da York londay at Home Here

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and also was a mem-Daisy Apple and

Cemetery with order. Home in charge

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acilities in Handled Official

FHA announced today. Stamford lman also announced on of Robert C. Pope, Stonewall Counties County FHA office, lohe northeast corner of

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ne borrower may \$3,500 in any one

Santa Letters To Be Printed

It is time for the kiddies to write letter to Santa Claus again, and The Free Press would like to print as many letters from our young friends as possible

We suggest that primary teachers and parents assist the youngsters with their letters to St. Nick as early as possible and see that they reach The Free Press office.

Jaycees Launch ague County before Street Campaign

Haskell's Junior Chamber of Eastern Star. Commerce, after several months her husband and of comparative activity because few years. Earl E. York of of conflicting interests, met Tues-York, Ft. Worth; day evening and launched a cam-Guymon, Okla.; paign which members hope will Stamford: George bring hot topping or paving to Antonio; a brother, several streets in Haskell. Presi-Nocona, Texas; and dent Bill Wilson reports that a Mrs. Ida Clark of committee has been appointed to Mrs. Emily Pinkerton, get estimates on several kinds of street surfacing and that the Jay-Texas: Mrs. Maggie cees will work with the City Worth; Mrs. Bell O'- Council on the project.

Mrs. Vera Hill, The junior chamber also is working with the senior Chamber Brown, of Nocona. of Commerce in an effort to sedehildren also sur- cure a larger police force for Haskell. Especially do the organfor Mrs. York izations point to reckless driving the First Baptist and disturbances in the business ay at 2:30 p. m., and residential districts at night, y Rev. H. G. Hammer when the present law enforcessisted by Rev. J. H. ment officials are not on duty in Interment sufficient number to maintain

were Frank Oman, Munday to Meet bearers were Coleman for Title

Munday's Moguls looked convincing last week in downing a scrappy Seymour Panther aggre- Local Hunters Get gation to annex the bi-district crown in 11A and 12A. The score 4 Blacktail Deer was 20-0 and is pretty indicative

will meet the Coleman Bluecats ders, Will Lee, Andy Norris, Jas. find winner of the Oblief-State over a wide area of Cenfort the championship of Region 3. W. Kennedy, all of Haskell, and Paint Creek-Stamford tilt at 8 o'- tral West Texas.

Haskell Albany

of the Farm Security Rites Held Friday ation, as interim super-large of the Haskell and For W. E. Welsh

Funeral rites for W. E. Welsh, of Haskell County prominent Haskell farmer and former county official who died ers' Home Adminis- last Thursday morning from inted by the 79th Con- juries suffered in a fall, were over function of FSA held at the First Baptist Church effective November 1. December 6 at 3:30 o'clock, conagency will make pro- ducted by Rev. Jordan Grooms, subsistence loans as pastor of First Methodist Church, is for farm purchases. assisted by Elder S. H. Richards, are available only to Primitive Baptist minister of Rule. are unable to get the Burial was in Willow Cemetery

> Active pallbearers were: Bob Herren, T. A. Rhoads, Henry Atkeison, Cliff Berry, John E. Rob-

y made by the Farm Named as honorary pallbearers ministration. Loans were members of the I.O.O.F. of family-type Stamford, Bill Carothers of Roch- the county organizations were beneeded improvements, ester, John E. Robertson, Dr. E. ing received at the State Headscheduled over a M. Kimbrough, Dr. T. W. Wil- quarters in the Driskill Hotel in years, and interest liams, Lon Pate, Sam A. Roberts, Austin. A. M. Turner, W. Q. Casey, John credit extended by A. Couch, Carlton Couch, T. C. Arthur Merchant, A. H. Wair, By- appeal for support in the camand adjustment-type ron Wright, Buford Cox, Charlie paign to combat polio, which per cent interest. Conner, W. A. Duncan, F. T. San-struck Texas worse in 1946 than ent-type credit is ders, Dennis Ratliff, Bill Ratliff, in many years. He said that cam-

supervisors. It is Savings Bond Sales by on - the - farm Low In November

Sales of Series E War Savings Bonds in Haskell County during the month of November totaled \$11,187.00, about one-fourth of the Treasury's quota of \$48,000 assigned to Haskell County. This information was received this week by R. C. Couch, county chairman, from the State committee. Although no concerted selling campaign for U. S.
Savings Bonds has been inaugurated, Mr. Couch explained that the bond purchases
are urgel us insurance against

Farmers' Income In County Triples 1940 Basic Year

More than tripling their annual gross income in comparison with 1940, as reported by the U.S. Bureau of Census, Haskel! County farm families last year produced crops and livestock with the record value of more than \$7,606,000.

This huge increase in farm revenue has already created heavy demand for general farm improvements and for home remodeling. according to a study released by the Tile Council of America. With every industry anticipating greater business in the state than before the war, floor and wall tile manufacturers alone expect their sales here to triple in the next

"Increased sales of industrial products mean in turn a new level of prosperity for every local

has already resulted, according to daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude

Forst also pointed out that farmers in the county today have 480 more tractors than in 1940, according to the Bureau of Census, and that the number of trucks on farms has likewise increased substantially. facts not only indicate the importance of the farm market but also make it one which no busiford to overlook," he said.

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Kenny Funds in State Reach Goals

A final appeal to Haskell County people for support in the 1946 Sister Elizabeth Kenny Infantile serve the information contained Paralysis Foundation fund camneed at interest rates under direction of Holden Funer- paign ha sbeen made by George Committee of the Foundation.

Chairman Francisco said that support to the campaign had been gratifying throughout the state and that practically every county

number of Texas counties and it by the Farm Security
On, and is based on O. E. Patterson, Raul English of could be mailed direct to the Drisall such contributions would be credited to the quota of the countributions are still being made. In of four for one week. several of the larger counties of the state, the campaign has been extended until December 21.

Newt Orr Dies In Olney Hospital

Word has been received in Haskell by A. C. Orr that his brother, Newt Orr, died in an Olney hospital this (Thursday) morning

Newt Orr had lived in Haskell

H. H. S. Annual Favorites

HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DEC. 12, 1946





PAT HARRISON

Residential Construction the last term of her Sophomore Harrison

Pairings Given for Basketball Tourney

Coaches of Haskell High School Paint Creek will meet Stamford fitting ranges and grassland. Thursday evening at 7:30, Rule Total rainfall measured

ning.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, and

Being Assigned

City Secretary J. Belton Dun-can this week-end will begin mailing to all residents and bustheir street address and house number as shown on the new City map which has been in process of completion for several months.

Residents are requested to preon the card, in order to properly mark their homes or places of ments are met.

REX POWER

Pat Harrison, the students' | The winning personality of Rex ferred to a local law firm for exbusinessman and worker," said D. choice for Best All-Around Girl Power gained him the title of Best amination of legal phases involv-P. Forst, chairman of the Coun- has only been in Haskell since All Around Boy this year. He has ed. Further action on the fran-Ommittee. Year. But she soon became pop- been a student in Haskell schools Council after all legal technicalThe study shows that many ular because of her friendly smile all his school life and is well lik- ities are examined, it was refarm improvements were made and jolly personality. Pat was ed by everyone. He has played liably reported. even during the war. Since 1940, candidate for F.F.A. Sweetheart football three years and is the cofor example, the number of farm last year and was cheer leader of captain of the team this year. He Wheat Varieties homes reporting electric lights the Pep Squad both last year and was vice-president of his class in here has increased from 280 to this. She is a loyal member of his Sophomore and Junior year Tested on Farm 526. Heavy demand for such her class and her enthusiasm to- and is president of the Senior modernizing as installation of ward everything she enters is Class this year. Rex takes part in North of Haskell running water, tiling of bathrooms outstanding to all her many all the activities in the school and and improving kitchen layouts friends. Pat is a Senior and the is a friend to one and all. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Soaking Rain Brings 2.43 Inches Moisture

Slow, soaking rains which fell vitational basketball tournament week halted gathering of the renessman or manufacturer can af- to be staged in the local gymnasi- maining cotton and grain sorum Thursday, Friday and Satur- ghums, and will hold up farm day of this week. First game of operations for several days, but the turney pits O'Brien against gave a bumper start to grain and Mattson at 6:30 Thursday evening. winter forage crops while bene-

faces Knox City at 8:30 the same during the three-day period from vious fall rains will provide one Fourth game of the tourney will of the best winter seasons in years, find winner of the O'Brien-Matt- farmers declare. The rains were

ons of District 3B and bi-district Attend Funeral of winners over the Clyde Bulldogs, Haskell Man in Washington, D. C., and war- reeled off at 7 o'clock Saturday District 4B winners, will meet the Happy Cowboys on the Rochester feild Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

harral last week.

COMMUNITY SINGING AT FUNDAMENTAL CHURCH

An event looked forward to Francisco, Jr., of Houston, business with the approved street lovers is the Community Singing Welsh, Fort Worth; Mrs. Chairman of the Texas Executive numbers. These may be secured held at the Fundamental Bap-Hannsz, Abilene; Mrs. Jarvis, locally at small cost, Mr. Duncan tist Church in this city. The reg- Munday; Mr. and Mrs. Linden said. Numbering of all houses in ular December program is sched- Walton, Munday; Mrs. Fred Schlee for 100 per cent of the Lodge, and George Flournoy of ed "over the top." Reports from five department when all requires their own books and sing their all of Abilian Boyer, fice department when all require- their own books and sing their all of Abilene; Paul Duncan, Dud-

There was no organization in a Basket of Foods Costs More Today . . . Home Administration Cahill, Hollis Atkeison, Wallace was to these counties that Chair-But Housewives Already Knew That!

"Come and get it" is a high-costs, in 1941 and now, showed: Tom Davis, Jason Smith, Otho paign contributions, which are de-Haskell housewives already cents a dozen to 67 cents; butter,

kill Hotel headquarters and that knew it, but the bureau of labor 36 cents to 95 cents a pound; cofstatistics put it in black and white fee, 19 cents a pound to 44 cents ty from which they were received. columns figures showing increas- per pound; round steak, 33 cents The campaign came to an offi- ed prices on a market basket of per pound to 64 cents; potatoes, cial end on last Saturday but con- 25 items enough to feed a family two cents a pound to five cents;

Regional BLS Director Dr. Ar- cents to 12 cents; and sugar, five thur A. Smith said the food items and a half cents a pound to nine listed now cost \$16.63, up from and a half cents. \$16.03 a month ago. Price for the Other items included in the same basket last January was food basket, were oleomargine, \$12.64, and curious Haskell people lard, bacon, chuck roast, chicken, learned from newspaper adver- flour, corn flakes and rolled oats, tisements of the same items that cabbage, onions, canned peas, the cost was only \$8.09 in 1941. green beans and tomatoes, ban-

to 18 and one-half cents; eggs, 39 day. small loaf of white bread, eight

Gas Franchise in Haskell Okehed By Voters Friday

Polling more than five hundred ballots last Friday in a referenlum to determine the opinion of Haskell residents on the proposed ranting of a gas franchise to M. E. Trapp, voters in the referendum gave overwhelming endorsement to the proposal, voting 330 for and 191 against the proposed new franchise, on the basis of an unofficial tabulation of the votes. Heaviest vote favoring the proposal was reported polled by resdents in the east part of town, n areas not now served with At regular meeting of the City

council Tuesday afternoon, official tabulation was made of the voting, and ordinance embodying the proposed franchise was rebeen a student in Haskell schools Council after all legal technicalchise will be considered by the

A farmer test to determine the value of different varieties of wheat is being made by Virgil Sonnamaker on his farm north of

Westar, Wichita, Early Triumph,
Earl Blackhull, and Ramona.

Wichita seed Due Next Year came from J. M. Hatton of Spear-

have announced plans for an in- during the first three days of the man, Texas. The Early Triumph homa. inally came from California and reasons.

Object of this test, according to West Texas Utilities Company for Bell F. W. Martin, County Agent, un- a new street lighting system here. only fair baking qualities.

The remarkable record of the of W. E. Welsh last Friday were: Steers is matched by the unde- Dr. Hugh C. Welsh, Houston; Barfeated and untied Happy team ton Welsh, Texas City; Mr. and which has rolled to 282 points to Mrs. Horace Payne and daughter their opponents' 24 over the en- Anne, Moody, Texas; Mr. and ing been gone about 31 years. tire season. Happy won the right Mrs. David E. Burt, Jackson, They are to occupy the Woodrow mailing to all residents and business establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by virtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments, cards listing to play for the championship by wirtue of their 7-6 win over Whitiness establishments and the championship by wirtue of the c Bickley and son Maples, Peters- Hemphill has had 44 years acburg, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. tive experience in the oil business Silvers, Rogers, Texas; Wilson E. and was attracted back to his nert. Evans, Littleriver, Texas; Roy home town by oil activity near Marks, Rogers, Texas; E. E. Haskell. He declares oil possi-Welsh Jr., Abilene; Mrs. Roy Wea- bilities in this county look good each month by singers and music Cecil Weaver, Albany; Alfred is moving back to what will probthe city is the first step toward uled for Sunday afternoon, Dec. of Dallas; Mrs. Bonnie Daven- family. The younger Hemphills securing city mail delivery, which 15, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, and port, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. have a new son and the grandparhas already been tentatively ap- all singers and musicians are in- Buster Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. ents are to see him for the first ley Duncan, Mrs. J. E. Duncan, Duck Hunters Bang George Flournoy, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker, all of Stamford; Jno.

ATTEND MEETING OF MAYTAG DEALERS

E. Robertson, San Angelo.

C. P. Woodson of Woodson Radio & Electric, and one of his service men, Eulice Booe, attended a Maytag dealers meeting and

HOSPITAL NOTES

Hespital Thursday morning: Miss Willie Riley, W. E. Bland, G. W. Logan, Maggie Fisher, Mrs. Jim Henshaw, Mrs. M. W. Bry- GUEST IN SHERRILL HOME ant, Bobbie Joe King, Barbara Ann Kelly, Mrs. W. R. Fisher, Baby Gordon, Mrs. M. F. Flan-

Bargain Days on Papers Soon Over

Free Press readers are re-minded this week that Bargain Days on both this paper and dailies will be over December 31, and are urged to renew their subscriptions as soon as possible. Continued shortage of newsprint makes it almost certain that no papers will extend Bargain Days

Beginning January 1 The Free Press will be \$2 a year in Haskell and adjoining counties and \$2.50 elsewhere, whereas subscriptions are being taken now at \$1.50 and \$2.

The Star-Telegram is \$10.95 now, \$15 after the first; The Abilene Reporter - News \$7.95 now and \$12 January 1: The Wichita Falls Record-News or Times \$8.25 now, \$12 after first of the year; The Fort Worth Press \$5 now, \$6 after Janu-

The Free Press is local agent for all these dailies and will be glad to handle subscriptions at these Bargain Day rates until December 31. Subscribers are urged to come in as early as possible and avoid possibility of missing copies. Renewals for The Star-Telegram must be accompanied by the pink address label on the paper, and no new

subscriptions can be accepted. Those who have regular accounts with The Free Press are invited to phone in renewals and charges will be made January 1.

The varieties to be tested are Christmas Lights

Trade Extension Committee of came from a breeder in Okla-homa. The Blackhull is home has announced definite plans to ley, Edna Minick, Mary H. Margrown in Haskell County, while use extensive Christmas lighting tin, Chorus. the Ramona seed came from the in the business district in 1947, it farm of James W. Kennedy of has been announced. Lights were to You"-Mrs. Vannie Lee What-Haskell. The Ramona seed orig- not strung this year for several ley. The city has contracted with

der whose direction the test is and work already is underway on being made, is to see if there are that project. Because of the conother varieties that will mature fusion trying to tie Christmas as early and yield as much or lights into an electric system almore than Early Blackhull. Early ready undergoing changes and re-Blackhull is the most pouular va- pairs, the CC committee thought riety in Haskell County but has it unwise to attempt the holiday The wheat was planted from the is an acute shortage of Christmas LOSE I WO Lames sion Committee has set about getting the materials together and in repair for next year.

Among out - of - town relatives Former Residents Return to Haskell

Ross Hemphill and family are

Vernon ably be his permanent home. The Hemphills are leaving Sun-

day for Los Angeles, Cal., to visit their son, D. G. Hemphill and his

Away in County

area, along with other sections of aminers, Veterans Administration, West Texas in the southern zone, Branch Office No. 10, 114 Comare now banging away at the few merce street, Dallas, Texas, not ducks showing up. The hunting later than December 17, 1946. outlook isn't too bright, however, eccording to sportsmen. Colder weather that arrived first or second-class post office.

he first of the week is expected o speed flights of ducks from the northern states and Canada to warmer winter feeding places. State game employees state that ducks and geese will be fewer this winter, anyway. The bag limit The following patients were has been reduced to sever ducks registered in the Haskell County per day, with possession limited to two days 'kill. The season ends on January 6.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Sherrill nin, Mrs. L. A. Jones, Mrs. J. R. of Pittsburgh, Pa., recently en-Edwards, Dr. J. B. Parmelly. tertained Mr. Dale Middleton, Courtney Hunt, well k Patients dismissed: Baby Gil- formerly of Stamford, Texas, in kell business man, was a patient The figures were based on week end prices, and ads checked included those of five years ago.

But housewives said that little could be saved by buying on week ends now.

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The figures were based on week ends oranges, prunes and beans.

Dr. Smith, whose figures are ton, Mrs. Bill Barround flies all over the country. He has recently been helping with the establishment of two new United to be removed to his home Thursday, and will go to Abilene for ter, the first to be tried out.

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Patients dismissed: Baby Gillion for their home. Mr. Middleton is a United States postal inspector and flies all over the country. He has recently been helping with the establishment of two new United States postal routes by helicopters and flies all over the country. He has recently been helping with the establishment of two new United States postal routes by helicopters and their home. Mr. Middleton is a United States postal inspector and flies all over the country. He has recently been helping with the establishment of two new United States postal routes by helicopters and flies all over the country. He has recently been helping with the establishment of two new United States postal routes by helicopters and flies all over the country. He has several days this week, after having been stricken with severe ill-new for the route of the country of Stamford, Texas, in their home. Mr. Middleton is a United States postal inspector and flies all over the country. He has several days this week, after having been helping with the establishment of two new United States postal routes by helicopters and their home. The first having the first having the following the first having the first have and the first having the first having the first having the first hav

Christmas Cantata By Harmony Club Set Sunday Night

The Harmony Club will present their annual Christmas cantata, Sunday evening December 15, at the First Presbyterian Church.

Complete program for the traditional Christmas service, which will begin at 7:30 o'clock, follows: Cantata, "The King Cometh" by R. M. Stults. Director: Mrs. Hubert Bell.

Processional-Mrs. O. E. Pat-Christmas Story-Rev. Jordan

Prayer-Rev. H. R. Whatley. Junior Chorus. Prelude-Mrs. O. E. Patterson. Awake, Awake, Put on Thy

trength, O Zion"-Chorus. Part One-A King Is Promised: 'And There Shall Come Forth Rod"-Soprano solo, Mrs. Floyd Cook; Mezzo solo, Miss LaVera Riley. Chorus.

"Therefore the Lord Himself Shall Give You a Sign" - Jean

"For Unto Us a Child Is Born' -Miss Edna Minick, Mrs. Mary H. Martin and Chorus. "Thy Kingdom Is An Everlasting Kingdom"-Chorus; Trio, Jean Conner, Edna Minick and Mary

H. Martin. Part Two-The Incarnation: "And the Angel Said Unto Mary"—Edna Minick and Mrs.

"He Shall Be Great"-Chorus. "And the Word Was Made Flesh"-Chorus.

Part Three-The King Is Born: "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Field"-Chorus. "And Lo, The Angel of The Lord"-Jean Conner, LaVera Ri-

"And This Shall Be a Sign Un-

"Glory to God In the Highest" -Chorus; Soprano Obligatto, Mrs.

Night"-Misses Jean Conner, Edna Minick, Mesdames Mary H. Martin and Hubert Bell. Benediction-Jordan Groot

Indians Win One,

The Haskell Indians went to O'-Brien Thursday and Saturday where they entered a basketball tournament. The cagers played their first game of the season with O'Brien Thursday night and lost 24-12. The Indians went back Saturday to play for consolation In the first game the cagers won over Knox City by a 28-16 margin. Saturday afternoon they played Benjamin and lost 14 to 16. After losing to Benjamin the Indians were out of the tourna-

The next game will be an invitation tournament here at Haskell Dec. 12-13-14. Those entering the tournament are Haskell 'A' and B' teams, O'Brien, Rule, Mattson, Knox City, Paint Creek, and Wei-

Civil Service Offers Advisors Positions

Civil Service examination for jobs as Vocational Advisors in the Veterans Administration have been announced by the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Veterans Administration, Dallas. Salaries for the positions, which will be filled in VA agencies in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, range from \$3397.20 to \$7102.20 per year.

Applications must be on file with the Executive Secretary, Duck hunters in the Haskell Board of U. S. Civil Service Ex-

Application forms and further information may be secured at any

Seniors to Present Popular Radio Stars

Senior Class of Haskell High School will sponsor a program by the Stamps All Star Quartet of Wichita Falls, Texas, to be given in the high school auditorium Tuesday December 31 at 7:30 p. m. The well-known entertainers are heard regularly over radio

Courtney Hunt, well know Has-

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Free Enterprise At Work

Those who forecast that the virtual elimination of price control and a return to the free market would result date in 1925. in immediate and disastrous inflation, were as badly fooled as will be those who think that prees will return to ter for that city's municipal water "normal" overnight.

What actually happened was that some prices actually rose in the first flurry after decontrol, while some turned downward. The idea that the public would pay any price for anything was proven baseless. As Time put Haskell County milo maize won it, "More and more sales clerks heard two long forgotten phrases: 'How much is it?' and 'No, thanks.' " And in the last week of October, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, food prices declined as much as 4 per cent.

On top of that, there has been a very noticeable improvement in the supply of both manufactured goods and farm products. That simply means that supplies are flowing through legitimate channels-and that the black market is expiring.

On both the producing and retailing levels, the normal, healthy process of competition are once more in evidence-and these processes are the best guarantee we have of a progressive, stable economy. Stores are going out for the customer's business. They are keeping prices He at the lowest level consistent with the times. The free enterprise system is working-as it has always worked when freed of government imposed fetters.

Some Facts About Coal

Many people, observing the apparently endless labor troubles that beset the soft coal inlustry, may have come to the conclusion that the miners are an overworked lot, laboring long hours at starvation wages.

So some facts recently released by the National Coal Association are deserving of widespread recognition.

In August, the average weekly earnings of bituminous coal miners was \$62.37—a higher average weekly earnings figure than reported by any other industry in the United States. It was 161.18 per cent higher than in 1939.

The rise in the cost of living between 1939 and August, 1946, on the other hand, was 44.6 per cent, according to the Eureau of Labor Statistics.

The coal miners' hourly earnings in August averaged \$1,467-an increase of 65.8 per cent over 1941. So whether wages are figured on a weekly or an hourly basis, it is apparent that they have far outrun rises in the cost of living.

It has been said that the miners must work a 54-hour week-because some mines work six days a week-some weeks. But very few miners work all of the six days. In June, for example, for which government figures are available, the average work week was 42.9 hours.

Again, one hour of the nine-hour work days is spent. theoretically at least, in traveling back and forth to the working place. That means that while the miner actually works only eight hours, he gets paid for nine.

Lastly, the standard work week in the industry is now 35 hours-and all time worked over 35 hours is paid for at the rate of one and one-half.

These are facts—and they will come as real news to millions of people. They indicate that the United Mine Workers' leadership is not so much concerned with wages and hours as it is with ruthless and limitless domination of a great industry.

The first idea of method is a progressive transition from one step to another in any course.—Coleridge.

Method is not less requisite in ordinary conversation tnan in writing, provided a man would talk to make himself understood .- Addison.

Bootleg Ranges

No, we are not in the Bootlegging Business but we are getting in a few good standard brand ranges and are selling them at Factory Recommended Prices.

We handle the Maytag Dutch Oven - Estate - Grand -

WOODSON RADIO & ELECTRIC

FEDERAL LAND BANK **LOANS**

Now 4%, time 20 to 34 years. Land Bank Commissioners Loans now 5%, time 10 to 20 years. National Farm Loan Association Office W. H. McCandless, Secty-Treas. HASKELL, TEXAS

20 Years Ago-Dec. 9, 1926

Fire destroyed an entire busiess block in the little city of Sagerton early Wednesday morning, Dec. 3, and aside from the huge property loss, one man was killed and two others severely injured when they were crushed beneath the falling wall of a brick building destroyed in the blaze. Killed was Clarence Pilley, while Seins were injured. The days this week. fire is believed to have started in small cafe, and quickly spread Store, Mrs. Stein's Store, Darden Haskell this week & Engleman Grecery, and Martin

Explosion of a gasoline stove in Collier Grocery Monday morning Bros. aused slight damage to a portion of the stock and fixtures in the

Cotton ginnings in Haskell ounty were reported at 30,703 les on Nove. 14, compared to for a warehouse 46x140 w 35,482 bales ginned to the same will house his implement

system, and city officials announce that york of laying the nains will be started about the first of the year.

At the recent International Livestock Exposition in Chicago, of pork to be sold by the store first and third places, and kaffir rom this county won third premum in competition with exhibits rom all over the United States nd Canada. Awards were aninced as follows: Milo maize-First, J. D. Hughes Jr., Haskell; Third, W. P. Trice, Haskell. Kaf-W. P. Trice, third place, Has-

46 Years Ago-Dec. 8, 1906

S. C. Bascom of Owensville, Ky. as here this week looking after his land interest in this county. is owner of the Thos. D. Ow-Survey a few miles southeast trial in district court. R. B. Fields killed a ten months

pig last week that weighed 345 pounds. He says that's proof hat hogs will thrive in this sec-B. S. Long of the Howard com-

nunity reports that he has gath- them are pretty rough. ed sixteen bales of cotton from w. D. Garren of the southwest

pale per acre. Mrs. M. S. Shook and children

Your Electric Servant

returned Wednesday from Miner-

staying for several weeks. The Ballew school opened last Monday with Miss Lola Wallis a teacher.

al Wells where they have bee

Lee Pierson returned a f days ago from an extended visi in the weastern part of the state Wm. Sager of Sagerton, found er of that thriving town on the Public Weigher Tom Clark and Orient, was in Haskell severa

A Denton, Texas, nursery mad delivery of 4,000 fruit, shade an consume Berman Dry Goods ornamental trees to purchasers A trainload of cattle was ship-

ped out Wednesday by W. T. Hudson, S. S. Cummings and Hugh M. R. Hemphill has been ser

ing as deputy sheriff during th present term of district court. J. W. Bell has purchased sit hardware business.

50 Years Ago-Dec. 5, 1896

T. G. Carney of the firm of Carney & Co. told us the other day that he planned to kill and cure between 8,000 and 10,000 pounds

during the coming year M. S. Pierson left Friday for East Texas to look after busines interests in that section

Mr. Peeler and family have moved here from Kaufman Coun ty and will occupy W. P. Whitman's farm next year.

R. M. Smith carried his family lown to Abilene the first of the week where they took the train er a visit with relatives and friends in Falls, Comanche and McLennan Counties.

A number of Stonewall County people were here this week a witnesses and spectators in two eases transferred to Haskell T. J. Lemmon made a shipmen

of beef cattle to market this week ia Seymour Frank Armstrong got back rom Indian Territory this week.

He says there is a greatly mixed lot of people there and some

Lee Garrett went down to Graam the first of the week with wagons to move the household part of the county says his cotton goods of Rev. M. L. Moody to is turning out three fourths of a this place. Rev. Moody will conluct his first services here Sun-



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hereby given that tockholders of the CELL NATIONAL BANK Haskell, Texas, will be held in tian University, Fort Worth, for he offices of said bank in the this football season was Marion city of Haskell, State of Texas, at Owens of Weinert.

2 o'clock p. m., on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1947. the same being the 14th day of such other business that may said month, for the purpose of properly come before said meetelecting a board of directors for ing said bank and the transaction of 4-1c

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home after several weeks visit in War II dead, has prepared for tributica to the next of kin and interested persons a "Summary of information on Return and Reburial of World War II Dead. This summary contains an explantion of this program and will provide many of the answers to problems and questions of next of

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Mrs. Roberta Phillips returned Monday from a month's visit with

who will visit with her.

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were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Rob- have charge of the entertainment to the following: Patty Viney, Those present for the occasion erts and Judy of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts, Joyce and Delois of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Logan and little son of Seminole, Okla., Mrs. R. L. Banks and Melba Jean of Haskell, Mrs. A. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. W. Logan and Loraine

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The annual Christmas party of the Harmony Club will be held little son, Jackie, on his third G. W. Roberts on December 1 next Tuesday evening December birthday with a party in the home 17, at 8:30 p. m. The program will of the honoree's aunt, Mrs. G. W. on her 62nd birthday. A special be under the direction of Mrs. T. Roberts. The children played seving cake was baked by her daughter, R. Odell with other club members eral games and Jackie opened his mas Story was given by Eleventrical contents. assisting. A Christmas Story will many nice gifts. Other features of the program will candles was enjoyed and plate was read by Netha Lynn Jones. spent taking kodak pictures and be given by the High School Chor- favors were candle holders with Mary Martin, Gladys Darnell and us with Mrs. Hubert Bell direct- little candles. ing. The social committee will | Cake and soda pop were served

> PARENTS OF DAUGHTER Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nesbhut Marr, Alta Mae Roberts, Jerry class.

of Phoenix Arizona are announ- Don Oliphant, Joe Edd Viney and cing the arrival of a baby daughter Nevember 27. Mrs. Nesbhut Daniels, Mrs. R. L. Banks, Mrs. W. Roberts and children, and Mrs. will be remembered as Florene Ccok formerly of Haskell.

Gift Party Honors

G. W. Roberts.

Mrs. D. A. New, Mrs. Walter Vin-

ey, Mrs. Jack Daniels and Mrs.

Jackie Daniels Is

Birthday Honoree

leigh Conner was given Friday Jerrene Couch, Mary Louise Tate. night from 6 to 8 in the home of Geraldine Spain, Mary Watson, Mrs. Claude Norman. Mrs. Con- Anna Mae Davis, Mildred Newner is the former Martha Jean ton, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Cretia Holcomb, daughter of Mr. and Brooks, Blanche Starr, Bessie Mae Mrs. Joe Holcomb.

The guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Claude Norman and presented to the receiving line, composed of Mrs. Raleigh Conner, Mrs. Joe Holcomb, Mrs. Carlos Conner, and Miss Emma Jo Hol- for a three week's visit their oldcomb. Mary Wilson gave piano selections. Romona Goodloe and Martha Norman assisted with selections and selections. Romona Goodloe and Martha Norman assisted with selected to Fresno, where he is employed to the selected to serving. Mrs. J. E. Geer and Mrs. Alvin Norman poured coffee. Car-olyn Turner and Eddie Bess Fouts of Haskell, Patsy Davis and Ruth Allen showed gifts. Wanda Jo Norman presided at the register. Others assisting in the house party were Mrs. Raymond Denson, Mrs. Marlin Wilson, Mrs. Lonnie Martin, Mrs. J. E. Kittley and Mrs. F. E. Gauntt. About 172 guests registered.

T.E.L. Class Meets With Mrs. Watson

Christmas decorations made the cooms very festive, when Mrs. Hugh Watson was hostess to the members of the T. E. L. Class and several guests in her home Tues-The meeting was opened

singing Crown Him Lord of All, and prayer was offered by Miss Ida Crawford. The president, Mrs. Joe Maples,

presided for the business session The secretary gave a good monthly report, saying there were fourteen women who were present every Sunday the past month.

Joy to the World, O Come All Ye Faithful, and Silent Night were sung. Mrs. Cretia Brooks brought a beautiful devotional, with "Jesus the Promised One" as the central theme. Reference was made to scripture in Genesis, Isiah, John and Matthew, and the discussion was closed by repeating from memory the story of Christ's birth, as recorded in the second chapter of Matthew. Mrs. White-

ker lead in prayer. Mrs. R. C. Couch Jr., gave two enjoyable readings, "When It's Just Two Weeks 'Til Christmas" by Fred J. Sylva, and "It Ain't the Gift." A quiz on Christmas love followed, and Mrs. Jack Merchant was presented with a small gift for being the most adept at answering the questions.

Numbers were passed and the gifts from the tree, which bore corresponding numbers, were distributed among the guests. Mrs. Arthur Merchant's group served fruit cake, coffee and small candies to Mesdames J. W. Martin, O. E. Oates, J. W. Gholson, J. T. O. E. Oates, J. W. Gholson, J. T. Bynum, Jno. Couch, R. C. Couch, Sr., Linna Cunningham, J. A. Bailey, J. A. Dilbeck, F. L. Peavy, S. A. Roberts, R. Y. Mobley, R. J. Paxton, H. R. Whatley, J. E. Walling Sr., Jno. Ellis J. W. Bledsoe, Leon Gilliam, George Herren, R. E. ReBard, J. E. Graham, J. D. Singleton, Mrs. Maxwell of Densil Singleton, Mrs. Maxwell of Denon, and those mentioned in con-

DANCE

IRBY HALL Dec. 14

MUSIC FURNISHED BY Smokey West STARTS AT 7:30 P. M. Everyone Is Invited

Ruth Bible Class In Christmas Social

The annual Christmas Social of the Ruth Bible Class was held in the home of Berta Mae Bass. Christmas decorations gave everything an air of festivities.

Business meeting was held first with the president, Elsye Eastland calling the meeting to order. A report of the group captains officers were given. Then it was voted that a social be held on the first Monday night in each month.

The program was then turned be told by Rev. Jordan Grooms. A nice birthday cake with three Eastland. A poem, Christmas Eve, Town of Bethlehem.

> Next on the program was the Melba Jean Banks, Doris Jean Christmas tree with presents for Roberts, Sue New, Charles Mack all. Mrs. Brooks was presented Viney, Bobby Ray Roberts, Sheron with a lovely blanket from the The class will miss Mrs. Fred

> Jones. She has been a great inspiration to our class and we have Bill Marr, Mrs. Talmage Oliphant, all come to love her greatly. We want to wish her and her family the best in their new home. Refreshments were served to he following:

> > Marie Howeth, Ethel Shelton,

Betty Jo Clanton, Ethel Norman, Mrs. Raleigh Conner Mary Martin, Mildred Robertson, Katherine Schwartz, Faye Steiwert, Nell Pogue, Gladys Darnell. A gift party honoring Mrs. Ra- Elsye Eastland, Avis Pennington, Rich, Allene Wheatley, Annie Pearl Lusk, Berta Mae Bass, Opal The entertaining rooms were decorated with gladiolius and or-Herren, Wilma Adkins, Doris Burson.

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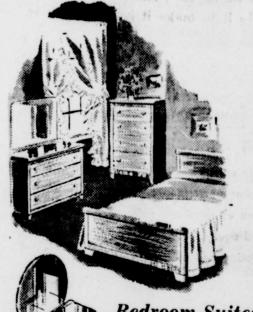
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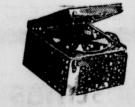
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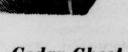
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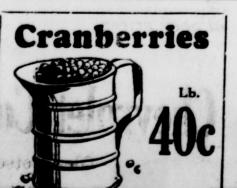
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son I. G. Hudson returned home at Knox City with their son Joe Joe Cooper and family of Chil- Miss Annie Paul Jackson spent Sunday from Mississippi where Watkins and family. they visited relatives. They report a pleasant vacation. family spent the week end here in kell.

Swain Burkett and family of the home of their parents, Mr. and Dimmitt were guests in the home Mrs. W. L. Ray. of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. An- Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell are in drew Reeves recently. Mineral Wells for a two weeks Luther Greer and family and vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Taylor of cah. ison spent the week end here ith their parents, Mr. and Mrs

ome Friday from a visit to her hildren, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hall nd her new grandson, Lindon M Mrs. Sallie Fields, received

ord last week from a relative Irs. H. G. Ramby, who had been njured in a bus wreck. Mrs Ramby suffered a crushed foot nd her left wrist was broken. Mr. and Mrs. Fons Hull have eturned from Lubbock where ney attended the funeral of Jim

Sammell, who was killed when automobile ran over him. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Austin of spermont, Mrs. Emma Knowles Foster attended the funeral of ll Ballard here Sunday.

ammell's grandson, Waldon

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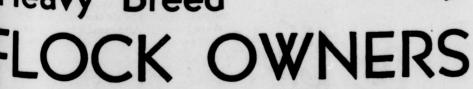
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You are hereby commanded to A You En trict Court of Haskell County at the Court House thereof, in Hastell Court House the H Monte Hale and Adrian Booth, A. M. of the first Monday next with reader service either by the long guaranteed for a veteran on our regular meeting date. Each member is urged to be present, ing at the Texas Theatre Friday 20th day of January, A. D. 1947, Q. As

> Mrs. Ada Couch, et vir, Plain-Mrs. Alene Wall, et vir, et al,

Defendants. A brief statement of the nature f this suit is as follows, to-wit: Trespass to try title. Plaintiffs they were the owners in fee sim-

situated in Haskell County, Texas, and described as follows: FIRST TRACT: The William Thornton Survey No. 74, Abstract No. 389, containing 320 acres more or less; Patent No. 311, Vol. 8, dated July 2, 1857, recorded in Book 2, page 75, Patent Records

of said County. SECOND TRACT: The P. L. Smith Survey No. 75, Abstract No. 376, containing 320 acres, more or less; Patent No. 382, Vol. 30, dated August 27, 1860, recorded in Book 1, page 475, Patent Records of said County. Records of said County.

THIRD TRACT: The John Wiliams Survey No. 76, Abstract No. 416, containing 320 acres, more or less; Patent No. 415, Vol. 32, dated April 12, 1861, recorded in Book 1, page 347, Patent Records of said County. FOURTH TRACT: The William

Wilkinson Survey No. 77, Abstract No. 418, containing 320 acres, more or less; Patent No. 402, Vol. 45, dated July 13, 1882, recorded in Book 1, page 346, Patent Records of said County. FIFTH TRACT: The John J

aughlin Survey No. 78, Abstract No. 311, containing 320 acres, more or less; Patent No. 612, Vol. 41, dated March 13, 1874, recorded in Book 1, page 345, Patent Records of said County. SIXTH TRACT: The John A. Heuser Survey No. 79, Abstract

No. 170, covering the South 120 cres, more or less; Patent 139, Vol. 9, dated December 1858, recorded in Book 2, page 76, Patent Records of said County. SEVENTH TRACT: The S. P. Ford Survey No. 80, Abstract No. 139, containing 320 acres, more or less; Patent No. 138, Vol. 9, dated December 17, 1858, recorded in Book 1, page 101, Patent Records

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of said County.

NINTH TRACT: The William Maxwell Survey No. 82, Abstract No. 319, containing 320 acres, more or less; Patent No. 4, Vol. 19 dated April 27, 1858, recorded in Book 1, page 48, Patent Records of said County.

That, subsequently on said date Defendants unlawfully entered upon said property and dispossessed Plaintiffs and have since such iate unlawfully withheld from Plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damages in the sum o Fifty Thousand and No-100 (\$50,-000.00) Dollars.

Plaintiffs plead the five, and twenty-five year statute of limitation as barring any claim to said property upon the part

Plaintiffs pray that they have judgment for title and possession of the above described land, and for general and special relief in law and in equity,

As is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this

The officer executing this pro cess shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.



rank C. Scott, M. D.



Q. As a World War II veteran cational Rehabilitation Act?

Q. As a citizen of the United ance? then and there to answer Plain-tiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of November, U. am I eligible for benefit uneighth Congress, as amended?

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the property hereinafter describ- with visual impairment pursuing A. Yes, subject to all condied and Mrs. Elsie Scott Head, H. a course of vocational rehabilitations of the act except final discourse of vocational rehabilitations of the act except final discourse of their son, Marion Turpen and wife G. Head, Mrs. Marion Scott Brice, tion, am I entitled to the services charge, but you will receive no John W. Brice and Walter T. of a reader to aid me in complet-Scott, Defendants, GREETING: ing my course? terminal leave.

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The Womans Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church was complimented with a Christmas Party on Monday, December 9, in the home of its president, Mrs. A. H. Wair.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Wair and Mrs. Wallace Cox, and were seated in the living room for the program. Mrs. Hubert Bell lead the singing of the Christmas carol "Silent Night", after which Mrs. Arlos Weaver reviewed for the group, The Black Madonna."

In the dining room from a table centered with a white Christmas tree and green tapers in crystal holders, Mrs. E. R. Lowe served custard topped with red cherries and Mrs. S. Hassen the fruit cake topped with green icing.

Before the departure of the guests, gifts were exchanged from a brightly lighted Christmas tree with Mrs. W. A. Holt acting as

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