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Haskell County History

28 Years Ago—March 15, 1934

Orders calling for the lay-off of approximately 34 C. W. A. workers weekly has been received by T. L. Donohoo, county administrator for the Civil Works Administration. About 250 men are now employed on CWA projects, and at one time the total was 400 or more, he reported.

A check of the 22 voting boxes in Haskell County reveals that a total of 1172 more poll tax receipts have been paid by citizens of this county than for 1932, the last election year. Tax Collector Ed Fouts has issued 4065 poll tax receipts for the current year, compared with 2893 in 1932.

A boy's club, to be known as "Little Texans" is being organized by Rex Felker, a Haskell boy. The club will be composed of boys between the ages of 7 and 14 years and will have for its object the teaching of roping and riding. Felker plans to have an old time chuck wagon built to be used by the club during the summer months for camping trips for the boys. He also plans for the boys

to have part in special roping acts to be presented during the Fair here and the Cowboy Reunion in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richey and daughter, Jane spent the week end in Spur visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards and daughter Frances Merle, accompanied by Mrs. R. S. Edwards, spent several days last week in Dickens with relatives. Mrs. Edwards remained for a several weeks visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson of Breckenridge were week end visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robertson and Mrs. H. S. Wilson.

J. N. Gibbs, 17, received slight injuries on his face and head Sunday when he fell from a moving truck. The accident occurred when the truck turned the corner in front of the Tonkawa Hotel.

Joe Lee Ferguson and Jim Ferguson of this city made a business trip to Eastland Wednesday.

30 Years Ago—March 14, 1934
Dr. R. L. Grey of O'Brien was a business visitor in Haskell Sat-

urday. He said that several stores were burglarized in O'Brien Monday night and considerable loot taken. His drug store was one of the places hit by thieves. All of the establishments entered were thoroughly ransacked for money, and quite a bit of merchandise taken, he said.

Horace Pinkerton has recently opened a new tin shop and sheet metal works near the produce house and is back at his old profession. He formerly was in that business here before moving West to grow up with the country. Realizing his error, he returned to Haskell and says he plans to stay here.

An estimated 300 jackrabbits were killed in one of the season's first drives, held last Tuesday in the Howard section. Dinner was served to the large group of hunters at noon.

Following the cold weather last week end, Haskell citizens awakened Thursday to find a mantle of an inch of snow covering the ground. The snow had melted by noon, and it is not believed the snow and preceding cold spell damaged fruit and garden stuff to any great extent.

Mart Gentry, 78, manager of the Reynolds Cattle Company ranches in Haskell, Throckmorton and Shackelford Counties, died of a heart attack Wednesday morning. He was on his way from one of the ranch houses to headquarters when stricken. Gentry was well known to all the old time cattlemen of the state. It was said he had been in the saddle 65 years.

Hardy Grissom and son Charles attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth the first of the week.

Judge A. J. Smith and son Gilbert returned Tuesday from a motor trip through the Plains country.

Miss Cansulla Austin has opened a millinery shop in O'Brien, located in the balcony of the Austin general store at that place.

50 Years Ago—March 12, 1904

Some of our most optimistic citizens are proclaiming that Spring is here. They base their claims on the fact that the elms are budding out and that fruit trees are blooming all over town. Oldtimers however, are taking the balmy weather of the past few days with a grain of salt. They are still waiting for the mesquite to green up as a sure sign of Spring.

All Cousins of the northwest part of the county visited Haskell friends this week.

Miss Carrie Evans, who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherrill for the past two weeks, left Wednesday for her home in Gatesville.

Rev. O. G. Jones, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Big Spring, was here a day or two this

week. Rev. Jones conducted a protracted meeting here a year or two ago and has many friends who are glad to have him back for a visit.

Miss Ola Fitzgerald, who has been visiting friends in the country for several days, returned

home Thursday.
Messrs. M. S. Shook, S. S. Cummings, W. T. Hudson, J. S. Boone, John E. Robertson, L. Lumsden and Roy Shook attended the cattlemen's convention in Fort Worth this week.
S. E. Carothers remarked to us

yesterday that we might say that his announcement for Tax Assessor would appear in The Free Press next week.

Presiding Elder Smith was here this week and conducted a quarterly conference at the Methodist Church. He preached to

a large congregation Tuesday night.
R. W. Williams and Miss Sallie F. Ramsey were married Thursday evening, March 10 at the home of the bride in this city. Rev. C. C. Anderson of the Presbyterian Church officiated.

The grass is coming out on the prairies are taking on a greenish hue. The growth, however, due to the dry ground. A soaking Spring would rapidly provide for livestock which is needed.



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Church Services

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Barry, Minister
Mrs. F. Ratliff,
School Supt.
Sermon topic: "I Was
Born 1 p. m. "Why
Wait?"
Sermon topic: "The
Gospel in a Changing
World"

METHODIST CHURCH
Second and Ave. F.
Thompson, Minister
Church School.
Morning Worship.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
N. Ave. E at Fourth St.
R. K. McCall, D. D., Minister
Services Sunday:
Sunday Church School 9:45 a. m.
Belton Duncan, Supt.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship,
message by the Minister.
6 p. m. Presbyterian Youth Fel-
lowship.

lowship.
7 p. m. Evening worship, Mes-
sage by the Minister.
Through the week:
Monday:
9:30 a. m. Women of the church.
7 p. m. Choir rehearsal.
Wednesday:
6:30 p. m. Covered dish supper.
7:15 p. m. Study of Ephesians.
7:45 p. m. Called meeting of
Session for Revival Meeting.
Sunday, March 21 our revival
meeting will begin and will run
through Sunday, March 28. Dr.
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preach for us. Fuller announce-
ment later.

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Haskell, Texas
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p. m.
Y. P. E. Service Saturday at
7:45 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
M. D. Rexrode, Pastor
Sid Davis, Associate Pastor
Sunday
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
Youth Choir 5:30 p. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

W. M. U. 4 p. m.
Wednesday
Cabinet Meeting 7:00 p. m.
Teachers Meeting 7:15 p. m.
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.
Choir Practice 8:30 p. m.

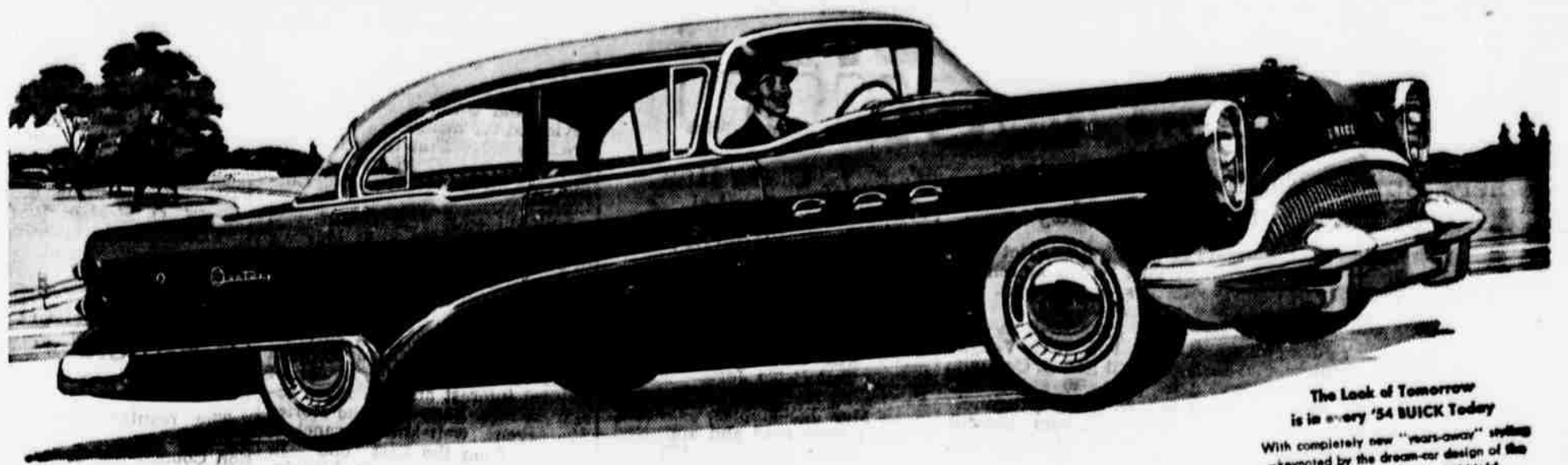
THURSDAY
Visitation 7:30 p. m.

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

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NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Newcomers, Spring Fashions In Spotlight At Meeting of Magazine Club Friday

Newcomers to Haskell, and Spring Fashions shared the spotlight Friday afternoon at the Magazine Club. The fashion show, sponsored by local merchants and under the direction of Mrs. Jack Pippin, proved highly entertaining to members and guests. The accent of the show was placed on flower fashions which were furnished by Conners. The flowers were arranged many ways to meet the individual need of the costume—for shoulder, waist, wrist or purse.

Mrs. R. G. Wheatley was commentator for the review of the latest that women and children are wearing.

Lee Pippin, Jerre Sue Couch, Terrie Kay Diggs, Judy Cousins, Peggy Jane Thigpen, Anita Thigpen, Diane Sue Hester, Beth Vaughter, Willa Kay Warren, and Barbara Worrell modeled Easter costumes and play clothes from Hassen's, C and B, Coifield's, Heely Dry Goods and Warren's Booterie.

Mrs. R. A. Shaver, Mrs. Robert Cousins, Mrs. R. C. Couch, Jr., Mrs. Joe Thigpen, Mrs. George H. Hauser, Mrs. E. O. McClellan, Mrs. Phil Baird, Mrs. Leon Pearsey, and Miss Bobby Merchant modeled for Personality Shoppe, Lane-Felker, Coifield's, C and B, Hassen's and Warren's Booterie. Their costumes included special occasion suits and dresses, as well as casual suits, dresses and play clothes. Mrs. Wheatley noted that there was a spring dress modeled to fit the age, figure and budget of the fashion-minded persons present. The show was concluded with a "Happy Easter" wish by Terrie Kay Diggs dressed as a bunny.

Mrs. Wm. J. Kemp was elected

delegate to the First District Convention in Fort Worth March 29-31 with Mrs. Jack Pippin serving as alternate.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mmes. C. V. Payne, J. G. Vaughter, Theron Cahill and B. Cox who served a tea plate to guests and members following the program.

Guests and members present were Mesdames H. V. Woodard, Edwin Fisher, Richard Sherrill, N. I. McCollum, Fred Monke, R. C. Liles, Hugh Smith, A. C. Knauss, S. L. Calhoun, Carl Anderson, J. E. Wesson, J. U. Fields, R. C. Couch, Sr., R. L. Burton, E. M. Frierson, W. A. Lyles, S. W. Flournoy, Bill Lane, George Tyler, Elmer Turner, Roy Everett, J. E. Johnson, R. F. Coston, C. O. Holt, C. L. Lewis, J. A. Couch, C. D. Allen, Carl Wheatley, O. J. Curry, Chas. Featherston, C. D. Swinson, Ross E. Fox, B. B. Giffmore, D. V. Hiebert, V. W. Meador, Jr., Bill Gamble, Wallace Cox, Bill Richey, Irene Ballard, Ollie Freeman, Dennis Ratliff, Ada Rike, Misses Maybelle Taylor, Nettie McCollum, the hostesses and models.

Josephine Ward Circle Meets With Mrs. Thurman Lusk

The Josephine Ward circle of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Thurman Lusk Monday afternoon, March 8 in Bible study taught by Mrs. Elmer Turner.

Present were Mmes. Ed Fouts, Rosa Glenn, R. L. Foote, I. N. Simmons and one visitor, Mrs. Nail of Crawford, Texas.

T. E. L. Class Has Business, Social Meeting Tuesday

The T. E. L. class of the First Baptist Church met in the church annex on Tuesday afternoon for a business and social meeting. The group was called to order by singing Tell It To Jesus. Prayer was led by Mrs. Herren, the president. Mrs. Joe Maples, presiding. Minutes were read and approved. The secretary reporting 123 contacts made during February with ninety 100% grades being made.

President, first and second vice presidents, five group captains, treasurer, flower chairman, teacher and assistant teacher, constitute the class officers. Members voted to retain the class name they had so many years, following the re-arrangement of adult classes. The name is significant of an outstanding religious family of New Testament times as found in 2 Tim. 1:5, Eunice and Lois. The class meets each first Tuesday afternoon for business and social contact.

Mrs. Geo. Herren's group served orange cake and coffee to Mmes. D. B. Massey, J. W. Martin, Foney Graham, I. S. Grindstaff, Jack Merchant, J. A. Cain, Mary Alvis, R. V. Mobley, J. E. Walling Sr., K. D. Simmons, B. M. Whiteaker and Herren.

Elementary P-TA Elects Officers For Coming Year

The Haskell Elementary P-TA met March 3 at 3 p. m. in the lunch room of the Elementary School. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Gene Elliott, the president. The secretary, Mrs. S. P. Herren read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved.

The president called for committee reports. A report was given on Child Welfare. Mrs. Bob Herren gave certificates to 18 members who have completed the parliamentary course. Mrs. S. P. Herren gave the executive committee's report. The P-TA elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Virginia Flournoy; vice president, Mrs. Ima Dell Fitzgerald; treasurer, Mrs. Opal Gilliam; secretary, Mrs. Otis Curry.

The treasurer gave her report. The P-TA voted to give a Life Membership this year to someone. Mrs. Flournoy, Mrs. Ben C. Chapman and Mrs. Bill Holden were appointed as a committee to select the person.

Mrs. Ben Clifton, program chairman for the evening asked Mrs. Ed Hester to bring the devotion. Then Mrs. Clifton introduced Dr. Kemp who spoke on What Our Taxes Provide for Our Schools.

Mr. Allen gave a report showing charts of increased enrollment since 1946 and projections of increases until 1960.

Mrs. Roy Guinn's room won the room count.

VISITORS FROM EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. James Rice of El Paso visited Tuesday of this week in the home of Mrs. I. N. Alvis in this city.

Fabulous Ranches of Texas Background for Progressive Study Club Texas Day Program

The rich heritage of Texas with its fabulous ranches, historic cattle trails, and colorful cowboys was reviewed for members of the Progressive Study Club at their Texas Day program Thursday evening, March 4, in the Homemaking Cottage.

The director, Mrs. Otis Curry, opened the program with the story of our State song, Texas, Our Texas, by Wm. J. Marsh. All joined in singing it with Mrs. Bill Lawson at the piano.

Mrs. R. A. Lane, first speaker, had as her subject "Texas Famous Ranches." Showing the results of natural interest and extensive research, Mrs. Lane told the stories of seven well-known ranches, ranging from the first one in Chambers County near Liberty, through the nearest one, 11 h s Swenson Ranch, to the most interesting one, the King Ranch. Of special interest were her comments on the respective cattle brands used by the ranches, and the pioneer personalities of their owners.

Historical Texania painting a picture of riders, pack animals and chuck wagons, was continued by Mrs. Ben Clifton, who spoke on "Cattle Trails." Employing both facts and folklore, Mrs. Clifton gave an account of trails including the Dodge, Chisholm, Shawnee, Jones-Plumber, and the Good-night-Loving. She mentioned a controversy involving the actual route of the Chisholm Cattle Trail.

Guest speaker, Rex Felker, gave a most interesting speech titled "Ride 'Em Cowboy." Mr. Felker, a fluent speaker with a thorough knowledge of his subject divided his speech into four categories: Ranch Cowboys, Rodeo or Professional Cowboys, Dude or Druggstore Cowboys, and the Motion Picture Cowboys. Drawing from his twenty-five years experience, he interspersed his remarks by reading poems from "Texas Cow Trails" written by Raymond Cooke Plants of Seymour. He concluded with an effective monologue "Cowboy Meditations."

An original oil painting by Mrs. Curry was on exhibit. It portrayed a typical pioneer Texas woman, and was most enjoyed by its viewers.

At the business meeting preceding the program, reports of officers were heard. Mrs. R. W. Herren, Federation Counselor, told the story of the celebration of March 7 as Friendship Day in Texas, and described the Friendship Day greeting cards made by the Art committee under the direction of Mrs. W. O. Holden, chairman. These cards were sent to each club in First District.

Mrs. Jack Pippin, program chairman, reminded members that neighboring clubs would be guests at the next program, March 13, when Mrs. Homer Ladd of Fort Worth will be speaker. This will be the annual Federation and Friendship Day observance.

Announcement of a Club Institute in Wichita Falls on the 18th and the First District Spring Convention in Fort Worth on March 29, 30 and 31 were made.

The president, Mrs. Robert Wheatley, expressed gratitude to the committee chairmen who had worked so diligently in making reports of the club's activities to district officers. Special recognition was due Mrs. W. H. Pitman, Education chairman, who supervised arrangements for the Pioneer Museum on display during Texas Public Schools Week.

Hostesses for the evening, Mrs. Raymond Davis and Miss Jane

Holt, used Texas symbols in their decorations. They served date cake and coffee to Mr. Rex Felker and the following: members: Mesdames Royce Adams, C. D. Allen, Phil Baird, Ben Clifton, Austin Coburn, O. J. Curry, Viars Felker, Garvin Foote, R. W. Herren, W. O. Holden, R. A. Lane, Bill Lawson, H. L. Perkins, Jack Pippin, Robert Wheatley, and Joe Williams.

County Council Of H-D Clubs Meets Here

The regular meeting of the Haskell County Home Demonstration Council was held in the district court room Saturday March 6 at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Howard Overby, chairman, called the meeting to order. Nine clubs were represented and each read a report of their club to the council.

Mrs. Rex Murry, the THDA chairman, asked each club to pay their THDA dues this month.

A. A. U. W. Chapter Luncheon Planned March 13th

The Haskell chapter of A. A. U. W. will have a luncheon at 1 p. m. Saturday, March 13 at the Haskell Highway Drive Inn Cafe. At this time new officers will be elected.

Mrs. Ann Taylor Hosts Meeting of Sewing Club

Mrs. Ann Taylor was hostess to the Rainbow Sewing Club March 2 in the home of Mrs. F. L. Peavy. The entertaining room decorations were mums and ivy plants.

With the president in charge, the meeting opened in the usual form by singing which was led by Mrs. Patterson. The thought for the day was given by Mrs. Johnson. After the business session, Mrs. H. J. Hambleton and Mrs. Austin New were initiated into the club by the initiation officer, Mrs. Jess Josselet.

Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Peavy both furnished hostess gifts. Mrs. New drew the first lucky number and won a lovely set of earbobs made by Mrs. Taylor. Mrs. Bland drew the second lucky number and won a pretty crystal bowl given by Mrs. Peavy.

The recreation was directed by Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Flournoy. Lovely gifts were presented to the hostess, Mrs. Taylor.

The Reds are walking on air and wearing a big smile because they are leading in the contest.

The club will meet in the home of Mrs. John Pittman March 16. Refreshments were served to Mmes. W. E. Johnson, D. Bland, Tony Patterson, Bill Flournoy, Walter Rogers, Thelma Adams, J. B. Edwards, Jess Josselet, Lillie Bynum, Nell Hambleton, F. L. Peavy, Irion Pearsey, John Pittman, Ann Taylor, a visitor Mrs. Larry Stoddard and little daughter Bernaine of Pampa.

ATTEND ABILENE C OF C BANQUET

Mayor and Mrs. Courtney Hunt and Miss Madalin Hunt were among those from Haskell attending the annual banquet of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night.

\$2,837.84 Reported First of Week In Red Cross Drive

A total of \$2,837.84 had been reported in the first of the week on the current Red Cross Fund and Membership campaign, officials of the local chapter reported.

Generous support has been accorded the campaign in all sections of the county, officials said, and they praised the volunteer workers who are helping in the campaign.

The \$2,837 total represents reports from twelve communities in the county, four of which over-subscribed their assigned quotas. Communities which have made partial or complete reports include O'Brien, Pinkerton, Mattson, Roberts, Paint Creek, Sager-ton, Irby, Curry Chapel, Sayles and Center Point, Bunker Hill, Haskell.

The campaign is continuing in many communities of the county, and persons who have not been contacted may give their contributions to local volunteer workers or send direct to the Haskell chapter and it will be acknowledged.

A final tabulation of the campaign will be published after all reports from the current campaign are in, chapter officials had announced.

Elementary School Grateful for Help With Minstrel

The Elementary School expresses sincere thanks to all the people who helped in any way to make the Negro minstrel successful, and to each business house that donated prizes for the candy. Your cooperation made the project an outstanding activity of the school year.

Maybelle Circle of Baptist W. M. U. Meets Monday

The Maybelle Circle of the First Baptist W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. K. D. Simmons Monday afternoon for a lesson on the life of Samuel, as outlined in Young People of Destiny. The basis of the Bible study was 1 and 2 Samuel. The meeting was opened with prayer and Mrs. Whiteaker led the general discussion on

Samuel's characteristic life of devoted service, laid on the fact that he was a praying mother. Members present were Mrs. J. G. Vaughter, O. J. Grimes, I. S. Grindstaff, W. J. Felker, Joe Maples and Mrs. Gracie Moore. C. Couch, Sr., and Miss Taylor.

The next meeting will be in the home of M. Whiteaker on the following day afternoon.



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Members of Early Day Family Here Return for Visit

Visiting the R. C. Montgomery's and other relatives and friends here this week were Mr. and Mrs. Will Frost of Fort Worth, and Mrs. John Tom Bowman and Mrs. Gillie Frost Beetham of Mineral Wells.

Overnight Camp Is Training Stint for Local Scouters

An overnight camp at Lueders Park on the Clear Fork of the Brazos River last Saturday night culminated Scout training for Cecil Corley, Culver Carney and Dr. E. O. McClellan.

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HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

By VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association

Austin, Texas—Political tension tightens as the March 15 convening date of the Texas Legislature draws near.

There are three aspects: (1) the special session to raise money for teacher and state employees salary increases and other purposes; (2) the conservative-liberal conflict within the Democratic Party of Texas, and (3) the jockeying for position by candidates for public office.

As to the special session, there are a variety of proposals for collecting the money for teacher-pay. Some advocate a tax on beer. Others say gas should pay the way. And still others think an increase in the present omnibus tax law would do the trick.

The open-end cost of the Gilmer-Aikin school law, now estimated to increase taxes several million dollars annually, and the continued demands for additional services from the state government, is bringing more talk of a general sales tax.

Opinions differ as to how much the teachers should get. Governor Allan Shivers proposes \$402 more per year. But House Speaker Reuben Senterfitt thinks the increase should be based on how much money the legislature can raise, plus some other consideration.

Shivers and Senterfitt are at odds concerning the Democratic Party's affairs.

The governor was not invited to the Southern conference of the National Democratic Committee held in Florida last Saturday, and a spokesman said "I don't think he would have gone anyway."

Two men, who have been close to the governor, however, were invited. They were Wallace Savage of Dallas, state chairman of the Democratic Party; and George Sandlin of Austin, state party secretary.

Also invited were Senterfitt, who has announced that he will be a candidate for governor this year, and John C. White, commissioner of agriculture who also may be a gubernatorial candidate.

In a speech at Houston, White called upon Texans to reject Shivers' party leadership.

While he did not mention the governor by name, White obviously referred to him in saying that it is time to "re-establish political integrity" in our state. And he added: "The principles of party affiliation have been so abused that it is difficult to determine which party is in the lead—or if any united party exists at all. I cannot see how we can afford to maintain people in public office who owe allegiance to nothing but selfish interest."

Shivers, meanwhile, served notice that the fight between conservatives and the national party will continue.

He challenged the right of the

national party to establish the "Democratic Advisory Committee" in Texas and questions that group's authority to "advise anybody."

As to the political aspects of the situation, Senterfitt is the only man who has definitely announced as a candidate for the state's highest office.

James P. Hart of Austin, former associate justice of the state supreme court and former chancellor of the University of Texas, said he would not be a candidate for governor. There had been speculation that he might make the race.

It was obvious that developments in the Legislature would affect the political fortunes of Senterfitt, Shivers, Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey and others.

There are already two candidates in the race for the lieutenant governor's office.

The latest is C. T. Johnson, Austin businessman, who made his formal announcement the past week end. He lashed out at the telephone company because, he said, the company is unfair to the public in that local telephone rates are set without regard to revenue from long distance calls.

Another announced candidate for lieutenant governor is Representative George T. Hinson from Mineola.

Ramsey is considered a likely candidate for re-election if Shivers tries for a third term as the state's chief executive.

Things have been stirring, too, in the ranks of Texas Republicans. Passed by the Travis County Republican Executive Committee was a resolution asking Jack Porter of Houston, National GOP committeeman, to run for the U. S. Senate.

Horace Spillers, speaking on the resolution, said, "Porter is the only man in Texas who can run and win against Lyndon Johnson."

But the Republicans, like the Democrats, were also having their internal strife.

"Old Guard" party members were organizing for an attempt to recapture control of the Texas GOP from Porter and his faction.

Eugene (Mike) Nolte, Jr., former Bexar County District Committeeman, announced these plans and said that he and some of his friends "don't think Democrats should be appointed to federal jobs by Republicans."

On Porter's recommendation, Nolte charged, 90 per cent of federal job vacancies in Texas are being filled by Democrats.

At Houston, three federal judges refused court protection to George Parr, who says he fears harm from two Texas Rangers.

But the judges left the way open for Parr to demand a full injunction hearing, and they recommended Rangers Alfred Allee and Joe Bridge.

In the case of Bridge, the court said, the evidence did not show that the court had jurisdiction to act; and in the case of Allee, the evidence was not clear, strong, and satisfactory.

The evidence, the judges said in their opinion, "does not convince us that the plaintiff's life, person, or property has been or is in danger from defendant Allee. But it does not follow that we may condone or approve of defendant Bridge slapping Archie Parr, sheriff of Duval County . . . nor of defendant Allee slapping District Attorney Raeburn Norris. The disciplining of these defendants for such action is not within our jurisdiction."

Reform in Duval County was demanded by two new organizations, the Duval County Clean Government League and the United Mothers of Duval County. A seven page letter was prepared by the League, outlining alleged law violations and handed to the grand jury foreman at San Diego.

4-H Youth Win Awards in Texas

FOREMOST among 4-H Club members in Texas are three teenagers who have high ratings in the National 4-H Public Speaking and Citizenship programs.



Elvera Duerksen, John Whitfill, Annette Lemmon

Elvera Duerksen, 15, of Plainview, has received a certificate of honor in recognition of her outstanding record in the 4-H Citizenship program, which is in honor of Thos. E. Wilson. This program is designed to encourage 4-H Club members in those attitudes, qualities and acts which reflect a good citizen's concern for others.

A 4-H'er for seven years, Elvera has learned how to become a leader and help others. She has been president of her local club for five years. She prepared and gave a talk on "How 4-H Teaches You to Become a Better Citizen." She urged 12 people to vote, served on judging committees, chairman of 4-H Council and was 4-H Conservation, and Talent Club winner. She has carried projects in foods, clothing, garden and home improvement.

John Whitfill, 16, of Denison, and Annette Lemmon, 17, of Jefferson, have developed their ability to speak in public to such an extent that they have been awarded State honors in the 4-H Public Speaking program. The Pure Oil Co. has presented a 19-jewel watch to John and a gift chest of attractive silver to Annette.

The title of John's talk was "Citizenship in America". Annette's winning talk was "The Cooperative Extension Service."

Supporting a survey of the proposal by the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation, Jackson said that if the flood waters could be brought to the top of Texas and dispersed downward, the whole state would benefit.

Jackson pointed out that the bureau has made one survey on a proposed canal along the Gulf Coast from the Sabine River to the Rio Grande Valley.

But that one, he commented, deals only with Texas waters and would affect only one area.

Governor Shivers appointed four members of the state's Hospital Advisory Council. They were Dr. Raymond E. Sitta of Chillicothe,

VISITORS FROM HOBBS, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cathey and children of Hobbs, N. M. visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Manis Pogue and family in this city and a brother, Bradley Buford and family in Stamford last week end.

National Home Demonstration Week will be observed during the period from May 2-8. During the week special efforts will be made to acquaint the public with major objectives of home demonstration work and its influence on home, community, state, and national life.

1954 marks the 100th year of entomology as a profession. In 1854 two entomologists were appointed to government positions—one for the Federal Government assigned to the Patent Office, the other in New York State as a state employee. Entomologists—experts in insect work—are today recognized as mighty important contributors to the nation's welfare.

A committee composed of entomologists working for the Texas A&M College system as teachers, research and extension workers are making plans for a state-wide celebration.

One thing that keeps some youngsters from going to college is high school.

Results of a four-year test conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, and the Kang Ranch show that cows receiving a phosphorus supplement produced a larger and heavier calf crop and heavier calves at weaning age.

Grain producers should give attention, even before planting, to the storage problem. Storage space is now at a premium and little relief is in sight. Money on the farm storage will be a necessity if present indications develop.

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A little forethought when planting shrubs will save considerable future work when it comes to pruning, watering and general care, says Sadie Hatfield, extension homestead improvement specialist of Texas A&M Extension Service.

In reminding shrub enthusiasts it's time to plant new shrubs about the home grounds and transplant old ones, Miss Hatfield says low growing ornamentals blend well and are especially desirable around low modern homes. When planted at least three feet from walls and six to 10 feet apart, growing shrubs will not rub nearby structures or crowd one another making excessive pruning necessary.

It's a good idea too, says the specialist to purchase only those shrubs adapted to your particular

Tornadoes Most Prevalent In Central U. S.

From: Texas Press Association

1. Tornadoes are not peculiar to Texas. They have occurred in every state in the Union. They are more common in the central United States.

2. A tornado is usually seen as a spinning funnel-shaped cloud, extending toward the earth from the base of a thundercloud. When

area. This means plants hardy in your soil and climate. An East Texas Red Bud planted in the western portion of the state, for example, will produce yellow leaves, bloom very little and, generally will have an unthrifty appearance.

Mulch at least 25 square feet of soil when setting out new shrubs. Also, two to four inches of humus—decayed grass, leaves or vegetable refuse from the kitchen—worked well into the soil will help conserve soil moisture.

Well trained shrubs are an asset and help to enhance the beauty of any farm or home. Miss Hatfield says among the low growing shrubs adapted in many areas are nandina, pfitzer juniper, and other dwarf junipers, abelia, coralberry, summer flowering jasmine, winter flowering jasmine, mahonia or oregon-grape, blue spiraea or blue beard, flowering almond and spiraea vanhouttei.

close by, it sounds like the roar of hundreds of airplanes. Oftentimes the funnel cloud is obscured by rain, dust or low clouds, or cannot be seen because of darkness. Sometimes two or more funnels may be seen in the same thundercloud. The funnel cloud may be in the shape of a rope spinning down from the cloud; or it may be barrel shaped or like a huge elephant's trunk.

3. Familiar thunder clouds are present. An hour or two before a tornado the upper part of the clouds may be seen bulging down instead of up. Often there is a greenish-black color to the clouds. Rain and hail often accompany the tornado. The remnants which frequently are seen hanging down from the main cloud, often where the visible cloud leaves off and the curtain of rain begins.

4. Tornadoes are localized. They usually cover a very limited area. Most tornadoes are less than a block wide. A few have had paths over 2 miles in width, but this is unusual. Tornado paths are usually short, less than five miles long. Because they are extremely localized, the chances for tornadoes striking a given area are very slight. Most Texans will never see nor ever experience a tornado in their entire lifetimes.

5. Tornado damage varies greatly with the storm and where it strikes, and many tornadoes cause little or no damage and no loss of life or injuries.

6. Tornadoes have occurred every month of the year, but about two-thirds of all tornadoes occur between April 8 and June 9.

7. Tornadoes are most likely to occur in the afternoon or early evening. Thirty-five per cent of all tornadoes occur between 3 p. m. and 6 p. m. Twenty-nine per cent between 6 p. m. and 9 p. m. Less than one-fourth of all tornadoes occur during school hours, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

8. Tornadoes usually move from southwest to northeast; less frequently from the west to east. Tornado spotters should particularly keep watch in these directions. There are exceptions—they have moved from practically every direction. In some few cases they have traveled almost in a circle.

9. Tornadoes move forward at a rate from 15 to 40 miles per hour average, but the rate of progress has been somewhat less as well as much greater.

10. Warnings about an approaching tornado are seldom possible longer than a hour in advance, usually less and sometimes only a few minutes, but despite any disadvantage occasioned by a brief warning period, the warnings can be extremely effective in saving human lives.

11. School officials should become familiar with factual information regarding characteristics of tornadoes, safety precautions to be taken in case a tornado is sighted in their immediate locality, and recommended procedure to be followed when forecasts and warnings are in effect and until an "All Clear" advisory is issued. The same suggestion hold for the public in general.

12. In the great majority of cases, the tornado affects less than

one-tenth of 1 per cent of the "warned area" and is seen by less than 1 per cent of the population. Safety precautions generally need not be taken until the tornado cloud is seen or local community warnings given or until unusually threatening thunderstorm type clouds are observed.

13. School officials and instructors have a special responsibility to remain calm and thus prevent school children from becoming excited. Do not wait until a storm is approaching but have a pre-arranged plan well thought out beforehand and be ready to carry it out should the necessity arise. It would be a good plan to have two or more good pictures of tornadoes in action in Texas or nearby states in order that school

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One of the Southwest's outstanding musical organizations, the 27-piece North Texas State College Concert Band, will be presented at 7:30 p. m. at the High School gym Friday evening, March 12.

Junior High School Honor Roll Lists 79 Students

Seventy-nine students in Haskell Junior High School were listed on the Honor Roll for the six weeks ending March 5, 1954. Eighteen students were on the "A" honor roll, and 61 were listed on the "B" honor roll.

"A" Honor Roll
 Jo Chamberlain, Karen Pitman, Mary Lou Roberts, Norma Gipson, Robbie Robertson, Janette Gibson, Janice Hester, Judy Atkinson, Kay Henry, Freddie Gilliam, Rebecca Watson, Opal Lea Wallace, Leah Ratliff, Lelia Nell Jones, Dewayne Lancaster, Jimmy Don, Freshour, Presey Webb, John Samuel Rike, III.

"B" Honor Roll
 Doris Currey, Gwen Gilliam, Peggy Moore, Jeanette Jones, Janice Coker, Lynda Perrin, Laquita Young, Linda Berry, Lin Currie, Media Rose Harris, Janet Tricket, Alyce Mary Johnson, Ann Busby, Gayle Adams, Frances Bartley, Linda Mosney, Betty Hexrode, Peggy Williams, Betsy Adkins, Delores Burton, Barbara Elliott, Jane Frierson, Frances Honeycutt, Betty Larned, Jamie Allen, Tinka Greer, Mylta Kreger, Geneva Lankford, John Stone, Bobby Wheatley, Boyd Andress, David Conner, Chester Jones, Gary Fulmer, Jerry Gresham, Glynis Lusk, Lynn Pace III, Jimmy Vaughtner, Walter Cox, James Waldrip.

Reunion of Parker Family Scheduled Here In Summer

Haskell has been selected as the site for the 20th annual reunion of the Parker family which will meet here on July 30, 31 and Aug. 1, according to Dr. Jack Parker of Wichita Falls who was in town Tuesday relative to this annual event.

"We have chosen Haskell for its central location, in regards to family members who attend the event and for its park and swimming pool facilities," Dr. Parker stated.

Some one hundred and fifty to two hundred relatives are in attendance each year and we think that Haskell is a good place to hold the annual reunion," he informed officials of the Saddle Tramp Riding Club.

Directors of the riding club are formulating plans to install a kitchen in the exhibit hall for their convenience and for use for any similar meetings either locally or otherwise.

Supplies for the annual affair will be purchased in Haskell and also cooks to prepare the meals will be hired locally.

Dr. Parker was in Haskell last summer conferring with chamber of commerce officials who have been in contact with him since that time in regards to facilities for the reunion.

Too Late to Classify

BILL MOWELL Thanks Public: I have sold my Bob Cat Drive In at Rule to Monty Penman, Magnolia dealer in Rochester and want to express my thanks to friends and customers for their patronage of the past, and want to solicit your continued patronage and good will for him. Dealer-Earnest Baught, Bill Mowell, Rule, Texas. 10p

HOSPITAL NOTES

Relatives and friends are requested to observe the following schedule of visiting hours: 2 to 10:30 a. m.; afternoon 3 to 4 p. m.; evening 6:30 to 8:30.

The following patients had been admitted up to Thursday morning:

Mrs. C. W. Jetton, accident Haskell.
 Edgar Kelso, medical, Haskell.
 Mrs. Raymond Dunnam, surgery, Haskell.
 Mary Sulema Rodriguez, burns, Rule.
 Ester Fuentes, medical, Haskell.
 Linito Rodriguez, burns, Rule.
 Audelio Rodriguez, burns, Rule.
 Cathy Pruett, medical, Haskell.
 Mrs. J. C. Miles, medical, Rule.
 G. H. Nehring, medical, Sargentton.
 Mrs. J. W. Trammell, medical, Asperment.
 Fern Baird, medical, Rule.
 Glenda Reid, medical, Haskell.
 Mrs. H. M. Callaway, surgery, Rochester.
 Mrs. Boyd Davis and infant daughter, Haskell.
 Doris Hutchinson, medical, O'Brien.
 Val Rowday Corley, medical, Haskell.
 Mrs. W. G. Bentley, surgery, Stamford.
 Mrs. R. L. Turnbow, medical, Haskell.
 Mrs. G. N. Moore, medical, Old Glory.

DISMISSED:
 Mrs. Eugene Rhoads and infant daughter, Rule; Mrs. Howard Gibbs and infant daughter, Haskell; Mrs. Elmo Foster and infant son, Fort Worth; Mrs. Robert F. Austin and infant daughter, Has-

Fire Damages Helpy Selfy Laundry Early Wednesday

Damage estimated at approximately \$700 resulted from a fire at Poor Boy's Helpy-Selfy laundry on South 9th Street Wednesday morning around 5:30 o'clock.

Firemen extinguished the blaze before flames had spread from a small section in the south part of the building. Walter Green, owner of the laundry, said flames flashed up when he started to light a fire under a large water heater used by the laundry.

Green had only recently purchased the laundry from Chas. W. Marshall, and had been operating the business about 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Head and son, Curtis Glenn of Abilene visited Mrs. Head's sister, Mrs. Chas. Redwine and family last Friday.

Guar Is Suitable For Planting On Diverted Acres

Due to the cotton and wheat allotment program in 1954, approximately 135,000 acres of the cropland in Haskell County could be classified as diverted acres. This presents an opportunity for farmers to begin using a conservation rotation system, using a soil improvement crop in their rotation. One of the better crops to use in this area is guar, according to technicians of the Soil Conservation Service.

Guar is an upright annual legume that grows from 2 to 6 feet tall and is adapted to all Haskell County soils. Due to the long tap root, guar is very drought resistant. Like other legumes, guar is a soil conditioning crop as it puts abundant residue and nitrogen into the soil, increases water intake and water holding capacity of the soil, increases yields from subsequent crops in rotation and reduces the effect of rootrot.

Guar may be planted from April to July in regular width rows at the rate of 5 to 6 pounds per acre. It can be planted with grain sorghum plates and should be planted at the same depth and cultivated in the same manner as grain sorghums. Cost of seeding guar will be about 75c per acre. Seed can be obtained from local seed dealers. The seed should be inoculated at the time of planting. This is also available at seed dealers.

Guar is a two-purpose crop. In addition to the soil conditioning

effect it may be used as a supplemental cash crop. The seed are likely to have a market value of about \$3.50 per hundred pounds. The seed are used in the manufacture of paper, in the textile industry and are at the present being tested as a protein feed for livestock. Last year, in the Knox City area, yields of 400 to 800 pounds per acre may be field-harvested standard combine. Past Wise Men's offering



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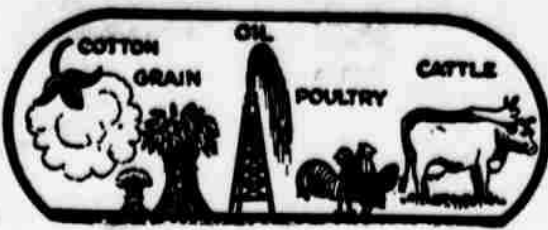
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Haskell-Stonewall FHA Borrowers Hold Annual Meet

Haskell and Stonewall County Farm Ownership borrowers held their annual meeting in the Old Glory school house Friday evening March 5.

Highlights of the program was when group was told by County Supervisor Wm. E. Lawson that the average re-payment loan in 1953 was about \$1,000. In addition to this and in spite of short crops with adverse harvesting conditions and almost no crops in parts of the two counties, some \$410,000 of \$480,000 loaned for operating in 1953 was repaid.

Of the thirty-five families represented, the average gross income was \$60,000. The average operating expense was \$2750.00.

Almost 70 percent of the income in both counties was derived from the sale of cotton. Livestock is usually a major enterprise with this group of people but Lawson ex-

Appropriately timed with the advent of the Spring season, Haskell merchants will feature some of the best buys in years on the next regular monthly Dollar Day, Tuesday, March 16.

Many of the cooperating stores will feature new Spring merchandise at unusually low prices on Dollar Day, along with other seasonal items for all members of the family.

Dollar Days each month offer thrifty shoppers in the Haskell area an opportunity to make exceptional savings on virtually everything purchased for the average family. Many lines of retail business are represented among sponsoring merchants, assuring a wide choice of almost any item desired.

Haskell merchants cooperating in the series of monthly Dollar Days are listing some of the special values in their advertisements in this section of The Free Press. Many other bargains will be found when you visit the "Dollar Day" stores.

Make out your shopping list from the ads, then visit the following stores for Dollar Day bargains:

Hassen's, Warren's Booterie, The Fair Store, Neely Dry Goods, Perkins-Timberlake, Frazier Radio & Record Shop, Wheatley's Sherman Floor Co., Cofield's Dress Shop, Lane-Felker, The Personality Shop, C & B Store, W. A. Lyles, Jewelry.

Hog Prices Uneven Monday On Fort Worth Market

By TED GOULDY

Hog prices were uneven at Ft. Worth Monday. Opening 25c higher and closing 25c lower, top hogs drew \$26.50 to \$27. Sows were steady at \$23 down.

Fellow in Fort Worth last week told us that the 680 pound stag he had on the yards at \$16 per hundred, brought \$6 more per hundred than a trader had offered him for the hog at home. Trouble of coming to market was worth \$42 on this one animal.

Lambs and sheep continued to move to market in sizeable numbers at Fort Worth Monday. About 5,500 head arrived. The market for sheep and lambs continue very favorable.

Strong to 25c or 50c higher prices prevailed. Milk fat lambs topped at \$25, best price since June of 1953 at Fort Worth. Shorn fat lambs of the old crop cashed at \$20 to \$21 when choice, a new high for the season. Shorn feeders at \$19.50 also equaled the year's best. Some just average good woolled fat lambs drew \$21, indicating that \$22 or thereabouts would be paid for choice woolskins.

Old sheep were scarce and strong. Yearlings and two's at \$13 to \$16.50, old wethers \$12 down. Old ewes \$7 to \$9, stocker ewes \$10 to \$11. Old bucks \$4 to \$6.

Cattle trade at Fort Worth was a pretty active affair. Good many spots on cattle and calves were stronger, as the receipts around the 12 major markets were about 25,000 short of the same day last week.

A strong spot was renewed interest in stocker calves and yearlings, which had been very dull last week. Packers apparently needed some cattle and calves and

enough shipper trade was on hand to keep things moving.

Good and choice fed cattle \$17.50 to \$22.25 and plainer kinds \$13 to \$17.50. Fat cows \$11 to \$13.50 and canners and cutters \$8 to \$11.50, some cattle outside those brackets. Bulls \$10 to \$14.50.

Good and choice fat calves \$12 to \$20, few to \$20.50. Common and medium butcher \$13 to \$16. Bulls \$10 to \$13. Good and choice calves and yearlings \$17 to \$19, few to \$19.50. Heifers well around \$2 to \$3 under their steer mates. Stocker cows \$10 to \$15.50. Some feeder steers \$18.50 down.

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plained that the last two or three years of dry weather had forced the families to sell most of their livestock.

He was quick to add however, that a big percentage of the \$650,000 which has been loaned for 1954 was to replace the herds that were sold.

Also stressed in the meeting was increased yields in cotton obtained by some borrowers through the use of soil building crops and fertilizers.

One Haskell County farmer, Ira Short of the Jud community, said that through planting Austin winter peas in the fall of 1952, he was able to harvest a bale of cotton per acre off the land where cotton followed the peas as compared to half bale per acre on the land where no soil improving crop was planted.

Attending the meeting, in addition to the borrowers, their families and office personnel were Wallace W. White of Dallas, State Field Representative for FHA; John Henry, FHA Supervisor from Seymour and the following county committeemen and their wives: Dave Persons, George Pool, Chalmers Graham, Beno Erdman.

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Rev. M. D. Rexrode Will Report On S. S. Work At District Baptist Meet In Abilene

Rev. M. D. Rexrode, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Haskell, will give the Sunday School report of the 17th District, Texas Baptists at the annual meeting Friday, March 12.

The meeting will be held in Abilene at the Immanuel Baptist Church with sessions beginning at 10 a. m., 1:30 and 7 p. m.

Rev. Mr. Rexrode is district Sunday school superintendent. He will be one of the various district officers who will report the work of the district at that time.

Rev. R. A. Springer, treasurer of Texas General Convention, will be denominational speaker for the Friday night sessions. Convention sermon will be preached by Rev. Sam Tullock, Merkel pastor.

Other denominational leaders who will speak are Dr. Jesse Yelvington, with the evangelistic staff of Texas Baptists, Dr. Lindell Harris, head of the Bible department of Hardin-Simmons University, Dr. L. D. Ball, pastor at Lamesa, and Dr. Paul Books, pastor at Brownwood.

Rev. Henry Littleton, district missionary, will give his report Friday night. Rev. Mr. Littleton has previously resigned as district missionary, effective August 1.

Rev. Byron Bryant, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Stamford, district president, will preside.

New Insecticides Developed For Controlling Flies

By FRANK W. MARTIN
County Agent

Several inquiries have been made in recent months concerning new insecticides that are effective for controlling species of flies known to be resistant to DDT and other chlorinated hydrocarbons. House flies have been increasingly more difficult to control. The fly problem in animal barns especially in dairy barns, has become serious because of the public health hazard involved.

Professor Manning A. Price, Department of Entomology, released in Progress Report 1636, results of fly control experiments he conducted in 1953 with several organic phosphorus compounds. The compound malathion was included in the tests. This new organic phosphorus compound is less toxic to animals than the older phosphorus compounds, such as TEPP and parathion. We do not recommend its use for spraying animals and directions for using should be followed as given on labels.

Residual Sprays
Malathion is on the market as an emulsion concentrate, usually at 57% strength. It may be ap-

plied as residual sprays to walls and other surfaces about barns but the material must not be allowed to come in contact with feed. If used, feed troughs should be covered with gunny sacks, tarps, or similar coverings. Malathion gave good fly reduction for three weeks as a 1.25% spray. Good fly reduction continued for 7 to 8 weeks with a 2.5% spray.

The following amounts are approximated to nearest convenient measurements. To make one gallon of a 1.25 per cent malathion spray, mix 5 tablespoons of 57 per cent malathion emulsifiable concentrate in one gallon of water. Twenty-five gallons of a 1.25 per cent malathion spray can be made by adding 1-2 gallon of 57 per cent malathion emulsifiable concentrate to 24 1/2 gallons of water. One gallon of 2.5 per cent malathion emulsifiable concentrate to 24 1/2 gallons of water. One gallon of 2.5 per cent malathion spray may be prepared by mixing 10 tablespoons of 57 per cent malathion emulsifiable concentrate to 24 gallons of water to make 25 gallons of a 2.5 per cent malathion spray.

Fly Baits

Fly baits were also prepared containing malathion at 5 per cent and 25 per cent strengths with sugar concentrations of 2.5 per cent and 25 per cent plus 10 per cent dried whey as an attractant. The sugar and dried whey are not necessary but the sugar retards evaporation of the bait mixture and the dried whey attracts the flies. Mr. Price worked out a good practice method of applying the material in cattle barns and poultry houses. Old mop strings, about 18 inches long, were tied at about 2 feet intervals on mason's cord, soaked in the solution, and suspended from the ceiling or ceiling joists. Flies usually rest on the ceilings at night and consequently most of them are attracted to the treated strings. This method of applying malathion gave good fly reduction for 7 to 8 weeks. Malathion sprays and dusts have proven effective for controlling aphids, some species of spider mites, white flies, mealybugs, certain scale insects, and a few other species of insects.

The figures included in the following calculations are not exact but represent convenient measurements. A 5 per cent malathion bait may be prepared by mixing 5 tablespoons of 57 per cent malathion emulsifiable concentrate in one quart of water. This amount usually is sufficient for saturating enough strings to treat the average cattle barn or chicken house.

Use 1 1/2 cups or 24 tablespoons of 57 per cent malathion emulsifiable concentrate in one quart of water to make a 25 per cent malathion bait.

Other phosphorus compounds were included in the fly control experiments but further research

is needed before they can be recommended for general use.

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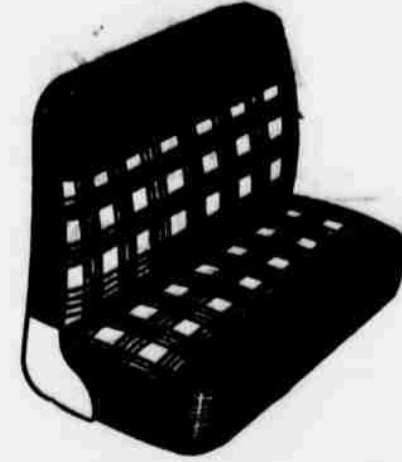
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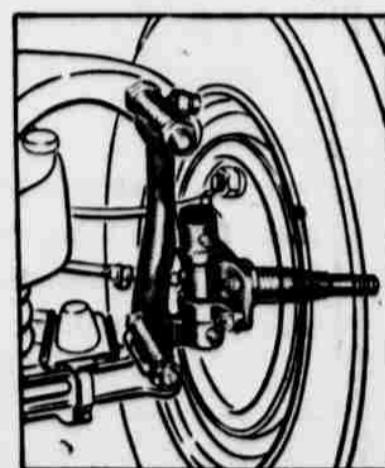
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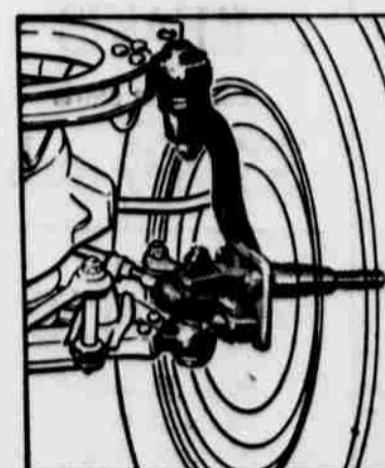
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News From Sagerton

BY MRS. DELBERT LE FEVRE

A house-to-house drive was made Tuesday of last week to raise funds for the Red Cross in this community. Chairmen of the drive were Claude Guinn and B. Kupatt. Those taking part in the drive were Johnny Spitzer, Vernon Wofford, Mrs. F. A. Ulmer, Mrs. Adolph Helm, Mrs. Glyn Quade, Mrs. J. A. Hertel, Mrs. Reece Clark, Mrs. Barney Ross, Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck, Mrs. Charles Clark, Mrs. Claude Guinn, Mrs. E. J. Neinast and Mrs. D. W. Counts.

The Stutch and Chatter Club were entertained in the home of Mrs. John Clark Wednesday March 3. The ladies quilted a quilt for Mrs. Chas. Clark. Those present included Mmes. M. Y. Benton, Cliff LeFevre, Charles Clark, Ben Hess, R. N. Sheid, R. O. Gibson, Sr., Pete Lusk, and Joe Clark, who was a guest and the hostess. The next meeting will be March 17 in the home of Mrs. Gibson.

Mrs. R. N. Sheid and Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Sr., went to Abilene Thursday of last week to visit Mrs. Lyn Flowers who is a patient in the hospital there recovering from a fall when she received a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cobb of Midland all went to Lockhart last week end for the funeral services for Vess Clark, who was a brother of John Clark. Mr. and Mrs. John Clark were unable to go as they kept their grandson, Johnny Cobb, while his parents were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer and children, visited in Stamford Sunday with Mr. Ulmer's grandmother, Mrs. Maude Hansen.

The teachers of the Sagerton school will attend the Oil Belt Teachers meeting Friday of this week and school will be out Friday.

Miss Irene Stewart, principal of the Sagerton school, has announced that school will turn out one hour earlier on each Monday for a while so that the teachers will have extra time to evaluate the schools.

The Sagerton P-TA will sponsor a pancake supper, Tuesday March 30, in the school lunchroom. The proceeds will go toward placing new rest rooms in the school building. The food will be furnished by the wholesale grocers, and

Mrs. F. A. Ulmer is chairman of the committee to make other arrangements.

After the pancake supper the regular P-TA meeting will be held and at this time a program will be presented portraying the history of the Sagerton school. There will be an exhibition of old pictures of some of the first classes held in the Sagerton school. There will be recognition of all the trustees of the school including those who served the longest and the early-day teachers.

Since there are many in this community who attended school here when Sagerton was young, and many others who have attended the Sagerton school in the past years, everyone will be interested in attending this program.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert of Idalou were here Saturday to visit for a short while with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert and to attend the funeral services for Mrs. Frank Pilley in Abilene Saturday. Several from Sagerton also went to Abilene for the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Pilley formerly lived here for many years. Mrs. Pilley had been ill for quite a while.

Mrs. A. C. Knipping celebrated her birthday Monday evening, March 1 when a group of friends gathered in their home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Schaake of Paint Creek, Mrs. J. F. Schaake, Erna and Walter of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schaake, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp and children, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Helm and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and family, the honoree and her husband.

A pink and blue shower was given in honor of Mrs. Eugene Rhoades in the basement of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Friday afternoon March 5. Miss Betty Jane Vahlenkamp registered the guests. Hostesses for the affair were Mmes. Mamie Schoenert, Anton Tichelman, Herbert Lambert, Ernest Lowack, A. Vahlenkamp and Edwin Thane.

Lavon Rogers, ministerial student at Hardin-Simmons, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Sr., conducted services at the Sagerton Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening. He was accompanied by Miss Pal Schwartz, also of H-SU.

All-District Cage Teams Selected In District 13-B

All-district basketball teams for District 13-B for the past season have been announced by Douglas Myers, Weibert High School athletic coach and district chairman. First and second team selections for girls and boys were:

First Team, Girls
 Forwards: Barbara Myers, Rochester; Estalyn Edwards, Weibert; Peggy Edge, O'Brien.
 Guards: Margie Martin, Rule; Couilla Mayfield, Weibert; Helen Grand, Paint Creek.

Second Team
 Forwards: Nancy Mowell, Rule; Fern Strickland, Rochester; Wanda Tibbetts, Rochester.
 Guards: Gerry Sego, Rochester; Jeannette McAdo, O'Brien; Maydell Hanson, Rochester.

First Teams, Boys
 Paul Gothard, O'Brien; Wayne Josselet, Weibert; Jimmy Reeves, Weibert; Dwane Johnston, O'Brien; Rudy Raughton, Paint Creek.

Second Team, Boys
 Billy Middlebrook, Paint Creek; Arlon Alexander, Mattson; Roger Nanny, Rochester; Clyde Childress, Weibert.

District Record

Girls	Won	Lost
Rochester	10	0
Rule	6	4
O'Brien	6	4
Weibert	4	6
Paint Creek	4	6
Mattson	0	10

Boys	Won	Lost
O'Brien	9	1
Weibert	8	2
Rochester	5	5
Paint Creek	5	5
Rule	3	7
Mattson	0	10

VISIT IN GATESVILLE
 Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Curd, Sr., and sons, Ben Charley and James Ira of Weibert spent last week end visiting in the home of his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner and Miss Elizabeth Curd near Gatesville.

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VISIT IN GUSTINE
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State Rainfall Averages Half of Normal During Month of January

Water conditions in Texas during January, as reported by the Texas Board of Water Engineers, show that runoff followed the rainfall pattern with moderate rises in the Red, Sabine, Neches, and Trinity River basins. Stream flows were deficient in the Brazos, Colorado, Guadalupe, Nueces, and Pecos River basins. The combined reservoir storage was practically unchanged during the month. Spring flow from the Edwards aquifer in Central Texas was below the long time average and varied little from that of the previous month. Statewide rainfall averaged one-half of normal during January.

Precipitation
Statewide rainfall averaged one inch or 55 per cent of normal during January. Averages varied by areas from 12 per cent normal in the Lubbock area to 101 per cent



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normal in North Texas. Precipitation in the northern sections was largely in the form of sleet, snow and freezing rain. The distribution of precipitation over the state followed the trend of the past several months with normal amounts falling in North and East Texas and deficient amounts over the remainder of the state. Monthly average of total precipitation by areas ranged from 0.06 inches in the Lubbock, 0.10 inches in the El Paso, 0.21 inches in the Brownsville, 0.46 inches in the San Angelo areas to 3.32 inches in northeast Texas. No heavy rains fell on any area in the state during the month.

Ground Water
A partial survey of the various irrigation districts in Texas at the beginning of 1954 indicates that the drought has caused tremendous expansion of irrigation of farm lands with ground water during 1953. In most of the irrigation districts there has been an increase in the number of acres irrigated, the volume of water pumped, and a corresponding decline in the water levels. A notable exception in the Dell City area in Hudspeth County where there has been a large increase in development with a relatively small decline in water levels. For the year 1953 the average decline in a number of water wells measured at Dell City was 2.7 feet.

In the Southern High Plains the maximum decline in water levels was in Floyd County where the average decline in water levels was 6.3 feet. Average declines of one foot were measured in Dickens, Garza, Terry and Armstrong Counties.

In Martin County although there was no large increase in the number of acres irrigated, maximum water level declines of about 19 feet were measured. The average decline for 35 observation wells in Martin County was 5.68 feet.

In the Wild Horse Draw in Culberson County the average water level decline in a number of observation wells was 1.4 feet. In the Lobo Flats area in Culberson County the average decline was 4.8 feet. In this district there was very little increase in the number of acres irrigated.

In Pecos County in the Fort Stockton area there has been little if any increase in withdrawals of ground water during 1953. The average net water level decline was 2 feet. In the Bakersfield area there has been some increase in pumping with an average decline in the 11 wells measured of about 4 feet. In the Imperial area the average water level decline in 21 wells was about one foot.

In the Lower Rio Grande Valley the tremendous development of ground water that occurred in 1952 was continued in 1953. Declines of water levels occurred in many of the wells during the pumping season, but recovery has been satisfactory.

Irrigation from the Edwards limestone reservoir on the Edwards Plateau and adjacent areas has expanded considerably. In Uvalde County it is estimated that about 9,000 acres were irrigated with about 200 wells in 1953. New irrigation wells were reported in Terrell, Crockett and Val Verde Counties and in eastern Pecos County. Development of ground water for irrigation was reported in Childress, Hardeman, Collingsworth, Cottle, and King Counties from the gypsum beds of Permian age. Shallow irrigation wells are reported in Knox and Haskell Counties.

Stream Flow
Stream flow was deficient at the four index stations during January. North Bosque River near Clifton carried an average flow 1-20 of normal, North Concho River near Carlsbad and Neches River at Evadale averaged about

1-3 of normal and Guadalupe River above Comal River at New Braunfels averaged 1-2 of normal. Flow in the Canadian River near Amarillo was below normal, Red River near Terrell, Okla., carried normal flow, and moderate rises occurred on the middle and upper reaches of the Sulphur, Sabine, Neches, and Trinity Rivers. No flood runoff was carried in the Brazos, Colorado, Guadalupe, Nueces and Pecos Rivers. Spring flow from the Edwards aquifer in Central Texas varied. Comal Springs at New Braunfels increased from 185 to 205 cfs. San Marcos Springs decreased from 186 to 146 cfs, and Barton Springs at Austin fell from 65 to 33 cfs.

Reservoir Storage
Storage in Falcon Reservoir below Laredo was 785,000 acre-feet at month end. The decrease in storage during the month was the result of withdrawals by the United States. Mexico has not withdrawn any of its share of water from Falcon Reservoir. Releases for the United States in January materially decreased its storage reserve of from 410,000 acre-feet January 18 to 330,000 acre-feet January 31. Releases since February 1 have been at the rate of 6,000 acre-feet daily. A gain of over 6000 acre feet storage in Lake Dallas occurred during the month. Tests of pumping from Red River to supplement this storage will begin the second week in February. Storage in Lavon Reservoir on East Fort Trinity River January 31 was 30,150 acre-feet, an increase of 20,770 acre-feet during the month. Total storage in the nine reservoirs reporting regularly remained about the same during January with some 3,000,000 acre-feet available.

Texas Produces Everything But Coffee

Although Texans produce a little of everything, their chances for helping solve the present coffee squeeze are remote.

According to Dr. R. G. Reeves of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, the coffee tree just doesn't adapt itself to the climatic conditions of Texas. Despite the fact that some 40 species and many more varieties of coffee are known none will withstand winter weather. Moreover, coffee trees do not tolerate a very hot climate. In Central America where Dr. Reeves carried on experimental work with the trees, the crop thrives at altitudes of from 2,000 to 4,500 feet where there is no frost nor prolonged intense heat. The best crops are produced there on deep, volcanic soil with abundant moisture and good drainage.

Sometime in the distant future, he adds, types of coffee may be developed which might be suited to South Texas conditions but great changes in the environmental requirements of existing varieties would need be made. A long-range research program would be required with chances for success slim. Trees are from three to four years old when they begin to bear and a normal crop is not produced until the age of seven to ten years is reached. Dr. Reeves can't give much encouragement to the establishment of a coffee producing industry in Texas.

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Rochester News

By MRS. JAMES A. GREER

Mmes. J. M. Hicks, Vestus Alvis and G. Hicks visited Sunday with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Averitt and their mother, Mrs. E. L. Carr, who is spending the week in the Averitt home at Knox City.

A message was received here last Thursday by relatives, that Mrs. Ruth Loubenger of San Francisco had died. Mrs. Loubenger an aunt of Mrs. Monty Penman of Rochester and a sister of Mrs. P. P. Martin and Mrs. Sue Clute and the Messrs. Barbees.

Luncheon guests in the R. A. Shaver Jr. home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dwigings and Linda Ann.

Mrs. Floyd Bowman of Goree was a visitor of Mrs. Bess Porter and William Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alvis and Jimmy and Earlene spent the week end at Dahart with Mrs. Alvis' sister and family, Rev. and Mrs. Lennol Hester and children.

Mrs. W. E. Watkins and beulah Mae of Hamlin visited their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Watkins and children, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Knouse and John Paul of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Greer over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Foreman of Abilene spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Tom Murphy.

Wm. Porter visited in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Bell, Mrs. Bess Porter and William attended the funeral of Mrs. A. J. Waters at Nocona Saturday.

Mrs. Holt Mosley of Melrose, N. M., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins.

Mrs. Phil Simmons and children, Becky, Phil R. and Beth visited relatives in Weatherford over the week end, while Mr. Simmons attended the Rotary convention at Mineral Wells.

Local Rotarians attending the Rotary convention at Mineral Wells March 7-8 were local president Manford Reid; president-elect, Charlie Collier; Ed Acree, Tolbert Beason, Herman Gammill, Arnold Hudspeth, Bob King, Rev. James Price, Hob Smith, Phil Simmons, Delbert Smart and Howard Sloan.

The Youth-Led Revival at the Rochester First Baptist Church began Sunday March 7 and will continue through the week with services at 8 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Hal Potts is doing the preaching and the song service is under the direction of L. G. McKinney.

Both gentlemen are graduates of Baylor University and are students at the Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth.

Teachers board members and patrons of the local public school attending the Haskell County Unit TSTA Monday night of last week at Paint Creek were Miss Sallie Graham, Mrs. Eunice Michaels, Mrs. Bud Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Bob King, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts, Mrs. Bess Porter, Mrs. Edwin Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McAfee, Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Manford Reid.

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Weinert Future Homemakers Attend Area Meeting

Seven girls from the Weinert Chapter of FHA attended the area meeting at Stephenville Friday and Saturday March 5-6. Attending were Nelda Jetton, Peggy Shelley, Couilla Mayfield, Earlene Edwards, Carmela Silva, and Joann Winchester; also Mrs. W. C. Winchester and the sponsor, Miss Charlesene Martin.

VISITING IN WEINERT
Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cooley of College Station are visiting friends in Weinert this week. They formerly lived in Weinert before moving to College Station.

More than two million 4-H members across the nation will observe National 4-H Week from March 6-14. Texas county extension agents supervise the work of the 122,000 members in the state. Cows milking less than sixteen pounds daily during the sixth month of lactation should be considered prospective culls or nurse cows. The same goes for cows producing less than 20 pounds in the third month.

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Throckmorton GI With Artillery Unit In Korea

X Corps, Korea—Army Pfc. Joe E. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sanders of Throckmorton, was recently transferred to the

180th Field Artillery Battalion in Korea. Sanders, who arrived on the peninsula last November, had been serving as a cannoneer with the 4th Infantry Division, which is being returned to the United States. He will finish his tour of Korean duty with the 180th, now undergoing training to maintain combat efficiency. A farmer in civilian life, Sanders entered the Army in May, 1953 and completed basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

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TEACHER OF THE WEEK



MRS. VIVIAN ROBEBSON

Mrs. Vivian Roberson is a teacher in the fifth grade in the Elementary School. She was reared in Haskell County and was graduated from the Rule High School. She attended West Texas State Teachers College and Hardin-Simmons University. She received her B. S. degree from H-SU with a major in Elementary Education. Mrs. Roberson is a member of the Baptist Church, the Order of the Eastern Star, the State Teachers Association and the P-TA. Mrs. Roberson and her husband, Thos. B. Roberson taught in several rural schools in the county before moving to their farm 2 1/2 miles northwest of Haskell in 1942. They were employed as teachers in the O'Brien School prior to this move. The Robersons have twin daughters, Sara Sue and Robbie Lou who are 13 years old. Mrs. Roberson remained out of the teaching profession for six years while the girls were of pre-school age. They entered school as first graders and she resumed teaching in this system. She has had assignment in the third, fourth and fifth grades. A unit of work has been completed on the "Western Movement." A group of stories entitled "Where Roads Led West" were read and development of further study on this subject followed. Many library books were read and reports made. The following are some which were read: "The Forty-Niners," "Custer's Last Stand," "Pony Express" and "The Little Town on the Prairie." The study of the Western Movement was developed further by making crystalline paintings of scenes of the Old West. These scenes were painted on aluminum foil. This was a new media in art

and was thoroughly enjoyed by the class. The old stage coach, the covered wagon, Indians, gold hunters, deserts, mountains, animals and plants of the western sections of our country were subjects of the paintings. After the pictures were completed the group determined the exact cost of materials in each. This was an assignment in Arithmetic.

It's hard to believe that TV is as expensive as rumored, after seeing some of the programs produced.

We've always felt that a woman wears a low-neck dress to keep people from looking at her face. We try to oblige.

If you want your wife to pay attention to what you say, just address your remarks to another woman.

Query About Texas Gets Quick Response From Haskell Soldier In Korea

Chaplain James R. Barnett of this city, who is serving with U. S. Army forces in Korea, recently met another soldier from Haskell through sheer coincidence. He tells of the interesting incident in the following letter to the Free Press: "Anybody here from Texas?" "That was the question I raised in a class at the NCO Academy the other day, and I got the response I wanted. So I asked a few what town they were from and above the clamor I heard distinctly, Haskell. I called that man to the platform and sure enough we knew each other. He was Pvt. Kenneth Quattlebaum. This fine man is to be congratulated for being chosen from many out of his company to attend this fine school. It was good to see someone from home. During the break we had a fine time talking together and other Texans gathered around. Pvt. Glen W. Ready

of Ranger, and Pvt. Delbert Adams of Asperment. That's all it takes to be well acquainted before one ever meets, just be from Texas. I'm sure there are others very near here from Texas. I'd like for them to have my address: Chaplain (Maj.) James R. Barnett, office of the 7th Division

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