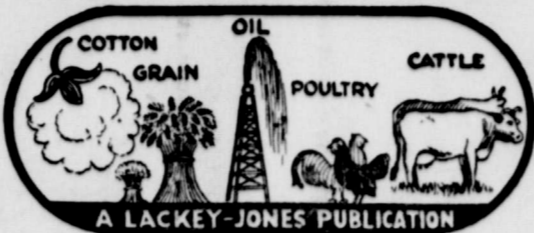


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## Plans of Proposed Baskin Dam Termed As Source of Municipal Supply

here Tuesday the Bob Baskin Dam Association and eight neighboring municipalities are concerned with the estimated amount of water those towns would use, from a dam in that area. These reports, sent to city officials, are to be completed and returned within 10 days.

When the reports have been completed, the bureau will make a study of water needs of communities desiring water and will, on March 1, 1950, report their findings to the Bob Baskin Dam Association. Burleigh said that at that time a water supply site will probably be named. The bureau should also be in a position to furnish an almost exact estimate of the cost to the individual city then.

Also in the bureau's proposal, if this new reservoir of water is impounded, would be an offer to build pipelines from the reservoir to those cities buying water. If and when the reservoir is built, the necessary money for the reservoir and pipeline will be allocated by the Congress. The Bureau of Reclamation would serve as an engineering agency in building the dam.

Cost of any project undertaken would be repaid by the various cities using the water over a period of 40 or 50 years. When the money is repaid, the project would become the property of those cities.

After hearing Burleigh's report, John A. Couch, association president said: "The Bob Baskin Dam Association, a 20-year-old organization, which has fought for municipal water supplies and irrigation projects in this area will continue its efforts toward a solution to the water problem of this area."

Towns represented at the Tuesday night meeting were Seymour, Munday, Haskell, Stamford, Abilene, Spur, Rule, Rochester and Knox City.

The warehouse project is under construction, with the steel framework nearly complete. The estimated cost is \$100,000. The building will be used for storing cotton and other agricultural products. It is expected to be completed within a few days.

Paint Creek And Weinert Game Due Tonight

Six-man football fans will have their inning here tonight in the game between the Paint Creek Bulldogs and Weinert Bulldogs on Indian Field. Both schools have strong teams and the squads have piled up impressive records during the season.

Weinert is undefeated in games this season, while Paint Creek has suffered only one loss to date. A win for Weinert would make the Bulldogs undisputed champions in the district, and for that reason determined opposition is due to be developed by the Pirates, fans believe.

The game will begin promptly at 7:30 p. m.

"Practice Art Of Business", Speaker Tells Lions Club

More than forty members of the Haskell Lions Club were in attendance Tuesday, at the regular weekly luncheon to hear E. P. Mead, Abilene religious and business leader, bring the principal talk.

In a humorous and inspiring talk Mr. Mead told club members that today presented more opportunities for business development than perhaps at any time in the history of American business, and that at least for the next three years business as a whole was facing its most prosperous times. He added that business is the personality of the management who operates the particular business, and urged the individual business man to put into practice the real "art of business" and to get a new view and enthusiasm about his business.

Continuing, he added that the business leaders of the nation were those who had visioned business as an art, and put into practice the fundamentals of good business which include morals, service, enthusiasm, and the art of living with your co-workers and customers.

He concluded by saying that business should not become a dreary duty, but rather an opportunity to serve your fellow man.

The speaker was introduced by A. C. Pierson, program chairman for the week. H. R. Spain presided over the meeting in the absence of Horan Dodson, club president. Olen O'Neal, secretary of the local organization.

The program next week will be given by a male quartet from the Fort Worth who are widely known for their ability in presenting gospel songs.

## Rural Telephone Service Seen In Near Future For All Sections of County

Farmers and other residents of rural areas who have been unable to secure telephone service in the past, were given encouragement this week in the announcement by C. G. Burson, chairman of the Haskell County Rural Telephone Committee. He said that plans are being made for calling a meeting at an early date to organize and secure a charter for rural phone co-operative that will serve all sections of the county.

The meeting will be called as soon as the rush of the cotton gathering season is past, Burson said. Passage by Congress recently of the Poage Bill makes it possible for farmers to secure financing for co-operative telephone companies to serve rural

areas, and that seems the most logical procedure available to farmers in securing needed phone service on a county-wide basis, Burson said. Efforts over a period of several years to secure rural phone service from existing companies serving Haskell and other towns in the county have failed completely, Burson declared.

Burson and other members of the Rural Telephone group, urge all farmers to support the move for county-wide rural phone service, in order that by working together this much-needed service can be made available to residents in all areas of the entire county. Offers of limited service to a small community of rural patrons will not solve the need, Burson pointed out.

## INDIANS TO RESUME CONFERENCE PLAY AGAINST ANSON TIGERS ON INDIAN FIELD HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Following an open date in the season schedule last week, the Haskell High School Indians will don war paint Friday night when they will be host to the invading Anson Tigers on Indian Field at 7:30 p. m., in District 6-A conference play.

The Indians, out in front with a perfect record in the district, will be facing what is conceded to be their toughest obstacle in the flag race when they line up against the Tigers this week. The strong Anson squad, despite their loss to Albany last Friday, are rated among the districts' most formidable teams, and will be in position to field all of their regulars in Friday night's fray.

Coach Jack Roten's charges have been going through extensive drills and some shifts have been made to strengthen both offense and defensive power of the Indians.

Officials in Friday night's game will be: H. H. Bledsoe (West Texas State) referee; Jim Shockley (A&M) umpire; Herbert Partridge (Texas) linesman.

Play-by-play account of the game will be provided over a public address system in the press box through courtesy of Thos. E. Robinson and Benson Auto Supply, Robinson, formerly HHS Indian coach, will do the broadcasting.

Game Time Moved Up to 7:30 For HHS Indian-Tiger Clash

Game time for the Indian-Tiger conference football game Friday night has been moved up to 7:30 p. m., Supt. S. H. Vaughter said this morning. Previously this season the games have started thirty minutes later.

Tickets for Friday night's game, to be played on Indian Field here, are on sale at the Payne and Oates shoe stores, and will be available downtown until 5 p. m. Friday.

## Wetback Goes To Hospital After Knifing

A young Mexican alien, who suffered a severe knife wound in his lower back during a fight on the Sidney Winchester farm near the Haskell - Knox county line Monday afternoon, was hospitalized at the Knox City Sanitarium, where attendants report his condition as "not serious."

In connection with the knifing, Sheriff Bob Cousins took into custody another young Mexican, Perfecto Fuentes, alleged wielder of the small paring knife used in wounding the other Mexican. Both participants are "wetbacks" brought to this country to work during the cotton season.

## 5500 Foot Wildcat To Be Drilled 3 Miles West of Town

Swing of oil exploration activities to a hitherto unexplored area in the west vicinity of Haskell was indicated this week in the announcement of Travis B. Dean, independent oil operator of Fort Worth, of a 5500 foot rotary wildcat test to be drilled three miles west of town.

Location of the test, the W. B. Crouch No. 1, is 330 feet out of the southeast corner of the East one-half of the northwest quarter Section 27, H&TCRR survey. Location is on a farm-out block from Crown Central Petroleum Co., which has a large acreage under lease in that territory.

Drilling contract is held by the Sojourner Drilling Company of Abilene, and drilling operations are to be started immediately, the Fort Worth operator announced.

## Quarterback Club Meeting Re-Set for Tuesday Evening

Meeting of the Quarterback Club, scheduled for next Monday evening in the HHS auditorium, has been re-set for Tuesday night, Nov. 1, at 7:30 p. m., Joe Thompson, president, announced this morning.

At the organization meeting this week, the Monday night meeting date was adopted with the 1949 Carnival which had been previously announced for that date in the school auditorium, Thompson said. In order to avoid conflict with the annual Halloween event, the Quarterbackers will meet Tuesday night, he added, and all members and interested persons are asked to keep that date in mind.

## Soil District Will Sponsor Grass Judging Contest

The California Creek Soil Conservation District is sponsoring a grass judging contest to be held in Stamford, Saturday morning, November 19th, at the Stamford High School Agricultural building. The contest will begin at 9:00 a. m. Some 50 boys in the district are expected to take part in the contest.

Fifty per cent of the district is in native grassland and the Board of Supervisors believe that proper identification of grasses is the basis for all pasture and range improvement, according to E. W. Carlson, Chairman of the Board. This contest is the first that has been sponsored by the California Creek Board of Supervisors.

James W. Lindsey, acting head of the Stamford Work Unit, stated that the boys would be required to name and give characteristics of 40 species of grasses common to this district. Awards are to be given to the winners in the judging contest.

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## City Marshal Eal Treadwell Home From Hospital

City Marshal Eal Treadwell, who had been a patient in a Dallas hospital since mid-October, was able to return home the first of the week, after showing remarkable improvement.

The marshal was able to be downtown Wednesday, and is rapidly recovering from major surgery required when he was first stricken.

## Band Will Sponsor Halloween Carnival Monday Night

All spooks, black cats, and witches will be out as usual on October 31st, to celebrate Halloween at the school carnival to be held in the North Ward gymnasium.

There will be fun and excitement for everyone on this gala occasion when the high school Band Boosters will host the only carnival to be held in Haskell this year. The gymnasium will be decorated in appropriate motif, and the gay color scheme and weird lighting will make Halloween spirit for the youngsters. For the kiddies there will be fishing, Mickey Mouse movies, and much more to add to their enjoyment. Cake walks, apples on strings, ducking for apples, knocking over of bottles, and fortune telling will make fun for everyone. And for the more daring, there will be the house of horrors with its hair-raising and spine tingling terrors.

Bingo and other games will add to the enjoyment of all. Special numbers by the band, and various solo numbers will feature the musical entertainment. To add to the carnival spirit, all types of sandwiches, drinks and other refreshments will be available.

The climax of the carnival will be the coronation of the junior and elementary kings and queens. The gay affair will be formal and picturesque. After the representatives from each room through the eighth grade have been formally presented, the winner will be announced and crowned Queen of the 1949 Halloween Carnival.

Pictures are to be made of the coronation, and the winning queen will be given a picture which is to remain permanently in her home room. Consolation prizes will be awarded each room. The ceremony will be held in the high school auditorium.

## City Asks Federal Housing Project To Meet Growth In Population

## GRAND JURY INDICTS AUSTIN MAN IN KNIFE SLAYING

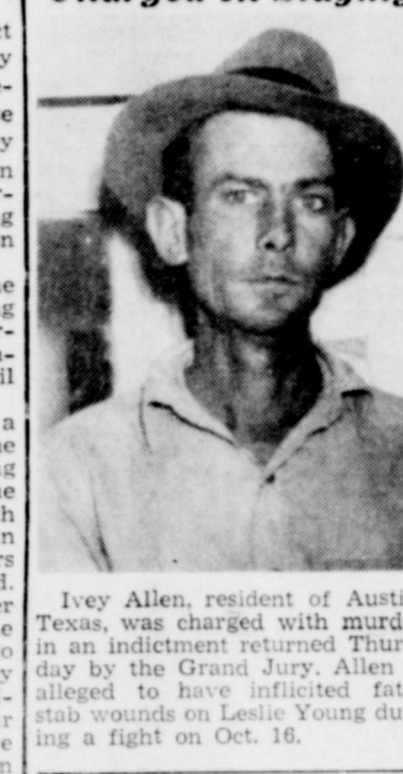
Grand Jury in 39th District Court, recalled last Thursday by Judge Ben Charlie Chapman, returned an indictment at the close of the day's session against Ivey Allen, 34, of Austin, Texas, in which he was charged with "murder with malice" in the slaying of Leslie Young, also of Austin, on Sunday, Oct. 16.

Allen had been held in the county jail here since the killing occurred, and following his arraignment on the Grand Jury indictment was remanded to jail to await trial.

The killing took place on a farm west of Haskell, near the old Pinkerton community. Young died from loss of blood after he had been stabbed in the neck with a small butcher knife during an altercation with Allen, officers who investigated the tragedy said.

The two men, acquainted over a period of years, came to the Haskell section several weeks ago to gather cotton. Accompanied by two women, Mrs. Bessie Menelley and Barbara Halbert, the four had worked west of Rule before moving to the Pinkerton section on the day of the fatal fight, officers learned.

District Attorney John H. Banks said this week that he would seek an early trial for Allen on the murder indictment. The accused man and members of his family have secured an Austin attorney as counsel to represent the defendant in the case, it was reported.



**Charged In Slaying**

## Pioneers To Ride WV Passenger on Final Run Oct. 29

As the result of an invitation sent to Mayor Courtney Hunt, the Burlington, Va. passenger train roll into Haskell some 40-odd years ago will be passengers on the final run of the WV's passenger train Saturday, effective date for discontinuance of the service between Wichita Falls and Abilene.

Mayor Hunt has tickets for a party of 10 pioneers who will be guests of the railroad for a train ride from Haskell to Stamford Saturday morning. The train will leave at 7:17 a. m., and cars will meet the party at Stamford for the return trip to Haskell.

Mayor Hunt is anxious to secure the full quota of ten persons who were here when the road was built into this city. He urges all old-timers who might want to make the trip to register at his office sometime Friday morning.

## Trading In Spot Market At Lively Trend Past Week

More trading in spot cotton took place at southwest markets last week than the previous week, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

Also, more cotton began to move into the government load program. So far this season, Texas farmers have placed nearly 38,000 bales in loan, and Oklahoma farmers nearly 3,000 bales. This is much less than went into the loan program during the same period last year.

From Monday through Friday, cotton gained 75 cents per bale at Dallas and Houston and 50 cents at Galveston. The basis was steady at all three primary markets. Friday's closing quotations on Middling 15-16 inch stood at 28.85 cents per pound at Dallas, 29.05 at Houston and 29.15 at Galveston.

Compared to the same day last year, these prices were \$10 to \$11 per bale lower.

Best demand from domestic and export interests was for the better grades. However, the lower grades met good demand too, but prices were not attractive.

Wagonlot cottonseed prices to farmers advanced sharply over a week ago, with an average of \$40.90 per ton in Texas and \$41.10 per ton in Oklahoma.

## Pleasant No. 2 Being Completed Today In Canyon Reef

Operators were working today on completion of Stanolind Oil Co.'s No. 2 Pleasants in the south Haskell field as a producer from Canyon reef topped at 3615 feet, after passing up heavy oil showing encountered last week at 3117 feet in sand. The well was reported flowing by heads, with no water showing. Operators may wash out the pay zone with acid to develop stronger flow, it was reported.

In the northwest extension of the discovery pool, the same company's No. 1 Wychie is flowing at the rate of 130 barrels daily into storage, with official production figures yet to be announced.

Location has been made and slush pits are being dug for an east offset to the John M. Pace No. 1 discovery well. Location is 990 feet east of the pool opener, and drilling operations are to be started immediately.

Further extension of the pool was indicated in the filing of application for Stanolind's N. 2 H. C. Wychie, northernmost producer in the pool.

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## First Building for Warehouse Project Near Completion

Work is in the completion stage on the first unit of a large warehouse project to be built in Haskell by the Central West Texas Warehouse Company, according to R. B. Grindstaff, who is in charge of construction on the project.

The warehouse company, owned by Fort Worth, and Stephenville parties, has taken a 10-year lease on the site of the old Cotton Oil Mill in southeast Haskell, comprising several acres.

Under present plans, several warehouse units will be constructed, each of which will be 100x200 feet in size. East structure will be iron-clad, and designed to provide year-round storage protection against all elements of weather, Mr. Grindstaff explained.

Primarily designed for storage of cotton and seed, the structures will be designed to provide warehouse facilities of a general nature, the construction engineer pointed out. Location of the warehouse is adjacent to tracks of the Wichita Valley railroad, making them easily accessible for rail shipment.

First building, now under construction, is expected to be completed within the space of a few days, and ready for use, the builder said. A water system to provide water for fire protection for the time being until city water mains are extended to the site, it was explained.

F. J. (Frank) McCurley of this city will be warehouseman and weigher in charge of the completed warehouses. Each of the 100x200 ft. buildings will provide storage space for approximately 5,000 bales of cotton, builders said.

Major interests in the CWT warehouse company are owned by Carl Colwick, prominent Stephenville rancher and stockman. Sterling C. Holloway of Ft. Worth, president of the Continental Life Insurance Company, and Geo. V. Wimbish, Fort Worth insurance company executive and former resident of Haskell.

## MR. AND MRS. ELMO FOSTER PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Foster of Haskell are announcing the arrival of a baby daughter, born October 21 in the Haskell county hospital. The little girl weighed 7 pounds and has been named Marilyn Elaine. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Otille Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster of Rule.

## VISITING IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. Jesse B. Smith is expected to return this week from Petersburg, Va., where she has been visiting in the home of her daughter and family. Major and Mrs. W. R. Barricklow and son, Bobby,

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### Observance of American Art Week Nov. 1-7 Will Be Sponsored By Progressive Study Club

American Art Week, November 1-7, sponsored by the American Art Professional League and the General Federation of Womens Clubs, is being observed by the Haskell Progressive Study Club in promoting interest in art through elementary public school children.

The young art enthusiasts are entering pictures of any medium, and the entries will be displayed in the store windows of Haskell merchants following the judging. More than thirty entries have been entered in the contest.

The judging committee will be composed of members of the art committee of the local study club, and their decisions of first, second and third place will take into consideration the creative ability displayed in the young artists' paintings and upon their age and grade in school.

Included in the celebration of American Art Week will be the regular club program for November 3, at 7:30 p. m. Miss Juanita Tuttle, director of the art department of Abilene Christian College, will be guest speaker. The study course of the 1949-1950 yearbook is "Women: Share the Modern World" and Miss Tuttle's

topic for discussion will be in keeping with the theme of the year, Women in Art. Miss Tuttle is well known in West Texas Art Circles, having exhibited throughout the state and having received many awards. Hostesses for the occasion will be Mrs. A. W. Weaver and Mrs. James E. Ferguson.

The club is sponsoring the contest and has as its aim to stimulate interest of local citizens in art appreciation during American Art Week, and through the school age children, we hope that this project will accomplish this purpose.

### Child Eyesight Should Have Early Check, Parents Told

Emphasizing the urgent need for parental supervision of all phases of child health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer said today, "Much of the impaired eyesight of advanced years could be prevented if sufficient interest in early life were applied, and a correction by means of temporary glasses amdeed when required."

Parents, Dr. Cox asserted, should be watchful for danger signals in the child such as frowning, squinting, persistent headache, and watery eyes. If the youngster reads too closely or too far away from the face, that situation may also be significant of trouble.

"No child likes wearing glasses, nevertheless, it is the obligation of those responsible for the future of young folks to have their eyes examined by a reputable specialist if there is a suspicion that normal vision does not exist. It is much better for a child to wear glasses for a few years during early school life than to have permanently defective vision in later years," he declared.

Dr. Cox said that neglect of the eyes is by no means limited to children. Many older persons, through vanity, indifference, or carelessness, fail to give proper attention to the care of their eyes. Penalties, he warned, are bound to occur for such inexcusable negligence.

"The eyes of any person, whether young, middle-aged, or older represent one of the most priceless of bodily possessions," The State Health officer asserted. "To take care of them promptly and properly is a responsibility which never should be sidestepped."



SMU  
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FOURTEEN BEAUTIES, favorites of student organizations at SMU, will vie for the crown of Homecoming Queen for the three-day reunion of SMU ex-students set this year for October 28-30. The Queen will be selected from this array of nominees by an alumni committee and will be presented at half-time activities in the Cotton Bowl Homecoming game between SMU and Texas University October 29. The beauty candidates are, left to right, first row: Ruth Ann Virtanen, Dallas; Jeanne Hall, Carrollton; Dorothy May Oglesby, Ennis; and Margaret Malitz, Dallas. Second row: Alice Harris, Longview; Jayne Hodge, Ruston, La.; Sadyeann Strawbridge, Dallas; Jo Wood, Dallas; and Ann Kerr, San Antonio. Third row: Marilyn Myers, Dallas; Virginia Ward, Dallas; Jinx Lee, Gladewater; Barbara Boedecker, Dallas; and Gene's Walker, San Angelo.

### TEXAS CANCER DEATHS RISE WITH AGING POPULATION

Cancer, including leukemia, which has often been termed "cancer of the blood," is now the second cause of death in Texas, according to statistics just released by the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, Inc.

Last year 6,913 Texans died of this disease. In 1947 a total of 6,223 died, the report shows. And yet, just six years ago the total cancer deaths reported in Texas amounted to only 3,967.

The sharp rise in death totals can be attributed to three or four factors, the American Cancer Society comments.

During the past few years efforts of the State Department of Health to acquire accurate tabulations of cancer deaths from hospitals and medical men throughout the state have shown good results.

Also, there is the "paradox of an aging population".

"Paradoxically," the report says, "the rise in cancer deaths may be attributed largely—to the great advances which have been made in medical science. One after another, the diseases which caused the greater number of deaths in the past have been brought under control. Death

rates from common infectious diseases, tuberculosis, and pneumonia have declined very rapidly during the twentieth century while death rates from cancer and heart diseases have increased. The explanation is very simple. The control of other diseases has resulted in an increase in the average duration of life, and this in turn has resulted in an aging of the American population. Since cancer death rates increase with age, a higher overall cancer death rate is to be expected in an older population."

The facts and figures were prepared by the Statistical Research Section of the Medical and Scientific Department of the American Cancer Society. They are based upon statistics compiled by the U. S. Department of Health.

These old homes are just a sample of the wonderful attractions Texas has to offer the tourist. See Texas First.

The finger from an old glove or a thimble placed over the end of a curtain rod helps the curtain slip on to the rod easily without catching or tearing.

### County Agent F. W. Martin Advises Check for Borers

Peach tree borers have appeared in many trees in commercial orchards during recent weeks, says F. W. Martin, County Agent, and now is the time to bring them under control.

The new ethylene dichloride emulsion used now will give quick and effective control. Clear the bark away from the base of the tree, and make a small trench in the soil about two inches from the trunk and make the application. For one year old trees use 1-8 pint; two year trees use 1-4 pint; and for trees three years of age or older use 1-2 pint per tree.

The use of paradichlorobenzene crystals is an old method which has given good results, but Martin says, wait until the weather cools off before using it. Clear the trash away from the base of the tree for a distance of from four to six inches, and then distribute the crystals evenly in a narrow, continuous, circular band an inch wide and on the soil about two inches from the tree trunk.

Do not allow the paradichlorobenzene to come into contact with the body of the tree; pull

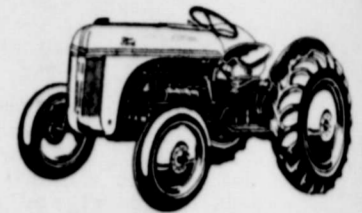
the soil over the ring of chemical band to form a cone about three inches deep and pack the soil to hold the gas around the bark of the tree. The soil cone should be removed about six weeks after the date of the treatment.

To keep belts in one place where they are easy to find, screw cup hooks all the way across an ordinary wooden hanger and hang the belts on them. This saves space, too.

Bugs are likely to cause serious losses in stored grain unless control measures are taken. Check grain at regular intervals for live insects and fumigate if needed.

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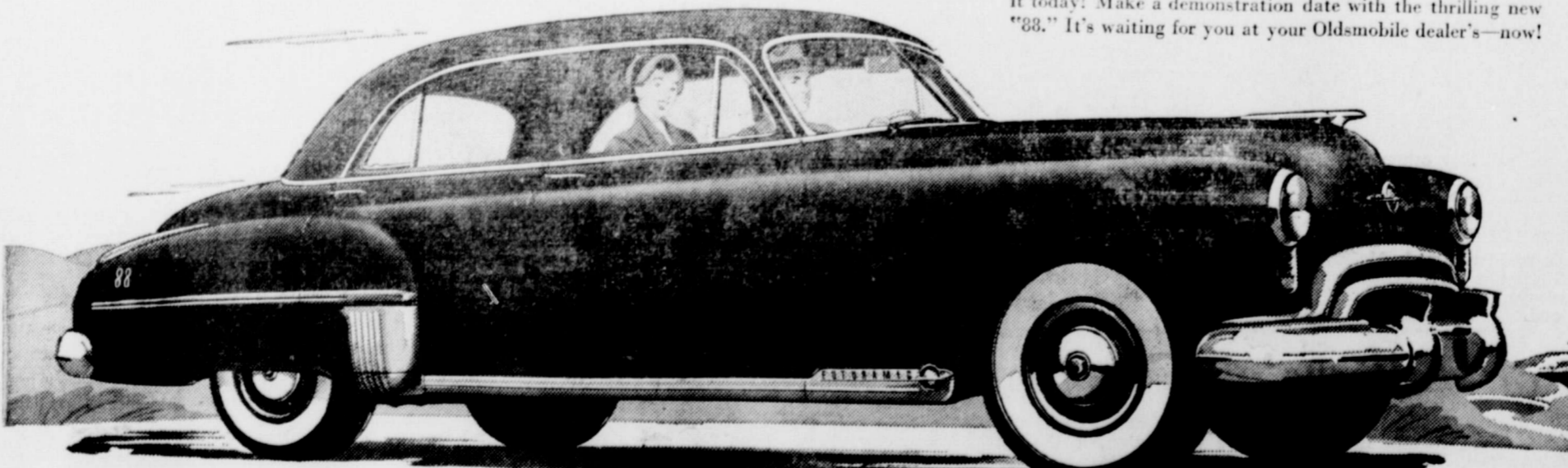
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Goblin— HOMINY	can	9c
Campbell— TOMATO SOUP	can	11c
Trend— Washing Powder	box	21c

### RECIPE OF THE WEEK

by Mary Lee  
Dutch Apple Cake  
Broadcast: October 29, 1949  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/2 teaspoon  
cinnamon  
5 tablespoons Fat  
Milk  
2 tablespoons melted  
butter or margarine  
1 1/2 cups biscuit mix  
Turn on oven; set at 375° F. Grease a deep 8x8 pan. Mix 1/2 cup sugar with mon. Stir in 1 tablesp. Put in melted butter. Let remain in mix into bowl. Stir in quickly cup sugar. Stir in remaining beaten egg, remaining 1/2 cup and the water. Spread in greased pan. Arrange raisins on apples. Bake mixture over top. Bake on shelf of oven about 35 minutes until top is light brown. Serve or until top is light brown. Serve or until top is light brown. Serve or until top is light brown.

PET MILK  
Biscuit Mix 3  
Apples lb. 1

### VEGETABLES

ROASTED PEANUTS	lb.	3
ONIONS	lb.	7c
Fresh Green Beans	lb.	15c
SPUDS	lb.	
YAMS	lb.	

O'Neal's Food Store  
PHONE 28

# FOOTBALL

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, - 8 P.M.

### HASKELL INDIANS

#### VS.

### ANSON TIGERS



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Hunter Men's Wear & Dry  
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Haskell, Texas

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DOWN GOAL SAFETY FIRST DOWN (EXCEPTION: TOUCHED OFFENSIVE GOALS) START CLOCK (EXCEPTION: 10 SEC. MORE TIME: OUTS ALLOWED) BALL ILLEGALLY TOUCHED, KICKED OR BATTED INCOMPLETE FORWARD PASS. PENALTY: LOSING OF PLAY AND NO SCORE. CRAWLING OR HELPING THE RUNNER TIME OUT ILLEGAL USE OF HANDS OR ARMS BALL DEAD - TOUCHBACK IF HAND CLOSING ILLEGALLY PASSING OR HANDING BALL FORWARD INTENTIONAL GROUNDING OFF-SIDE ILLEGAL POSITION OR PROCEDURE ILLEGAL MOTION OR SHIFT ILLEGAL PLAY (EXCEPTION: TIME OUT) ILLEGALLY TOUCHING OR INTERFERING UNPROTECTED LIKE CRIMINAL FORWARD PASS (EXCEPTION: CATCH INTERFERENCE)

### West Texas Utilities Awarded Citation On Annual Report

Citation of "Highest Merit Award for distinguished achievement in Annual Reporting" has been awarded the West Texas Utilities Company by the Financial World, investment and business publication, in recognition of the quality of Utilities Com-

pany's 1948 Annual Report to its stockholders. In announcing the award, West-Smith, Vice-President of Financial World, pointed out that more than 4,000 annual reports were submitted for the annual survey. Of the annual reports submitted, 2,250 were actually surveyed. The "Highest Merit Award," Smith said, "qualifies the West Texas Utilities Company as a candidate for the final judging and Oscar awards for Best 1948 Annual Reports in several classifications will be made at the Awards Banquet at the Hotel

Stattler in New York. "The object of the annual survey and judging is to broaden the readership and understanding of yearly annual reports and thus to achieve a more wholesome appreciation of each corporation, of industry as a whole, and of free enterprise system in general," Smith added. The West Texas Utilities Annual Report of 1948, which was distributed to stockholders in April, 1949, was prepared in Abilene by the WTUCo's general office staff.

### Magazine Club Meets For Regular Program Friday

The Magazine Club met Friday afternoon, Oct. 21st, at 4 p. m. in the club house for the first program in this year's study course, "The Pursuit of Happiness."

The president, Mrs. Robert Wheatley, reminded the club that Monday, Oct. 24th has been designated as United Nations Day by the General Assembly of the United Nations. "The best way the Magazine Club can observe United Nations Day is to offer them the thing they need most—in prayer." The group stood for several moments in silent prayer.

Mrs. Terry Diggs was director of the program on "The Standard of Living." Mrs. W. P. Trice spoke on "Mental and Emotional Poise." Quoting Mrs. Trice, "We can gain a better way of living a way of unburied serenity, if we will carry our full share of the common burden without chafing under the load. We can gain a better way of living by finding God, drawing from him strength and wisdom and quietness."

Miss Nettie McCollum spoke on "You Can't Buy Happiness." "Yesterday is a cancelled check tomorrow is a promissory note, and today is ready cash spent wisely," Miss McCollum observed.

Members present were Mesdames C. V. Payne, Robert Wheatley, J. U. Fields, Terry M. Diggs, C. L. Lewis, J. W. Collins, Jack Merchant, Mary Oates, Carrol D. Bledsoe, W. P. Trice, Wallace Cox, Alfred Pierson, Claude Harrison, Fred Monke, John A. Couch, N. I. McCollum, J. G. Vaughter, John Rike, Earl Atchison, Ada Rike, H. M. Smith, D. E. Arnold, R. L. Harrison, Ber-

### Rule Farmer Has 50-Year-Old Relic Of Early Days Here

A moment of early-day Haskell in the form of a trade token issued by the old Star Saloon, is owned by F. E. Tibbetts, who lives on Route 2, out of Rule. The token is at least 50 years old, in the opinion of early-day residents here, who declares the saloon went out of business following a local option election held in 1899.

Mr. Tibbetts has had the token for a number of years. It was found in 1929 by a member of his family while they were living on a farm near Rochester. Letting on the metal trade check is still plainly visible, and reads, "Good for One Drink", and the name of the establishment, The Star Saloon, Haskell, Texas.

### Friendship HD Club Has Demonstration On Cookies

The Friendship H. D. Club met October 21, in the home of Mrs. Frank Garrett. Opening exercise was "Beautiful Texas".

Mrs. Edward Newton gave an interesting talk on L. H. D. A. Mrs. Dewayne Vaughn gave the timely topic, Hallowe'en.

The slick trick was demonstrated by Mrs. O. W. Vaughn. Mrs. Vee J. Howle gave a very interesting demonstration on oatmeal cookies. The cookies were graded and scored.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Leon Newton, Mrs. Edward Newton, Mrs. Dewayne Vaughn, Mrs. Vee J. Howle, Mrs. O. W. Vaughn, Mrs. Ted Jetton. A visitor, Miss Pauline Strange and the hostess.

### Susie Lawson and Elvin Taylor To Wed In December

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Lawson of Rochester, are announcing the engagement, and approaching marriage of their daughter, Susie, to Elvin Taylor, son of Mrs. Emma Taylor of Houston. The wedding will take place in December.

Mr. Phelps, Bill Richey, Bill Wilson, Joe Tyson, K. H. Thornton and Miss Nettie McCollum.

### Stamford Legion Post Sponsors Pre-Hallowe'en Dance

Stamford Hart-Master Post of the American Legion will sponsor a Hallowe'en dance at the pavilion on the Texas Cowboy Reunion grounds in that city Saturday night, Oct. 29. Dancers may come in costumes if they choose and prizes will be awarded for the best costumes, both ladies and men.

The Rhythm Makers, one of the best string bands in this section will furnish the music for dancing which will start at 9 p. m.

### Jud H. D. Club Sponsors Play Night Program

Forty-five youths, adults and small children enjoyed Playnight Wednesday, Oct. 19, at Jud, sponsored by the Willing Workers Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Joe Mathis entertained the small children with ring games in their room. The youths played outdoor games led by Mrs. J. H. Isbell and Mrs. S. E. Lewis. The adults played Progressive 42 with Mrs. D. N. Powell as hostess for that group.

### Betty Oates Elected Officer In U of T Society

Betty Oates of this city was recently elected vice-president of the Alpha Phi pledge class at the University of Texas. She is a freshman, Plan II student. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates of Haskell.

When in the Corpus Christi region be sure to see the old Fulton mansion at Fulton, near Rockport.

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(a) Use only official entry blank obtained at any Ford Dealership displaying the poster shown below. Print clearly your name and address.

(b) Contest is limited to the continental U. S. and Alaska.

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registered owner or his designated representative. Only one entry per car or truck may be considered. All entries become the property of Ford Motor Company. Contest subject to Federal, State and local regulations and to contest rules on entry blank.

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<b>WHITE SPUDS</b> 10 lbs. 47c	<b>CABBAGE</b> lb.
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Wright's— <b>SAUSAGE</b> 1 Lb. 32c	<b>VEAL CUTLETS</b> 69
Good— <b>SALT PORK</b> lb. 35c	Red Rhine Longhorn— <b>CHEESE</b> lb. 49
Armour's— <b>BACON</b> lb. 53c	Bulk— <b>WIENERS</b> lb. 34

# WELL COUNTY HISTORY

Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

Oct. 24, 1929  
A warehouse of the Petroleum Company in the county jail was destroyed Friday afternoon. The man and woman were charged in connection with a 14-year-old abduction of a man and woman located at Midway by Sheriff Sarney Clyde Gris-

som made a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas last week. J. C. Morrow, 20, of Fort Sill, Okla., was found unconscious beside the highway between Haskell and Stamford Monday morning about 10 o'clock, and officers are investigating circumstances in connection with his injury in the belief that the young man was the victim of hi-jackers. He is reported in serious condition in the Stamford hospital.

Fire which started from the explosion of a gasoline stove destroyed the Highway Garage and contents in Weinert Thursday morning. S. C. Hawes, owner, estimates total loss from the fire

at \$15,000.

Haskell county and a wide section of West Texas experienced the coldest weather of the season this morning (Oct. 24) when the mercury dropped to the freezing point.

Miss Marjorie Whitaker is visiting friends in Dallas this week and seeing the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Fouts, Mrs. W. D. Kemp and Miss Lena Belle Kemp spent Sunday in Cisco, where they visited Amos Kemp, student in Randolph College.

40 Years Ago—Oct. 23, 1909  
J. L. Jones recently returned from an extended trip to California and Old Mexico. He also spent some time at Fort Stockton with W. T. Jones.

Another good rain has fallen here during the past few days, and it looks as if grain farmers have hit it about right again so far.

The Fire Department is sponsoring a free street fair and carnival here next week, and have booked a large carnival company for the event. A feature will be music by two brass bands each night, and the 90-foot dive from a swaying ladder into a small net by Capt. C. C. Church.

J. T. Montgomery, president of the Farmers National Bank, has returned from the north, where he spent the summer months.

Frank Dodson and Grover Simmons have returned from Colorado, where they worked in a factory during the summer.

Miss Bischoffhausen of the south east side was in town Thursday shopping. She lately returned from a visit to her parents old home in Germany and reports an interesting trip.

J. R. Bascom and R. T. Judy of Sharpsburg, Ky., are here making provisions to have their land south of town fenced.

The acetylene plant at the Wright Hotel exploded Thursday night and burned Byron Wright slightly. He was inspecting the installation and unthoughtedly struck a match, setting off the explosion.

Last Friday Otis B. Smith got his hand caught in the gin saws at the Newsum plant and it was so badly mangled that his arm had to be amputated below the elbow.

J. S. Sloan of Pinkerton was in town Thursday for lumber to make some improvements on his farm.

J. F. Vernon, one of Haskell's old settlers, says there are many farmers who would plant wheat if they could get the seed.

M. M. Spruell and Elmer Marshall of New Mexico, who traded City Marshal Will Whitman property in Roswell for Haskell property, have moved to this city.

Norman Hancock, who is traveling for a large St. Louis dry goods firm, spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

## Paint Creek Hallowe'en Carnival Will Feature Old-Time "Country Store"

A country store will be one of the feature attractions for the Hallowe'en carnival, which will be held at the Paint Creek school on Monday, Oct. 31. The fun and festivities will begin at 6 p. m. and folks can stay as long as they like. Proceeds will be used toward lights for the football field.

Merchandise for the country store was contributed by merchants of Haskell and Stamford and fresh country produce will be furnished by women of the community.

This will be only one of the many booths for the carnival. Included will be food booths, bingo, cakewalk, house of horrors, cup-in-water, walk-a-line, fortune telling, ring the goose, shooting gallery, domino games, shuffle board, bowling, boxing, basket ball and others.

The king and queen, chosen that night, will be crowned in a pretty coronation ceremony. Each

Rough preparation of cotton at the gin is costly to both the ginner and farmer. Cotton picked green or wet and taken directly to a gin not equipped to handle such cotton may be reduced in value from \$5 to \$35 per bale.

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50 Years Ago—Oct. 28, 1899  
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ellis entertained a few couples at their home last night.

Miss Cora Hightower of Dodd City is visiting the Messrs. Ellis, to whom she is related.

J. L. Jones bought a bunch of cattle from Mr. Rhodes this week.

J. A. Price has bought from E. A. Rose all of his stock horses and mules.

Sheriff Collins made a business trip to Albany Tuesday and back Wednesday. He says they have got the cars running 12 miles out of Albany on the Central extension and expect to have the road completed to the river by the middle of next month.

Frank Armstrong and Miss Buna Wilbourn, Iran Pearsey and Misses Mary Smith and Pearl Wilburn visited Stamford last Sunday.

W. L. Roberts left Friday for Arkansas to buy cattle.

Dr. Bayless of Ranger was in the city this week prospecting.

Judge P. D. Sanders is holding court at Rayner this week.

T. J. Lemmon has bought from B. L. Frost all his steer calves for spring delivery. These calves are well bred Herefords and Durhams and will make a fine bunch of steers when they are grown.

T. C. Carney came in from Fisher county Thursday with 300 head of good looking cattle he bought over there.

J. F. Armstrong is in the market for mules for the British army.

Couch Bros. and Reeves will leave for Albany Monday to receive 200 head of cattle purchased by them.

Judge J. E. Poole left Monday for Abilene with the county exhibit where he will show the good eastern people what Haskell county can do in the way of growing agricultural products.

Major J. M. Bostart returned this week from the Klondike where he spent about two years prospecting and mining. He had some nice specimen nuggets he picked up while there, some of them worth as much as \$20.

Mr. Mavfield, the butcher at Abilene, was a business visitor in Haskell this week.

G. M. Clayton of Wilbarger county, who purchased a large tract of land in the Hemphill neighborhood, has moved to the county.

Messrs. Cummines, Bailev, Lemmon, Beaver and Fitzgerald will deliver about 600 head of two and three year old steers to B. R. Cobb of Henrietta this week.

John Fitzgerald has bought from W. P. Whitman all his cows and 2 year old heifers. The consideration was not given.

**Memento of War May Yield Valuable Fabric Secret**

A tattered canvas shoe found on a Bougainville beach after the bloody landing, ending the 1943 Solomons campaign, may prove some good can come from such terrible devastation.

For that shoe may hold a secret that will enable scientists to increase cotton fabric life by many years. Dr. Vernon L. Frampton, University of Texas cotton researcher, reports.

The footpiece was sent to the Army Quartermaster Corps laboratory in Philadelphia because the shoe contained powerful fungi which excreted enzymes that were rapidly eating cotton fibers.

The Army sent a culture of the fungi to the University's cotton research laboratory for study. Scientists here will try to find a way to counteract deterioration in cotton fabrics caused by fungi and bacteria by studying this particularly-destructive culture, and developing a resistance to it in the cotton fabric.

Another laboratory project is the study of the sun's part in degrading cotton materials. Old Sol's ultraviolet rays break up the molecular chain, or polymer, making up the cotton fiber, into grape sugar molecules.

University of Texas researchers are experimenting to determine just how, when, and why that degradation takes place. Then they will try to develop resistance in the cotton fiber to such action.

If they succeed in their experiments to thwart fungi, bacteria, and sun destructiveness to cotton, Texas will find their cotton shirts and blouses will not rip with an elbow bend after three years—or six years—of wear.

## Merger of Widely-Read Farm Papers Is Announced

An old Texas institution and farmer's standby, Farm and Ranch magazine, has completed an expansion program which gives it 300,000 circulation in Texas, according to an announcement this week by Frank A. Briggs, long-time editor of the publication.

Published since 1881, Farm and Ranch, beginning with the January 1950 issue, will unite with Southern Agriculturist, a farm publication printed in Nashville, Tennessee since 1869. The combination of subscribers to Southern Agriculturist with those of Farm and Ranch will give this new publication more circulation than any magazine going to Texas readers, and almost as much as any two magazines.

Editorial offices will be maintained in Dallas as usual, Editor Briggs reported. The new name of the publication will be Ranch with Southern Agriculturist. A special Western Edition will be published each month for Texas and Oklahoma readers. Over 75,000 readers in Oklahoma will receive the magazine and 900,000 in the other Southern States. Mr. Briggs said. The new united publication will go to 15 Southern States all told and to over one and one-quarter million subscribers.

In the past Farm and Ranch went only to the Southwestern states, Briggs pointed out.

The editors of Farm and Ranch are Briggs, A. E. Kennerly, H. L. Gantz and Mary L. Smith. Other native Texans who will help edit the magazine are Malcolm Orchard and Charles E. Ball.



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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson Have One Of County's Most Attractive Farm Homes

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson have their monthly meeting at the cottage with open house for the Mothers and Mrs. J. U. Fields as honor guest and speaker. Mrs. Fields had as the subject of her talk, "Beauty in Everyday Life." The talk was very inspirational and is still getting favorable comment from the girls. The table in the living-dining room had the punch bowl banked with marshmallows with three tiered candles of orange and green on either side laid on a lace table cloth. Other candle arrangements in the room consisted of two small and one large orange candles molded in the shape of a pumpkin. The piano was covered with greenery with two large pumpkin candles on either end.

premises. He hopes to build up a well-stocked private preserve which in some future years he might open to limited hunting to his friends.

The Patterson lands are a part of the original X Ranch of the Reynolds interests, purchased by Joe after his return from the Army after the first World War. Both he and his wife are war veterans. Mrs. Patterson having enlisted in the W.A.C. shortly after the outbreak of World War II.

Mr. Patterson is a native of Throckmorton, born and reared on the Reynolds ranch, where he worked for a total of 30 years at various times from boyhood up.

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Future Homemakers Hold Open House Program Honoring Mothers

The Future Homemakers had their monthly meeting at the cottage with open house for the Mothers and Mrs. J. U. Fields as honor guest and speaker. Mrs. Fields had as the subject of her talk, "Beauty in Everyday Life." The talk was very inspirational and is still getting favorable comment from the girls. The table in the living-dining room had the punch bowl banked with marshmallows with three tiered candles of orange and green on either side laid on a lace table cloth. Other candle arrangements in the room consisted of two small and one large orange candles molded in the shape of a pumpkin. The piano was covered with greenery with two large pumpkin candles on either end.

kitchen and clothing labs. Also in the foods lab the cabinet tops have all been sanded, refinished, and waxed. New night tables with electric lamps made from coal oil lamps and a new curtain for the vanity dresser and stool added to the attraction of the bedroom.

The Homemaking girls would like to take this opportunity to express their appreciation to Mrs. Fields for whom our chapter is named, for her interest in our department and for her generous gifts to us.

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Prepare the Home For Winter Now. Specialist Advises

The next few weeks is the time to do those maintenance and repair jobs around the home and farmstead. Old man winter will soon be here. W. S. Allen, extension agricultural engineer-buildings, Texas A. and M. College, suggests a few for starters, and here they are.

Check the floor furnace burners, controls and plumbing before you light it, says Allen, to make sure there is no escaping gas to cause explosions. Do the same thing on other gas heaters and it will eliminate the problem of moisture condensing on the walls. Check the fireplace and chimney for loose mortar or cracks and if repairs are needed, make them

before the first fire is started.

If you plan to add insulation to make the house warmer this winter, now is the time. Insulation, properly installed, will cut your fuel bills come winter, says Allen.

Check the gutters and down spouts to make sure that leaves, trash and dirt don't have them stopped up. If they are clogged, spilling over and seepage can cause damage outside and inside. Better give the roof the once over and if repairs are needed, make them before the winter rains set in. Allen says that nails in metal roofs will become loose in hot weather and may even come out and he suggests that you check the nails. A coat of asphalt roofing cement will usually take care of the leaks in the roof that have resulted from cracks or small holes.

Be sure that rain water drains away from the building instead

of under them. Freezing can cause the foundations to heave or crack and this means a big repair job later.

Periodic checks and proper maintenance will help keep down building costs and will save needless repairs besides saving valuable time, says Allen. Check up and see what is needed and you'll be ready for winter—if you do the job now.

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**Plaids Confront Home Dressmaker With Problems**

Plaids, so popular in the fashion picture this fall, present a few special problems in home dressmaking.

In training schools being held over the state by extension clothing specialists Mary Routh and Nona Roberson of Texas A. and M. College, these problems are discussed with the home demonstration agents and leaders. Among suggestions given by the specialists are these:

It is usually necessary to buy more material than the pattern calls for to make plaid match at seams. Large plaids and those with up and down, or right and left design take the most yardage.

When choosing a pattern to make up in plaid, look for simple lines and little decorative detail. The plaid itself offers enough decoration so that fancy extra touches are not needed and the fewer the pattern pieces, the less the difficulty of matching the design when putting the garment together.

If the material must be shrunk before making up, take care to hang it straight in drying and to hold ends and selvages even in pressing so that the weave runs straight and true, the specialists caution.

The easiest way to make the plaid match is to check the notches when laying on pattern pieces, making sure that a notch on the sleeve, for example, comes at the same place in the plaid as the corresponding notch in the arms-eye.

Very often it pays, the specialists say, to cut pieces one at a time rather than double material, except for those pieces which must be cut on a fold of the goods. Follow these suggestions and your plaid dress will be much easier to make.

**Mrs. J. P. Ward Is Guest Speaker at Club Meeting**

Forty guests and members of the Haskell Progressive Study Club were present Thursday evening in the high school home-making cottage for the regular October meeting of the club. Featured as guest speaker was Mrs. J. P. Ward, Aspermont club woman, who presented a review of the book, "The Life and Liter-



MARY FOWLER

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fowler are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Alonzo Cartwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis

**Annual Scouters Banquet Slated Tuesday Night**

The annual Haskell District meeting for all Boy Scout Workers and their ladies of Haskell County will be held Tuesday, November 1, 7:00 p.m., in Haskell at the School Cafeteria. Judge Ben Charlie Chapman, Haskell District chairman will preside. Purpose of the annual meeting is to honor the wives of all Boy Scout Leaders, elect district officers for the year 1950, review progress of the District Committee for 1949. Officers to be elected are District Chairman, District Vice-Chairman, and District Commissioner. These offices are now held respectively by Judge Chapman, Dr. T. W. Williams, and M. E. Overton.

Three boys, a Cub Scout from Rule, a Boy Scout from O'Brien, and an Explorer from Haskell, will be featured on the program this year. Each will point out values of Scouting to the boy. Bob Glew, Scout Executive of the Chisholm Trail Council will attend the Annual Meeting. Haskell District is one of seven districts which compose the Chisholm Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Each person planning to attend should notify their local attendance chairman by Monday so plans may be made for the dinner. Attendance chairmen are Judge Chapman, Haskell; the Rev. Huston Walker, Rule; R. R. King, Rochester; Dwight Gothard, O'Brien; Cliff Dunnam, Weinert; and Howard Montgomery, Paint Creek.

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**Registered Jersey Is Purchased For Haskell Farm**

Joe Zelisko of Haskell, has purchased the registered Jerseys, Design Tulip Dandy and Tulip Daisy Lady from the herd owned by J. Halliburton of Rochester, Texas.

Jerseys are registered at the national office of the American Jersey Cattle Club in Columbus, Ohio. The club has kept complete records on all Jerseys in the United States since 1893.

Jerseys are especially noted for producing milk that averages

more than 5 per cent butterfat. The breed also calves and starts producing milk from three to six months sooner than other dairy breeds. This means faster herd building and earlier milk checks, and makes Jerseys increasingly popular with dairymen.

**ANNOUNCE ARRIVAL OF SON**

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson of Merkel are announcing the arrival of a son, Robert Wayne, born Sunday morning, Oct. 23. He weighed seven pounds, six ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. E. L. Wilson of Merkel and A. D. English of Haskell.

**Wesleyan Service Guild Meeting Held Monday**

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday, Oct. 24, at 7 p. m., in the dining area of the annex of the First Methodist church for a buffet supper. Eleven members were present.

A program was given under the leadership of Mrs. J. A. Bynum in observance of Prayer Week. Those participating in the program were Mrs. Arlos Weaver, Mrs. John Martin, and Mrs. Royce Smith. A short business meeting and offering followed the program.



ANITA JO PITMAN

William H. Pitman and Anita Jo, to be married Nov. 20 at 6 o'clock in the evening of November 20 in the First Methodist Church. Rev. Vernon Henderson will read the ceremony.

—Photo by Zelma

**Net Club Showed**

H. D. Club of Mrs. Corbet presented the check and blue ribbons one of the first at the Haskell

County Fair. Mrs. Les Lewis gave timely topics and Mrs. Corbet Lytle gave an interesting demonstration on the many uses of salt. Mrs. R. H. Austin gave a talk on planting Blue Bonnets.

The H. D. Agent, Mrs. Vee Howle gave an interesting talk and demonstration on windbreaks and trees that serve the best.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Vee J. Howle, Mrs. Less Lewis, Mrs. Joe Holcomb, Mrs. Fred Knipping, Mrs. Rex Murry, Mrs. G. E. Davis, Mrs. Ed Conner, a guest Mrs. Montgomery, and the hostess.

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LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: E. T. Roberts, E. G. Sawyer and E. T. Sawyer are unknown to plaintiff; that T. L. Booth and Gracie Booth reside in Ector County, Texas

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 14th day of November, A. D., 1949, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, at the Court House in Haskell County, Texas.

Said plaintiff's 1st Amended Original petition was filed on the 1st day of October, 1949.

The file number of said suit being No. 7549.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

R. E. Booth as Plaintiff, and E. T. Roberts et al as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: R. E. Booth

E. T. Roberts et al No. 7549

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS.

Now comes the plaintiff in the above entitled and numbered cause and files this first amended original petition and for such amended petition plaintiff alleges the following:

1. That plaintiff, R. E. Booth, resides in Haskell County, in the State of Texas; that the residence of defendants, E. T. Roberts, E. G. Sawyer and E. T. Sawyer are unknown to plaintiff; that defendants, T. L. Booth and Gracie Booth, reside in Ector County, Texas, in the City of Odessa at 1002 East 5th Street.

2. That on or about the 1st day of August, 1949, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following land and premises situated in Haskell County in the State of Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to wit: Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), and eight (8) in Block five of the Pinkerton Sub-Division of Blocks five and six of the Rhomberg Addition to the town of Haskell, Texas, in the County of Haskell, Texas, as shown by map or plat of said Pinkerton Sub-Division, recorded in Volume 35, page 419 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas.

3. That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from him

the possession thereof, to his damage in the sum of two hundred and no/100 dollars.

That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is two hundred and no/100 dollars.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for his rents, damage and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to and in duty bound will ever pray.

T. R. Odell, Haskell, Texas, Attorney for plaintiff.

In the alternative, plaintiff says that he and those whose estate he has, claiming the same land described in the above petition under deeds, duly registered of record of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas, has had peaceful and continuous adverse possession of the land and tenements claimed in plaintiff's petition and fully described therein, using and enjoying the same and paying taxes due thereon before delinquency for a period of more than five years before the commencement of this suit and this he is ready to verify.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for his rents, damages and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to and in duty bound will ever pray.

T. R. Odell, Haskell, Texas, Attorney for plaintiff.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 1st day of October, A. D., 1949.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 1st day of October A. D., 1949.

Jesse B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Haskell County, Texas. 40-4tp.

Freshman Class Has Box Supper

The Freshman class had a box supper and tacky party recently in the gymnasium. The proceeds were to help the Freshmen elect their F. F. A. Sweetheart candidate, Betty Jo Herren. The following were present:

Francis Mullins, Louise Adams, Eva Adkins, Patsy Ruth Camp, Yvonne Cox, Joan Darden, Betty Jo Herren, Peggy Kennamer, Patsy Perdue, Ernestine Schooley, Peggy Sonnemaker, Patsy Turnbow, Wayne Bradford, Donald Dickey, Sam Matthews, Don Payne, Roy Don Rhoads, Jackie Skains, Louis Stephens, Jimmy White, Kimble Williams, Bobby Boutwell, Douglas Dendy, Thomas Holland, Kenneth Lane, Ralph Offill, Tommy Robison, Daniel Sloan, Bill Thomas, Nathan Tinkle, Larry Wheeler, Melva Bartley, Dolores Burnett, Bessie Chamberlain, Jesesie Kregar, Ann McFarlin, Jeanie Redwine, Eileen Rueffeur, Patty Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tyson and son, and Mrs. Duncan.

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Quarterback Club Organized at Meeting Of Local Sport Fans Monday Evening

Approximately forty local sport fans, meeting at the High School auditorium Monday evening, voted unanimously to organize a Haskell Quarterback Club.

The purpose of the club will be to foster high school athletics, and to assist in all possible ways the development of a strong, well rounded program of athletics in the community.

Officers, who will serve until the end of this fiscal year, September 1, 1950, were elected and include Joe Thomson, president; Royce Adkins, first vice-president; John E. Robison, second vice-president; and Chas. Swinson, secretary-treasurer.

Curtis Nichols, Vernon businessman and football enthusiast, was principal speaker at the meeting and gave highlights on the organization and operation of the Vernon club, one of the leading sports groups in this section.

Nichols also presented a film of a recent football game between Vernon and Sweetwater. The Vernon club meets each Monday and on most meeting nights a film of a local or Southwestern conference football game is shown, Nichols said.

Ralph Duncan served as master of ceremonies and acted as temporary chairman for the election of officers.

Thirty-nine members were signed at the meeting, and a membership committee, composed of Roy Cook, W. I. Coggins, J. E. Walling, Jr., R. C. Couch, Jr., John E. Robison, T. L. Florence, John F. Ivy, Thos. B. Roberson, and J. W. Holland was named to canvass for additional membership. A goal of 300 or more was set as the first years membership. The drive for members is to be conducted this week.

Other matters before the body included the selection of Monday night as the weekly meeting date temporarily in the high school auditorium, and the naming of a committee to write the Constitution and By-Laws which are to be presented at an early meeting.

The Quarterback Club is designed to correlate efforts of the various groups who have been actively interested in local high school athletics, and to bring a closer relationship between school officials, coaches, players and fans.

The purpose of setting the meetings on Monday night is to review the game the week before, and to develop interest in the game that week. On most meetings local coaches will describe the strength and weakness displayed by the local team, and discuss the possibilities for the team in the game the following Friday.

The next regular meeting of the club will be held in the school auditorium Oct. 31, at 7:30 p. m., and the public is invited to attend. A film of a recent Southwestern Conference game will be shown, and all coaches and players of the various school teams will be present and will be introduced, as well as a report from the membership committee.

Membership is open to the public and support of the school athletic program can best be expressed through the Quarterback Club.

It's Time to Cull Your Poultry Flocks

You are losing money every day, feeding non-layers in your flocks, and with the fall and winter egg season at hand, now is the time to rid of disease or unproductive hens.

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Dr. J. G. Flowers, president of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos, is the newly elected head of the Texas Society for Crippled Children. Other officers for 1949-50 are S. A. Kerr, Jr., Conroe, and Shine Phillips, Big Spring, vice-presidents; Mrs. Larry Nabholz, Dallas, treasurer; Lon Herbert, Alice; Mrs. Herman Olenbush, Waco, and Alvin Wylie, Kilmore, members-at-large. Martin M. Ricker, Dallas, is executive director of the charitable organization.

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Church Announcements

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH 114 Ave. D, South 2nd St. Rev. C. Jones, Pastor 10 a. m. Sunday School. 11 a. m. Morning Message. 7 p. m. Young People's Service. 8:00 p. m. Evening Message. Wednesday, 7:15 p. m. Prayer Meeting. Friday, 7:15 p. m. Teachers' Meeting and Young People's Training Service.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH South 5th St., East Rev. Joe Scheels, Pastor O. E. Nuckles, Sunday School Superintendent Sunday School—9:45 a. m. Preaching Service—11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer Service—Wednesday, 8 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH 400 South Avenue E. J. U. McMullen, Pastor 9:45 Sunday School. 11:00 Worship and Sermon. 6:30 Young People's Service. 7:30 Evangelistic Service. Monday, 2:30, Women's Missionary Council. Wednesday, 7:30, Prayer Meeting. Saturday, 7:30, Young Peoples Evangelistic Service.

5TH ST. BAPTIST CHURCH (Corner 5th St. & Ave. J) RULE, TEXAS Jesse Jones, Pastor 9:45 A. M. Sunday School. 11:00 A. M. Preaching Service. 6:30 P. M. Young People's Class. 7:00 P. M. Song Service. 7:30 P. M. Preaching Service. Wednesday, 7:00 P. M., Prayer Service. Friday, 7:00 P. M. Choir Practice and Teachers' Meeting.

PINKERTON BAPTIST CHURCH Jack D. Wester, Pastor Sunday School—10:00. Preaching Hour—11:00. Training Union—8:00. Monday Afternoon WMU—2:00. A Friendly Church invites a friendly visit from you. Evening Message—8:45. Prater and Song—8:00.

MATTSON BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Joe P. Self, Jr., Pastor 10:00 A. M. Sunday School. 11:00 A. M. Preaching Service. 7:45 P. M. Evening Service.

EAST SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. W. T. Priddy, Pastor 8:30 A. M. Radio Sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Priddy, over Station KWDT, Stamford. 9:45 A. M. Sunday School. 11 a. m. Morning Preaching Service. 7:00 p. m. — Young People's Meeting. 7:30 p. m.—Evening Preaching Service.

THE CHURCH OF GOD 909 South 1st Street, East Geo. Ivy, Pastor Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Message at 11:00 A. M. Preaching Sunday Evening 7:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting Tuesday 7:00 P. M.

Keep a bucket of sand handy to fight gasoline and oil fires.

LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES Trinity Lutheran church members will meet at the Presbyterian church in Haskell Sunday evening at 7:30 for services conducted by Rev. M. C. Hearnann.

CURRY CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching Service at 11:00 a. m. by pastor, J. W. Seay. Sunday evening service at 8:00 o'clock. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone is welcome. Come and bring your friends.

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BIG BEND NATIONAL PARK  
By HOWARD KING, Author  
Texas Tourist Travel Guide

From El Paso, the Rio Grande flows southeast for 200 miles, then turns south for nearly 100 miles; southeast again for about the same distance, then abruptly turns north and east. In this rampage it cuts an 18,000 square mile chunk out of Northern Mexico.

This rocky mountainous semi-arid country is called the Big Bend country because of the big "U" formed by the river. At the lowest part of the bend is Big Bend National Park.

The Big Bend Park consists of about 1,000 miles of dry, arid, rough, hot and dusty territory with a lofty range of scenic mountains in the center. The Rio Grande River, which curves around it, tears through majestic canyons with towering rocky walls. Some people say the park is a terrible place. Others think it is the most beautiful imaginable. To say the least, it is strange and different.

At present, the Big Bend country is a wild, untamed area, hard to get to and without comforts. For an idea of the plan of it, lay your right hand, palm up, on the table in front of you. Consider the town of Marathon somewhere on your forearm as the starting place. It is 80 miles south from Marathon to the Chisos Basin, represented by the palm of your hand. Your thumb points toward the town of Terlingua; your forefinger points to the Santa Elena Canyon; your middle finger extends south to Mariscal Canyon; and your little finger points to Boquillas. You can drive to the park boundary and from there to the Basin, to Terlingua, to Santa Elena Canyon or to Boquillas. There is no road to

Mariscal Canyon. From Marathon it is 40 miles south to Cooper's Store in Persimmon Gap. From there you drive through Tornillo (pronounced Tor-nee-yah) Desert and across Tornillo draw, past Rosillos (meaning red) and Christmas mountains. Ahead are the majestic Chisos (pronounced Cheesus) mountains, 8,000 feet high. The word means ghost and as your car pulls up and around the steep grades you see why. At 6,000 feet you pull over and down into the gorgeous basin where headquarters of the park are located. It is cool here. The pine and fir trees are tall and beautiful. The view is breathtaking.

Pack trips may be made back into the mountains.

Remembering the analogy given, you come back from the palm of your hand and pass along the thumb to Terlingua outside the park. This trip is over bad roads, passable in dry weather, but scenic beyond description.

Terlingua is a mining town consisting of a great quicksilver mine, commissary, and a number of adobe houses. There are a few quaint roadside stores and big mines along this road.

The road to Santa Elena Canyon winds over mountains and past vast areas of great erosions resembling the Grand Canyon—hot, dry, colorful. This is the "loneliest road on earth" but you finally see before you the great green and olive rocky wall called Mesa Anguila. The river flows through a crack in the wall. This is the world-famous Santa Elena Canyon. The walls are more than 1,500 feet high but you see them from the bottom—not the top.

Mariscal, also a great canyon, is formed by a gap in the Mariscal mountains, through which the river flows for 12 miles. Its rapids are practically impassible.

Travelers along the road to Boquillas find the going rough and hot. Just before reaching the river, you come upon the hot springs where a tiny bath house is located. You can usually ride a burro across the river but a strong cable over the river furnishes a primitive trolley car

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## Texas Egg Laying Contest Is Now Underway

The 1949-50 Texas Farm and Home Egg Laying contest got underway on October 1 and will close on July 31, 1950. Changes in the rules and regulations and the regrouping of the flocks, says Cecil Williams, assistant extension

poultry husbandman of Texas A. and M. College, should make the contest even better than the one just concluded.

This year according to Williams there are four groups set up for the competing flocks. In the 100-300 hen flocks, there are 82 entries with a total of 14,236 birds involved. In the 301 to 600 hen flocks, 32 flock owners have entries and involved are 12,988 birds. In the 601 to 1,000 size flock, there are 12 entries with a total

of 10,074 birds and there are seven entries in the division for flocks of over 1,000 birds with a total of 8,626 hens. The 135 flocks in this year's contest are located in 46 different counties in the state, says Williams.

The high four flocks in each group will receive a cash award from the Texas Poultry Council, sponsors of the contest along with the poultry husbandry department of the Texas A. and M. College System.

## Hallow'en Pranksters Due To Prowl Monday Night

Remember the appearance of downtown Haskell on a Sunday morning about a year ago?

Hallow'en comes again Monday, and those same pranksters are a year older and probably will be augmented by smaller fry seeking thrills of a daring nature—they'll all probably be out in full strength to repeat last year's upsetting and sometimes destructive pranks.

Loose signs, small buildings, wrecked cars, trucks and tractors, not to mention that car you may leave parked in front of your home, will be possible prey for the pranksters.

And it's a cinch that a lot of window washing will be required Tuesday morning on display windows in the business section.

Results of research work done at the Spur Experimental Station on the control and eradication of mesquite trees indicate that formulations of the chemical 2, 4, 5-T applied as sprays may be the answer to this range land problem.

A good cover of the better grasses on range lands is good insurance against mesquite seedling invasion.

Gasoline may be obtained at Cooper's Store, park headquarters and occasionally at Terlingua. Water is available at Cooper's Store, park headquarters and at a spring at the park entrance. There is a road from Alpine to Terlingua and on into the park. It is winding, narrow, and not good in bad weather.

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