

Bill Trammell council candidate

Bill Trammell is one of the six candidates for the Haskell City Council in the May 6 city election.

A story in The Free Press last week incorrectly identified him.

Defensive driving course scheduled

The Sagerton Hobby Club will sponsor a defensive driving course May 8-9 for senior citizens 50 years and older.

Classes will be from 5:30 to 9:30 each evening at the Sagerton Community Center. Instructor will be Joe Howser from AARP. Fee will be \$7.

Those completing the course will receive a 10-percent discount on their car insurance.

Only the first 30 applicants will be accepted. Those interested should contact Aline Summers (817-997-2545), Joyce LeFevre (817-997-2102) or Margie Hertel (915-773-2801).

Candidates invited to give statements

All candidates in the city and school elections are invited to submit biographic and/or position statements for publication in The Free Press.

The statements, containing no more than 250 words, should reach The Free Press before noon next Monday, May 1. They will be published in the May 4 issue.

Stapleton joins cattle association

Max Stapleton of Haskell has become a member of the American Maine-Anjou Association.

The Maine-Anjou is a breed of cattle imported from France, beginning in 1969. The breed is popular in the central United States, being used both for their advantages in economic and performance traits, and their popularity in the show ring. Their size, muscling and milking ability are proven superior traits of the breed.

Membership in the AMAA allows involvement in performance pedigree opportunities, national and international shows and displays, and national sales. In addition, members are entitled to voting privileges at association membership meetings.

Blood screening next Wednesday

Free blood screening for people of the Haskell area is being offered next Wednesday, May 3, by the Haskell County chapter of the American Heart Association.

Tests will be conducted between 1 and 3 p.m. at Haskell National Bank.

PC Fire Dept. to serve pancakes

The Paint Creek Volunteer Fire Department will have a pancake supper on Saturday, May 13, at the Paint Creek school cafeteria.

Pancakes, sausage and all the trimmings will be served from 7 to 9 p.m. Cost of the meal will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children age 11 and under.

Proceeds from the supper will go toward the purchase of a fire truck and other fire equipment.

Tickets may be purchased from any member of the fire department, at Paint Creek school, at B.J.'s Camp or at the door the night of the supper.

To graduate

John Patrick McCoy will be one of 350 students at Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Weatherford who will complete requirements for either a bachelor's and master's degree this spring.



Snowballs

This three-year-old Snowball provides plenty of spring color to the backyard of Richard and Mozelle Riley at 901 N. 6th St.

More entertainers to perform in park

Added to the list of entertainers previously announced who will appear at 4 to 4:30 p.m., is under the direction of Cindy Fryly. The Rochester Stage Band and the Haskell County Squares square dance club.

The Rochester band, which will play from 4 to 4:30 p.m., is under the direction of Cindy Fryly. The square dancers, with caller Leon Ivy, are scheduled to perform from 5 to 5:30.

Members of the Haskell County Squares are J. R. and Kim Crawford, Elbert and Franciene Johnson, Leon and Delight Jones, Curt and Doris Jordan, Alton and Wretha Fitzgerald, Ivy Jones, Faye Stiewert, Dwayne and Cindy Landreth, Bob and Kathy Bowen, Phillip and Robin Bowen, Joe and Judy Lowe, Sonny and Carolyn Reynolds.

A. C. and Martha Richardson, Kenneth and Jessie Roberts, Butch and Sue Hertel, Eddie and Teresa Briles, Larry Bruggeman, Lewis and Verleen Corzine, Gene and Nancy Plunkett, Earl and Pat Smith, Bob and Lowell Ann Baker, Wendell Faught, La Nell Mahon, Charlotte McNeil, Elmer and Berniece Hilliard, Dent and Grace Atchison, Melvin and Nell Rosequist and Debbie and Greg Brister.

Participation has also been confirmed for cane pole fishing and soft drink concessions by the Haskell Bass Club; Randy McLelland entertainment for children; Young Homemakers' sandwiches; Young Adults Sunday School Class of the First United Methodist Church for homemade ice cream and cookies; and cotton candy, nachos and balloons by the Noah Project.

These activities are in addition to the previously announced duck races by the Rotary Club; horseshoe pitching by the American Legion; the "Fly by Night" country band from Stamford; hot dogs by the Kiwanis Club; Mexican food by St. George

Catholic Church; and snow cones by the Lions Club.

Other entries, yet to be confirmed, will be announced next week.

"Sunday in the Park" is being co-sponsored by the City of Haskell, the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and the Haskell Retail Merchants Association. It will run from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Vandalism charges expected

Felony charges of criminal mischief were expected to be filed in district court this week against a Haskell man in connection with the April 16 vandalism spree in which numerous automobile windows and a couple of store windows were broken, according to Sheriff Johnny Mills. Charges also are expected to be filed in county court against a juvenile accomplice.

Joel Torres, 21, was arrested Saturday night. After arraignment, he was released on \$2,500 bond.

Also according to Sheriff Mills, Torres, the juvenile and another adult, Mark Young, also are expected to be charged with misdemeanors in connection with damage to a number of mail boxes on the same night of the glass breakage.

Teenage dance set for Friday

A dance for teenagers is scheduled Friday night by the American Legion and Auxiliary.

Dancing will begin at 8:30 and continue until 11:30 at the American Legion Hall.

DJ will be Mark Hannsz.

Librarian draws praise

Chalk Talk, the Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD staff newsletter contained the following article about Deanna Robertson, formerly of Haskell, in the March issue. Miss Robertson is the daughter of Mildred Robertson.

Every morning before the first school bell rings, Janie Stark Elementary librarian, Deanna Robertson, greets her "regulars" who have come into the library to return yesterday's books in exchange for new ones. This year her "regulars" are first graders and, Robertson says, "there is no better way to start the day."

"This job is a lot of fun for me," says the librarian of eight years. "Two of my favorite things are children and reading. I love having contact with kids of all ages---kindergarten through sixth grades. I look forward to seeing them every day."

As National Library Week, April 9-15, approaches, librarians throughout the district have planned special events and activities for highlighting the pleasures that can be found in libraries.

Robertson plans to have her own Ramses exhibit in Janie Stark's library since many of the classes will be visiting the actual exhibit at Fair Park this spring. Also, in collaboration with Cultural Arts Day, several band, orchestra and art classes from the high schools will be demonstrating their talents for the students in addition to a storyteller who will make a special visit.

Both Robertson and Dewitt Perry librarian Lynda West agree that encouraging children to read is the most important aspect of their jobs. "I try to make the library look inviting for the kids," says Robertson, who is well known for her library's Mickey Mouse theme. Inside the library Mickey Mouse guides children through the Dewey Decimal system. In the 600s, where the books are about cooking, Mickey wears a chef's hat. In another part of the library, a Mickey Mouse wading pool and club house each provide special places for reading.

"When children come to choose books, I want their visit to the library to be a pleasant experience for them," says Robertson. "We're very fortunate to have lots of books in our library, and my goal is to get them off the shelves and into the hands of the kids where they belong."

The above letter was received along with the following letter from Larry W. Conner, principal of Janie Stark Elementary School, concerning Deanna:

"Without a doubt, Deanna is by far the most dedicated school librarian I've known or heard of. She is highly regarded by her fellow librarians as an authority, and they are frequently calling upon her for advice.

"Our teachers at Stark love her expertise in all the media areas as well as her enthusiastically catching and generous personality. As a matter of fact, Deanna was chosen by our faculty to be honored as one of two individuals from Stark as our VIP at a recent school board meeting. She is an active and positive influence in all of our school activities. She is a lovely lady and does a great job for us at Janie Stark Elementary."

Deanna graduated from Haskell High School in 1969. She was third in a class of 50 and received the American Legion award. In 1962, she graduated from North Texas State University and was a case worker for Child Welfare Protective Services in Dallas for several years.

She then returned to college and took a degree in library science. She has since been employed at Janie Stark Elementary at Farmers Branch, but continues to do child welfare work for the city of Dallas.

Absentee voting

Absentee voting for the school and city elections will continue through May 2.

Track teams in regional meet this week

The Haskell Indians and Haskell Maidens send their strong track teams to the regional meet in Abilene this weekend in hopes of qualifying a number of individuals and relay teams for the state track meet in Austin two weeks later.

Abilene Christian University will be the site of the regional meet. Preliminaries for the running events will begin at 6:30 p.m. Friday. The field events get underway at 9 a.m. Saturday and the finals in the running events start at 2 p.m.

Coach Walter Hargrove's Indians, the defending 2A state champions qualified performers in 11 individual events, as well as both relay teams. They will have two individuals in four events by virtue of having the first- and second-place finishers in those events at the district meet. In that meet, the Indians won 11 first places and six seconds.

Indians competing in the regional will be:

--The 1600-meter relay team of Josh Reid, Rodney Johnson, Johnnie Billington and Derrick Billington.

--The 400-meter relay team of Johnson, Jonathon Dever and the two Billingtons.

--Reid in the 300-meter hurdles.

--Johnnie Billington and Jeremy Fuentes in the 200-meter dash.

--Dever in the 400-meter dash.

--Derrick Billington and Johnson in the 100-meter dash.

--Reid in the 110-meter hurdles.

--Joe Ray Comacho in the 3200-meter run.

--Roger Roewe and Eric Mullen in the discus.

--Dusty Meeks in the high jump.

--Johnson in the long jump.

--Paul Harvey in the shot put.

--Comacho in the 800-meter run. In a pre-regional meet in

Breckenridge last Friday, Roewe won Haskell's only first place with a discus throw of 164-9, his best effort of the season.

Johnson came in second in the long jump with a leap of 22-1 3/4, his best of the year.

Both Indian relay teams came in third. The sprint relay team posted a 43.66 mark to come in behind Breckenridge (43.18) and Rotan (43.31). The mile relay was timed in 3:27.66, trailing Breckenridge (3:23.49) and Eastland (3:25.13).

Meeks did not compete in the high jump as he was playing in an all-star basketball game in San Antonio. And Reid did not compete in his two hurdle events or on the mile relay team.

Maidens

The Maidens will send two relay teams and two individual performers to this week's regional meet at ACU.

Joy McKeever will be seeking her third trip to the state meet in the 100-meter hurdles, and Regina Dever will be running in the 400-meter run. Both won district 7-2A championships.

In addition, the Maidens' 800- and 1600-meter teams, also district champions, will be competing.

Running on the relay teams will be McKeever, Dever, Sheila Unger and Teresa Unger.

In last Friday's regional qualifiers' meet in Breckenridge, McKeever won the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 14.60. The mile relay team also took first place at Breckenridge with a 4:05.59 mark, and the 800 relay came in second at 1:47.56.

Miss WTC Julie Roewe elected

Julie Roewe of Haskell and Chawn Cummings of Richardson have been elected Miss and Mr. Western Texas College for 1988-89 by students at the Snyder college.

The new title holders and the 10 other nominees were introduced at the annual Spring formal held April 18 in the Student Center.

Miss Roewe, daughter of Conrad and Betty Roewe, is a sophomore physical therapy major. She received a basketball scholarship to WTC following graduation from Haskell High School and has been captain of the WTC Lady Dusters basketball team which advanced to the national tournament this season. She is vice president of the campus chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Both Miss Roewe and Cummings were named to *Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges* for 1988-89. They are members of the WTC chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, a national honor fraternity for students in junior/community colleges.

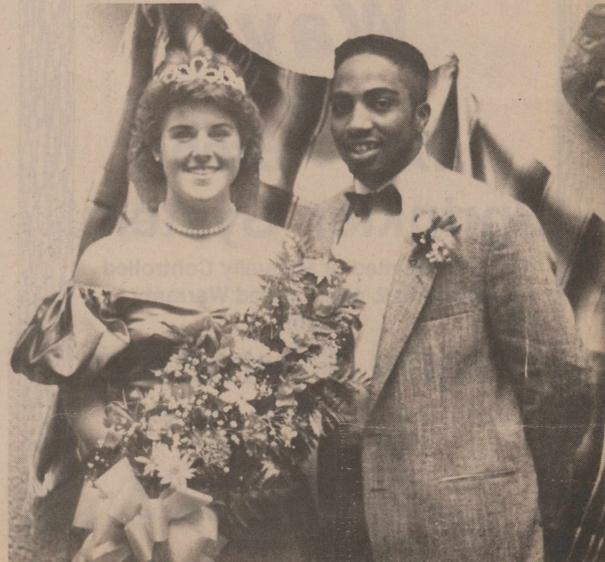
Cummings is a sophomore psychology major at WTC and has been a member of the Westerner basketball squad. He is president of the campus chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Cummings was graduated from Richardson High School where he was named most athletic and received an American Scholar award. He received all-district honors in basketball and track. He is the son of Cerleatha Cummings.



Roadeo

Third-graders at Haskell Elementary School participated in a bicycle roadeo last week, learning about bike riding and bike safety.



Julie Roewe of Haskell and Chawn Cummings of Richardson

Garden club has program on symbols

The monthly meeting of the Haskell Garden Club was held April 13 in the Haskell National Bank Community Room.

Members answered roll call by naming the country of origin of a plant in their gardens. After a brief discussion, the meeting was turned over to Molly Carlisle, program director. She commented on the various arrangements and horticulture brought by members, then introduced Leone Pearsey, who gave a very interesting program on "Easter Symbols and Nature Lore."

She told how the Madonna, used in arrangements, signifies the sorrowing mother. The egg, symbol of resurrection and new life, has been a sign of Easter for hundreds of years. In Denmark, the rolling of eggs is said to stand for the following away of the stone from Christ's tomb. The lamb, popular on Easter cards, brings to mind Jesus the Shepherd. Legend has it that the Easter lily used to be yellow, until the Virgin Mary purified it and turned it white.

Countries all over the world have attached meanings to various plants. In Korea, the carnation is said to be able to predict the future. The daffodil is referred to as "goose neck" on the

Isle of Man, and is not brought into the house until the goslings hatch. The Japanese call the geranium the "sociable" plant. It is said that it started as a weed, then Mohammed gave it flowers. In some countries the tiger lily stands for war, while the white lily means peace.

A discussion was held by the members concerning the importance of summer mulching. A good mulch cuts down on watering and weeding and promotes healthy root growth. Sawdust, black plastic, layers of newspaper, old hay and commercial mulches are good.

Refreshments were provided by Leone Pearsey, Lorene Dewey and Juanita Rhea.

The final meeting of the season will be May 11 at noon at the community room. All interested persons are invited to attend as the program will deal with gardening with wildflowers.

-HOSPITAL-

Ted Hines, Haskell
Bessie Fouts, Haskell
James Stewart, Goree
Ardella Ivy, Haskell
Bill Lane, Haskell
Leona Pearsey, Haskell
Effie Hatfield, Munday

Dismissals

Jerry Camp, Felix Arguijo, Oma Cummings, Curtis Pennington, Sophia Hix, Melba Kretschmer.

-School Menu-

May 1-5
LUNCH

Monday: Pigs 'n blanket, tater tots with catsup, vegetable sticks, pork and beans, brownies, milk or juice (elementary), milk, Hi C or tea (high school).

Tuesday: Burritos, buttered corn, tossed salad with dressing, sliced pears, milk or juice (elementary), milk, Hi C or tea (high school).

Wednesday: Chicken nuggets with gravy, creamed potatoes, broccoli with cheese sauce, buttered hot rolls, applesauce, peanut butter and crackers, milk or juice (elementary), milk Hi C or tea (high school).

Thursday: Old fashion homemade pizza, buttered corn on cob, cole slaw, whole plums, milk or juice (elementary), milk, Hi C or tea (high school).

Friday: Elementary: Ham and cheese sandwiches with lettuce, potato chips, pickle spears, vegetable sticks, juicy treats, milk or juice.

High school: Ham and cheese sandwiches with lettuce, french fries with catsup, pickle spears, vegetable sticks, juicy treats, milk, Hi C or tea.

BREAKFAST

Monday: Juice or fruit, cereal, milk.

Tuesday: Juice or fruit, sausage and pancake on stick with syrup, milk.

Wednesday: Juice or fruit, cinnamon toast, milk.

Thursday: Juice or fruit, biscuit with jelly, milk.

Friday: Juice or fruit, cereal, milk.

Importance of breakfast stressed

A breakfast-skipper is somewhat like a car running on empty, says a nutrition expert at Texas A&M.

Dr. Dymple Cooksey, nutrition specialist, says a well nourished person, like a well lubricated engine, works more efficiently.

Thank you for reading THE HASKELL FREE PRESS.



John L. Brooks
... celebrates birthday

Party honors Mrs. Brooks

Mrs. John L. Brooks was honored with a party to celebrate her 80th birthday on Saturday, April 15, at Little Elm in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Griffin.

In attendance were three children and spouses, six grandchildren and spouses and two great-grandchildren.

The most treasured gift was a copy of "A Lady Named John L."

The biography had been compiled by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tabor of Pryor, Okla.

John L. returned to Colleyville to spend several days with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Maxey Thompson.

Judy's third-grade pupils at O. C. Taylor School presented her mother with 27 beautiful greeting cards with birthday wishes, and Crayola drawings. The students introduced themselves and told Mrs. Brooks what they want to be when they grow up.

J. C. and Bertha Thompson also enjoyed the interesting program by the children. Other birthday entertainment included a lunch at Luby's Cafeteria, by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson and Malinda Patterson.

After lunch, Malinda gave her three grandparents a golf-cart tour of the Hillside Apartment complex where she is employed as manager.

Rowan, Mahan wed in Weinert

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mahan II of Weinert, with Pat Rowan of Haskell and Don Rowan of Grand Prairie, announce the marriage of their children, Leonard Mahan III and Cathy Lee Rowan, on Saturday, April 22, at the Weinert Church of Christ.

Weldon Walling, minister of the church, performed the ceremony with music by the chorus of the Haskell Church of Christ.

Pam Rowan, sister of the bride, was the bride's only attendant and Douglas Boling served as best man

for his best friend, the groom. Flower girl was Tabitha Sadler and ring bearer was Justin Ballard.

Sharla Matlock registered guests and Christy Boling, twin sister of the bride, served at the bride's table, assisted by Shannon Stephens.

The reception was hosted in the Weinert Community Center immediately following the wedding.

The wedding supper was hosted by the groom's family and was at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Francis Mahan.

-Hobby Club-

There were 15 members and one visitor present at the April 18 meeting of the Rochester Hobby Club. Macki Fore, hostess, served a delicious dessert.

Eron McGuire is our only member who has an April birthday.

The club's beautiful king-size "Lone Star" is ready to be hemmed. The selling price of the quilt is \$250.

Now two Caroline Carmack tops are in the frames. One is "Grandmother's Flower Garden" while the other is stamp size blocks in an around-the-world pattern.

Oleta Fitzgerald is to be hostess for a salad lunch at the May 2 meeting of the club.

Fun Festival at Old Glory

The annual Old Glory Fun Festival will be Friday evening in the Community Center. It will begin at 6 with a pot luck supper. Families attending are being asked to bring a covered dish.

Later activities will include bingo, cake walks, bean jar and fishing pond games. Guests will register for door prizes. Admission is free.

Proceeds will go the Old Glory Community Center.

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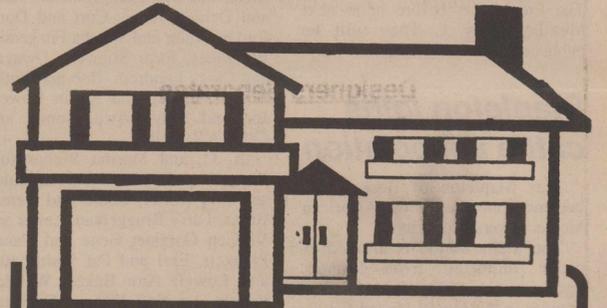
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Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A deadline to file motions to intervene has been set for May 30, 1989. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

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Church track teams take championship

The St. George Catholic Church track team captured first place Sunday in the fourth annual Idalou Catholic Youth Track Meet.

With points of both the boys' and girls' teams figuring in the scoring, the Haskell team racked up 110 team points to beat out teams from Lorenzo, Sundown, Wilson, Idalou and Lubbock.

Carlos Mendoza was coach of the Haskell team, which entered the annual event for the first time.

Haskell boys took three individual first places and two relay team firsts, while the girls had one first-place winner.

First places were won by:
--The 400 relay team of Joe Ray Comacho, Joseph Rodriguez, Carlos Mendoza and Jeremy Fuentes.

--The 800 relay team of Rodriguez, Jose Avilla, Mendoza and Fuentes.

--The 1600 relay team of Rodriguez, Mendoza, Fuentes and Comacho.

--Comacho in the 800.
--Comacho in the 1600.
--Fuentes in the 200.

--Mary Alice Villareal in the 400.

In addition, the girls' 400 relay team of Mary Alice Villareal, Amanda Diaz, Mary Esther Villareal and Daniela Guadaluca took second, as did the 1600 relay team of the Villareal sisters and Ovidia and Daniela Guadaluca. Daniela Guadaluca was third in the 400 and the 800 relay team also came in third (made up of the same performers as the 400 relay).

For the boys, Avilla was third in the 400.

Lifestyles cause most cancers

Up to 80 percent of cancers may be related to the way people live, rather than hereditary causes.

Dr. Mary Kinney Sweeten, nutrition specialist at Texas A&M, said a recent report from the National Cancer Institute (NCI) indicates that lifestyles have a vital role in an individual's cancer risk.



Meeks in action

Haskell's Dusty Meeks gets off a shot in the North-South all-star game in San Antonio Saturday. He made two of five shots, had two rebounds and two assists while playing for the North team.

Meeks plays in all-star game in San Antonio

Dusty Meeks of Haskell played on the North team in the North-South all-star game in San Antonio Saturday.

Playing with and against the best players in the state from all five classifications, Meeks hit on two of five shots, had two rebounds and two assists. The North lost the game, 85-

83. Haskell coach Randy Stone said "Dusty made a very good showing." "It was a fun game to watch," Stone said. "There was a lot of fast action and numerous slam dunks." Meeks, the most valuable player in district 7-2A this past season, is the son of Jo Ann Meeks of Haskell and C. L. Meeks of Sweetwater.

Indians to play benefit game

The Haskell High School Student Council will sponsor a basketball game between the 1989 senior Indian basketball players and Haskell coaches (and helpers) on Saturday, May 6. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Indian gym.

Members of the Indian team will include Dusty Meeks, Sam Beakey, Brad Bevel, Chan Guess, Cole Larned, Derrick Billington, Paul Harvey and Bobby Medford. Making up the faculty team will be Randy Stone, Nelson Coulter, Walter Hargrove, Richard Holloway, Alan Atchison, Jimmy Lisle and Greg Melton.

Proceeds from the game will be used to help with Party '89, the all-night party honoring graduating seniors in Haskell County on graduation night.

The National Honor Society will have the concession stand at the game and will be selling hamburgers.

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Little League plans work day

A work day at the Little League field will be held Saturday, April 29, starting at 9 a.m.

Also at 9 a.m. a separate coaches' meeting will be held with the board of directors.

"We expect all parents and coaches to come prepared to work," Hugh Peiser, president of the Little League, said.

Necessary materials and equipment will be available for general maintenance work as well as special projects.

T-ball coach-pitch will begin Thursday, May 4. Letters and registration forms have been distributed by the school and should be returned to teachers by May 2.

Tissue culture opens new doors

Texas Agricultural Experiment Station scientists have broken new ground in the age-old venture to improve cultivated crops, particularly cereal crops.

Through the process of tissue culture, Drs. Roberta Smith and Jean Gould have opened the door to changing the genetic makeup of corn.

We wish to thank all of our friends for your love, kindness, and prayers, making our loss easier to bear. A special thank you to Rev. and Mrs. Sinclair and the ladies of Paint Creek Baptist Church for the beautiful music. Also your prayers, support and the food prepared for the family.

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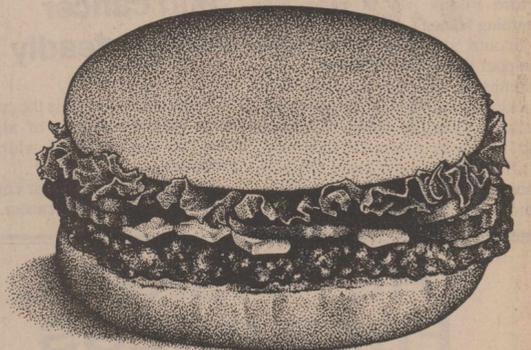
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Plaque for Indians

Haskell basketball coach Randy Stone was presented the "3-point plaque" at last weekend's clinic of the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches in San Antonio. The presentation recognized the Indians as the top three-point shooting 2A team in Texas last season. The Indians shot 42 percent (126 of 300). Haskell also finished second in free throw percentage with 65.65 percent (367 of 559), just .35 of a percentage point behind the state leader.

Scouts enjoy campout

Paint Creek Boy Scout Troop 148 managed to work in a campout last weekend between storms on the Kenny Thompson farm on Paint Creek.

The troop began the campout Friday by backpacking one and a fourth miles into the pecan grove campsite, carrying their personal gear and tentage. Soon after the camp was set up, Billy Middlebrook (a former member of the troop) met the boys and showed them an old Indian campsite where the boys found artifacts ranging from broken arrow heads to scrapers left from that era.

Friday night, Jim and Pat Mickler joined the troop and invited the scouts to attend an abbreviated Aggie Muster ceremony conducted in the campsite.

Saturday, the Scouts worked on Scouting skills for the upcoming Council Camporee to be held early next month.

An unexpected surprise occurred in the afternoon when after following the Indian trail signs, the boys found themselves at a safe swimming area for a cooling dip in the creek.

Saturday night, the Scouts ate cherry cobbler cooked over the campfire while enjoying skits and songs conducted by the troop. The campfire ended with a Court of Honor where Cody Ender received his Tenderfoot badge.

Also at the campfire, the troop participated in an ash ceremony where six new members were inducted into the troop. Ashes from various troop and council campfires in the past were placed on each boy's forehead, tying him to the traditions established by former Scouts of Troop 148.

After church services on Sunday, the boys struck camp and ate lunch before hiking out of camp and returning home.

Scouts attending the weekend campout were Hans Overton, Casey Thompson, Marcus Overton, Jay Mickler, Jeremy Futch, Cody Ender, Anthony Gonzales, Allen Merchant and Jude Pardo. Adults attending were Wallar Overton and Kenny Thompson. A special thanks went to Jim Mickler for his assistance.

Leader training scheduled

Each year millions of youth members of the Boy Scouts of America safely participate in programs designed to build character, citizenship and improve personal fitness.

The key to the success of the Scouting movement is the volunteer leadership that oversees the activities of the youth members and conducts the program in accordance with the policies and procedures of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA).

Because ours is a movement that impacts the lives of so many, we have both an opportunity and a responsibility; an opportunity to enhance the lives of our members and a responsibility to protect our young people from those who would endanger them.

Child abuse constitutes a challenge to be confronted by all who have responsibilities for children--parents, teachers, physicians and volunteer leaders in Scouting. We need to be able to identify child abuse when we see it, know our responsibilities to report suspected child abuse, and provide quality leadership in our Scouting roles.

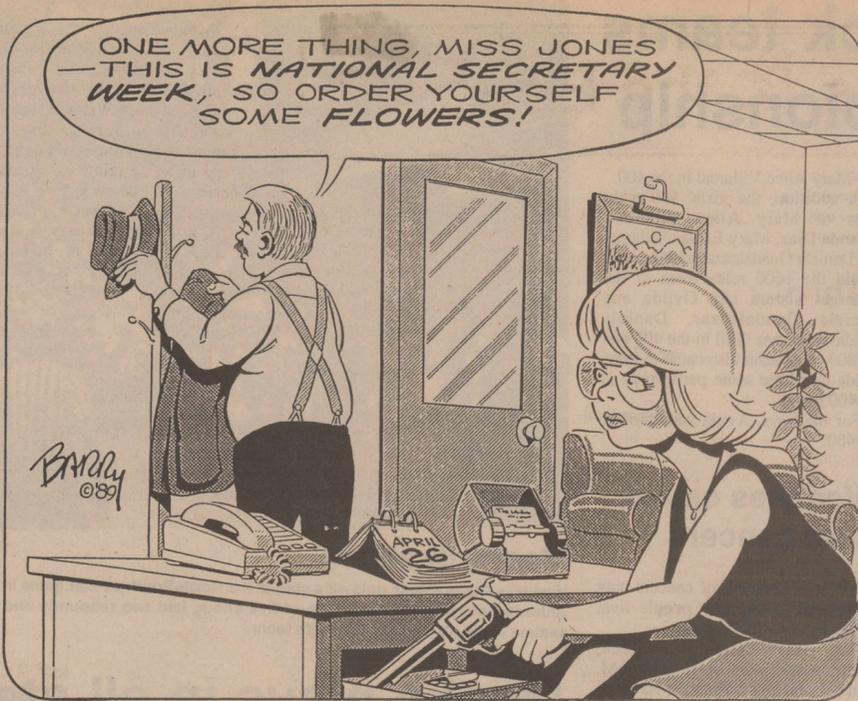
To accomplish these objectives, training is being provided for leaders at every level. This training is designed to familiarize leaders with various kinds of child abuse, the physical and behavioral signs of abuse, actions to take when suspected abuse is encountered in the Scouting program, and actions leaders can take to protect themselves from unfounded allegations of abuse.

This program will be provided at no cost for any interested members of the community. It begins Thursday evening (April 27) at 7 p.m. in the Haskell National Bank Community Room.

Skin cancer can be deadly

Exposure to the sun is the cause of more than 90 percent of all skin cancers, almost all of which are preventable.

Skin cancer is the most common of the many forms of cancer.



--From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

20 Years Ago April 24, 1969

Plans are being completed for the 46th consecutive annual singing convention in Haskell Sunday, April 27 and judging from the number of quartets and singers indicating they will be on hand, it is going to be the biggest and best ever, according to Hallie Chapman, president.

Haskell High School students Jackie Beauchamp, Sue Wilkinson, Jim Smith and Jim Kemp presented the program at the luncheon session of the Rotary Club Thursday. The students represented district 7-AA in the University Interscholastic League regional literary events.

Mrs. Jack Pippin delightfully reviewed a book written by Hilda Cole Epsy called, "Quiet, Yelled Mrs. Rabbit," for 26 ladies at a covered-dish salad luncheon held at the Country Club Saturday.

Gary Conner, starting cornerback for the West Texas State Buffaloes last season, has been awarded a letter jacket for his participation. The 6-foot-1, 185-pound junior garnered a starting position last fall after a year's absence.

In honor of their father's 84th birthday, the children and grandchildren of George Moeller were dinner guests in their father's home Sunday.

Wallace H. Cox Jr. has been appointed 1969 chairman for Texas A&M's annual fund campaign in Haskell.

David Martin Follstaedt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Follstaedt of Haskell, was one of 29 seniors receiving college honors at the 23rd All-College Recognition Service at Texas Tech April 19.

50 Years Ago April 28, 1939

Mrs. Sam Herren left this week for San Francisco, Calif., where she will visit in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Urrea, and attend the exposition in that city. Later she will go to New York to visit another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McCreary, and attend the World's Fair.

Archie Lee Jones is spending the week in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Banks of Throckmorton visited Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Vaughter and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Willoughby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hester, Mrs. Sam Chapman, Miss Mary Pearson, Floy Blossie and Betty Jo Hester visited Mrs. J. T. Hester in Santa Anna Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herren and children and J. L. Collier were visitors in Sweetwater Sunday in the home of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Paul Comolli.

60 Years Ago April 24, 1929

Alfred Pierson and J. B. Post were installed as aldermen at the regular meeting of the City Council Tuesday.

With no special drive on at the Methodist Church Sunday school except the competition between the ladies' class taught by Emory Menfee and young men's class taught by Rev. E. Gaston Foote, there were 752 present. This sets the record for Sunday school attendance at the church in its history.

Uncle Tom Lemmon, one of the older citizens, returned home this week after two weeks visiting relatives and friends in Cisco, Weatherford and Jack County.

Grady Adcock, son of J. W.

Adcock of Post, won in the junior declamation contest at Abilene and will go to Austin to compete for the state championship.

Bill Whiteker, Marvin Branch and Fred Ellis, students of John Tarleton State in Stephenville, are home this week visiting relatives.

80 Years Ago April 24, 1909

The WOW is preparing for the annual sermon to be preached at the courthouse the second Sunday in May. The general public is cordially invited to come and take part in the services. Rev. John A. Arbuckle, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will preach the sermon.

Misses Fannie Baldwin and Ella Ree Debard spent Sunday with friends at Stamford.

Postmaster Baker requests people

to write their name and route number on their letters. This will save many letters from the dead letter office.

Dudley Hamilton left Sunday for Van Horn. He took with him cattle, horses, farm implements and household goods. He will take up eight sections of school land.

There were four runaways in town Tuesday. One of the horses ran into a delivery wagon driven by E. V. Griffin and overturned the wagon, knocking Mr. Griffin into insensibility. He remained unconscious for several hours, but is now convalescing.

With each suit sold at Dellis Bros. for \$12.50 and up, you will get free a handsome watch.

Work on the new brick building being constructed by the North Side Market and E. Sutherland is progressing very rapidly.

--Letters to the Editor--

Great progress

Editor: On April 18, the Haskell High School Band ventured to UIL contest in Abilene. The band received a second division in sightreading and a third division in concert competition.

As director of the band, I began in early February putting together a plan of preparation for this contest. This plan included two clinics and a practice contest. I believed that this would at least net the band a second division. As we drew closer to contest we continued to fix the problems the judges and clinicians pointed out. We believed we were ready.

Many of the problems we had encountered we did correct. However, there was one problem I was not able to correct: the sound quality. Despite attempts to correct this problem it is one that takes time. The only way to correct this is by building from the bottom up and working hard. This problem takes years to correct, not days or months. Notes and rhythms are easy to fix, building tone is not.

During our performance at Cooper High School it became very apparent that the students were playing to the best of their abilities. They came together like no other time in the last nine months. It is my belief that the band could not have played better if we had worked on it for two more months. I was absolutely thrilled with their performance.

The biggest complaint from all judges was the lack of a "mature band sound." This was stressed throughout the critic sheets. I cannot blame the students for this problem. We competed as a high school band with two seventh graders, 20 eighth graders and 11 high school students. This band does lack a mature sound.

In my opinion, there is only one way to fix the problem. This band needs one good director for a minimum of five years. Only with this kind of direction can Haskell develop a winning band program. It takes parents insisting that their children stay in band and not get out just because it is "not good" or "they don't like the director." Only in this way can the high school band really grow and develop into a true high school band. Please don't get me

wrong; without the hard work and extreme dedication of the junior high students it is hard to say what would have happened.

In any case, I still feel the band put on the best performance it could have. I am proud of the students and the parents who supported them. These students have made great progress this year, but there are still several fields that need to be tended to.

Ronald Chapman
Band Teacher

Spreading rumors

Editor: A visit to the jail Sunday evening produced for me the information that the ones guilty of the windshield and window breakage had been caught, and that confessions had been made. They were destroyers of personal property of many. They invaded the personal rights of individuals by damaging those people's property, and costing them time, effort and money. Those people's rights, to their property, their time, their effort, their money, and more, their sense of security, have been violated by those guilty.

Now, it is up to our paid law enforcement and our paid courts to protect us from them--to identify them and to name them, and to decide their punishment. Justice cannot be made because justice cannot be extracted. Windshields and windows, time, money and effort even can be replaced. But those people's lost sense of security, their lost rights to privacy, cannot be replaced.

Now I will identify and name those people guilty of as great, and greater, invasions of rights. Unlike those that destroyed rights and values in the secrecy of night with a baseball bat, these people destroy values of people and rape their rights to privacy, to respectability, with their minds and their mouths.

These people that do their destroying under the cloak of "I heard", "Did you hear that", and "Did you know that rumor has it", are guilty of rape, for you have forced yourselves and your viciousness upon the right to privacy those you named. You are guilty of theft, for you have

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plain talk

BY WENDELL FAUGHT

City councilmen in Irving are not interested in re-naming Texas Stadium for Tom Landry.

Since the City of Irving owns the place, I guess that's all right. They should be able to do or not do anything they want.

But the suggestion that Cowboy fans try to get the Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport re-named for the only coach the Cowboys ever fired is a little short on logic. As far as I know, Landry didn't have much to do with the airport while he was building America's team.

But alas! The transportation committee of the Dallas City Council decided to try to give Tom his due by proposing that a strip of I-30 be named for him. Then it was discovered that a city code requires a person to be dead for two years before getting a street as a namesake.

So why not just name the street after the Cowboys? After all, they've been dead for at least two years.

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If you stutter, take hope. A lot of people do.

In fact, you're in good company. In addition to Mel Tillis, famous stutters have been Winston Churchill, James Earle Jones, Isaac Newton, King George VI, John Updike and Marilyn Monroe.

The Speech Foundation of America estimates that more than 3 million Americans stutter. That number includes nearly one out of four children who will go through at least a developmental phase of stuttering on their way to fluency.

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News item: Menard Hospital and Emergency Room will close its doors on May 19. The hospital district's board of directors said there's just not enough money to keep going.

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It sounds a little like the guy who has everything, but can't pay for it.

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation had an auction in Midland Monday.

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Among the items listed for sale:

Two aircraft, 30,000 square feet of furniture, including a new furniture store and office furniture, a beauty shop, more than 60 cars, more than 25 trucks, two partial drilling rigs, 10 mobile homes, computers, telephones, retail fixtures, and more.

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American companies get consumer input from a variety of sources, such as polling firms and focus groups, test marketing and comment cards. Government-sponsored studies and census data on income levels and spending habits are other key sources.

But if you think you've missed out--that your opinions aren't included anywhere in the vast data bank of consumer statistics--you may have overlooked an important point. Every time you choose to spend, or not to spend, your dollars on a product or service, or select an item from among competing products, you're registering a vote in the marketplace.

Take the Pyrex measuring cup as an example. A consumer favorite for years, imitators of Corning's famous glass container with red markings were popping up all over, threatening Corning's market share. If you were one of the consumers who bought another brand, Corning heard you--loud and clear. And the company was determined to find out why. So it surveyed former buyers and then they used what they learned to redesign the cup so that it was deeper (so contents wouldn't boil over when heated in the microwave) and stackable. Sales are brisk once again.

The idea for a snap-top closure on boxes of Tide laundry detergent came from consumers calling in on Proctor & Gamble's 800 line. And after hearing from mothers whose children were awakened by the end-of-cycle signal on the General Electric dryers, GE installed a manual override so parents can turn off the signal while their children sleep.

Companies love to hear from consumers who call just to say, "Why don't you make a product that does . . . ?" Indeed, in the book, *A Passion for Excellence*, authors Tom Peters and Nancy Austin claim that 80 percent of new product ideas originate from consumer input.



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--Letters to the Editor--

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robbed from their right to their valued name, those that you named and linked to crime. You have destroyed the right to a sense of security those that you named with the oral feces that flowed from your mouth--all of this you are guilty of. If you started the rumors, and spoke names, you are guilty. If you repeated the rumors and spoke names, you are guilty, and if you listened to the rumors and condoned, you are guilty.

I name you as thieves, robbers, rapists and destroyers of values, to yourselves, for you know who you are and cannot hide from yourself. I name and identify you to those you spoke to, so that they will know who and what you are. And with this identification I hold you personally responsible for causing harm you cannot pay back, for destroying values you cannot replace, and for displaying a viciousness that you cannot deny. And of those who

listened, and failed to confront the accuser, I charge with moral cowardice.

Hank Sherman

Thanks

Editor: I would like to thank all the fans and the Booster Club for their support and encouragement during the past year.

I have enjoyed playing basketball this year, especially with the support of the No. 1 fans in Texas. I would also like to thank Coach Stone for the things he taught me. They will be valuable in years to come.

Thanks,
Dusty Meeks

Other crimes

Editor: Havoc erupted in our lovely community with the sound of shattering glass. Destruction and viciousness are readily seen in a crime

such as this. People were outraged at being the victims of such a senseless act. Upset, disgusted and frustrated that this act would cost them time and money. Doubtlessly, insurance companies were irritated by the sudden rash of claims. The law enforcement officers readily and eagerly sought the vandals. Their diligent work will bring them to justice.

The kind, wonderful and caring citizens of Haskell can once more rest easy in their comfortable complacency. Or can they? Since returning to Haskell, and even when I lived here before, I realized that one particular crime is committed in our fair community each and every day. That crime is gossip.

Because of my love for this community and its people, as a young person, I told myself that gossip was really the only form of recreation here, and that was why it ran rampant. I dismissed and tried to overlook this flaw in our serene community.

Now, I am older, and I understand that no matter how much I love this place, no matter the beautiful names given--such as friendship, caring, concern, helpfulness, enlightenment, Christian-duty, etc.--Gossip is just Gossip. The legal system is aware of the destruction and viciousness that is there when gossip rears its ugly head. That is why we have words like slander and declamation of character.

I assure you that "I heard..." is a much more powerful weapon than any you can name. "I heard..." does not shatter glass, but it shatters reputations and lives. Glass is replaced, damage is repaired. How do you replace or repair a reputation, a

life?

Otherwise good, righteous, upstanding, responsible, God-fearing Christian people, day after day, condone gossip by listening to "I heard..." Without knowing, without understanding, and sometimes, without thought, they perpetuate the crime by repeating "I heard..." The cycle continues with no justice nor compassion.

Like many others, I was the victim of shattered glass. However, there have been far more of us that have been victims of gossip. What has been done about these crimes? What can be done about these crimes?

Law enforcement officers can do little to prevent this crime, and it rages on with a growing intensity. I shall pray to God, in His ultimate wisdom, that He will help cease the wagging, irresponsible tongues of this town. I hope that you will join with me, each and every time, when someone says "I heard..." "They say..." and other gossip

introductions, that you will respond with "Who says?" Seek the source and confront the source. Truth is important.

Last year, we cleaned and beautified the physical aspects of our community. This year, let's clean and beautify the hearts and souls of our community.

With utmost sincerity,
Kathie Boatman

Land seminar for women only

A seminar for women who own farm and ranch land will be held in Abilene May 9-11.

Women own more than two-thirds of farm/ranch land in Texas, although many of them are "not on the farm." Many of them are widows of farmers, others have inherited land and many are actively engaged in their own operations.

Den leaders to meet May 1

Den leaders of Pack 136 will meet at Pizza Barn May 1 for their monthly meeting.

On May 2, the den leaders will meet at 7 p.m. at the middle school in Hamlin for a district planning conference.

The purpose of the meeting will be to schedule events and locations for next year's activities.

"The more Haskell den leaders we have in attendance, the more influence we'll have on the scheduling of activities," Cubmaster Jim Bob Mickler said.

The Boy Scout and Webelo groups are making plans now for the Council Camporee to be May 5-6 at Fort Barkley.

An arrowhead hunt and repelling are just two of the activities planned for the campout.

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Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District

ASSETS		Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:		
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	.....	1,252
Interest-bearing balances	.....	.687
Securities	.....	1,988
Federal funds sold	.....	1,225
Loans and lease financing receivables:		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	.....	9,529
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	.....	99
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	.....	9,430
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	.....	.647
Other real estate owned	.....	.38
Other assets	.....	.261
TOTAL ASSETS	.....	15,528
Deposits:		
In domestic offices	.....	14,551
Noninterest-bearing	.....	.961
Interest-bearing	.....	13,590
Other liabilities85
TOTAL LIABILITIES	14,636
EQUITY CAPITAL		
Common Stock875
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Undivided profits and capital reserves	(608)
Total equity capital892
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	15,528

I, Clayton Fowler, Vice President & Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Clayton Fowler
April 21, 1989

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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/s/ Robert C. Hobgood
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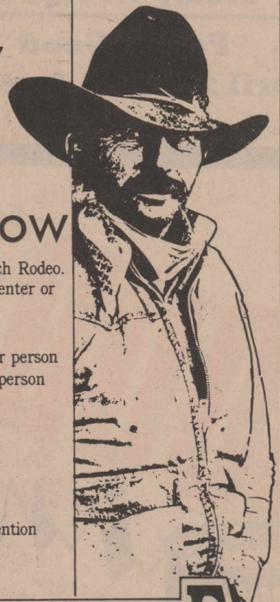
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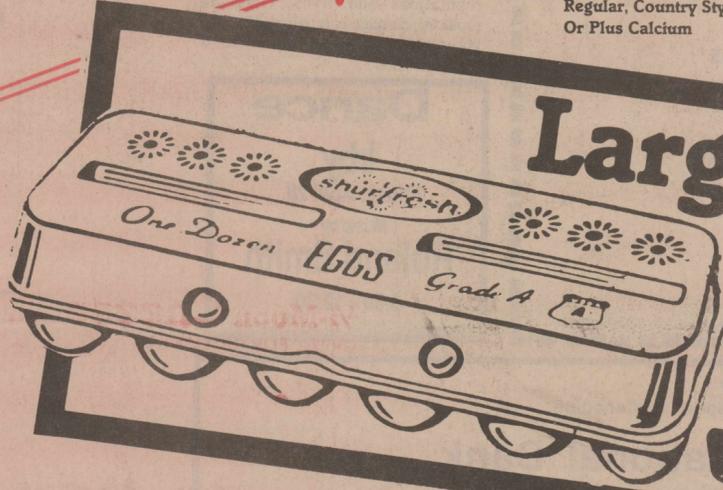
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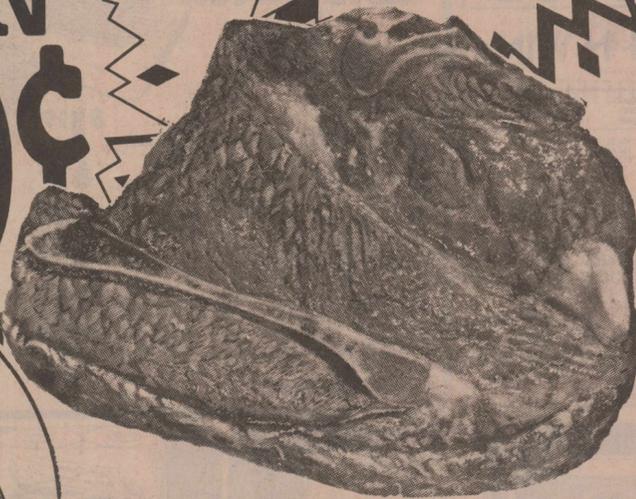
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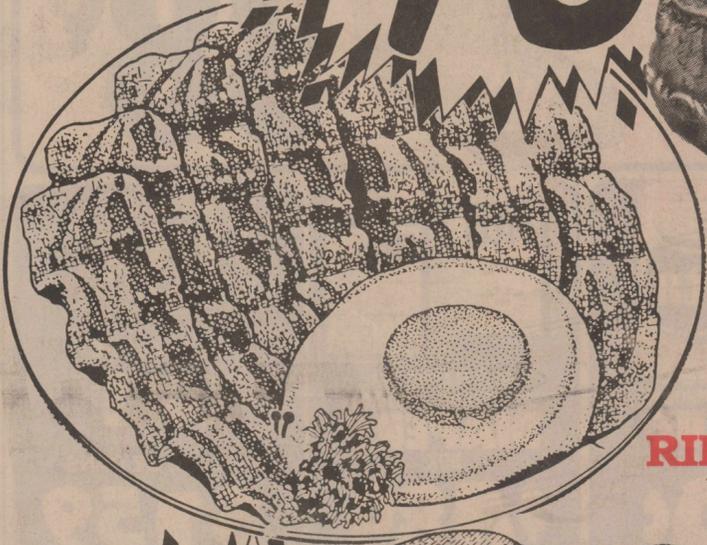
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--Rule--

By Vicky Anderson
The Haskell County unit of the Retired Teachers of Texas met at the Kountry Kookin' Restaurant on April 17 for a noon meal and business meeting.

Mrs. Weldon Norman, president, presided. Officers for the coming year were voted on as follows: Coy Keshey of Rule for president; Elizabeth Stewart of Haskell for vice president; Alma Terrell of Haskell, secretary; and Jimmie Weinert of Weinert for treasurer. The last meeting of this term will be at the Bluebonnet Cafe in Rule on Wednesday, May 17.

The annual junior-senior banquet, which in actuality has become an annual picnic on the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River west of town, was held on Tuesday, April 18. A fish fry and games were enjoyed by all.

Velma Lou and Herbert Lammert have just returned from a trip. First, they picked up Velma Lou's sister, Cleo DuBose in Ralls. Herbert stayed in Lubbock with his daughter, Gloria, while the sisters went to Brownfield to visit their sister, Margie Lee York. They reported a great visit.

Thirteen members of the Philadelphian Club met at the club on Thursday, the 20th. The president, Orheana Greeson, had made an appointment with Nadine Brewster, guide in Albany.

When they reached Albany, they were shown through the old Albany jail which includes an art museum and beautiful antiques. A caretaker

keeps the grounds in wonderful condition.

Next they went to the Mathews Memorial Presbyterian Church, which is over 100 years old, at which place the 100-year-old organ was played for them.

Their stop then was at the First Christian Church which was built in 1887. On this church's centennial in 1987, the members had put in 12 stained glass windows which are 3x8 feet in diameter. Lunch was eaten in a tea room at the Country Emporium.

The ladies were then taken to the Pucket house which was built in 1874 by W. H. Ledbetter of poles and river mud. While there, some tourists from California came in, and one of the ladies was the great-great-granddaughter of Mr. Ledbetter.

The group toured the courthouse and then went to Fort Griffin. On their entrance, they were met by a herd of Texas Longhorns with calves (27 cows) and this is the official state herd of Texas Longhorns.

At the fort, they were given refreshments and shown two movies: one about the history of Fort Griffin and other about the history of the Texas Longhorn. They were told of a celebration to be performed for the public on June 24 and 25 which will be a re-enactment of the "Battle of Fort Griffin."

Thursday night's violent thunderstorm yielded slightly over an inch of rain in Rule. The lightning display was a frightful sight to behold. The rain was most welcome, however.

The monthly meeting of the Rule

Chamber of Commerce was held at 10 a.m. Friday, April 21, at the Bluebonnet Cafe. A dozen members attended. A report of the recent banquet was given.

The upcoming Rule Jubilee, to be held Oct. 7, was discussed at length. A. B. Arnett was named as chairman of this committee. A membership drive was talked about as was a city-wide cleanup. It was decided that the group present and any other interested citizens should attend the next City Council meeting so that they could work in conjunction with the city in the cleanup. The next meeting of the City Council will be May 8.

Monies were allotted for work connected with the Jubilee and also for the vacant lot just east of "China Creations."

CORRECTION: My apology to Laressa LeFevre, who will be the head high school cheerleader for the school term of 1989-90. Due to a misunderstanding, it was stated that Tori Jenkins was to be the head cheerleader. Congratulations to Laressa for receiving this honor; and I sincerely hope that my error has not caused any problem for Laressa.

On Sunday, your writer attended the funeral of her uncle, D. D. "Slim" Crow, age 87, at the Hamlin Church of Christ, along with her daughters and their families.

Mr. Crow died at the Holiday Lodge in Hamlin on Friday, the 21st. He was retired as a long-time grocerman in Hamlin. Jerry Jackson, minister, officiated and Foster-Adams Funeral Home had charge of the service with burial in Hamlin East Cemetery. Mr. Crow was the widower of Fay Prather Crow.

A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and one aunt survive. Out-of-town relatives attended from Austin, Killeen, Abilene, Apache, Okla., San Antonio, Beesville and Stamford, as well as Rule, Knox City and Anson.

All citizens of Rule are urged to vote on May 6 in the upcoming school and city elections.

Regional UIL results from McMurry, April 22:

Wes Pierce, senior, won second place in headline writing; Rusty White, sophomore, won third in number sense.

These two advance to the state contest in Austin to be held Friday and Saturday, May 5-6 on the University of Texas campus. They will be accompanied by their coaches, Mr. Jerry Cannon, math teacher, and Mr. Bobby Robinson, English teacher.

Other students placing in the

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contest were Kim Diers, senior, 6th in shorthand; Laressa LeFevre, 5th in calculator applications; Rusty White, 6th and Kathleen Kutch, senior, 7th.

Rule did not fare as well in the one-act play contest that night as Ira's "And They Dance Real Slow in Jackson" and Crowell's "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds" advanced to the state contest. My condolences to Bobby Robinson, the cast and crew for all their long hours and hard work.

However, we did win some honors as Tori Jenkins was on the all-star cast and Kathleen Kutch, Wes Pierce and Kevin Saffel were on the honorable mention list.

This play, "Johnny Belinda," will be performed for the public some time next week, date to be announced later. Congratulations to everyone for making it as far as the regional contest for they did a remarkable job.

Randy McLelland to lead revival

Randy McLelland, youth director at the First Baptist Church in Haskell, will be evangelist and songleader at the April 28-30 revival at the Gilliland Baptist Church.

A hot dog supper Friday, beginning at 6 p.m., will feature McLelland doing magic tricks. The evangelistic service will begin at 7.

Saturday night will be "Friends Night" with services beginning at 7. A fellowship with refreshments will follow the service.

Sunday will be the final day of the revival with Sunday school at 10, morning worship at 11 and the evening service at 5. There will be a basket dinner following the morning worship service on Sunday.

The public is invited to attend any or all of the services.

Haskell Scouts win in Olympics

Haskell Scouts took top honors in the Cub Olympics from the Northern District of the Chisholm Trail Council. The Olympics were held here Saturday.

In the Webelos division, Haskell Scouts in Dens 1 and 4 won 16 blue ribbons.

In the Bear division, den 7 won three first places, two seconds and three thirds. Den 5 won one first place, three seconds and four thirds.

In the Wolf division, den 6 brought in five firsts and three seconds, while den 8 won three firsts and five seconds.

The two Tiger Cub groups from Haskell took seven first places, three seconds and six thirds.

Scouts competed in pullups, bean bag toss, standing long jump, javelin throw, softball throw, discus throw,

hurdle relay and shuttle relay.

"We appreciate the school allowing the Scouts to use their facilities," said Cubmaster Jim Bob Mickler.

"The Kiwanis club did an outstanding job on the concession stand, and we wouldn't have had a stage if Ben McGee had not let us borrow cinder blocks and plywood," Mickler said.

He also gave credit to the volunteer judges who were parents, den leaders and Boy Scouts from Troop 136.



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REPORT OF CONDITION
Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the
FARMERS NATIONAL BANK of Rule
Name of Bank City
in the state of Texas at the close of business on March 31, 1989,
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.
Charter Number 14539 Comptroller of the Currency Eleventh District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	498
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	none
Interest-bearing balances	5,278
Securities	1,700
Federal funds sold	none
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	none
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	8,187
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	119
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	8,068
Assets held in trading accounts	none
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	112
Other real estate owned	181
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	none
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	none
Intangible assets	none
Other assets	358
Total assets	16,195
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	none
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	16,195
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	14,861
Noninterest-bearing	1,971
Interest-bearing	12,890
Federal funds purchased	none
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	none
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	none
Other borrowed money	none
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	none
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	none
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	none
Other liabilities	215
Total liabilities	15,076
Limited-life preferred stock	none
Perpetual preferred stock	none
Common stock	50
Surplus	200
Undivided profits and capital reserves	869
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	none
Total equity capital	1,119
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	none
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	1,119
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	16,195

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Mary Lou Landes
Name
Vice President & Cashier
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Directors
Mary Lou Landes
Signature
4-21-89
Date

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by Alice Bredthauer

Jana and Kyle Whitaker and Alan Neilson of Meeks, Colorado and Stacey Whitaker of WTU of Canyon accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Alvin to the Prewit reunion held April 22-23 at Turnersville Community Center. Alvin and Ev were surprised by a 50th wedding anniversary party hosted by their children Jana and Winston and families on the eve of April 22 which was the wedding anniversary of their parents.

The first surprise was Jana and children coming for the reunion and the second surprise was the party and Winston and Mary Ulmer of Plano and Paige Ulmer of College Station being present. It was a wonderful evening even though Alvin and Ev had requested no celebration party.

Mrs. Wanda Whitaker of Chillicothe was a Friday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer. She came especially to visit with Jana and family.

Alvin and Ev Ulmer were guests for dinner at Andy's Friday night. They also had the surprise group as guests, Jana, Stacey, Kyle, Alvin and Wanda. This was to celebrate Alvin and Ev's 50th wedding anniversary.

Thanks, Joyce and Delbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cox from Vesuis, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morrison from Steeles Tavern, Va., and Mrs. Edwin Mueller of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wendeborn of Old Glory had supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Teichelman, Chad and Greg.

Chad Teichelman spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Teichelman Friday night.

Pam Baitz, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zenor Summers is spending some time with her grandparents.

Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited in the home of Mrs. John L. Brooks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer attended the First Baptist Church in Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kent LeFevre and Kit in Tuscola Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bredthauer Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Adela Niedieck spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Greenwood and children.

Mrs. Mary Neinst spent the

weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEwen and boys in Tuscola.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney came home last night after having spent a week in Boling with his family since Mr. Toney was sick.

Mrs. James Gellner came home yesterday after spending a week in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Guinn in LaGrange.

Chad Teichelman spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wendeborn on Saturday night.

Greg Teichelman spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wendeborn.

Leo Monse and Franklin Monse went fishing to Rowlett and also visited with Ricky Lehmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipping visited in the home of Erna and Walter Schaake Sunday afternoon.

Bass club has monthly tourney

Haskell Bass Club held its monthly tournament April 15-16 at Miller Creek with a good turnout. The wind spoiled the fishing on Sunday.

First place went to Brad Dubert of Aspermont with 18 pounds, 12 ounces. Second place was won by Donnie Fraser of Aspermont with 17 pounds, 8 ounces. Glenn Pogue took third with 14 pounds, 4 ounces.

The biggest bass caught Saturday was by Dubert (6 lbs. 5 oz.) and the big bass Sunday was by Charles Address (5 lbs. 5 oz.).

CLASSIFIEDS

NOTICE
The deadline for Classified Advertising is 12 noon on Tuesday.
Haskell Free Press

For Sale

FOR SALE: Good Maytag washer and dryer; 2 chest of drawers; 1-wide dresser top; 1-record player case; gas heater; old school desk. 864-8916. 17c

FOR SALE: 1963 Chevrolet pickup. 283, V-8, 4-speed. Short narrow bed. \$750.00. 864-8088. 17p

FOR SALE: Boat, motor and trailer. 14' Alum-V, Ark-traveler; 10 hp Johnson motor. Good condition. 864-2049. 17-18p

FOR SALE: Large over-head fuel tank mounted on portable scaffold. Also, 2 round bale feeders. Call 864-3038. 17-18p

FOR SALE: Sleep bag new, blankets, electric can opener and portable mixer, TV and stand, shopping cart, clothes and lots more. 106 N. 2nd, 864-3738. 17p

ATTENTION ARTS and crafts enthusiasts, Bargain Hunters!!! Spring Fling, downtown Albany, April 29, 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Arts, crafts, antiques, food, entertainment. A family fun day. For information or to rent booths, call 915-762-2525. 17c

FOR SALE: 730 John Deere. LP gas. Starts easily. Runs good. Has good rubber. Need to sell. 817-997-2394. 16-17c

TO GIVE AWAY: Full blood 3 year old collie. Shots. Can be registered. Call 997-2540. 17nc

Hints for Homemakers

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JAKE'S Bar-b-q will be at Cecil's Market Saturday. Weather permitting. 17c

FOR SALE: 1984 Suburban. 89,000 miles. Excellent condition. 864-2607 or after 6 p.m., 864-3340. 5tfc

FOR SALE: 1983 15 1/2' Skeeter with 115 hp Mariner, 2 depth finders and trolling motor. Clean. Call 864-2607. 5tfc

FOR SALE: 1981 Mobile Scout 21' travel trailer. Sleeps 8. Clean. 864-2607 or 864-3340. 5tfc

FOR SALE: Good spa hot tub. 6'x6'. Also green chair and green rocker-recliner. Call 864-2686 or after 5 p.m., 864-3575. betfc

FOR SALE: Golf cart with charger, \$600.00. 864-8063. 12tfc

FOR SALE: Bulk garden seed. Ag Services, 864-2642. 13-17c

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FOR SALE: 1987 red Toyota customized pickup. Loaded, seats 4, auto, air, still has warranty. Take over payments. Call 864-2996. 14tfc

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ACT TWO-The Consignment Place, 105 N. Swenson, Stamford. Under new management. Need to clear store for new consignments. Most items 1/2 price or less thru April. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tues.-Sat. 15-17c

FOR SALE: Car stereo equipment. 1 Rockford Punch 75 amplifier and two 12" woofers. Also, 1 pair of 2 way 3" Pioneer speakers. Call 673-8364. 16-17c

FOR SALE: Broyhill light pine 10 drawer dresser with mirror. Also light pine queen size waterbed 4 poster with six underdrawer unit. Call 864-3260. Robbie Peiser. 16-17c

FOR SALE: Several good used color TVs. Portables and consoles. 2 with remote control. \$95.00 and up. Owens TV, Haskell. 16-17c

FOR SALE: Volvo inboard-outboard, 16 ft. boat and trailer, \$1500.00; 15 ft. boat and trailer, \$150.00; Lincoln electric welder, \$100.00; garage door opener, \$50.00; 3-wheeler, \$250.00. Western Auto. 16-17c

Public Notices

Docket No. AB-52 (Sub-No. 62) NOTICE OF INTENT TO ABANDON OR TO DISCONTINUE SERVICE
The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company ("Santa Fe") gives notice that on or about April 28, 1989 it intends to file with the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D.C. 20423, an application for a certificate permitting the abandonment of a line or railroad known as the Orient of Texas Line, New Mexico Division, extending from Mile

Post 480.19 at the Oklahoma-Texas state line near Ranchland to Mile Post 635.63 near Orient Junction (Sweetwater), a distance of 155.44 miles, all in Wilbarger, Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Haskell, Stonewall, Jones and Fisher Counties, Texas. The line for which the abandonment application will be filed includes the following stations:

Station	Mile Post
Odell	488.3
Chillicothe	497.5
Medicine Mound	504.3
Margaret	514.6
Crowell	521.3
Foard City	529.1
Truscott	538.4
Benjamin	551.1
Knox City	563.1
O'Brien	565.7
Rochester	570.5
Rule	580.1
Sagerton	588.4
Hamlin	605.8
Sylvester	619.1
Longworth	626.5

The reasons for the proposed abandonment are that the line operates at a deficit, that prospects for increased revenues are poor and that the line's shippers have adequate transportation alternatives. This line of railroad has appeared on the system diagram map in category 1 since June 30, 1988, or sale for continued rail use, if the interest of railroad abandonment will be protected by the abandonment, in accordance with conditions prescribed by the Interstate Commerce Commission in (49 U.S.C. §10905 and 49 C.F.R. Oregon Short Line R. Co. Abandonment, 360 I.C.C. 91 (1979)).

Any interested person, after the application is filed on April 28, 1989, is entitled to file with the Interstate Commerce Commission line in operation. The carrier's written comments concerning the proposed abandonment or protests may be made concerning sale or to it. Persons seeking further information concerning abandonment procedures may contact the Interstate Commerce Commission's Rail Section, Office of Proceedings or the Office of Transportation Analysis, Rail Services Planning Office, or refer to the full line, information concerning the group or public interest representations; and a copy of the application will be available for public inspection limited to the retention of service over a portion of the line, a description to protestant's interest (with milepost designations if available).

(3) Specific reasons why protestant opposes the application including information regarding protestant's reliance on the involved service [this information must be supported by affidavits of persons with personal knowledge of the fact(s)].
(4) Any rebuttal of material submitted by applicant.
(5) If an oral hearing is desired, a request for and reasons why an oral hearing is necessary.

In addition, a commenting party or protestant may provide a statement of position and a summary of evidence regarding:
(i) Intent to offer financial assistance;
(ii) Environmental impact;
(iii) Impact on rural and community development;
(iv) Suitability of the properties for other public purposes;
(v) Recommended provisions for protection of the interests of employees; and
(vi) Prospective use of the right-of-way for interim trail use and rail banking under 16 U.S.C. §1247 (d) and 49 C.F.R. §1152.29.

Written comments and protests will be considered by the Commission in determining whether an investigation is needed to assist in determining what disposition to make of the application. The Commission will automatically direct investigation if a protest is filed which demonstrates: (1) The protestant filed a feeder line application under 49 U.S.C. §10910; (2) the feeder line application involves any portion of the rail line involved in the abandonment or discontinuance application; (3) the feeder line application was filed prior to the date the abandonment or discontinuance application was filed; and (4) the feeder line application is pending before the Commission. If an investigation is conducted, the commenting party or protestant may participate in the proceeding as its interests may appear. Those parties filing protests to the proposed abandonment should be prepared to participate actively in either oral hearing or through the submission of additional material in the form of verified statements. Parties seeking information concerning the filing of protests should refer to 49 C.F.R. §1152.25. Written comments and protests should indicate the proceeding designation No. AB-52 (Sub-No. 62) and should be filed with the Secretary, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D.C. 20423 no later than May 30, 1989. Interested persons may file a written comment or protest with the Commission to become a party to this abandonment proceeding. A copy of each written comment or protest shall be served upon the representative of the applicant, Michael W. Blaszak, 80 East Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604 (tel. no. (312) 786-6889). The original and two copies of all comments or protests shall be filed with the Commission with a certificate of service. If no protests are received within 30 days after the application is filed, the Commission will grant the abandonment request and issue a certificate which permits the abandonment to occur within 75 days after the application is filed. The line sought to be abandoned will be available for subsidy in category 1 since June 30, 1988, or sale for continued rail use, if the interest of railroad abandonment will be protected by the abandonment, in accordance with conditions prescribed by the Interstate Commerce Commission in (49 U.S.C. §10905 and 49 C.F.R. Oregon Short Line R. Co. Abandonment, 360 I.C.C. 91 (1979)).

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE
A request has been received from H. M. Bledsoe to change the following described property: Lot number 2 block 69 addition Original Outlots address 100 N. 2nd St., Haskell, Texas from single family zoning district to special purpose zoning district. The applicant proposes to use the property for mobile home if rezoning is achieved. The planning and zoning commission of the City of Haskell, Texas, will hold a public hearing pursuant to this request on May 9, 1989 at 1:30 p.m. in the Council Room. 17c

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
Notice is hereby given that Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc., is seeking financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation under Section 18 grant program. Grant funds will be used to continue providing rural public transportation on demand responsive and a fixed schedule based on location with a 24-hour advance notice. Services are available in Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Stonewall and Throckmorton counties. During this period the system will purchase one lift van. Special provisions for the elderly and handicapped are available. The system will charge a small fee, however, some passengers may qualify for fare subsidy. Copies of the grant proposal will be available for inspection by the public at 650 Washington St., Aspermont, Texas 79502, after June 15, 1989. Any person wishing to request a public hearing on the proposed project must submit that request in writing to 650 Washington St., Aspermont, Texas, 79502 prior to May 31, 1989. 17-18c

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HASKELL NATIONAL BANK of Haskell
Name of Bank City
in the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1989,
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.
Charter Number 14149 Comptroller of the Currency Eleventh District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1 439
Interest-bearing balances	900
Securities	34 665
Federal funds sold	1 800
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	14 123
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	344
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	13 779
Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	435
Other real estate owned	204
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0
Intangible assets	0
Other assets	936
Total assets	54 158
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	54 158

Deposits:	
In domestic offices:	
Noninterest-bearing	5 426
Interest-bearing	44 215
Federal funds purchased	0
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
Other borrowed money	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	0
Other liabilities	357
Total liabilities	49 998
Limited-life preferred stock	0
Perpetual preferred stock	0
Common stock	300
Surplus	300
Undivided profits and capital reserves	3 560
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
Total equity capital	4 160
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	54 158

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Abel Turner
Jana L. Neill
Carolyn Everett
Directors

Bettie Wainscott
Name
Vice President & Cashier
Title
of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Bettie Wainscott
Signature
April 25, 1989
Date

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YARD SALE: 803 S. E. 1st. Fri. & Sat. 9 a.m. Refrigerator, electric lawn mower, edger, Kirby vacuum with shampooer, sofa, chairs, cook stoves, china dishes, tables, lamp, beds, misc. items. 1955 Bel Aire Chevrolet. 17p

4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Fri. April 28 from 8 a.m. til 4 p.m. in Community Center in Weinert. Reasonable prices. 17p

GARAGE SALE: Sat., April 29. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Lots of misc. items. No early sales. 800 S. Av F. 17c

GARAGE SALE: Sat., April 29. Sponsored by the Jones-Haskell Texas Exes for their scholarship fund. 9 to 5, 1 Baize Street, Stamford. 17p

BACKYARD SALE: Sat. & Sun. 9 to 5. 509 S. Av F. Lots of clothes, lots of misc. items. 17p

GARAGE SALE: 1207 N. Av C. Thurs. & Fri. 9 a.m. Clothes, tools, dishes, misc. 17p

GARAGE SALE: Sat. & Sun. 910 N. 4th. 17p

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My sincere thanks to the Hee Haw Gang for making this year's show a success. I also thank you so much for the award. Thanks to our fans for your continued support. Mrs. Fred (Billie) Kupatt. 17p

For Rent
FOR RENT: 1 bedroom furnished apartment. Nice. Call 864-3509 or 864-3964. 8tc

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FOR SALE: BY OWNER: Brick, 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 baths, den, living room, formal dining area, large like new kitchen, utility room, lots of closets. 6 refrigerated window units, 2 car carport, 2 room shop and storage house. Water well, corner lot. See at 900 N. Av G. Phone 864-8196. 15tc

FOR SALE BY OWNERS in Haskell. Large brick home located on corner lot at 706 N. Av H. 2 bedrooms with walk-in closets, spacious bathroom, living/dining area, central h/a, kitchen w/built-ins and lots of cabinets, circular bar, utility room w/vanity, paneled basement with h/a, garage, brick storage house, water well, large lot w/fruit trees. In excellent condition. Call 817-422-4440 after 7 p.m. for appointment. 16tc

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick house in Rule. Lots of extras. Call after 5 p.m., 997-2319. 17-18c

PRICED TO SELL: Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home, central h/a, cathedral ceilings, ceiling fans, fireplace w/insert, modern kitchen, large master bedroom with his and her dressing areas, large patio. Must see inside to appreciate. Call Brian 1-800-558-4384, after 5 817-864-3650. 17tc

NEWLY REDONE LAKE CABIN AT VEDA'S CAMP. Choice water front lot with a great dock and 24x30 boat house 100' into water with electric power and hot water facilities for pool. Living room inside as well as out. Completely furnished and equipped. Ready for occupancy. Owner will finance with good down payment. 864-2004

REDUCED! 2 bedroom, 1 bath, ceiling fans, central heating and cooling, good closet space with many extras. 805 N. Av G. 658-3904

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• Large four bedroom, 2 bath, two story home with fireplace and covered patio. Great location on large lot with new workshop and storage building. Many extras.

FOR SALE: 317 acres southeast of Rochester. All in CRP. Some minerals, \$115,000.00. Call Don Allison, Broker, 453 Pine St., Abilene, TX 79601. 915-673-4578. I need more CRP properties to sell. 14-17c

REDUCED! FOR SALE: Spacious town and country frame home on Hwy. 380 west of Rule. Reasonable offers will be considered for this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with central air, fireplace, ceiling fans throughout, metal fence, cellar and water well. Call 817-864-2996. 14tc

FOR SALE: Remodeled 2 bedroom, nice yard, trees, garden spot, well. 1106 N Ave L. 1-849-3272. 29tc

FOR SALE: Solitaire mobile home. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, built-in microwave, stereo, dishwasher, oven and cooktop. Central air and heat. Assume loan. 864-2751 or 864-3807 with low equity. 6tc

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Mary Rike 864-2332
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Esther Conn 658-3904

FOR SALE by owner. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, lage utility room, new carpet, central heat and air. Newly added spa-sun deck. Cooling unit 2 years old. Corner lot, northeast part of town, good neighborhood. 864-2647 or 864-2793 after 5. 50tc

FOR SALE: Solitaire mobile home. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, built-in microwave, stereo, dishwasher, oven and cooktop. Central air and heat. Assume loan. 864-2751 or 864-3807 with low equity. 6tc

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4 bedroom, 2 bath brick with 6 acres on Rule Highway.
393 acre farm 7 miles east of Haskell. 212 acres in cropland. 181 acres in pasture. FM road frontage.
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4 bedroom, 2 bath brick with 6 acres on Rule Highway.
393 acre farm 7 miles east of Haskell. 212 acres in cropland. 181 acres in pasture. FM road frontage.
FOR RENT
STORAGE STALLS

FOR SALE
3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home on Paint Creek Hwy. Owned by a little librarian moving to South Texas. Fireplace, dining room and beam ceiling. Large fenced backyard with water well. Lots of trees. Shown by appointment only!
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LET YOUR DREAM come true! 3 bedroom, 3 bath with office space, large living area with fireplace this 2 story home has many built-ins and extras. Beautiful backyard with screened area, carport, garage and large shop building.
3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath mobile home at Kelso Park.
Large 3 bedroom with double attached garage, fenced yard, corner lot, clean.
EXTRA CLEAN 2 bedroom brick central h/a. Attached carport, large trees. 705 Union, Rule.
LARGE LIVING AREA with fireplace. 3 bedroom, double attached garage. North Avenue E. \$35,000.00
COMMERCIAL... one of Haskell's largest buildings, plenty of parking. Good location, make an offer.
Small cabin at Vedas. \$6000.00.
LARGE 2 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, shop building, fenced yard, exceptionally clean, corner lot.
Lake Cabin with lot. Lakeshore sites, large garage.
IN RULE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Has many extras. Water well, fenced yard, St. Bldg., fireplace. \$25,000.
EXTRA CLEAN 2 bedroom, central heating and cooling. Fenced yard, storage, carport. 105 N. M. A good buy.
GOREE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick. \$39,500.00.
GOREE (2 for 1 special) 2 bedroom rock C/H.A. Also 3 bedroom frame. \$25,000.00.
EXCEPTIONAL Value: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, set in fireplace, fenced yard, storm cellar, 3 ref. units.
OUTSIDE city limits. Fully water 1 bedroom, 3 bath brick. Many extras. Double garage. Fenced yard, storage, water well.
ILA MOODY HOME IN WEINERT. Make an offer.
3 BEDROOM 2 bath with fireplace, fenced yard, large shop building, water well, storm cellar. Also has a small rent house. All on 10 large lots.
VEDAS. 2 bedroom double garage, large covered patio. Private boat dock. A beautiful lot.
ATTRACTIVE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick with formal living room, den and large game room. Great location was \$59,000. Reduced to \$45,000 for fast sale.
2 BEDROOM on South 7th. \$5000.00 Cash.
3 BEDROOM 2 bath, den with fireplace, large living room, patio, water well, carport. 145' lot close to elementary school. \$19,900.00.
Clothing store building ready to open in Haskell. All fixtures and a modern clean building.
IN ROCHESTER: Strickland home 2 blocks south of school. Extra clean inside and out.
Small 2 bedroom on Hwy. 380. \$4500.00.

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--Weinert--

by Myrtle Pheister
We are still in need of rain, and the "promising" clouds brought 3 tenths of an inch to Weinert on Sunday night. The wind continues to distress us, and the temperature soared to 99° on Sunday; as we say in Texas, "If you don't like the weather, just wait, it'll change."

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker upon the birth of their first child, Janie Denise, who was born at the Seymour hospital on April 23. She weighed in at 7 lbs. and a few ounces, and she and her parents are doing well.

Happy birthday wishes go to Francis Mahan, Monica Estrada, Gilbert Jimenez, Jr., and Jerry Walker.

Congratulations to Robin and Renita Raynes, and to Floyd and Helen Stout who are celebrating wedding anniversaries this week.

Congratulations to Leonard Mahan III and his bride Cathy, who were married on Saturday, April 22, and are on their honeymoon this week.

The descendants of Robert and Beatrice Hutchinson gathered at the Miller Creek Lake for a family reunion last week with all the children present except Jean Curd, who was unable to attend.

They gathered in campers, motor homes and pickups and enjoyed an old-fashioned picnic together with many friends and other relatives dropping by to renew acquaintances.

A special guest was a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Smith, Jr., with their young son of Lubbock, and his grandmother, Grace Hutchinson of Munday.

The elementary grades 1 through

6, with teachers Mary Murphy, Karen Yates and Deena Hacker were in Abilene on Friday for a field trip, and attended the science exhibits at the Fine Arts Museum being held there. The children were allowed to test the projects for a hands on learning experience.

They later went roller-skating, a first-time for many of the children and a picnic in the park climaxed a wonderful day. There were a few accidents.

Several residents attended the track meet in which Tina Herricks and her sprint relay team of Rochester High School won another first place trophy, and qualified for the regional meet to be held in Abilene this weekend, and for the six-man state meet to be held at Comanche. Congratulations!

Mrs. Gene Culpepper of Haskell accompanied a group of the First Baptist women to the Sandi Patti Gospel music concert held at the Abilene Coliseum on Friday.

Those in attendance were Doris Walker, Wanda and Laurie Hester, Cindy and Heather Guess, Mary and Shanna Murphy.

Several of our scouts were involved in the district scout Olympics and Wolf Den #8 brought home 8 ribbons.

Those from Weinert were Dusty Yates, "T" Nichols, Lucas Castillo, and Heath Guess. Congratulations!

The baseball leagues were formed last week, and we are proud we have so many of our boys participating. We will have ten boys in the Pee Wee league, and they include Ezekiel Estrada, Angel Castorena, Lane Murphy, Heath Guess, Dusty Yates,

T Nichols, Lucas Castillo, Jeremy Harlan, Jessie Castorena, and Heather Guess.

Coaches are Joe Yates and Ed Murphy, and Mondays and Thursdays the roads will all lead to Munday. Congratulations.

Little League members are Jace Yates, Cory Wood, Andrew Sikes and Nathan Sikes.

The first game is scheduled for Thursday, May 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. White hosted a "Sunday Supper" on April 23 and games of 84 afterwards.

Those in attendance were Eva Speer, Jenny Brazell, Sue Scrivner, Jo Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herren, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Letz, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lowery, all of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jetton and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy White of Weinert.

Recent guests of the Whites were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy White of Knox City and a grandson, Todd Hackney of Vail, Colorado.

Todd came to get his horses, and mules to take them to Vail, readying for the tourist season at the resort where he is employed.

Helen Boykin and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jetton were in Throckmorton on Friday to attend the memorial services of Mrs. Condra, long-time friend of the family.

We extend our sympathy to her children, one of which is Mrs. Stanley McMillan of Newcastle.

Sympathy is extended to the Beason and the Redwine families at the demise of Myrtle Beason. Her memorial services were conducted at Knox City on Monday afternoon.

Attending from Weinert were her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Walling,

Frances Mahan, Marvin and Myrtle Pheister and Rene Vojkufka.

Our prayers are continuing for Glenn Caddell who is in ICU at Humana Hospital who is holding his own at this writing.

Also for Bunt Herricks who remains in a stable condition at Stamford Memorial Hospital.

We shall remember Tinka Herricks as she faces possible back surgery in Dallas later this week.

The Baptist men and boys attended the Big Country Baptist Assembly held in Lueders this week, and enjoyed a speech made by Meadow Lark Lemmons of the Harlem Globe-Trotters, who was guest speaker at the retreat.

The First Baptist Church ended their week of prayer and had a good beginning for their revival, which will continue through this week.

Dr. E. Milford Howell of Rule is doing the speaking with Ford Cole of Haskell directing the singing.

Five generations of Linda Mahan were here this weekend to attend the wedding of Leonard Mahan, III, and were guests in the home of Linda and Leonard, Jr.

They were her grandfather, Lester Williams, her father, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Williams, all of Newalla, Ok., and her grandchildren, Tabitha and

Mallori Sadler of Mineral Wells. Other guests were an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Getty Williams also of Newalla.

They all attended worship services with the family at the Church of Christ on Sunday.

Dave and Ethel Jones of Chula Vista, California are in town visiting cousins, the Sanders, Alexanders, and Pheisters.

Ruby LeRogue of Odessa, and Margie Jordan of Hamilton spent the weekend with their mother, Francis Mahan. They attended the wedding of their nephew on Saturday and worship services with their mother on Sunday.

David and Kerri Sanders of Hamlin spent the weekend with their grandparents, Alton and Mildred Sanders.

Don Davis, former Weinert resident, now of Newcastle was in town visiting friends, and his aunt, Lucinda Davis and Calvin.

In the Sundays issue of the USA weekend, "Pig-pen" urges us all to clean up your own backyard and lists 60 steps on things to do. Let's all CARE about pollution and do our bit, read the article and "pitch in".

Frank and Fauna Garrett of Las Vegas, Nevada were in town visiting

relatives and friends last week and making plans for their 50th wedding anniversary.

Have a nice day!

Playday results

Results from Sunday's Haskell Horse Club Playday:

8 and under novice
Barrels: 1. Brittany Bartley, 2. Jed Gray.

Flags: 1. Jed Gray.
Poles: There were not times turned in for the pole bending.

8 and under
Barrels: 1. Mitchell Cox, 2. Amy Aycock, 3. Angela Aycock.

Flags: 1. Amy Aycock, 2. Kelli Moeller, 3. Angela Aycock.
Poles: 1. Kelli Moeller, Angela Aycock, 3. Amy Aycock.

13 through 19
Barrels: 1. Robin Harrell, 2. Byron Gray, 3. Sara Reves.

Flags: 1. Robin Harrell, 2. Byron Gray, 3. Sara Reves.
Poles: 1. Sara Reves, 2. Robin Harrell, 3. Susan Jarred.

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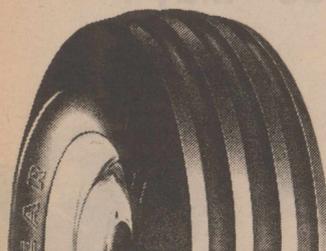


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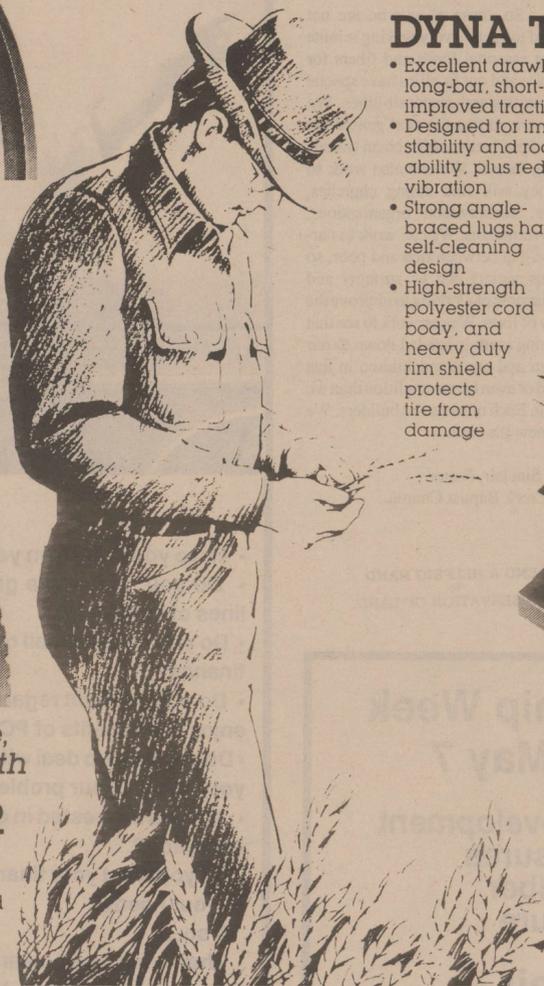
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Proclamation

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WHEREAS, the quality and quantity of these products depend upon the conservation, wise and proper management of the soil and water resources; and

WHEREAS, our people have a mutual interest in the soil and water and share the responsibility of conserving and managing these resources properly; and

WHEREAS, soil and water conservation districts provide a practical and democratic organization through which landowners are taking the initiative to conserve and make proper use of these resources; and

WHEREAS, soil and water conservation districts are carrying forward a conservation program in cooperation with numerous agencies and countless individuals;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. O. Roberson, County Judge of Haskell County, in full appreciation of the value of soil and water to the public welfare, and desiring to honor those who protect it, do hereby designate the week of April 30 to May 7, 1989 as

Soil and Water Stewardship Week

in Haskell County, Texas.

IN OFFICIAL RECOGNITION WHEREOF,

I hereby affix my signature

B. O. Roberson

County Judge of Haskell County

"Renewing the Living Earth" is the theme of National Soil and Water Stewardship Week April 30 - May 7, 1989

Emphasizing everyone's role in protecting soil and water resources for future generations, the Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District is encouraging local churches, organizations and individuals to join in the nationwide observance of Soil and Water Stewardship Week, April 30-May 7, 1989.

The local district, which works throughout the year on soil and water conservation measures, is providing literature and speakers that highlight man's responsibility to be active stewards of our nation's soil and water resources.

R. V. Earles, chairman of the Haskell SWCD, said that although farmers and ranchers know that good conservation practices help increase yields and improve their profit potential, they also know the importance of passing on well-cared-

for natural resources for future food producers. "We could give our children all the money in the world, but it would do them little good unless we also give them a productive soil on which to live," Earles said.

Since 1955, the National Association of Conservation Districts has sponsored Soil and Water Stewardship Week, in cooperation with nearly 3,000 local conservation districts nationwide, as one way to emphasize the importance of good stewardship of basic soil and water resources.

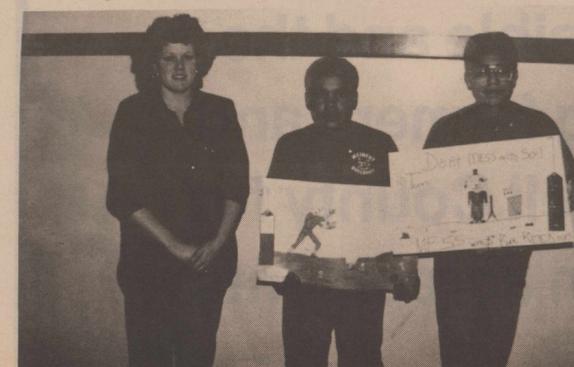
Materials especially designed to convey the 1989 theme, "Renewing the Living Earth," are being distributed by the Haskell SWCD and may be obtained by calling or visiting the field office during business hours at 1203A South Avenue E in Haskell. Phone (817) 864-3212.



Joyce LeFevre - Conservation Homemaker



Tiffin Mayfield - Conservation Farmer



Deena Hacker - Conservation Teacher



Robert Free - Conservation Rancher

1989 Haskell County Soil and Water Conservation District Award Winners

JOYCE LEFEVRE Conservation Homemaker

Joyce Lefevre was born in Haskell County. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Will Stegemöller. She grew up in the Sagerton community. Her parents were involved in farming.

In 1943 she married Delbert Lefevre. They have four children, Linda, Larry, Kent and Jill.

The Lefevres currently have a Great Plains Conservation Contract on their farm. Joyce does the bookwork for the grain elevator that her family manages.

She and a friend started the Friendship Club in Sagerton. The club meets twice a month, and was started to help the elderly citizens have a time to get out and enjoy a hot meal and fellowship.

She is co-chairman with Eve Ulmer of the Hee Haw Luncheon. The community has an annual performance to earn money to keep up the community building in Sagerton. Joyce keeps records for the cemetery and types the Sagerton Sun News. She is also the secretary-treasurer of the Sagerton Hobby Club and work chairman of the Methodist Church.

Joyce also finds time to sew, can pickles and jellies, haul cotton to the gin, give the grain truck and be a grandmother.

DEENA HACKER Conservation Teacher

Deena Hacker was born in Haskell County. She grew up in Weinert where her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Walker, were engaged in farming.

Deena graduated from Weinert High School in 1980. She remembers as a child in elementary working on conservation posters.

Deena now teaches in Weinert Elementary fifth and sixth grades. She works with the students on their conservation posters. Growing up in a farming community has made her aware of the importance of Resource Conservation.

Deena and her husband are new parents. The new baby will be a new and challenging experience.

Tiffin Mayfield Conservation Farmer

Tiffin Mayfield grew up in the Weinert community. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mayfield. He grew up on the farm.

When he returned home from college he married a hometown girl, Erlinda Alexander. He farmed with his dad until 1965 and then on his own after.

Tiffin and Erlinda have two children, Mondy who is in college at Stephenville, and Mitch who is in high school in Haskell.

Tiffin's main crops are cotton, wheat and cattle. He also has some horses.

Some improvements he has applied are terraces, haybarn and fencing. He has constructed and seeded 35 acres in grassed waterways. He has built six stock ponds, cleared pastureland and seeded with improved grasses. Working on fencing is a constant job. Tiffin also restored this old tractor.

In his spare time, Tiffin likes to read and watch professional basketball on TV.

ROBERT FREE Conservation rancher

The Haskell SWCD Conservation Rancher is Robert Free of the Paint Creek Community. He was born and raised to farm and ranch parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Free.

Following the Korean War, Robert began working with the Damron brothers, Carl and Bill, in the ranching business. In 1965 he and Jean Damron married. They have two daughters.

Robert and Jean own 640 acres where they live. They have participated in the Great Plains Conservation Program, constructing terraces in wheat pastures, building fences and grassed waterways.

They have built stock ponds and planted improved grassed on pastureland.

Robert also leases other ranchland and manages other acreage.

Robert and Jean are active members of the Saint John Methodist Church in Stamford.

His hobbies are flying airplanes, and in the last few years Robert and Jean have started fishing in their spare time.



RENEWING THE LIVING EARTH Soil & Water Stewardship April 30 - May 7, 1989

The Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District will join in the national observance of Soil and Water Stewardship Week to take place during April 30 through May 7, 1989. This year's theme is "Renewing the Living Earth". In this we are challenged to move beyond conservation to renewal.

Our generation inherited this living earth as a sacred gift from our creator and God. The generations which preceded ours used this gift and passed it on to us, and we must pass it on to the generation which follows ours. Fertile lands which have been carefully tended by previous generations still abound in many parts of the world. For example, agriculture has lived and prospered for thousands of years in parts of Europe, and the quality of the soils used in cultivation today is not significantly different from that which was available during the fifteenth century. Mighty forests still cover parts of the earth, though those forests have provided food, shelter, firewood and a host of other products for people since recorded time. Of course, there are many places that today are eroded deserts and, for the most part, are no longer capable of producing anything.

What makes the difference? People make the difference. We have choices to make if we are to preserve and protect God's gift and pass it on to the next generation. Will we continue to use up the gifts we have been given, or will we work to renew them and pass them along in better condition than we received them?

May we be reminded that renewing the living earth is a gift we are giving ourselves in this generation. By helping to renew productive farmland, we improve our source of food and fiber right now. By helping to renew the living earth so that people's needs for food, water and air are met, we can release human energy to help with the tasks involved in renewing and improving the systems that surround us. For starving people do not organize church relief societies, manage soil conservation districts, or run for public office. They must concentrate all their energies in the essential business of survival. Only when their basic needs are met can they become a constructive and integral part of the needy world around them.

So, those of us who are not required to spend every waking minute seeking essential foods and fibers for ourselves and our families have special opportunities and responsibilities. We must work so that the next generation can find productive soils, clean waters, thriving forests. We can also work so that they will find strong churches, schools, conservation organizations, and governments. We can work to narrow the gap between rich and poor, so that our society can be stronger and more capable of working to improve the quality of lives. We can work to see that this living earth is handed down to our children and our grandchildren in just as good or even better condition than we found it. Each of us can be builders. We can renew the earth.

James Sinclair, Pastor
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SOIL AND WATER
STEWARDSHIP WEEK
APRIL 30 - MAY 7, 1989



Conservation Plan Helps Keep Farm Program Eligibility

By David Sikes
SCS Conservationist

The current farm bill requires each farmer that operates land the SCS determines to be "Highly Erodible" to have a conservation plan developed and approved before January 1990. Anyone that farms highly erodible land and fails to get a conservation plan will not be allowed to sign up for the farm program in 1990, and will be ineligible for farm program benefits until a conservation plan is approved for him.

A conservation plan simply defines the conservation practices that the farmer will apply to the land in order to reduce soil erosion to within an acceptable level. Examples of some conservation practices are crop rotation, crop residue use, cover

crops, terraces, waterways and stripcropping. A farmer can select the practices that will help reduce erosion on the farm, and that will be compatible with his or her farming operation. In some cases, the current farming methods are acceptable for the conservation plan and no changes are necessary.

When a change in the farming method is needed on the farm, it is often with the crop rotation. Cotton needs to be rotated with wheat, milo, forage sorghum, or a similar crop considered to be a high residue producing crop. If a farmer has a large cotton base and a small wheat or milo base, adequate crop rotation may be difficult. In this situation, the farmer has the option of either exchanging cotton acres for acres of a high residue crop to allow for adequate crop rotation, or keep the cotton base and use a conservation practice such as mulching with cotton burs, planting a cover crop such as wheat or winterpeas on cotton ground, or establishing alternate strips of a high

residue crop with cotton in a stripcropping pattern.

Stripcropping is used more often on farms with sandy soils and is very effective in reducing wind erosion. Strips normally run in an east-west direction, perpendicular to the most erosive north and south winds. Strips are narrow enough to reduce the length of exposed land and prevent blowing.

Most stripcropping systems involve strips of cotton, normally 100 to 200 feet wide, planted with alternate strips of either forage sorghum, wheat or milo as a protective strip. The protective strip is usually much narrower than the cotton strip. Crop residues from the protective strip need to be maintained on the surface to prevent blowing on the adjacent cotton strip when it is bare.

Farmers needing a conservation plan should contact the SCS as soon as possible. Assistance from the SCS is available to anyone regardless of sex, race or national origin.



New Staff Members of Haskell SWCD
Left to Right Larry Pfau - Seymour, Bobby Waddell - Anson
District Conservationist, David Sikes - Weinert

Haskell SWCD Named Outstanding Soil and Water Conservation District in Area 5

To receive award May 2

The outstanding Soil and Water Conservation District in Area 5 is Haskell SWCD. Area 5 includes 38 counties in north central Texas. The award will be presented May 2 in Stephenville at the Area 5 awards program.

The Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District was formed in 1977 to help and serve producers and landowners with technical assistance. The boundaries of the district include Haskell County which is composed of 322,049 acres of cropland and 221,894 acres of rangeland.

The directors are R. V. Earles, Paint Creek; M. W. Plemister, Weinert; F. A. Ulmer, Sagerton; Dan Wadzeck, Rochester; and Johnny Wheatley, Haskell.

The district employees two full time technical assistants and one part time technical assistant through the State Technical Assistance Grant Program. These technical assistants assist operation in implementing engineering practices such as terraces

and waterways. The also assist SCS personnel in the developing of Conservation Reserve Program Contracts, Great Plains Conservation Program Contracts, LTA Contracts and Food Security Act Conservation Plans.

Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District believes that community awareness is an important link in the "Conservation Chain." The District participates in several programs, such as:

--Publishing two newsletters, one annual report, and a Soil Stewardship supplement to the Haskell Free Press.

--Taping radio programs and furnishing church bulletin inserts to 23 participating churches each year.

--Preparing an educational booth at the Haskell County Fair on natural resources.

--Distributing conservation bookcovers to all schools in the county.

--Conducting a poster contest in public schools with 253 entries.

--Co-sponsoring with the California Creek SWCD a Land Judging Contest and a Range and Pasture Judging Contest.

--Conducting a windbreak program planting 666 trees.

--Conducting a fishpond stocking program distributing over 800 catfish.

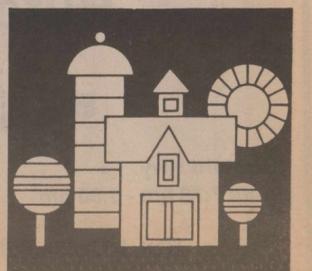
--Preparing a grass identification board to help students and producers learn more about grasses.

--Providing a grass seed drill, whirl wind seeders, and packers for producers' use.

--Conducting an annual Awards Program to recognize outstanding Conservation Winners.

The Board of Directors meet monthly on the third Friday of each month in the Haskell SCS Field Office at 1203A South Avenue E. The meetings are held at 9:00 a.m. All regular meetings are open to the public in accordance with Texas State Laws.

As the sun sets in Haskell County, the Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District realizes that the job of conservation awareness never ceases. We have a continuous job in front of us.



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The quality and quantity of these products depends upon the conservation, wise use and proper management of the soil and water resources.

It is the concern and responsibility of every Texan that soil and water resources be conserved and managed properly to assure the welfare of all citizens.

Soil and water conservation districts provide a practical and democratic organization through which landowners are taking the initiative to properly use and protect these resources.

Soil and water conservation districts are sponsoring Soil and Water Stewardship Week as a commitment to protecting our renewable natural resources.

Therefore, I, William P. Clements, Jr., Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the week of April 30th through May 7th, 1989, as:

SOIL AND WATER STEWARDSHIP WEEK



In Texas and urge appropriate recognition thereof.
W.P. Clements, Jr.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 22nd day of February, 1989.
Governor of Texas



Members of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts' Soil and Water Stewardship Committee and the State Soil and Water Conservation Board witnessed and received a signed proclamation from Governor Bill Clements designating April 30-May 7, 1989 as Soil and Water Stewardship Week in Texas. Standing from left to right are: V. V. Fritze, Chairman, Soil & Water Stewardship Committee, Mason; Clyde Hale, President, Association of Texas Soil & Water Conservation Districts, Sherman; Ted Wilson, Member, S&WS Committee, Plainview; Alvin Schulz, Member, S&WS Committee, Bleiberville; Harvey Davis, Executive Director, State Soil & Water Conservation Board, Temple; Mel Davis, Soil Conservationist, TSSWCB, Temple; Dr. Bill Harris, Soils Specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station and Governor Bill Clements (seated). "Renewing The Living Earth" is the theme of this year's Soil and Water Stewardship Week. Texas' 208 soil and water conservation districts will participate in the annual observance to remind all Texans that soil, water and related renewable resources warrant our best in creative conservation and considerate management.

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	(1-3")	X	45.00/100=	_____
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	(2-6")	X	85.00/100=	_____

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The conservation education resource programs used in the course are the nationally acclaimed Project Learning Tree and Project Wild programs. Project Learning Tree Emphasizes the importance of a productive land base with respect to forest and other land resources. Project Wild emphasizes wildlife ecology, management and conservation.

Teachers may elect to take either one or both of the sessions. If they take one of the sessions of their choice, they may earn six (6) hours of TEA approved advanced academic training credit, or if they take both sessions, a total of 12 hours AAT credit will be awarded.

There is a \$5 fee for teachers attending the workshop which the Haskell SWCD will pay, plus they will pay mileage to Abilene.

Enrollment is limited to a maximum of 50 teachers.

Interested Haskell County teachers should contact the Haskell SWCD at 864-3212.

1989 Conservation Reserve Program

PLANTING TIME---

Now is the time to begin making preparations if you are scheduled to plant grass this year. The deadline for planting is May 31. Please contact the SCS office prior to preparing your seedbed. This should help avoid problems that may arise.

WEED CONTROL---

This is a reminder to all CRP participants of their responsibility to control weeds through the life of the contract. Weeds should not become a problem to your neighbor.

In addition to shredding we recommend the use of chemicals. This will control the weeds before they become a problem.

Now is the time to begin watching for a weed problem. Call the SCS field office in Haskell if you need help in determining when to control weeds or what method to use.



The Origin and Observance of

Soil And Water Stewardship Week

For centuries, men and women have offered humble thanks to God for the priceless gifts of soil, water, air and sunshine which make all living things possible. This gratitude by religious people has been expressed in many ways over the years but in all its forms there has been a con-

tinuing thread of emphasis on the wondrous powers of the Almighty to create and to heal.

There has been stress, too, on the universal dependence on His grace for salvation and for all good things.

The world as we know it could not exist without a fruitful agriculture. A

regular harvest is a critical matter. But nature, like man, is erratic. There are times when the very elements seem to conspire against a yield.

When the rains cease and the earth cracks, when storms and pestilence wreak their havoc, fields become barren and livestock grow gaunt in search of grass. It is then, and particularly in times of prolonged hardship, that the call goes out for divine intervention to ease the suffering and restore the bounty of the soil.

That is what happened in France more than 1,500 years ago in the city of Vienne and its surrounding countryside. Bad weather, fires and earthquakes had brought crop failures and widespread hunger. The Bishop of Vienne, Saint Mamertus, called for prayer and penance on the three days preceding Ascension Day. The people responded and implored God for help in their suffering and privation.

Word of what happened in Vienne spread throughout France and then to other countries beyond the Alps. The supplication filled a need in the hearts and minds of the people and, as the years went by, the practice of setting aside these special days — Rogation Days — was widely established on an annual basis. By the end of the eighth century, the Church formally adopted the custom.

In our own country, the decision to set aside a week each year to acknowledge before God our gratitude for His gifts of soil and all the bountiful resources associated with it has met an evident need of a great many people.

The week — now known as Soil and Water Stewardship Week — has become a special time to remind all people that these gifts of the Creator warrant their best in creative conservation and considerate management.

In parts of the South earlier in this century, a few churches and their congregations began to set aside the fifth Sunday after Easter as Soil and Soul Sunday. Subsequently, this designation was changed to Soil Stewardship Sunday when, in 1946, the publishers of Farm and Ranch magazine took an initiative. They suggested to religious leaders in a number of southern states that one Sunday be set aside each year as a time for a special reminder to the men and women of their congregations about the ethical obligations of all people to serve as responsible stewards of the land.

The response of clergymen and laymen was so warm and widespread that observance of Soil Stewardship Sunday spread steadily to additional churches and additional states. In 1954, the publishers of the magazine (circulated primarily in the South) suggested to the officers of the National Association of Conservation Districts that a still wider observance of Soil Stewardship Sunday could aid significantly in bringing about a national awakening and recognition of man's duties as stewards of the Lord's earth.

To help achieve this goal, the publishers offered to transfer their limited

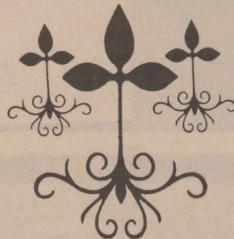
sponsorship of Soil Stewardship Sunday to the Association, which represents some 3,000 local conservation district organizations in all the states and territories of the nation. The NACD accepted and, beginning in 1955, undertook to foster the observance on a nationwide basis.

A year later, recognizing possible conflicts with Rural Life Sunday and other events often observed on church calendars, Soil Stewardship Sunday was changed to Soil Stewardship Week — beginning always with the fifth Sunday after Easter and continuing through the sixth. The change provided a helpful latitude in church timing for the observance.

Since these two Sundays occasionally conflict with Mother's Day or Memorial Day, Soil and Water Stewardship Week was designated as the last Sunday in April through the first Sunday in May. Beginning with the 1988 observance, Stewardship Week will not conflict with Easter, Mother's Day or Memorial Day until well into the twenty-first century.

In its stewardship efforts, the association has been guided by a Soil and Water Stewardship Advisory Committee of clergymen representing a number of the nation's major religious denominations. Many other church leaders have provided notable assistance. Officers and members of the NACD Auxiliary have been particularly helpful, as have members of several cooperating farm and conservation organizations.

The Soil and Water Stewardship Week observance, by its very nature, is one to be joined in by everyone who shares a sense of personal responsibility under God for the care of soil, water and the other vital elements making up our environment. The prime concern of our conservation districts, along with thousands of involved clergymen and laymen, is to encourage an ever-growing participation by Americans in this annual recognition of the continuing importance of thoughtful stewardship.



Haskell FFA Range and Pasture Judging Team



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Rochester FFA Land Judging Team

Judging Contest Winners

Haskell FFA earned second and third places at the annual Haskell-California Creek SWCD Range and Pasture Judging Contest. Members of the teams were Rod Jeter, Rusty Stocks, Jason Hall, and Craig Hanson, with Chad Gibson, Cole Calloway and Adam Coleman. Coach was James Bevel.

Rochester FFA and Haskell FFA placed second and fourth in the Land Judging Contest. Members of the Rochester team included Kelly Sprayberry, Wane Hester, Robert Ortiz and Craig Rogers. Coach was Rod Townsend. The Haskell Team (not pictured) includes Dalyn Gilly, Marty Trussell, Shane Osborne, and Missy Davis. They were coached by Duane Gilly. Dalyn Gill received second high point individual.

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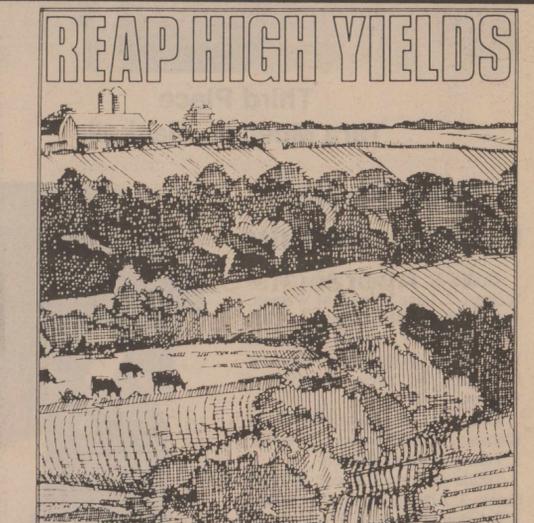
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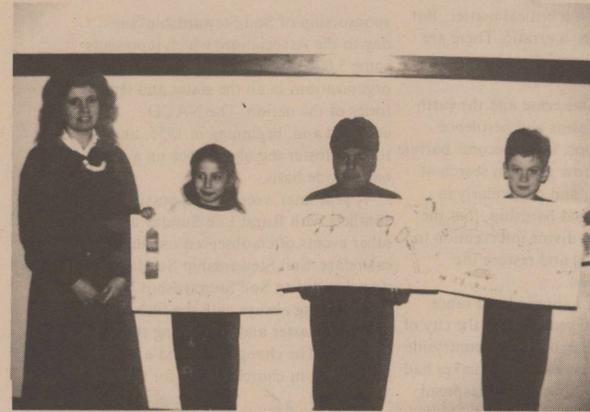
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Haskell SWCD Conservation Poster Contest Winners Named for 1989



Grand Champion
Carri Martini - Paint Creek
Second Place
Laura Barbour - Paint Creek



Third Place
Tara Moeller - Haskell



1989 Poster Contest Results

Grade 1: 1. David Pena Jr. of Weinert, 2. Lane Murphy of Weinert, 3. Cody Byrd of Rochester.

Grade 2: 1. Heath Guess of Weinert, 2. Mary Jane Short of Rochester, 3. Lucas Castillo of Weinert.

Grade 3: 1. Alisa Garza of Weinert, 2. David Crump of Weinert, 3. Timmy Perez of Weinert.

Grade 4: Amy Barbour of Paint Creek, 2. Alberto Ruiz of Rochester, 3. Brandon Williams of Rochester.

Grade 5: Leigh Reel of Paint Creek, 2 (tie). Charissa Huff of Haskell and Casey Thompson of Paint Creek, 3. Marcus Overton of Paint Creek.

Grade 6: 1. Carris Martini of Paint Creek, 2 (tie). Laura Barbour of Paint Creek and Tara Moeller of Haskell, 3. Brandi Briles of Haskell.

Grand champion: Carri Martini of Paint Creek. Second: Laura Barbour of Paint Creek. Third: Tara Moeller of Haskell.



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