above is the new \$205,000 state headquarters building of the American Legion, Department 1000. Located two blocks north of the State Capitol building at 15th and Congress Avenue, the building is constructed of polished native Texas granite and cream colored bricks. It was dedicated July 7.

## Legion Completes New Headquarters Building In Austin

After 35 years, the American Legion has built its own state headquarters building, a modern \$205,000 structure located two blocks from the state capitol building at North Congress and 15th Streets in Austin.

The building was formally dedicated July 7 with the American Legion's state commander, Albert D. Brown, Jr., of Austin presiding and the National Commander Lewis K. Gough of Pasadena, Calif., and Governor Allan Shivers, the principal speakers.

The building is two stories with a foundation and elevator shaft for six additional stories.

There are approximately 5,000 feet of floor space on each of the two floors. The building is of polished Texas granite and cream colored brick. It is both air conditioned and winter conditioned.

The American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary, the Texas Legion News and the 40 and 8 all have their state headquarters on the main floor. The upper floor is rented to a state agency.

The building is paid for and an adjoining lot on 15th Street has been purchased for parking purposes. The state headquarters property has 92 feet frontage on Congress Avenue and 180 feet on 15th Street.

Use the Want Ads

Hanging ironed shirts instead of folding them will save time. Shirts wear longer.

For a delicious salad dish, try piling sliced cooked eggs on slices of bread and draping with cheese sauce.

Croutons, little fried in margarine, make any soup taste better.

An ostrich can kick to kill a man.

The shot fired by the colonists at Concord "shot heard around the world."

# Perkins-Timberlake CLEARANCE

# JULY

We still have some bargains left. Regrouped, reduced, more items added. Shop our entire store. Bargains too numerous to mention them all.

Special Purchase Women's COTTON DRESSES Regular \$5.95 Value \$3.98

Women's and Children's SWIM SUITS \$5.95 value \$3.88 \$3.98 and \$4.50 value \$2.88 \$2.98 value \$1.88 \$1.98 value \$1.39

WOMEN'S DRESSES Mostly Cottons — Values to \$12.95 \$6.88

Women's SPRING SUITS 6 Only — Regular \$16.95 and \$18.95 \$10.00

WOMEN'S TERRY CLOTH & LINEN CAPS \$1.00 value 69c \$1.29 value 79c

REMNANTS 1/2 Price

Men's and Boy's BALL CAPS Regular \$1.00 69c Regular 50c 39c Boy's Nylon SHIRTS Regular \$2.99 \$1.88

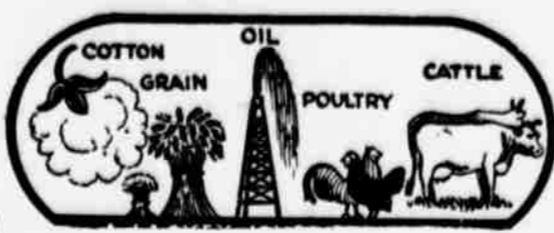
Goup BOY'S T-SHIRTS Values to \$1.98 75c

Extra Special! MEN'S KHAKIS Type IV Pants and Shirts. Army Twill Regular \$6.69 Through Saturday \$1.99 Cramerton Cloth Khakis \$3.98 each

Boy's SPORT SHIRTS Values to \$1.98 \$1.59 2 for \$3.00

Men's WORK SHIRTS Blue Chambray — Sizes 14 to 16 \$1.00

# THE HASKELL FREE PRESS



SIXTY-SEVEN

HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1953

NUMBER 29

Dollar Day July 21 Means Extra Values For The Economy Minded

## Dollar Day

ONE DAY ONLY, JULY 21

### EXTRA SPECIAL

**\$ DAY**

ONE LARGE TABLE OF SHOES

**\$1<sup>00</sup> Per Pair**

Warren's Booterie

EAST SIDE OF SQUARE, HASKELL

### Haskell Stores Feature Biggest Bargains Of the Year for One-Day Sales Event

Tuesday, July 21 will be a red-letter day for thrifty shoppers in the Haskell trade territory.

On this date, merchants cooperating in Haskell's monthly Dollar Day will offer some of the biggest bargains in years for the mid-summer sales event.

The special low prices will be in effect for the one day only. The savings offered will make it profitable to anticipate family needs for months ahead and buy at reduced prices on Dollar Day. Shoppers who check the Dollar Day advertisements in this section of The Free Press will find wide selection of items—in fact, almost every article handled in retail stores will be available at special prices on this day.

In addition to the reduced prices listed in the advertisements, many other items at attractive prices will be found when you visit the stores.

A partial list of the bargains offered for Dollar Day in various Haskell stores include the following:

Neely Dry Goods feature a number of outstanding bargains. These include Garza Sheets at \$1.98, Turkish Towels at 49c, first quality Berkshire hose \$1.00, men's khaki pants \$2.49, men's sport shirts \$1.69, and other items. The C&B Store on the east side offer ladies sandals at \$1.98 and \$2.49, ladies straw bags and belts at half price, one group ladies shoes \$2.98, boys T shirts 89c and many other bargains including a sale on ladies dresses.

Frazier's Radio & Record Shop will sell 78 or 45 rpm records for only 69c, and will allow 30 per cent off on a large selection of long play records and 45 rpm albums. They also invite you to see the new Zig Zag sewing machine.

Hassen's will feature one rack of ladies summer dresses, values up to \$16.95 at \$5.00, summer millinery \$1 to \$2, Pequot contour sheets at \$2.98, nylon hose 2 pairs for \$1.00, print dresses at \$1.49 and numerous other bargains.

Lane-Felker offers ladies skirts, blouses and shorts at 1-3 off regular price, purses at half price, dresses and swim suits at 1-4 off regular price, hats \$3.99 and \$7.50. In the men's department, dress shirts at \$2.25, western shirts at \$3.95, short sleeve sport shirts \$1.49, big reductions on men's summer suits, and other bargains.

Warren's Booterie has grouped one large table of shoes at \$1.00 as their feature attraction on Dollar Day. Other attractive bargains will be found in the store.

The Personality Shoppe has marked one-third and one-half off regular prices for two special groups of dresses, and has marked down another lot of dresses to \$5 and \$10, entire stock of summer skirts at \$3 and \$5, and many other specially priced items.

Perkins-Timberlake offers a wide selection of specially priced items for Dollar Day, including entire stock of women's summer bags at \$1.00 and \$1.88, costume jewelry 50c or 2 for \$1.00, ironing board pad and cover set \$1.00, piece goods 2 yards for \$1.00, two special groups dresses at \$5 and \$8.88 and cotton dresses at \$1.98, men's denim pants at \$2.98 and other bargains.

W. A. Lyles, Jeweler, will sell crystal tumblers 4 for \$1.50, crystal dessert dishes 4 for \$1.50, gold band crystal \$6 for 5-piece place setting and many other bargains, including a special \$1.00 Table.

The Fair Store offer a large selection of merchandise at big reductions, including men's nylon sport shirts \$3.49, ladies sandals \$2.98, 44 inch Tissue Chambray \$1.17 yard, all ladies summer dresses at half price, boys blue jeans \$1.89 and many other bargains.

Cofield's Shop on the southeast corner of the square has marked down children's dresses to half price, infants sun suits at 50c, nylon gloves \$1.00, ladies and children's hats \$1.00, and have many other attractive values.

Sherman Floor Company offer real bargains from their stocks. They will sell paint thinner at 30c pint, linseed oil at 55c pint, horn paste wood filler at 89c quart, and many other items.

The Hub will feature one rack ladies dresses at half price, a "pot luck" table of \$1.00 items, ladies and children's Strollers at \$1.00, men's dress straws \$1.00, and numerous other bargains.

Wheatley's on the north side of the square will sell men's slacks at \$2.98 and \$3.98, one lot work straws at 50c, sport shirts \$1.99, men's hose 3 pairs for \$1.00, dress straws \$1.69 and \$2.50, and also will feature an extra table of \$1.00 items.

## DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

### Dresses

Included in this group are a few dark sheers that will wear into fall. Regular and Junior sizes. \$14.95 to \$34.95 values—

**\$ Day 1/3 Off**

### Dresses

This group includes many styles that were formerly 1-3 Off. Values from \$10.95 up—

**\$ Day 1/2 Price**

### Dresses

Regular and Junior sizes. Select your early—

**\$5 and \$10**

Shorts and Cotton T Shirts

\$3.95 val. \$2 \$2.95 val. \$1

### Blouses

A nice selection Cottons, Linens, Crepes, Batiste—with or without sleeves. \$3.95 through \$10.95 values—

**\$1.00 \$3.00 \$5.00**

Don't Miss These Bargains

### Skirts

Entire Summer Stock. Values through \$10.95

**\$3 and \$5**

### Lingerie

Cotton Half Slips **\$1.19**

Regular \$2.98

PLISSE SHORTY PAJAMAS

Regular \$4.95 **\$2.98**

For.....

Regular \$3.95 **\$1.98**

For.....

THE PERSONALITY SHOPPE

SMART WEAR FOR WOMEN

## DOLLAR DAY

Dollar Day Specials for Tuesday, July 21, One Day Only

### Dresses

One rack of sheer Summer Dresses, all sizes, values up to \$6.95. Close out price for only **\$5.00**

Four regular stock of nationally advertised brands of Ladies, and Childrens Dresses for Dollar Day **1/4 Off**

### Summer Millinery

All Ladies Summer Hats, Special for Dollar Day **\$1 and \$2**

### Nylon Hose

Special purchase of Nylon Hose, slightly irregular. 2 Pair for **\$1.00**

Best quality Pequot Contour Sheets. Regular price \$3.50. Special for Dollar Day **\$2.98**

### Print Dresses

Best quality Ladies House Dresses. Fast color. Regular price \$2.98. Special for Dollar Day, only **\$1.49**

### Bed Spreads

Extra 100 Crinkle Bed Spreads, Special for Dollar Day, only **\$1.98**

### Summer Shoes

All Ladies and Children's Summer Shoes, for Dollar Day **1/3 Off**

### Nylon Sox

New shipment of Men's Nylon Sox, light fancy, Special for Dollar Day **3 pair for \$1.00**

### Work Shirts

Good quality Blue Work Shirts, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, for Dollar Day **\$1.19**

Boys and Misses Shorts **1/3 Off** Girls Bathing Suits For Dollar Day **1/3 Off**

### Piece Goods

Sheer Pucker Cotton, 65c yd. Pique in all colors 79c yd. 98c value, for \$ Day

All Summer Skirts to close out at **1/3 Off**

## HASSEN'S

SHOP WITH CONFIDENCE AND COMFORT

## \$ Day Specials

Extra Special For \$ Day Only

### Dress Straws

Regular \$3.95 **\$2.50**

Special.....

Regular \$2.98 **\$1.69**

and \$2.50, Special

### Boys

**Western Straws**

Gold, Blue, Aqua, Wine All sizes. Regular \$2.98 **\$1.98**

Regular **\$1.69**

\$2.50

### Western Shirts

Regular \$4.95 **\$3.95**

to \$7.50 **\$2.98**

Regular \$4.50 **\$2.98**

to \$5.95

### ONE LOT

### Work Straws

**50c**

EXTRA VALUE TABLE

Your Choice **\$1.00**

## WHEATLEY'S

NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE



TUESDAY ONLY—JULY 21

Men's Nylon Sport Shirts

**\$3.49**

Ladies Print Dresses

Regular \$3.95

**\$2.49**

Ladies Sandals

**\$2.69**

Springknight Broadcloth

All colors. Regular 79c yard

**2 yds. \$1.00**

44 Inch Tissue Chambray

All Colors **\$1.17 yard**

Chenille Bedspreads

All colors. Regular \$6.95 value

**\$4.97**

Boys Blue Jeans

**\$1.89**

Men's Dress Shirts

**\$1.89**

ALL OF OUR Ladies Summer Dresses

**1/2 Price**

LADIES MOJUD

Nylon Half Slips

**\$2.49**

## The Fair Store

Phone 471

Haskell, Texas

# BIG \$ DAY

TUESDAY ONLY, JULY 21

Crystal Tumblers, \$1.75 each,  
4 for **\$1.50**

Crystal Dessert Dishes, \$1.75 each,  
4 for **\$1.50**

3-Piece Crystal Salad Set,  
\$7.00 value for **\$2.50**

**GOLD BAND CRYSTAL**  
6-Piece Place Setting,  
\$23.75 value for **\$6.00**

**SILVER**  
1 Service of 8 in Chest, nationally advertised Silver. 53 piece set \$49.75. for Dollar Day **\$21.75**

One 62-Piece Set Service for 8 in a Chest, \$94.00 value for **\$37.50**

Table of Costume Jewelry on Special

• Also A Dollar Table •

**W. A. LYLES, Jeweler**  
East Side of Square Haskell, Texas

## News From Sagerton

BY MRS. DELBERT LE FEVRE

A group of young people from St. Paul's Lutheran Church went to the convention of the Texas District of Luther Leagues in Houston Wednesday of this week. The group included Jerry Thane, Jerry Lee Kainer, Herbert Lammer, Margie Lehmann and Lois Knippling. They will return Monday July 20.

Miss Dahlia Knippling, teacher in Rule High School, is attending summer school at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Marvin Stegemoller, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoller attended the Lone Star Walter Convention in Lubbock. He was representative of the Zion Lutheran Church here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Muegge and children of Haskell visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinaat Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinaat and children went to Abilene Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Humphreys and sons.

The Ladies Missionary League of the Zion Lutheran Church met in the parish hall Thursday, July 9 for a regular meeting with Mrs. C. E. Stegemoller as hostess. Roland Stegemoller of Slaton brought his grandmother, Mrs. F. W. Stegemoller here last week to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stegemoller. Mrs. Stegemoller has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Will Neinaat at Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis and children of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. Anton Tichelman and daughters last week end and also other friends in this community.

Miss Dahlia Knippling celebrated her birthday Monday, July 6 in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knippling. Games and refreshments were enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schanke, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Helm and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoller and Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck and children, (Rev. and Mrs. Rudy Wendel, Margie, James and Sara Lehmann and the host and hostess, the honoree and her sisters, Lois and Dorothy).

The Daily Vacation Bible School at St. Paul's Lutheran Church began Monday morning, July 13 at 8:00. It will run for two weeks and classes will be from 8:00 to 11:00 Monday through Friday. Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp, Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck, Miss Marva Ruth Wendeborn, Mrs. Anton Tichelman and Margie Lehmann and the following girls are helpers. Doris Franke, Jeanette Helm, Lois Knippling, Gloria Lammer and

Mrs. Ben Mueller. They are under the direction of Rev. Rudy Wendel and Miss Dorothy Knippling is the recreation leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strickland of Anadarko, Okla., visited relatives in Sagerton Saturday.

L. C. Hess, twin brother of Ben Hess of Mercury, Texas, is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hess. They are identical twins and most people in Sagerton cannot tell them apart.

Mrs. Lillian Fleckenstien and Miss Mary Bredthauer of Caldwell and Mrs. Glenn Norton and Sharon Ann Goodson of Kansas City, Mo. visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bredthauer, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck and children last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Sharon Elaine Richards, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clements Richards, was baptized at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Rudy Wendel. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Okey Richards of the Eriskdahl community and Mrs. Walter Wendeborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Flaughter of Borger, Mrs. Mary Hess and son and Mrs. J. M. Reising of Midland have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Hess. Mrs. Reising is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Hess, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Sager of Chillicothe, Mr. and Mrs. Blount Hoskins of Tahoka, Mrs. J. W. Martin, Mrs. Chas. Conner, and Miss Fannie Kay of Haskell and Mrs. H. Whited of Carlsbad, N. M. were here for the funeral services for Mrs. Anna Hankins, who was a resident of this community for more than 50 years before her death at her home July 9. They are all former residents of Sagerton except Mr. and Mrs. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Sager, who are children of Mrs. Freg Sager, for whom Sagerton was named. There were many other friends from Stamford and the surrounding communities here also. Mr. and Mrs. Don Hankins from California, Mr. and Mrs. John Hankins of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gay of Stamford and their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Flowers and Mrs. George Hankins of Pampa handle were the immediate survivors that were here. Another son, Dick, lived here with his mother.

Mrs. Whited of Carlsbad, N. M., visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lusk.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton went to Stephenville Sunday for the funeral of Mrs. Benton's brother-in-law. They also visited with old friends near there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glenn and daughters of Houston are visiting Mrs. Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spitzer. She is the former Mayme Spitzer. Other guests in the Spitzer home were Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Spitzer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Spitzer of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rueffer and family of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Spitzer and Vicki of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Spitzer and Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Laughlin and family of Sagerton.

19. Sermon topic, "The Way To Heaven." Radio topic, 12:45 p. m., "The Blood."  
July 26th — Morning sermon topic, "Why Every Man Should Be a Christian." Radio topic, "Why I Am a Christian Only." Evening sermon topic, "Life is a

Look."  
**VISITS IN MIDLAND**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Merchant of this city and Mrs. Louise Merchant of Weinert visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Oscie Renfrow and son in Midland.

## CITY-WIDE DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

TUESDAY, JULY 21

Purrey Blanket Lay-A-Way Sale  
**\$1.00** Down will hold your choice of Nine colors to choose from.

Visit Our "Pot Luck" Table — **\$1**  
ALL ITEMS

1 Rack of Ladies Dresses **1/2** Price  
Good Selection

Childrens Bathing Trunks **\$1.00**

Ladies and Children's "STROLLERS" — Pair **\$1.00**  
By U. S. Rubber Co.  
Just A Few Left—Out They Go!

Men's Dress Straws — **\$1.00**  
While They Last—

All These Are "Hot" Items

## THE HUB



## RECORD SALE

Your Choice Any Speed  
**78 or 45 RPM RECORD**  
Regular 89c Record  
\$ Day Only  
**69c each**

Large Selection of Long Play Records and 45 RPM Albums  
At **30% Off**

We will allow up to \$100 Trade

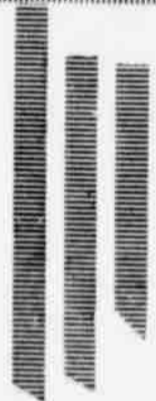
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## NEW RCA ROOM AIR CONDITIONER

See the New Zig-Zag Sewing Machine on Display.

**FRAZIER'S**  
RADIO & RECORD SHOP  
HASKELL, TEXAS

## Our Appreciation



We wish to extend our thanks and sincere appreciation to the people of the Haskell trade area for your patronage throughout the past year. It has been a pleasure to serve each and every one of you and we have tried to make our service satisfactory so you will want to come by and trade again with us.

Once again we say THANKS—and invite you to stop by our station for satisfactory service.

**Henderson Service Station**  
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### Christian Church Radio Sermon Time Changed

The Radio program "New Testament on the Air," has been changed from 1:30 p. m. to 12:45 p. m., Sunday, according to Minister John Barry of the Christian Church and preacher for the program.  
Glen Kreger will preach July

### Renderers Hurt; Farmers Face Unpleasant Task

Low prices on hides and non-edible grease have dealt many of the nation's rendering plants a mortal blow. But the biggest blow of all may be struck at the farmer. Should these rendering plants close, he is faced with an unpleasant task to perform. In the past, he has been able to have his dead stock removed free-of-charge by a rendering plant. Without rendering service he would have to either bury or burn the carcass himself within 24 hours of the animal's death, as required by most state laws.

Fortunately, the farmers in this area can still rely on Central Hide & Rendering Company. However, this company also is feeling the pinch, as evidenced by this recent announcement by Mr. Frank Bass, Vice President and Abilene Plant Manager:

"It has been necessary for Central Hide & Rendering Company, to cut expenses because of the depressed market in hides and non-edible grease. In order to do this the following changes in policy are being made:

"1. There will be a nominal fee for each trip to the farm for dead stock.

"2. We will not be able to accept COLLECT telephone calls regarding animals. (This call will cost you 37c or less and if accepted by Central Hide & Rendering Company, it costs us .74c).

"It would seem that the considerable time and labor saved by the farmer in having the rendering plant handle his dead stock will more than make up for the small expense to him for this service."

# DOLLAR DAY

One Day Only—Tuesday, July 21

## LADIES DEPARTMENT

- SKIRTS - - - - - **1/3** Off  
Linen, Cottons, Denims
- BLOUSES - - - - - **1/3** Off
- SWIM SUITS - - - - - **1/4** Off
- DRESSES - - - - - **1/4** Off  
Included are Summer Dresses priced from \$7.95 up
- PURSES - - - - - **1/2** Price
- TEE SHIRTS - - - - - **\$2.50**  
Regular \$3.95
- SHORTS - - - - - **1/3** Off
- HATS —  
Values to \$19.95 **\$7.50**  
Values to \$8.95 **\$3.99**

## MEN'S DEPARTMENT

- WESTERN SHIRTS - - **\$3.95**  
Values to \$6.95
- DRESS SHIRTS - - - **\$2.25**  
White Novelty Mesh. Reg. \$3.95
- ALL SUMMER SLACKS **25% Off**
- SPORT SHIRTS - - - - **\$1.49**  
Regular \$3.95 and \$4.95
- SUMMER SHOES—All Nylon Mesh  
\$16.95 values **\$11.75**  
\$12.95 value **\$8.75**  
\$11.95 values **\$7.75**

- STRAW HATS—  
All Reduced To - - **1/2** Price
- SUITS—  
Wool Tropical Suits, values to \$79.50 **\$49.50**  
All Wool Tropical Suits, were \$55.00. Sale Price **\$34.95**  
Rayon Tropical Suits, regular \$39.50. Sale Price **\$24.95**

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# Scouts, Three Adult Leaders From Leave For National Jamboree

W. M. OVERTON, Scoutmaster of the Haskell Scout Council, and three other adult leaders will leave for the National Jamboree in California today. The jamboree will be held at the Naval Base at San Diego.

Going to and from the Jamboree, the Scouts take Greyline tours of San Francisco and Salt Lake City and swim in Great Salt Lake. They also visit Grand Canyon and the Naval Base at San Diego.

The Scouts will ride an air conditioned train to the Jamboree. The Texas and Pacific Railway Co. will furnish the coaches and baggage cars while diners will be furnished by other rail lines along the route.

Irvine Ranch, site of the Jamboree, steeped with tradition of the pioneer spirit that built up the far west, is about 40 miles southeast of Los Angeles. It is one of the few remaining old land holdings in Southern California that began in the old land grant system of the Spanish-Mexican days. The owners of the ranch, the Irvine Company, of which Myford Irvine is president, is lending the use of the 3,000-acre tract to the Boy Scouts for the Jamboree.

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS" By C. WILSON HARDER

Most any day it may be proposed in Congress to:

1. Repeal child labor law.
2. Repeal Food and Drug Act.
3. Repeal Minimum Wage Law.
4. Repeal Social Security Act.

However, whoever makes the proposal will not expect favorable Congressional action. The proposal will be made to focus attention on the battle over the attempt to repeal U. S. tariff laws.

In this fight to abolish tariff protection under the British-earned slogan "Trade, Not Aid", starchy-eyed idealists are again being made dupes.

Idealists claim world trade should be free. Yet they fail to recognize, largely because they never have had to meet a payroll, that the ideal of free trade cannot exist where partners in commerce operate on different internal levels.

In order for independent American business and agriculture to compete, it would be necessary to operate on the same basis as competition.

This would require abolition of all laws prohibiting exploitation of men, women and children and of all sanitary laws.

But idealists, heads high in the clouds, do not see these details.

And with cloud wrapped heads they also fail to see real power behind the drive to repeal U. S. tariff laws.

But there are practical men studying the situation. For example, Congressman James B. Utter (Calif.) recognizing the wolf in Granny's bed, has released significant figures.

He finds that just four U. S. firms have a total of 365 subsidiaries in foreign countries, some in nations where the yearly wages are less than \$100.

Heads of some of these four firms have been loudly active on behalf of "free trade".

But free trade to them would only mean freedom to flood U. S. market with products of their foreign plants, underselling domestic producers and still making bigger profits than on their American production.

Congressman Utter also states under guise of "Reciprocal Trade Treaties" tariff protection is so badly breached, entire U. S. economy is on the brink of disaster with full return of buyers' market.

He claims American imports have increased 50% in volume, 50% in dollar value, while tariff duties have slipped from an average of 50% to 12%.

During sellers' market, U. S. has not been badly hurt, but with the return of full buyers' market, he predicts disaster.

Significantly, even though American imports are several times prewar level, a free trade condition has not prevailed.

In free trade, a nation's imports and exports should balance.

But while true American post-war exports have been at a high level, a major share of them, over 30 billions worth, has been free gifts. Or, as one Washington observer states it: "We have actually been experimenting with free trade, but with the result nothing has been free but U. S. taxpayers' dollars."



C. W. Harder

## Haskell Geologist With Lion Oil Co. In Wichita Falls

District offices of Lion Oil Company have been moved from Amarillo to Wichita Falls, and a Haskell geologist, Billy Clifton, was among the three geologists transferred to the Wichita Falls office. He has been with the company several years, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Clifton of this city.

The Wichita Falls district will embrace the company's activities not only in this immediate district but also in the Texas Panhandle, Northeast New Mexico, the Oklahoma Panhandle, and southwest Oklahoma. Fifty Texas counties are included in the Wichita Falls district.

The moves presage probable greater activity of Lion Oil in the Wichita Falls area in exploratory and production fields.

## Cotton Loss From Insects Down In 1952

Insect damage to cotton in 1952 was \$100 million less than in 1951 and lowest since 1948, the National Cotton Council reports in a new estimate of pest losses throughout the Cotton Belt.

Value of cotton and cottonseed lost to all insects amounted to \$289,768,000, according to the Council estimate based on final

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# DOLLAR DAY

- Boys' Sandals  
Reduced To  
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- Men's Sandals  
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- Boys' Shoes  
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Price

<b>Boys' Shirts</b>		
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Sizes 2-12		
\$1.98 values	1.29	
Sizes 10 to 20		
<b>Boys' T Shirts</b>		
Values to \$1.98		
Sizes 6-18	89¢	
Special		
<b>Men's Shirts</b>		
\$2.95 values.		
Short sleeves. Size	1.69	
S-M. Special		
<b>Men's Straw Hats</b>		
\$8.50 value	\$5.95	
\$3.98 value	\$2.29	
\$2.98 value	\$1.98	
\$1.98 value	\$1.29	
Work Straws	75¢ up	

## Summer Sale Continues

- For you wear a misses' size, junior size or a woman's size, be sure to find a bargain! Cottons, dark sheers, silk shantungs, etc.
- Blouses to \$21.95 ..... \$10.00
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- Special Group ..... \$ 5.95
- Special Group ..... \$ 5.00
- REDUCED—Summer Blouses, Skirts, Swim Suits, etc.

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## High School Graduates Now Eligible For Aviation Cadet Training

Continuing needs of the Air Force's Aviation Cadet Training program have effected a change in eligibility requirements that now permit high school graduates to apply for the Aircraft Observer phase of aviation cadet training. Capt. Alden C. Clark of Aviation Cadet Selection Team No. 207, Webb Air Force Base, Big Spring, said today.

The Air Force flying training program is divided into two phases, Pilot and Aircraft Observer; and previously, two years of college were required of both type applicants. An immediate, critical need for applicants for Aircraft Observer training has brought about a reduction in educational requirements.

Training time is from 54 to 62 weeks, and upon graduation, cadets are commissioned Second Lieutenants in the United States Air Force Reserve. Such officers are required to serve a three year tour of active duty, and are paid \$438.58 monthly and \$455.68 if married.

Aircraft Observers function as members of Aircrew Teams in such capacities as Bombardiers, Navigator, Electronics Countermeasure Officer, Aircraft Performance Engineer Officer, Bomber Defense Officer, Photographic Reconnaissance Navigator, and Intercept Radar Observer.

Capt. Clark also stated that it does not take a "superman" to fly in the supersonic aircraft of today's "jet" age. Any normal young man who meets the qualifications stated below and who likes to fly can progress through both the academic and flying phases of training now given in the cadet program.

To qualify for aviation cadet training an applicant must be between the ages of 19 and 28, be an unmarried male citizen of the United States, be of high moral character and successfully pass a mental test and a series of aircrew tests to determine his flying suitability. High school graduates are acceptable for Aircraft Observer training.

Complete and detailed information regarding the Air Force Aviation Cadet Program may be obtained by writing the Aviation Cadet Selection Team, Webb Air Force Base, Big Spring, Texas.

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| Size 1 to 14               |           |
| Seersucker, Regular \$2.98 |           |
| Diaper Set - - - - -       | \$1.98    |
| Infants                    |           |
| Sun Suits - - - - -        | 50¢       |
| Nylon                      |           |
| Gloves, \$ Day -           | \$1.00    |
| Summer Bags -              | \$1.00    |
| Birdseye                   |           |
| Diapers - - Doz.           | \$2.49    |
| For \$ Day—Boys            |           |
| Nylon Shirts - -           | \$1.98    |
| Ladies and Childrens       |           |
| Hats - - - - -             | \$1.00    |
| T - Shirts - - - - -       | \$1.00    |
| Size 1 to 16               |           |

## Cofield's Shop

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## 1953 Studebaker receives Fashion Academy Award

The directors of Fashion Academy, noted New York school of fashion design, have named the 1953 Studebaker outstanding in smartness and styling.

This is more than a gratifying recognition of the talents of Studebaker designers.

It is also an endorsement of the unerring good taste of millions of Americans who consider the 1953 Studebaker the best looking automobile ever built.

You are seeing more and more of your friends and neighbors proudly driving new Studebaker Commander V-8s and Champions every day now.

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Close Out—Two Prices  
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These are values to \$10.95  
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**Florsheim Summer SHOES**  
**\$12.95**

**ONE TABLE SHOES**  
These are Jarman Shoes values to \$10.00  
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**Cotton SPORT SHIRTS**  
These are \$3.95 Shirts. July Sale—  
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**PANTS**  
Men's Khaki Pants. Most all sizes. 29 to 44. Tuesday special—  
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**SHIRTS**  
1 lot Men's Van Heusen Sport Shirts. \$2.95 value—  
**\$1.98**  
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## Rule, Paint Creek 4-H Club Girls Are Winners In Two State Contest Divisions

Haskell County was well represented among the winners in the 1953 State 4-H Club contests. There were 17 contests, with more than 1200 individuals entered. Out of these 17 contests, Marlene Crofford of Rule was the first place winner in the vegetable contest; Emilee Griffith of Paint Creek was the first place winner in the Individual Dairy Food contest.

These 1200 boys and girls had been winners in district contests earlier in the year. They competed in judging and demonstration contests covering various phases of agriculture and home economics. Marlene and Emilee were winners in their respective contests at the District III 4-H Recognition Day held at Midwestern University in May. The awards for the district contests were expense paid trips to the state contests given by the City National Bank in Wichita Falls.

Marlene Crofford is a 16-year-old senior in Rule High School and is the daughter of Walter Crofford. She has been a 4-H Club member for 6 years and has completed demonstrations in clothing, food selection and preparation, food production, food preservation and home improvement. Marlene was the 1952 State Dairy Food winner and received a wrist watch as the award. She has received many 4-H honors such as gold star award, achievement award, medals for clothing and foods work and county leadership medals. Her most recent award for being the 1953 State vegetable contest winner is an all expense paid trip for her and her agent, Miss Thelma Wirges, to the National Vegetable Growers Association meeting in Tulsa, Okla. They will make the trip through the courtesy of the Sears, Roebuck Foundation in December. Marlene will then compete in the National contest.

## Pvt. H. F. Langford With Army Forces In Alaska

With U. S. Forces in Alaska—Pvt. Harley F. Langford, whose wife, Wanda, lives at 905 N. 4th St., Haskell, recently arrived in Alaska for duty at Fort Richardson.

Private Langford, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Langford, Route 4, Abilene, entered the Army in January, 1953 and was last stationed at Ford Ord, Calif.

In civilian life he was a miner with the Castle Copper Co., Globe, Ariz.

Army units in Alaska receive intensive field training while providing security for the northern approaches to Canada and the United States.

Emilee Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Griffith, is a 15 year old student of Paint Creek High school. She has completed 5 years of club work and demonstrations in food production, preparation, selection and service, clothing and home improvement. She has received county clothing and foods awards in the past. Emilee will receive a 17 jewel watch from the Carnation Milk Company for being the state winner in the Individual Dairy Food Contest.

## Fathers Subject To Draft Under New Directive

President Eisenhower made fathers subject to the draft unless they can prove fatherhood before Aug. 25, 1953, or show "extreme hardship and privation."

Men already deferred as fathers are not affected.

Eisenhower's order, amending draft regulations, permits men deferred on dependency grounds to retain that status as long as they maintain "a bona fide family relationship in their home."

But a selective service registrant not deferred for fatherhood can not claim exemption on that basis unless he can prove, before Aug. 25, that he is a father or that his wife is pregnant.

A White House statement accompanying the directive said it is designed "to correct a serious inequity."

Under selective service rules heretofore, it said, men temporarily deferred as students, farm workers, or for other reasons "have been able to gain virtually permanent exemption by acquiring dependents during the period of their initial temporary deferment."

"Such additional deferment, of course, constitutes a grave injustice," the statement said, adding: "One effect of the present practice . . . has been the calling up for duty of many younger registrants earlier than they normally would have been called in order to fill monthly military quotas."

**VISITS GRANDPARENTS**  
GM 3-c Clement Merchant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Merchant of Canyon, who is stationed at USS Stickwell, DDR 888, Long Beach, Calif., visited last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merchant in this city.

**HERE FROM WICHITA FALLS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Clifton and son, Ricky, of Wichita Falls spent the week end in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Clifton.

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## SCS Men Make Tour Of Mill Iron Ranch Near Childress

Albert Jordan and Charles Hewitt of the Soil Conservation Service and Albert Thane, Angus Breeder and district supervisor of the California Creek District went to a meeting of the American Society of range management held on the Mill Iron Ranch, north of Childress recently.

After starting from the Childress Hotel, with over a hundred ranchers, farmers and technical men interested in grasses and grass management, the group went by the Mill Iron sale pens and on out to the Estelline Ranch to look over range conditions due to the dry weather and also plantings of blue panic grasses. The Estelline Ranch covers 72,000 acres and is the largest of three ranches that compose the 130,000 acre Mill Iron Ranch.

The Mill Iron Ranches have done outstanding work in the use of blue panic grasses. Work started about 7 years ago and it has progressed up to the point where there are 10,000 acres planted on the ranches. Mill Iron Ranches have experimented in the use of blue panic in conjunction with regular pasture grazing. They found that blue panic does best in deep soil and they have planted most of their grasses in bottoms and valleys between the many hills that make up the ranches. This year blue panic has more than paid its way in the furnishing of adequate vitamin A to maintain their high percentage of calf crop. According to C. J. Hughes, son of the owner and in charge of keeping registration papers on the ranches, Mill Iron has over 100% calf crop over the past 10 years and they attribute this to adequate forage and plenty of vitamin A. The stocking rate is 30 acres per mother cow and bulls are run year around with the cows at the rate of 1 bull to 50 cows.

During the noon stop E. R. Monson, grass and pasture manager for the ranches gave a talk and answered questions on blue panic grass planting and forage value. Other men of the ranch gave short talks and answered questions on the ranch operations, and they were I. L. Sealander, in charge of soil conservation on the ranches, and C. J. Hughes in charge of records on the ranch.

## Most Accidents In And Around Water Can Be Prevented

No one ever goes for a swim on participates in water sports with the idea in mind of becoming an accident victim. Water sports can provide relief from the heat and pleasure to the participants if the rules of water are observed. Ignoring these rules on the other hand, can result in crippling injuries or death, says E. C. Martin, agricultural leader for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and secretary of the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety committee.

Martin says the number of drownings is in proportion to the care that is exercised by those who participate in water sports. He points out that if the seven cardinal water safety rules are followed closely, water accidents can be greatly reduced.

Here are the safety rules. Never swim alone or in unfamiliar water. Don't try to swim long distances, especially in cold water, unless followed by at least two people in a boat. Never dive into water until you are sure that no under-water obstructions are present. Don't go into the water for at least one hour after eating and don't stay in water after you have become tired.

Martin adds that the careful water sportsman never takes a chance with a small boat in rough water. Last but not least in importance, the safety leader cautions against moving around or "cutting-up" when out in a small boat. Entire groups, he says, have drowned as the result of a careless act on the part of just one member of a boating party.

Don't ruin your picnic, summer camp or vacation, warns Martin, by forgetting even for a moment that water sports can be dangerous.

## DOLLAR DAY NOTES

- For \$ Day—Reg. \$1.25  
Horn Paste Wood Filler -----
- Horn Cement Wax, reg. \$1.29 Colored
- For \$ Day—Reg. 79c  
Horn Paste Wax (natural)
- Fatigue Mats (colors) -- \$2.00  
Regular \$3.49
- Paint Thinner ----- Pts.
- For \$ Day  
Linseed Oil ----- Pts.
- Tub and Crack Sealer, tube
- Water Putty, 1 lb.
- Caulking Compound, tube
- Liquid Porcelain
- Linoleum Paste, qt.
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\$5.95 value **\$3.88**  
\$3.98 value **\$2.88**  
\$3.50 value **\$2.48**

Women's Cotton Skirts  
\$5.95 value **\$3.88**  
\$3.98 value **\$2.88**  
\$2.98 value **\$1.88**

Puckered Nylon  
Regular \$1.79  
**\$1.29 yd.**

Men's Summer Shoes  
Nylon mesh, \$11.95 value  
**\$8.88**

Men's Denim Pants  
Regular \$3.98  
**\$2.98**  
Boys \$1.00

Men's Sport Shirts  
Values to \$3.98  
**\$1.98**

Men's Sport Shirts  
Values to \$2.98  
**\$1.59**

Men's Dress Straps  
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**\$1.88**  
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