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Will Mark by Ballot In Nov. 5 Election

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New Minister



Roy Deaver, recently called as minister of the Haskell Church of Christ, and Mrs. Deaver and their little son Roy, Jr., moved to Haskell this week. The young minister comes to Haskell from Spur, where he has been working with the church for some time.

1946 Cotton Loan Program in Effect, Farmers Advised

Joe Harper, AAA secretary, announced yesterday that the provisions of the 1946 cotton loan program are in effect. Producers who desire full information on the loan program should contact the county AAA office or lending agencies in the county. All banks in the county have been designated lending agencies for the Commodity Credit Corporation for making loans on the 1946 crop at a basis of 24.21 on middling 15-16 cotton. Variations in rates will depend upon the grade and staple of the cotton being offered as collateral. Notes will expire next July 31, 1947, and will bear 3% until paid. This information is not given as advice to producers as to how to handle their cotton, Harper states, but solely as a statement of information to all concerned.

School Carnivals Planned for Tonight

Principal outlet for Halloween goblins and witches tonight will be a number of carnivals staged by students of Haskell County schools in conjunction with Parent-Teacher organizations. Both Haskell ward schools and practically all other schools of the county plan carnivals. Most of the schools are planning auction sales and various booths in connection with the carnivals, and several groups have been in Haskell first part of the week to secure premiums to be given away at bingo tables or to be auctioned. With students so pre-occupied, a minimum of prowling by pranksters is expected.

Carnival Plans Taking Shape For Haskell Lions

With several committees working on arrangements, plans for the Haskell Lions Club carnival, to be staged in Haskell Saturday afternoon and night, November 7, are shaping up this week. Plans for at least eight concessions have been announced, and it is expected that cold drink and other concessions probably will be added. The local service organization is planning a bingo table, several tables and wheels of lucky numbers, doll racks and other stands that prove popular in professional carnivals. No outside help will be used by the Lions—the stands and concessions to be operated by club members. All proceeds from the carnival will be used for local projects, such as child welfare, school needs, civic improvements, and the like. Expenses involved will be light, say Lions, since practically all materials and prizes will be donated by Haskell merchants, and Lions themselves are responsible for construction of stands. The carnival will be staged on the courthouse lawn or on one of the streets on the square.

Death Claims Mrs. Callie Henshaw, 81

Mrs. Rebecca Callie Henshaw, 81-year-old resident of Haskell County 41 years, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. George Piland in this city Thursday Oct. 24 at 12:30 p. m. after having been in feeble health for several years. She is survived by one hundred seven living descendants. A native of Milam County, where she was born June 17, 1865, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartline, early-day Texas settlers. She married Geo. W. Henshaw of Bell County June 19, 1880. They made their home in that section until moving to Haskell County in 1905, and Mr. Henshaw became one of the county's most substantial farmers. Mrs. Henshaw had been a member of the Baptist Church since girlhood. Her husband preceded her in death a number of years ago. Surviving children are: A son, Geo. Henshaw of Haskell; seven daughters Mrs. Willie Rose, Mrs. Wary Scott, Mrs. Bessie Piland, Mrs. George Rose, all of Haskell; Mrs. Ida Ford, Crawford, Texas; Mrs. Callie Phillips, Amarillo; and Mrs. Callie Spinks of Arkansas. A brother, W. C. Hartline, lives in Florida, Texas. Fifty-three grandchildren, forty-eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren also survive. Funeral services for Mrs. Henshaw were held at the First Baptist Church Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. H. R. Whately, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Willow Cemetery with Holden Funeral Home in charge. Pallbearers were Truett Piland, Carl N. and Carl L. Scott, Charles, Eugene and Grady W. Rose. Honorary pallbearers: Sam, Otis and Archie Henshaw, Otis Piland. Flower bearers were Mrs. Lorette Chapman, Maye Belle Piland, Dora Marie Piland, Mrs. Norman Nichols, Mrs. J. C. Halliburton, Jr., Mrs. Doyle Norman, Joy Rose, Mrs. Denton Atchison.

Curry Chapel Has Full-Time Preaching

The Curry Chapel Church is now having full time preaching. Rev. Robbins of Abilene is the pastor and is doing some good gospel preaching. We have electric lights and are this week installing buns, so come to church and Sunday School every Sunday. Everyone is invited and a welcome awaits you. We want to thank Bro. Priddy and the East Side Church folks for giving us their time for singing Sunday afternoon at 2:30. A number of good singers have promised to be here and we are expecting a large crowd and a good singing.—Church Reporter.

Guestie's Gift Shop Will Open Friday

Opening of Guestie's Gift Shop in this city Friday Nov. 1, is announced today by Elma H. Guest and Mrs. Buford Cox, owners. The store, located in the building adjoining Pogue Grocery, will specialize in gifts of distinction, and the public is invited to visit the establishment and inspect the variety of items on display. Proprietors are well-known Haskell businesswomen, having owned and managed a dress shop here for more than eight years.

TCU Class Officer

FORT WORTH, Tex.—Miss Mildred Chapman of Haskell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hallie C. Chapman, was selected freshman class secretary-treasurer in a recent general election held on the TCU campus.



MISS CHAPMAN

man, was selected freshman class secretary-treasurer in a recent general election held on the TCU campus. Derrell Tipps of Fort Worth was named president of the student body. Other freshman class officers include Ted Dye, Fort Worth, president; George Cochran, Fort Worth, vice-president; and Tex Harner, Cleburne, Council representative. The officers were elected for the fall semester at TCU. Miss Chapman was one of 31 students elected.

Fair Horse Show Winner Praises Local Association

In the recent Central West Texas Fair staged in Haskell, Fincher-Ingram of Albany, one of West Texas' leading breeders of fine horses, carried away first prize in one class of the Palomino section. The Albany concern this week sent the following letter to the fair association: Central West Texas Fair Ass'n., Haskell, Texas. Dear Sirs:

We received the check for \$75 prize money on the Palomino class since girlhood. Her husband preceded her in death a number of years ago.

We want to express our thanks for the check and assure you it is always a pleasure to be among you fine people.

We want to compliment also the nice business manner in which your horse show was run.

To each of you who had any part in the show we want to say again, Thank you.

Fincher-Ingram
Albany, Texas

Officers Named By Fair Directors

In a meeting of Central West Texas Fair Association directors Tuesday afternoon, officers and new directors for the association were named for the ensuing year. The group met in the Chamber of Commerce office. Selected to head the association again in 1947 was Courtney Hunt, who directed the recent fair to a successful conclusion. Other officers named were: R. C. Lowe, first vice president; John Fouts, second vice president; secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, secretary; and A. M. Turner, treasurer. New directors named by the association are Alfred Pierson, Turner, E. R. Lowe, Buster Shelton, Arlos Weaver and C. M. Conner. Holdover directors are J. B. Claiborne, Hubert Bell, Bill Wilson, Fred Jones, R. A. Lane, John E. Robison, Fouts, Lowe, Theron Cahill, John A. Couch, C. E. Smith, W. O. Holden, C. A. Thomas, C. E. Phelps and Hunt. Tentative dates set for next year's fair are September 30 through October 5.

FSA Officials at Mineral Wells Meet

John Cunningham, District Supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, R. C. Pope, County Supervisor, and Miss Edna Minick, County Home Supervisor of the FSA are this week attending a three day meeting in Mineral Wells. Purpose of the meeting is to change the name of the FSA and Emergency Feed and Seed Loan Association to Farmers Home Administration. Dellard B. Lassiter, the national director of FSA will be in charge of the meeting. He will also be on the radio during the Farmers Hour, Nov. 2 at 11:30 a. m. to discuss the change over of the association.

Strawn Producers Oil Interest on Two Near Completion

Early verdict on indicated discovery of a new oil pool in the Strawn sand, is expected as two operators this week were in the stages of completion of wells which would define potential territory extending from approximately six miles northeast to two miles north of Haskell. In Estes & Waggoner No. 1 Brustedt, two miles northeast, operators set pipe and perforated at 4060 feet in upper Strawn. After swabbing Monday, several barrels of high gravity oil were recovered. Mechanical troubles have delayed completion of the well, but operators expect to finish within ten days and have reportedly made location for an offset to the No. 1 Brustedt. Six miles northeast, the Thos. D. Humphrey No. 1 E. O. Chapman, in which operators set pipe at 4060 in Strawn sand, is due to be brought in this week after operators had re-cemented after first swabbing tests the latter part of last week. Chapman No. 2, twin well due to test Canyon around 2700 feet, is shut down at 2000 feet awaiting orders.

Prospective two-mile extension east of the Lawson Pool is the Thos. D. Humphrey No. 1 J. L. Collier, drilling below 2300 feet Thursday morning. Location is 1440 feet from the west and 660 feet from south lines of the J. L. Collier 160 acre tract in J. E. Ellis Survey, abstract 127.

Rites Held Saturday For H. S. Moore

H. S. Moore, 72, resident of Haskell since 1943, died at the family home in this city Thursday, October 24, at 4:40 p. m., after having been critically ill for more than a week. Mr. Moore was a native of Texas, born August 1, 1874 at Mountain Peak in Ellis County, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Moore. He had been a member of the Baptist Church since youth, and was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Knights Templar, was a 32nd Degree Mason and a Shriner.

Mr. Moore and Mrs. Mary Etta Lane of Galveston were married June 22, 1910, and later moved to Rotan where they resided for a number of years before moving to Haskell in 1943.

Immediate survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mary Etta Moore of Odessa; three daughters, Mrs. A. H. Kruse, Irac, Mrs. J. P. Robinson, Kemah, and Mrs. B. M. DeLoach, Snyder; two stepsons, Edwin C. Lane, Montgomery, Ala., and R. A. (Shady) Lane, Haskell; three sisters, Mrs. Charlie Askins and Mrs. Arthur Crume, Houston, Mrs. Walter Wright of Alvin; and three brothers, G. H. Moore, Alvin, R. H. Moore of Los Angeles, Calif., and Homer J. Moore of Houston. Eighteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral service for Mr. Moore was held at the First Baptist Church in this city Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, with the pastor, Rev. H. R. Whately conducting. Masonic honors were conferred at the graveside in Willow Cemetery with Holden Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Viars Felker, Virgil Sonnemaker, J. E. Walling Jr., Bob Herrin, Shelley Royall, Jack Whitaker, Belton Duncan and Alton Middleton.

Narcotic Thieves Hit Haskell Store

Burglars who gained entrance by forcing a back door in Payne Drug Company Saturday night or early Sunday morning, stole a quantity of narcotics from the store, principally codeine and morphine. The thieves broke a lock on the small cabinet in which the drugs were stored, investigating officers said. Nothing else was taken from the store, a check revealed. Sheriff Clifton said a transient couple was picked up Tuesday for questioning in connection with the theft, but were later released.

Mrs. Nell M. Royall Attends OES Session

Mrs. Nell M. Royall, Worthy Matron of the Haskell Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, was in Houston from October 21 through October 23 where she attended the 64th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. At this meeting Mrs. Hattie Lucille Dowell, Austin, was installed as Worthy Grand Matron, and Frank Phillips Canyon City, was installed as Worthy Grand Patron of the State of Texas. The Deputy Grand Matron of this district, district 2, will be Mrs. Pauline Smith, Amarillo, and the Deputy Grand Matron of Section 7 of District 2 will be Mrs. Willie Laura Howington, Abilene.

Congressional Committee Stops in Haskell for Cotton Setup Hearing

Football Sweetheart and Hero



Crowned "Football Sweetheart" and "Football Hero" during the half of the Haskell-Munday game are the two Haskell High School students pictured, Carolyn Turner and "Cotton" Foster. Coronation ceremonies climaxed campaign in the school for selection of the two favorites. Carolyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turner, and "Cotton" the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan E. Foster.

Indians Going To Albany This Week

Many followers of Haskell High School Indians think the locals have an excellent chance of breaking into the win column this week when they journey to Albany to take on the Lions of Albany High School. The two teams currently are holding the cellar position in District 11A, but season records point to a win for the Indians in this encounter.

Last week Albany was swamped by the Anson Tigers 53-0, a team that downed Haskell 18-0 in a game closer than the score indicates. At the same time Haskell was losing its fifth game of the season, Class B Rochester taking a thriller, 13-0. The Indians have one tie game on their record, a 6-6 affair with the Rule Bobcats.

Hamlin's Pied Pipers still are the class of District 11A, with no defeats in games that count. They are expected to dethrone Anson's Tigers, last year's title winners. The Pipers have improved with the season after a slow start against out-of-the-district competition in early games.

Several carloads of Haskell fans will follow the Indians to Albany for tomorrow night's game.

Three Fires Cause Only Slight Losses

Members of the fire department were called out on three alarms during the past week, but damage resulting from the fires was reported relatively small. Shortly after noon Saturday, firemen were called to extinguish a blaze in a garage at the home of Dr. J. G. Vaughter. Damage was reported negligible. Second alarm came Saturday night around 11 o'clock when a film being shown at the Rita Theatre caught fire. Blaze was confined to the projection room, where several hundred dollars damage was caused to equipment. Tuesday at noon fire department apparatus made a run to the C. G. Burson farm two miles northwest of town, where the gasoline tank of a farm tractor had caught fire and threatened to spread through a large barn. Workmen at the scene had extinguished the blaze when firemen arrived.

Haskell Indians To Attend McMurry Tilt

About 30 Haskell High School football players and their coaches, J. E. Berryhill and J. L. Alderdice will be in Abilene Saturday night for the football game between McMurry College and Austin College. The group will be guests of the Abilene school. Traveling in a school bus, the local players and coaches will return to Haskell immediately following the game.

Littlefield In Ranks Of 'Pro' Fishermen

This week's "big fish" story introduces a newcomer to the ranks of Haskell's disciples of Izaak Walton, with Neal Littlefield now claiming a place in the spotlight with Dean Richmond and Trav Arubuck. Littlefield, fishing last week at Phantom Lake near Abilene, landed a 20-pound yellow catfish while fishing for crappie. Others in the party were Postmaster J. M. Diggs and P. G. (Buck) Kendrick, who gave moral support and expert advice during Littlefield's 15-minute tussle in landing the big one on his light tackle.

County Farmers Express Views

A five-man congressional committee and a number of state and area men interested particularly in cotton legislation gathered in the district court room last Friday morning to get first-hand views of Haskell County farmers concerning congressional treatment of parities and acreage allotments in the future. The House agricultural subcommittee on cotton is making a tour of six southern states, making direct farmer-congress contact in a series of planned and informal meetings. Heading the congressional committee was Congressman Steve Pace of Georgia, chairman, author of the Pace parity bill. Other members of the committee were Congressmen W. R. Poage of Waco, T. G. Abernathy of Mississippi and George Grant of Alabama. Also with the group was Congressman George Mahon of this district. More than 100 Haskell County farmers, cotton buyers, ginners and others were in the court room for the hearing, which was conducted in open discussion round-table style by Chairman Pace. Ten Haskell County farmers, chosen as representatives of practically every section of the county, were called upon to discuss pros and cons of cotton legislation with the congressmen, and others were invited to enter the discussions. Cotton acreage control, parity payments, support prices, competitive products and how they could be dealt with, and other issues affecting the cotton industry from grower to manufacturer were discussed. Local farmers and others were unanimous in expressing their approval of congressional action on production of cotton, and were almost unanimous in their views as to how Congress should enact legislation. Answering informally Pace's queries as to whether or not Congress should enact support prices, acreage control, parity payments, and referendum vote on cotton issues, Haskell County farmers were enthusiastic in their approval. Only question asked by the committee on which local men did not have definite views was the solons' "64 dollar question," "What can we do to meet competition for cotton yields?" It was pointed out that at present manufacturers can purchase finished rayon for 26 cents per pound, whereas cotton costs them 44 cents per pound. Also here at the meeting were Congressman-elect Omar Burleson of Anson, Arthur Underwood, B. F. Vance, Howard Kingsbury and Dennis Poe of College Station, all with the Cotton Marketing Administration; R. J. Pettey of the National Cotton Council; Bob Johnson and Glen Huls of Stamford, W. S. Pope of Abilene and J. H. Warren of Anson. A Washington and a Fort Worth press representative also accompanied the congressmen and others were invited by Mayor John A. Couch and a welcoming committee to a luncheon at Warren's Drive Inn. About 35 attended.

Vocational School Instructors Attend Austin Conference

The first teacher-training conference for Texas distributive education instructors in veterans' training sponsored by the State Board for Vocational Education, Veterans' Education Division of Austin, was held last week in Austin, and was attended by two of the distributive education instructors of the Haskell County Vocational School. It was announced this week by J. Weidon Young, coordinator of the local school.

Instructors who attended, E. L. Tabor and Harold Spain, stated upon return to Haskell that the conference achieved immeasurable accomplishments. It was further stated that the conference rendered a real teacher-training service to instructors in the veterans' distributive education program and made it possible for those who attended to bring back to their schools, and put into actual practice in the classrooms and in various stores and shops where veterans train, a sound educational program in keeping with the policies as set forth by the state board for vocational education.

In reviewing the progress of the Haskell County Vocational School in Haskell and Stoneall Counties, Young stated that the success of the program as a whole was due largely to the realization by the people of these counties of the great need for this type of training, together with the splendid cooperation of the school's governing from the business men, farming people and the public in general.

Young further stated, in this connection, that any veteran interested in vocational agriculture, distributive education, or in training in trades and industries should communicate with or contact the Haskell County Vocational School office, which is located on the third floor of the courthouse in Haskell.

Charles B. Thornton Named Director in Ford Motor Setup

Appointment of Charles B. Thornton as director of the planning office of the newly-created planning and control division of the Ford Motor Company was announced recently by Henry Ford II, president. Mr. Thornton is the son of Mrs. A. J. Lewis of Lubbock and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis of this city. Reared here, he is a graduate of Haskell High School, and later attended Texas Technological College. Mr. Thornton's office will embrace activities related to organizational planning and development, analysis of current and future financial and operating programs and the review and interpretation of reports for management, Mr. Ford said. Mr. Thornton will serve under Lewis D. Cruse, recently named to head the new division. In World War II, Mr. Thornton, a colonel, served in an advisory capacity to General Henry H. (Hap) Arnold and Assistant Secretary of War Robert A. Lovett. He set up and operated a world-wide system of controls which governed the complex activities of the army air forces.

Haskell's Pet Skunk Takes on City Ways



Skunk had his daily exercise on the courthouse lawn, where interested, but cautious bystanders proffered bits of food then quickly got away. Because of "Pokey's" rapid growth, he soon became more bothersome to his owners than Mary's little lamb. With regret, the Humphreys gave their pet to the Fort Worth zoo several weeks ago. As inquisitive as ever in his new surroundings, "Pokey" is investigating the intricacies of a telephone on Keeper Hittson's desk at the Zoo.

New Farm Program Scheduled on Radio

Dillard B. Lasseter, Administrator of the Farmers' Home Administration, will broadcast on "The American Farmer" program of the ABC network Saturday, November 2, at 11:30 A. M., Central Standard Time.

He will be interviewed by Kenneth M. Gopen, Director of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Radio Service, and appearing with him, will be three or four FSA borrowers asking pertinent questions about the new program and policies.

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BOOKLET IS GUIDE TO SURPLUS PROPERTY

Copies of a pocket size, informative booklet titled "Veterans—Your Guide to Surplus Property" is now being distributed by the Fort Worth WAA office. Copies have been distributed to all contact offices of the Veterans' Administration, county service offices and service officers of all veteran organizations. Individual copies may be had by writing War Assets Administration, T&P Building, Fort Worth.

This will be the day after the FHA program becomes effective on November 1, taking over functions of the Farm Security Administration and the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Division of the Farm Credit Administration, so what Mr. Lasseter has to say will be particularly timely.

State Officials Join In Endorsing Road Amendment Vote

Most of the state's highest officials had placed their stamp of approval on the Good Roads Constitutional Amendment. Tuesday, October 22 as the list of endorsements began to mount during the last two weeks before the November 5 General Election.

Governor Coke Stevenson and Democratic Nominee for Governor, Beauford Jester, led the parade of supporters of the Amendment. Governor Stevenson asserted, "From my study of road building problems, I am convinced that the Good Roads Amendment should be adopted on November fifth," while the nominee for his office, Jester, proclaimed that adoption of the measure "will establish a sound financial policy upon which our road planning agencies may base their plans."

John S. Redditt, Chairman, Texas Highway Commission, issued a statement declaring, "It is my firm and considered belief as a citizen and as chairman of the highway commission, that the passage of this amendment is to the best interest of all Texans, and for that reason, I am for it and advocate its passage."

Pointing out the fact that the Good Roads Amendment will continue allocation of one-fourth of the gasoline tax for the Available School Fund under constitutional protection, Dr. L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, explained it will also assure the availability of funds with which many miles of all-weather roads for school bus routes will be constructed.

"Adoption of the Good Roads Amendment will establish a sound system of road financing that will result in more and better roads for the people of Texas," Senator Allan Shivers, Democratic Nominee for Lieutenant Governor stated in his endorsement.

"Before our road building agencies can plan with certainty," Price Daniel, Democratic Nominee for Attorney General, expressed in a letter backing the measure, "They must be assured that our road funds will be protected. This amendment will give that protection and insure an orderly development of both state and farm-to-market roads."

The president of the Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association, Judge Sid J. Caillavet, charged that the amendment will make no changes in existing allocation of road user taxes. "It will simply give these agencies a guarantee that road funds will be available as anticipated," he said.

Claude H. Gilmer, Speaker of the House of Representatives, asserted that it is essential so that road funds will always be available for the purpose for which they were originally created while J. E. McDonald, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, claimed the economic status of the Texas farmer depends to a great extent upon the type of road to which he has access.

"I feel that, if passed, the Good Roads Amendment will be the greatest step forward in the development of the road system of the State of Texas," D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, stated. Among other strong endorsers of the amendment are: Judge Jeff

Middle Life Ailments On Increase, Says State Health Officer

From a health standpoint, life after forty begins to be more complicated for the average individual, than it was in his earlier years. According to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, the principal health foes confronting people in middle life are heart disease, cancer, kidney disease, high blood pressure, hardening of the arteries, apoplexy, diabetes, and arthritis.

Middle aged people of today are healthier than were those of preceding generations, and the present generation, when they reach middle age, should enjoy even better health than their parents of today.

Medical care in middle life has two important phases. The first is going to the doctor at regular intervals for a complete physical checkup, whether or not there have been symptoms that suggest the need for medical attention. The second is prompt attention to any illness which may mean the difference between prompt recovery and continued poor health and prolonged invalidism. "It is difficult to say which of these phases is the more important."

It has been found that men and women who faithfully pursue the habit of regular health examinations and who follow the advice arising from them tend to live longer, more satisfactorily, and freer from disease than those who simply take a chance and go to the doctor only when pain or disability forces them to give up their normal activities.

It is also a fact that many diseases of middle age respond to treatment in early stages whereas if neglected until later stages they often cause permanent invalidism and even death.

Good advice for persons over forty is that they have regular physical examinations and obtain prompt medical attention for any and all illnesses.

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The Fort Worth WAA office has thousands of watch-type compasses available to all qualified purchasers. Small dealers may buy as few as 100; large retailers and wholesalers a minimum of 1000. Prices to small dealers are \$1.15; to large retailers \$1.09 and to wholesalers, 86 cents.

The Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946 authorizes Veterans Administration to accept "terminal leave" bonds in lieu of cash for the payment of premiums on all forms of National Service Life Insurance.

It was Will Rogers who said that "everything is funny as long as it is happening to somebody else."

D. Stinson, Judge W. S. Barron, Fred Knetsch, member of the State Highway Commission, Julian Montgomery, State Highway Engineer, 1937-1940, and Reuben Williams, member of the State Highway Commission.



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"Meet Me at the Drive Inn" Is Slogan of Haskell Diners

When Mr. and Mrs. Claude Warren and son, Willard, opened Warren's Drive Inn in a beautiful new stucco building on the Stamford highway last month, Haskell people gave them a royal welcome. The Warrens have long been popular cafe people here, and the Drive Inn gave Haskell one of the most modern and complete cafes in this section of the state.

Catering to fancy foods and drinks at prices not too fancy, the Warren family soon was entertaining not only couples and foursomes who wanted to enjoy a light snack or a good meal, but was arranging dinners and banquets for clubs and other large groups of people. A banquet room adequate for entertaining a large group of diners lends privacy for formal affairs, and Haskell people have taken advantage of Warren's fine foods in a friendly atmosphere by reserving the banquet room for various gatherings.

"Pop" Warren has many friends in Haskell's business district who hated to see him and his wife and son move to the location off the square. But it wasn't long until folks began driving out to the new place—even if they just wanted a coke or a cup of coffee.

Complete fountain service plus tops in good cooking have paid off for the new Drive Inn, and the Warrens invite their friends to come out and see them in the new building. There's plenty of parking space for those who want curb service, and a corps of experienced waitresses is ready to take orders whether folks like to dine inside or in their cars.

When planning a party for two or two dozen, appointments can be made by phoning 36—and you and your guests are assured a friendly reception and the finest foods at Warren's.

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NEW VA HOSPITAL IS PLANNED AT MARLIN

A 200-bed general medical and surgical hospital at Marlin, Tex., was among 13 new Veterans Administration hospitals approved last week by President Truman. This brings the total of new VA hospitals planned for the Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi area to ten. Additions to existing installations also are planned.

New hospitals previously announced will be erected at New Orleans and Shreveport, La.; Big Spring, Bonham, Dallas, El Paso and Houston, Texas; and Tupelo, Miss. Another hospital will be built in Mississippi at a site to be selected later.

Inhabitants of Alaska and Northern Canada use the caribou for a work animal.

Whooping Cough Warning Issued by State Health Officer

AUSTIN, Tex. — Inasmuch as the incidence of whooping cough in Texas is expected to show an increase during the coming months Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, released a statement today urging that strenuous efforts be made to control the spread of this debilitating childhood disease.

"Whooping cough can only be contracted by direct exposure to the disease, and isolation of cases must be universally practiced if the incidence is to be controlled," Dr. Cox stated.

"The infectious agent or germ of whooping cough is transmitted



QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. Does the amount of money I make on the job affect the amount of subsistence I receive while attending school under Public Law 346?

A. Yes. While taking a full time course in school, you are entitled to subsistence of \$65 per month if without a dependent or dependents and \$90 per month if you have a dependent or dependents but if you also are employed, the rate of such allowance plus compensation received, shall not exceed \$175 per month if you are without a dependent or dependents or \$200 a month if with dependent or dependents.

Q. I sold my home on which I had a G. I. loan with a VA guarantee of \$1500. Can I get another guaranteed loan to purchase a larger home for myself?

A. Yes, but since you've used up \$1500 of your \$4000 guarantee entitlement, your entitlement on any future real estate loan cannot exceed \$2500.

Q. Does a discharge "under conditions other than dishonorable" mean any kind of discharge except a dishonorable discharge?

A. Yes. An honorable discharge or discharge under honorable conditions qualifies a veteran for benefits under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G. I. Bill); a dishonorable discharge disqualifies him, but a discharge that is neither honorable or dishonorable may qualify or disqualify him, depending upon the determination of the "conditions" under which he receives it. Veterans Administration determines all such cases.

Q. What is the National Service Life Insurance Fund?

A. National Service Life Insurance is mutual insurance. All premiums paid on this insurance and all interest earned thereon are deposited and covered into a separate trust fund in the United States Treasury designated as the NSLI fund. The Government derives no profit from its administration and acts in the capacity of trustee of the fund for the sole benefit of the policyholders and their beneficiaries.

by droplets expelled in coughing, sneezing, or speaking," Dr. Cox said. "The discharges from the nose and throat are dangerous to susceptible persons; the need for early recognition and careful isolation of whooping cough is obvious."

The first sign of this disease is usually a dry cough, which persists day and night and tends to become increasingly severe. The disease is fully developed when vomiting of food and whooping accompany the paroxysm of cough. Dr. Cox stressed the fact that children who have whooping cough should not attend school or come in contact with other children until three weeks after the appearance of typical signs of the disease.

"Prevention and control of whooping cough, especially among infants and small children, may be accomplished through use of approved vaccine and convalescent serum," Dr. Cox asserted, "and it is important that such

Dr. Walker B. Healy Presbyterian Hour Speaker for Sunday

Dr. Walker B. Healy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Hot Springs, Arkansas, will be the speaker on the Presbyterian Hour next Sunday morning, November 3, at 7:30 a. m., over an independent network of southeastern radio stations.

Dr. Healy was born in Lynchburg, Virginia, and took his col-



Walker B. Healy

lege work at Lynchburg College. He was graduated from Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia, in 1935, and has first post was that of assistant pastor and director of religious education in the First Presbyterian Church of Houston, Texas. From there he went to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Monticello, Arkansas, and a few years ago began his present work at Hot Springs.

The subject of Dr. Healy's address will be "Better Homes for a Better World."

This radio broadcast can be heard in Haskell over radio station WFAA, Dallas.

ATTEND WEDDING IN LUBBOCK

Misses Louise Newman, Jean Conner, Sue Pate, and La Vera Riley attended the wedding of Arline Birdwell and Bernard Phelps in Lubbock Saturday.

measures be taken to protect them. Neglecting to do so, and allowing the young child to suffer an attack of this disease, may seriously impair his future health."

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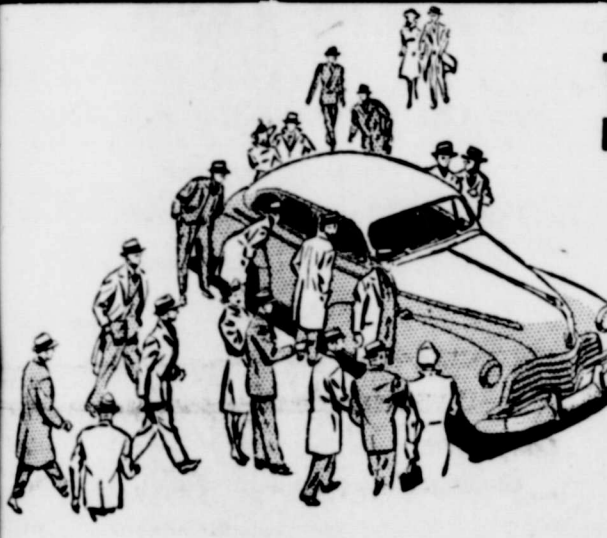
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Courtney Hunt—Fair President

Much has been said in recent weeks about who was most responsible for the success of this year's Central West Texas Fair, which marked a return to this section of a first-class country fair after a four-year suspension because of the war. This year's fair exceeded the fondest hopes of most folks interested in the project, both in displays and attendance.

The man at the helm of fair activities was Fair Association President Courtney Hunt. He gave several weeks of his time and efforts almost exclusively to fair interests, as well as a goodly outlay of cash and materials. He adopted the policy of getting things done right, and when those chosen to carry out certain duties failed to do them, Mr. Hunt usually did the job himself.

Courtney Hunt was not paid for work done in connection with the fair, except in criticism and a very little praise. Men who did nothing or very little toward supporting the fair in Haskell reaped as much or more benefit therefrom in dollars and cents than Hunt or his co-workers did. The president gave his time and talents and money for an outstanding fair because he believes in Haskell and surrounding territory and feels his obligations as a citizen here. He has firm convictions that those who make this their home owe something to Haskell in expressions of community service.

Anyone who does as much as Courtney Hunt did in seeing that the fair was successful is more readily criticized for what he does and does not do than praised for what he does. Mr. Hunt asked no praise nor pay and expected little; but the community and area owe him a vote of confidence and gratitude for his tireless efforts in promoting a fair that meant much in community spirit and dollars and cents. His was a job well done.

Why the Increased Subscription Price?

Although your editor became an expert, and complete master, of the art of griping in the army, please Mr. Subscriber, don't think that's what we are doing now. We just want to give you our picture of why the Advance subscription rate has been advanced this week. Our troubles, we know, are insignificant compared with those of numerous other businesses.

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Secondly, because although the Advance subscription rate has remained the same, prices on paper upon which the Advance is printed has gone up \$24 per ton in the last year, and

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Anyway, that's the picture from our viewpoint. In the army they had a phrase for it—
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Something for the Teachers

To improve the morale of teachers, elevate their economic standing, insure professional stability, and place before the public facts and viewpoints that will lead to an intelligent appreciation of the teachers' contribution to the general welfare is the goal set by the Texas Teachers Welfare Association, which has made application for charter under the laws of Texas, as a non-profit general welfare corporation, and has launched statewide membership and educational campaigns.

Immediate aim of this organization of teachers is to enlist the support of every teacher in the public schools of Texas, the 254 county superintendents, and the thousands of school trustees, to bring about an increase in the annual pay of teachers. Minimum pay of \$2,400 a year for teachers with college degrees is to be sought.

To inform parents and school patrons of the sad plight into which the public school system of Texas has fallen as thousands of highly trained and experienced teachers desert the classroom for better paying and more attractive jobs, the Texas Teachers Welfare Association is conducting a statewide campaign for members among the more than 44,000 public school teachers and county superintendents. Its educational campaign to inform the public of the facts about the public schools and the poorly paid teachers is being carried out at the same time.

The alarming condition now faced by rural schools, with more than 17 per cent of teaching jobs in country schools unfilled and more than 12 per cent of all teaching jobs in the state vacant, is due entirely to the inadequate pay for teachers, the association declares. Pay of the average teacher in Texas is less than \$100 a month. The untrained day laborer earns more. Even lawn mowing is more profitable than teaching.

Texas must do something for its teachers immediately if the public school system is to be saved.

HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—Oct. 28, 1926

Officers over a wide section of Texas are searching for the slayer or slayers of City Nightwatchman J. K. Beauchamp, who was killed Saturday night when he surprised a burglar or burglars in the Davis Economy Store. The slaying is believed to have occurred around midnight or after, and was not discovered until Sunday morning. A reward of \$2500 has been offered for apprehension of the slayers.

J. F. DeWoody of Prescott, Ark., has purchased the S. A. Moser confectionery on the north side. Mary Kimbrough, who is attending Simmons University, Abilene, spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough.

A. Robertson of the Pleasant Valley community was seriously injured last Saturday when a team he was driving to a row binder became frightened and ran away.

Mr. Isbell, who operates a truck line between Munday and Stamford, was held up and robbed early Saturday morning near Weibert by two men and a woman.

Texas & Pacific Railroad has filed application with the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to extend the Cisco & Northeastern railroad to Throckmorton.

O. E. Patterson and R. C. Montgomery attended the State Bankers Convention in Dallas this week.

40 Years Ago—Nov. 3, 1906

The Farmers National Bank moved this week into their new building on the northeast corner of the square. Modern new fixtures, including a fire and burglar-proof vault, have been installed.

J. U. Fields and Henry Alexander made a business trip to Seymour the first of the week. A reality company of Houston is investigating the possibility of securing sufficient farming lands in this county to establish a German and Swede colony.

Rev. J. J. Pounds has sold his farm in the Marcy neighborhood and will move to New Mexico. Dr. C. L. Terrell went to market the early part of this week to select and purchase a stock of holiday goods.

Gus Grusenford was in town Tuesday and told the reporter that he had out 17 bales of cotton and had about thirty more to pick. He says he has a force that can pick 2,000 pounds a day.

J. E. Burt has finished laying concrete sidewalks in front of the new buildings on the south side of the square.

Several couples of Haskell young people visited at Rule last Sunday, among them being Will Brewer and Miss Hazel Hudson, Arthur Brewer and Miss Annie Ellis, T. C. Cahill and Miss Arney Houston, Ollie Henderson and Miss Vera Neathery.

50 Years Ago—Nov. 7, 1896

In the general election held Tuesday, successful candidates for the various offices were: District Attorney, C. H. Steele; County Judge, J. M. Baldwin; County Attorney, J. E. Wilfong; County and District Clerk, G. R. Couch; Sheriff and Tax Collector, W. B. Anthony; Tax Assessor, H. S. Post; Treasurer, Jasper Milholton; County Surveyor, J. A. Fisher; Commissioner, Prec. 1, J. W. Evans; Prec. 2, B. H. Owens; Prec. 3, T. E. Ballard; Prec. 4, J. M. Perry.

Will Hills came near a serious accident Thursday night. He was in a carriage driving a spirited team, going to bring a bridal party to the church, when in turning a corner, he ran against a post and shattered a wheel. A runaway was only averted by the doubletree breaking and releasing the team, which he succeeded in holding.

Several complaints have been heard recently about the activities of a night-prowling window-peeker, and from the tenor of opinion expressed, the guilty person is in a fair way to get the top of his head shot off if he persists in his annoying practice.

Veterans' Insurance Holders Urged to Name Beneficiaries

The Veterans Administration this week urged veterans who have National Service Life Insurance to designate beneficiaries for their insurance if they have not already done so.

Don Pray, VA's director of insurance in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, explained that the Insurance Act of 1946 completely changed the situation with respect to beneficiaries. The old provision for an automatic order of succession, in the event no beneficiary was named, is no longer in effect for insurance maturing after July 31, 1946.

Under the new law, Pray said, if the insured is not survived by a designated beneficiary, the insurance proceeds will be paid in a single sum to his estate at his death.

A veteran who does not designate beneficiaries exposes his dependents to the risk of unnecessary expense and delay, Pray pointed out.

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Joyce Cooper of A. C. C., Abilene, spent Sunday here with her folks.

Mrs. Clyde Harrow and children of Haskell visited relatives here Thursday.

David McCombs of Rotan spent last week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hancock.

Pete Huntsman and family spent last Sunday in Lubbock with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salzman were in Dallas last week purchasing new merchandise for their store here.

Mrs. J. W. Rayburn of Piquette, Miss., is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Austin and Miss Willie May Browning of Aspermont were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Reeves Sunday.

Miss Fern Alvis of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Alvis.

Mr. Hassanille and children, Samia and Fred, who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salzman, left Monday for their home in Mexico City.

Mrs. J. M. Hicks has as guests in her home this week Mrs. Ted Goller and children from East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Worley and Mrs. M. L. Goodson and little grandson Dicky Goodson from Abilene spent last Sunday in Rochester with relatives.

Martin Teague has completed his concrete garage across from the high school.

Beverly Roberson of Sweetwater visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Roberson last week.

Hap Smith is visiting relatives in Dallas this week and taking a vacation from his drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Goodson of Manitou Springs, Colo., came Tuesday to visit her mother, Mrs. J. M. Hicks.

Mrs. J. H. Parsons, Allen Bell and Earl Alvis were shopping in Abilene last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins spent several days last week in Knox City with their son, Joe Watkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett and little daughter Patsy and

Benefits of Roads Amendment Cited By Safety Official

Texans should know that passage of the Good Roads Constitutional Amendment on November 5 means more than construction and maintenance of modern highways. A. F. Allen, president of the Texas Safety Association declared in Austin this week as he announced a "get-out-the-vote" campaign among Association members.

"Passage if the amendment will insure availability of funds for adequate highway patrol protection for the people of Texas who are paying for it already through gasoline taxes," Allen said.

"Not only are the people entitled to modern highways but even more are they entitled to patrol protection from the drunk drivers, speed demons and other irresponsible characters that daily menace highways."

"Since 1930, traffic accidents in Texas have claimed the lives of 27,161 persons according to the accident records of the Texas Department of Public Safety. This means an average of more than one white cross to each mile of our 26,900 miles of state highways."

"This tragic and needless loss of life is almost double the toll of Army personnel from Texas during four years of World War II."

"In 1930, the Texas Highway Patrol was organized with a force of fifty men. Today, sixteen years and 27,161 deaths later, Texas has only 250 highway patrolmen to protect her citizens over a highway system greater than the earth's circumference."

"Today, the Texas Highway Patrol ranks 38th nationally in the number of patrolmen per 100 rural vehicle deaths."

"The first step toward remedying the situation through an increased Highway Patrol lies in a favorable vote for the amendment November 5."

Allen said that endorsement of the need for an increased patrol had been given in conference between the Texas Highway Commission, the Texas Public Roads Association, and the Texas Safety Association.

VISIT IN JOHNSTON
Mrs. Jim Dillard of Haskell visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of this city last week while their husbands were hunting and fishing trip in Sycana, Texas.

We understand that the New York wouldn't even be in camp if it had been on.

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LOST: Sagerton class ring, 1947, at Haskell football game. Notify Marcus Mathis, Sagerton.

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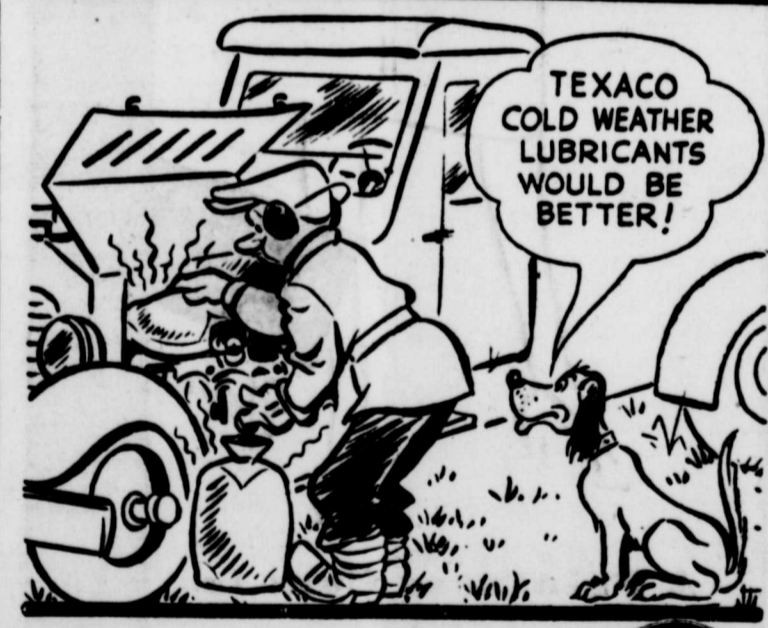
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A new variety of rust resistant soft red winter wheat called Austin wheat has become so popular since its first distribution to Central Texas growers in 1942 that an estimated one million acres were grown in 1946. Outstanding desirable characteristics of Austin as compared with older commercial varieties are its high resistance to leaf and stem rust and to loose smut.

Austin wheat was developed from a cross of Mediterranean, a soft red winter wheat of desirable milling and baking characteristics, and Hope, a rust resistant spring wheat by E. S. McFadden

and J. M. Atkins, agronomists at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

This new variety has been included in nursery plant variety tests at the Denton substation since 1937. It was seriously damaged in 1943 by a late spring freeze when old standard varieties were not damaged. However, except for the 1943 season, it has outyielded Denton and other Mediterranean strains every year. It has done well in tests of wheat at Temple, College Station, and Beeville. It is recommended for the Central Texas area from Fort Worth and Dallas southward to the Gulf Coast area of the State.

Austin wheat has milling and baking qualities similar to those of its Mediterranean parent. It has a slightly lower flour yield than Mediterranean. The protein content was equal to Mediterranean and the ash content lower, which is desirable. In baking trials, Austin made better cookies but slightly poorer cakes. In bread making tests, Austin was slightly lower in absorption and in loaf volume, but both varieties baked acceptable bread.

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Lone Star Makes Local Statements On Gas Franchise

M. L. Bird of Abilene, district superintendent for Lone Star Gas Company, represented his company before the City Council here in last week's hearings on proposals of a new gas franchise in Haskell.

Mr. Bird told the councilmen he felt sure they did not intend to take any action that would be harmful to Lone Star Gas Company or any other business concern of long and dependable standing in Haskell, and suggested that they take into account important factors before granting a franchise to a competitive gas distribution system here. These were:

Insist that rates for gas service be as represented in the proposal for a franchise by taking into consideration the quality of gas to be furnished by the franchise applicant.

Insist that every present gas user in Haskell be afforded the opportunity of gas service from the new competing company at its proposed cheaper rate so no consumer would be discriminated against.

Bird explained that this would mean the laying of service lines and other gas service facilities by the Trapp interests to match those now maintained by Lone Star Gas Company. He said a recent test to determine the heat content of gas taken from the Lawson oil pool showed it to be 35 per cent less than the heat content of gas now served Haskell and other towns in this area by Lone Star.

Ordinarily, Bird declared, competitive gas service operations in a town haven't proven to be beneficial to the public, as the result generally is a higher cost of service to the customer. For instance, both companies obviously cannot hold all consumers; this lowers the return on each investment and it could become necessary for one or both companies to raise gas rates and pass the increase on to the customers.

Mr. Bird recited the history of Lone Star Gas Company in Haskell, pointing out that the company began operations here in 1936 after purchasing the local gas distribution interests.

"Due to the limited business on our lines in this section of the country," he said, "the company operated at a loss in this territory. However, during recent years our business has expanded. This is due to the growth of Haskell and other towns in this area and the matching of this growth by Lone Star in extending distribution lines and other facilities to make available dependable gas service which Haskell and other Lone Star points have enjoyed for many years."

He outlined Lone Star's 37 years of experience as a production, transmission and distribution company which now serves more than 200 cities and towns in Texas and

SPEND WEEK END IN WACO

Mrs. Opal Richey and her sister Mrs. E. D. Engleman of Spur accompanied Misses Pat Harrison, Catherine Davis, and Eddie Bess Fouts to Waco the past week-end to visit Mrs. Richey's daughter Jane, a student in Baylor University.

CARD OF THANKS

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Oklahoma. Bird pointed out that Lone Star pioneered long-distance transmission of natural gas in this section of country and today "Lone Star's gas service facilities are backed up by 1,200 wells in 75 separate and distinct fields in widely scattered sections of Texas and Oklahoma. We are constantly seeking new sources of gas production, although our present reserves are adequate for several generations. And we are prepared to furnish uninterrupted gas service to Haskell and all other Lone Star points under all conditions short of a general disaster."

Land for Veterans Faces Ratification In November 7 Vote

Passed by the Legislature un-animously and approved by the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the 36th Division and the State Democratic Convention, a Constitutional Amendment making it possible for Texas veterans to purchase farm and ranch homes from the State, faces ratification by the voters on Thursday, November 7, two days after the general election.

Over 5,000 Texas veterans have already expressed a desire to participate in the program in letters addressed to Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Under the plan the State would put some 10,000 tracts located in every sector of the State on sale to the veterans for as little as 10 per cent down with 40 years to pay the balance at 4 per cent interest. The tracts would range from 50-acre farms to 2,500-acre ranches with a maximum purchase price of \$5,000.

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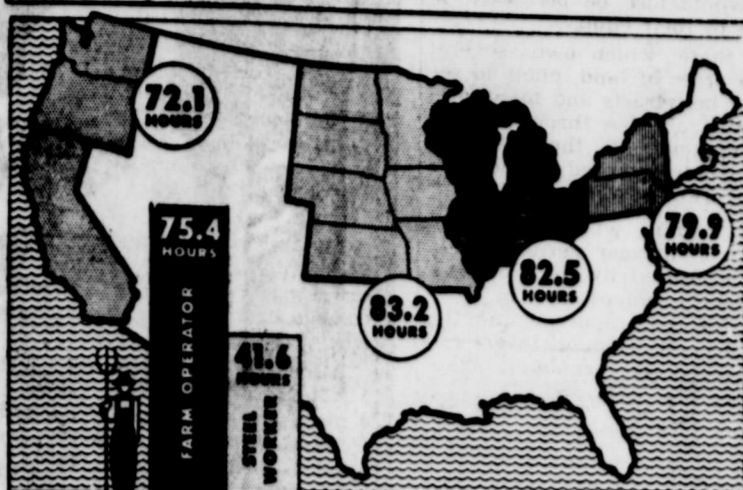
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New Cover Crop Is Boosted as Farmers Work Together

The pattern of fall planting is changing in this locality. The encroachment of such crops as hairy vetch, Austrian winter peas, abuzzi and balboa rye, speltz, fall seeded clovers and alfalfa has created a variation from the usual cropping of small grain.

Machinery, adapted to handling the legumes and accompanying phosphate is very scarce if not unavailable, however, this handicap is being overcome by the substitution of equipment already on hand. Cooperation between farmers planting these crops has alleviated the situation as the fertilizer distributors and drills were moved from one farm to another.

Several cooperators of the California Creek Soil Conservation District have already planted their soil building crops. Others still plan to make trial plantings by the middle of this month. J. M. Ashcroft recently planted 2,400 pounds of winter peas and had enough super phosphate to cover 25 acres of these with 200 pounds per acre.

Lee McCaleb planter 10 acres of hairy vetch and abuzzi rye, and 50 pounds of winter peas on his farm south of Anson. This planting was made the last week in September and phosphate was applied in amounts varying from 400 pounds per acre to none. This being one of the first plantings in this conservation group, several came to observe the work. Among those visiting the project were H. C. Stanley, Jones County Agricultural Agent; Geo. Von Roeder, Farm Security Administration Supervisor; and Morrison W. Liston, Work Unit Conservationist of Soil Conservation Service. Fay H. Gooch, Conservation Aid with the Service assisted McCaleb and Alvis Cox in the operations.

O. D. Cox planted 30 acres of vetch and rye and five acres of peas. He distributed 3,800 pounds of phosphate in preparation for the plantings. Otis Miller planted 38 acres of vetch and rye on his farm in the Funston conservation group. Phosphate was applied at the rate of 100 and 200 pounds per acre.

Others planting legumes are E. O. Nauer, 400 pounds of winter peas; A. C. Braun, 2 1-2 acres of alfalfa; and Bruce Taylor, 13 acres of peas. Taylor's peas are already up to a good stand. Otis Miller recently planted approximately eleven acres of weeping lovegrass. Mel Barkley also planted this grass on three acres of his farm in the New Light group. The district assisted in

MR. AND MRS. BOB COUSINS PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cousins of this city are the parents of a daughter, Judith Bruille, born Oct. 23 in Haskell County Hospital. Mrs. Cousins is the former Sibly King of this city. Grandparents are Mrs. G. B. King of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Al Cousins of Walsh, Colo.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY AT EAST SIDE CHURCH

The East Side Baptist Church will entertain with a Sunday School rally on Thursday night, November 7th on the church grounds. All members of the church and anyone who is not attending Sunday School elsewhere is cordially invited to attend this hour of fellowship with us.

These plantings and also furnished a portion of the seed.

Weinert Sophomores Have Party Friday

The Sophomore Class of Weinert High School had a party Friday night October 25, in the high school building. Those present were: Novalene Redwine, Buddy Walker, Patsy Ann Childress, Eunice Hutchinson, Elbert Owens, Lucille Toliver, Wayland Chandler, Joe Mac Hill, Anna Mae Adams, Etta Jean Oman, Leroy Hix, James Dale Smith, Dale Jones, Cogdell Mayfield, Jolene Williams, Nadine Weinert, Maudie Lou Howard, Nell Mansker, Margaret Free, Dorothy Cypert, Wilma Tuggle, Melrose, Shelby, Marlene, Marylegh Whitfield, and the sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Whitfield.

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Couple Honored on 36th Wedding Date

All the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas were present in their home for a dinner honoring them on their 36th wedding anniversary and also their daughter, Mrs. Bill Cole and Mr. Cole of Plano, on their first wedding anniversary.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, Clyde, Clois, and Christine; Mr. and Mrs. Adell Thomas, Bill and Mary; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bass, Jean, Sandra, and Jerry; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Mills and Ronnie; Clifford and Lewis Thomas and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cole.

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Baptist Circles Have Joint Meeting

The Maybelle and Matron Circles met in a joint meeting Monday Oct. 21 at 3 o'clock in the Naomi classroom.

With the Circle leader in charge the meeting opened by singing "Ready" and "Footprints of Jesus" led by Mrs. Whatley, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Lanier.

Mrs. Quattlebaum lead in prayer and Mrs. Cass gave a book reading on Stewardship, emphasizing the meaning and principles of stewardship.

A short business meeting was held and the following ladies will furnish cookies for the Sunbeams on the dates specified: Mrs. Charlie Quattlebaum, Monday, October 28; Mrs. Walter Rodgers, Monday Nov. 4; Mrs. Emmett Starr, Monday Nov. 11; Mrs. S. E. Lanier, Monday Nov. 18; Mrs. Calvin Wheeler, Monday, Nov. 25.

Mrs. Whatley dismissed with prayer. Members present were: Mesdames John Fouts, Roy O'Neal, E. B. Calloway, Walter Rodgers, H. F. Whatley, Chas. Quattlebaum, Emmett Starr, Ed Cass, S. E. Lanier, John E. Robison, Calvin Wheeler and Jess Josselet.

VISIT IN ABILENE Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sellers spent Sunday in Abilene visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Steele.

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NEWS OF INTEREST to WOMEN

South Ward P-TA In Thursday Meeting

The South Ward P-T. A. met Thursday October 24 at 3 p. m. with the president, Mrs. Lillian Townsend presiding.

After the house was called to order, Mrs. Curtis Pennington chose "America" and directed our sing-song, with Miss P'Pooler at the piano. The sixth grade, directed by Mrs. Stone, gave a short program called "October" and each child told of some famous persons' birthday, or the happenings of events in the month of October.

We were happy to have our principal, Mrs. L. R. Burkett, to speak at our meeting, and her topic was "Laying a Cornerstone." She discussed five ways, the necessary ingredients to insure success in laying a cornerstone:

- 1. Straight thinking. 2. Appreciation for beauty. 3. Desire for information. 4. The Initiative. 5. Respect for others.

We feel as if we started off our P-T. A. with a bang this year. Plans for our Halloween Carnival were discussed and eighty-one members paid their dues for the year. After the room count was taken, the second grade won, having the most mothers present. Don't forget our next meeting will be Nov. 28 at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Bill Fouts as director. The program will be by the first and second grades, on Giving Thanks. Visitors are always welcome.

Dennis Chapel Club Hears Book Review

Mrs. C. C. Childress was hostess at a tea and book review at her home when Mrs. Clyde Taylor of Munday reviewed "The Snake Pit" by Mary Jane Ward for members of the Dennis Chapel Home Demonstration Club October 22.

Miss Eunice Hutchinson and Miss Novaline Redwine presided at the guest registry. At the tea table, centered with bronze chrysanthemums and tapers, Miss Patsey Childress and Miss Jackie Sue Walker served.

Guests present were Mrs. Eddie Sanders, Mrs. John Therwanger, Mrs. Jack Walker, Mrs. B. F. Redwine, Mrs. Guy Marshall, Mrs. Robert Hutchinson, Mrs. Bill King, Mrs. Clyde Walker, and Miss Louise Newman.

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Arline Birdwell, Bernard Phelps Married in Lubbock Saturday

Arline Birdwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Birdwell of Lubbock and Bernard Phelps of Haskell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley E. Phelps, were married Saturday.



MRS. PHELPS Photo By Zetma

The wedding breakfast was held at the home of Mrs. Phelps. The bride wore a white gown with a three-tiered wedding cake.

The Rev. Jeff D. Welsh, pastor of the Central Baptist Church in Lubbock, read the double ring ceremony in front of a mantle decorated with Calla lilies and ferns.

LaVera Riley of Rotan was maid of honor and Virgil Meadors, Jr., of Haskell, was best man. Jean Conner of Haskell sang "O Promise Me" and "Because" and the traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Paul Sims of Midland who also played Clar de Lune during the ceremony.

The bride wore an original creation of emerald green satin with gold sequins belt and hat. She wore pearls belonging to her mother and carried a nosegay of yellow roses. Miss Riley wore an earth brown crepe dress with dark brown velvet hat and other accessories in brown. Her shoulder corsage was white carnations. Both the mothers of the bride and bridegroom wore black crepe dresses with red rosebud corsages.

encircled by fern and dwarf chrysanthemums. Assisting with the serving were Mrs. Ray Brown of Rotan and Mrs. Bill Keeney of Lubbock, sisters of the bride, and Mrs. E. W. Cox of Hamlin, sister of the bridegroom.

For a wedding trip, the bride wore an earth brown gabardine suit and matching felt hat. She wore a corsage of yellow rosebuds on her pink scarf. After a honeymoon in New Orleans, the couple will live in Haskell. The bride teacher of Home Economics in Haskell High School and Mr. Phelps is assistant manager of Phelps Ice and Locker Plant.

The bride was honored at a number of pre-nuptial parties. LaVera Riley hosted a dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Riley in Rotan. Mrs. Lon McMillen and Mrs. Dennis Ratliff gave a luncheon in Haskell. Ruth Merriman, Mrs. Parr Merriman, Mrs. Eliel Archiella and Mrs. Ben Casey were hosts for a gift tea in Lubbock and Mrs. James Vickery and Mrs. Chestey Rampey hosted a breakfast.

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Royal Sunday School Class Has Social

The Royal Sunday School Class and teachers of the First Christian Church were entertained Friday night in the home of Mrs. J. M. Collins, by Modette Collins, assisted by Mrs. Courtney Hunt and Mrs. George William Fouts.

Mrs. Paul Roberts, president, had charge of the brief business session, which was opened by discussion and a song "It Pays to Serve Jesus Every Step of the Way." Mrs. George Fouts read a prayer "I Thank You God." Mrs. Courtney Hunt and Mrs. Loyd Alderdice furnished music throughout the evening.

Games of 42 and a Bible Quiz were enjoyed, prize going to Mrs. Courtney Hunt, which she "donated" to the class.

Attractive refreshment plates carrying out the special Halloween motif, with pumpkin plate flavors were served to: Mrs. Paul Roberts, Mrs. Pauline Pittman, Mrs. George W. Fouts, Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Miss Mae Fields, Mrs. Henry Atkinson, Mrs. Dennis Ratliff, Mrs. A. L. Crandall, Mrs. Lon McMillin, Mrs. Loyd Alderdice, Mrs. George Neely, Mrs. Ione Menefee, the hostess and her mother.

The next meeting will be hosted by Mrs. Dennis Ratliff, Mrs. Shelby Royal, and Mrs. Jack Whitaker.

Mrs. Denney Hostess To WSCS Monday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Monday October 21st at the home of Mrs. E. H. Denney, with Mrs. C. A. Williams as co-hostess.

The president, Mrs. A. H. Wair, conducted a short business session. Mrs. Ada Rice gave the devotional. Mrs. Jordan Grooms taught the first two chapters of the Mission Study "India" which is very interesting as well as instructive.

The hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate.

Monday, October 28th, Mrs. B. Cox and Mrs. Wallace Cox were hostesses in the home of the former. Mrs. F. T. Sanders gave the devotional. Mrs. Wallace Cox conducted a quiz on India. Mrs. Grooms taught Chapters three and four of the study course.

Lovely refreshments were served. Those who have attended the meetings are: Mesdames Wair, Sanders, P. D. Sanders, Wyche, McNeely, Medley, Grooms, Denney, C. A. Williams, Hettie Williams, Patterson, Irby, Tooley, Rike, Pittman, Ada Rike, Fields, Tate, Josselet, Kemp, Lewis, B. Cox, W. Cox, Bailey, Hellums, Helber and Kimbrough.

Rowena Jacobs Is Party Honoree

Tuesday, October 15 Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jacobs honored their daughter, Rowena, on her fourth birthday with a party from 3:30 to 5. After games were played gifts were opened and "Happy Birthday" was sung by the group.

After the candles were lighted, cake and cold drinks were served to Shirley Morie Smith, Marie Elaine Phelps, Doris and Gene Hudgins, Janet Sue Reynolds, Lena Nell Jones, Lavern and Lewis Jones, Sylvia Jo Overcash, Sue Reynolds, Charlene, Maxine, Azile Cunningham, Patsy Bob Townsend, Mary Jo and Jessie Ruth Jones, Susie Jones, Wanda Faye and Wendell, and Janice Jones; Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Wilbur Hudgin, Mrs. Dyd Phelps, Mrs. Roy Reynolds, Mrs. Will Reynolds, Mrs. Woodrow Jones.

Those who sent gifts were Sue Nichols, Liddy Jones of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. White of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gibbs of Haskell.

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Joanna Honea Weds Billy Ray Connally

Miss Joanna Honea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Honea, became the bride of Billy Ray Connally, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. U. Connally, at 7:30 Saturday evening Oct. 26 in a single ring ceremony read by Jordan Grooms, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

The bride wore an aqua blue suit with a white blouse and black accessories. Her shoulder corsage of white chrysanthemums was tied with aqua ribbon.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weatherford of Jud, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Honea, Mr. and Mrs. O. U. Connally, and Misses Dessie Carroll, Betty Lou Connally and Audrey Honea.

The bride graduated from Weimer High School and is now employed at the Haskell National Bank. Mr. Connally graduated from Haskell High School and served one year in the U. S. Navy. He is employed at the Farmers Co-Op Gin.

The couple will make their home in Haskell. Every time we spin a yarn the wife knits her brows.

Other week-end guests of the Honea home were: Max Florence, who spent the month of October in Germany, arriving Haskell Sunday morning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Florence. Max has no discharge.

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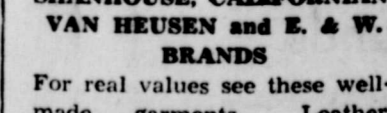
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Soil Conservation Practices Varied for Farmers of Area

Cooperators have gone ahead this week with their legume plantings in order to complete them as near to the October 15 deadline as possible. The present underground season offers an added incentive for these plantings. Those planted between rains or earlier are up to good stands and look very promising.

District cooperators who reported recent plantings were: Bruce Taylor, 15 acres of vetch and Balboa rye, 2.3 acres of alfalfa, and 20 acres of Austrian winter peas, all of which were superphosphated; A. M. G. Swenson, 12 acres of vetch and combine oats; Herbert Kelso, 11 acres of Madrid clover; and Lee McCaleb, 12 acres of rye and vetch and 7 acres of winter peas.

Noah S. Lane has decided to determine the merits of the various fall planted leguminous crops by planting four different ones in the same field. This particular farm under agreement with the California Creek Soil Conservation District is situated south of Haskell about three miles. Superphosphate was distributed over a portion of the land to be planted to each crop and the rate used was 100 pounds per acre; however, a check plot in each was covered at the rate of 200 pounds.

The plantings made were 5 1/2 acres of Madrid clover, 10 acres of vetch and Balboa rye, 4.6 acres of alfalfa, and 7 acres of winter peas. Two acres of the vetch and rye were planted in his young orchard as a cover crop. Morrison W. Liston of the Stamford Soil Conservation Service assisted in the phosphate distribution and planting operations. F. W. Martin, Haskell County agricultural agent visited the farm during the phosphate distribution operations.

Other cooperators have made trial plantings for observation similar to those of Lane's. In some cases the rate of application of phosphate was varied, while in others the methods of planting as well as the crop varieties were changed. Some farmers even planted small plots without inoculating the seed in order that they might determine the value of this treatment to the nitrogen affixing plants. Records of production of regular crops planted on areas following these soil building crops are needed to determine their value toward improving the soil tilth.

4,117 Acres Added To Soil Conservation Projects in District

Agreements were approved on nineteen additional farms during the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the California Creek Soil Conservation District on October 23. In addition seven new applications for District assistance were approved.

The farm plans signed into agreements comprised 4117 acres, reported Jim F. McCulloch, chairman of the board. They were scattered throughout the district having been in conservation groups previously approved. The applications covering 1896 acres were as follows: Henry Laughlin, O. E. Patterson, and J. A. Clark in the North Sagerton group; Edd F. Fouts and V. W. Meadors in the Northwest Haskell group; Edgar Boaz in the Northeast Tuxedo group; and J. A. Costephens of the Center Point group.

James F. Dominy, district conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service, reported to the board the success of the blue panic grass planting on the H. E. Redus farm west of Hamlin. This grass is expected to make a good seed crop despite early adverse weather conditions. He also informed the group that some species of the grasses planted recently on Swenson's Flat Top Ranch are coming up and are expected to make good stands.

It was pointed out by McCulloch that those farmers or ranchers who are anticipating a need for District assistance should make applications now in order that plans may be completed before the practices are to be applied. This will help prevent a peak load of work at the time frost comes and the crops are harvested. This will enable the small staff available for this year's work to better serve more cooperators. A coordinated soil and moisture conservation plan must be formulated for the entire farm before technical assistance can be made available for the installation of any part of the plan.

Watch for announcement of the date of a coming election for a District Supervisor for Sub-district No. 3, Jones County south of California Creek and west of the Funston road.

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- No. 4: One Egg, Sausage, Toast, Jelly and Coffee **35c**
- No. 5: Two Eggs, Ham, Bacon or Sausage, Toast, Jelly and Coffee **50c**
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- Ham or Sausage and Toast **25c**
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- Chicken Salad **25c**
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- Ham and Cheese **35c**
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Drinks

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September 25, 1946 was the 5th anniversary of the district, according to Jim F. McCulloch, chairman of the board of supervisors. During those five years the district served 475 cooperators by running approximately 2500 miles of lines for terraces. These and contour guide lines have brought about contour cultivation of 76,030 acres.

Other practices used such as crop rotations, crop residue management, cover crops, and soil building crops have also played an important part in the conservation of soil and moisture on cultivated land. Pasture land treatments such as controlled grazing, rotated or deferred grazing, contour furrowing, mesquite eradication,

and pasture grass seeding have played their part in the work.

In recent years emphasis has been placed upon soil building legume crops and considerable interest has been encountered this year in these. Legumes showing promise in the district are Madrid and Hubam clover, Hairy Vetch, Austrian winter peas, and croutalaria. Alfalfa is successful on some soils and under special conditions.

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SGT. MIDDLETON HOME FROM JAPAN

Sgt. Gentry Middleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Middleton of Haskell and who has been overseas with U. S. Army forces in the Philippines and Japan for the past 14 months, arrived home Wednesday. Sgt. Middleton, who has been in the Army twenty months, will receive his discharge at the expiration of his terminal leave.

BANKS TO CLOSE ON HOLIDAYS

Both banks of Haskell, the Farmers and Merchants State Bank and the Haskell National Bank will be closed on election day, Tuesday November 5 and again on Armistice Day, Monday, November 11.

Local Teachers at District Meetings

Three local school teachers, Mmes. L. R. Burkett, Arlos Weaver and T. R. Odell, last week made trips to district meetings of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary society for women teachers. Mrs. Burkett and Mrs. Weaver were in Breckenridge and Mrs. Odell was on program at San Angelo.

Last Thursday Mrs. Odell spoke to an audience of San Angelo high school and college students and instructors and the Women's League of Voters on "Women in World Affairs" in the Cactus Lecture room. Following a luncheon at the hotel she addressed a group of 500 senior high school girls on "Falling in Love Intelligently."

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH

November 3rd Bible School 9:45 A. M. Worship and Communion, 10:45 A. M. Dennis P. Ratliff will speak. Subject, "Too Busy." Visitors are cordially invited. There has been a substantial increase in attendance. Let us keep it up.

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Thelma Copeland on NTSC Honor Roll

DENTON, Tex.—Thelma Copeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Copeland of Weiner, student at North Texas State College, has been named among 309 students on the dean's honor list for the fall semester. To qualify for the list, juniors and seniors must have attended the college during the previous semester and completed at least 12 hours class work with an average grade of B and no grade below C. Graduates are automatically on the dean's list. A senior majoring in business administration, Miss Copeland is a member of Pi Omega Pi.

ATTENDS MEETING OF CREDIT MANAGERS

Miss Jane Holt, manager of the Haskell Retail Merchants Association attended the twenty-fourth annual School of Instruction, Texas Retail Credit Bureau Managers in Austin, Texas, Oct. 27-29. Sessions were held at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel. Guest speaker was

FFA Chapter Adds New Members

Regular meeting of Haskell chapter, Future Farmers of America, was held Wednesday night, Oct. 30. Meeting was opened by the president. After the opening ceremony, applications of the following students of vocational agriculture were recommended for membership in the Chapter: Howard Alvis, Kenneth Alvis, Roy Ammonette, Tommy Ballard, Jimmy Cox, Billy Earl Caddell, William Dillard, Billy Dilbeck, Roy Holloway, Bob Kraner, Vernay Lusk, James Miller, Glenn Pover, Delbert Rose, Tommy Rhoads, and Tommy Tate. The roll of candidates was called and a special ceremony for initiating Greenhands was carried out. Each candidate took the initiation cheerfully and with a show of good sportsmanship. At conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served.

Harold A. Wallace, executive vice president of Associated Credit Bureau of America, St. Louis.

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State Meeting of Order of Eastern Stars to be held at Maudslayi, November 1, at 2:30 p. m.

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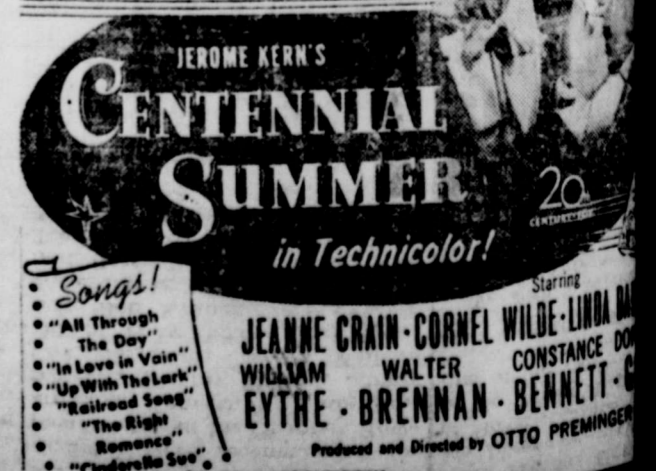
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