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Sunday Rainstorm Pours 2.88 Inches On Haskell

Haskell apparently was in the center of one of the heaviest downpours in several years Sunday, when almost three inches of rain fell within the space of an hour—from 11 a. m. to noon—flooding streets in all sections of town for a brief period, Spring Branch, which runs through the southwest part of town, was sent to overflowing and reached the highest levels since the disastrous June "flood" in 1930.

Rev. H. R. Whatley Undergoes Surgery In Abilene

Favorable report was given Thursday morning on the condition of Rev. H. R. Whatley of this city, who underwent major surgery Wednesday in Hendrick Memorial hospital, Abilene. Friends in Haskell and throughout this section will be glad to learn that his rapid recovery is expected.

Revival at Paint Creek Methodist Church

A revival meeting will begin at the Paint Creek Methodist Church Friday night, August 6th, at eight o'clock. The Rev. W. B. Morton, evangelist from Coleman, Texas, will do the preaching for the services.

Former Resident Dies Friday In Wichita Falls

Mrs. M. L. Benton, former resident of Haskell County before moving to Wichita Falls about 30 years ago, died at her home in that city July 30.

Infantile Paralysis Chapter Will Meet August 10th

Annual meeting of the Haskell County Chapter for Infantile Paralysis is scheduled for Tuesday evening, August 10 at 8 o'clock in the chamber of commerce office.

Father of Mrs. T. J. Lemmon Dies In Tuscola

Lee J. Groves, pioneer resident of Tuscola, Taylor county, and father of Mrs. T. J. Lemmon of this city, died Friday afternoon, July 30, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Walter Dunbar, near Tuscola. Mr. Groves, a retired farmer, had lived in that section more than 50 years.

Black Indians Lose To Frederick 7-6 Sunday

Haskell Black Indians were defeated, 7-6, last Sunday when they journeyed to Frederick, Okla., for a game with the Blue Sox. That city. The contest was delayed two hours because of a muddy field.

District Court Grand Jurors To Meet Monday

Grand Jury impaneled for the April term of 39th District Court has been recalled to meet Monday, August 9, at 10 a. m.

County Democrats Endorse National Ticket

In a brief session Saturday afternoon, the Haskell County Democratic Convention unanimously endorsed the national Democratic ticket and elected delegates to the State Convention Sept. 14 in Fort Worth who were instructed to vote as a unit on all convention matters.

Methodist Church In Weinert Plans Revival Meeting

Rev. Bernard F. Seay, pastor of the Weinert Methodist Church, has announced he will hold a revival meeting to be held August 8th to 18th. Rev. John English of Baird, Texas, will do the preaching, with services to be held twice daily at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Dallas Physician Moves to Rochester

Dr. Charles G. Markwood has moved to Rochester and will be associated with Knox City Clinic and the Knox County Hospital.

Booster Band to Give Program at Revival Tonight

Tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock, Mrs. Ralph Pollock, pianist for the evangelist meeting now in progress at the first Christian Church, will present the "Sunshine Booster Band."

S. A. Norris Buys McKeever Cleaners Shop Here

Announcement was made this week of the purchase of McKeever Cleaners by S. A. Norris of this city, who will continue operation of the modern tailoring and cleaning establishment under the name of Norris Cleaners.

Local OES Officers Confer Degrees At Rochester

Officers of Haskell Chapter No. 892, O. E. S., were invited to Rochester, Tuesday night to confer initiation degrees. Three candidates, Irma Russell, Geraldine Russell and Eva Melton, were initiated.

Attend Funeral Of Father In Roaring Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ragsdale and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ragsdale returned from Roaring Springs, Texas, late Wednesday where they were called Sunday on account of the illness and death of their father, W. E. Ragsdale. The funeral was held Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in Roaring Springs, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Estes, assisted by Rev. Stonecipher, pastor of the Baptist Church at Dickens. Burial was at Dickens.

Lanier-Mobley Co. Add Service Shop

Opening of a new service shop is being announced by Lanier-Mobley Oliver Company, two blocks west of the square on the Haskell-Rule highway.

Summer Training Camp Is Planned for HHS Grid Squad

Stamford Leader Purchased By The American

The Stamford Leader, which has been under the management of George L. English for the past 35 years, was sold last week to the Stamford American, published by Roy M. Craig and owned jointly by Craig and W. S. Foster of Waco. Owners of the American purchased that paper in September, 1945, from Cleburne Huston.

Committee Makes Official Canvas Of Primary Vote

Official canvass of voting in the First Primary, July 24th, was made Saturday morning by the County Executive Committee, with no appreciable changes being noted from the unofficial returns reported at close of the primary polls. Returns of the official canvass will be certified to the State Committee.

Final Rites Today For Sagerton Man Killed In France

Final rites were to be held at 4 p. m. Thursday in Kinney Funeral Chapel, Stamford, for Sgt. Willie E. Stremmel, son of Mr. and Mrs. August F. Stremmel of Sagerton.

Meeting of Baptist Brotherhood Set Tuesday

The Baptist Brotherhood will hold their regular monthly meeting at the First Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, Aug. 10th.

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WHAT DOES "FREE" MEAN?

The Federal Trade Commission has instigated proceedings against six book club companies, alleging "deceptive use of the word 'free' in their advertising."

The complaint of the Commission is that while the books are called "free," "bonus books," or "book dividends," they are not gifts. The Commission points out that the club member, to get such books, must obligate himself to buy at least four books a year.

In issuing its rule, the Federal Trade Commission contends that any offer, which is not an outright gift, cannot be described as "free." Against this stand, the National Better Business Bureau, Inc., and the Association of National Advertisers have taken issue with the Commission. They do not object to "free" offers, which involve an obligation to purchase something else, so long as there is no deception.

While the question is of no considerable moment, it should be obvious that the Federal Trade Commission is correct if the word "free" is to be accepted as generally used. No product can be "free" if those who receive it must make purchases to get it. The "free" book available only to those who buy four books, is nothing more than an offer of five books for the price of four. There is nothing "free" about it and if advertising is to be maintained on a strictly ethical level, such pronouncements are not exactly true.

In making this comment upon the advertising of the book clubs we should say that a careful reading of their propositions reveals that they are not, strictly speaking, misleading. Nevertheless, the word "free" when used in connection with an offer of merchandise or any product, should mean "free."

61,296,000 Jobs

Many readers will recall the sensation produced when the goal of sixty million jobs in the United States was proclaimed as a necessity to economic well-being.

There were those who booted at the idea, but the Census Bureau reports that civilian employment in June reached a record high of 61,296,000 Americans working for pay, profit or benefit of the family. This does not include house-working wives.

It is interesting to note that farm employment at 9,296,000 was nearly 1,000,000 below a year ago. Non-agricultural industries, however, with a total of 51,899,000 employed, were up 2,221,000 above the figure for last year.

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You have a choice of three engines: one for gasoline, one for tractor fuel—and a diesel, a specially designed, farm-engineered engine that will be available later. Also, you have a choice of interchangeable cast iron or stamped steel wheels for Row Crop Models to suit your traction conditions. What's more, every mounted tool is basically interchangeable with every other new Row Crop tractor. When you add the direct drive power take-off of the "77", metered oil system, battery ignition and the several other new improvements, you'll realize why the "77" is truly a farmer's tractor.

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HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—Aug. 2, 1928

W. C. Allen of Alpine, former Sheriff of Haskell county, is here this week at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. A. Allen, who is ill.

An Indian woman and man, both of Seminole, Okla., were taken in custody Sunday by Sheriff Cousins and returned to this city, where they are being held in connection with the shooting last Saturday of Edward Smith of San Benito, Texas, on the Haskell-Weinert road.

A. A. Heathington, former County Superintendent, has accepted a position with the Comptroller's office in Austin.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Lewis and Gorman McDonald returned last week from a vacation trip spent in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Southern of this city are the parents of a son, born Monday, July 30.

Miss Ida Thompson, who has been visiting for several months in the home of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Park and family, has returned to her home in Bartlett.

Mrs. J. F. McCrary of Dallas is on a two weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Kirkpatrick and other relatives.

Alex Edwards and family are here this week from Lawn, Texas, visiting relatives and friends.

S. W. Scott of San Antonio was here this week looking after his real estate interests in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Cox are the parents of a fine son, born Sunday, July 29th. The young man has been named Wallace, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lamkin have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Bob Edwards and family in Burk Burnett. They also visited points in Oklahoma while away.

30 Years Ago—Aug. 3, 1918

W. M. Whately, Haskell carpenter, was burned to death at Wichita Falls Tuesday, July 23, while at work on the roof of Lake Hotel, a four story building situated near the city lake.

Miss Gladys Huckabee returned Saturday morning from Chicago, where she has been doing special work in the Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. W. M. Reid left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Sulphur Springs.

Rev. P. W. Walthall left Tuesday afternoon for Camp Bowie, where he will be stationed with the YMCA.

J. W. Collins of Austin, who has been spending several days here, went to Weinert Monday to look after his farm interests in that section.

In the Democratic Primary last Saturday, the following candidates were nominated: Jas. P. Kinnard, County Judge; Emory Menefee, County Clerk; Jesse B. Smith, County Treasurer; J. E. Wilfong, County Attorney; C. D. Long, Tax Assessor; R. J. Paxton, District Clerk; W. C. Allen, Sheriff; Mrs. Ed Robertson, County Superintendent; J. C. Lewellen, A. L. Cox, J. M. Ivey and P. C. Patterson, Commissioners; R. P. Simmons, Justice of Peace; J. M. Perry, Cotton Weigher; I. W. Kirkpatrick, Constable.

Miss Ellen Clifton, who is attending school at Wichita Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clifton.

Misses Louise Davis, Opal Middleton and Anita Scott returned to Abilene Monday where they are attending Simmons University.

H. M. Smith made a business trip to Breckenridge Monday.

Delbert Hudson, who is attending the University of Texas at

Austin, came home Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hudson.
Mayor Courtney Hunt is on a business trip to points in North Texas this week.

50 Years Ago—Aug. 6, 1898

Capt. W. W. Fields, Judge H. G. McConnell, Messrs. R. B. Fields, J. W. Wright, D. W. Fields and Hollis Fields left Thursday morning for the Clear Fork where they will spend several days fishing.

W. B. Anthony left Sunday for Galveston, as Haskell county's representative at the State Democratic convention.

F. M. Rayburn and family of Cresson, Texas, and Miss Jessie Armstrong of Mississippi are visiting the family of W. C. Jones and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott gave a social entertainment Wednesday night to a large party of young folks, complimentary to Miss McIntyre of Big Spring, who is visiting here.

C. James arrived Tuesday on a visit to his parents.

Miss Lillie Rike entertained a party of the young folks Monday night.

Miss Lena Wilson is off on a month's vacation, visiting relatives at Fort Worth.

L. H. Spikes and family of Willis Point and Mrs. S. J. Fields are visiting relatives here.

Miss Cattie Hale is visiting the family of W. T. Hudson this week. She is a niece of Mrs. Hudson.

Miss Laura English of Fort Worth is visiting her aunt, Mrs. English, and her brother, Booth English of this place.

Rev. R. E. L. Farmer and D. R. Couch left Wednesday to attend the Macedonia Baptist association in Throckmorton county.

Stamford Concern Displays Ancient Plow

Buie Implement Co. in Stamford are on display the kind of plow used by early Americans, and as used by all the world up to a hundred years ago. This all wood plow is carved from a single tree, by hand with an axe.

The plowing end of the plow has been pointed from an oak tree and is some 12 inches across, this trunk is 4 feet long in the line which is slid along the ground, but the exceptional thing is that the long heavy handle by which the plow was guided is all a part of the same tree, and thus added strength is in this handle. The tongue of this plow is a cedar pole some 5 feet long which bore in one end to which rope or rawhide was fastened to be pulled by oxen, the other is fastened to the plow with three heavy wooden pins. The only steel in the plow is the small point which opened the dirt. The steel is some 4 inches long and 2 inches wide, fastened to the wood with a single hand wrought nail.

This plow from another century was recently shipped to Louis Scott, of Avoca, by his brother from Old Mexico, and was left by Scott for the public to see at Buie's. It makes amazing the realization of the change that has happened to farming in the past century. Where a Mexican peon struggled to turn an acre a day with this plow, modern tractors plow 50 to even 100 acres in a shorter day.

CALVIN HENSON

Lawyer
Haskell Texas

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Veterans News

like to know if I must pay the appraiser's fee?

A.—Yes. The appraiser's fee is paid by the veteran and usually is from \$15 to \$25.

Q.—How do I arrange to get a loan for business purposes under the G-I Bill?

A.—It is up to you to find a bank, public or private lending agency or even an individual willing to advance the money.

Q.—I want to obtain a G-I farm loan to buy some farming equipment. However, I don't live on my farm. Am I eligible for such a loan?

A.—Yes, if you actually conduct the farming operations.

Q.—I applied at a bank for a G-I business loan, but I was turned down. What should I do?

A.—First consider whether your proposition is a sound one. If so, try another lender. The fact that one lender is not interested does not indicate that another may not be.

Q.—I applied for a G-I loan and it was entered on my discharge papers, but the loan was not completed. Can I have my Supplemental certificates to the original certificates of eligibility issued by VA are necessary only when a veteran changes from one school or training establishment to another.

The veterans' full name, correct address, VA claim number and present training establishment should be included in any request for new certificates.

Colleges and universities attracted nearly 60 per cent of the World War II veterans who were enrolled in educational institutions under the GI Bill and Public Law 16 on June 1, VA reports.

The remaining 40 per cent were taking courses in high schools, trade schools and other educational institutions below the college level.

On June 1, a total of 1,632,780 veterans were training in educational institutions under the GI Bill. Of these, 962,297, or 59 per cent, were in colleges and universities.

At the same time, 121,071 disabled veterans were in school under Public Law 16. College students numbered 82,623, or 68 per cent of the Public Law 16 trainees.

Questions and Answers

Q.—I expect to purchase a home under the guaranty provisions of the G-I Bill and would

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Prem 48c

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Friday And Saturday Specials

POGUE'S

15 Oz. Can Tejas—
BLACKEYED PEAS

No. 2 Cans—
Tomatoes 35c

Market SPECIAL

Wilson's Laurel—
SLICED BACON 55c

Choice—
Chuck Roast 59c

Choice Beef—
RIBS and BRISKET

HERE FROM ABILENE
Alvah Crandall, former cafe operator, business visitor in first of the week.

HERE DURING VISIT
Julius Williams, who spent the week-end with friends.

Rochester News

W. N. Johnson of Lubbock visited his sister, Mrs. A. C. Henry, last week.

Mrs. J. E. Baugh celebrated her 89th birthday recently at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weimer and daughter, Suzanne, of Mineral Wells, and Mr. Weimer's aunt, Miss Flora Casteel of Continental, Ohio, were week-end guests here in the homes of L. M. Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Hap Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hall of Roswell, N. M., spent the week-end here and at Rule with relatives.

Mrs. Barney Swinson left Monday to visit relatives in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Missouri.

Estes Brown and family of Elgin spent last week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Brown and other relatives.

Home Town News



Nelle King Becomes Bride of Jerald Brown

Nelle King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd King, and Jerald Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brown of Rochester, were married Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Berry.

The Rev. Allen O. Webb, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride, wearing a dove gray suit with gray accessories, her pink satin blouse had a high neck small Peter Pan collar, edged in lace.

Traditional wedding recordings, "Because," wedding march



MRS. JERALD BROWN (Photo by Zelma)

Birthday Party Given for Wiley Everett White

Celebrating his first birthday, little Wiley Everett White was honored with a party by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, last week.

After the candle was lighted, the little guests sang "Happy Birthday," and then cake and iced drinks were served to the following guests:

Donald Hudgins, Sylvia Jo Overcash, Shirley and Anita Smith, Maryann and Bennie Gibbs, Frankie Ann and Robert Derrell Beene, Gene and Doris Hudgins, Rowena Jacobs, Brenda Joyce Childress, Sharon Fitzpatrick, Dorothy, Barbara and Buddie Gibbs, Charlene, Maxine and Azile Cunningham.

Those sending presents were Ronald Truitt Piland, Sammy Kelso, W. M. White, Melvin Jacobs, Mrs. O. E. Gibbs, Rito June Moore, Edna Andrews, Faye and C. B. Kennedy, Christy Miller, Beverly Faye Gibbs, Gloria Faye Overcash, Thurman Isbell.

Liberty H-D Club Meets With Mrs. J. R. Davis

The Liberty H. D. Club met July 23rd with our club president, Mrs. J. R. Davis. Minutes read and approved. Roll call was answered by each one giving some hazard they had tried to overcome in their homes.



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and we invite visitors and would appreciate new members. Members present that were served refreshments were Mesdames Leclair, Russell, Kendrick, Ragsdale, Marr, Wisdom, and the hostess, Mrs. Davis.

We meet with Mrs. Withdan August 13th.

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One penny will run Your washing machine And swish 3 tubs Of laundry clean!



You can sweep 6 rugs With a vacuum cleaner, And your budget will be Only one cent leaner!



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Advertisement for Johansen Juniors shoes, featuring an illustration of a woman reading and a shoe. Text includes 'SELF STARTER' and '... the shoe that keeps you in motion'.

E. R. CLIFTON

Table listing various food items and prices, including flour, rabbit syrup, lard, meal, sausage, beans, and sliced bacon.

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H. J. R. No. 39
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
 proposing an Amendment to Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 1-a, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of Appellate Courts and Judges of District and Criminal District Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed; providing for the submission of the Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
 Section 1. That Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as "Section 1-a," which shall read as follows:
 "Section 1-a. The Legislature shall provide for the retirement

NEWS
County Home
Demonstration Agent
Texas A. & M. College
Extension Service

New bulletins have been received on the following subjects and are available for distribution upon request on the following subjects:

Money Saving Main Dishes— a recipe book of 150 tested recipes prepared by the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics.

MIS-818—A Pressure Sauce Pan Saves Food Value, Time, Work, and Fuel—discusses the safety features and characteristics to consider in selecting a pressure sauce pan.

Two new bulletins on preparing frozen foods—C-285—Preparing Fruits for Freezing and C-257—Preparing Vegetables for Freezing.

L-23—Six New Farm House Plans—sketches of floor plans for either frame or masonry construction. Working drawings of these plans may be obtained for you by local Extension Agents.

C-253 — Shrubs for Year-Round Color—a pamphlet by Sadie Hatfield, Extension Specialist in Landscape Gardening, listing shrubs adapted to Texas, with comments about the size and use of these shrubs.

and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State. 31-4tc

COMING! "Haskell in the Movies" — includes the "Fair Parade"—and scenes on Haskell streets — 10 years ago! Texas Theatre.

State 4-H Club Boys Judging Contests To Be Resumed

The State Boys' 4-H Club Livestock Judging Contest will be held August 16, in the animal husbandry pavilion on the campus of Texas A & M College, according to J. D. Prewitt, acting director of the Extension Service.

This contest will be held in cooperation with the Texas A & M College animal husbandry department, said Prewitt, and will be the first 4-H livestock judging contest held since the end of the war.

Two teams from each extension district will compete in the contest, making a state total of 26 teams to enter. Each team will be made up of four boys, and will judge twelve classes of livestock, including quarter-horses, beef cattle, fat burrows and sheep.

The three highest teams at the 4-H livestock judging contest here will compete against the three winning FFA teams at the Dallas State Fair in October. The two high teams coming out on top at that contest will go to the International Junior Livestock Show at Chicago.

The animal husbandry department will have charge of the overall management of the livestock judging contest to be held here August 16, said Prewitt.

Table Setting Is Studied by Camp Fire Group

The Tinshipka Camp Fire Girls group enjoyed an instructive program in their last meeting. Frances Mullins, vice-president, called the meeting to order, and after the business session Mrs. Reynolds Wilson gave a talk to the girls on "Manners and Table Setting." Mrs. Wilson also used a projector and showed some films of correct arrangement in table setting. For our use in an actual demonstration, Lyles Jewelry let the group have china and silver from their store.

Refreshments were served by Mary Lois Blount to Beverly Casey, Betty Joy Redwine, Patsy Turnbull, Patsy Perdue, Frances Mullins, Joan Darden, Mrs. W. Q. Casey, and visitors Mrs. Reynolds Wilson and Mrs. Alene Mullins.

HERE FROM OHIO

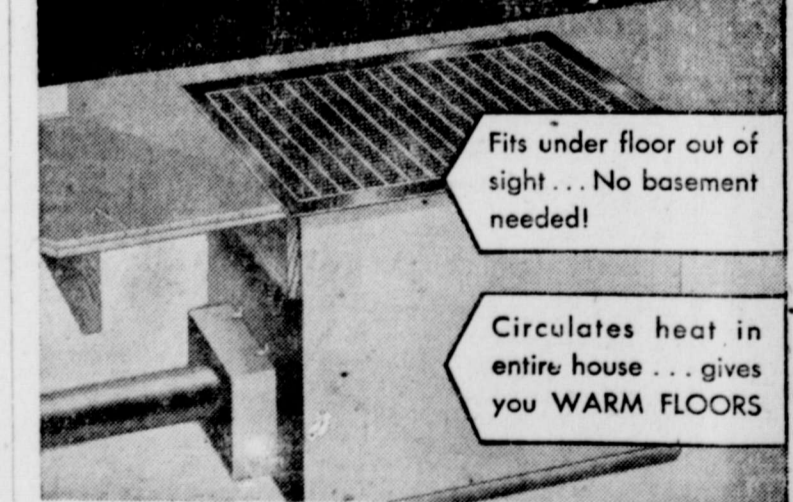
Miss Francis Watson of Akron, OHIO, is visiting in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nanny. She will return to her home sometime in the latter part of August.

Starr Blacksmith & Machine Shop
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Large Acreage In State Shifts From Grain to Cotton

Texas has about the same total number of acres in crops this year as last, but there is a big change in the acreage of some of the crops, says E. A. Miller, extension agronomist of Texas A. and M. College.

The July report from the USDA crop estimates office in Austin shows a shift of around 2 million acres from wheat and oats to cotton and sorghums. Wheat acreage is down about a million acres, and sorghums climbed a million and a quarter acres.

More land went into barley, rye, flax and rice, while there was a drop in corn, sweet potatoes, peanuts and hay. The estimated 9 million acres plus in cotton is a 9 per cent increase over 1947, and the largest crop in 11 years.

Corn for harvest was a little under 3 million acres, 5 per cent below last year and the smallest acreage for harvest since 1925. Grain sorghums are still replacing some of the corn land.

The grain sorghum land stands over 6 million acres, more than twice the corn total.

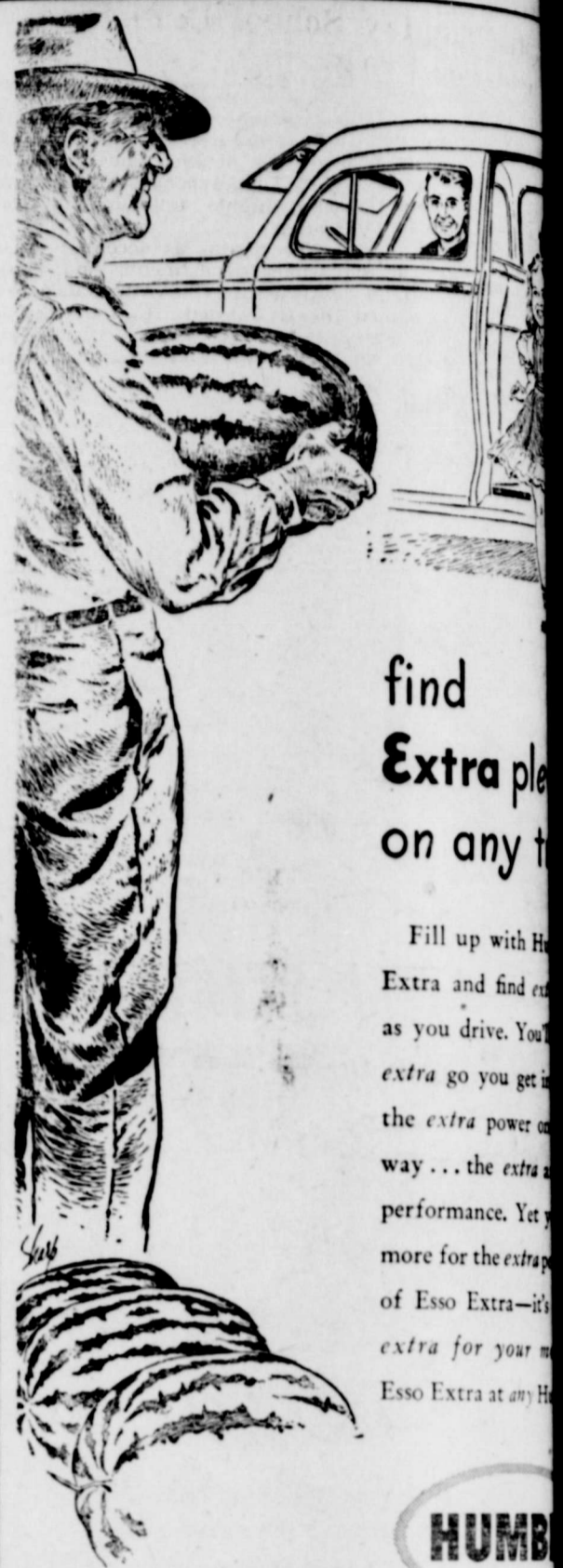
The wheat decrease of over 7 million last year to 5 1/2 million this year was caused mainly by the droughts last fall and lasting well into this past spring. The spring drought was one of the big reasons much of the corn land was plowed under or turned over to grazing.

Rice was up about 6 per cent over last year with a 1948 acreage of 500 thousand. This year's estimated yield of 24 million bushels of rice would be a record rice crop in Texas. The number of acres in hay, oats and peanuts all dropped a little, but Texas' newest crop—flax—was estimated at 160 thousand acres, says Miller.

SPEND WEEK-END IN SAN ANGELO

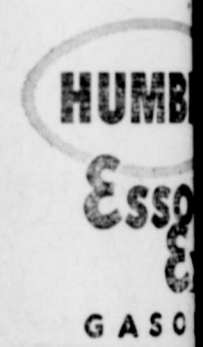
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eastland and little daughter Jan, spent the week-end in San Angelo, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cummings.

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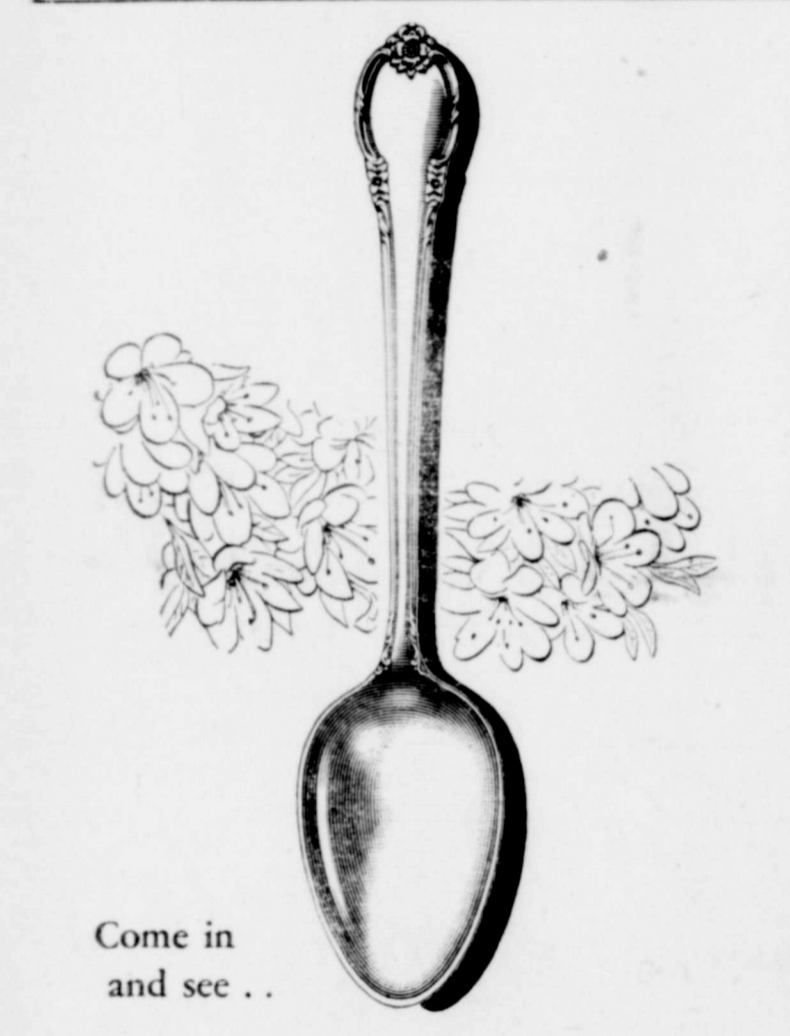
THANK YOU!

I would like to take this means of expressing my sincere appreciation to all my friends in Haskell County for your vote and efforts in my behalf during my recent campaign for State Representative.

During my four years of legislative service, I have endeavored to give fair and honest service to all. Mindful at all times of the needs of our district.

At any time I can be of any further service to you, please feel free to command me.

Your friend,
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Baptist Sunday School Leaders Attendance Program

The list included only those living in Haskell, and was incomplete at the time of the report. It is expected to run somewhat higher following its completion.

The quotas as accepted by the various departments and classes will assure the attendance goal, Pierson stated. High on the list of accepted quota was the Business Mens Bible Class of 100 and that of the T E L Class of 75.

The People of the 19th Congressional District

While I had no opponent in the recent election, I want all of you to know of my appreciation for your confidence and support. At all times I want your suggestions and advice in regard to all affairs, and I want you to call upon me any time for any special service which you feel I should be able to render. Thanks to all.

GEORGE MAHON

Final Clearance

On Summer - PIECE GOODS

All Summer goods must be sold now. One lot all over Eyelet Embroidery and Tissue Gingham. Most all colors. Extra fine quality. \$1.49 and \$1.98 value - 98c yd.

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Jones Dry Goods The Cash Store

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION H. J. R. No. 35 proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes; providing the effective date; providing for the submission of said amendment to a vote of the qualified voters at an election and providing for necessary proclamation and publication.

FARMERS FIND 2,4-D EFFECTIVE AS WEED KILLER

Three hundred and forty acres of bindweeds were sprayed with 2,4-D on 22 Gray county farms during May with one county owned sprayer, reports County Agent Ralph R. Thomas.

The 150 gallon sprayer was mounted on a pickup truck and equipped with low volume nozzles. With 30 pounds pressure and a speed of four and a half miles per hour, the solution was applied at the rate of 10 gallons per acre.

Last year, Thomas pointed out, the two county sprayers—one 150 gallon tank and one 200 gallon tank—only sprayed 220 acres during the summer. And about half of this had two sprayings. Three hundred gallons of 2,4-D to the acre was sprayed on the first time, and 100 gallons the second.

"We are using the same amount of 2,4-D per acre that we used last year, but this year we are using high pressure nozzles and using only 10 gallons of water," said Thomas. "Last year we spent most of our time hauling water. This year we spend most of our time spraying bindweed."

"So far, the results of this spraying appear to be as good or better using the low volume, high concentration spray."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY— FOR SALE—Allis-Chalmers combine. E. E. Williams, 1207 South Ave. G. 1tp

FOR RENT — Furnished house, two large rooms and bath. Ave. N. south of Hospital. See Mrs. J. F. Harris at Oatcs Drug Store. 1tp

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FOR RENT — 3 room furnished garage apartment. N. I. McCollum. 1tc

Boy's bicycle for sale. 205 South Ave. D. 1tp

FOR SALE—Lime 5-piece breakfast room suite with blue leather upholstery. See Hallie Chapman. 1tc

FOR RENT—Bedroom. 708 No. 2nd Street 1tc

FOR SALE — Electric soldering iron, 300 watt. Mrs. H. J. Hambleton. Phone 337. 1tc

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School Girls! It's time to start thinking about how you want your hair for school. Something new has been added to our shop so you'll have the new look. Come in and see us. You won't have to have a real short hair cut to have the new look.

For Two Weeks Only: \$8.00 Cooler Waves 2 for \$10.00 No Extra Charge for 4-Way Hair Cut With A Permanent Ethel Kirkpatrick Florence Jenkins Velma Haynes, Operators Phone 35-W Haskell

ANNOUNCING

The opening of a new service shop at Lanier-Mobley Oliver Company

The new shop will be in charge of Doyle Williamson, who has had several years experience as a mechanic in Haskell and will be prepared to service

All Makes of Tractors and Cars A cordial invitation is extended to the people of this section to try this new service. LANIER - MOBLEY OLIVER COMPANY

Uncle Sam Says



How many things have you had to forego because you did not save up money to pay for them? Perhaps in your own experience you muffed an unusual opportunity to get ahead or to make a dream come true. You simply didn't have enough money.

Millions of Americans are buying Savings Bonds either on the partial payment plan where they work or on the Bond-A-Month Plan where your bank deducts the full amount of a Bond monthly from the money you have on deposit. They will be ready for opportunities, but how about you? U. S. Treasury Department

Prevent Fire Loss, Cotton Men Told

Cotton producers and ginners throughout the Cotton Belt were warned today by National Cotton Council officials to take all possible precautions to eliminate costly cotton fire losses this season.

Last year 20,415 bales of cotton were involved in fires. Although this was a decrease over the \$12,000,000 loss of the previous season, further fire prevention steps could have reduced the damage considerably, the Cotton Council reported.

Eighty-one per cent of the total number of cotton fires for the first nine months of last season can be traced to fire-packed bales.

Wet Cotton Seed cotton which is carried to the gin wet and cotton containing foreign particles such as rocks, matches, and metal are responsible for many of the fire-packed bales that cause gin and warehouse fires. Often tiny sparks go undiscovered and are packed into a bale, where they spread slowly until they eat into open air. A single spark may cause a warehouse fire, resulting in the loss of hundreds of bales.

Safety Measures Producers are urged to see

that their cotton is properly harvested and handled so as to keep out foreign material, helping avert possible gin fires. Ginners must exercise extreme care in their operations to cut down the economic loss and inconvenience brought about by cotton fires. Static electricity, improperly adjusted machinery and wiring, and sparks from motors, flames, and careless smokers are important sources of gin fires.

Cooperation of all members of the cotton industry in a fire prevention program can hold 1948 fire losses to a minimum, the Cotton Council said.

VISITS FORT WORTH Mrs. Harry Bettis and son, Bob, are in Fort Worth for a few days visit with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bettis and family. VISIT PARENTS HERE Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Perdue, Jr., of Hobbs, N. M., spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Perdue Sr., and Mrs. Iva Palmer. COMING! "Haskell in the Movies" — includes the "Fair Parade"—and scenes on Haskell streets — 10 years ago! Texas Theatre.

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First Anniversary Sale

One year ago this week we purchased our store in Haskell. The people of this section have been good to us and in appreciation of this splendid patronage, we are offering you values this week end that will be hard to equal. If you have not been one of our regular customers we invite you to come to see us Friday and Saturday.

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- Del Monte Sliced— PINEAPPLE No. 2 1/2 can 31c Welch's GRAPE JUICE qt. 40c Hunt's CATSUP bottle 17c C. H. B.— No. 2 Can— TOMATO JUICE 10c Blue Heaven— No. 2 Can— SWEET PEAS 10c De-Lite— No. 2 1/4 Can— SWEET POTATOES 10c PINTO BEANS lb. 10c Miracle Whip— Pint— SALAD DRESSING 36c Hand Packed— No. 2 Can— TOMATOES 2 for 23c Chicken of the Sea TUNA can 35c Snack Time— Can— VIENNA SAUSAGE 13c Talk-O-Texas, Fresh Green— BLACKEYE PEAS No. 2 can 12c TREND 2 boxes 25c Lipton's TEA 1/4 lb. box 25c Hunt's Fancy— SPINACH No. 2 1/2 can 12c

- Mayfield— No. 2 Can— Cream Style CORN 2 for 25c Gold Tip— No. 2 Can— GREEN BEANS 2 for 25c MACKEREL Tall Can 21c Texusun— No. 2 Can— GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 5c Assorted Flavors— JELLO 2 Boxes 15c

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Plans Revived for Proposed Dam On Brazos River West of Rule

Project for constructing the Bob Haskin Dam on the Double Mountain fork of the Brazos River west of Rule was given added impetus at a meeting in Knox City last Thursday of delegates from approximately 20 towns in this area.

Representatives of municipalities told of the growing water problems their towns face and in turn heard engineers outline possibilities of the dam would be on the Double Mountain fork of the Brazos River.

The project, which has been under consideration for years, would now cost an estimated \$10 million, delegates were told.

Importance of conserving Texas waters during this period of

great population growth was stressed by J. E. Sturrock, manager of the Texas Water Conservation Association.

Texas now has two million acres of land irrigated, half of it on the Plains and 600,000 acres in the Rio Grande Valley, he reported.

The present and future policy of the National Reclamation Bureau was outlined by Harry P. Burleigh, bureau engineer from Austin.

The Haskin project, he said, would irrigate 25,000 acres. Delay in getting the project under way was due to increasing cost of material and labor, he said. A resurvey of the project now would mean a delay of two years.

After a barbecue luncheon at noon, Leroy Melton, Benjamin business man, said his town is in dire need for water and would like to be remembered in benefits of the Haskin project.

If Benjamin, he said, would get adequate water, the population would jump to 7,000 because of all activities.

How the engineers decided to abandon the idea of a dam below the merger of Double Mountain and Salt Forks of the stream was explained by L. W. Smith, planning engineer. "We found Salt Fork water too salty," Smith said in reply to a volley of questions.

The dam now proposed would be a mile and a half below the new Rule-Aspermont highway bridge, which would be submerged 40 or 50 feet. The lake would impound 20,000 acre-feet and back water upstream two miles above the old Sagerton-Gold Glory bridge and ten miles above the dam. The maximum width of the lake would be about a mile and a half.

Cost of the construction now would be almost two and a half times as much as before the war, Smith estimated, hazarding the guess it might be built for \$10 million.

R. D. Collins, treasurer and general manager of the Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation district, Mineral Wells, declared that a major handicap to construction was the Reclamations Bureau's restriction of individual irrigation rights to 160 acres.

"I believe this can be overcome," he said, "and if the people of the areas will unite and stand behind their congressman, the project can be financed."

George Chance of Bryan, president of the Brazos directors, asked members not to squabble but all get behind the project.

The war halted the project, said John A. Couch of Haskell, when it approached a certainty, but we're back again and going after its completion."

Max Bentley, public relations director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, pledged his organization's support of the project and aid to the individual towns, although the committees will have to finance their own winter programs.

During the meeting, Sturrock advanced the idea that a \$100 million revolving fund for financing such projects be created through a constitutional amendment.

Couch was named chairman of the project at a meeting in Haskell July 20. Ralph Duncan, Haskell Chamber of Commerce manager, was named secretary-treasurer and S. N. Reed of O'Brien was named vice chairman.

Oklahoma 4-H Girl Gets Screen Test



Patsy Ann Meyer, 11, Canton, Oklahoma, 4-H Club girl, is Hollywood bound for a screen test.

Patsy Ann was selected as one of four girls, out of more than 8,000 entered, to try for a part in "The Green Promise," film story to be produced in Hollywood. She is shown above as she was interviewed recently in Oklahoma City by Robert Paige, co-producer of the film, who will play the role of a county agent.

Mrs. Pete Meyer, Patsy Ann's mother, and Miss Maudie Thompson, home demonstration leader from Wautonga, Oklahoma, will accompany the 4-H girl to Hollywood. She will vie with Judy Stewart and Marian Freed, both

from Wisconsin, and Jeanne LaDuke from Indiana, for the part in the film.

"The Green Promise" relates the story of a farm family which by adopting measures recommended by the county agent and through examples set by 4-H Club members, is able to raise itself to higher living standards. It will be produced by McCarthy Productions, independent film company formed by Glenn McCarthy, Houston businessman, Paige and Monty Collins, well-known screen writer. Paige and Collins are co-producers and Collins wrote the original screen story.

Production of the film is scheduled to start in mid-August.

Political Announcements

The Free Press is authorized to list the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Second Democratic Primary Aug. 28, 1948.

Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals:
Allen D. Dabney.
Ceel C. Collings.

For Sheriff:
D. P. (Doss) Fuller.
R. M. (Bob) Cousins.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
Ira Blair (Re-election).
Norman Nanny.

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
W. R. (Bob) Edwards.
W. A. (Drew) Leonard.

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
Jas. O. (Doc) Henshaw.
George Weaver.

For Public Weigher, Precinct 7:
A. A. Cox.
Melvin Stephens.
C. B. Banner (Second term).

RETURNS FROM ODESSA
Edward Corzine, who is working in Odessa, returned to Haskell Monday to visit with his family and friends.

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Sincerely yours,
JESSE B. SMITH

"Doc" Henshaw Asks Continued Support In Weigher's Race

To the Voters of Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:

I wish to express my appreciation to my many friends who supported me in my race for Public Weigher of Precinct 1 in the recent primary. And to my many friends who felt obligated to support one of the other candidates, I wish to say that I appreciate your friendship and do not censure you for voting the way that you felt that you should.

I earnestly solicit the support of everyone in continuing my race through the second primary, for I know that I cannot win without the help of my friends.

As to my qualifications I wish to say that I have sufficient education to handle the affairs of the office, and any one who knows me can attest to my honesty and integrity.

Time will not permit me to see every voter before next election day but I shall endeavor to see as many as possible. And I hope that those I may fail to see will give me a careful consideration and that after you check my qualifications you will go to the polls next election day and cast your vote for me.

I shall be profoundly grateful to each and every one for all support given me.

JAS. O. (DOC) HENSHAW

C. G. Hammer Expresses Thanks To Voters

To the Voters of Precinct 3:
I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my many friends who supported me in my race for Commissioner in the recent primary. And to those of my friends who did not feel free to vote for me due to various reasons, I appreciate your friendly consideration.

Sincerely,
C. G. Hammer.

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Henry J. Taylor in "Your Land and Mine." Hear his thought-provoking statements on KDWT, Stamford, each Monday and Friday 6:30 P. M.

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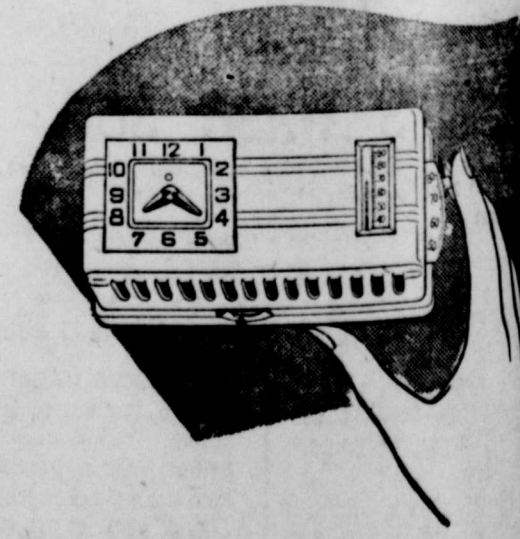
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FOR SALE - Several used ice boxes, beds, and other household articles. All in good condition.

FOR SALE - A 1947 jeep. Good as new. See S. A. Norris.

NOTICE - The Haskell Radiator Shop is back in business. We can do all kinds of radiator repair work, paint farm equipment and do mechanical work.

FOR SALE - One International 12-foot No. 122 drag type combine with hydraulic power lift.

FOR SALE - 12 foot M-M G-4 combine. First class condition.

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FOR SALE - 12 ft. Baldwin combine: '38 V-8 Ford; John Deere 10 foot Binder with power take-off.

FOR SALE - F-20 Farmall with road gear, power lift, and tool bar.

FOR SALE - Regular Farmall, no eools. Gilmore Implement Co.

FOR SALE - Cotton dusting poison-ample supply, all kinds.

FOR SALE - Chopping hoes, 8, 9, and 10-inch blades, 85c up.

FOR SALE - Just received large stock John Deere binder parts.

WANT TO LEASE - 441 acres, 168 in cultivation which has been broke once; house on place.

FOR SALE - 14 acres of land with 4-room house; good water; two hen houses; barn and tractor shed.

FOR SALE - Kirkpatrick home and grounds also choice building lots.

FOR SALE - Large 3 room house, corner lot, fruit trees, chicken house, barn, and large garden.

FOR SALE - 2 bedroom stucco house. Several other cheaper houses well located.

FOR SALE - Good three bedroom home in best part of town.

FOR SALE - My 5-room modern home; bath and glassed-in porch.

FOR SALE - Large house on highway 4 blocks from town.

FOR SALE - Good lot for sale on brick street, one block from high school.

FOR SALE - 21 room stucco Hotel, 10 rooms furnished, on highway, one block south of courthouse in Aspermont.

FOR SALE - Small gas range, ideal for apartment. See J. R. Johnson at Johnson Tire Shop.

MATRESSES - We make any size mattress you want. Renovate your old mattress. Make the best innerspring mattress your money can buy.

NEW SEWING MACHINES - We have a few new and factory rebuilt machines in stock. We repair machines. We are local dealers for Domestic sewing machines.

FURNITURE - New studio divans \$47.50 up. Bedroom suites \$59.50 up.

FOR SALE - 5-foot Frigidaire in good condition. See it at Charlie Redwine's Shop.

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ANNOUNCING

The Re-Opening of THE SWEET SHOP

FRIDAY MORNING AUGUST 6th

being closed for the past four to remodel. You will find shop more attractive and better...

The Pastry Line

REMEMBER... We specialize in pastry for parties and special occasions.

The Sweet Shop

Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Flint



This scientific instrument tells you what's wrong when you bring your watch in, and it tells you it's right when you take it away.

TOM DAVIS Lawyer Office over Oates Drug Store

Dennis P. Ratliff W. P. Ratliff RATLIFF & RATLIFF Attorneys-at-Law Haskell, Texas



- APRICOTS No. 2 1/2 can 25c
SLACK EYE PEAS No. 300 can 12c
APPLE SAUCE No. 2 can 15c
CLEMENTINES can 14c
TOMATOES 2 No. 2 cans 25c
BEANS 8 oz. pkg. 17c
HOT ROLL MIX pkg. 26c
WHITE SPUDS pound 4c
CABBAGE head 12c
PURPLE ONIONS pound 7c
O'Neal's Food Store
Phone 28 We Deliver

Don't Miss Our August Specials! \$10 Cold Wave... 2 for \$15
Charmode Beauty Shop Phone 188

TO THE VOTERS OF O'BRIEN AND CLIFF: I want to express my sincere appreciation for the encouragement and splendid vote given me in the First Primary.
A. A. COX

FRUIT- EXCELLENT PEACHES-Many varieties now ripe. 7mi. N. W. of Weinert, Adolph Havran, Rt. 1, Knox City, Texas. 32-4p
STRAYED- STRAYED OR STOLEN-6 miles east of Haskell, one natural mule-ley white-face heifer, 15 months old.
RETURN FROM VISIT IN NEW MEXICO Mr. and Mrs. George A. York and little daughter, Karen, returned Sunday from a weeks visit with Mrs. York's father and sister, John Switzer and Miss Manon Switzer in Encino, New Mexico.
HARRIS ROBERTSON OF FT. WORTH is visiting relatives and friends in Haskell this week.
KILL ATHLETES FOOT 'T-O-L BEST SELLER' SAYS REID'S DRUG STORE HERE'S THE REASON. The germ grows deeply. You must REACH it to KILL it. T-E-O-L, containing 90 per cent alcohol, PENETRATES. Reaches more germs. Your 35c back from any druggist if not pleased IN ONE HOUR.
WHY 'GET UP' AT NIGHTS? It's not necessary. Raise the ph. of the fluid in your bladder with CIT-R-O-S. Reduces the urge of irregular elimination. Get rid of backache, burning, bearing-down pains. CIT-R-O-S will do the job safely, relieve back pains quickly, soreness in the back vanishes. \$1.00 at your druggist. For sale by

LAWNMOWER SHARPENING AND REPAIRING
Let us sharpen your mower the only way they can be sharpened correctly by machine.
We have installed a new Ideal Lawnmower Sharpener and have extra parts for most mowers.
Call us for pick-up and delivery
We also repair Electric Irons and other small electric appliances as well as washing machines.
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The Perfect Finish FOR LARGE SURFACE AREAS
BPS GLOS-LUX ENAMEL
Can Black-Draught Help an Upset Stomach?
666 GIVES LIQUID OR TABLETS when cold miasmas strike FAST RELIEF
Brazelton Lumber Co

Come Here For All Your Needs In...
Livestock, Dairy & Poultry FEEDS
We have one of the most complete stocks of Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Feeds in Central West Texas. See us for the best prices on all feeds.
LAYING MASH PRICES DOWN!
Good news for poultry raisers! Prices on Laying Mash have been lowered, and you can now afford to build up your flock with one of the several grades of laying mash sold here.
MARKET POULTRY & EGG CO. A. T. BALLARD - MGR Phone 85 Haskell, Texas

More Eaters Than Steaks, Survey Shows

Agricultural economists estimate that today there are some four hundred thousand less beef cattle in the United States than on hand at the close of World War I in 1918.

about four hundred more heifers one to two years old. Calves and steers, in about equal numbers, account mainly for the general decrease.

Naomi Bible Class Ends Contest With Social

The Naomi Bible Class held their social, ending the contest between two groups, July 30 at 8:00 P. M., in the church annex.

The class room was decorated with summer flowers. After a short business meeting presided over by Mrs. Trav Everett, Mrs. Arthur Edwards was in charge of the recreation.

The following program was rendered: Solo, "Just a Prayer Away" by Rose Ann Johnson, accompanied on the piano by Anita Pitman; readings, "Monkeys View" and "Speak Up, Ike" by Betty Joy Redwine.

Mrs. Tom Holland played a stunt on the winning group. A little playlet, "Before and Afterward," was dramatized by Fredie Ballard, Osie Cass and Arvelia Holland.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to: Mesdames Rosa Glenn, Iola Everett, Flossie Rogers, Bessie Fouts, Virgie Bledsoe, Edna Brown, Opan Nanny, Stella Williamson, Golores Burnett, Loucille Goodson, Callie Robinson.

Osie Cass, Stella Josselet, Jewel Perdue, Georgia Mae Fouts, Bulah Quattlebbaum, Arvella Holland, Freddie Ballard, Alice Johnson, Ruth Taylor, Oleta Pennington, Effie Jenkins, Bonnie Cothron, Trudie Wheeler, Wilma Brown, Hazel Tyler, Lula Smith, Leon Robertson, J. E. Redwine, O. L. Miller, Arthur Edwards, Patsy Perdue, Betty Joy Redwine, Rose Ann Johnson, Anita Jo Pitman, Carolyn Sue Josselet and Dana Ruth Smith.

Annual Reunion of Oliphant Family Held Sunday

The children of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Oliphant had their annual reunion August 1st at the home of Mrs. Elsie McGee.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ammons and children Darryl and Dianne of Pampa, Mrs. Clyde Ash of Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ammons, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Oliphant and children, Frances and Jerry Dos, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Oliphant, Ray Oliphant, Vena Corley, Mrs. W. R. Marr and daughter Sharon, Mrs. Lorene Carter and daughter Gayle, Mrs. E. C. Capers, Ben Allen McGee, Shirley Ann Gavlik of Odessa.

1ST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Francis C. Nickerson, Minister

Sunday Morning, August 8, Bible School begins at 9:45 a.m., Dennis P. Ratliff, Supt. Classes for the children from pre-school age through college age are provided, also classes for the men and women.

The Morning Worship service begins promptly at 11:00 o'clock, with singing and the Lord's Supper. Bro. Coatney will preach the morning sermon, entitled, "A Serious Reminder."

The Evening Service will begin at 8 o'clock, sharp, with the song service lead by the Pollocks. Bro. Coatney's evening and closing message will be, "Sound Advice." All are welcome and urged to attend for a refreshing evening of fellowship and inspiration.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors for their kindness in buying and presenting our Dad the new wheel chair. It was so nice in each and every one who helped in anyway. Our prayer is that if misfortune ever comes to you that you will have the same kind and true friends as we have had. J. D. (Uncle Jim) Address and children. 1p

IN NEW MEXICO FOR VACATION

Mrs. John F. Ivey and daughter, Marie, are in New Mexico where they will be for about two weeks vacationing.

TAKES VACATION TRIP

Glenn Marugg and Don Nanny left Wednesday on a vacation trip to points North. After a two week sight seeing tour, they will return to Haskell.

RETURN FROM SOUTH TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hammer and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Bryan, Texas. They also visited in Houston, Galveston, and Austin.

VISITS HASKELL

W. D. Frazier of Terrell was a Haskell visitor Tuesday.

Another interesting fact about the beef cattle trends, says Timm, is that the number of pounds of beef hasn't gone down as much as the cattle numbers. All in all, it looks as if the cowmen have a pretty good outlook "price-wise."

Attend Reunion of Klose Family In Lampasas

F. A. Klose, George Klose, Albert Klose and son Fred, spent the week-end in Burnett and Lampasas County, visiting relatives and friends in that section. Sunday they attended a reunion of the Klose families in Lampasas, attended by approximately 100 persons.

JOKEL TO PREACH AT ANSON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

First Presbyterian Church of Anson invites all to attend a series of services August 8 through 15, twice daily, 10:00 o'clock each morning, except Sundays, 11:00 o'clock, and 8:00 o'clock each evening.

Guest preacher is Samuel L. Jokel, M.A., D.D., Professor of Bible in Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Austin, Texas.

The University of Texas conferred on him the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and later, Master of Arts.

Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary conferred on him the degree of Bachelor of Divinity.

He served in the United States Army in the first World War. In 1926 both Austin College in Sherman and Trinity University, now in San Antonio, conferred on him the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

He was Moderator of the Synod of Texas in 1941. Attend these meetings and grow in the holy faith in Christ. The Minister of the Church is Henry A. Grubbs, now living at Anson. He is now a student in Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary. His prior home was Abilene.

Church of God

909 South 1st. Sunday School every Sunday morning. Prayer Meeting every Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.

H. J. R. No. 36, HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas as so as to provide that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including deputy assessors and collector of taxes, and their deputies, constables, deputy constables and precinct law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis in all of the counties in this State beginning January 1, 1949; providing for submission of this Amendment to the vote of the people of Texas; providing the time, means and manner thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 61. All district officers in the State of Texas and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more, according to the then last preceding Federal Census, shall be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties in this State, the Commissioners Courts shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts, to compensate all constables, deputy constables and precinct law enforcement officers on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000), according to the then last preceding Federal Census, the Commissioners Courts shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts to compensate all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the

duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949.

"All fees earned by district, county and precinct officers shall be paid into the county treasury where earned for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where a pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid into the county treasury when collected and by such officer or paid into the basis such fees may be retained provided that where any officer filed, shall be paid into the county treasury of the county as the Commissioners Court may direct. All Notaries Public, county surveyors and public weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

"Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis"; and

"AGAINST the Constitutional

Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on

said machine and shall vote on such or against the Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall cause the necessary for said election, and same published as the Constitution and State.

COMING! "Haskell Movies" - Includes "Parade" - and scenes streets - 10 years Theatre.

Revival Sept. 1 through Sept. 12, 1948

AGAINST the Constitutional

A True Church Home With The Fundamental Baptist Church Extending to you a welcome to come with your own as a Teacher, Soul Winner, and a student of God's Word.

OUT AT HOME! IF FIRE forces you to pay rent for temporary quarters OR if it drives out your tenants... you'll be "out" plenty of money—unless you have the proper Insurance to cover the full amount. Florence & Coggins ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE

AT THE THEATRE TEXAS Sat. Only, Aug. 7—Smashing Outlaw Role In Terror Town! "Lash" La Rue in "Return of The Lash" Plus: Cartoon — Novelty—Musical

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Perkins-Timberlake Special PURCHASE! Special SALE! WHITE BLEACHED — TYPE 140 FINE QUALITY MUSLIN SHEETS \$2.49

Perkins-Timberlake and SEW for SCHOOL Now with the next school term starting within the next few weeks we have anticipated your needs in our Piece Goods department. COTTONS 80 Square Print 49c CHAMBRAY 49c SHIRTING PRINT 43c INDIAN HEAD 89c WOOLENS Botany FLANNEL \$4.50 yd. Botany BARONETTE \$4.50 yd. Botany GABERTWILL \$5.50 yd. French CREPE \$1.19 yd. Whippet Cloth \$1.59