Heavy Rains Over County Tuesday

D. Allen of Sanger Named Church of Christ Meeting To Begin perintendent of Schools

enday night, elected C. exas, as superintendent kell Public Schools. The intendent, given a oneact, will be successor to ughter, former head of schools whose resigme effective July 1. Mr. Allen was by unvote, with all members

eard present. elected Haskell superhas an outstanding recchool administrator. Afation from Selden High ath County, he attended on, where he received ler and Master's degrees. completing work on his degree at that college. been superintendent Public Schools since iously he was superinschools at Tolar, Texars. He began his teach-County ter served as principal School in that county,

ing to Tolar. tion to his teaching dunew superintendent has athletic sports, and and civic work. He as Scoutmaster, dirch choirs and taught chool classes. While at so...d as president of m County Brotherhood, mly is president of the County School Masters achers organization. Mrs. Allen have three Lynda Joy, 15, Ella and Jerry Dean, 9. The

incipal of Elementary th, and J. E. Berry, of the High School and J. E. Berryhill, ght years.

Academy principal at ollege, Searcy, Ark. Mr. Berryhill and children, 16, Rheba Jo 14, and years old, plan to move sometime in August. thill will assume his the college Sept. 1st.

Bible School ogress At rton Church

to Day was held Friday Total Vacation Bible Pinkerton Baptist h a large attendance of ple, the Rev. Jack D.

schedule was started th approximately 80 trolled in the various ts for age groups from women of the church

ng as instructors and the supervision of the supervisi arne, Texas, junior at tin-Baylor, who is su-VBS work for the junand Miss Ruth Carey Mich., student in m Seminary, Fort are being held daily

Il a. m., through this

ement program in rec. student's achievement Sunday night in place dar Sunday night ser-Wester said.

MON TRIP

a B. Curd of the Free and Misses Billie Joy Redwine of Midland, week end and several Week in Colorado other points of interest

PROM VISIT

rd Rogers has return-Camp Chaffee, Ark., isited for several days Pyt. Roy L. Rogers his basic training Rogers entered the

VACATION

Mrs. Bill Lawson and ancy and Cathy, are on a two-weeks va-Lawson is Haskell-County supervisor for a Home Administra-

Marlene Crofford Winner In State 4-H Club Contest

Marlene Crofford, daughter of evening services will be in open Walter Crofford of Rule, was the winner in the State Vegetable Demonstration contest at College Station on June 24. Winning first place is no new experience for Marlene for she was first place winner in a Dairy Foods demonstration in last year's contest.

Marlene's demonstration was 'Do You Get the Most for Your Money?" She prepared and served "Cold Irish Potato Salad" from a nutritious baked potato.

Marlene was instructed by Thelma Wirges, county home demonstration agent of Haskell

Merchants Vote To Observe Holiday Saturday, July 4th

end holiday.

efit the entire city.

Schools.

Former Supt. Sam

Sam H. Vaughter, who resigned

July 1 as superintendent of Has-

kell Public Schools, has accepted

a position on the faculty of the

Lubbock Public Schools, friends

here were told this week. Mrs.

Vaughter will also teach in the Lubbock Schools. She formerly

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughter

serve Saturday, July 4th, as a urday was a legal holiday for the group of merchants Saturday loyees, and also had been desigmorning in the banquet room of nated for observance by several the Texas Cafe.

General expression at the No special program of obser-meeting was that observance of a vance is being planned here for General expression at the holiday on Monday following the the 4th, and the neighboring Tex-4th would result in some confus-

ins to move to Haskell by 20. Monday night's meeting. received the resignation a school teachers and a Resigning were Edd For G. C. Larned Held Monday

Funeral services for Grover C. Larned, 68, longtime Haskell resident who died at 9:40 a. m. Friday in a San Angelo hospital, were held at the First Methodist Vaughter Accepts Church Monday at 10 a. m.

Lubbock Post Rev. J. B. Thompson, pastor, officiated and burial was in Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden Funeral Home.

Mr. Larned, who had been in health for several years, died on his 68th birthday. He was born June 26, 1885 in Hood County,

son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Larned. He married the former Miss May Allison Dec. 4, 1910, at Pa-

luxy and they made their home in that section until moving to Haskell in 1919. Mr. Larned worked as a ginner for a number of years, and also was a longtime employee of the city water de-partment. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. May Larned of Haskell; a daugh-ter, Mrs. Raymond Kreger of Arlington; five sons, Grover M. Larned of Farmington, N. M., Jack O. Larned of San Antonio, Joe and Tommy A. Larned of Bradley, Fla., and Willis F. (Bud) Larned of Rule.

Also surviving are ten grandchildren and six brothers: A. F. (Bud) Larned and Walter Larned of Grandbudy, O. H. Larned of Childress, R. B. Larned of Douglas, Ariz., Bill and Joe Larned of Haskell.

Pallbearers were G. C. Bartlett, Alfred Tidrow, Sam Buford, Ira Johnson, Milton Overcash, Bert

Rainfall This Week Boosts 1953 Total To 9.38 Inches

Rain Monday night and Tuesday, last two days of the month. was the only moisture recorded during June but the 2.60 inch downpour lacked less than an inch of equalling the normal fall for the month and brought the total for the first half of the year to

Total rainfall is still under normal for six months, figured on average 24.09 inches for the year. However, total rainfall to date this year lacks only 5.59 inches of equalling last year's precipitation of 14,97 inches, according to rec-

ords kept in the office of County
Agent F. W Martin.
Monthly rainfall during the
first half of 1953 has been recorded as follows:

January .05; February 1.05; March 2.48; April 1.34; May 1.86;

VISITING IN MISSISSIPPI Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Collins left Wednesday for Biloxi, Miss., where they will visit in the home of their son, A-3c and Mrs. Don.

Monday, July 6th

Hulen L. Jackson of the Trinity Heights Church of Christ in Dallas will be the speaker in the summer meeting at the Church of Christ in Haskell. The meeting is to begin on Monday night, July 6 and continue throug; Wednesday night, July 15. The night services will be at 8 p. m. and the day services at 9:30 a. m. The



HULEN L. JACKSON

building. Plenty of seats and holiday, according to a near-un- bank, post office, highway de- plenty of parking space. A public animous vote of a representative partment workers and county em- address system will be used so that all may hear.

Fred Custis, the regular miniser says, "Everyone has a cordial invitation, so come and hear the old gospel presented in a plain and simple manner. The singing as Cowboy Reunion in Stamford for this meeting will be under the is expected to attract a large direction of Omer Ray and Kendal crowd from Haskell on the week Henderson."

Meeting to decide the holiday was called by the retail trade currenittee of the Chamber of Commerce. Cooperation of all Haskell businesses in observing At Cowboy Reunion the date adopted is sought with

Rex Felker, Haskell chamber the idea that uniformity will benof commerce manager, is announcer for rodeo events at the Texas Cowboy Reunion in Stamford, Which opened vesterday for a which opened yesterday for a four-day run. The Haskell C. of C. executive officiated in a similar capacity at last year's Cow-

boy Reunion. Felker, former featured performer with H-SU Cowboy Band as a trick and fancy roper, is well known throughout rodeo and show circles in the southwest.

VISITING IN FT. WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Smith taught in Haskell Elementary left for Fort Worth Monday where they will visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Smith and

children plan to move to Lubbock around July 10. Fifteen Members of Haskell Masonic Lodge Presented 25-Year Emblems

were presented 25-year emblems at a meeting of the lodge Monday evening, June 22. Eight other 25year Masons eligible for the award were unable to be present for the

The emblems were presented by District Deputy Grand Master Frank W. Martin in a brief ceremony. A program and refreshn:ents followed, served in the recreation room of the Masonic Building.

Present and receiving the emblems were Hansford Harris, A. M. York, Virgil A. Brown. Shelby Harris, C. L. Lewis, Floyd Rogers, John Kirby, O. E. Patterson, Roy Overton, Dennis P. Ratliff, Ray and Roy Wiseman Overton, Wallace Cox, Chas. M. Worshipful Master.

Fifteen members of Haskell Conner, W. A. Montgomery, John Lodge No. 682, A. F. & A. M. S. Rike. Other members of the Haskell Lodge eligible for the emblem, but not present, are T D. Strickland, J. F. Kennedy, Rev. C. Jones, T. J. Arbuckle, A. C. Pierson, J. W. Cooner, W. A. Perry, and M. B. Lebo of Arling-

> Newly elected officers of the lodge, who will be installed July 13, ere: Allen Strickland, W. M.; Raymond Davis, secretary; Bob

See Picture on Page 7

Sego, treasurer; Chas. E. Smith, Warden; Haskell Stone, Junior Warden. Frank W. Martin s district deputy Grand Master, and Roy Wiseman is retiring

Brighten Cotton, Feed Crop Prospects Early Start Expected On Government's

week to put federal government's drouth relief program into action in the Southwest, following designation of the 152 counties in the

drouth area Official word was being waited in the state on how to apply the relief order.

First action will be making available feedstuffs from gov-ernment stocks. Agriculture Secretary Benson said cottonseed products within the stricken area in bountiful amounts under gov-

County Production and Marketng Administration committee chairmen will head the local groups, Benson said, Others serving will be the county agricul-tural agent, county Farmers Home Administration superviser, bankers, ranchers and farm-

Named on the Emergency Loans Committee for Haskell County are John Brock, chairman; Bill Burson, farmer; and A. C. Pierson, Haskell banker.

Some of the loan program planned by Benson likely will be handled by Farmers Home Administration. In Dallas, FHA
State Director L J. Cappelman
was awaiting word from Washington on what action should be

Cappelman said the new order might mean a broadening of the basis on which loans can be

Central Baptist To Bible School

A Daily Vacation Bible School will be held at the Central Baptist Church in this city, beginning Monday July 6th and ending Fri-

day July 10. The Rev. J. M. Edge, pastor, said that assignment of leaders and instructors for the various age groups from 3 to 18 years would be completed this week

in preparation for the school. A commencement program will te held Friday night, July 10, when recognition will be given children attending the school. The Rev. J. H. McWilliams, pastor of North Side Baptist Church in Anson has been invited as commencement speaker.

All children between 3 and 16 years of age who are not attending Bible School are cordially invited to enroll for the 5-day program at Central Baptist.

Air Conditioning Unit Installed At Haskell National

Installation of a Servel yearround air conditioning unit in the Haskell National Bank was completed last week, and the improvement has added much to the comfort of bank patrons and personnel of the institution.

ground floor of the bank building, and was installed under the supervision of Marion Reeves, local manager of Lone Star Gas Company, distributors of Servel air conditioning equipment.



The 15 Masons pictured here were presented 25-year emblems left, are: Hansford Harris, A. M. Dennis P. Ratliff, Ray Overton, by District deputy Grand Master Frank W. Martin at a recent meet. Frank W. Martin at a recent meet. Ing of Haskell Lodge No. 682, A. John Kirby, O. E. Patterson.

Drouth Relief Program in 152 Counties Machinery started rolling this made and might permit the refinancing of old loans.

In addition to Haskell, other Tuesday as the official disaster area included:

Archer, Baylor, Cottle, Dickens Eastland, Fisher, Foard, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stone-

three inches here to an estimated seven and eight inches in the Irby and Paint Creek sections Tuesday brought long _ awaited and badly needed moisture in the

County Agent F. W. Martin said the moisture would be

will be used and that corn. wheat and oats will be moved from areas where they are in storage Frontier Cavalcade Is Re-Set County committees must be named to handle this program. County Production and Market-

Cavalcade, scheduled Tuesday ers, units of the Gainesville night on Indian Football Field, Community Circus, Double Mounwas announced Tuesday at noon. following heavy rains which had KDWT, and trained Shetland water-logged the field and would ponies from the Lazy N. Stables have made it difficult to stage the at Winters. two-hour show.

The complete program has been it was announced by the sponsor-

Out-of-town attractions booked for the Cavalcade were contacted Tuesday morning and arrange-ments made for their appearance on the July 7 program.

These include the H-SU Cow-

Weinert for R. W. Alexander, Jr.

Funeral rites for R. W. Alexander, Jr., 31, native of Weinert who died in a Midland hospital at 2 p. m. Wednesday will be held at the Weinert Baptist Church Friday, July 3 at 2:30

The former Weinert man died Western Clinic Hospital in Midland from a bullet wound in his left side. Incident in which the 31-year-old man was fatally wounded occurred around 5:30 p. m. Sunday at a residence on Washington Street in Midland. relatives learned. Alexander told hospital attendants the name of the man doing the shooting, it was reported. Another Midland man being held in connection with the tragedy, relatives of the slain man said.

The funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. William Pritchett, Amarillo Foursquare minister and the Rev. Temple Lewis, pastor of Weinert Baptist

Interment will be in Johnson Cemetery near Munday with Holden Funeral Home of this city in Appear On Lubbock charge of arrangements. Mr. Alexander had been living in Midland for the past two and

one-half years, and was employed as a truck driver. He was born Dec. 2, 1921 at

Weinert, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Alexander, Sr. He married Miss Jackie Chandler Sept. 2, 1946 at Weinert and they had lived in that section until moving to Midland. Mr. Alexander was a member of the Foursquare Church. He was a veteran of World

War II, and was overseas in the European theater and Germany for three and one-half years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jackie Alexander and their son, Larry Chan, of Midland; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Alexander, Sr., of Weinert; three sisters, Mrs. Frances Sanders of Gorman, Mrs. Edith Almond Midland, and Mrs. Sue Nell Harmon of Munday; one brother, Winfred T. Alexander of Atwood, Kans.; and grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Alexander of Weinert.

Haskell Demos Meet Party Chairman

A party of Haskell Democrats was in Abilene Monday after-noon and night for a meeting with Democrats of West Central Texas at a reception and luncheon for National Democratic Party Chairman Stephen Mitchell. The na-tional party of officials addressed a gathering Monday night at which ten counties were repre-

nick of time to give Haskell County's cotton crop a new lease on life. The crop-saving rains also relieved the serious water shortage counties in this area designated that had posed an increasingly fuesday as the official disaster critical problem for ranchers and farmer-stockmen. of untold benefit to the county's estimated 160,000

acres of cotton that had sur-

tain Boys from Radio Station Widespread interest in the Cav-

alcade had resulted in the ade-set for Tuesday night, July 7th, vance sale of approximately 600 reserve seat tickets, with many Lawson, FHA supervisor; Frank ing organizations, the Lions Club calls for reservations coming from out-of-town sponsors said. Additional requests for tickets have been coming in since the show was postponed, sponsors said today. Prospects now are for a capacity crowd for next Tuesday evening's performance, they said

Rites Set Friday At Rehearsal of all local talent in the show, including the Saddle Tramps, square dancers, and other local groups, was held Monday evening. Results of the rehearsal indicated that the two-hour show could be run off without a hitch, Rex Felker, C. of C. manager and veteran director of similar pro-

grams, said. Among the outstanding local groups and organizations on the Cavalcade program kell's own Harris Family Hillbilly Band which has been featured on numerous radio programs, and the Haskell Square Dance Club.

Square dancers taking part in the three numbers to be presented will include Alton and Nadine Middleton, Jack and Wanell Ray, Clay and Allie Bell Smith, Ollie and Lorene Vernon, Kirby and Ethel Kirkpatrick

For the first number, Alton Middleton will be the caller for the ever-popular breakdown, "The Arkansas Traveller." Jack Ray will be singing caller for the second number, "Down Yonder," and Ollie B. Vernon will be caller for the third number, an exhibi-tion of figure dancing, "Two Stars in the Night."

Haskell Girl To TV Program

Sandra Nell Hadaway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hadaway of this city, will appear on a television program on Channel 13, Lubbock, Saturday night, July 4, at 10 o'clock.

The Haskell girl has been selected for a dance and acrobatic number in a talent show sponsored by McFadden Carpet Company of Lubbock. She will be accompanied to Lubbock by her parents. Sandra Nell, student in Junior High School, was a dance pupil of Mrs. Will Gilmore during the past school term.

crop a fair chance to mature.

Moisture also has been provided for planting late grain sorghums, and local feed dealers report a rush in business in planting seed since the rain. Conservative estinates are that at least 100,000 cres of grain sorghums will be planted as a result of this week's

In the areas hit by torrential rains, terraces were broken and cultivated fields badly washed in places, County Agent Martin said. However, the benefits from the rain will greatly outweigh any damage to croplands, he added. Industry also reaped tremenious benefits from the rain. An estimated 7,000 acre feet of water was caught in Lake Stamford southeast of Haskell, where the new generating station of West Texas Utilities Company has pee completed and was awaiting suficient water to begin test runs preparatory to starting full oper-

ation of the plant. Possibility that "cloud seeding" had been partly responsible for the unusually heavy rainfall was indicated in the revelation by the utilities company president, Price Campbell, that cloud seeding had been undertaken by the Water Resources Development Corporation under a contract signed by WTU.

Rushing floodwaters from Horse Creek, running into the lake washed out several sections of 7-foot concrete conduit which will carry exhaust water used in cooling the giant steam turbines. The damage was termed minor, and will be quickly repaired without interruption of plans to begin test runs at the lant, company officials said.

Heaviest rainfall in this immediate area was east and south of Haskell, with downpours of cloudburst proportions reported, rang-ing from 7 to 9 inches at some

A downpour estimated at between 6 and 8 inches fell in the , territory east and to the southeast (Continued on page 10)

New Strawn Sand Discovery Area Gets Second Test

Additional oil activity in the area southeast of Haskell where production in the lower Strawn sand was discovered in Fain & McGaha No. 1 W. H. Tomkins, was indicated this week by the staking of a new test in that area. It is the Sojourner Drilling Co. of Abilene No. 1 Buford Cox, slated to 6,000 feet with rotary. Location is 330 feet from the

33, Harmon Spinks Survey, and on a 590 acre lease. The location spots it approximately 660 feet south of the No. 1 Tompkins discovery, in an area six miles from the nearest Strawn

north and west lines of Section

Sojourner also has staked location for No. 1 Mary E. Breiger three miles northwest of town in the Sojourner Field. Contracted for 5,600 feet with rotary, it is 2,150 feet from the west and 330 feet from the south lines of Section 33, Block 1, H&TC survey. Potential spread of Strawn sand production to the area six miles southwest of Haskell was indicated during the week end in Crown Central Petroleum Corporation's No. 1 R. H. Highnote, a

wildcat in section 58, block 1, H&TC survey. Operator was coring after a show of cil in a Strawn sand, in (Continued on page 10)

Thousands Throng Stamford Opening Day of Texas Cowboy Reunion-Rodeo

With a record attendance in | best in the event was by Mrs. union and Rodeo opened Wednesday for a four-day run.

Thousands of visitors from neighboring towns jammed Stamferd streets for the opening pawhich a record number of 417 cowboy and cowgirl sponsor en-tries and more than 500 mounted riders took part. The Haskell Saddle Tramps, represented by 24 members, took part with similar groups from a number of towns in the parade and grand entry. In the sponsor's barrel race, the Saddle Tramp sponsor, Shir-ley Wheatley, circled the clover leaf pattern in 21 seconds, but was out of the running when her

In the group going from Haskel were Mayor Courtney Hunt, J. Best time in the race, 20 sec-M. Crawford, C. G. Burson, John R. Watson, and Norman Nanny. Lou Bartlett of Anson. Second

prospect, The Texas Cowboy Re- Bill Gage of the JF Ranch, Holliday, with 20.4 seconds. best time was by Joy Combs of Nocona with 21 seconds.

Jay Oxford of O'Brien turned in

the top time in the calf roping event with a time of 14.2 seconds. Second best roping time was made by the veteran Fred Dalby of Asperment, who roped and tied his calf in 16.2 seconds.

Third best time was a 19.2 time by John Wallace of Haskell, but by John Wallace of Haskell, but judges ruled an improper tie, and his time was not recorded, leaving third place to R. E. Josey of Post with a time of 22.6.

Top honors in the cutting horse contest went to John Wisdom of Haskell, riding his own "Quarterback's Berthi."

The show will continue through Saturday, with a final performance that night.

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Haskell County History

20 Years Ago-July 6, 1933 | will open at the encampment Haskell County farmers have grounds on the Clear Fork River offered to retire more than 60,000 near Lueders July 11 and will acres of cotton from production this year, according to an estimate | kell families plan to attend. made by County Agent R. H. Maxwell today. The estimate is based on 2,000 contracts turned into his office which average 30 acres to be retired on each contract, he said.

A small two-room house in the extreme north part of town burned Monday morning about 10 o'clock. The house was occupied by Don Anderson, colored, and family. They were chopping cotton in a nearby field when the fire broke out. The Negro family lost all their possessions.

W. T. Hudson, pioneer resident of Haskell and a leading cattleman in the early days of West Texas, died this morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. L. T. been in failing health several

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson of with the latter's parents, Mr. and

Mrs. J. F. Kennedy. Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Burleson and little son are visiting in came frightened and ran away the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Couch.

The eventh annual session of his ankle was shattered. the Lueders Baptist Encampment

Miss Reba Anderson and nephews, Ronald and Stanley Anderson of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Date An

close July 23. A number of Has-

Mrs. Richard Sherrill and son, Donald are here from Ithaca, N. Y., to spend the summer with Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherrill.

Mrs. R. A. Black and daughter Nina, left Sunday for Bonham for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Pratt.

30 Years Ago-July 6, 1923

Rev. Leon Gambrell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, accom-Cunningham in Houston. He had panied by his family, are attending a family reunion at Coweta,

Leon Echols of Rochester was Wichita Falls spent the week end | seriously injured Monday morning in a runaway accident. He was driving a team of mules to a wagon when the animals be Unable to control the team, Ech als jumped from the wagon an

R. J. Reynolds and family hav

BIG JUMBO 19-OZ. TEA GLASS!

pound of WHITE SWAN TEA!

consisting of 644 boys and 651 M. F. Springer and his boys Witt and Fayette, went out on the Brazos plum gathering this week. They secured ten or twelve pushels, all they wanted, and say there were plenty of plums left

for all who will gather them. A. D. English, our enterprising time sending to Stamford for feedstuffs, is now reversing the place but now living near Ama-

returned from Kentucky where rillo, was here several days this pipe ashes are dead before they they visited his father C. C. Rey- week on business. T. B. Busbee of Cross Cut was nolds. S. S. Reynolds, brother of

the Haskell man, returned home

Misses Nona and Juanita Kirk

patrick are visiting relatives and

Miss Carrie Sherrill has return.

ed from a visit in Graham and

Theron Cahill left Tuesday for

A number of Haskell people en-

Judge and Mrs. Bruce W.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson

and sons, Tom and Bill, left Mon-

day for San Antonio where they

will visit in the home of her pa-

rents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Met-

calf. The Haskell people will also

50 Years Ago-July 4, 1903

George Williamson is in town

Miss Myrtle Baldwin entertain.

ed a party of her young friends

R. A. Knowles left Monday for

Miss Annie Ellis returned Mon-

Ed Ellis and wife, T. B. Russell

and wife, Watt Fitzgerald and

Misses Ada Fitzgerald and Minnie

Ellis went to the Clear Fork

Thursday to spend a few days

We learn from County Judge

Hamilton, who has just complet-

ed the listing of census reports

from several school districts of

Haskell County that the scholastic

population of the county is 1295.

Martin, Texas, where he has ac-

this week from the Reynolds

visit in Taylor while away.

Cattle Company Ranch.

Thursday night.

in Avoca

fishing.

plant at that place.

Bryant of Austin are visiting rel-

Tyler, where he will enroll in a

with him for a visit here.

Hawaii.

business college.

ing over the country with a view Col. Sam Herren, U. S. Army of buying land. County Treasurer Stephens and is here visiting his father, R. W family spent a few days out on Herren, Sr., who lives northwest the river this week, and brought they are at the present, every proof town. Col. Herren has been back a fine lot of plums for makin the Army more than 20 years

and has been stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kans., recently. Afconvene court at Anson Monday, ter his visit here, he will go to a with an unusually heavy docket assignment in Honolulu,

Emergency Feed, friends in Wichita Falls this Credit Extension, Need of Stockmen

U. S. Senator Lyndon B. Johnjoyed an outing on California Creek Wednesday. In the party Creek Wednesday. In the party son, in his weekly newsletter from Washington, cites the need fred Pierson, J. P. Payne, Cham- for emergency feed and extension bers, G. W. Waldrop, and others, of additional credit facilities as the most pressing problems of West Texas cattlemen in the

drouth area. atives and friends here this week. Senator Johnson summarizes the situation in the following article

CATTLE: Combination of the drouth, high cost feed and low cattle prices has the Texas cattle industry in desperate shape.

A cattleman in Southwest Texas writes: "Cattle producers in Texas are doomed without som€ help immediately." A letter from a Panhandle cattleman says: "The people generally are scared, and this is true throughout the Panhandle area of Texas."

These are typical of the reports received in my office. The cattle industry, so important to all Texas, faces difficult

cepted a position with the ice HELP: I am working as hard as I have ever worked at anything to get help from the Federal day night from a visit with friends Government for the cattleman.

The most immediate need is for feed. There is literally no grass for grazing in the drouth stricken areas. Emergency supplies of feed must be made available to the cattlemen-at once.

Extension of additional credit facilities also is a must. The banks have extended as much credit to the cattlemen as they can. Yet more credit is the only hope of the cattle producers, who are trying desperately to stay in business.

Beyond these two measures, we must have a long-range program designed (1) to restore the industry to economic health and (2) to bring about a more efficient conservation and utilization of water resources.

This is not a political question. It is a problem of national sigiveryman, who has been for some nificance which must be metand solved.

PLAYBACK - From a speech game by furnishing Stamford with baled hay of the best quality. Clay Haskew, formerly of this place but now living near American and those \$175 Democratic cows (on place but now living near American and the stample of the stample o my little farm) followed around \$10 Republican calves.

EXCESS PROFITS TAX: If the ting the excess profits tax is reported from committee to the floor of the House and if

this year's cetton crops indicate a production of nearly 15,300,000 bales. That's above last year's production—almost 30 per cent over average annual output from 1941 to 1950. Domestic and foreign consumption is estimated at 12,500,000 bales. That would leave a carryover from this year's crop alone of 2,800,000 bales. We already have a carryover of some

five million bales. Acreage allotments and marketing quotas for the 1954 cotton crop are almost certain.

LIVING COST: Farmers are receiving lower prices for their products, but the cost of living hit a new high mark for the year in May. The consumers' price in-dex for May was 9 per cent higher than a year ago-12 per cent above prices in June, 1950.

Farmers are being hurt by the lower prices they get for what they raise. Consumers apparently are not benefiting.

Safety Committee Warns of Danger Of Grass Fires

The continued hot, dry weather is not only cutting down the potential crop production of the state but the danger from grass and woodland fires poses a real threat to the livestock feed that is produced in pastures a n d ranges. This forage is needed now as never before not only to feed livestock but in areas where the drouth has not been broken fires now could practically wipe out many range plant species. The State Farm and Ranch

Safety Committee headed by J. Walter Hammond of the Texas Walter Hammond of the Texas
Farm Bureau Federation and E.
C. Martin of the Agricultural Extension Service strongly urges
every citizen of the state to be
doubly careful with fire as long
as the dry weather continues.
They point out that most fires
are caused by carelessness and

are caused by carelessness and the failure on the part of the people to observe fire safety rules. Grass and other plants along the highways, in parks, woodlands, pastures and ranges are all dry enough to burn and motorists are specifically asked to make sure that matches, cigarets, cigars and

are thrown onto material which will burn.

The agricultural leaders point here several days this week lookout that the livestock industry of the state is basically dependent upon grasslands for its existence and with livestock prices what ducer must depend m o r e than ever on grass to keep down District Judge H. R. Jones will costs. A blackened range caused by carelessness could be the final blow that would put a producer out of business. On June 1, the Bureau of Agricultural Economic reported the condition of range and pasture feed in Texas as 75 per cent of normal-the lowest reported condition on this date since 1925. This fact is all the

> kept under control. In order to protect our cheapest ource of livestock feed, the committee urges community and county groups to organize for the specific purpose of fighting grass They believe the local fires. neighborhood groups should be coordinated on a community and county basis so that if necessary an effective fighting force could be gotten together in the shortest possible time in case of a major fire. All equipment should be inventoried so no time would be lost in getting the right equipment to a fire.

more reason, the leaders say, why

range and pasture fires must be

They point out that ranges and pastures should be protected with fire guards. Hazards that might cause fires should be eliminated. Glass bottles have started fires They act as a magnifying glass and when the sun's rays reach the proper angle, almost any bottle may concentrate the heat from the sun sufficiently to ignite

dry grass. Trash should be burned in a closed incinerator and no fire should be started that cannot be controlled. Motorists are urged to be on the lookout for fires and to report them if found, A small fire can usually be put out before it has a chance to spread but if unchecked, it may be out of control before it is discovered.

The leaders believe the situation is critical enough in many sections of the state to warrant action now. Don't wait, they say, until scarce livesteck feed is lost pefore commencing a grass fire control program.

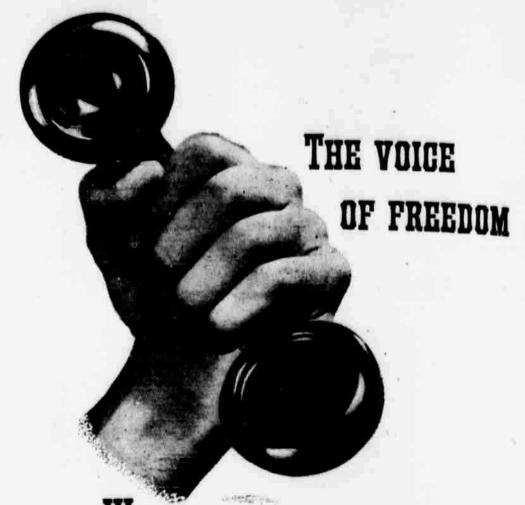
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June.

If there is no bidder at a tax sale bidding the full amount of the full amount of gelide the following: the judgment against the land ing a prize for a drawing sold, it is the duty of the sheriff or other officer making the sale to bid in the property for the State for full amount of the judgment. A sale for less than the amount is void.

The Teacher Retirement System cannot pool all of the assets of all its funds for investment purposes.

Haskell Teacher Attends English Workshop at H-SU

Mrs. Mary Martin, of Haskell, is one of 38 graduate students who have just completed a twoweek's English Workshop which was held on the Hardin-Simmons campus in Abilene.

The class which was conducted by Miss Eva Rudd of the H-SU English department began June 3 and was concluded Wednesday,

During the course of the workshop, each student obtained training in one specific field of teachng English.

Among the teacher aids studied y the class were new ideas in teaching, ways of aiding superior students, teaching history by use of literature, personality development of the teacher and choral speaking in elementary grades.

Mrs. Martin, who teaches English in the Haskell school system attended college at the Universities of Texas, Colorado and Hous-

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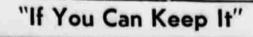
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J. Manning Edwards, Haskell painter and interior decorator, returned Monday from a vacation trip to Louisville, Ky., and other





As Benjamin Franklin left Independence Hall, a woman asked him, "Mr. Franklin, what kind of a government have you given us?"

He answered gravely, "A Republic, madam, if you can keep it."

In painting this Independence Day scene in Hometown, U.S.A.,
the artist, E. Franklin Wittmack, has found an echo of Franklin's warning in a quotation from the poet William Cullen Bryant. The historic scene of Magna Charta, the signal light on old North Church Tower, the embattled "rebels" of a great new nation—symbolize the hard-won victories, and the priceless freedom, which, on Independence Day 1953, are given every Hometown in the land-not done to

Longhorn Cavern Rapidly Becoming One of State's Prime Tourist Attractions express our sincere gratitude for the deeds of kindness, words of sympathy, for the floral offering

Burnet, Texas-Texas Longhorn 1 of age as one of the state's prime tourist attractions, H. H. (Hob) Galloway, manager of the cavern. declared Saturday.

Cavern visitors will total more than 250,000 long before the cave's 21st anniversary as a public showplace, Galloway predicted after studying attendance figures for the past years. In fact, the quarter-millionth visitor probably will pass through the famous Sam Bass entrance some time in July,

When the cavern was first opened for public inspection by the State of Texas back in the fall of 1932, after four years of development, few people even knew about it except the folks who lived in this area—like Galloway and his boyhood friends who used reaches of the cave.

"We were a little bit off the beaten track then." recalled Galloway, who is president of a bank, former mayor and a director of the Burnet Chamber of Com-

But today heavy tourist traffic streams down U. S. Highway 281, a direct Canada-to-Mexico route. And many tourists take time out to visit the cavern, reached by a paved road which enters Longhorn Cavern State Park at a point four miles south of Burnet.

"We're getting people from Cavern, third largest cave in the every state in the union now, world, is finally about to come Galloway said, "and you'd be sur-

> "We figure it's really unusual when a Texan is amazed at some-

> thing that's in Texas." This summer, Galloway estimates that more than 5000 tour-

ists and resorters will visit the

prised how many Texans visit the cavern and are amazed when they | God's blessing rest with you .see what a spectacular natural wonder it is."

> its natural subterranean beauty. Guides relate all of the cave's romantic legends of Indians, des-

been developed and modern illu- the same time.

Attends Senior Assembly At Southwestern U.

Miss Myrtle Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Haskell, was among the nearly 200 high school students and teachers who attended the Senior Assembly held at Southwestern University in Georgetown, June

Miss Smith lives at 513 Prince Street in Fort Worth.

The Assemby, which is sponsored by the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Church, gives high school students the opportunity for fellowship, inspiration, and discussion under the guidance of leading Methodist ministers and teachers.

Farm Prices Show Decline From May To June

The Agricultural Department announced in Washington this week that the general level of product prices declined about .76 per cent between mid-May and mid-June.

This decline wiped out an increase reported in the preceding month.

The mid-June price level was about 12 per cent below a year ago and nearly 18 per cent below the record reached in February,

1951. Prices of most farm commodities were lower but sharp drops in cattle and wheat contributed most to the decline. A few commodities, such as truck crops and several important fruit crops, in-

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brewer of Odessa are announcing the arrival of a daughter, born Saturday, June 27, in Odessa. Mrs. Brewer is the former Freddie Kendricks of this city. The new arrival is the great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Miller of Haskell.

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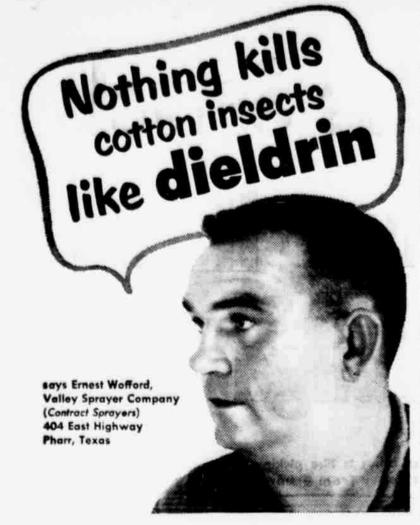
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This house was planned to give ranged so that each will serve its E. F. Rainey
Mrs. Lindo Guess and Caron used as one area for large groups. to visit, sew, or prepare foods on Bailey Guess this week. hot afternoons and evenings. It also makes a good play pen for meals. If you put windows in the oot both summer and winter.

The kitchen will provide comfortable eating space for six or eight people without the table being in the way of the work

The workroom, convenient to and food storage and also has a wash up. The large closet ad-joining the fireplace is sufficient or most hot air heating plans. It is centrally located to keep duct work to a minimum. An extra stack in the fireplace chimney will serve for a vent from the heater, regardless of type. If you do not need it for a heater it would be an ideal spot for a shower or half-bath.

The bathrooms, workroom, and kitchen can be served with a small amount plumbing, yet they offer the facilities found in much more expensive homes.

The front entrance is offset o protect it from the weather. The entrance hall with clothes

Fort Worth and Jack of Levelland. Jerry Wayne, small son of Rus-

Care Uraed In Celebrating 4th

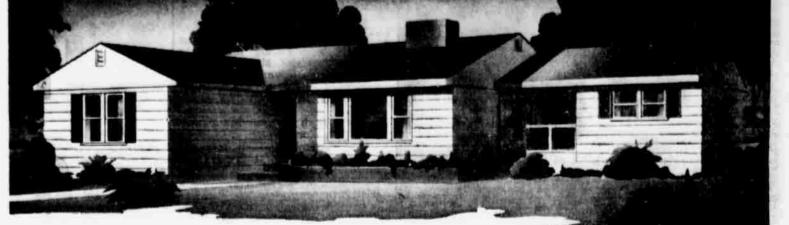
Taking note of the approach of the great patriotic national holiday, July 4th which this country has celebrated for one hundred and seventy-seven years, Dr. Geo W. Cox, State Health Officer calls the attention of the citizens of Texas to some of the dangers of careless celebrating. Each year on the fth of July, one always reads of the appalling number of accidents which occurred over the Fourth.

It is not alone the wounds received from explosives that increase our death toll. Injuries from automobile accidents, splinters, nails and other penetrating wounds in which dirt may be carried into the skin, heighten the hazard of tetanus or lockjaw Such wounds should be promptly treated by a physician.

If a drowning takes place, artia doctor arrives.

Automobile accidents have usually one of three causes- exceeding the speed limit, driving on the wrong side or failing to grant the right of way. It can be seen that the chief factor in auto accidents is the judgment of the driver. Caution should guide the holiday activities so that the day may be remembered with joy instead of sorrow.

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Weinert News

Misses Loretta and Nell Rainey are spending this week in Wichita lots of space and convenience for Falls visiting their aunt and unclea moderate cost. The living-din- Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McMeen, They ing area and breezeway are ar- are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs.

Sue, the little daughter, have been The breezeway is an ideal place visiting in the home of Mrs.

Bill Guess, Couilla and Tiffin Mayfield, Ann Derr, Mrs. Lindo babies while mother is preparing Guess and Caron Sue and Mrs. Vern Derr went to Haskell Wedbreezeway it will be a delightful nesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Chan Hughes and Chan, Jr. to celebrate Chan, Jr.'s birthday. The children all went in swim-

E. W. Driggers, I. A. Driggers and Mrs. Marcella Hooks of Greenville visited Mr. and Mrs. the kitchen has space for laundry Jim Driggers from Saturday until Monday morning. E. W. and I. A. lavatory where field hands can Driggers are brothers of J i m Driggers. Mrs. Hooks is the daughter of I. A. Driggers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford of Rosston, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford and son, Frank, of Fort Worth were guests of Mrs. Frank Ford's sister and brother, Mrs. Wessely Lyles and Bob Edwards, over the week end. They plan to visit their sister, Mrs. Al Cousins of Haskell.

Russell and Jack Johnson and their families spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Russell is of

sell Johnson spent the previous week visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson. Rev. Temple Lewis, Baptist minister of Weinert, spoke in a

joint meeting of Brotherhood and Womans Missionary Union in the Second Baptist Church at Merkel

The Weinert Womans Missionary Union met at the church at 3 p. m. Monday afternoon with their business meeting and a program on "The Old Ministers' Relief" with eleven ladies present. Mrs. C. T. Jones, program chairman, directed the program with seven ladies taking part on the program. Ladies present were as follows: Mmes. C. C. Childress, C. T Jones, Ed Roberts, Jim Crawford, Eddie Sanders, Clyde May-Vern Derr, Rufus Jones, Eulice Rainey and Mrs. Temple Lewis, Also present were Misses Ann Derr, Jeanne Turnbow and Couilla Mayfield. A beautiful song was rendered by Jeanne and Couilla with Ann Derr at the piano.

Mrs. Ed Sanders was elected as the new president of the Weinert

Of July Holiday

If the day's pleasure includes swim, caution should be used and no attempt made to do more than your strength will permit ficial respiration should be started at once and continued until

between a person of royal family

\$13 to \$14. Canners and cutters and feeder lambs bulked to \$15. Stocker ewes drew from \$7 to \$13, odd head reaching \$7 and slaughter even drew Good and choice slaughter calves cleared at \$13 to \$18.50, while common and medium butcher calves sold from \$9 to \$13, and culls sold for \$6 to \$9.

Good and choice stocker steer calves drew \$12 to \$16, and stocker steer yearlings moved at \$10 to \$15. Heifer calves and heifer yearlings sold generally \$2 to \$3 under comparable steers. Stocker cows were considerably more ac-

tive at \$7 to \$10. Good and choice fat lambs sold trip was a post-conv for \$17 to \$23, and common to medium sorts drew \$10 to \$14, ing of the Hotel Greeters with culls from \$5 to \$10. Stocker | erica, held in San An

HOUSE PLAN No. 36

cent fewer cattle and calves.

Pigs drew \$20 downward.

at \$6 to \$8.

major markets reported 11 per some heiferish kinds upwards to

Hog prices were firm with top

Most classes of sheep and lambs

were steady, except feeder lambs

Good and choice fed steers and

were slow and some sales weaker.

yearlings cashed at \$17 to \$22.

Common and medium sorts sold

from \$9 to \$16, with cull yearlings

Fat cows sold from \$8 to \$12.50,

hogs at \$26 and sows at \$20 to \$23.

Showers and Lighter Receipts Stimulate

Cattle Trade On Fort Worth Market

By TED GOULDY

Fort Worth-Lighter receipts of

livestock and some clouds and

showers in the territory gave the

Worth Monday. Most cattle and

calves were 50 cents to \$1 higher

and some cows and some calves

were \$1 to \$1.50 above the low

time last week. Receipts at Fort

Worth were 20 per cent under a

week earlier and the nation's 12

cattle trade a stimulus at Fort

GARAGE

to \$15. Stocker ewes drew \$7 and slaughter ewes so \$3.50 to \$4.50.

Fat yearlings wethers \$10 to \$14, and feeder cashed at \$10 down. Old sold from \$6 to \$8, olds cashed at \$10 RETURNS FROM TOUR

OF OLD MEXICO Mrs. Lee M. Slaughter last week from a sew tour of Old Mexico, which ed trips to many points southern republic fro City to the Pacific coast which followed the nation



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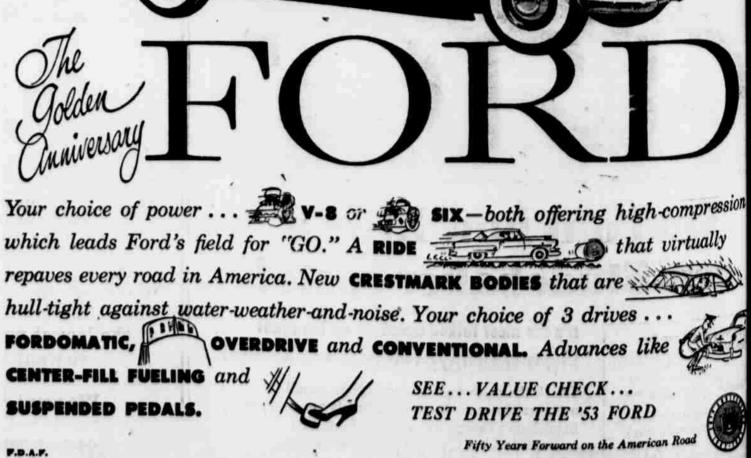
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the mail. Caused some of planes to be grounded so mail can't get here. Too, I think there was mail on that plane that crashed in Japan, which I guess Portraits you have read about. Got a little mail the first part of the week and two letters from Doris yesterday. So far, none today.

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communists. They north. As a whole though, every-thing around here is pretty peace-

Sunday. Don't suppose you mind one way or the other though.

"Haven't started getting The Free Press yet. Suppose it will take around three weeks for it to get here on a boat, but after they once start coming then there should be one every week. The news will be old there but it will still be new to me. The Stars and Stripes carried a story yesterday where Texas got beat 7-5. Never cause they really didn't have too much material there this year. posed to play basketball night, but were rained out. ing the league right now."

Fish Poisoner

Austin-The case of a chemical company employee assessed \$545 in fines and costs for poisoning fish in Toyah Creek, tributary of the Pecos River, marks monthly arrest report announced by the Director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Com-

Game Warden R. E. Miller of Pecos, who made the arrest, said the man, who resides in Pecos "gladly" paid up since he could have been sent to jail. Miller said Justice of the Peace Fenton Alley of Pecos justified the serverthe fine because some cattle recently were poisoned in a similar case. "Besides," the Game Warden added, "the people out here are trying hard to restore fishing in the Pecos and its tributaries.

\$6,110.69.40 for the same month last year.

recently "escaped" from prison were helped considerably. Howcamps and put a crimp in truce negetiations, evidently had some help from their ROK captors, a rean guards were taken off their posts and replaced by Americans. Haskell soldier now stationed in The Korean guards aided the es-He is Pvt. Kenneth Tooley, former advertising man and sports food, clothing, rations and identieditor of The Free Press, who expressed that belief in a letter they would be needing. Personalto his father, O. W. Tooley of this city. Excerpts from the letter, them in the South Korean Army, "Well, another week has finally than be repatriated. The ones who come to an end. About 48 more escaped were those who did not not want to be returned to the of them and I should be on my way home. That's still an awful long time though. Has been rain-

amount to much more than a paweek so it has interferred with rade and a lot of shouting. Several cars were overturned and a Nationalist policeman was beaten. though. While they are marching in the streets they chant 'puk chin, puk chin' which means 'go north, go north.' What the US should do is let them march into an LST, carry them up to Inchon, give "Suppose you have read about the big escape of 25,000 prisoners them a rifle, and let them go

could escape without some of the Americans finding out about it "Looks as if my father's day card got to you a little early, and was thinking all the time it was late. Had in mind that the second Sunday in June was Father's Day instead of the third

about the NCAA baseball finals expected them to get that far be-Have they started playing any softball at home? We were suphave two victories and are lead-

Fincd Heavily

Fines and costs for the month totaled \$5,665.85 as compared to

Escaped Korean Prisoners Evidently Cutting Horse and Roping Contests Had Help, Haskell Soldier Believes Set At Henrietta

The Koren prisoners of war who | before morning. Evidently they ever, the following day, the Kocape. There were many Koreans waiting in the hills to give them fication cards, and other things ly, I think Rhee is going to put figuring they had rather be there

The contest is being sponsored by the Clay County Pioneer Association. A. C. Maddox of the board of directors announces that the show will also feature some of the outstanding ropers in a "The demonstrations are still continuing, but they do not special contest. This matched roping contest will be between Elmer Carter, Texas Roping Champion, and Mike Ward, Oklahoma Ropdo not bother us any

ing Champion. The other added attractions will be a jackpot roping and Girl's jackpot barrel race. Cutting horse go-rounds will start at 8 a. m. with the finals and added attractions beginning at 8 p. m.

Donald R. Perry In Summer Camp At Fort Sill

The Clay County Pioneer Asso-

ciation's new \$100,000 Pioneer Grounds and "Rodeo Bowl" at

Henrietta, Texas, will be the site

of an Open Cutting Horse Con-

test Saturday, July 25, 1953. The

contest has the approval of the National Cutting Horse Associa-

tion, and according to Douglas

will be one of the outstanding

cutting horse shows of the year.

Fort Sill, Okla.—Cadet Donald R. Ferry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Perry, Route 2, Haskell this week began a period of intensive field training in artillery science and tactics at Fort Sill, as part of the Army Reserve Officer's Training Corps advanced course in military Science which he is taking at West Texas State Col-

He is participating in a sixweeks artillery summer camp along with approximately 2,400 other Army ROTC cadets from 38 states, Hawaii, Mexico, the Philippines, Puerto Rico and Canal Zone representing 86 colleges and uni-

During the camp the cadets will live in comfortable barricks, eat army chow and answer bugle calls for various activities of the day beginning at 5 a. m. Training will include overnight bivouacs, field exercises and actual "shooting"

of the big artillery pieces. The camp is designed to give actual experience to the cadets and develop teamwork and leadership ability. This field training is part of the four-year college course aimed toward the development of second lieutenant in the artillery branch of the Army Re-

Observing 50th Anniversary

Southwestern Life Insurance Company on July 4 observes the 50th anniversary of its launching in Texas as a going business concern, Wix B. Currie, local representative, pointed out this week

The company's first newspaper advertisement appeared in Dallas on July 5. It announced that the Company was "ready for business" and that it had applications on file for \$300,000 of insurance. It also urged readers to keep Texas money in Texas, a slogan which was to become familiar to Texans during the succeeding years up to World

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They will be the maimed, the widowed, the orphaned. For the rest of their lives some of the Mitchell, Fort Worth, National maimed will have to depend on Secretary of the association, this others of their physical care and comfort-some of the widowed and orphaned will have to depend on relatives or the state for their financial support.

And the dependency of the maimed, the widowed, the orphaned will be the result of Indepence Day accidents

In addition, several Americans will pay for their celebrations with their lives.

home state, a psitin which its president, James Ralph Wood, says it could have not achieved without the confidence and largescale support of Texans whom the Company was established to

"It is this friendship and good will which we gratefully acknowledge as the Company emopletes fifty years of service to the people of Texas," said Wod.

Bill Holter, P-T Store Manager, On Vacation

Bill Holter, manager of Perkins-Timberlake store in this city, is on his annual vacation this

In charge of the store during Holter's absence is Don Roberts from the company's store in Olney. Roberts is no stranger to Haskell, having worked here in a similar capacity several years ago when Claud Harrison was local manager.

Holidays have become horror days in the United States. In recent years many holidays have brought such a high accident toll that they assume proportions of a national castastrophe. And this carnage need not occur. Accidents are not acts of God. They are acts of humans who foolishly bet

The driver who speeds to get

The youth who attempts to swim across the lake-what gained by trying to show off in

front of a crowd? The father who cannot deny his children the "pleasure" of fireworks-what pleasure will the child derive from sightless eyes.

Motor vehicle accidents lead the list of Fourth of July hazards. According to the National Safety their lives for dubious rewards. tor vehicle accident before he rate is greatly reduced.

Second high on the Fourth of July accident list is drowning. Falls, fireworks, sunstroke and heat exhaustion, food poisoning and miscellaneous accidents also exact their toll.

Independence Day tolls are not inevitable. They can be prevented. Police departments and other officials all over the country will be alert to prevent as many acci-Council, one out of two persons | dents as possible. But as always now living in this country has the size of the toll depends chiefbeen or will be injured in a mo- ly on the good sense of every American. Take it easy on the dies, unless our present accident Fourth. Don't let Independence And Day make you a dependent.

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Josselet Families Attend Annual Reunion of Hugon Families In Gainesville

annual reunion of the descendants | ca. Texas. of the B D. Hugon family (of of the B D. Hugon family (of Three members of the group which Mrs. Victor J. Josselet was were more than 80 years of age, city, Sunday June 28. One hundred and twenty-three members of the various branches came Easley of Atoka. Okla. from many parts of Texas and Rev. John Solomon, paster of Oklahoma; one family, Mr. and the First Presbyterian Church of

Several members of the Josse- | of Haskell, drove more than 500 let families attended the fourth miles, coming from Sierra Blan-

the oldest daughter) in Gaines- including J. E. Solomon of this ville Recreation Building in that city and the youngest member present was the 18-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Mrs. Brian Hugon, traveled more | Cameron, was the speaker of the than 1200 miles, from Sharon, day, Mr. Solomon is the son of Penn. David Josselet, formerly Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Solomon,



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Haskell. His sermon was based on Acts 24:-4-15 and he applied The Challenge of Joshua" to the nodern day Christian.

Thirteen members of the group were recognized for having birthdays during the month of June. Included in the number were Jesse Josselet, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Esther King, Lynia and Dudley Perrin and Kenneth McKinney.

After a delicious feast at noon group picture was made and the afternoon was spent in conversation and visiting. During the usiness session it was voted to hold the reunion every year and the 1954 meeting will be held in Haskell on the last Sunday in April, if a suitable place can be secured for that date. The president elected to succeed LeRoy Brock of Durant is Lee R. Hugon of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. T. M. Cunningham of Denton was re-elected secretary - treasurer. The reunion closed with all forming a circle, singing one stanza of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds' and a prayer by Mr. Brock.

Haskell and Haskell County people who attended the reunion included: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Josselet, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Josselet, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Josselet, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Toliver, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Da-vid Josselet, formerly of Haskell now from Sierra Blanca; Mr. and Mrs. V. P., Terrell, Mollie and Paula, of Weinert, Miss Juanita Massey of Munday, Marvin Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Josselet of Weinert, Danny Josselet, Mrs. J. W. Mc-McKinney. Kenneth Brenda Josselet, Delores Medford, David Josselet, Eloise and Josselet. Wayne Perrin, Hope Lynda Perrin, Richard Josselet. loe and Ronnie Josselet, Dudley Perrin, Martha Toliver, Patricia Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Grand and Margaret Toliver.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt appreciation to the host of friends and neighbors and the spruce leaves on either side. good people of Haskell for the many kindnesses extended in the loss of our beloved husband and father. We are deeply apprecia-tive for the beautiful floral offerings, for the comorting words and messages during the darkest hours of our bereavement, and for everything that was done for us.-

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MR. AND MRS. TOM MY WHEATLEY

Miss Jerry Russell, Tommy Wheatley Exchange Wedding Vows June 20th

Miss Jerry Russell and Tommy ditional good luck charms. Somethe bridegroom's parents. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Russell of Ft. Worth, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wheatley of Haskell.

ring ceremony. Vows were said before the fireplace background. Double tall iron candelabra held deep rose tapers flanked by tall baskets of pink gladiolas

Mary Ann Thomas, pianist play- sheer dress. ed nuptial music, "Because" and "Always" and the traditional wedding march.

pearls. She wore nylon tulle mitts. table. She carried a bridal bouquet of

Wheatley exchanged wedding thing old was a diamond ring vows Saturday afternoon, June belonging to the bridegroom's 20, at 2 o'clock in the home of mother, something new was her dress, something borrowed was her hose.

Miss Brooksy Trammell of Aspermont, matron of honor, cousin of the bride, wore a sheer dress of embossed white cotton with The Rev. Max Copeland, pastor matching bolero fashioned with of the First Baptist Church of medallions studded with rhineand J. L. Toliver, Jr., Mrs. Jim Briggs, former paster of Roberts stones, wearing orchid hat and Community Baptist Church, offi- gloves. Her flowers were white ciated for the impressive double carnations tied with orchid satin streamers bows, Johnnie Wheatlev, brother of the groom, was best man.

The bride's mother wore a dress of off-white sheer. The groom's mother wore a printed light blue

The reception was held followthe bridegroom's parents. The city. The bride, given in marriage bride's table was laid with a lace by her father, were a gown of cloth over peach colored, with apballerina length. It was of nylon pointments of silver and crystal. tulle with pepleum of lace with A low bouquet of pink gladiola pleated ruffle on bodice and centered the table, and the beausleeve with matching lace bolero. Itiful 3-tiered wedding cake com-Her veil of fingertip length of pleted the table. Miss Mary Ann nylon tulle illusion falling from Thomas and Miss Teressa Calloa tiny cap was caught with seed way assisted in serving at the

After the reception the couple white carnations atop a white left on a wedding trip to Eureka Bible showered with satin and Springs, Ark. They will make their home in St. Louis, Mo., as the big reason for the drop in production. The standard varieties is given as the big reason for the drop in production. The standard varieties is given as the big reason for the standard varieties is given as the big reason for the standard varieties is given as the big reason for the standard varieties is given as the big reason for the standard varieties is given as the big reason for the drop in production.

blue linen dress with white accessories and she wore a white carnation corsage. The bride is a graduate of 1950 Class in Washington, and has een employed for past year at

For going away the bride wore

Bell Aircraft Corporation.

Consolidated Aircraft of Fort mfwwy

The groom is a graduate of Mattson High School with class of 1948. He entered the Army in June 1951 and served the past 16 months in Japan and Korea and received his discharge in May,

Haskell Boys Nose Past Avoca 2-1 Monday

By BOBBY REXRODE

The Haskell 14-and-under team took an exciting 2-1 victory over the Avoca Boys Monday night, garne, deadlocked for

9 1-2 innings, was broken up on Maxie Mullin's single which brought Jimmy Don Brock home with the tle-breaking tally. Sam Rike, on the mound for the locals, theld the Avoca team under his thumb throughout the for his second win in as many starts.

Burton Softballers Nip Anson, Lose To Electra

Burton Chevrolet Softball team took the top end of a 7-3 score over the Anson All-Stars Thursday night in a game played at Anson before a large crowd of fans. E. L. Bassing went all the way on the mound for the locals, with Durwood Jacobs receiving. In a game on Fair Park Field Saturday night, the Chevroleters lost a 6-3 contest to the Electra All-Stars, first in a two-game home and home series with the Wichita Countians.

The Burton team will be idle for a week, Manager Max Brown announced, with their next game scheduled Friday night, July 10, when they meet the Rule All-Stars at Fair Park Field.

On Saturday night, July Manager Brown will take his team to Electra for a return coning the ceremony in the home of test with the All-Stars in that

Set Summer Type **Tomatoes Now For Fall Production**

The commercial tomato crop this year in many sections of the state was not up to par and the same has been true for the home gardens. Adverse weather conditions during the fruiting season for the standard varieties is given

Paint Creek Takes Two, Weinert Hi Baptist Boys One Game Each This

ties shed their blossoms and don't set fruit, says B. G. Hancock, horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, when the average temperature starts climbing and this happened early this year.

A wise selection of varieties and planting dates will alter this sit-uation and will give the home gardener a supply of fresh tomatoes right on through the summer and fall. Plants for production in late July and August should be set now. Varieties that have the ability to set fruit under conditions of high temperature and low humidity should be used, says Hancock. The Summer Prolific, Porter, Firesteel and Danmark varieties are good for this purpose. The fruit size of these varieties is small when compared with the standard type varieties, however, they have good quality and are excellent when quartered or halved and used in salads.

Good cultural practices, pecially fertilization and irrigation, are necessary to carry these plants through the hot summer months and to-keep them producing fruit of good size and quali-ty. The varieties named above will produce fruit until frost if given good care, says the special-

Plants for early fall production should be set in the garden as transplants in late July or early good top quality tomate August. The same varieties recommended for summer production on to frost, says Hang will also work well here. Irriga- setting now and again la

By BOBBY REXRO

June 25, the P night, team walloped the Pin Men, 14-3. In the secon the night, Weinert Hig the Baptist Boys 17-16 contest which was to until the last inning. Monday night, June ;

Creek took its fourth win by slapping a 13-6 Monday's nightcap the Boys won a forfeit from Baptist Men, 1-0.

League Standing (Through June 2

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July 2 (tonight)-Se Weinert. See Baptist Boys vs. Ander July 6-Paint Creek v ert. Second game, Wein

Anderson Roustabouts. tion will be needed to car

plants through the late Keep the family supp

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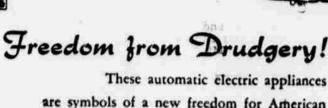
TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY JULY 7-8











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n the Lubbock schools been assigned to a r. Vaughter is emsame system subject at and will start to

wing is a statement of nd obligations of the ds of the Haskell Pubas prepared by Mrs. Clifton, and S. H. s of July 1, 1953: Funds-Bank balance

balance \$520.59. Due \$142.24. Total balance, 12. Due from State,

High School Lunch-

Fund-\$706.09.

RETURN FROM IN MEXICO

Mrs. Lon McMillin and Dennis and Brian rean extended vacation Mexico Sunday, While visited Eagles Nest,

Interest and Sinking Fund-\$9117.27.

Local Maintenance - \$5446.46. Due from State \$5990.00. Total, \$11,436.46. State and County-\$7853.79. Due from State \$7170.90. Total—\$15,024.69. Grand Total— \$26,461.15.

Amounts due teachers and jantors to be paid from the State County and Local funds-\$21,190.00.

Balance-\$5,342.15.

Average Farmer On Same Place 12 Years, Census Shows

The average Texas farmer is a little over 49 years of age and has operated the same farm for 12 years, according to report of the 1950 Census of Agriculture just received by Supervisor James M. Hamilton of the Census Budistrict office at Fort

The report is a preprint of the General Report, 1950 Census of Agriculture, Volume II Chapter Boys To Attend 2, and presents data on age, residence, years on farm, work off the farm and other income of farm operators. The preprint is available from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, for \$1 per copy.

Texas farm owners, on an average, are 11.4 years older than convention will be three FFA farm tenants, according to the Census report which states the average age of farm owners as 54.0 years and the average age of Worth's Texas Hotel are Bill farm tenants as 42.6 years. Among Thomas, Kenneth Lane and Bobby farm operators reporting on num- Stone. They will be accompanied ber of years residence on the by Haskell Stone, HHS Ag teachsame farm, owners averaged 16 er. years and tenants average 6 years.

the Census Bureau. Of 331,416 and 60.7 per cent of these had ceive their awards. One of the Mrs. Beryl Watson, Throckmorworked 100 days or more off the outstanding events of the conven-

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New officers of Haskell Ma- | Smith, Senior Warden; Raymond | district deputy sonic Lodge No. 682, who will take Davis, secretary; Roy Wiseman, Allen Strickland, incoming Woroffice July 13, are pictured. Read- retiring Worshipful Master; Bob shipful Master; Haskell Stone, ing from left, are: Charles E. Sego, treasurer. Frank W. Martin, Junior Warden. (Blohm Photo)

Three Haskell FHA Ft. Worth Meet

Among the 3,000 boys who will go to Fort Worth July 22 to help celebrate the Future Farmers 25th anniversary at the annual FFA members from Haskell.

Those who will make the trip for the 3-day meeting at Fort

The delegates attending the Almost two out of five Texas convention will be representing farmers derived income from Texas' 40,000 Future Farmers who more, Haskell; Mrs. Charles Duwork off the farm, according to belong to 840 different chapters. rexas farm operators enumerated at the meeting, the state public Haskell; Mrs. Joe Scruggs, Fort in the 1950 Census, 135,670 re- speaking winner is to be chosen Worth; Mrs. Mattie Graham, Abiported work off the farm in 1949 and state contest winners will re- lene; E. M. Thornton, Haskell; Lone Star Farmer Banquet at Hottentots are natives of South | which 661 Future Farmers will be awarded the Lone Star Farmer degree. The banquet speaker is to be Jimmy Dillion of Jones, La., National FFA president.

On Wednesday, the opening and Grove Streets. Door prizes McWilliams, Haskell; Mrs. R. W. are to be given at each afternoon Rorabaugh, Haskell.

session of the meeting.

Joe Dan Boyd, 1952-53 FFA HERE FOR WEEK-END president, who will preside at the convention, will be assisted by children of Irving will spend the the nine state vice presidents who are Donnie Strop, Canyon; Joe atives and friends. The former N. Stephens, Lamesa; Oran Little, Haskell family moved to Irving Schulenburg; Norman Evans, Gra-ham; Donald Stodghill, Rockwall; Ralph Bachmayer, Taylor; Gar- VISITING IN HOME OF land Carroll, Cleburne; Benny J. V. CLARE THIS WEEK Hamilton, Nacogdoches; and Clyde Fischer, Victoria.

Farm and Ranch Club and Van- Clare this week. Mrs. Hinds is noy Stewart of Austin, state FFA a sister-in-law of Mrs. Clare. adviser, are in charge of convention arrangements.

VESITING IN BEN

BRUTON HOME Mrs. Drue Rhine of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bruton and sons at Weinert. Mrs. Rhine is Mrs. Bruton's mother.

SPENDING SUMMER

IN COLORADO Mrs. W. N. Huckabee and Miss Eunice Huckabee of this city are spending the summer at Mt. Mor-

VISITORS IN N. I. McCOLLUM HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McCollum and daughters, Mary Ann and Sheila of Dallas are visiting perintendent. in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. I. McCollum this

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HOSPITAL NOTES

uested to observe the following chedule of visiting hours: 9 to 10.30 a. m., afternoon 3 to 4 p Registered as patients in the iospital Thursday morning were a. evening 6:30 to 8:20

V. A. Duncan, medical, Haskell. Anita Greenwood, medical, Ro-Mrs. F. H. Muhle, medical, Ro-

B. L. Haley, medical, Haskell. H. Cheek, medical, Stam-

Martin Arend, medical, Haskell. Mrs. George Tyler, medical,

DISMISSED Lee Roy O'Neal, Haskell; Howard Reding, Weinert; B. B. Gilgan and infant daubhter, Rule. State officers are to be elected Mrs. L. C. Kilgore and infant son, ton: Frank Ferguson, Rule; Mrs. tion will be the second annual Mary Brown, Haskell; W. V. Almond, Rule; Mrs. Howard Reding, Weinert; D. H. Adkins, Rochester; Mrs. Clay Kimbrough, Haskell; G. B. Therwhanger, Weinert; Stella Josselet, Haskell; Mary Jones, Haskell; W. H. Cheek, Stamford; Miss Marijon Cowan, day of the convention, a machin- Throckmorton; Mrs. Lynn Pace, ery parade will wind through Jr., Haskell; Theo Turner, Hasdowntown streets of Fort kell; Mrs. John Lara, Rochester; Worth. It will assemble at First James Strickland, Haskell; Chas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lackey and early last spring.

Church Services

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH 107 N. Ave. F. John Barry, Minister Dennis P. Ratliff,

Bible School Supt. Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Sermon, "After Pentecost,

Radio Sermon topic, "Baptism Is Necessary to Salvation?" Evening Sermon topic, "T h e 'Call of the Cross.' Wednesday evening, Prayer meeting and Bible Study.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Rev. J. B. Thompson, Minister J. A. Byrd, Church School Su-W. L. Richey, Chairman Offi-

cial Board. Church School 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:50-11:45. Nursery attendant. Youth Fellowship 5 p. m. Vesper worship 6 p. m. Choir rehearsal Wednesday at

p. m. W. S. S. S. Monday at 4 p. m. Young Mothers Circle one evening each month.

Wesleyan Guild second Monday Official Board, first Wednesday night at 7:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST 510 North Ave. E. Fred Custis, Minister Schedule of church activities:

Sunday-Bible Study at 9:45 a. m. Communion each Lord's Day. Preaching, 10:50 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Wednesday—Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Evening Study 7:30.

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

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH N. Ave. E at Fourth St. R. K. McCall, D. D., Minister

Services Sunday: Sunday Church School 9:45 m. Belton Duncan, Supt.

Morning Worship 11 a. m.

Message by the Minister.

Young Peoples' 6:30 p. m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday: Mid-Week Prayer

Service 7:30 p. m.

Haskell Woman's Brother Killed In Tractor Mishap

Thomas Floyd Gossett, 63, prominent Wise County resident and brother of Mrs. W. D. Hellums of this city, was fatally ininjured June 24 near Alvord when a tractor he was operating to pack silage in a trench silo overturned He was dead when others who were working with him returned to the silo with loads of feed.

Mrs. Hellums left immediately after being informed of the tragedy and remained at Alvord until funeral services were held for Mr. Gossett.

Last rites for Mr. Gossett, a resident of Alvord most of his life, were conducted at 3 p. m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in that city. Two ministers, Rev. Riley and Rev. Myers officiated for the rites. Burial was in Alvord Cemetery with Rhyne Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

During his long residence in Alvord, Mr. Gossett was active in church work and community enterprises. He was well acquainted here, and had many friends in Haskell and vicinity.

He is survived by his wife, of Alvord; one son, Oran Gossett of Dalhart; two daughters, Mrs. Ben Childers of Hereford and Mrs. Loncinelle Yager, Philadelphia, Penn.; three grandchildren; three brothers, J. D. Gossett of Fort Worth, H. E. Gossett of Portales, N. M., O. C. Gossett of Alvord; and seven sisters, Mrs. Hellums of Haskell, Mrs. J. Luna Jacobs of Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. E. McGaughey of Dallas, Mrs. Albert Swaim of Alvord, Mrs. Nora Wilborn of Pampa, Mrs. Roy Phillips of Decatur, and Mrs. C.

amilton, Nacogdoches; and lyde Fischer, Victoria. Members of the Fort Worth arm and Ranch Club and Vanary of Austin, state FFA Mrs. Alfred Hines and son, Larry of Paducah are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Clare this week. Mrs. Hinds is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Clare. Planning to Attend National lamboree

This area will be represented by 114 Boy Scouts and leaders the Third National Jamboree at the Irvine Ranch near Santa Ana, Calif., this July 17-23. They will have a once in a life time experience, and our nation will get a lesson in resourcefulness and self-reliance.

The Jamboree will find 50,000 boys from all walks of life, of all races and creeds living together, governed by their Scout Oath and law. Here in a four-mile square tent city, containing more persons than there are in half of the counties of the nation, the campers will exchange skills, swap home town products and learn about customs and traditions of many sections of the nation.

It will be democracy in action. All Scouts will share in the daily camp chores, cook their own meals, prepare their own camp and keep it in tiptop shape.

Most of the Scouts taking part have earned all or part of their expenses. In some instances they are being helped by the institution that sponsors their Tropps in recognition of exceptional work in Scouting.

The Jamboree itself is selfsustaining. All 50,000 campers pay a fee covering the cost of food, use of equipment and building the camp. However, in recognition of what Scouting means to America, others have been quick to help. Congress has authorized the loan of some materials to the Jamboree Camp but at no cost to the taxpayers. The owners of Irvine Ranch are lending the Scouts the use of 3,000 acres and America's railroads granted special rates. Those who attend the Jamboree will be better Americans because of the greater appreciation of the nation they will get by seeing America as they travel and camp

The third creative arts workshop for county home demonstra-tion agents will be held at Texas Tech College, Lubbock, July 6-10.

July 19-25 has been proclaimed by President Eisenhower as Na-tional Farm Safety Week in the United States and Governor Shivers has also proclaimed the same period as Farm Safety Week in Texas.

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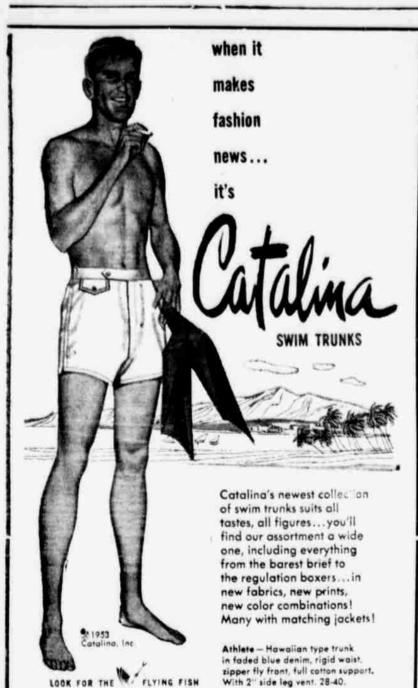


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News From Sagerton Future Farmers

last week. Lunch was served at noon and the following ladies enjoyed the all-day meeting: Mesdames Anna Hankins, John Clark, R. N. Sheid, Pete Lusk, Ben Hess, all of Sagerton, and Mrs. Ewell Kittley and Mrs. J. C. Davis of Rule, Miss Fannie Kay and Mrs. W. Martin of Haskell, Mrs. Travis Beil and Mrs. Beno Her-tenberger of Old Glory were also

The Daily Vacation Bible School at St. Paul's Lutheran Church will begin July 13. The Rev. Wendel, pastor, has asked that all the church children be present and some neighbor children with

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert and family of Idalou and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Sandefer and family of Killeen were here Sunday to isit Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert Mrs. Lambert was dismissed from the Stamford Hospital Saturday where she had been since Tuesday of last week suffering from bruiss she received when the car in which she was riding driven by Miss Velda Carter collided with a car driven by Mrs. A. L. Gibson at intersection in Sagerton.

Misses Lillian and Loretta Neinast, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Neinast have gone to Newburg, N. Y. to visit their sister, Mrs. Thomas Hemphill, and Mr. Hemphill and Carol Ann.

Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller, clothing leader, told the ladies of the Sagerton H-D Club that it is the finishing touches that gives a dress that professional look, at their meeting Tuesday. June 23 in the home of Mrs. Delbert Le-

Mrs. A. C. Knipling, vice president, conducted the meeting due to the absence of Mrs. Gholson, president. They are happy to have Mrs. Edgar Jennings as a new

Lemonade and angel food cake were served to Mmes. A. C. Knipling, Glyn Quade, J. C. Kainer, Fegar Jernings, C. E. Stegemoeller, Edward Neinast, Will Stegemoeller and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Edward Neinast Tuesday

The WSCS of the Sagerton Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Carl Sims Monday June 22, for their monthly so- Mrs. Glyn Quade and family here

Mr. and Mrs. G. Muegge and children of Haskell visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Neinast Sunday. The Muegge's son and the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey of Abilene visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Neinast last

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rewe and children and Mr. and Mrs. John

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home of Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Sr., in Sagerton Sunday and attended installation services at St. Paul's Lutheran Church for the new pas-

tor, Rev. Wendel. Mrs. Olga Stegemoeller and son, Roland of Slaton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller Sunday. They also attended services at St. Paul's Lutheran

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swofford of rving visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Loil Young recently. Otto Schaake celebrated his

birthday at his home northeast of Sagerton Monday evening June 22. Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schaake and Glenna of Paint Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Helm and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lehrmann, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Holle, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp and children, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann, Margie, James and Sara Lehrmann, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipling, Geneva and Jack Monse, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller and son, and B. Kupatt, all of Sagerton and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Raphelt and Tom Thane of Stamford, Mrs. Otto Schaake was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Wende of Cherry Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Baethge of Fredericks-Mrs. Rudy Wendel last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Baethge are the parents of Mrs. Wendel.

Rev. and Mrs. Doerr and children of Olney, Rev. and Mrs Flachmann of Sweetwater and Rev. and Mrs. Bruce Gaskamp and daughter of Haskell and Rev C. N. Roth of Seguin were all here for the installation service for the Rev. Rudy Wendel, new pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday evening. After the services a social was held in the church basement.

Miss Dahlia Knipling visited riends in Corpus Christi Wedneslay of last week and spent the veek end with friends in San

isited Mrs. Benton's parents, Mr and Mrs. L. E. Marrs in Haskell uesday of last week.

Mrs. Opal Rash and children f Arlington visited her sister, last week.

The Walter League of the Zion Lutheran Church met Sunday in the parish hall, Marvin Stegemoeller was the host for the social hour.

Citizens of this community were shocked to hear of the death o Quant Caudle Saturday morning at Whiteface. It was believed that he suffered a heart attack because he was found dead in bed The Caudles are former residents of this community and Quant Caudle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Park Caudle were among the first settlers here. He is survived by his wife, four children, and his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Caudle.

General Telephone Company To Adopt Division Grouping

The Haskell Exchange will be the Seymour district un-ROAST lb. 29c der a reorganization of the General Telephone Company of the Southwest which is effective July

The Seymour District is a part of the newly-created Northern Division with offices in Memphis. F. A. Robinette will be the Sey-mour District Manager and Mills Roberts is to be Northern Division Manager.

Walter G. Wright, president of the company, in announcing the reorganization, said "Our primary objective is to improve the service to our customers and we expect to achieve this by placing more responsibility and authority in the field closer to our telephone users."

Under the new type of organization, the General Telephone Company of the Southwest will be divided into five geographical divisions and these, in turn, will be composed of Districts varying

in number from three to six. The Company, which operates exchanges in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana, has doubled the number of Company telephones in service since January, 1950. It is the largest of any independent (non-Bell) telephone company render-ing service in the Southwest.

Haskell Man Finds Good Bass Fishing In Louisiana

Richard Bischofhausen of this city, accompanied by his son, Richard, Jr., of Irving, Texas, spent two days last week fishing near Marksville, La., and the Haskell man is boosting that section as the "best black bass fishing and the "best black bass fishing area." ing spot anywhere."

The two men caught a total of 42 black bass, ranging from one to four - pounders, during their two days stay. Fair accommodations are available at reasonable rates, Bischofhausen said. Good fishing spots are easy to find, he said. "There are so many small creeks and beyous to fish that you can go all day without seeing anyone," he added. He plans to make a return trip to Marksville, probably in October, he said.

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To Get Degrees At State Meet

FFA convention for 652 Future Farmers will be the presentation of their Lone Star Farmer degrees-a goal for which they have been working for more than two years. Sixty-four of the 652 boys are from this area of the state

Presentation of the degrees will be made at the Lone Star Farmer banquet July 23, during the 25th annual Future Farmer convention scheduled for July 22-24 in the Texas Hotel at Fort Worth. Three thousand delegates representing the 40,000 Texas Future Farmers are expected to attend this celebration of the organization's silver

Qualifications for becoming a Lone Star Farmer include 24 months of instruction in vocational agriculture, an outstanding program of supervised farming, an investment of at least \$250, outstanding leadership ability, and satisfactory scholastic record.

Monte Griffin of Lamesa, who was chosen 1953 Star Farmer from the 64 Lone Star Farmer degree applicants from this area will be honored at the banquet. The applicants from Haskell

and neighboring towns are: Kenneth Lane and Bill Thomas, Haskell: Jessie Silba, Rochester; Kent Dunnam, Dean Quade and Travis Townsend, Rule; Don Walker, Stamford.

Red River County Reunion Slated At Lubbock

Plans were made recently at a meeting of officers and committees for the annual reunion of former residents of Red River County and their families, to be held at McKinney State Park, Lubbock, Sunday, July 5th.

All former residents of Red River County and their families are invited. A large crowd is expected, including some present esidents of Red River County.

Those attending are urged to ring lunch baskets. At noon diner will be served picnic style. Arrangements have been made for water, ice, picnic tables and other necessary things.

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Farm Bureau Asks President Eisenhower To Give Emergency Help to Stock Men

Waco-The Texas Farm Bureau | credit for essential feed. Federation has asked President Eisenhower to "give serious consideration" to five proposals designed to alleviate thhe hardships suffered by livestock producers in the droutch-stricken area of the

In a telegram to the chief executive, the TFBF board in session in Waco requested that immediate emergency measures be instituted to "relieve this drastic situation. The message, signed by President J. Walter Hammond, contained the following proposals:

1. That the drouth stricken portion of the state be declared a dis aster area.

2. Provide through existing channels, or otherwise, a system of credit to enable livestock producers to maintain possession of foundation herds.

3. Provide necessary long-term

4. Make available surplus CCC

feedstuffs at prices as low as those offered to foreign countries. . That the U. S. Department of Agriculture initiate a beef-purchase and promotion program that will restore confidence, strengthen the market and tide the industry over this emergency.

The telegram also urged that a thorough investigation be made of the disparity between producer and consumer prices" by Agriculture Secretary Benson's Livestock Advisory Committee which was to meet June 20 in Chicago. The directors stated that live-

stock producer and credit agencies in this state 'prepare for ordinary drouths, but this unprecedented has not only depleted ranges of forage, but has also depleted the sources of credit."

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(Continued from page 1) of Haskell. Up to one foot of water mooded portions of State High-way 24 at two points east of Hashell, Highway Department main-brance foreman Ray Lusk reported. Near the Bill Brannan

service station Highway 24 was Bookled for a quarter mile stretch. Further east, near the Earl Atchand Kirkpatrick farms, water covered the highway for a disthe of a half mile. Highway mandenance workers were statree l along the flooded stretches to prevent traffic mishaps, until the water subsided from the road-Considerable damage result to highway shoulders,

I Inches at Paint Creek

In the Paint Creek community area southeast of Haskell, the ing.

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rainfall was gauged at between 8 L. B. Jones, farmer living in and 9 inches on the Vernell Gil- that area, reported the loss of a liland farm some five or six miles southeast of town.

Small streams in that area went out of banks, and the run-off washed out terraces and cultivated fields on a number of farms in that section County Agent W. Martin said after making a check of the area around 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The heavy run-off flooded Farm-Market road 618 in the Paint Creek area in several places. At one time Tuesday morning, water across the farm-market road reached a depth of between three and four feet in the stretch of lowland just south of the Seet Cox farm home.

For a time Tuesday morning which were badly washed by the all travel over F-M 618 was halted completely. Traffic over the road was resumed after several hours, when the water began fall-

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cow as a result of the near-cloudburst in his section. The animal drowned in flooded lowlands on the Jones farm, he told County Agent Martin.

All streams in the Paint Creek area were swollen out of banks. sending torrents of water into the Paint Creek Lake. Horse Creek, on the John S. Rike Ranch adjacent to the lake, reached its highest stage in years. Around 11 a. m. wide. All of the water was drainthe reservoir was completed.

Southeast Section of County Benefitted

In the Cobb community in the southeast section of the county farmers and ranchers reported

more rain than had been received VISITORS FROM TEXLINE in years.

Rainfall in that area was gaug- sons, Jerry and Rodney, of Texed at more than six inches early line, were week end visitors in Tuesday morning by M. M. and the home of his parents, Mr. and apolis, Minn., after a visit in Vaughn Cobb, longtime residents Mrs. John F. Ivy of this city. They in that community. All surface went to Merkel Monday for a Hilliard and Mr. Hilliard and famtanks and reservoirs were full visit in the home of Mrs. Ivy's and running over for the first parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. B. time in more than four years, they reported.

Stockmen and farmers in that from Paint Creek Rural High section who had been hauling School where he was superintenwater for livestock remaining after herds had been depleted by Tuesday the stream was reported the scarcity of grass and water, VISITS IN IRVING running from 300 to 400 yards will have a welcome respite from the expensive chores. And the ing into the lake which was re- rain will revive ranges and can she visited in the home of her ceiving the biggest catch since provide considerable winter for- son and family, Mr. and Mrs. age for livestock, ranchers hope- Richard Bischofhausen, Jr. fully believe.

Strawn Sand—

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preparation for completion of the Drillstem test was taken at 1781-96 feet, with tool open 23 hours. Gas surfaced in 27 minites. Recovery was 195 feet of oil, 120 feet of oil cut mud and 120 feet of salt water. Flowing pressure was zero and shutin pressure was 680 pounds in 20

Operator then cut a core at 4781-96 feet and was coming out of hole with a core at last re-

Sid Katz Exploration, Abilene, staked No. 1 C. K. Hunley et al as a Juliana Field location, seven miles west of Rochester.

Location for the 5200 foot test is 330 feet from south and 2,747 from east lines of G. C. Alford

New Pay Discovery

Thomas D. Humphrey & Sons, Ltd., of Dal'as No. 2-A J. M. Collins, B. Brown survey 157, is a prospective Cross Cut discovery well nine miles east of Haskell.

A drillstem test was taken in the Cross Cut at 3,776-86 feet with the tool open for 75 minutes. Gas surfaced in six minutes. O i l flowed after the tool was closed. Final recovery was 3,000 feet of oil and 35 feet of oil-cut mud.

Operator then deepened to 3,791 feet, set pipe, and began product-

Humphrey & Sons No. 5 J. M. Collins is a 3,900 foot rotary try in that same area. Site is 1,400 feet from the south and 4,110 feet from the east lines of B. Brown Survey 157.

The Texas Co. No. 1 First National Bank of Fort Worth-Williams Unit, Georgetown RR Survey. A-1307, was completed six miles west of Rochester in the Juliana Field.

During a nine hour potential test the well gauged 96.67 barrels of 40 gravity oil, flowing through a 1-4 inch choke with 400 pounds casing and 310 pounds tubing pressure. Production is from open hole at 4.972.83 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 845-1.

Most forage crops in the state are taking a beating from the drouth and chances for normal production are slight. Therefore, when these crops, including corn and grain sorghums, reach the turning point and start down, they should be used for making silage.

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HILLIARD HOME Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ivy and Frank Kolosa left this week to return to his home in Minneily in this city. They all visited Fort Worth last week end in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hill-Voore. Mr. Ivy is superintendent of schools at Texline, going there iard and Cheryl Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hilliard and Gerald Ray.

VISITORS FROM DALLAS

Mrs. Corene Camp and daugh-Mrs. Richard Bischofhausen ters, Laverne and Frances, of spent last week in Irving, where Dallas, spent a short visit last week with Mr. and Mrs. Grady E. Scott in this city.

VISITING IN FORT SMITH, ARK.

Misses Sue and Jeanette Wells of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting Mr. | Mrs. W. O. (Bill) Smith and and Mrs. Lee M. Slaughter of sons are visiting relatives in Fort Smith, Ark., this week.



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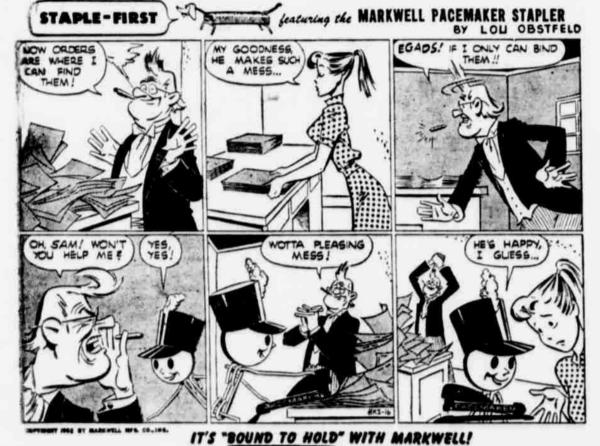
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