

# Creek Debris Removal Nearing Completion

Volunteer workers contributed over 500 man-hours to Spring Branch Creek Cleanup this past weekend and project leaders estimate that most of the debris removal can be completed next weekend.

The cleanup project is coordinated by the Haskell Jaycees and co-chairmen Bo

Owens and Charles Andress feel that, with a good turn-out of workers, the debris clearance can be completed soon.

Following the removal of all debris from the creek, work will begin to shape the creek banks. The purpose of the shaping will be two-fold, to

beautify the creek and allow easier maintenance, and allow more water to move through Haskell during heavy rains.

While project leaders realize that it will not be possible to remove the threat of flooding such as was experienced here last August, they do feel that future minor flooding can be minimized.

Work last weekend centered around three areas in the creek. The first area of work was the attempt to drain standing water from the creek to make future dirt work easier. Debris removal was conducted north of U. S. 380, and northwest of Avenue L.

In addition to debris removal northwest of Avenue L, workers also removed numerous large trees from the site. Many of the trees were damaged by the flood and all severely restricted the flow of water during rains.

Machinery operators were hampered by boggy conditions in the creek bed and several times the heavy equipment became stuck in the soft mud.

As the trees were removed from the creek bed they were stacked near the site and city officials and the local fire department anticipate a controlled burning in the immediate future.

Local residents who would like to cut firewood from the trees may do so, but are requested to take action immediately. There is currently a threat of the trees being washed down the creek if a large rain occurs and the controlled burning will be held soon.

Project leaders request that workers for this weekend make plans to attempt to remove the small debris left in the creek. In addition to several concentrated areas of work, the creek needs one more going over to make sure all trash and rubbish is removed.



**CLEANUP...**Workers cleaning debris from Spring Branch Creek met their biggest task last weekend in the portion of the creek shown above. Brush, trash and fallen trees made it impossible to remove the trash so dozers removed everything in the creek bed. Project leaders are hopeful that the debris clearance can be completed this weekend and dirt work shaping the creek can be started soon. (Staff Photo)

# Council Agrees To New Fire Station Location

Members of the Haskell City Council agreed Tuesday night to allow the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department to build a new fire station on City property east of the City Hall.

Members of the council heard fire chief Tom Watson present proposals and tentative plans for the new facility. Chief Watson told the Council that the Fire Department intended to raise the funds necessary to build the new station without using tax money. He estimated that the entire project would cost approximately \$75,000.00 and added that the Haskell County Jaycees had already pledged some \$10,000 to \$12,000 they expect to receive upon successful completion of removing flood

debris from Rice Springs Creek.

Members of the council also heard Jim Haynes, who requested improvements on the condition and drainage of the street in front of his house. Members of the council agreed to make improvements as possible.

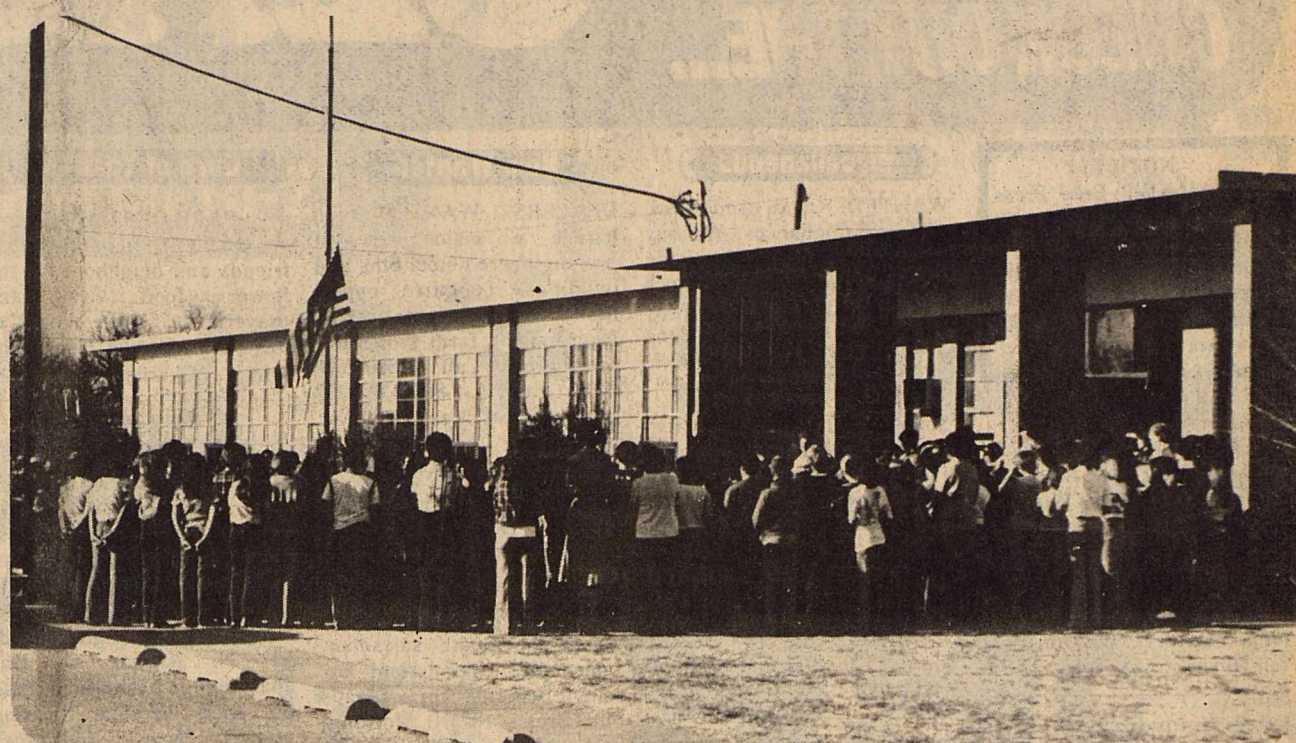
Curtis Jennings, manager of Lone Star Gas Co. in Haskell, spoke to the council regarding proposed legislation now pending in the state legislature. The legislation would remove utility rate setting power from the city councils and place the power with a state agency. Jennings told the council that Lone Star is supporting the legislation and presented information favorable to the bill. He also stated that the Texas

Municipal League is opposing the legislation and had mailed information to member cities citing reasons for their opposition. Jennings said his purpose at the meeting was to present information replying to the Texas Municipal League.

## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. observes the 67th anniversary of its founding on March 12, 1979; and  
**WHEREAS**, ever since its founding—in 1912—this organization has been deeply committed to helping girls of every race, religion, and strata of society find and develop their unique talents, gifts, and sense of personal worth; and  
**WHEREAS**, Girl Scouts everywhere are observing the International Year of the Child during 1979 with special projects; and  
**WHEREAS**, the theme of Girl Scout Week—March 11 through 17—is "Find the Gift in Every Child"; and  
**WHEREAS**, we in Haskell County join Girl Scouts in recognizing the potential in all children, as well as the need to provide opportunities for each child to find and express his (her) own special talent or gift;  
**NOW, THEREFORE**, I John Wayne McDermott by virtue of the authority vested in me as County Judge of Haskell County hereby proclaim March 11 through 17 as Girl Scout Week in Haskell County. I do further call upon all citizens of Haskell County to give their continued interest, enthusiasm, and cooperation to the Girl Scouts through 1979 and to support them in their celebration of the International Year of the Child.

*John Wayne McDermott*



**FLAG RAISING...**In observance of Girl Scout week in Haskell, a Girl Scout Honor Guard raised the Flag in special ceremonies Tuesday at Haskell Elementary

School. Members of the Honor Guard were: Lorry Kay Geilhausen, Emily and Sandra Thornhill and Mary Lehrer.

(Staff Photo)

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# Bass Fishermen Flounder During Weekend Tournament

The Haskell Bass Club held their first tournament last weekend at Lake Stamford. The weather was very uncooperative Saturday morning, but the sun did shine for most of the weekend. Most of the members that fished found the action fairly slow.

There were thirteen brave fishermen that fought the elements of Saturday to show their skill at bass fishing. Of these thirteen, there were only three that had fish big enough to weigh in. Randall Graham won 1st place for big stringer, Eddie Jones placed 2nd and Bill Letterman won biggest fish.

Sunday morning looked as if to be an ideal fishing day until the wind picked up. There were fourteen fishermen ready for the 7 a.m. fishing to begin with another four fishermen joining later. The weather was warmer for fishing Sunday but the results were about the same. Few fish were caught but not from the lack of some determined fishermen. They were only

two fishermen that could manage to bring in fish that would exceed the 14" minimum. Bill Perry won 1st place for biggest stringer, no one placed 2nd, and Bobby Weaver won biggest fish. It could be a question of luck and not skill when these two win over 16 other determined fishermen.

Even though few fish were caught, all the club members that fished enjoyed

the tournament. The club will make plans for another tournament to be held in April at its April 2nd meeting. All club members are encouraged to attend this meeting to help plan this tournament. Remember, April is a very prime Bass fishing month. Anyone that would like to join the club is welcome to attend the meeting. It will be held at the Haskell City Hall at 8:00 p.m. April 2. The club has now grown to 36 members and is still growing.

**weather**

By Sam Herren  
March 1-13

TEMPERATURE

Hi ..... 84° ..... 8th

Lo ..... 29° ..... 4th

RAINFALL

Total ..... 0.41

Normal to Date ..... 2.60

Total to Date ..... 2.62

## Election Deadline Passes

Filing deadline for City and School election was March 7, and both the City of Haskell and Haskell Independent School District will have contested elections on April 7.

Filing for positions on the City Council and listed in the order they will appear on the ballot were: Dee Larned, Bob Philpot (re-election), Claude Payne, Frank Markey, Guy Kennedy (re-election), and Earl Proctor.

Voters will elect three to serve on the City Council.

Filing for positions on the School Board and listed in the order they will appear on the ballot were: James Davis, Pat Henry, Jerry Hannsz, Ken Lane (re-election), and Joe Kimbrough (re-election).

Voters will elect three to serve on the school board.



**COTTON TRAILER FIRES...**Haskell Volunteer Firemen answered an alarm at 4 a.m. Tuesday to find four cotton trailers on fire. One trailer was extinguished and the damage was limited to those burning when the department arrived. The fires were of

suspicious origin. Local fire officials also encourage everyone not to burn trash and grass as gusting winds create a severe threat to nearby structures. During the past six days the department has responded to about 15 alarms. (Staff Photo)

## SHOWER

The Haskell Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes will host a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cook Saturday, March 17, at 7 p.m. in the Community Building of the Haskell National Bank. Living room and dining room furnishings and kitchen appliances of the family were destroyed by fire Monday morning. According to hosts, a money tree will be available and other gifts will be appreciated. For more information contact any member of the Haskell Jaycees or Jaycee-ettes.



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### NOTICE

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**WOODARD FARM SALES—** Ford tractors, equipment, long harrows, Lilliston-Heston-Oliver plow parts. 4fc

**NEW INTERNATIONAL Harvester** 86 series Tractors with full 2 year warranty. Priced to Sell—See A.C. or Larry before you buy—Richardson Truck and Tractor 864-3474. 11fc

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**FOR SALE:** Tennelec MCP-1, 16 channel programable scanner with search. Call 864-2686. 10fc

**FOR SALE:** Small dinette metal table with four chairs. Good condition. Mrs. Fred Hilbers, 204 N. 4th, Haskell. 11p

**FOR SALE:** 1974 Pontiac Lemans, 2 door hardtop. \$1200.00. 864-2631. 11fc

**FOR SALE:** 30 foot goose neck camping trailer, fully self-contained, real nice. Call 864-3771 after 2 p.m. 11-12p

**FOR SALE:** 1970 Thunderbird, \$1200.00. 1017 N. 6th St., Haskell. Phone 864-2047. 11p

**FOR SALE:** 100x30 foot lot southeast part of Rule. 997-2583. 11-12p

**FOR SALE:** 6-8'x9'x32' all steel tandem axle cotton trailers. 6-8'x9'x28' all steel cotton trailers. Sam Turner. 1-817-997-2370. 11-12p

**FOR SALE:** White New Zealand Rabbits. Call 864-3406. 11p

**FOR SALE:** 1977 Ford LTD Excellent Condition. 17,500 miles. Ted Jennings, 1201 N. Ave. K. Call 864-3622 before 5. After 5 call 864-3782. 11-12p

**FOR SALE:** 4 piece living room suite. Call from 5:30-6:30 864-2380. 11p

**FOR SALE:** Dark green cut velvet couch in excellent condition. 12x17 red shag carpet in good condition. 997-2675. 11c

**FOR SALE:** 25 inch screen color TV, for sale as is, console. 864-2003. 11fc

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**FOR SALE:** 1970 Chevy Impala 4 door hardtop. Good car. \$750. See at Wooten's Service Station. 11-12p

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**WELDING:** Certified welder; portable rig. Available on weekends & after 5 p.m. weekdays. Call Gary Gilleland 864-2767. 8-22p

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**LOST** south of Haskell: 2 black heifers; 2 black steers, approximately 500 lbs.; 1 red steer, approximately 900 lbs. Contact Lee Lane at 864-2704 or 864-2629. 11c

**LOST:** 15 in. wheel and tire off of trailer between Haskell and Power Plant. Buford Cox. 864-2877. 10fc

**STRAYED:** Brangus bull strayed from pasture 5 miles north of Stamford and east of the railroad tracks. Call 864-2557. 11-12p

### Wanted

**A LADY** wanted to stay in a home with an invalid. Phone Stamford, 915-773-2201 or 915-773-2364. 10-11c

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### Jobs Wanted

**CUSTOM ROTORTILLING** and garden plowing. Jack Sonnamaker. Phone 864-3510. 8-12c

### Mobile Homes For Sale

**FOR SALE:** 3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Mobile Home. Central heat & air, carpeted, on large lot. Call 864-2204. 5fc

### Help Wanted

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### Card of Thanks

**CARD OF THANKS** Herbert and Herman Williams along with their sisters Oleta Roberts, Mavis Lowrey, Lila Melton, Helen Nelly, Patsy Ruth Poole acknowledge with grateful hearts and extend to all our sincere appreciation for each and every thought or deed and especially every prayer offered regarding the recent illness and loss of our mother, Sibyl O. Williams. 11c

**CARD OF THANKS** We appreciate so very much the many things you have done to show your love and concern for Mother and us, especially at this time. The Family of Willie Rose. 11c

**CARD OF THANKS** We would like to sincerely thank all of our friends for all the food, flowers, prayers, and other acts of kindness during the illness and death of our dear sweet grandmother and mother. The Family of Clara Hendrix. 11p

**CARD OF THANKS** The family of Charlie Saffel wishes to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their prayers, cards, flowers and food during our loved one's extended illness and death. Special thanks to Sweet Home Baptist Church, Women serving lunch, Bro. Danny Johnson, and the Drs. and nurses who cared for him. May God bless each of you. The Saffel Families. 11p

**CARD OF THANKS** Our words fail us when we try in our feeble way to express our appreciation and deep gratitude for the expressions of love and concern during the long illness and passing of our dear loved one Artie May Burkett. The many cards and phone calls helped us to know you cared and loved her too. To the Doctors, nurses and hospital staff we shall ever be grateful for their faithful service and untiring efforts in ministering to her needs. To the ministers, Bro. Dudley Bragg, Rev. James Putnam and Br. Tom Jones our grateful appreciation for their regular calls and devotions that lifted us up and strengthened us in time of need. Our sincere thanks and appreciation to one and all. Affectionately, The Family of Artie May Burkett. 11c

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**CARD OF THANKS** We would like to thank all our friends and neighbors for the flowers, food, visits, and prayers during the illness of Vera and Charlie Cook. The family of Charlie Cook. 11p

### Real Estate

**FOR SALE:** Nice two bedroom home with over 1100 square feet floor space, four closets, central heating, utility room, good roof. Just painted inside and out. Located on paved street in good neighborhood, 503 N. Avenue G. Has apartment in back which could be good revenue bearing property. Large lot. See or call Jetty V. Clare, 802 N. Avenue F, phone 4-3155. Will sell cheaper than you can build. 9fc

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**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday 8:30-5:00. Lots of misc. items too numerous to list. Back of 706 S. 2nd. 11p

**YARD SALE:** Thursday and Friday at Trailer House at 307 S. Ave. C. 8 a.m. Baby Furniture, childrens clothes, jellies, two Dearborn heaters, and misc. 11p

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**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday 1704 N. First St. Weather permitting. Large size womens clothing, mens clothing, hand-made items and misc. Junk-a-tique will also be opened on Saturdays. 11p

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**NOTICE**  
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### Public Notice

**Notice of Hearing**  
West Texas Home Health Agency d/b a Mid West Texas Home Health Agency, Seymour, Texas. Represented by Marciano Morales, #3 Briercroft, Lubbock, Texas 79412 (THFC File #AS78-0703-042) is scheduled to appear at a hearing at 8:30 a.m. on May 15, 1979, in the offices of the Texas Health Facilities Commission, 1600 West 38th Street, Suite 305, Jefferson Building, Austin, Texas, to present evidence in support of the application for a Certificate of Need to provide the new services of speech therapy, occupational therapy, and medical social services to the residents of Archer, Baylor, Childress, Clay, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, Haskell, Hood, Jack, Kent, King, Knox, Montague, Motley, Palo Pinto, Parker, Schackelford, Somervell, Stephens, Stonewall, Throckmorton, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young Counties. The Commission proposes to render a decision on the application on May 31, 1979.

A request to become a party to the application may be made by filing a sworn affidavit with the Commission using the format prescribed by Commission Rule no later than 5:00 p.m., April 20, 1979, and by forwarding a copy by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the applicant and all other parties.

Note: If no request to become a party or petition for hearing is timely filed with the Commission, the Commission may proceed without a hearing on the application for a Certificate of Need at any time after April 20, 1979, upon written request by the applicant. 11c

### PUBLIC NOTICE PROPOSED RENEWAL OF TEXAS WATER COMMISSION PERMIT NO. 11018-01

The City of Weinert, Haskell County, Texas, has applied to the Texas Water Commission for renewal of its permit, which authorizes a discharge of treated domestic sewage effluent, at a volume not to exceed 40,000 gallons per day average, from the sewage treatment facilities located west of Ellis Street on the west side of the City of Weinert, Haskell County, Texas. The treated domestic sewage effluent is discharged into Lake Creek; thence to the Brazos River in Segment No. 1208.

**RENEWAL AUTHORITY:** Rule 156.25.20.001-.004 of the Texas Department of Water Resources.

The permit, if renewed by the Commission, will specify conditions and limitations generally the same as those currently enforced by the existing permit. The expiration date of the existing permit is July 23, 1979. It is proposed that the expiration date be specified as midnight, five years after the date of Commission approval.

No public hearing shall be held on this application for renewal unless a person who has received notice of the proposed renewal has requested a public hearing in writing. A person requesting a public hearing should set out the factual basis of his belief that such renewal should not be granted by the Commission.

If no sufficient request for hearing is received within 30 days of the date of this notice, the permit will be submitted to the Commission for approval of the renewal.

### Public Notice

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**  
Notice is hereby given that a School Board election for the Haskell Independent School District will be held on April 7, 1979 for the purpose of electing to the Board of Trustees of said School District three members.

That said election shall be held at the following places, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election: In election precincts numbered All precincts at Haskell National Bank Community Building, in Haskell, Texas, in said School District, with Norman Nanny as Presiding Judge.

Absentee voting will be held at the Administration Office beginning March 19 and continuing through April 3, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Mary Sorrells is Absentee Clerk. 11c

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### Legal Notice

By action of the Weinert school board, a school trustee election for Weinert Independent School District has been set for April 7, 1979. Absentee voting will be held at the Weinert School beginning March 19 and ending April 3. 11c

**Quality New Homes Construction**  
Have lots to build on East Part of Town Tommy McAdams Builder  
Call 864-2785 13fc

**WATER WELL DRILLING**  
Large diameter hole drilling for irrigation and house wells. Call after 5 p.m.  
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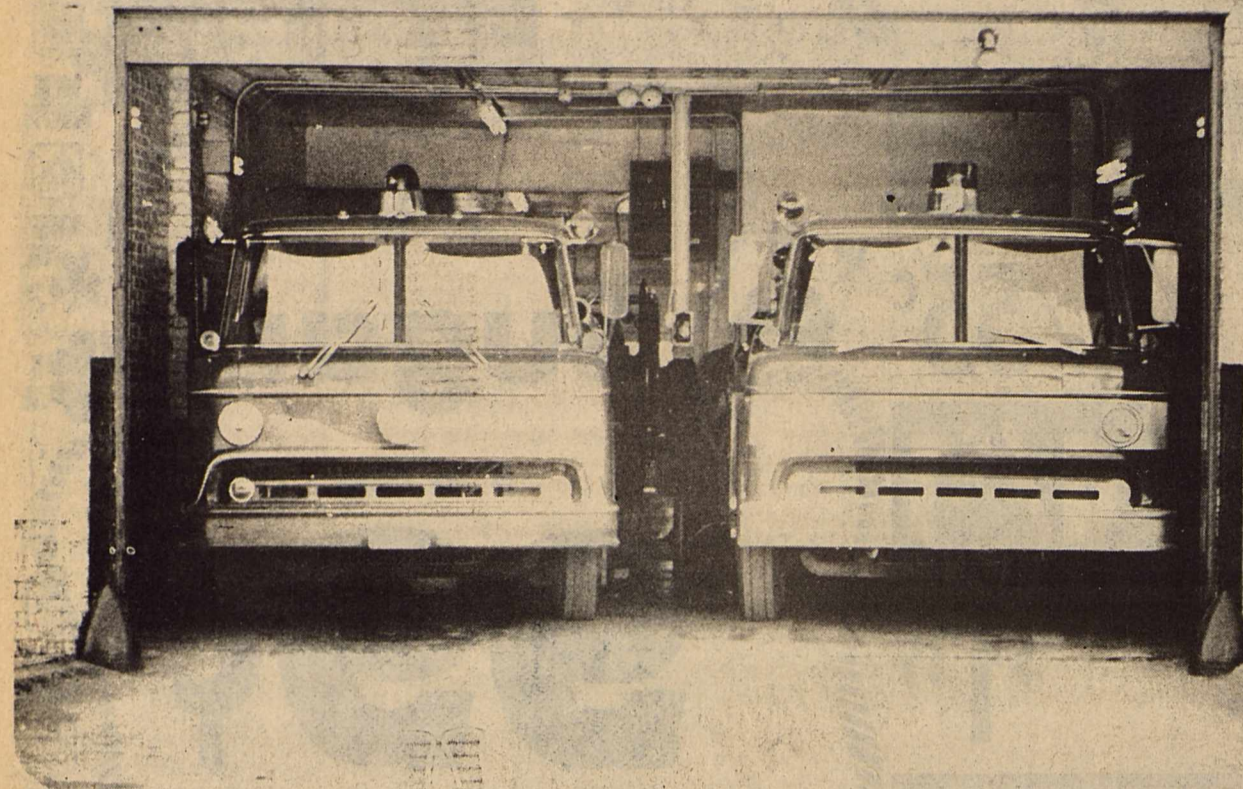
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Rule, TX 817-997-2132 10-11p







# Free Press Editorial



**CROWDED STATION...** Conditions at the existing fire station are such that the vehicles will barely fit into the station. The narrow

structure provides admittance into the vehicles from only one side (the center).

# New Station Is Needed

BY DON COMEDY

Fifty-three years ago, the equipment of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department was moved into a new fire station. Today, that same station is still in use.

During the past fifty years, the department has grown both in membership and equipment. With advances in firefighting technology, more sophisticated equipment became necessary, and as a result the equipment needs of the department also grew.

Currently the department has equipment and trained personnel capable of controlling almost any potential fire hazard in the city.

The current station is no longer adequate to contain the existing equipment. At present, the station houses four units of firefighting apparatus, leaving one unit to be located outside the station. During the summer months, the extra truck is kept in a vacant gas station next to the fire station. During the winter months, the truck is kept in the city garage where heat is available.

Approximately one month ago, members of the Haskell County Jaycees agreed to remove debris from Spring Branch Creek caused by the August 3 and 4 flood and donate all money received from the project to the Fire Department to start a building fund.

With assistance from Fire Department members and many other groups and individuals, the creek project is nearing completion.

Members of the Fire Department have started preliminary plans for a new station which will be located east of the existing facility.

The tentative plans call for a building 50x100 feet which will house six trucks, contain ample work area, and training facilities and offices.

The proposed structure would provide the necessary space for equipment now in use and has adequate space for equipment needs of the immediate future.

Preliminary cost estimates on the new station place the cost of the new facility at approximately \$75,000.00. It is anticipated that revenue from the Jaycees clean-up project will total some \$10,000 to \$12,000.

Throughout the seventy-three year history of the local department, firemen have been volunteers. As such, their dedication to the community has been dual. The department members have maintained top quality department on a fraction of the budget of other comparable cities. While many cities the size of Haskell have as many as six paid firemen, Haskell has never had over one. During the past years, this item alone has saved many thousands of dollars.

Still concerned with the rising cost of taxes, department members have set as their goal, raising as much of the necessary funds through voluntary donations and other fund raising activities as is possible.

As active members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department, both the publisher and editor of the Free Press invite you to visit the fire station and view first hand the need for a new facility.

It is our sincere belief that no other group of community servants is as worthy of your moral and financial support.

# Bike-a-thon Scheduled To Benefit Cystic Fibrosis

Jennifer Burgess has announced that the annual Bike-a-thon to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will be held starting at 8:30 a.m. this Saturday morning on the parking lot across the street east of the First United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Burgess, this year's chairman for the Cystic Fibrosis Bike-a-thon, explained that anyone can ride in the event provided they are sponsored by at least one source.

The Bike-a-thon route will begin at the parking lot and proceed north up Brick Street to North 16th, then over to Ave. G, south to North First and back over to Brick Street. There will be an adult at each corner of the route to

watch for traffic and insure the safety of the bikers.

Mothers and interested persons are needed to provide refreshments and supervision for the entrants. As children contact you for sponsorship, please be generous. Not only is this a healthful activity for the youngsters but it is the major source of funds for research and prevention of the child crippling cystic fibrosis. Sponsors pledge so much money per mile. Each lap will be recorded for the rider as he passes the starting point at the parking lot.

Three Haskell businesses volunteered to provide prizes: The Drug Store, Ben Franklin, and Perry Brothers. Dairy Queen was generous

enough to provide a free treat to the one class who raises enough money.

Those interested be at the parking lot east of the Methodist Church by 8:30 a.m., Saturday, March 17, with their sponsor sheets already completed and signed by parents.

# Commissioners Hold Regular Meeting

The regular meeting of the Haskell County Commissioners Court was held Monday with all members present.

Members of the Court heard a request by residents of the O'Brien Community for assistance in purchasing a new fire truck. Members of the court agreed to seek additional information on the availability and cost of a Texas Forestry Service truck and meet with the O'Brien representatives again.

Commissioners agreed to allocate \$2,750.00 in Revenue Sharing Funds for use in the Rochester Baseball Program.

Darold Roberson representing the Haskell Housing Authority, requested assistance from the County in completing dirt work at the newly completed rental housing project. The Court agreed to assist in the work.

# Deadline Extended To April 5

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announces that the Small Business Administration has extended the deadline for submitting applications under the Disaster Loan Program. April 5, 1979, is the new deadline for Physical Disaster Loan applications. Farmers and ranchers who suffered financial hardship due to drought losses on 1978 crops may now file by the April 5 deadline. July 6, 1979, has been set as the new deadline for Economic Disaster loans.

Congressman Stenholm has been

working with the Administrator of the Small Business Administration on a daily basis in an effort to seek these extensions. Many farmers and ranchers in the area have faced difficulty in filing applications because of the fact that it has been impossible in many instances to harvest crops and obtain the necessary ASCS certification which must accompany an SBA application. The Congressman indicated his hope that this extension will prove helpful to individuals who have experienced losses and thereby qualify for this program.

# Stamford Electric Cooperative Sets 40th Annual Meeting

Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc. will hold its 40th Annual Meeting on Saturday, March 17 in Stamford at the High School Auditorium. A barbecue meal will be served beginning at 5:00 p.m. with the business session to start at 7:00 p.m., according to President John Ed Youngquist. Musical entertainment has been planned for the meeting, and all members and friends of the Cooperative are invited to attend.

During the business session the election of three directors will be held to fill the three expiring terms. Incumbent Jim Lee Baucum and Carl A. Thompson, Jr., both of Anson have been nominated

for Place 1. Nominees for Place 2 are incumbent Walter E. (Gene) Fischer and Charles Dale Middlebrook, both of the Paint Creek Community. Willie Peiser, incumbent, of Haskell has been nominated for Place 3.

Other directors are Leo McKeever, Lueders; O.G. Lewis, Rule; Louis Spitzer, Old Glory; Leroy Vaughn, Hawley; and Weldon Walker, Stamford.

General Manager, M.L. Massey, reported that the Cooperative furnishes electrical energy to the rural areas of part of 6 counties, now serving about 5,000 meters on a little over 2,000 miles

of line. He noted that when the Cooperative was organized most of the services were farm homes; but now there are fewer farm homes but more barns and waterpumps have been electrified. He said, "Since about 1948 oil has played a greater role in the area and the Cooperative now sells about 50% of its electricity to oil companies, thus supplying vital service to the production of energy. The serious problem of providing reliable and economical service to our area should encourage the attendance of every member at the Annual Meeting," Massey concluded.

# Congressional Comment

## Iranian Situation Not Improving

BY CHARLES STENHOLM

It is a recurrent theme in Greek mythology that it is dangerous to wish for anything because your wishes might come true. The people of Iran are now finding out the truth in this bit of wisdom. Recently the autocratic regime of the Shah was overthrown by the followers of Ayatollah Khomeini. Already eight Iranian generals have been executed and one senior official of Khomeini's new provisional government was quoted as saying that this was only the beginning. Thus it is starting to appear that a "repressive regime" has been overthrown by another "repressive regime."

The revolutionaries may be beginning to find out that winning the war is much easier than making the peace.

The last significant contingent of foreigners needed to run the sophisticated aspects of the crumbling military are preparing to leave. The middle class and liberals are beginning to worry that they have replaced one dictatorship with another. Recent allies now become suspicious and untrusting of each other. Most leftist groups, though, feel that the recent uprising is just a beginning and they will continue their struggle until they have succeeded in the violent take-over of this area.

The instability of this region has serious consequences for the Western World. Iran's proximity to the Soviet Union makes it strategically important and with the large stores of sophisticated American weapons in that country the

chance of Soviet intervention is a very real possibility. The Shah was once regarded as the policeman of the Middle East and with his fall this area has become considerably more unsettled. If rebellion spills over into Saudi Arabia, the peace of the whole world could be in jeopardy. Iran is located on the Persian Gulf, over which 40% of the world's oil is transported. If this shipping lane were cut off, the world economy would come to a standstill. Most important is that Iran is the second largest exporter of oil in the world and is the only Arab country that sells oil to Israel. The recent cut-off of oil production could have catastrophic consequences for the U. S. economy and the stability of the region.

The situation in Iran illustrates the shallowness of false idealism that is characteristic of our not too distant past. In the sixties some seemingly idealistic, rebellious Americans such as Jane Fonda supported communist forces in Southeast Asia. Now these nations are continually at war with one another and peace is not in sight. Certainly there is no honor among thieves, no matter how lofty

the rhetoric. As competing groups struggle for power, violence and disorder will continue. The stability and progress that was made under the Shah will take a long time to re-establish—if ever. Indeed, the people of Iran may realize that they have won but a hollow victory.

# MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses issued in the month of February by the Haskell County Clerk's office included:

Alan Dale Anderson, Andrews, and Amanda Sue Hunt, Rule; Rex Allen Pittman and Camin Jeannine Kennedy, Haskell; Ricky Eugene Tidrow, Haskell, and Virginia Gale Burleson, Rule; James Eugene Daulap, Haskell, and Judith Earlene Becker, Pampa; David Eugene Smith, Abilene, and Debra Lynn Compton, Aspermont; Richard Edward Powell and Billie Louise Powell, Lubbock; Frank Penner Friesen and Helen Fehr, Haskell.

# Funds Available

Section 313 of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1978 amended the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964 by adding Section 18 entitled, "Formula Grant Program for Areas Other Than Urbanized." Federal funds are now available for financial assistance of public transportation in Texas' nonurbanized areas (cities with populations of 50,000 or less).

These funds may be used for both capital and operating assistance and are available to state agencies, local public bodies, non-profit organizations, and operators of public transportation services. The goals of this program are to enhance access of people in nonurbanized areas for purposes such as health care, shopping, education, recreation, public services, and employment by encouraging the maintenance, development, improvement, and use of passenger transportation systems.

# Flying Club Sets Fun - Fly Sunday

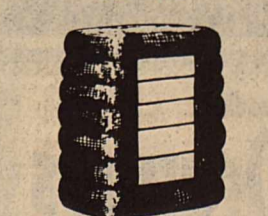
At a regularly scheduled meeting, Thursday, the 1st of March, officers were announced for the Texas Chiefs Model Airplane Club in Haskell. It was announced that Rodney Amonett is president, Ervin Frierson V.P., Jim Cottingham, Sec.-Treasurer and M. B. Dulaney reporter. Ervin Frierson holds honorary position of advisor.

The club will hold regularly scheduled meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Dues will be \$1.00 per meeting and funds will be used to buy trophies and sponsor contests and fun-flies which will be oriented to the public, as a spectator sport. The club is currently trying to locate a two of three acre tract of land suitable for building a model airport with paved runways, concessions, grandstands, toilets, and drinking water. In the opinion of Ervin (Chick) Frierson a long time modeler in Haskell, "What we have here is a sport involving skill, both in building and flying, patience, and perfection. It is something that should be a public attraction, both for spectators

and competitors. What we are flying aren't toys, they are real airplanes controlled with a rather complex radio, they weigh eight to ten pounds, and some fly at speeds of over 100 mph. They can create a better home life, as they make perfect father-son projects. But according to present trends, there are more adults in flying than youngsters, the sport catches you like a fever.

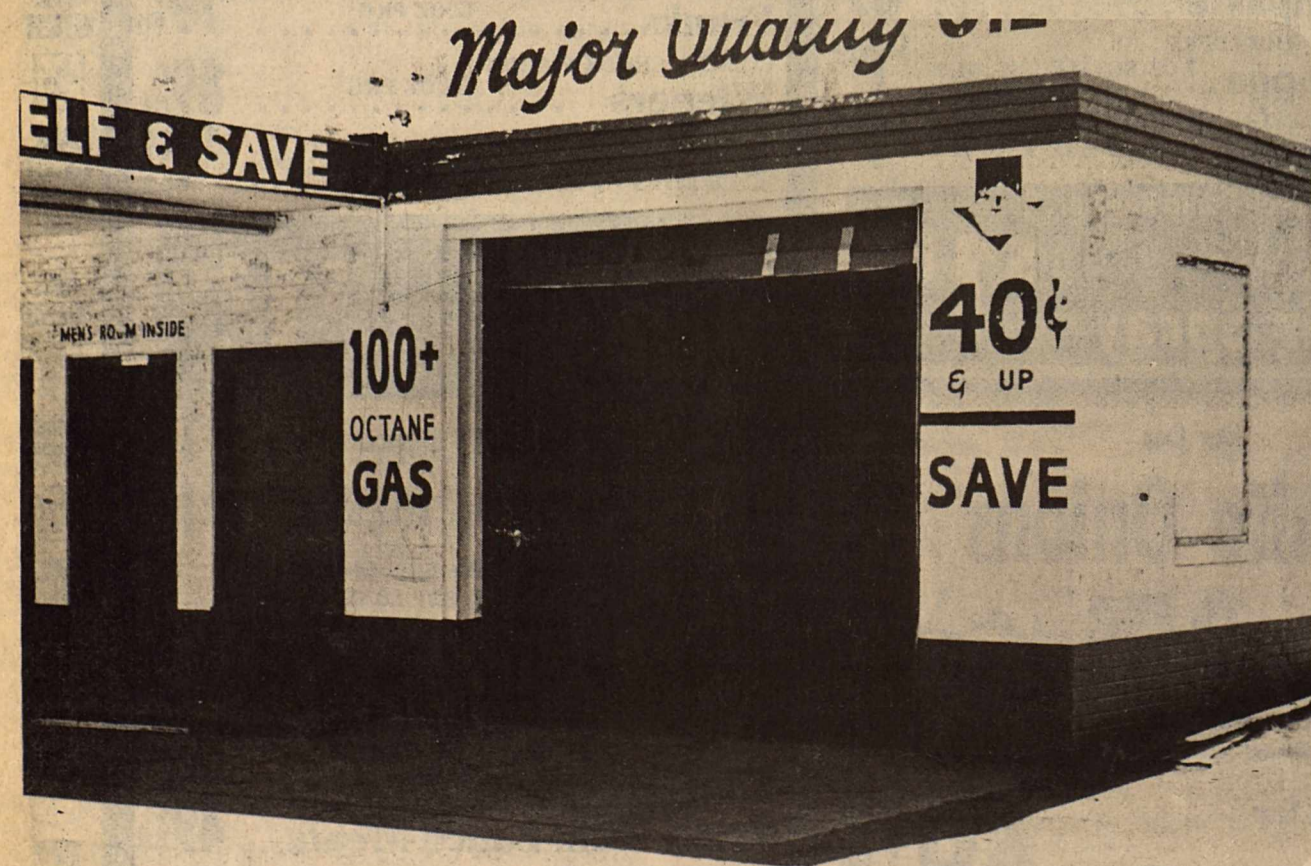
Plans will be announced Thursday night the 15th of March at the 7:30 p.m. meeting at City Hall for a fun-fly contest to be held on Sunday afternoon, March 18th. The contest will be for radio controlled gliders. Gliders will be judged for appearance, maneuverability and precision in flight. All persons interested in modeling whether it be boats, cars, trains, control line planes, free-flight planes, or radio control, are invited to attend meetings and learn of this fascinating hobby where you can create something with your hands that won't just sit on a shelf, it will amuse you almost every day.

# HASKELL COUNTY GIN REPORT



BY: MAX STAPLETON  
County Extension Agent  
March 13, 1979

HASKELL:	BALES
Farmers Co-op Gin	4,924
Haskell Co-op Gin	7,054
K&G Gin	1,550
ROCHESTER:	
Paymaster Gin	4,560
Farmers Co-op Gin	9,361
RULE:	
Rule Co-op Gin	8,402
Lisle Gin	2,958
Sagerton Gin	3,206
O'Brien Gin	16,700
WEINERT:	
Paymaster Gin	8,661
Weinert Gin	5,302
TOTAL	72,678



**EXTRA SPACE...** The current fire station provides room for four trucks and the department currently has five. The extra

truck is parked in this vacant gas station during the summer and at the city warehouse during the winter.



# American Ag News

BY BETTYE MCBROOM

The following is an article written by Jolene DeBoer and printed in the March 6, 1979, American Agriculture News. Eyewitness View of Violence in Washington

I'm writing this letter at the suggestion of several concerned citizens from the Bertrand area. Our national and big city news media have deliberately failed to bring out details of how the violence with the tractorcade (in Washington) started and who was responsible.

My husband and I were eyewitnesses to one policeman-farmer conflict, as we were in our tractor only 10 feet away.

This is what we experienced:

Wayne Peterson, a farm leader from South Dakota, had been leading our tractor caravan on foot. We'd traveled well over 10 miles through the city, with police escort, and not a single problem erupted.

The next thing we knew, sirens were blaring and lights were flashing, while police cars and motorcycles raced in front of us. They parked their vehicles directly in front of the tractors, so of course everyone stopped.

A billy club, belonging to a policeman, was raised in the air and came down directly on Wayne's head, from behind. A cop yelled, "You can't walk on our street."

You can imagine the shock every farmer felt who witnessed this atrocity.

Ken Hilton from Cambridge had been a lead tractor for our group. Cops began climbing on his tractor, and with their clubs started bashing his four tractor windows out. Other cops smiled as they cut his hydraulic hoses.

I don't know how you would have reacted, but mine would have been the same as Ken's. In an attempt to defend himself, his foot slipped off the clutch, and as fate would have it, his tractor hit two motorcycles and two police cars. I get sick to my stomach

when I think of what happened next.

Eight cops were yanking and pulling on Ken trying to get him out of the tractor. Unsuccessful, they next choked him to the point that he was almost unconscious, and he fell out of the tractor on the street. Billy club after billy club landed on his body. Even after he was handcuffed, those cops continued beating on him until he was a piece of flesh.

They stuffed him in a paddy wagon and began their work

on other unarmed farmers.

One young man had jumped out of his tractor to ask them to please stop beating his friend. He also got handcuffed and battered on the head. They dragged him face down across the street, but before they threw him in the paddy wagon, two cops spread his legs apart while another cop beat him unmercifully in the groin. As they threw him through the doors, one cop jeered, "There, farmer, you got your parity."

Whether you support the farmer is up to you. But I do hope you care enough about your country to find out what is going on. If you enjoy the privileges of freedom you now experience, you may get your chance to stand up and fight to keep them. I am thankful we have a heaven to look forward to.

## Sen. Tower Sets Internship

Believing that senior citizens should be more closely involved with Federal programs affecting them directly, Sen. John Tower (R-Tx) again this year will sponsor two Texas senior citizens for a two-week Washington internship.

Tower's internship program, designed to broaden understanding and further communication between the state's retired persons and their representatives in Congress, is entering its third year, and Tower, who initiated the senior citizen internship program in Texas, expects another mutually rewarding two-week program.

The two Texans, selected from applicants across the state, will spend May 7-18 in the Nation's Capital, meeting with congressional representatives, officials from departments and agencies, and observing the legislative process in Tower's office. They will have the opportunity to represent the interests of all senior citizens on a wide range of legislative issues from social security and consumer problems to transportation and employment.

"The senior citizens selected for the internships in 1978 contributed a great deal to my understanding of the needs, concerns and opinions of our senior Texans," Tower said, "and I am anxious once again to benefit from those with first-hand understanding of the impact that Washington's regulations and laws have on

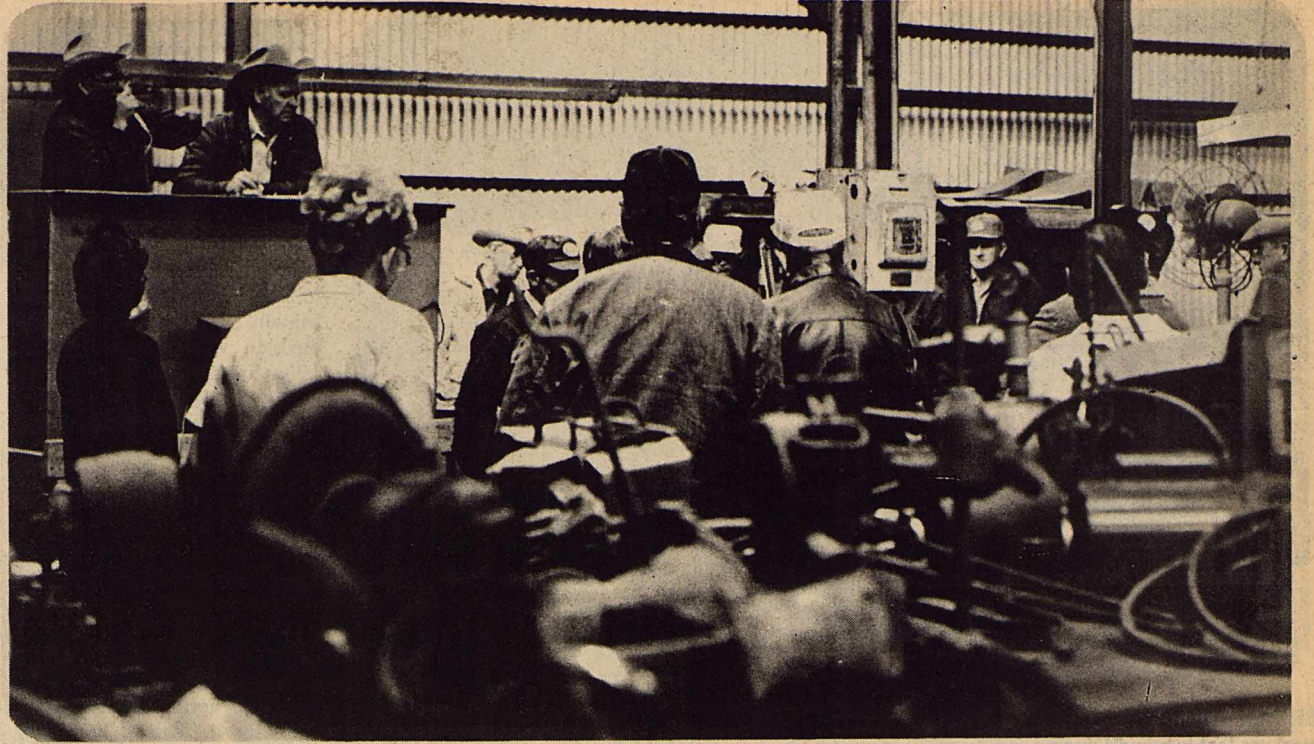
the retired community. At the same time, I am counting on the two individuals selected to share with their peers the experiences and insight they will gain from the time spent in Washington."

After their two-week stint in Washington, Tower said, the two interns selected will be asked to prepare a report on the program and on their experiences. This will be followed by three additional reports during the coming year evaluating the ways in which the interns have been able to utilize their experience to benefit senior citizen groups, and on their efforts keeping Tower apprised of viewpoints shared by other retired persons and groups.

Tower has asked senior citizens organizations in Texas to solicit qualified applicants and forward to him their names. Groups are the American Association of Retired Persons, the National Retired Teachers Association, the National Association of Retired Federal Employees, the Service Corps of Retired Executives, and the Texas Senior Citizens Association. Applicants should be 65 years of age or older, active in their communities and with other senior citizens, interested in legislation, and committed to working to fulfill the goals of the program.

Interns will receive their airfare to and from Washington, as well as a stipend to cover living expenses in Washington.

Reelected to his fourth term, Tower is ranking Republican on the Senate Armed Services Committee and second-ranking GOP member of the Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee. He also serves as Chairman of the influential Republican Policy Committee, and is a member of the National Transportation Policy Study Commission and the Committee on Rules and Administration.



NEW FACILITIES...An auction was held last weekend in the West Texas Sheet Metal building to remove all items from the location. Jimmy Bynum and John Larned are purchasing the building and hope to start

construction on a new motel and restaurant within the next 30 days. They anticipate that the new facilities will be completed by the end of the year. (Staff Photo)



## ST. PATRICK'S DAY SAVINGS

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Shank Half <b>Cured Ham</b> \$1 <sup>39</sup> / <sub>lb</sub>	California <b>Lettuce</b> Head 49 <sup>c</sup>
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<b>Hamburger Meat</b> \$1 <sup>29</sup> / <sub>lb</sub>	<b>CRISCO</b> 3 lb can \$1 <sup>79</sup>
Mrs. Bairds Large Loaf <b>Town Talk Bread</b> 45 <sup>c</sup>	Campbell <b>Tomato Soup</b> 5 cans \$1 <sup>00</sup>
Dottie <b>Biscuits</b> 5 Cans 69 <sup>c</sup>	Sweetie Pie <b>Marshmallow Cakes</b> Box 59 <sup>c</sup>
Hormel <b>Tender Chunk Ham</b> Can 98 <sup>c</sup>	Nice 'N Soft <b>Tissue</b> 4 Roll Pkg 89 <sup>c</sup>
<b>Tender Chunk Chicken</b> Hormel Can 98 <sup>c</sup>	Fantastic <b>Spray Cleaner</b> 22 oz 89 <sup>c</sup>
Duncan Hines <b>Cake Mix</b> Box 69 <sup>c</sup>	Texize <b>Glass Plus</b> 22 oz 89 <sup>c</sup>

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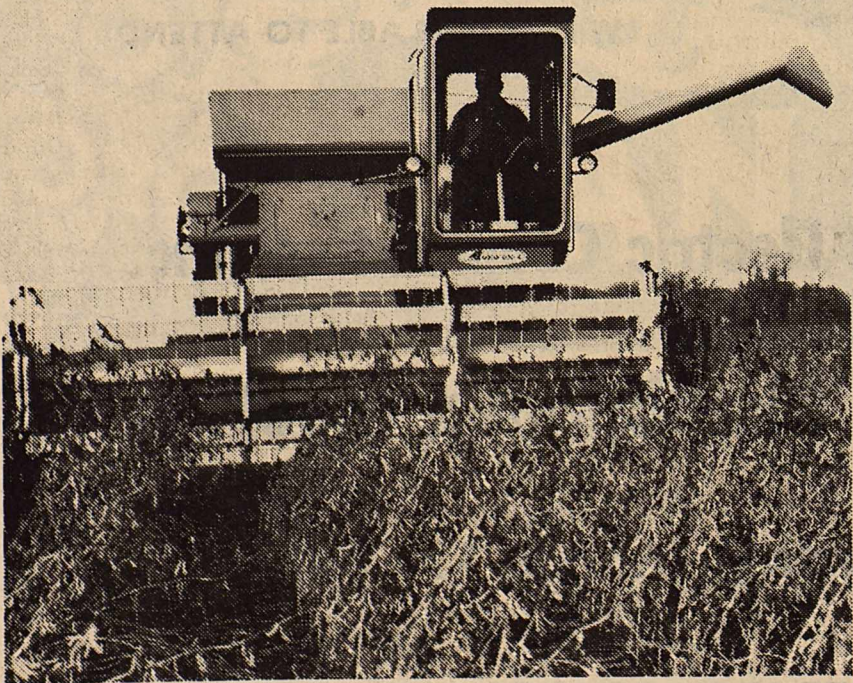
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**BREAK TIME...**Members of the Haskell Jaycee-ettes served refreshments to volunteer workers last weekend during the creek cleanup. Cool windy weather Saturday contributed to the strong demand for hot coffee. With the sunshine Sunday afternoon, the workers consumed several gallons of iced tea. (Staff Photo)

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**NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION**  
Weinert, Texas

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 7th day of April, 1979, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Mayor, 2 Aldermen. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city: In All Election Precincts Weinert Community Center.

The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at Secretary's office, City Hall Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Dated this the 12 day of March, 1979.  
J.E. Jetton  
Mayor

**Public Notice**

**AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD**

Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el dia 7th de Abril de 1979, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Alcalde, Dos Concejales. Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha ciudad: In All Election Precincts, Weinert Community Center.

Los sitios de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado dia de elecciones de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en el Edificio Oficina del Secretario dela Ciudad, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada dia de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto dia anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

Fechado esta dia 12th de March de 1979.  
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Royce R. Williams  
Mayor

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**HOUSE FIRE...**Haskell Volunteer Firemen answered an alarm Monday morning at 3:15 a.m. at the residence of Mike Cook. The fire was contained to the living room of the home and all living room and dining room

furniture and kitchen appliances were destroyed. Firefighters efforts to extinguish the blaze were hampered by rifle bullets exploding in the fire. (Staff Photo)

**Market Steady To Higher**

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction was steady to 1 to 2 higher on a run of an estimated 2,036 head of cattle, 124 hogs, and no sheep and goats at its sale March 10, 1979 according to Tommy Clay, market reporter.

**SLAUGHTER CLASSES:**  
Cows: Utility and Commercial, 55-60, few high (low)-dressing cows, 60-62. Canner and Cutter, 50-55, few high (low)-dressing Canners 45-50.

**Bulls:** Commercial, 62-70.  
**STOCKER CATTLE:**  
Steer claves: Choice 250-350 lb., 1.10-1.50, 350-450 lb., 1.00-1.10. Good 250-350 lb., 1.00-1.10, 350-450 lb., 1.10-1.20. Standard 250-350 lb., 70-75.

Heifers: Choice 250-350 lb., 1.00-1.10, 350-450 lb., 90-1.00. Good 250-350 lb., 90-1.00. 350-450 lb., 85-95. Standard 250-350 lb., 70-80.

350-450 lb., 70-75.  
**FEEDER CLASSES:**  
Steers: Choice 450-550 lb., 90-1.00, 550-650 lb., 85-95. Good 450-550 lb., 85-90. 550-650 lb., 80-87.

Standard 450-550 lb., 70. Heifers: Choice 450-550 lb., 80-87, Good 450-550 lb., 80-84. Stock cows: Choice, 70-75 per lb. Standard and Good, 55-65.

Cows and Calves: Choice pairs, 800, Good pairs, 725. Standard pairs, 525-600. Top Hogs, 52.50, Boars, 35.00, Sows, 45.00, Pigs, 1.10.

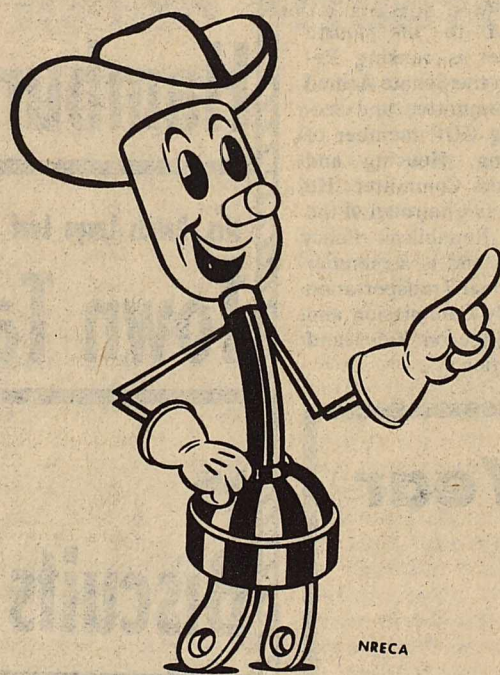
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# Leisure Lodge News

Several of our residents were in Abilene this week for medical check-ups as well as two residents are in Hendricks Memorial in Abilene. We have a good report from Mr. Juel Mitchell. His daughter reports that he should be coming back in a week or so. Gussie Stone is having tests and we hope that she will soon be back. Tommy Hawkins was in Abilene to see her doctor and the cast was removed from her leg and she had a good report, as well as Mr. J.O. Crawford. Residents report that they have enjoyed the piano selections by Mr. Gaylon Parris of L.A., CA. He is the son of Mrs. Eron Boykin. Other visitors of Mrs. Boykin are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pettis of Denver, Colo. and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Todd of Truscott.

Mrs. Mary McIver went out riding Sunday afternoon with her son, Roy, and wife and had dinner that night with them. Dora Long spent Sunday in the home of her sister, Edith Long. Kathryn Mitchell was in Abilene this week visiting her father-in-law, Mr. Juel Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith were visitors of her sister, Miss Alpha Dyches. Mrs. Wallace Boone of Weinert visited Mrs. Tommy Hawkins. Mr. and Mrs. Newton Westmoreland, Mrs. Dee Sprayberry and Mrs. Gilliam of Rule visited Mrs. Lummie Westmoreland. Maude Carter and Audrey Westmoreland of Rule visited Mrs. Dona Westmoreland and Mrs. Lummie Westmoreland. Visiting Mrs. Mary Alice Smith were, Mrs. Sallie Sanders, Mrs. Dora Freeby, Mrs. Georgia Turnbow and Eric, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray and Rev. Paris Barton all of Weinert and Rev. Lou Barton from Missouri. Mr. Kenneth Larned of Port Arthur, and Jeff Tidwell of Ft. Worth visited Mr. Joe Larned, Mr. and Mrs. Ray from Stephenville and Don Ray and son, Mark, of Odessa visited Mrs. Mary Ray. Mrs. Anselmo Camacho and son, Eddie, of Abilene visited Mrs. Nolberta Flores. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pierson and Mrs. Mark Frier of Magna, Utah visited with Mrs. Gladys Roberts. Mrs. Ivy Massie received a phone call from her son, James R. Massie of Euleless. Services of the week were enjoyed by the Foursquare people on Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. and will be all this month, the Rule singers were over from the First Baptist Church on Monday and on Wednesday the singers from the Sweethome Baptist Church in Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lee Jones of Houston are visiting his mother, Mrs. Maude Jones. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Bessie Piland in the loss of her sister, Mrs. Willie Rose. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith were Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Brockett of Weinert, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Nance of Uvalde and their daughter, Mrs. Dana Jo Kubezcka and baby of California. The Brockett's also visited Mr. W.O. Lewis.

### For the Week of March 5

The monthly birthday party for February was held on Friday the 26 with Pearl Walker as chairman, assisted by the Naomi and Feidalis Sunday School Classes of the First Baptist Church. After cake and punch, there was an inspiring devotion and singing. Those having birthdays were: Nannie Cobb, Lillie Bradley, Elsie Norann, James M. Shaw, Wilamet Oliphant, and Dee Phillips. Services of the week were given by the Foursquare folks at 3:00 p.m.

Mrs. Hazel Nolan and Grace Ledbetter of Abilene visited Elsie Mitchell. Mr. Gaylon Parris of Los Angeles, CA visited his mother, Mrs. Eron Boykin and will be here for several days. Other visitors were Mrs. Lea May of Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pettes of Denver, CO.

Terri Martin of Sweetwater, and O.E. Patterson, Jr. of Sagerton visited Mr. Sam Parks. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith and Mr. W. O. Lewis were, Mr. Elmer Hutchens of Munday, Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Brockett of Weinert, Mr. Buster Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moody of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bradley of Goree. Mr. Lewis attended a Retired Federal Employees meeting in Stamford on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Burson of Dallas visited Mr. Sam Parks and Mr. Lewis. They took Mr. Parks out for lunch on Sunday.

Visiting Eva White were her grandchildren, Jimmy and Sue Hackney of St. Louis, Mo., Mardell Roberson of Rochester, Ora Baugh and Katie Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hunt and Alma Allen of Rule, Mrs. John May of Knox City, Mattie White of O'Brien, and Sammy White of Knox City.

Mary Stover of Montague and Bill Wright of Baird visited their father, Mr. J.A. Wright. Visiting Cora Chaney were Charlie Chaney and Mrs. Imogene Wedeking of Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Harvey of Odessa visited his grandfather, Mr. Joe Larned. Mr. James Massie of Euleless visited his mother, Mrs. Ivy Massie on Friday and had dinner that night with her sister, Mrs. Maymie Wheatley and her son, Dr. Durwood Wheatley from Wichita Falls who was visiting her. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bradley of Goree visited his mother, Mrs. Lillie Bradley. Mrs. Wanda Lee of Rule visited Mrs. Minnie Brady. Mrs. Gladys Dyches of Rule visited with Alpha Dyches.

Visiting recently with Mrs. Nancy Howard were her grandson and family from Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson, David and Michele. Also her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipman, Vonda and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wilson of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson of Rochester.

Visiting Mary Alice Smith were Lynn Gray, Ft. Worth, Mrs. Lois Gray, Munday, Mrs. Judy Hicks, Kevin and Micael of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. George Gray of Weinert.

Visiting Dora Long on Thursday were her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Long from Hawley and Mr. and Mrs. Nuel Long and daughter, Mrs. Voyles of Odessa.

Mrs. Ivy Massie spent the day on Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Maymie Wheatley. Visiting Mrs. Nolberta Flores were her daughter and grandson, Mrs. Auselmo Camacho and Eddie of Abilene.

We extend our sympathy to the Clara Hendrix family in the loss of their loved one, Kathryn Mitchell has been in Abilene several days visiting her father-in-law, Mr. Juel Mitchell who underwent surgery in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene. We wish for Mr. Mitchell a speedy recovery. Gladys Roberts is back from the local hospital. Gussie Stone is a patient in the local hospital and we wish for her a speedy recovery.

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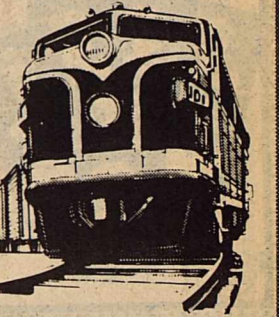
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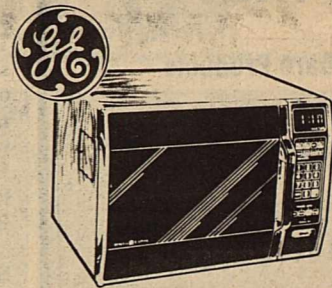
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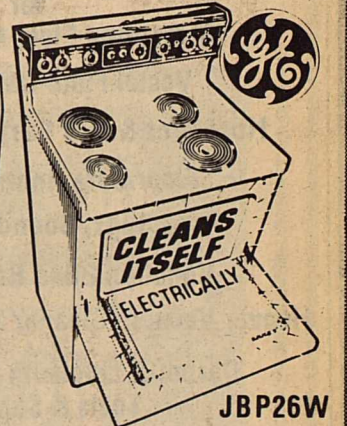


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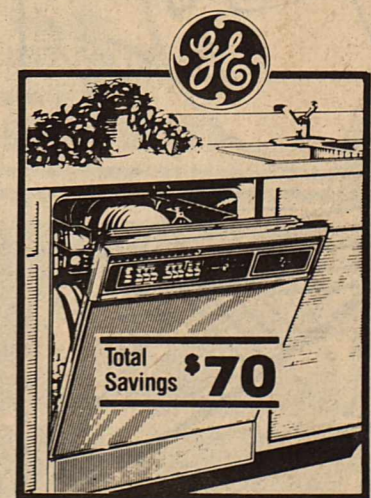
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## St. Patrick Is B&PW Theme

Members and guests of the Haskell Business and Professional Women's Club were greeted upon their arrival at the regular meeting of the club held in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank by the program committee and pinned with a gold and green Shamrock lettered "B.&P.W.". The table was covered with a green and white Shamrock print cloth centered with an arrangement of English Ivy and Bells of Ireland accented with Shamrocks in a silver and white striped top hat—carrying out the St. Patrick's Day theme.

Ramia Lee Frazier, club president, presided for the business hour with Leone Pearsey giving the Collect. Dora Montgomery, treasurer, gave the financial report including the memorials honoring Artie May Burkett, Charter Member and first president of the club.

Joan James, Haskell County Home Demonstration Agent, was introduced by Callie Robison, program committee chairman. Mrs. James spoke on kitchens—floor plans, convenient and adequate storage spaces and illustrated her talk with a film.

Ribbon cake, Fantastiks,

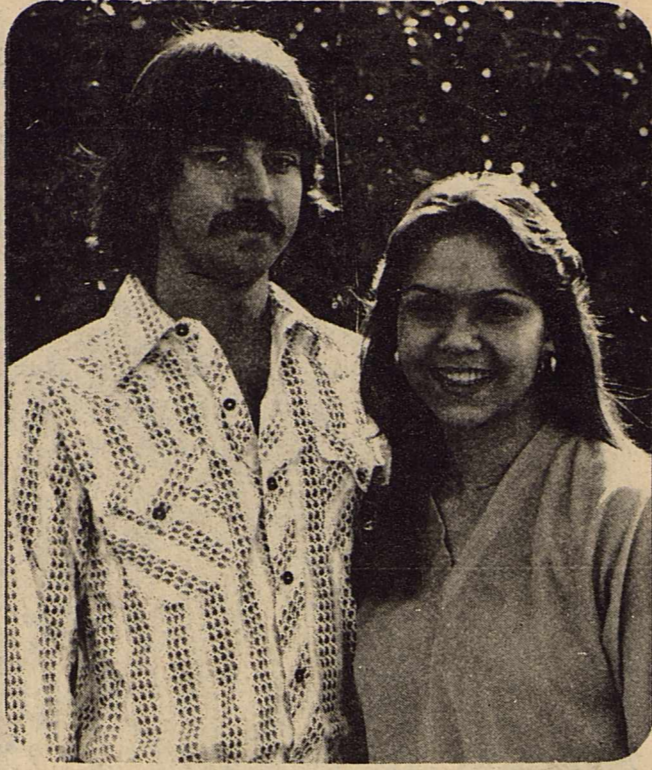
wheat nuts, and gherkins were served during the social hour from green and white plates with coffee served in Shamrock decorated cups by the hostess committee—Madalin Hunt, Edna Mae Lyles, Nettie McCollum, and Callie Robison. Favors were green felt Shamrock sachets tied with white cord.

The next meeting will be March 20 at 7 o'clock in the Community Room. Jo Simpson of Rule will review a book selected from the list of the best Inspirational Reading for Today's Families at this time. The membership committee will host the meeting.

## Cancer Center Workers Need Assistance

The Cancer Center is in need of more workers and sheets to use in the making of pads. More work is planned for summer months.

Cancer patients with doctor's orders use the pads made by the workers at the Cancer Center. They make all sizes of pads.



MR. AND MRS. TOM YATES of Weinert announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Yates of Abilene, to Mike Stewart of Munday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Stewart of Munday. The bride-elect is a graduate of Weinert High School and is a sophomore at Hardin-Simmons University. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Weinert High School and is self-employed in farming at Weinert. The couple plans a June 23 wedding in the First Baptist Church of Weinert.

## Delta Kappa Gamma Meets In Aspermont

Members of the Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met Saturday, March 3, at 2:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church in Aspermont, where ladies of the community were hostesses.

Twenty-four chapter members were present. LaRue Reeves, president, called the meeting to order and led the group in the reading of the Club Collect.

Dana Martin of Aspermont and Valerie Kinnibrugh of Truscott were granted Beta Chi scholarships.

Nancy Abernathy provided organ music. The Professional Affairs Committee under the chairmanship of Valerie Kinnibrugh gave the program.

Renella Watson introduced a group of Knox City Future Teachers who presented a skit, entitled "On the first day of school my mother said to me..." The girls participating were Sonia Carter, Stacy Eaton, Kristi White, Angelia Reid, Gerri Watson, Angie Bateman, Kelly

Bateman, Kelly Watson, Amber Ashcraft, Maxine Casillas, Phyllis Casillas, Ruthie Trice, and Kim Whitley.

Alta McGuire introduced the speaker for the program, Glyn Hammons from the Social Security Office in Abilene, who presented an interesting and informative discussion.

Valerie Kinnibrugh invited all chapter members to attend the next Beta Chi meeting in

Truscott at their Community Center on April 7 at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses will be chapter members from Truscott and Benjamin.

Mary Martin gave "Golden Moments."

Refreshments of sandwiches, dips, crackers, relish assortment, cookies, mints, tea and coffee were served.

## Mrs. O'Neal Is Artist Of The Month

Mrs. Lee Roy O'Neal is the artist of the month at Iva Lee's Fabrics for the month of March.

Mrs. O'Neal is art teacher in Haskell Jr. High School. She has taught publicly and privately for fifteen years. She began private lessons with Mrs. Sarah English McDonald from Stamford when she was fourteen and has studied under many well-known artists.

Mrs. O'Neal paints realistically with a preference for western and rustic art. She especially tries to portray and preserve the western country life of this area.

She is a member of the Brazos West Art Club.

## European Tour To Be Set

A European Tour is being arranged by Mrs. Bailey Toliver of Haskell and she welcomes residents of the area to join the group.

The 16 day trip will be from June 16th to July 1st. Pan American World Airways will provide air transportation and accommodations will be in first class hotels. The first day of sightseeing will begin in Amsterdam in the Netherlands.

A cruise through the Rhine River Valley will thrill the group on their way to Frankfurt, Germany. Next will be a visit to Innsbruck, Austria, followed by a motor trip over the Brenner Pass into Italy with stops in Venice, Florence, and Rome.

A train will then carry the group to Zurich, Switzerland, and on to beautiful Lake Lucerne. A motorcoach tour through the French countryside will delight the group on their way to Paris.

The last stop will be in London, England, and offer a chance to visit such places as Buckingham Palace and the Tower of London.

This will be Mrs. Toliver's third trip and she will be happy to give additional information to anyone interested. Space is limited and inquiries should be made soon.

## Hospital Notes

**ADMISSIONS**  
MEDICAL: Evelyn Moeller, Haskell; Mae Jackson, Haskell; Clovellica Thompson, Haskell; Maggie McKenny, Haskell; Alber Branch, Haskell; Olen Dotson, Haskell; Ella Peiser, Haskell; C.H. Massie, Haskell; Ramona Abila, Haskell; Lillian Garner, Old Glory; Birdie Vandever, Goree; Bettie Wainscott, Haskell; Martha Cornett, Throckmorton; T.V. Burson, Haskell.  
SURGICAL: Loretta Gray, Haskell; Christyne Green, Haskell; Linda Chapman, Haskell; Albert Holley, Haskell.

**DISMISSALS**  
Tommie Arredondo, Willie Harrell, Sarah Maldonado, Lillian Spencer, Laverne Lee, Gladys Jackson, Mary Baker, Peggy Kittley, Mable Derr, Dorothea Villanueva, Marguerite Corley, Geraline Pool, Floylene Holder, Wayne Dorner, Dora Gonzales, Susie Flores, Bamah Ivey, Stanley Furrh, Phillip Parker, Janice Saucedo.



Jaycee & Jaycee-ettes Happenings

Congratulations to the newly elected Jaycee-ette officers. President, Laura Andress; Vice President, Doris Butler; Secretary-Treasurer, Jeanine Comedy; Historian-Reporter, Kay Cook; State Director, Elaine Davis. Look for a great year from these girls in only their second year as a club.

Our prayers go out to Mike and Kay Cook after their tragic loss in their home fire Sunday night, but we are grateful that nobody was injured. Let's not forget the shower Saturday night at the Bank Community Room. These are our fellow Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes, so lets help them out in their time of need.

Plans are really coming together as the Bass Tournament draws near March 24 and 25. It will be held at Veda's Camp and Twain and Shirley Mickler have extended their ever gracious hospitality to have it there.

The political scene is warming up for the Jaycees, as time approaches for the chapter elections. We have four candidates for director and one for president at this time. Why don't you get involved and run for office this year. It's a great experience. The election time has been changed to April 19, with the political blast to be held on April 12.

Don't forget the Throckmorton Jaycees' basketball game there Thursday night, and their charter night Banquet Friday night. Elvin Wilson will be the feature speaker, and he is doing a terrific job as Texas Jaycee President. Also expect Jim Ivy, Area I Vice President, Regional Director Lynn Smith, and other Jaycee notables to be there.

Rumors are growing stronger and stronger of possibly three extensions by April 20. How about it Bo Owens! We can do it! Lets get other young men involved in this great organization!

The Haskell Jaycees have an opportunity to do something this year that has never been done in Texas, that being a 600% increase in membership. We only need to involve 35 more young men in order to do this, and we can do it! Give the young men in Haskell a chance. Ask them to be a Jaycee!

## 2500 Boxes Of Cookies Sold By GS

The Haskell Girl Scout Cookie Sale has come to an end. The girls sold a total of 2500 boxes of cookies. Forty-two girls received patches for having sold 48 or more boxes:

Troop 238 (first grade)-Julie Nanny, Marty Trussell, Devona McFadden, Missy Davis, Tanya Isbell, Jana Payne.

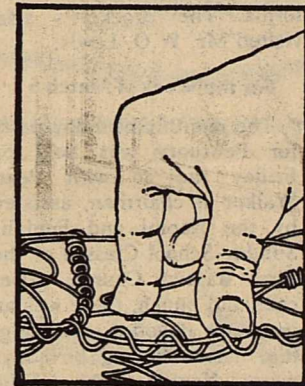
Troop 470 (second grade)-Christi Bartley, Michelle Bynum, Gena Decker, Dalyn Gilly, Loutina Hadaway, Jenny Hayes, Shanna Langford, Joy McKeever, Jessica Owens, Teresa Unger, LaKay Gibbs, Shelly Briscoe.

Troop 467 (third grade)-Sandra Thornhill, Sheree Dumas, Hester Owens, Tammi Miller, Leiza Morales, Lorie Alvarez, Kelliann Jennings.

Troop 468 (fourth grade)-Angela Donaldson, Doretha Moore, Emily Camacho, Janine Putnam, Julie Roewe, Kelli Gilliam, Marcy Davis, Mary Lehrer, Melinda Smith, Patricia Henry, Rhonda Adams.

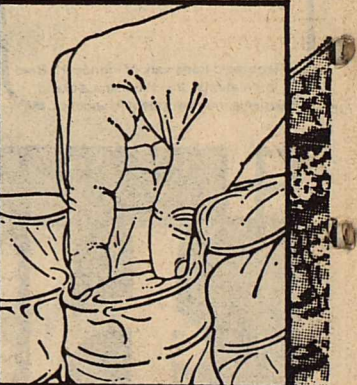
Troop 461 (fifth grade)-Irma Diaz, Esther Chavez, Betty Sue Villarreal, Stephanie Browning, Tammy Flanary, Tina Lacey.

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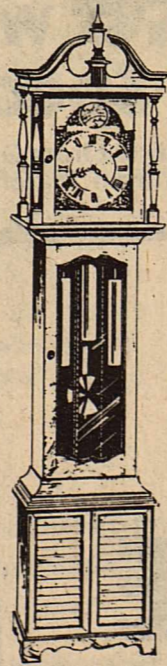
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# Conservation Poster Winners Named

The Board of Directors of the Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District are proud to announce the 1979 Poster Contest Winners from the schools that participated.

From the Rochester Elementary School, the following students had winning posters:

First Grade: 1st Place, Fred Arendondo; 2nd Place, Corky Speck; 3rd Place, Melissa Savcedo; Ms. Cathy Albus, Teacher.

Second Grade: 1st Place, Trina Fry; 2nd Place, Faye Mullino; 3rd Place, Shawnee Russell; Ms. Paula Fincher, Teacher.

Third Grade: 1st Place, Nick Jones; 2nd Place, Lance Sloan; 3rd Place, Melody Speck; Ms. Karen Roberson, Teacher.

Fourth Grade: 1st Place, Joe Lopez; 2nd Place, Bryant

Johnson; 3rd Place, Jody Sprayberry; Ms. Gladys Mathis, Teacher.

Fifth Grade: 1st Place, Traci Fry; 2nd Place, Irene Session; 3rd Place, Todd Austin; Ms. Easterling, Teacher.

Sixth Grade: 1st Place, Debra Ann Johnson; 2nd Place, Vertie Kay Nicholson; 3rd Place, Patricia Gale Jackson; Ms. Emily Wilson, Teacher.

McGuire; Ms. Mary Murphy, Teacher.

Second Grade: 1st Place, Kent Sanders; 2nd Place, Keith Swanner; 3rd Place, Pennie Boling; Ms. Mary Murphy, Teacher.

Third Grade: 1st Place, Monday Mayfield; 2nd Place, Barry Walker; 3rd Place, Tina Briscoe; Ms. Betty Sanders, Teacher.

Fourth Grade: 1st Place, Louis Perez; 2nd Place, Stacia Adams; 3rd Place, Ruben Castillo, Jr.; Ms. Betty Sanders, Teacher.

Fifth Grade: 1st Place, Stacy Hester; 2nd Place, Amy Castillo; 3rd Place, Darla Griffith; Ms. Sue Yeary, Teacher.

Sixth Grade: 1st Place, Kelly McGuire; 2nd Place, Cynthia Castillo; 3rd Place, None; Ms. Sue Yeary, Teacher.

The Directors extend their congratulations to these students for the efforts they put forth, and to the teachers, for their cooperation. They expressed their deep regrets that Haskell and Paint Creek Elementary Schools did not participate. It is felt that the students of these schools are the losers, and it is hoped that the school officials of these two schools will see fit to work the Conservation Poster Contest into their 1980 program.

## Conservation Viewpoints

USDA Soil Conservation Service  
Assisting  
Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District

The annual Haskell-California Creek Soil and Water Conservation Districts Land and Grass Contest will be held Thursday, March 15, on the Davis Ranch, north of Stamford. The contest is held in conjunction with the schools in both Haskell and Jones Counties and is coordinated thru the Soil Conservation Service.

This years contest will be conducted according to the State FFA rules, with four sites to be judged. One site will be pasture judging on plant identification and two sites will be range judging.

Often times the management etc., learned thru contests like this, aids the future farmer-rancher in determining what areas he can economically treat to increase his productivity and income.

With the current beef prices the demand for good quality grazing lands is high. This means many pastures will be grazed this year that have problem areas or need special attention. Management of grass is often overlooked in periods of good beef prices. Pastures are overused and

often times severely damaged to the point of slow return. Thus, little to no available forage of good quality is produced in the following years.

Many producers are taking advantage of this years prices and are returning their increased profits to the land in the shape of brush control and seeding practices. Money spent on the right practices and the best or more suitable sites and then properly managed is destined to return the most profits for the cattle man.

The young people studying for these contests are doing so for several reasons: a good grade, a chance to go on to a state contest, and to learn more about their possible future in the beef industry.

Should you study your soils and grass to establish a good quality grade of pasture, a chance to increase your production and to learn more about the future of your livelihood? Contact the Soil Conservation Service for practices you may need.

R.V. Earles, Chairman; J.C. Yeary, Jr., District Conservationist.

## Vehicle Registration

Texas motorists should check their motor vehicle registration plates to determine if they will expire in March.

Bob Townsley, director of the Motor Vehicle Division, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, said today that about two million vehicle registrations will expire this month.

"When Texas went to the staggered registration system two years ago only passenger vehicles and light (pickup) trucks were included in the monthly registration program. "Other vehicles will all have registrations expiring in March," he said.

Among those vehicles for which new registrations must be obtained prior to April 1 are heavier trucks, travel trailers,

utility trailers, and personalized plates.

Motorists with March 1979 registrations may drive their vehicles through March 31, but they must have new validation stickers if used April 1 or thereafter. Many county tax assessor-collector offices will be closed March 31, Saturday, making March 30 the last day to obtain new registrations.

"Undoubtedly there will be lines in some tax offices for those who delay getting their new registrations," Townsley said. "However, they will not be as bad as earlier years."

But he urged motorists to get their new registrations as soon as possible to avoid possibility of fines and a 20 per cent penalty on cost of registrations.



ATTEND SEMINAR...District Clerk Carolyn Reynolds, left, and County Clerk Sue Fincher attended the county and district clerks seminar March 6-8 at Texas A&M University. During the workshop, they heard many speakers which included Secretary of State and the Attorney General. (Staff Photo)

## Little Dribblers To Close Boys Season This Friday

The Haskell boys Little Dribblers comes to a climax this Friday night with the naming of the all-star teams. The all-stars will be announced by President Loraine Johnson after the second game Friday night.

In the 9-10 year old league, the well coached, talented War Whoops have made a

shambles of the rest of the league. They have already cinched the championship. The War Whoops are coached by Billy Mitchell, assisted by Sam Watson.

However, the 11-12 year old league has developed into a real dogfight with the Kiowas and the Mohawks locked into a dead level tie with one week and two games to go,

including one matching the leaders.

The players and coaches would like to thank the fans and parents for the support and welcome them back for the final games of the boys' season.

The girls Little Dribbler season will begin in about two weeks.

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# Rice Springs News

The Foursquare Church has been bringing the Sunday morning services for the month of March. These services are being enjoyed by all the residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stiewert of Lubbock visited with Lena Stiewert.

Jim and C. L. Cross welcomed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Sam West of Lubbock.

Tullie and Clara Herring of Amarillo visited with her mother, Emma Lammert.

Mrs. Lammert spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer of Sagerton.

Visitors of Alma Cole included: Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Post of Abilene, Rev. Waylon Dowden, Mary Sue Henry, Hazel Lewis, Ruth Eaton, Peggy Kittley, Nora Macon, Ella Franklin, Ima Lee Smith, and Mrs. J.E. Geer all of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford welcomed visits from their children, Mr. and Mrs. G.A. Bradford and Brenda of Peacock and Faye Cox of Clairmont.

The ladies from the Haskell Methodist Church did some very beautiful singing Monday morning. The devotional was led by Rev. Putnam. This was enjoyed by all the residents.

Alvena Holle welcomed visits from Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Lehrmann of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Lehrmann, Mrs. G. A. Leach, Mrs. Yater Benton, and Rev. Steven Ritter all of Sagerton, and Mr. and Mrs. Tullie Herring of Amarillo.

Jack and Evelyn Green of Ft. Worth, and Hallie Morgan of Rule visited with Ora McCollough.

Visitors of Charity Bradley included, Ella Franklin, Nora Macon, Mary Place, Imalee Smith, Peggy Kittley, Ruth Eaton, Hazel Lewis, Lynn Matsiyak, and Irene Yarbrough all of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sessions of Oklahoma and Wendell Rose of California.

Trudie Bush welcomed visits from Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Ruth Eaton, Hazel Lewis, Marie Townsend, Flora Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Rucker all of Rule, and Tullie Herring of Amarillo.

All the residents would like to welcome Bill Harrell.

## For the Week of March 5

The Foursquare Church will be bringing the Sunday morning services for the month of March. The residents are all looking forward to these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt of Sagerton visited with his mother, Hilda Kupatt.

Don and Betty Howard of Tulsa, OK, visited with Mogia Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Parsley of Old Glory visited with Elizabeth Yakey.

Eugene and Charlie Collier welcomed visits from Virgil and Charlene Mitchell of Rochester, Valcee and Opal Collier and Gary, and Paul Tetteller of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Brothers and Sandra of Rule.

Kate Hemphill welcomed a visit from her son, Mr. and Mrs. B.G. Hemphill of Simi Valley, CA.

Ruth Williams of Sagerton visited with Angeline Threet.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rose of San Angelo visited with Willie Rose.

Visitors of Emma Lammert included: Alice Bredthauer, Louise Stegemoeller, and Mrs. John Clark of Sagerton, Evelyn Kainer, and Annette Wilson and sons of Stamford.

Mrs. Lammert attended the services at the Trinity Lutheran Church Sunday morning.

Maggie Martin welcomed visits from Ada Snyder and Agnes Bowman of Seymour, Terry Lee of Lubbock, Karen Smart and children of Rochester, Joe and Valarie Minifee, Irene Yarbrough, and Lynn Matsiyak of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. David Haliburton of Graham, and Wanda Lehrmann of Ft. Worth.

The ladies from the Rule First Baptist Church brought a very nice devotional and singing Monday afternoon.

Mamie Angley welcomed visits from Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Angley, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Angley, and Vicki Angley of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Angley and Richard Long of Odessa.

Essie Long of Childress visited with her mother,

Dessie Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Williamson of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gregory of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parsley of Old Glory visited with Ada Williamson.

Mrs. Ruth Eaton, Hazel Lewis, Lynn Matsiyak, and Irene Yarbrough of Rule visited with Charity Bradley.

Earlene Smith and Flora Smith of Rule visited with Trudie Bush.

Visitors of Alma Cole included Mrs. J.C. Lewis, Mary Sue Lewis, Bobbie Brass, Lillian Cole, John Estes, Ruth Eaton, Hazel Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. John Hisey of Rule, Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller of Sagerton, and Grace West of Lubbock.

A.D. May of Rule visited

with Ora McCollough.

Alvena Holle enjoyed visits with Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Schwartz of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Lehrmann of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Opitz of Abilene, Mrs. John Clark and Louise Stegemoeller of Sagerton.

Irene Roa and Jonnye Jo of Ft. Worth, Irene Yarbrough and Lynn Matsiyak of Rule visited with Jonnye Pumphery.

G.A. Bradford and Brenda visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford.

Edward Corzine of Ft. Worth, and Eunice Hunt of Rule visited with Nannie McCaul.

Lena Boedecker visited with her mother, Mary Schonerstedt.

# Sagerton News

The monthly meeting of the Altar Guild of Faith Lutheran Church was held Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Ella Druessedow, chairman, called the meeting to order. Pastor Steven Ritter led the group in prayer and a discussion on Acts. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Norma Tredemeyer and a short business meeting was held.

After the meeting, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller was honored with a birthday party—her 84th! Those present included Pastor and Mrs. Ritter, their children Jeff and Sarah, Mrs. August Balzer the hostess, Mrs. Leonard Kieke, Mrs. Fritz Stegemoeller, Mrs. Otto Schaaek, Mrs. Lena Boedecker, Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer, and Mrs. Carl Druessedow. We want to wish Mrs. Stegemoeller many more Happy Birthdays!

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt and Kris were in San Angelo this past weekend attending the San Angelo Stock Show. Kris placed 7th with her heavy-weight Duroc. Kraig Kupatt joined his family there on Thursday, and later came home for the weekend.

Joe Clark and Butch DeBusk were in Fort Worth Friday for the tractor pull. They returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hertel, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hertel of Hamlin attended the Fort Worth Farm Show and tractor pull over the weekend.

Get well wishes are extended to Mr. Otto Schaaek who is a patient in Stamford Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baitz and Kacy were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Letz of Rule Sunday.

Johnny Baitz visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark Sunday afternoon and then with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz.

Mr. and Mrs. L.R. (Roy) Wienke of Center Point celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at the Sons of Hermann Lodge of Old Glory on Saturday night. The Wienkes were former residents of this area and formerly owned the Rule-Jayton gin in Sagerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tredemeyer of Cedar

Park over the weekend. They attended the monthly Tredemeyer brother-sister dinner. Mrs. H.C. Raphael of Stamford also attended the get together.

Rehearsals have been set for the Sagerton Hee Haw. They will be held on March 19th and 20th at 7:30 p.m. and dress rehearsal will be on March 29th at the same time. A large number of advanced tickets have been sold, but there are still plenty left. They may be obtained thru Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Charles Clark, or at the Sagerton Gin Office. Tickets may be obtained for one or both performances and will be available at the door.

Lenten Services will be held at Faith Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m. this Wednesday night. Everyone is welcome. The services will continue each week until Easter.

## Eagle Scouts

## To Meet

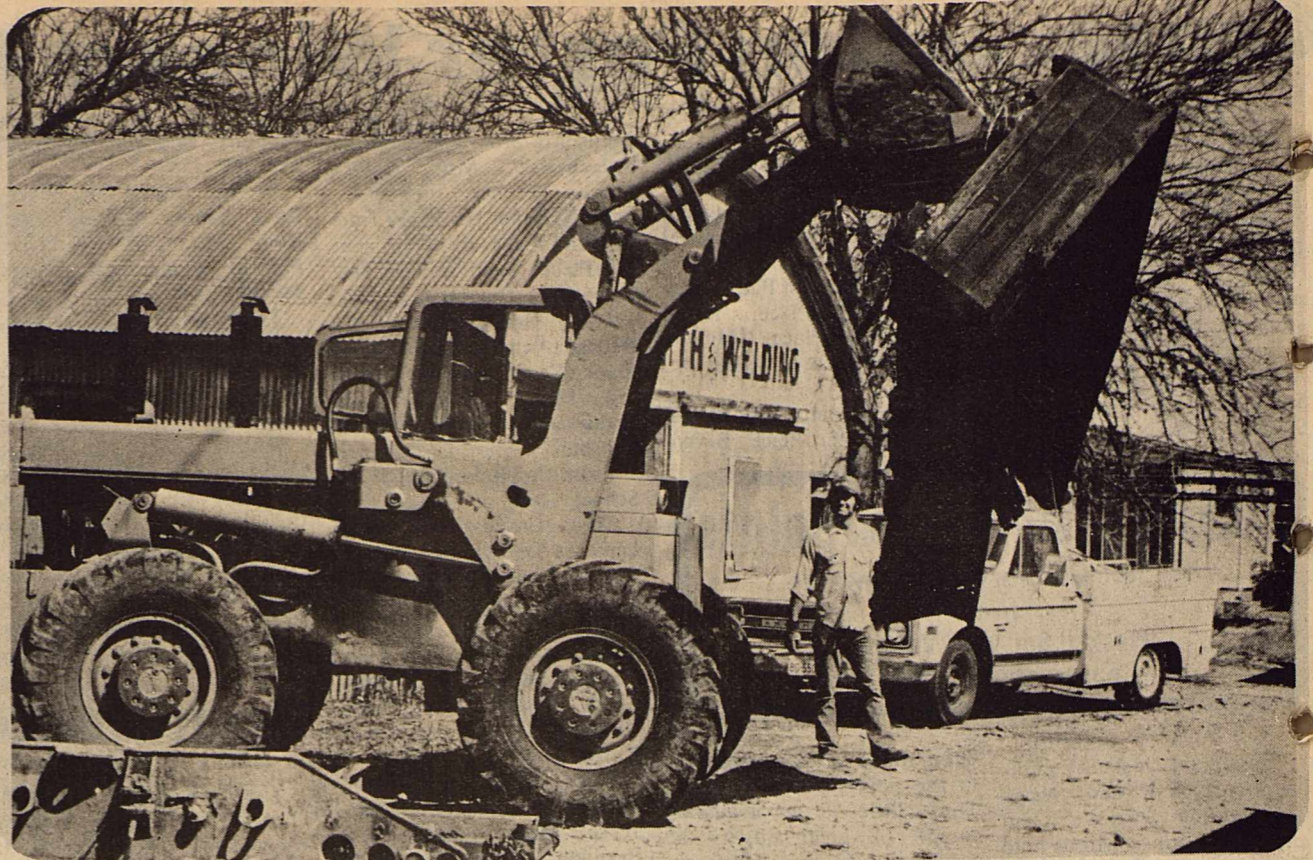
## At Show

One of the special features of Super Scout Show 79 will be the "Gathering of the Eagles."

All men and boys who have attained the rank of Eagle Scout are being invited by the Chisholm Trail Council to sit in a special reserved section in front of the stage along with their family members.

A mailing list for the special invitations is now being compiled from past records, etc. However, many men have moved to this area who obtained their Eagle Award in another council. This is the reason the council would like for men who are Eagles to call the office (915-692-9257) or write to Chisholm Trail Council, 3233 South Willis, Abilene, Texas 79605. They should give their name and address and what year they obtained the Eagle Rank.

Super Scout Show 79 will be held on April 7 in the Taylor County Coliseum and will honor Omar Burleson. The famous Re-generation singers and the Kotso Lodge Indian Dancers will perform. Booths will depict the past 100 years of history of the big country.



TRUCK BED FOUND IN CREEK BED...Workers cleaning Spring Branch creek last weekend found a wide variety of debris including this truck bed. Much of the debris is being removed with front-end loaders and

it seems the more they dig, the more debris is found. Project leaders are hopeful that the debris clearance can be completed this weekend. (Staff Photo)

# Horse Field Day Scheduled

A Horse Field Day and Judging Contest, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be held Tuesday, March 20, at the W.T. Waggoner Ranch, Whiteface Division Headquarters, one mile south of U.S. Highway 287 on the Wichita/Wilbarger County-Line Road, according to Ed Garnett, District Extension Agent for Extension District 3, and Dick Yeager, Waggoner's Farm and Ranch Manager.

All interested persons are invited to participate in the field day, Garnett says, where 4-H Club members and adults will try their hands at judging, classifying, and evaluating 100 head of yearling Waggoner Estate fillies and geldings. Preregistration with your County Extension Agent is requested.

The program will begin at 9:00 a.m., with a welcome by Dick Yeager. A response and purpose for the field day will then be given by Garnett.

At 9:15 a.m., B.F. Yeates and Dr. Doug Householder,

Texas Agricultural Extension Service Horse Specialists stationed at College Station, will explain a horse's conformation as related to the work it does under saddle.

At 10:00 a.m., everyone attending the field day will evaluate 100 head of young Waggoner Estate horses and classify them.

Following the horse evaluation, lunch will be served. During the lunch break, Frank Handley, who once broke horses for the Waggoner Ranch, will tell how horse breaking was in "the old days" along with a few other years.

A judging contest, with four classes of horses, will be held at 1:00 p.m. Official placings will be made by Yeates, Householder, and Dr. Jim Heird, Texas Tech University Horse Judging Instructor.

There will be three divisions in the judging—adults, seniors from 14 to 19 years of age, and juniors 13 years of age and under. One class of mules will be judged for the purpose of

breaking ties in the Horse Judging Contest.

Following the judging, Wes O'Neal, Whiteface Division Foreman, and some of the Waggoner cowboys will explain their methods of breaking horses. Following the Waggoner presentation, Yeates and Householder will make appropriate comments.

To wrap up the day, the official placings will be dis-

cussed by the three Horse Specialists. Presenting the judging awards and completing the program will be Dr. Whitney Rounds, Area Livestock Specialist for Extension District 3 of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Interested participants are encouraged to preregister with their County Extension Agent.

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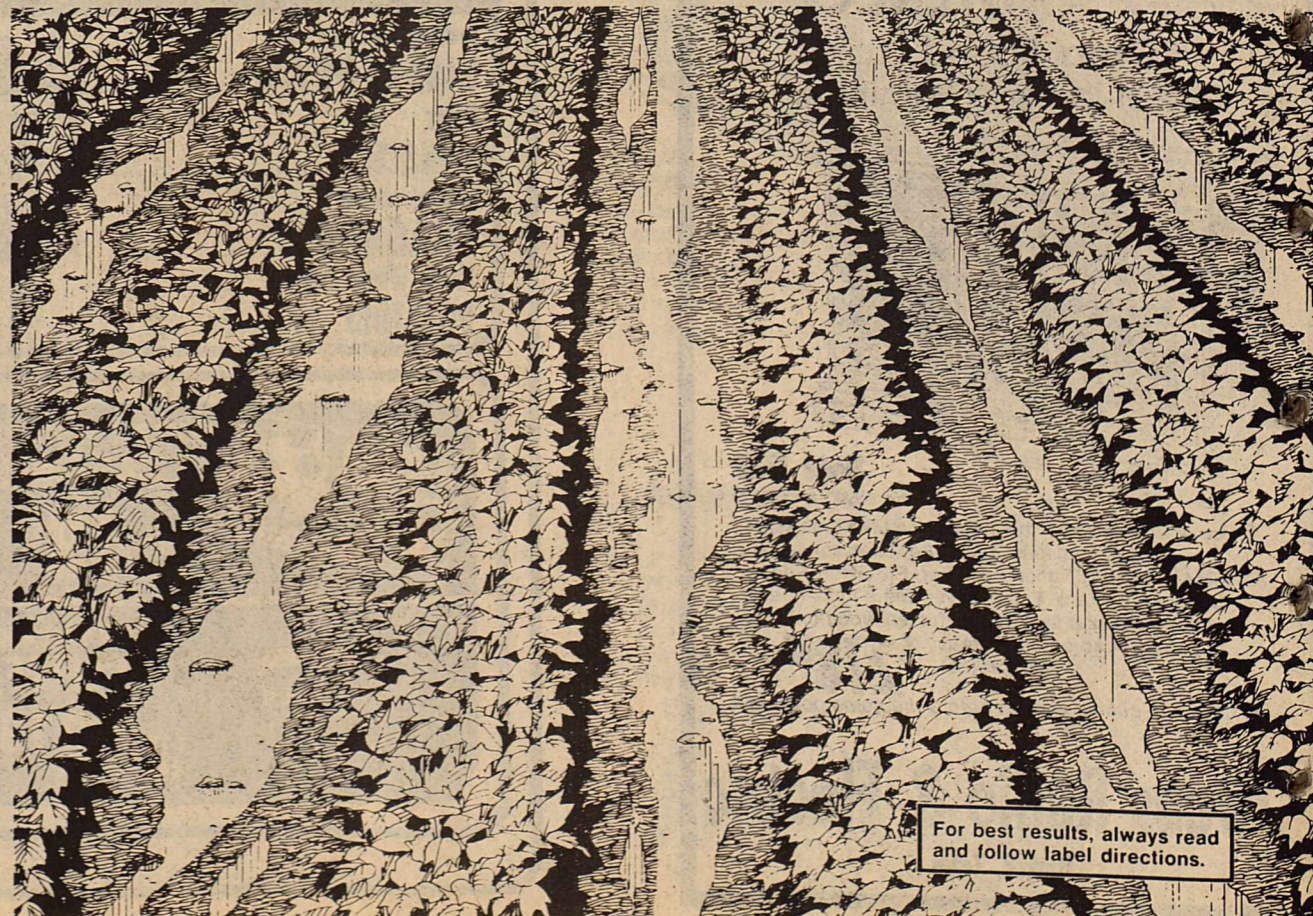
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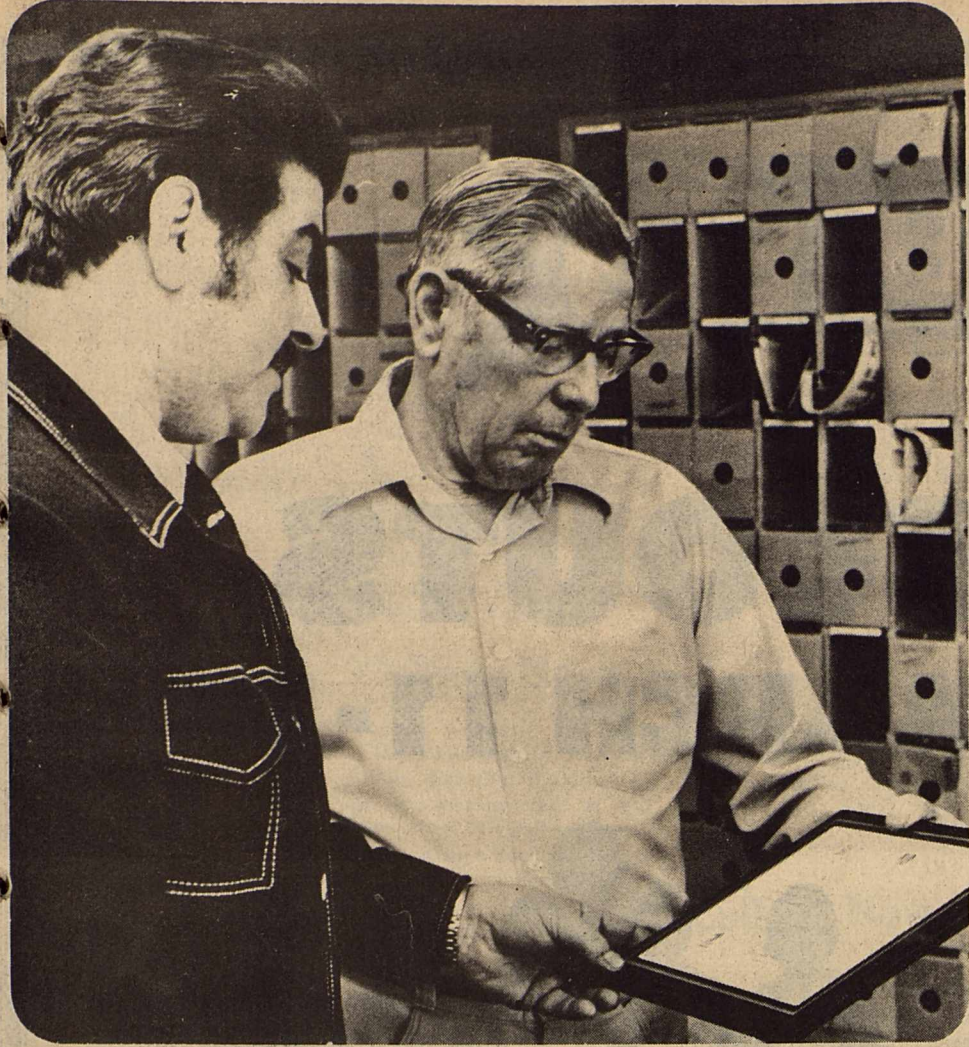
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**RETIREMENT CERTIFICATE...**Local Postmaster Joe Alves, left, presented Harvey Simmons with a certificate from the Southern Region, United States Postal Service, for 33 years of service. Simmons retired effective March 10 after working in the local office for the past 33 years. (Staff Photo)

## John Harrell Appointed To Committee

John W. Harrell, president of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Stamford has been appointed to the 1979 Personnel Committee of the United States League of Savings Associations. The appointment was announced by Joseph T. Benedict, president of the League and chairman of the board and president of Freedom Federal Savings and Loan Association, Worcester, Massachusetts.

The U.S. League is the principal trade organization for the savings and loan business and represents over 4,400 associations throughout the country.

Savings and loan associations are the second largest type of financial institution in America and specialize in attracting savings accounts for investment primarily in mortgage loans on residential property. Currently savings associations provide approximately twice the amount of funds for home mortgage financing as all other lenders combined.

## Speed Refund By Using Label

Taxpayers can help speed up the processing of their Federal income tax return and receive their refund much faster by using the pre-addressed, peel-off label on their return, the Internal Revenue Service said.

The label, which is located on the cover of the tax return package, lists the taxpayer's name, address, and social security number. If any of the information is incorrect, the taxpayer should make needed changes directly on the label.

Married taxpayers filing joint returns should be sure that both social security numbers appear on the label. If only one spouse's number is shown, the other number should be placed on the label, according to the IRS. Taxpayers may also speed the mailing of their refund by sending their return in the coded envelope provided with the tax package and making sure they have attached all required schedules and forms, the IRS said.



**REHAB DONATION...**Danny Isbell of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene, is presented with a donation from the Baylor/Haskell/Knox County Medical Society. Dr. Frank Cadenhead of Haskell

presented Isbell with the \$1,290.80 check. The donation was presented in appreciation of the longtime service of Dr. R. L. Newsom of Munday.

## Rehab Center Receives Donation

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center is proud to announce a donation of \$1,290.80 from the Baylor/Haskell/Knox County Medical Society.

The donation was presented to the Center in appreciation for the 45 years of work and service that Dr. R. L. Newsom of Munday has contributed to

the Medical Society and the Society of Munday. The Society considered many organizations and decided to contribute the money to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center because of the love that Dr. Newsom has for the Center and the outstanding work that they are doing for our community.

The Society consists of the following: Drs. Chas. M. Randall, Jr., W. S. Nacol and Daniel Jackson, of Seymour; Dr. R. G. Howell, of Knox City; Drs. James F. Cadenhead and R. E. Colbert of Haskell; and Drs. Tony B. Selmon and G. E. Pryor, of Stamford.

Shelley V. Smith, executive director of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, expressed his gratitude and thanks to the Medical Society and said that through friends like this the West Texas Rehabilitation Center can continue its service to the handicapped of the South-west.

## Cotton Prices Decline

B.B. Manly reported that 20,000 cotton samples were classed at the U.S.D.A. Cotton Marketing Services Office in Abilene during the week ending Friday, March 9th. About 9,000 samples were classed from bales produced

in the Abilene territory, and the remaining 11,000 were from the Munday territory. This brought the seasonal total to 441,000 samples classed in Abilene, and 60,000 classed at Munday. Local cotton prices were

mostly lower during the past week. Prices declined by as much as two cents per pound early in the week, then recovered about one-half of the earlier losses on Thursday. Bid prices ranged from 6½ to 9 cents per pound over CCC loan values. Most mixed quality lots of cotton sold at 49 to 51 cents per pound. Demand was light to moderate, and trading was slow.

Cotton classed in Abilene during the past week was 65 percent Light-Spotted, 25 percent White, and 10 percent Spotted grades. Grade 52 comprised 38 percent of the total classings. Grade 42 comprised 25 percent, and grade 51 comprised 18 percent. Fiber length was 60 percent staple 32, 20 percent staple 33, and 19 percent staple 31. Micronaire readings were 53 percent within the 35 to 49 range. About 13 percent miked from 33 to 34, 16 percent miked from 30 to 32, and 12 percent miked from 27 to 29. About 64 percent of the samples were reduced in grade because of bark or grass content.

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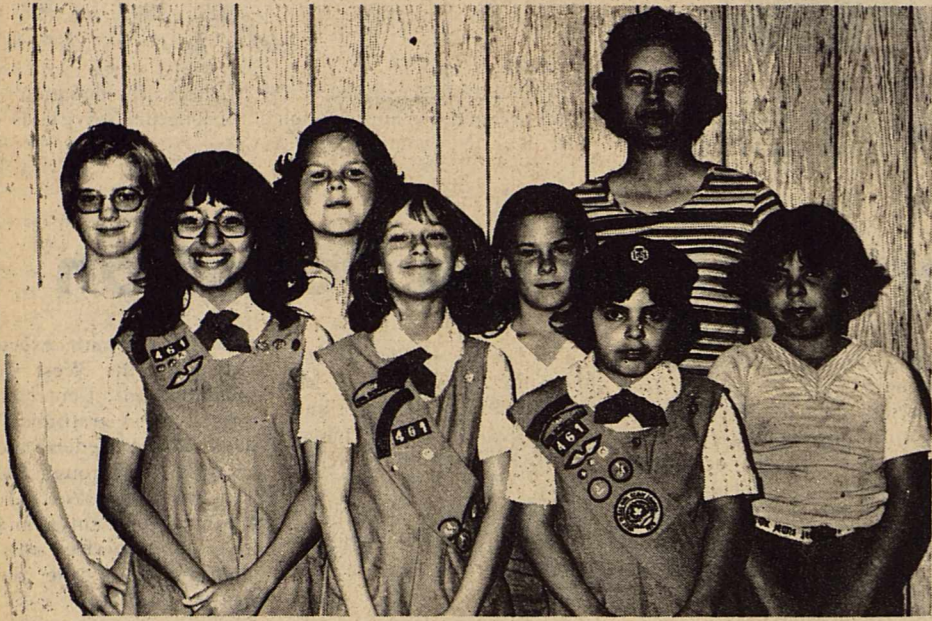


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# HASKELL GIRL SCOUTS

## 67TH ANNIVERSARY — MARCH 11-17



**TROOP 461...**Front row: Bettye Villarreal, Judith Fae Iley, Irma Diaz. Back row: Tammy Flanary, Tina Marie Lacy, Stephanie Browning, Esther Chavez, Linda Iley, leader. Not shown: Abigale Salinas, leader; Lori McGee, Rachel Capitulo.



**TROOP 238...**Front row: Marty Trussell, Devona McFadden, Holly Reed, Tonya Isbell, Corrina Jimenez. Back row: Carolyn Jimenez, Julie Nanny, Jana Payne, Glenda Reynolds, Leaders, Muriel Nanny and Nancy Trussell.



**TROOP 468...**Front row: Marcy Davis, Emily Camacho, Kelli Gilliam, Rhonda Adams, Angelia Donaldson, Mindy Smith. Back row: Mary Lehrer, Julie Roewe, Janine Putnam, Doretha Moore, Patricia Henry, Jane Smith, leader.



**TROOP 470...**Front row: Kristi Brister, Shelly Briscoe, Loutina Hadaway, Shanna Langford, Jessica Owens, Teresa Unger, Dalyn Gilly. Back row: Gwen Unger (leader), Jennifer Hays, Lolita Reynolds, LaKay Gibbs, Christi Bartley, Michelle Bynum, Joy McKeever, Gena Decker, Cathy Bartley (leader).



**TROOP 467...**Front row: Tiffany Moeller, Hester Owens, Lori Darden, Kelliann Jennings. Back row: Sheree Dumas, Tammi Miller, Sandra Thornhill, Robyne Weaver, Louise Thornhill, Leader. Not shown: Leiza Morales, Lorie Alvarez.



**TROOP 464...**Front row: Susie Blankenship, Michele Nanny, Kimla Strickland, Marilyn Moore, Emily Thornhill, Denise Burris, Lorry Geilhausen. Back row: Kim Lanier, Sheila Klose, Lowell Geilhausen, (leader), Fran Starr, Holli High, Holly McBroom, Judy Lanier (leader), Missy Briscoe, Lisa Bennett. Not shown: Jana Overton, Dawna Putnam, Michel Stout, Regina Kuykendall, Teresa Hatfield.

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### CMS Meets In Glass Home

Virginia Pittman gave a devotion from I Peter 4:19 when the Christian Missionary Society met Monday evening with Eula Faye Crawford and Mrs. J.M. Glass as hostesses in Mrs. Glass' home.

Susanne Pollard brought the lesson "How to pray in God's will". She said that this is not easy. It involves a commitment of everything in our lives to God and His perfect will. It is something that we have to work at constantly-moment by moment.

We must be willing to accept God's answer. We sometimes get impatient and want our prayers answered immediately, but that is not always God's way. Sometimes, He tests us long and hard before He answers. We must be able to say, "God, you know best, not my will in this, but your will be done". When we can honestly and sincerely do this, God opens doors for us—many times in unexpected ways.

Refreshments were served.

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### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Scheets of Haskell announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice Elaine, to James Delton Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Francis of Perrin.

The wedding will be May 12 at East Side Baptist Church in Haskell.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Haskell High School and Tarleton State University.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Perrin High School and has served in the National Guard. Both are employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Weatherford.

### College News

The University of Texas at Austin awarded diplomas to the graduating class at the close of the 1978 fall semester.

Receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree with honor was Art Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams of Haskell.

### J. P. Report

Judge Geraldine Hise, Justice Court, Precinct 1, Haskell County, reports a total of 162 convictions for the month of February, 1979. Traffic and criminal cases were filed by the following law enforcement agencies:

Highway patrol, 156; game warden, 6; resulting in a total of \$2,735.00 in fines.

### Milla Perry Speaks To Garden Club

The Haskell Garden Club met on March 8 at 2 p.m. in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank. Program theme was "Happiness Is...Gardening for Beauty, Fun, and Health."

Mrs. K.N. Thornton, president, presided. The Club Collect was recited, led by Mrs. Ed Fouts. Mrs. R.G. Foote spoke on seeds, selection and planting.

Guest speaker was Milla Perry of Abilene. She spoke on "To Herb is Human" and presented each one with a mint plant.

Several members brought horticulture of herbs.

There were 17 present. Hostesses were Mrs. Raymond Liles, Mrs. E.L. Wyche and Mrs. Hallie Chapman.

### College News

Three Haskell area students have earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University.

The undergraduate honor is awarded to students who excel academically at Texas A&M, the state's land-grant and sea-grant institution responsible for providing not only excellence in academic programs but extension and research in agriculture, engineering and other practical needs throughout the state.

Recipients of the Distinguished Student honor must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

Students from the Haskell area are: Joseph E. Brass, Route One, Rule, sophomore, aerospace engineering; Thomas A. Hanke, Route Two, senior, chemical engineering; and Charles H. Townsend, Rule, senior, range science.

More than 4,000 students at Texas Tech University qualified for the Dean's honor roll in the six colleges during the fall semester.

Among them was Leesa Drinnon Toliver from Haskell. To qualify for a Dean's honor roll, a student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or more on a 4.0 scale and must have taken as many as 12 semester hours of work.

Texas Tech University has an enrollment of more than 22,000 students in six colleges.

### OBITUARIES

#### Mrs. J. A. Rose

Funeral services for Mrs. J.A. (Willie) Rose, 92, of Haskell were held March 10 at 2:00 p.m. in the Church of Christ in Haskell with Larry Suttle, minister, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden McCauley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rose died March 9 at 1:15 a.m. in Rice Springs Care Home in Haskell.

Born October 13, 1886 in Bell Falls, Bell County, she married J.A. (Jim) Rose May 31, 1903 in Bell Falls. He preceded her in death June 10, 1967. She came to Haskell in 1905 and settled about 7 miles east of Haskell in the Rose Community. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. C.L. (Gertrude Faye) Pinkerton of Austin; Mrs. James (Winnie Inez) Bland of Dallas; Mrs. J.C. (Dorothy) Halliburton of Rochester; two sons, Charles A. Rose of San Angelo; Eugene D. Rose of Rochester; three sisters, Mrs. Bessie Piland and Mrs. Georgia Moore, both of Haskell; Mrs. Callie Scheets of Amarillo; 11 grandchildren; 28 great grandchildren; and 4 great great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Hoie Harrell, J.L. Cameron, Roy Medford, Glenn Merchant, Buford Gholson, and Robert E. Speer.

#### M. O. Brinlee

Funeral services for M.O. Brinlee, 73, of Haskell were held March 9 at 3:00 p.m. in East Side Baptist Church in Haskell with Rev. Hubert Segó, Baptist minister, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden McCauley Funeral Home.

Mr. Brinlee died March 7 at 4:05 a.m. in Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio after a stay of 7 weeks.

Born June 2, 1905 in Collins County, he was a long time resident of Haskell County. He married Ida Cross August 18, 1932 in Petrolia. He was a retired truck driver.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Curtis Cross of Cibolo; one brother, David Art Brinlee of Haskell; one sister, Mrs. Ruby Coggins of Haskell; 2 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were J.E. Walling, Billy Jack Ray, Jack Daniels, Sr., E.C. Collins, Slover Bledsoe, and Ray Lusk.



DRAWING...Candidates for the Haskell City Council met last Thursday to draw for positions on the ballot. Shown are: l to r, Claude Payne, Dee Larned, Frank

Markey, Guy Kennedy, City Secretary Desmond Dulaney and Bob Philpot. Not shown was Earl Proctor. (Staff Photo)

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Lazaro Flores, of Weinert, announce the birth of a son, Lazaro Flores, Jr., born Wednesday, March 7, 1979. Lazaro weighed 8 lb. 3 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Dale Carnes, of Anson, announce the birth of a son, John Ritchie Carnes, born Tuesday, March 6, 1979. Lonnie weighed 7 lbs., 3 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hawkins of Abilene announce the birth of a son, Clifton Dewight, born Wednesday, March 7, in the Haskell Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs. 3 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hawkins and Frances Everett, all of Haskell. Great-grandmother is

Mrs. Mamie Vaughn of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conn of Odessa announce the birth of a son, Daniel Patrick, born Tuesday, March 6, in the Women and Children Hospital in Odessa. He weighed 8 lbs., 10 oz. and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hawkins of Haskell and Margaret Conn of Union Town, Penn. Great-grandmother is Mamie Vaughn of Haskell.

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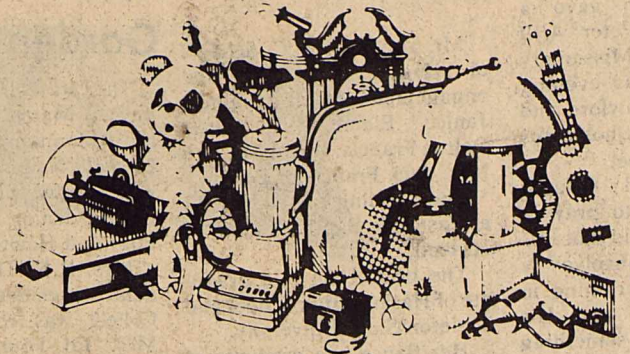
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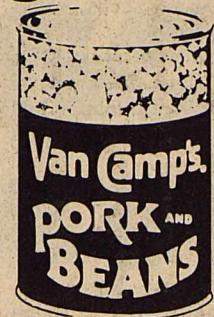
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