

Christmas Lights Will Signal Opening of Holiday Season

Lights decorating the business section square will be turned on Saturday evening, Dec. 3 to mark the Christmas holiday season.

Efforts to usher in the season will be Santa Claus, who will visit homes and check on the Christmas merchandise. Santa Claus will also be the loud speaker at the program.

Display windows of stores will be unveiled at annual awards of the Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the program.

Trimmings of beef, veal and venison together with the Trinity Lutheran choir will be featured in the Christmas service.

Christmas service will be held at the Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday, Dec. 13.

Lutheran to Sponsor Christmas Service

Trinity Lutheran Church

Indians Lose To Albany, 12-0, To Close Football Season With 4-1-1 Record

The Haskell Indians closed the 1953 season Friday short of their pre-season goal of the 8-A flag, but with a creditable 4-1-1 record in conference play and the No. 2 spot in district standings.

In a pre-game ceremony, Lena Mae Rueffer was crowned football sweetheart by Manuel Mullins, co-captain of the Indian squad.

Paint Creek Pirates Come From Behind To Defeat Jayton 58-54 In Bi-District

After trailing from midway in the first period, through three quarters, the Paint Creek Pirates rallied behind a backfield speedster, Kenneth Howard to rack up three touchdowns in the final period in defeating the Jayton Jaybirds 58-54 on Indian Field Thursday night for the bi-district 6-man title in Districts 3 and 4-B.

The win was costly to the Pirates in injuries, with Bobbie Taylor, Paint Creek quarterback, suffering a fractured shoulder blade in the second quarter which will keep him out of play in the regional contest.

Haskell Airman Flying From Korea To Dad's Bedside

A-1 Charles D. Forehand is flying home from Korea to be with his father, G. H. Forehand who is seriously ill in the Haskell Hospital.

Steers Defeat Rule for 8-B Play Bronte at Ballinger Friday

Halfback Charles Gibson thrilled Rule fans when he ripped over a 35-yard end sweep to knot the count in the second quarter, and then Quarterback Victor Trammell sneaked over for the extra point to put Rule in front, 7 to 6.

Story of Haskell County In Sunday's Star-Telegram

The story of Haskell County, its resources of cotton, livestock, oil and bountiful water supply will be featured in a full page of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Sunday, Nov. 29.

mobile accident two hours before game time. Quarterback Bill Booker and Fullback Albert Burton were the power of the Lions squad, with Booker scoring both touchdowns, in the first and third quarters.

Dr. Bailey Collins To Show Travelog At Baptist Church

Dr. Bailey R. Collins, prominent Wichita Falls physician and a native of Haskell, will present pictures in colored film and a description of the Holy Land, at the First Baptist Church in this city, Friday evening, Dec. 4, at 7:30 p. m.

Rites Held Friday At Weinert For Mrs. H. A. Marsh

Funeral services for Mrs. H. A. Marsh of Weinert were held at the Methodist Church in this city at 3 p. m. Friday, the Rev. C. C. Lamb, pastor of the church, and the Rev. Temple Lewis, pastor of the Weinert Baptist Church, officiated at the rites.

Mrs. Marsh was married Aug. 20, 1919, to H. A. Marsh of Whitesboro in Grayson County. The family came to Haskell County from Ellis County in 1925.

Lucky, Center Point, and Josslet H-D Clubs Win Achievement Day Awards

Haskell County home demonstration club women met at the American Legion Hall in Rochester Thursday, Nov. 19 for the annual county Achievement Day.

Each club put up an educational exhibit on some demonstration the women had in 1953. These exhibits were judged by Mrs. R. A. Shaver and Mrs. J. G. Vaughter.



DR. BAILEY R. COLLINS

Firemen To Collect Toys For Christmas Distribution

The Haskell Fire Department will sponsor the collection of toys to be distributed to underprivileged children of Haskell and vicinity on Christmas Eve.

Everyone desiring to contribute usable toys of every kind is asked to bring them to the Fire Station at the City Hall, and firemen will repair all usable broken toys, repaint and recondition them so as to make some child happy on Christmas Day.

The toys will be distributed in cooperation with the Goodfellows Christmas program inaugurated by the Haskell Lions Club this week, Fire Chief Ray Lusk announced.

County Cotton Allotment Of 130,000 Acres Expected

Haskell County's cotton allotment under the Government farm program for 1954 is expected to be approximately 130,000 acres, according to an estimate made today by Joe S. Harper, secretary of the county Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation agency.

The allotment represents a drastic reduction from this year's planting of around 200,000 acres to cotton, although it is estimated that drought damage cut the acreage being harvested to between 175,000 and 180,000 acres this year.

Children Invited To Write Letters To Santa Claus

Letters to Santa Claus will be published in the Christmas edition of The Free Press, in keeping with the custom of the past years.

The injured man underwent surgery Tuesday, and reports from the hospital Wednesday morning were to the effect that he was doing as well as can be expected.

Lions to Sponsor Goodfellows Fund For Christmas Season

To guard against the chance that some little stockings might be left hanging empty on Christmas morning, and to provide their owners with a holiday feast of good food to celebrate the Christmas season, a Goodfellows Fund was started Tuesday at a meeting of officers and directors of the Haskell Lions Club.

Club officials voted donations of \$50 to start the fund and are inviting and urging all churches, clubs, organizations and individuals to mail their donations to the Goodfellows, in care of the Chamber of Commerce in order that the Christmas program may include all needy families in Haskell and immediate area.

A committee of citizens to assist with the program will be appointed this week by Harold Spain, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Weinert Methodist Church To Observe Annual Lord's Acre Program Saturday

The fourth annual Lord's Acre Project of the Weinert Methodist Church will come to a close Saturday, Nov. 28, when a Harvest Day program is being planned in celebration.

The Lord's Acre Project was inaugurated in 1950 by the Weinert Church and the idea met with widespread acceptance and resulted in substantial financial return to the church.

Funeral Rites For W. P. Crouch, 76, Held Tuesday

Funeral services for W. P. (Pearl) Crouch, 76, prominent citizen and resident here for the past 45 years, were held at the First Methodist Church Tuesday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. J. B. Thompson, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. H. G. Hammer, Baptist minister of Haskell, and the Rev. J. M. Edge, pastor of the Central Baptist Church in this city.

O. V. Kreger Is Severely Injured In Traffic Accident

O. V. Kreger of this city received critical and near-fatal injuries Friday evening in a traffic accident at the intersection of South First and Avenue H, several blocks west of the square.

The accident was investigated by Deputy Sheriff B. T. Gordon.

Nephew of Haskell Woman Killed In Auto Accident

James W. Watson, 17, of Terry County and a nephew of Mrs. J. E. Walling, Sr., of this city, was killed when his car overturned near Brownfield early Sunday morning.

A companion, Eddie R. Benton, received critical neck and head injuries. Another boy and two girls also in the car were uninjured. The five were thrown from the car when it overturned several times after going out of control.

The accident victim was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watson of Union, Terry County. The family formerly lived at Rule a number of years ago.

Holiday Lights To Be Installed During Week End

Stringing holiday lights and decorations in the business section will get underway this week end, in preparation for opening of the Christmas holiday season in Haskell Thursday, Dec. 3, it was announced today by the Chamber of Commerce.

All Haskell stores will again feature holiday windows that will be judged in several divisions for different types of retail business.

Visits Parents

Miss Wynelle Hellums of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hellums in this city. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. D. Hellums who has been visiting her.

No. 5 Redwine Is New Completion In Sojourner Field

Crown Central Petroleum Corporation has completed its No. 5 Eunice Redwine in the Sojourner Field three miles west of Haskell for a daily potential of 415 barrels of 42 gravity oil.

No. 5 Redwine was completed on a 20-64 inch choke with packer set on the casing and 160 pounds tubing pressure. Having a gas-oil ratio of 726-1, the well is producing from an open hole at 5,182-5,205 feet.

Spotted in the same field was Crown Central No. 1 Norman-Goetz Unit. Site for the 5,300-ft. rotary project is 660 feet from the north and west lines of Section 24, Block 1, H&TC Survey.

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THANKSGIVING

The first Thanksgiving of the Pilgrim Fathers was more than a feast. Above all, it was a day specially set apart for giving thanks. The first cruel winter had been weathered. The first harvest had been reaped. The foothold in the New World had been made secure. True, this took vision, courage and a great deal of plain hard work. But the Pilgrims knew in their hearts that none of their gallant band could have survived without the gracious intervention of Divine Providence. And so, in

all humbleness, they took a day of surcease from their toil to express their deep gratitude to Almighty God. Let us observe this Thanksgiving Day in the spirit of the Pilgrim Fathers. Let us enjoy the feast, of course; the family reunions, the gatherings with friends. But let us not lose sight of the inspiration and true purpose of the occasion: gratefully to give thanks to God for the blessings we have received.

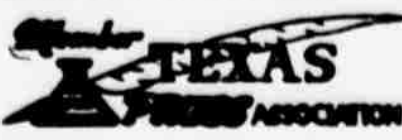
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Blair Justice, staff writer for the Star-Telegram, spent several days in Haskell recently assembling material for the article.

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Haskell County History

29 Years Ago—Nov. 30, 1933
Lee Pierson of San Diego, Calif., is here to spend Thanksgiving with relatives and friends. He will go from Haskell to San Benito to spend the winter.
Miss Florence Shook of Mineral Wells is here this week visiting relatives and friends.
Henry Townsend, city marshal of Rule, died Monday after suffering a sudden heart attack. A longtime resident of Haskell County, he had been city marshal of Rule for ten years or longer.
A drop of over 10,000 bales of

cotton ginned during 1933 compared to 1932 is reported by W. P. Trice, special agent for the Census Bureau. From the 1932 crop, up to Nov. 15, 56,771 bales of cotton were ginned, while only 46,477 bales have been ginned this year to the same date.
A number of teachers in the Haskell city schools are in Austin attending the annual Thanksgiving meeting of teachers in the state. Attending from Haskell are Supt. C. B. Breedlove, L. S. Ramsey, George Wimbish, Mrs. Irene Ballard, Mrs. A. J. Brooks, Miss Alma Sprowls, Miss Donna Davis,

Miss Jessie Vick and Miss Marguerite McCollum.
The sum of \$2,073.60 was paid out to the unemployed in this county last Saturday by the national unemployment relief organization, according to Tom Donohoo, local administrator. He said today there were 22 men now working under the government plan in this county, with more to be added as soon as work projects can be set up. The allotment for Haskell County calls for work projects to furnish employment to 303 men at this time, with provision made for a 10 per cent increase.
Mr. Middleton, an old time Haskell citizen who moved to Canyon a few years ago, was in the city the first of the week visiting friends.

30 Years Ago—Nov. 30, 1923

W. C. McKenzie and Dick Boedeker of the Bunker Hill community believe they have found the wintering place of all rattlesnakes in the Flat Top Mountain region. Sunday afternoon they ran across a number of rattlers near the mouth of a small cave and started in to exterminate them. The two men killed eight rattlers and let four big ones get away.
M. L. Stephens and H. E. Stephens arrived here Saturday from Weatherford. They will teach the Tanner Paint School which will begin the term Monday.
This section is in the grip of another bad spell of weather. A slow drizzling rain which began falling Tuesday changed to snow early Wednesday morning. The snow and rain continued throughout the day, followed with a hard freeze Wednesday night.
H. H. Hallmark of Wichita Falls was here several days last week visiting relatives and friends.
E. W. Andrews who farms east of town holds the record for selling the largest bale of cotton brought to Haskell this season. His bale weighed 700 pounds and was ginned at the Sanders Gin.
A. W. McGregor of Waco was here Friday and Saturday visiting his brother, Chas. McGregor and family, and looking after business interests here.
Miss Kate Woodson, principal of the Sayles school was shopping in Haskell Saturday. She reports her school progressing nicely.
Dr. W. H. Dunn of Rochester plans to move his family to Lamesa, where he has purchased a large residence. He is reported to be planning to establish a sanitarium in Lamesa.
H. L. Smith and family of Eastland were visitors last week in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Smith. R. R. English and Marvis H. Post made a business trip to Dal-

las the first of the week.
50 Years Ago—Nov. 28, 1903
C. R. Peters has moved his barber shop into the back of Carney's Store on the west side of the square.
Wm. Oglesby returned Wednesday from the eastern part of the state, where he disposed of a lot of horses.
Public Weigher W. T. Jones reports having weighed 2,950 bales of cotton up to Friday afternoon. This represents the cotton sold in Haskell. Quite a bit has gone directly to the railroad without being handled through the yard.
Dr. G. H. Beavers of Munday was here this week on business. Lou Lindsey will leave Monday for Merkel, where he expects to make his home.
Mrs. John A. Couch visited her mother in the country a few days this week.
Uncle George Reeves was down from Munday a few days this week.
J. W. Collins was up from Stamford to spend Thanksgiving with his family.
B. F. McCollum accompanied by J. S. Post went to Marlin this week to try the mineral water there for his health.
The schools were dismissed for a holiday Thursday and the pupils enjoyed the day fully. After attending the Thanksgiving service at the courthouse, some of the young lady teachers went with the younger pupils on a red haw hunt, while many of the larger pupils made up independent parties and went to the creeks on similar expeditions.
Jeff Johnson, who sold his farm near Marcy last Spring to seek a fortune in Mexico, has returned to Marcy and has bought the Will Hall place north of the community.
The Magazine Club of Haskell will hold its regular meeting this afternoon with Mrs. S. W. Scott. The Club now has as its special study Shakespeare's "As You Like It," but the program this afternoon covers a review of current events.

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- Gerber's Strained **BABY FOODS** 3 cans 23c
- Mile High, Sour or Dill **PICKLES** full quart 25c
- Juicy Texas **ORANGES** 5 lb. mesh bag 35c
- Supreme or Krispy **CRACKERS** 1 Lb. 20c 2 Lbs. 39c
- Ballard or Pillsbury **BISCUITS** 3 cans 33c

- Sun Spun, Red Sour, For Pies **CHERRIES** can 23c
 - Pet or Carnation **MILK** 2 Tall Cans 23c
 - White Swan, Cooked With Bacon **Blackeyed Peas** 3 1-lb. cans 29c
 - Fresh, Green **CABBAGE** pound 33c
 - New Crop, Colorado **PINTO BEANS** 2 lbs. 23c
 - Mission Brand **SUGAR PEAS** 2 cans 29c
 - Sweet Sixteen **OLEO** pound 23c
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Nice Selection of Children's Shoes Priced \$2.98 \$3.98 \$4.98

ment Figures Hold Little Hope Lief From High Cost of Living

London B. Johnson says government figures hold little hope for relief from the living in the months ahead.

"If anything, it may go even higher," Senator Johnson declared in an address this week.

Texas Senior Senator discussed a letter he received from Secretary of Labor James F. Mitchell explaining the reasons behind the present all-time high level in living costs. The Senator had requested such an explanation when the Department's cost of living index reached the high mark.

The cost of living figures are made up of three separate categories, Secretary Mitchell explained. They include commodities bought by the consumer; services, such as medical care, transportation, utilities, and recreation; and rent.

The cost of commodities shot up at the outbreak of the Korean War and have not varied since then. The present high level of the cost of living, Secretary Mitchell explained, is due to the fact that services and rents are just now beginning to catch up with commodity prices.

"According to Secretary Mitchell, rents will go even higher if they follow the pattern that developed after the first World War," Senator Johnson said. "The Secretary also says that every month brings an increase in utility rates in some important city."

"They are discouraging signs that do not indicate any early hope of relief," Senator Johnson said he could understand why prices increased at the beginning of the Korean War, but added he had not seen a satisfactory explanation of "why these costs stay up when prices paid to producers are falling."

"Practically every farmer knows he is making less money," he said. "Every housewife knows she is paying out more money to keep her family going. It just doesn't make sense."

EVERY home needs a Texas Almanac, \$1.25. Haskell Free Press.

Carbon Monoxide From Gas Heaters Is Home Threat

There is no doubt that carbon monoxide—associated with gas heaters—is one of the most deadly and least publicized of all the poisonous gases, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Carbon monoxide is formed when there is not enough oxygen mixed with the burning gas, or when the design and operation of the equipment is faulty.

With a toxicity comparable to the gases that have been used in warfare not enough attention has been given to the deadly effects of prolonged exposure to carbon monoxide. This gas claims far more than its share of accidental deaths in Texas.

Dr. Cox makes the following recommendations for use of gas heaters:

1. Make sure the heater is properly adjusted.

2. Use metal tubing for connecting stove to gas line and check for leaks.

3. Always ventilate a room when the heater is burning.

4. Do not use any artificial gas in a heater designed for natural gas.

5. Never let the stove burn all night.

Carbon monoxide from automobile exhausts is a big health hazard warns Dr. Cox. He said many motorists have wrecked their cars and been listed as a highway death when carbon monoxide was the real killer. Cars should never be run in garages with the doors closed.

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Del Monte 303 Can
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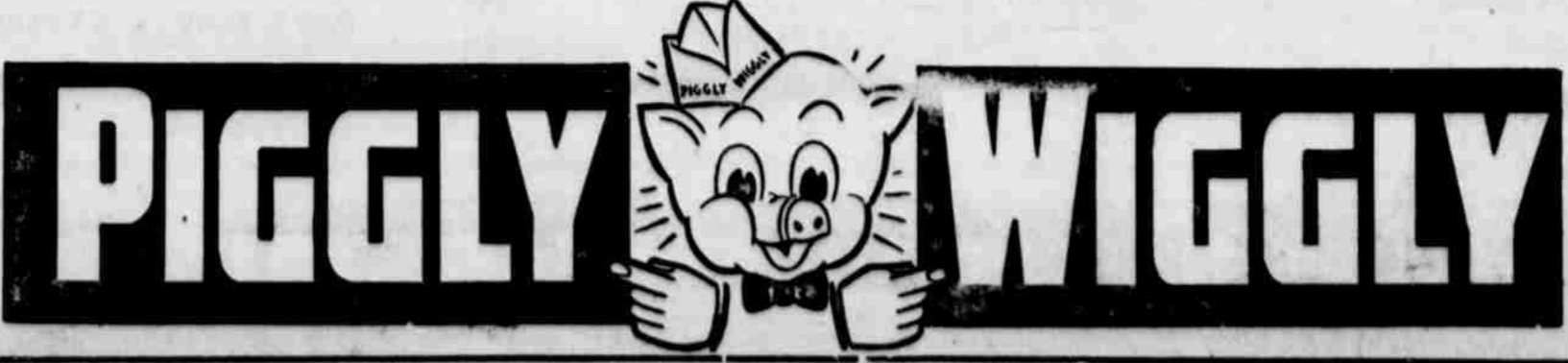
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Jason W. Smith, Jr., drawn for \$290.
Mrs. Gladys Vaughter, drawn for \$300.00.
Mrs. Charles Swinson, drawn for \$310.



Rochester News

By MRS. JAMES A. GREER

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Michaels attended the 92nd birthday celebration of their uncle, W. L. Ray at the home of Mr. Ray's daughter Mrs. Ardie West at Rule Sunday Nov. 15. All of Mr. Ray's children were present except one son, Clarence Ray who lives in Missouri. In spite of advanced years Mr. Ray is alert mentally and gets around well for his age. He has lived in Haskell County for 50 years, coming here from Moody, Texas, settling in the Jud section where he lived with his family until a few years ago when he and his wife moved to Rochester. Mrs. Ray died about 3

years ago, since which time he has made his home with his children. About a year ago he made his first airplane trip when he visited relatives in Alabama and declared it was a pleasant and thrilling experience. Other children and grandchildren present to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ray of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Burk of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Ray of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ray of Aftersburg.

Many friends called in the afternoon to wish this beloved citizen many more birthdays. Mr. and Mrs. Finis Hines, Ava Lou and Diana Lynn, Mrs. G. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Alvis of Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Averett of Knox City spent the week end in Waco where they witnessed the Baylor-SMU football game.

Mrs. W. Z. Bragg was hostess to the Mary Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon. After the devotional the class elected new officers for the ensuing year. President, Mrs. J. E. Mansell, vice president, Mrs. L. M. Kay; secretary, Mrs. B. M. Hancock; Mmes. J. D. Speck, Chester Speck and A. A. Gauntt were elected group leaders.

Mrs. Bragg is teacher of the class. Cake and punch were served to members present. A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lawson Tuesday, Nov. 17 in the Haskell Hospital. She was named Glenda Sue and weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces. The father is serving with the U. S. Navy and is stationed in Japan. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanfield of Rochester.

Funeral services for Mrs. W. T. Bradley, 78, were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Church of Christ in Rochester with H. L. Matheny of Goldsmith officiating.

Mrs. Bradley was a former resident of Rochester but had been making her home with a daughter Mrs. Robbie Hill at Houston for some time. She had been ill for several months. She died Wednesday Nov. 18. Her husband preceded her in death about 17 years ago.

Survivors include four sons, Jay Bradley of Golden Colo.; Jeff Bradley of Lefors, Roy Bradley of Amarillo, Joe E. Bradley of Lovington, N. M.; four daughters, Mrs. Pearl Qualls of Lamesa, Mrs. Mary Bell Hill of Houston, Mrs. Clara Mae Fletcher of Big Spring, Mrs. Myrtle Snodgrass of San Diego, Calif.

Burial was made in the Rochester Cemetery under direction

of Mansell-Smith Funeral Home. Mrs. Dallas Baugh of Austin is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hap Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Webb have received word from their son, Sgt. Son Webb this week that he is leaving Korea where he has been for the past nine months. He is expected to be home for Thanksgiving. Sgt. Webb who has served with the U. S. paratroopers for three years will get his discharge probably by Dec. 1. He has a 7-month-old son whom he has never seen. His wife and son are in Stillwater, Okla., with her parents.

Mrs. Nancy Peet of Lawton, Okla. is visiting relatives here. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell is Mrs. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Bessie Green of Hollywood, Calif.

Attending the District Conference of the Methodist Church at Seymour Thursday of last week were Rev. and Mrs. James Price, Susan and Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Greer, Patsy and Martha Rose of Irving, Mrs. Joe Wolcott and Sandra of Fort Worth, Mrs. Lynn Knouse and John Paul of Abilene spent the week end here with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Greer.

Mrs. Dallas Baught of Austin Lois Ann and Ronnie spent the week end at Nocona with Mrs. Huntsman's mother and brother, Mrs. A. J. Waters and Frank.

Mrs. Gladys Dyches was honored Thursday evening Nov. 12 with a surprise house warming. Many beautiful gifts had been brought and placed in a bedroom

as a surprise to Mrs. Dyches.

Relatives and friends attending the affair were Mrs. Ben Williams, Mrs. Harley Brown, Mrs. Cecil Whitt, Mrs. Ernest Michales, Mrs. Henry Perry, Mrs. Ella Mosley, Mrs. Dale Graham, Mrs. Agnes Evans, Mrs. H. C. Sander-son, Sharon and Karen, Mrs. B. Townsend, Mrs. Eugene Bittick, Mrs. Olive Speck, Mrs. Susie Brumbaugh and Mrs. Mrs. Rex McDaniel of Nocona, sisters of Mrs. Dyches, an aunt, Mrs. Lillie Webb of Rule, Mrs. Lee Wallace of San Saba. Other friends sent gifts.

Members of the Bess Port... Sunday School Class enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner Wednesday at 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. O. J. Huntsman. After partaking of a roast chicken dinner with all the trimmings, the class gave a short Thanksgiving program. Mrs. James Price gave a Thanksgiving devotional. Mr. Parsons sang a special number, Rev. James Price offered a prayer of thanks and the group enjoyed a sing-song with Mrs. O. R. Cox at the piano.

Present to enjoy the occasion were Rev. and Mrs. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Buckner, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. George Wade, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. White, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jones, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson, Mrs. O. R. Cox, Mrs. Bill Ballard, Miss Sallie Graham. Children present were Susan and Keith Price, Sue Cox, Belinda Burt, Ronnie and Lois Ann Huntsman and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Huntsman.

Mmes. J. H. Parsons, Tom Murphy and Miss Sallie Graham were in Abilene Saturday. Mrs. Murphy visited her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Forman; Miss Graham snopped and Mrs. Parson attended a Mother-Daughters luncheon with her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Fry at the Country Club.

Union Thanksgiving services were held at the First Baptist Church here Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock with Rev. Curtis Drake, pastor of the Rochester Church of God delivering the Thanksgiving message.


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House speaker Reuber, Senterfitt has taken his campaign to the people to elect him governor of Texas next year.

Hometown backers of Senterfitt at San Saba sponsored a radio broadcast and purchased newspaper space to enlist support over the state.

As to the possibility that Gov. Shivers may seek re-election, Senterfitt has said that he will cross that bridge when he gets to it.

Senterfitt is a political veteran at 36 and has served two terms as Speaker of the House.

Shivers hasn't said what he plans to do about the Governorship.

If he steps out, Senterfitt faces a rather large field of potentially powerful candidates.

Among the likely candidates are Lt. Governor Ben Ramsey,

Attorney General John B. Shepperd, and Commissioner Bascom Giles. Representative Lloyd Bentsen, Houston Mayor Roy Hofheinz and Austin Attorney Ralph Yarborough.

Others mentioned for the race are State Senator A. M. Aiken, Jr., champion of higher teacher pay, and Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

Meanwhile, the political status of the Texas Young Democrats remained uncertain. Both liberal and conservative factions were denied seats at the national convention held recently in St. Paul, Minn.

The conservative group, recognized by the Texas Democratic Executive Committee, had been inactive since 1949. In view of this, the liberal group sought to gain recognition by default.

Action taken by the convention held that neither group met prescribed standards, and so the fight continues.

A possible compromise on the teachers pay problem will come before a committee appointed by the governor, at a meeting to be held later this month.

In seeking to resolve the issue of state and local sharing of school costs, a committee member recommends a \$402 teacher pay raise, an 80-20 formula for state-local financing, and state aid on buildings.

Senator A. M. Aiken of Paris, opponent of a percentage formula in the past, says that helping the districts on their buildings is in line with his thinking.

But, as one committee member commented: "If there's no money available to pay a raise, it's love's labor lost."

A commission on higher education by a close vote of 9 to 7 has included junior colleges in a survey being undertaken for the legislature.

Junior colleges became a state problem a few years ago when the state began giving them per capita grants of aid.

Purpose of the commission is to bring about a reorganization for higher education just as the Gilmer-Aiken law did for the public school system.

Representative Reagan Huffman of Marshall, member of the House appropriations committee, said that "two thirds of our trouble comes from junior colleges, and I can't decide if they are stepchildren, orphans or legitimate children of the state."

Battle lines were being drawn over a rule by the state optometry board to limit advertising for the profession.

Although the legislature this year killed a bill to empower the board to set up any code, the board proceeded to adopt the code of ethics of the American Optometric Association. One of the rules limits advertising to a professional card not larger than two by four inches in size.

Other groups also were involved in the licensing board's ruling. It said that use of advertising, other than the professional card, would be considered "soliciting patients," under provisions of the Penal Code, which would make newspaper or radio station accepting advertising an "accomplice."

According to the board, the manager of an optometry shop whose address was given in any advertising would be held personally liable to fine.

Members of the Texas Association of Independent Optometrists, the group which generally uses advertising media, was planning to challenge the board's authority in court.

Government charges that a million dollar herd of rare Charolais cattle were smuggled through Texas were expected to come before a federal court here in January.

A quarantine has been slapped on the white, French-origin cattle on ranches in Louisiana. Cattle associations have expressed fear that the big animals may have brought the dread hoof and mouth disease from Southern Mexico.

Indictments on charges of fraudulently impotting the cattle were recently returned against Alphonse A. Broussard, Lafayette, La., William L. Babb, El Paso, and Antonio Enrique Gilley, Atlixco, Mexico.

A vast program to preserve Texas historical material is making progress. A committee authorized by the Legislature is incorporating a non-profit Texas Historical Foundation and will accept donations to carry on many phases of the work.

Governor Shivers, in addressing the group, said:

"It is not merely another Texas brag to claim that we are far richer in historical material than most of our sister states."

"It is certainly not a Texas brag to report that we have been sorely remiss in cataloging, conserving and making use of this material."

Calls for help already have come for Fort Davis, the historic West Texas site which will be 100 years old in 1954, and also for Zapata County workers to restore the first dwelling of Europeans on the Rio Grande.

"For the good of the hospital system" three employees of Rusk State Hospital have resigned by request, the superintendent announced.

They were a psychiatrist and two attendants, said Dr. C. L. Jackson, the superintendent. He gave neither the employees'

names nor the nature of the complaints against them.

SHORT SNORTS: Although 3 million acres were returned to Texas ownership by the tidelands legislation, only about 160,000 acres are under lease for oil and gas development. . . . But, just five producing wells have been drilled in the tidelands. . . . Tornado-detecting radar sets are scheduled for Texas cities, with Houston, Galveston, and Fort Worth already signed up. . . . The Air Force has offered radar sets to 18 towns, and Texas A&M experts are planning installations. . . . A cut in the December oil allowable marks a five-month decline, and the recent cuts have trimmed the expected annual state income by almost \$20 million. . . . A mass of legal papers in the ouster proceedings against District Judge C. Woodrow Laughlin has been sent to the Texas Supreme Court but a quick decision is not considered likely.

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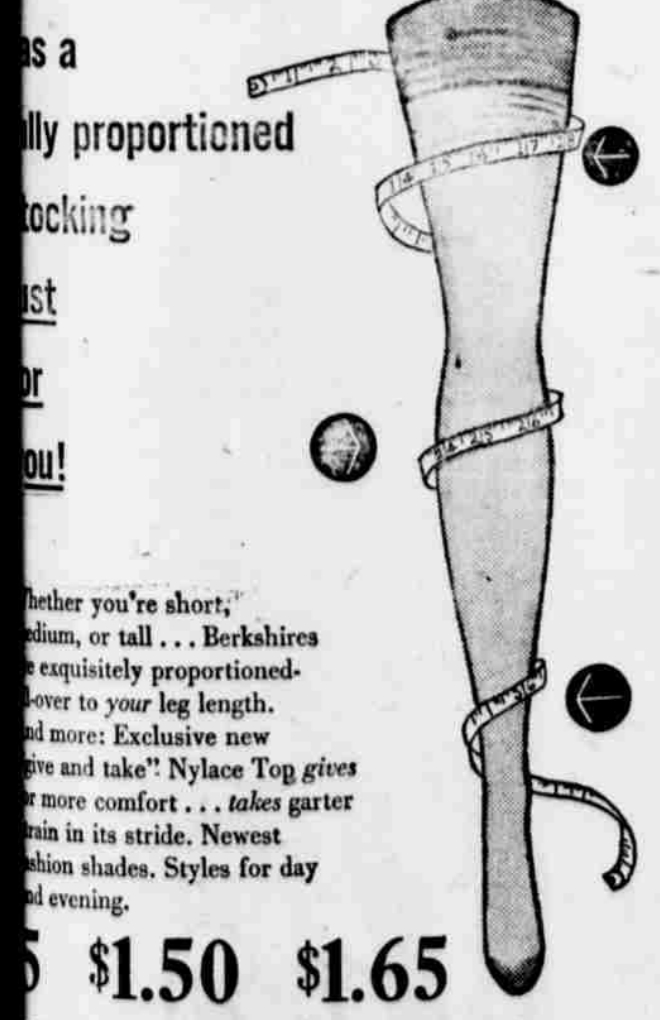
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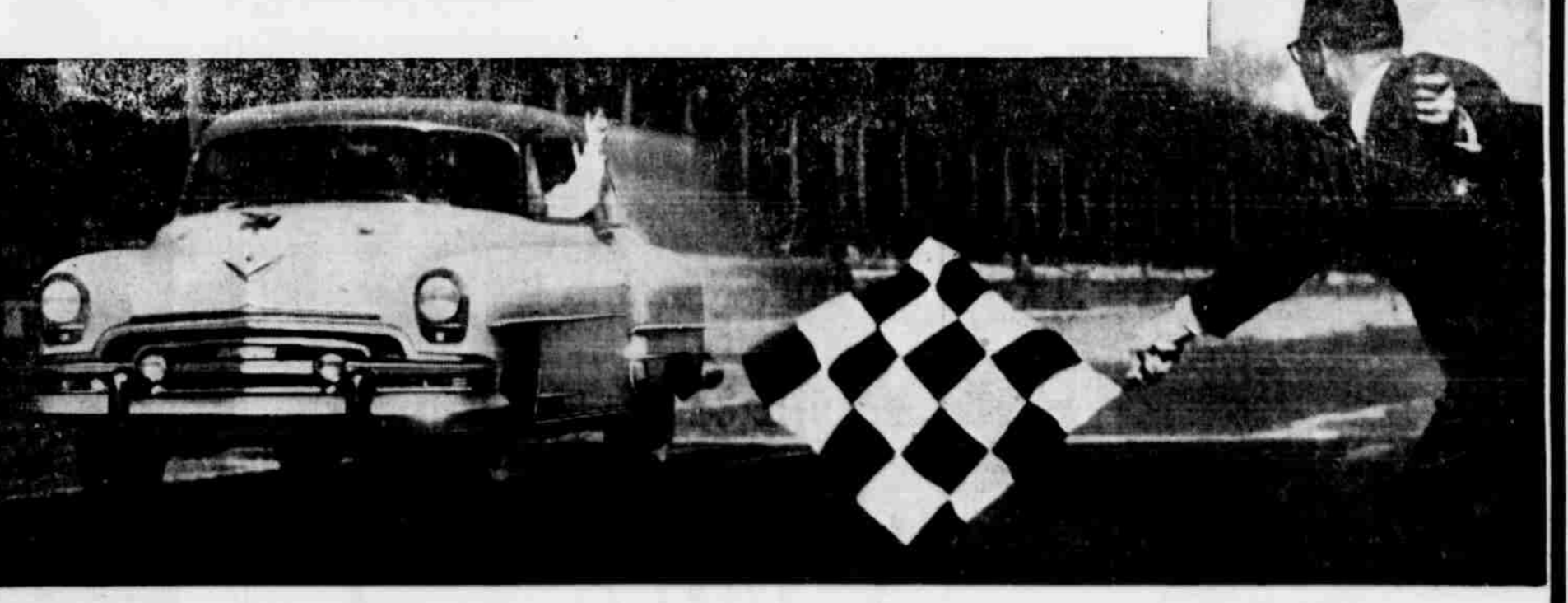
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Rainbow Sewing Club Observes Achievement Day

The Rainbow Sewing Club Achievement Day was held in the home of Mrs. Bill Flournoy Nov. 12th beginning at 1:30 and closing at 4:30 p. m.

An educational exhibit showing the accomplishments of each member was on display ranging from wearing apparel, fancy needle work, stuffed toys, pictures, plaques, baskets and cut out pictures.

Mrs. Flournoy arranged the exhibit very attractively. Mrs. Edwards, the needlecraft reporter, made a list of all the work done during the year. A prize was given to the member doing the most

work.

Refreshments of pineapple squares and coffee were served to Mrs. Eddie Johnson, Sallie Patterson, Essie Bland, Sue Peavy, Ethel Edwards, Thelma Adams, Hazel Tyler, Stella Josselyn, Ann Taylor, Follise Rogers, Eava Pearsey, Lula Smith, Erna Watson, Winnie Copeland, Ocie Cass, Carrie Pitman, Ora McMillin, Lorene Fouts, O. E. Patterson, M. E. Helber, J. W. Martin, Scooter Flournoy, Shelby Johnson, J. B. Edwards and the hostess.

Mrs. J. B. Edwards Hostess For Sewing Club Meeting

Mrs. J. B. Edwards was hostess to the Rainbow Sewing Club Nov. 17.

The house was called to order and opened by the group singing. Mrs. Rogers was asked to give a report on the Achievement Day program. The needlecraft report was given. Mrs. Edwards gave the thought of the day. Mrs. Hattox won the hostess gift. Games and songs were enjoyed.

All members are looking forward to the annual banquet that is to be held in the dining room of the Methodist Church Nov. 24. The club will meet with Mrs. Bill Flournoy December 1.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Eddie Johnson, Sallie Patterson, Eva Pearsey, Follise Rogers, Essie Bland, Winnie Copeland, Ethel Edwards, Virginia Flournoy and visitors, Mrs. L. R. Wall of Bowie and Mrs. D. E. Hattox.

Mrs. Dick Swope Is Honoree at Bridal Shower in Sagerton

The women of the Sagerton Methodist Church were hostesses at a bridal shower in honor of Mrs. Dick Swope, the former Marlene Laughlin, at the church Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 17. Pink and white were used in the decorations. Miss Glenda Clark registered the guests.

Mrs. Swope, who was married last June, has been in North Carolina with her husband who is in the U. S. Army. He has been sent to Germany for overseas duty and she is staying here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Laughlin.

NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Mrs. Ada Rike, Haskell Teacher 30 Years Is Honored at Study Club Meeting



MRS. ADA RIKE

Mrs. Ada Rike, a teacher in the Haskell public schools for over thirty years, was honored at the Progressive Study Club meeting Thursday, November 19 in the Homemaking Cottage. Invited to attend the meeting as a guest, the beloved "Miss Ada" was surprised to hear that the final speech on the program, "The Story of a Great Teacher" by Mrs. Viars Felker was a tribute to herself.

Devoted to the subject of education, the study club program opened with a devotional by Mrs. W. P. McCollum who compared the teacher to a gardener, cultivating the flowers of ideas, ideals, and standards and clearing out the weeds of malice, prejudice and ignorance.

The director, Mrs. R. A. Lane, introduced Mrs. W. E. Woodson in a speech entitled "The Teacher and the Community." Citing the many places where teachers can and are serving effectively outside the classroom, Mrs. Woodson said, "New recruits to the teaching profession enter where its members are well established in civic culture and esteem. The teacher has become an active force in community life as well as the director of curriculum in her classroom. The educational process has two sides—one psychological and one sociological, neither can be subordinated to the other or neglected without disastrous results. How can the teacher develop a feeling for the sociological forces if he does not actually participate in a variety of community activities and responsibilities?"

Mrs. Jack Pippin presented a review of the book "The Life of Alice Freeman Palmer" by Geo. Herbert Palmer. Known to educators and the educated, Mrs. Palmer was best known at Wellesley College. In her interesting review, Mrs. Pippin pointed out this famous teacher's works was creation, not imitation.

Mrs. Felker's part of the program was a charming resume of Mrs. Rike's life, from early childhood to her recent retirement from the teaching profession. Upon being presented with a token gift of a corsage and silk scarf, the honored guest exclaimed, "I feel like a five-star general!"

During the business session which preceded the program, the president, Mrs. Robert Wheatley, presided and presented her delegate's report of the recent State Convention of the TFWC. She announced that the Progressive Study Club won first place award of \$10.00 offered clubs in Texas for the best Americanism Week observance. It had earlier won the district award. The club also received an award for "distinguished participation in American Art Week." A club member, Mrs. R. W. Herren, won first place State award in her duties as district Fine Arts chairman. Long noted for its activities in the interest of art, the Progressive Study Club was pleased to have one of its members achieve this honor.

Mrs. Phillip Baird, Mrs. H. V. Perkins, and Mrs. E. O. McClelland were elected to active membership in the club.

The club voted to accept the Chamber of Commerce invitation to assist with the Homes Christmas Decorations Contest next month. Mrs. Royce Adkins, chairman of Community Projects, will be in charge of this activity, and an early announcement of contest details will come from her committee.

In observance of American Home Week, Nov. 22-29, the benediction by Mrs. Frank W. Martin was a prayer for our homes, that we might make God supreme.

Mrs. Joe Thomson and Mrs. George Hauser were hostesses for the social hour which ended in a pleasant meeting. Pumpkin pie and spiced tea were served to guests, Mrs. Rike and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, and the following members: Miss Jane Holt; Mmes. Royce Adkins, O. J. Curry, Tommy Davis, Viars Felker.

Naomi Bible Class Hosts Supper For Husbands, Friends

The Naomi Bible class of the First Baptist Church entertained their husbands and friends with a Thanksgiving dinner Tuesday evening Nov. 17 at 7:30 in the annex.

John Fouts gave the invocation. Mrs. Whatley presented Mrs. Ashley the social chairman of the class who introduced the guests.

The Odd Fellows quartet, Ray Lusk, Tom Watson, Hubert Bledsoe and Mrs. Delight Harris gave two numbers.

Mrs. Delight Harris sang "The Pearly White City."

Rev. M. D. Rexrode spoke on the past history of the class, the hope of the present and the challenge of the future.

The evening closed by group singing.

Those present were Mrs. Elizabeth Whatley, Mr. and Mrs. John Fouts, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scoggins, Mrs. J. D. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wheeler, Mrs. Thalia Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Chamberlain, Mrs. E. L. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cothron, Mrs. Hamp Harris, Mrs. Bert Orr, Mrs. V. A. Brown, Mrs. Roy Harris, Mrs. Troy Ash, Mrs. S. Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fouts, Mr. and Mrs. Trav Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oliphant, Mr. and Mrs. John McMillin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Young, Mrs. Walter Rogers, Rev. M. D. Rexrode, Ray Lusk, Tom Watson and Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Edwards.

Weinert Matrons Club Observes Thanksgiving

Weinert Matrons Club met to observe Thanksgiving season with the annual Love Feast in the home of Mrs. R. H. Jones.

Mrs. C. C. Lamb led the group in a prayer for Thanksgiving. The meal was served buffet style. Guests were seated at small tables decorated with Thanksgiving motifs and centered with tiny vases of white and pink roses.

Members attending the luncheon were Mmes. A. Bartell, W. B. Guess, C. T. and R. H. Jones, W. A. King, J. W. and R. C. Liles, Fred Monke, Frank Oman, Claude Reid, P. F. Weinert, J. A. Mayfield, W. C. Winchester, V. C. Derr, W. L. Johnson, C. C. Lamb, Temple Lewis, R. D. Wilkerson, Ira C. Frazier.

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Weinert WMU Meets Monday For Brief Business Session

Weinert WMU met Monday for business meeting. Mrs. C. T. Jones presided.

Devotional was given by Mrs. R. H. Jones. The program on Community Missions was directed by Mrs. W. B. Guess. Closing prayer by Mrs. R. H. Jones.

Other members attending were Mmes. J. W. Liles, Temple Lewis, R. F. Rainey, Eddie Sanders, A. J. Sanders, C. F. Oman, O. W. Vaughn, S. J. Williamson and R. S. Sanders.

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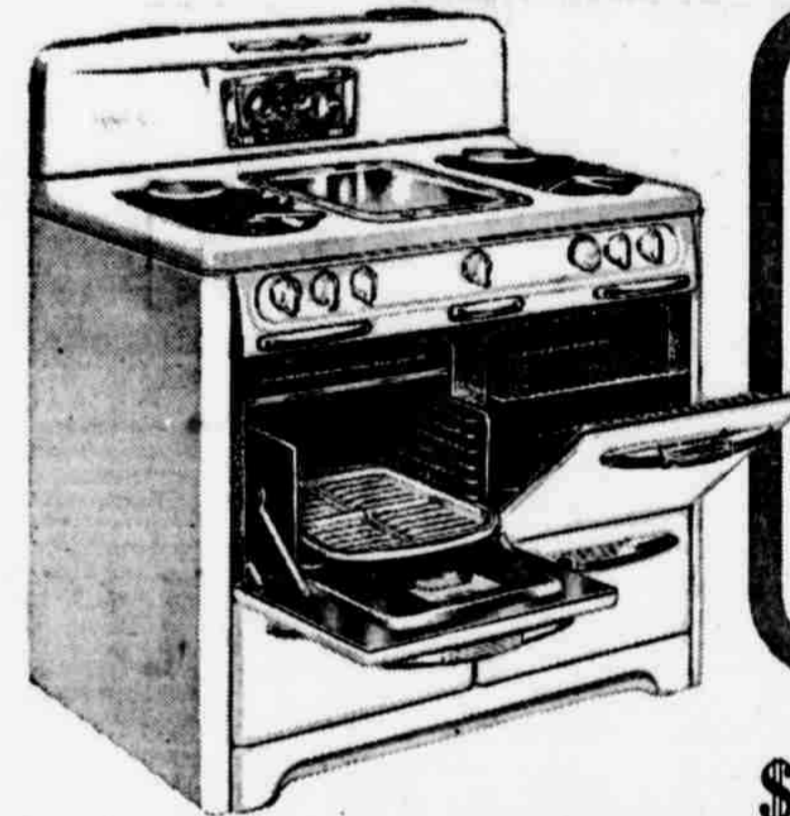
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ARNOLIA FOOTE

Teacher of the Week Arnolia Foote, who teaches science, and girls physical education in Junior high

native Texan, received degree from Texas Tech, and has taught seven Haskell Schools. Her husband, Mr. Garvin Foote, who they have one daughter, Lockie, Beth.

is a member of the Church, Guild, Pro-Study Club, Texas State Association, Junior-High Teachers Association.

venth, eighth and one sixth grade have been basketball practice at P. and during the noon section elected a captain and organized a team to play basketball intramural, which this week. All girls participate except those whose physical must be limited. The High witnessed the results of the tournament.

teams worked hard to results of this preliminary in basketball are on the part of each basketball whenever

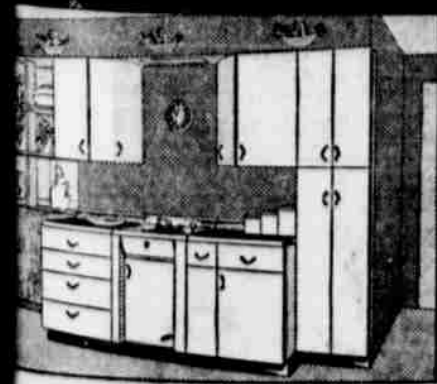
(2) A realization of the team work. (3) "hustle" the ball. (4) to play fair. Although drills in pivoting, dribbling have been used for fun has been enjoyed.

As basketball season the girls hope to learn fundamentals to have a High Girls Basketball are looking forward to games with other schools county.

of aims of health education (1) To each the girls health is important. If fortunate enough to have health, should be inter-maintaining it. (2) To good health one must something about his body formed as to ways and promoting good health, herself but in others. national health facts are

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MRS. OMER C. RAY

Mrs. Omer C. Ray, a first grade teacher, is one of the new teachers in the local school system.

Mrs. Ray is a native of Haskell County. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ivy and was born and reared in southeast Haskell County. She received her early schooling at the Rockdale school finishing high school at Lueders in 1937. She received her B. S. degree from Abilene Christian College.

Mrs. Ray taught five years at Paint Creek before entering the Marine Corps during World War II. She was trained in New York and spent most of her two years in service in California as librarian in the Training Film Library.

While in California, she was married to Omer C. Ray a native of Missouri, who was also serving in the U. S. Marine Corps. They are the parents of two boys, Richard and Carl who are students in Haskell Elementary School.

necessary if one is to intelligently promote and preserve health.

The eighth grade has been studying personal hygiene. Probably the most interesting unit has been "the common cold," as a climax to the study the girls divided into groups, each group wrote and presented a humorous skit on false idea of the causes of colds.

The seventh grade worked hard on a nutrition unit, after studying the basic seven foods each girl kept a weekly record of the food she consumed. As a result most of the girls were careful to include more fruits and vegetables in their diet. Attractive vitamin posters were made.

The unit which received the most attention in the sixth grade was "working together." Kindness, cheerfulness and cooperation in the home, school and community were stressed. As a climax to the unit the class presented a play "Right and Wrong Ways." The script was written by the pupils and presented in three scenes. The first scene was in the home, second in the school room and the third in a club house.

After returning from the Marine Corps, Mr. Ray taught one term at Paint Creek while her husband was overseas. Then she was a housewife and mother for the next three years. Returning to the teaching field as a visiting teacher for the county, she served Paint Creek, Weirner, Mattson, O'Brien and Sagerton. She served in this capacity for four years, resigning to become a member of the Haskell Elementary School faculty.

Mrs. Ray is a member of the Church of Christ and has taught a primary class at Sunday School. She is a member of the local, district and state Texas State Teacher Association. She is a den mother for Den 5 of the Cub Scouts; and she is a member of the local Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association, serving as chairman of the Civil Defense Committee.

Mrs. Ray's group of Beginners have experienced many happy, busy days. She uses the experience unit method in teaching her first grade pupils. Naturally they are taken from where they are which explains why the first unit was the home, which made a

natural transition from the home to the school.

These experiences provide interesting vehicles for teaching the three R's and many other appreciations of personality and citizenship development.

Mrs. Ray's pupils have just completed a unit of work on the study of Indians. Beginning the unit she placed colorful pictures on the bulletin board creating an interesting discussion which led to the making of a tepee in the room large enough for two or three pupils to play in at a time. The students painted the tepee with tempera paints, with each child adding his own design. The children have enjoyed many interesting stories about various Indian tribes, habits, and customs.

Colorful head dresses were made of construction paper, which was cut free-hand and placed in a decorated paper band. The children painted many original pictures, both with crayolas, water colors, and finger paints.

Another event enjoyed by all was the making of tom-toms from old tire tubes. The students made jackets of original designs and Indian shields. Some

of the pupils made rattles.

All of the students enjoyed Indian records, which made a typical background for much of the work. Authentic Indian records were received from New Mexico. Among the records were "Hoop Dance Songs" and "Round Dance Songs" by the Taos Pueblo Indians; "The Sunrise Call" of the Cliff-dwelling Zuni Indians; "The Chant of the Eagle Dance" of the Pueblo Indians; and many other records.

Another enjoyable activity was making Indians of plaster of Paris in rubber molds; and painting them. The pupils were enthusiastic in their work and play with these as they made seven different figure designs. They made the tall chiefs, the scouts, Indian squaws grinding corn, a campfire, an Indian with a peace pipe, an Indian with a tom-tom, and a squaw with a papoose on her back. Then they made small paper tepees and set up a village on a large table in the back of the room, where many discussions of Indian life originated.

Other units will be developed as the children discover interests. Always there will be provisions

for individual differences and for a working knowledge of academic fundamentals at the first grade levels. Experiences in living with each other and appreciations, which develop well rounded citizens will come incidentally.

Haskell and Jones Singers To Meet In Stamford

The Jones and Haskell County Singing Convention will meet Sunday, Nov. 29 at the Foursquare Church in Stamford. Singing will begin at 2 p. m. A good singing is expected and all singers and music lovers are extended an invitation to be present.

Use the Want Ads

Haskell Stores To Sponsor Christmas Treasure Hunts

At least 34 Haskell stores will take part in the annual Christmas Treasure Hunts, sponsored in connection with the holiday season which officially opens Dec. 3. It was announced today by the Chamber of Commerce. The Treasure Hunts will be held on Dec. 7, 14, and 21. Cooperating merchants will award merchandise tickets to customers in addition to giving a gift for the three days of Treasure Hunts. The list of stores cooperating in the program includes Sadler Fur-

niture, Frazier Radio and Record Shop, Hunters Men's Wear, Figgly Wiggly, Basing Jewelry, Oates Drug Store, The Hub Dry Goods, The Fair Store, Helber Jewelry, Hassens Dry Goods, Wheatley's Dry Goods, Payne Drug Co., Ben Franklin Store, Reid Drug Store, Lane-Felker, The Sweet Shop, Pogue Grocery, Biard's Cleaners, Atkinson Food Store, Service Cleaners & Laundry, Haskell Pharmacy, Hattox Hardware.

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Pedestrian Safety Concern of Both Driver and Walker

"The driver as well as the walker has a responsibility in the field of pedestrian safety."

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, president of the Texas Safety Association, and Service Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation made that statement today, speaking in connection with the November pedestrian safety program being sponsored by the Texas Safety Association in cooperation with the Department of Public Safety.

"The pedestrian has the most to lose in an encounter with an automobile, and should protect himself," Col. Tilley said, "but he could follow all the rules of safe walking and still become the victim of a motorist who didn't observe the rules of safe driving."

He mentioned as one of the most common driver offenses the Cross-walk Creeper, who stops at the red light but keeps edging over the line. "It gives walkers the jitters," he explained, "and makes them afraid they may be run down before they get across the street."

"And the driver who ignores the crosswalk and stops half or all the way across it is just as bad," Col. Tilley said.

"Then the fellow who blows his horn without slowing down and expects the pedestrian to get out of his way," he pointed out.

"The Traffic Light Jumper is even more dangerous," he said. "This driver watches the light and, the instant it changes, zooms off without checking to see if a pedestrian is in the way."

"Such poor driving habits can be dangerous, both to the motorist and to the pedestrian," Col. Tilley said. Motorists need to follow all the rules of safe driving, all the time, to insure their safety and the safety of the often innocent pedestrian.

Chevrolet Dealers Spotlight New Trucks



Typical of completely re-engineered Chevrolet trucks making their 1954 model debut at dealer showrooms this week is the three-quarter ton (6500 GVW) stake, on which dual rear wheels are now available. Loading height has been lowered and floor area between stakes increased. More horsepower in each of three new engines, greater durability through sturdier construction, optional automatic transmission, improved comfort and convenience are among Chevrolet truck advances.

New 1954 Chevrolet Trucks Will Be Shown To Public Saturday, Nov. 28

Completely re-engineered to give outstanding performance in meeting modern hauling requirements, a new line of 1954 Chevrolet trucks will be introduced by dealers Saturday, November 28.

Truck operators will have an opportunity to see the new trucks in an exclusive truck display at Chevrolet dealers' showrooms at that time. Improvements in every part of the vehicle—engine, chassis and body—have been designed with an eye to current and future needs of truck owners and drivers. Among the more important advancements are the following features:

1. Three new engines, with increased horsepower and outstanding economical performance, include the most powerful truck engine ever built by Chevrolet.
2. Automatic transmission optional through the one-ton (10,000 lbs. GVW) model range.
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4. Dramatically improved comfort for the driver through a new Ride-Control seat, standard on cab-over-engine models and optional in all other cabs.
5. Appearance improvement with a new, more massive radiator grille and front-end design, while a one-piece curved windshield increases visibility and safety as well as adding to the distinction of the vehicle.

6. More space for payloads and easier loading. The body height of pickup, platform and stake models has been lowered through modified body mountings. Unobstructed loading space has been lengthened on several models.

Changes in the new Chevrolet trucks, according to the company, have been made to meet and anticipate the needs of drivers and operators. They are the results of suggestions made by users to Chevrolet field men, and long range planning by designers and engineers.

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times as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, with a maximum maturity not to exceed ten (10) years from their date, for the purpose of evidencing the indebtedness of Haskell County to be incurred in purchasing right-of-way for public roads in the County, and incidental expenses in connection therewith, constructing permanent road and bridge improvements in the County, and purchasing road machinery and equipment for use on the roads of Haskell County, and the Commissioners' Court will at the time of authorizing the issuance of said road and bridge warrants, levy the necessary tax to pay the interest thereon, and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that

it is the intention of the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas, to pay all or a part of the cost of the above road machinery and equipment by the issuance and delivery of warrants out of the maximum amount of \$60,000.00 authorized by the Commissioners' Court on December 15, 1953, as aforesaid.

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BY MRS. DELBERT LE FEVRE

Thanksgiving services will be held at both St. Paul's and the Zion Lutheran Churches next Thursday morning. The service at St. Paul's will begin at 10:30 and at the Zion at 11:00. The members of the Sagerton Methodist Church have been asked to attend services and Thanksgiving supper at Tuxedo Thursday evening.

Family night will be observed at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church Friday evening at 6:30 Dr. Haterius, pastor of the Bethel Lutheran Church will be guest speaker. Everyone will bring sandwiches, cake and cookies for the evening meal to be served in the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton visited in Haskell Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Benton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marr, who have been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and Steve are visiting in south Texas with Whit Clark.

Rev. Marshall Rhew, district superintendent, preached at the Methodist Church here Sunday morning and quarterly conference was held. Several members of the Tuxedo Methodist Church came for the service. Dinner was served at noon in the school lunchroom.

Rev. H. E. Driessner, former pastor of the Zion Lutheran Church here, who now lives in Dumas, stopped by here on his way home from a deer hunt last week. He got a deer.

Mesdames John Clark, Ben Hess, R. N. Sheid and Pete Lusk members of the Pioneer Club went to Rule Thursday of last week for the regular meeting in the home of Mrs. J. C. Davis. Other members present were Mrs. Ewell Kittle of Rule and Mrs. J. W. Marti and Miss Fannie Kay of Haskell.

The Stitch and Chatter Club met in the home of Mrs. G. A. Leach Wednesday afternoon of last week. Seven members were present. Plans were made for the club's annual Thanksgiving party which was held Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark. This is an annual affair at which the members entertain their husbands.

August Hahn celebrated his 70th birthday at his home Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Erdman and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Diers and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ranfelt of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeller, Mrs.

C. F. Erdman and Clarence, Mrs. W. F. Tredemeyer, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hahn and family, Leslie Baitz and the honoree and hostess. Games were played and refreshments of sandwiches, cake and pie were served with coffee.

Rev. and Mrs. Rudy Wendel went to Fredericksburg last week where they visited their respective parents and Rev. Wendel went deer hunting.

Members of the Sagerton Home Demonstration Club entertained their husbands and families with a Thanksgiving supper in the school lunchroom Friday evening, Nov. 20. Mrs. D. W. Counts and Mrs. Edgar Jennings were in charge of the table decorations. Horns of plenty with an assortment of fruits and vegetables and turkey made with potatoes for their bodies were used.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gholson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jen-

nings and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Counts and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller, Mrs. F. W. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipping, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kainer and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade and sons and Bob Clark.

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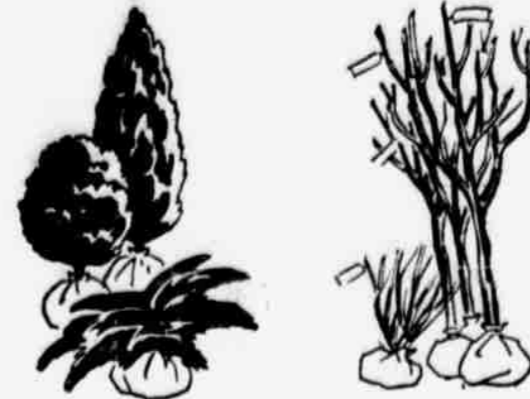
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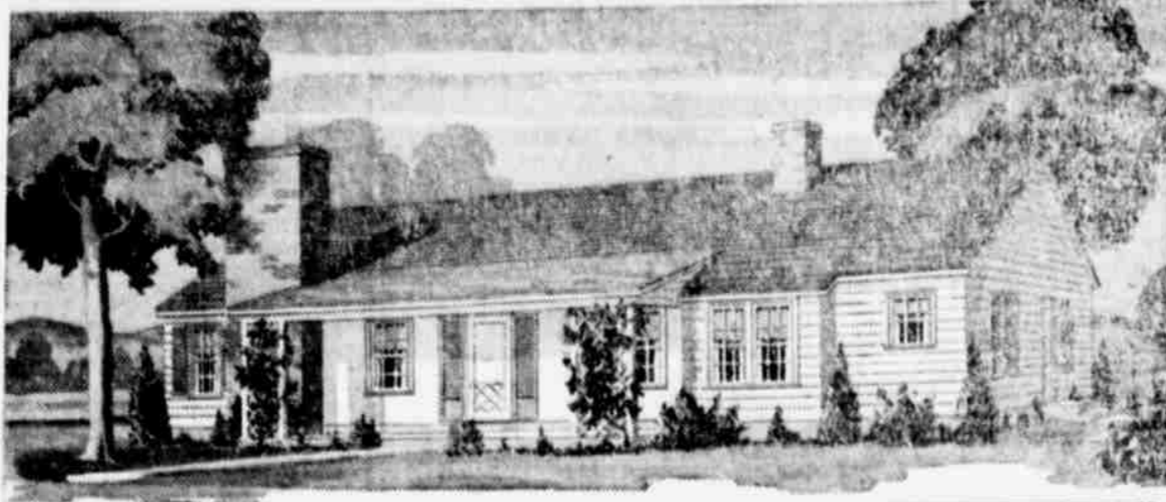
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Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bowen of Lovington, N. M. announce the arrival of a daughter born Nov. 16, 1953 at 10 p. m. She has been named Teresa Lynn and weighed 7 pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brock of Haskell and Mrs. Ernie Bowen of Killen.

Texas Leads Nation In Retail Buying Power

Texas retail buying figures for the last 13 years — 1939-52 — are far ahead of the national average and that buying power still is growing, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports. Texans were able to buy one-fifth times as much in 1952 as they could in 1939, Bureau Statistician Richard C. Henshaw, Jr., declares. Basic reason for the buying power is the sharp upswing in U. S. living standards, Henshaw explains.



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50-Year Masonic Pin Is Presented To Rule Man

The Rule Masonic Lodge No. 954 presented P. H. Campbell of Rule with a pin Thursday, Nov. 12, representing fifty years of continuous service as a member of the Masonic Lodge in Texas. The pin was presented by District Deputy Grand Master F. W. Martin of Haskell. This is the first fifty-year pin ever presented by the lodge.

The meeting was attended by the following out-of-town guests: Lee Haynes, Bob Gains and Jim Harpham of Munday; Roy Wilson, F. W. Martin, Allen Strickland of Haskell; E. T. Goss of Comstock; J. H. Campbell of Mendenhall Falls, a son of P. H. Campbell. Also attending the meeting was another son, B. F. Campbell of Rule, and a son-in-law, W. Verper, also of Rule.

P. H. Campbell joined the Masonic lodge in Munday 50 years ago and has been active in Masonic work during the ensuing years.

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FARMERS: Texas Farm Bureau delegates vote for 90% parity on basic commodities at State Convention. 48-49c

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The Democrats Lost!
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HOSPITAL NOTES

Registered as patients in the hospital Thursday morning were: 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.; evening 6:30 to 8:30.

Juan Canta, medical, Rochester.
Nancy Sue Rose, medical, Rochester.
Jose Vasquez, medical, Weinert.
Pedro Flores, medical, Rule.
Ester Fuentes, medical, Haskell.
G. H. Forehand, medical, Haskell.
Nancy Brooks, medical, Haskell.
Mrs. Walter Viney, medical, Haskell.
Mrs. Tony Letz, surgery, Rule.
Mrs. H. C. Kretschmer, medical, Haskell.
Elgin Wright, surgery, Rule.
Mrs. C. G. Burson, medical, Haskell.
E. M. Frierson, surgery, Haskell.
Mrs. Thos. Burge and infant daughter, Haskell.
J. W. Henshaw, medical, Haskell.
Louis Ashorn, medical, Old Glory.
J. T. Johnson, accident, Haskell.
Linda Kay Shell, medical, Stillwell, Okla.
Mrs. Bobby Nell Goodman, medical, Stamford.

DISMISSED:
Mrs. Saedra, Rule; Sally Mendoza, Haskell; Clyde Taylor, Munday; Mrs. Ben Clifton, Haskell; Mrs. Ed Cass, Haskell; Domingo Villagas, Rule; Press Baldwin, Haskell; Eustalio De La Rosa, Rochester; F. L. Peavy, Haskell; H. H. McNeil, Haskell; Alfred Force, Weinert; Mrs. B. Allen, Haskell; Dan Hill, Swenson; Duane Alexander, Weinert; U. T. Holland, H. C. Neenast, Haskell; Willie Williams, Rule; Jim W. Thompson, Rosebud; Mrs. G. N. Moore, Mrs. Cooksey, Goree; Billy Watson, Rule; John Lowe, Haskell; Mrs. Johnnie Griggs, Stamford; Mrs. Glenn Lawson and infant daughter, Rochester; Mrs. Wayne Hatley and infant son, Stamford; Mrs. H. C. Hein and infant son, Lamesa; Mrs. Ray Wilson and infant son, Rochester; Mrs. Paul Roberts and infant son, Munday; Mrs. Hollis Coburn and infant son, Haskell; Mrs. E. L. Bassing and infant son, Haskell; Eulalia Garcia and infant daughter, Haskell.

Schools Dismissed For Thanksgiving Holidays

Classes in all Haskell schools were dismissed this afternoon for the remainder of the week, in observance of Thanksgiving holidays. Regular schedule of classwork will be resumed Monday morning, Nov. 30.

The U. S. Children's Bureau is under the Department of Labor.

The first flag to fly over Texas was the French flag in 1684.

Cotton Ginnings Climb To 9,411 Bales Here

Cotton ginned from the 1953 crop by Haskell's four gins totaled 9,411 bales today, a gain of 1,620 bales since last Thursday morning.

Weather during the past week has been favorable for harvesting the bumper crop, and local gins have been operating day and night in an effort to keep up with the harvest.

Most giners believe that another week of pretty weather will see the peak of the season, with a slight decline expected. However, a long busy season is ahead for all plants in the county, with an estimated 40 per cent of the crop yet to be gathered.

State Farm Bureau Favors 90 Per Cent Parity Schedule

At the recent State Convention meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau the voting delegates composed of some 500 certified delegates went on record favoring 90 per cent parity for the basic commodities of wheat, cotton, rice, tobacco and corn.

Those attending from the local organization were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gammill and Jimmy of Rochester, C. O. Richards of Sugerton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lane of Anson, Shelley Royall, H. H. Seago and C. H. Herren of Haskell, S. M. Royall, the new local president, said that about 1200 farm people attended this convention and that it was the opinion of all that this convention was the best and most democratic one ever held.

Scout Troop 35 Has First Hike Monday Evening

Last Monday afternoon after school Boy Scout Troop 35 had their first hike of the season. They went by car to the Brazos River west of Rule, and made camp on the river bottom.

After sufficient wood had been gathered for the fire, the patrols learned tracking and trailing skills until darkness. After supper the patrols played several games in the sandy bottom until time to go home.

Scouts taking the trip were Ben Anderson, Tom Anderson, Bryan Corley, Gary Fulmer, Doyce Hudson, Paul Merchatt, Kenny Neely, Elwyn Waldrip, James Waldrip, Dowell Warren, and Donald Urban. The Troop was escorted by Cecil Corley and Dr. E. O. McClellan.

The first shot in the Civil War was fired at Fort Sumter.

Paris, France was in the hands of the English nation from 1430 to 1436.

Paint Creek Wins—

(Continued from page 1)
a triple hand-off—Bonnie Dubois to Hicks to Billy Harris—netted another TD for the Pirates, with Hicks conversion try blocked by Howard.

The Pirates forged ahead again when Jimmy Hokanson passed from 15 yards out to Kenneth Howard across the goal line, with Hokanson converting for extra points.

In the final minute of the first period, Bobby Hicks broke loose from the 30 to score for the Jaybirds, then kicked goal for the two extra points to end the quarter with Jayton leading 20-16.

The Pirates staved off a serious threat when the Jaybirds advanced to the Paint Creek one-yard line, with Hokanson's 20-yard pass to Howard pulling the Pirates out of danger. On the next play, Rudy Raughton raced 38 yards to set up the stage for the Pirates' next score, a TD pass from Hokanson to Howard. Try for extra points failed.

The Jaybirds bounced back quickly when Bonnie Dubois sifted through the Pirate squad to race 39 yards for a TD, with Bobby Hicks kicking extra points to put the Jaybirds in the lead 28-22 at the half.

Early in the third, Bobby Hicks pass from the 24 to Eldon Smith on the one yard stripe netted another marker for the Jaybirds, with Hicks converting for two points. Minutes later a fumble by Pirate Charles Shaw behind the goal line was retrieved by Rex Short, Jaybird back, for a safety. Another Jaybird TD followed when Dubois hit Bobby Hicks from 20 yards out, and Hicks again converted after making the touchdown.

Most thrilling play of the evening followed, when scabback Kenneth Howard took the Jayton kickoff and ran the length of the field for a TD. Hokanson's kick for extra points was wide. Late in the third, a 12-yard pass from Hokanson to Shaw netted another Pirate TD, with Hokanson's kick for extra points good. Score at the end of the third was Jayton 48, Paint Creek 36.

A 20-yard touchdown pass from

Church Services

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner N. 3rd and Ave. C
Rev. James Edge, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m.
Baptist Training Service—7:00 p. m.
Evening Service—7:45 p. m.
W. M. A. Tuesday afternoon—2:00 p. m.
Officers and Teachers meeting Wednesday—7:30 p. m.
Prayer Service Wednesday—8:00 p. m.
Central Baptist Church is a member of the Baptist Missionary Association of Texas, and the North American Baptist Association.

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
107 N. Ave. F.
John Barry, Minister
Dennis P. Ratliff, Bible School Supt.
Morning sermon topic: "What Do You Owe God?"
Radio topic: "What's Right With the Church."
Evening—No evening service.
Fifth Sunday Rally at the First

Hokanson to Howard early in the fourth edged the Pirates to within four points of the Jaybirds momentarily. After advancing on running plays to the Pirate five yard stripe, Dubois plunged through for a Jaybird TD and Hicks added two points with a perfect kick to hike Jayton's total to 54 with three minutes remaining.

The Pirates exploded with a long aerial from Raughton to Howard who skipped five yards for a TD and teammate Jimmy Hokanson added two points. After stopping Jayton on the Paint Creek 24, the Pirates aerial attack took them to the Jayton one, where Hokanson flipped a short one to Charles Shaw behind the paystripe and Hokanson's kick was good to put the Pirates in front 58-54.

With only seconds remaining following the kick-off after touchdown, Jayton launched a desperate attack through the air which ended with Howard intercepting a Jaybird pass as the game ended.

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Services Sunday:
Subject of sermon: "The Habit of Bible Reading."
Young Peoples' 6 p. m.
Evening worship 7 p. m.
Message by the Minister.
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6:00 p. m.—Vesper Worship.

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Sunday—Bible Study at 9:45 a. m.

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B. F. Gaskamp, Pastor
(Located east on the city limit line on the Throckmorton highway.)
Sunday School and Bible class at 9:30 a. m.
Worship service at 10:45 a. m.
Thanksgiving Day service at 6:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to worship and study with us.

HASKELL VISITORS
Mrs. W. M. Cozzens and daughter, Catherine of Fort Worth spent Sunday visiting May Bell Taylor. Catherine was a teacher in the mission training school in Recife, Brazil when Miss Taylor was president of the school.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bowen of Lovington, N. M., are the parents of a daughter, Teresa Lynn, born Nov. 16th in that city. The little girl weighed seven pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brock of Haskell and Mrs. Erlice Bowen of Killeen.

VISITORS FROM ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Alvis of Odessa are visiting Mrs. Alvis' father, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alvis and other relatives.

VISITS MOTHER

Edwin Cass, Jr. of Houston was here last week to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Edwin Cass who was seriously ill.

AT BEDSIDE OF MOTHER

Mrs. Helen St. Claire and children of Lubbock were here this week to be with Mrs. Healey's mother, Mrs. Edwin Cass who is seriously ill.

VISITORS FROM LIPAN

Mrs. Helen St. Claire and children of Lipan, Texas were Sunday visitors of her aunt, Mrs. May Larned in this city.

RETURNS FROM VISIT IN DALLAS

Mrs. W. D. Hellums has returned from a months visit with relatives and friends in Dallas, Fort Worth, Garland, Decatur and Alford.

HASKELL VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berger were week end visitors to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berger here. He is employed by Lind Oil Company in Houston.

CARD OF THANKS

Words can never express appreciation for the sympathy and deeds of shown us during the death of our beloved father and grandfather. We wish to thank Dr. Thigpen and all the other kindness. Also especially thank every one who helped in any way to those who brought flowers and who sent our prayer—Mrs. R. E. Mrs. F. Jacobs and Mrs. Glasgow and family.
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