#  <br> $=$ <br> Printing Done on Short Notice 

AMONG THE CHURCHES
B. W. M. Workers

On account of the bad weather Monday not so many ladies were wise. All those present enjoyed he meeting to the fullest. Several items of important business was attended to. Four dollars and ten cents were paid out for
harity the past week. The mo charity the past week. The mo-
fion carried to have an Easter apron sale. We also yoted to pay $\$ 3.00$ per month on the pas wr's salary. It ewas discussed through the channels of the through the channeis of the co operative merting, giving a state decided upon nex. meeting of you come and have a voice i these meeting. Surely if you are a redeemed suul, you thank your God enough to love to hav hand in carrving on his work, church should lend a helping hand, if possibere to the suciett. Hold up the hand of our efficieni
president and we'll feel the bless presid

Program of Laymen's Meeting. At the Preshterian church, p. m. Sunday, J tnuary 24th.

The Spying nut of the Land and Crossink the lordan.
Scripture L-somi, Num. 13:1 14;
Josh Chs 1.4 Josh Chs. 1-4
"Joshua's Couraze at Kadesh Barnea." Num. 13:1.14:10-E. D Avery.
Joshua Encouraged, and Pre par. 5 to Cross tue Jordan," Josh :1 18-R. J. Paxton.
Suecial Music arranged by Mr Qreer
"Joshua Sendin -Spies to Jeri "Jushua Chap. 2-N. McNelli Canaan," Josh. 3 and 4-R. J
"Religious Leaders of Today"H. S. Wilson.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid. The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid Society met Monday afternoon at the home of the president Mrs. T. C. Wiliams. Chere was a good attendance and much enthusiasm coming year.
coming, year.
The lesson Ecclesiastes 5.9 was interestingly taught by Mrs. Sher rill who for five years has been the loved and capable teacher of this Bible Study
We are planning, hoping and
praying to make our society grow not only in numbers but a so in power and the grace of God. Ws urge all the ladies of the church or any who mighteare to join us, to come to our meetings and become one of us. All the worken are needed; come and and help us strengthen the christian forces of our town.
the meeting of January 25th is Cooperative, and es this is a great work for us all, as many of you as

## can, try to attend.

the society will be February 1 , the home of Mrs. Bryson.

## Methodint Aiziliary Notes. ciety gave the following prom on "Cariouan stew whatempr. Mon <br> gomery in charge: Song, "More Love to Thee- 0 Christ."

$\xrightarrow{\text { Mhee." }}$ "Financial side of Cnristian eswardhh" - Mrese Maulden. "Spiritual - "ide of Suett, ${ }^{\text {M My }}$ My Father Know Dueta, My Father Kinnord and Mrs. Berand. A Story-Mrs. Fred Sanders Piedge,
Prayer by Mrs. Gilbert
January 26th the C 0 -Operativ Meeting, Methodist church at
roginam Woman'sic
Monday, January 25
Song.
Business sessio
Bible Lesson.
Quartette-M
Quartette-Mesdames Turren Lesson, Chapter III- The Chil in the Midst."
The Child at Work and Play b d by Prohiem of Child Labor and th Piay-Ground Movement.
What Women's Clubs have Ac amplished Along these Lines Mrs. J. U. Fields.
Vucal Duette-Mesdames WaI
lace Alexander and Barney Ber lace Alexander and Barney Ber Child Labor and its Effects on he Schools of our Communit - Mrs. R. J. Turrentine What can we as Mothers do to Eradicate this Effect?-Mrs. Cour nev Hunt.
Quartette-Mesdames Turren Lewis, Cahill and Steadman port to every home and every port to every in the community is ur yently and corcially invited to be present as this meeting. Great t.ings are being planned by thest united, organized forces. Come and labor with us if you woula have part in the work, of which the Master himself sald: "Inas nuch as ye have done it unto ont it unto me."

Reporter.

## The Thread o. Gold.

## (By Fanny Hermon.)

There is something good in very man. No matter what hi station in life may be, no matter is a thread of pure gold hidden isay somewhere in his heart It away somewhere in his heart. may be very hard to find, but it $i$ may be very hard to find, but it law of life. And if we will let our minds dwell upon the rood that is in the lives of those about we will have more faith in ourselves;
ine mure power and a better oppor tunity to help someone in need And if every thought is strong,
and true, and pure, we shall be as and true, and pure, we shall be as bo, and we shall help to lay th cornerstone of the great Temple of Hope and happiness.
This very day your influence in the world will count for some thing on the balance wheel of
life; and when things are weigned life; and when things are weigned
up, the scales are going to tip in up, the scales are going to tip in
favor of kindness and service, not favor of kiadness and serviee, no only to those we love, but to all
with whom we come in contact. It we stop to think we will soon see that the very essence of life the supreme joy of living comes from usefulness and consideration
for others. This is the rock upen for others. This is the rock upen Which the wise man or womaa It in the only sure way to find
contentiment and happines. So
in all love and sympathy let us In all love and aympathy let us Ia all love and and a
be ugeful happy, ald."
"the thread of gold."
Let the Free Press do you
job work. We are prepared t
NOTICE
Beginning January 1st, we will sell for one month, PURE hog lard, 50 pounds or more at $12{ }_{2} \mathrm{c}$ per pound cash

## CITY MEAT MARKET 

ferguson's messagf AMONG TME CIIY CLUBS

## To the Legislature.

Gov. Ferguson was sworn in
Tuesday, and Gov. Colquit went nut.
Following is a synopsis of the
mportant recommendations foun n Gov. James E. Ferguson's first nessage to the Texas Legi-lature: Redeem every pledge in the El Paso platform. Special emphasis
laid on the farm tenant plank. laid on the farm tenant plank.
Prohbbit pools, combines and Prohbibit pools, combines and
trusts which arbitrarily fix prices of farm products.
Protect all labor-organized and anorganized.
Enact such additional child labir laws as would prevent enforc terr health or education might he inpaired as the result of such emplovment.
v $\$ 3,00 n$ a year.
Encourage the inve
exas of outside capital.
cational and eleemosynary institutions.
Make provision for 100 rural nigh schools and give better support to rural education.
Free textbooks, when authoriz Put voters of school districts. Put A. \& M. College and University of Texas
body of control.
School books printed in Texas. "Reasonable" compulsory eduUse convic
Use convict la
new highways.
All District Courts should serve about the same number of people. Keep courts open all year ex
cept for one month's vacation Retire District Judges at 61 vears Increase number of Courts of their jurisdiction final in case arising in County Courts.
Aid present Supreme Court in
relieving crowded condition docket by a commission of ap peals or by able attorneys to as sist in the preparation of decisions. Exempt cotton and woolen tacories from taxation.
Abolish the fee system, protec the live stock industry and ap Study the porestry commission. Study the problem of mutua
loan associations and cheap mon-
Scrutivize every cent of the estimates for next year's appropria tion- $115,903,000$.

## Parenterin to Porves. <br> Parenth who haje neglected to

The Magazine Club
Magazine Club met in regula ession January 15th with full at tendance. The Club decided al Bank building on the southwes corner of the square as a place
for the public library. The Clut expects to have the building ove hauled and ready
in the near future.
A prize was offered by the Ma azine Club tor the best compo Haskell county. Adel Loy proved to be the successful priz inner
After business session an inter Mrs. Rike as teacher. Mrs. Mur chison gave a delightful pian ble paper on Maeterlinck, Mrs. Couch an interesting talk on st Wandrille, and Mrs. McFatter an instructive talk on Mysteries Maeterlinck.
The following visitors wert present: Mrs. Turk, ot Hillsboro, Mrs. Lowery, of Seymour, and
Mrs. Gaston Cogdell. The Cluh was also glad indeed to welcome ex-President Mrs. Scon Key as a guest. Mrs. Kev's pres ence is always an inspiration tu the club members. She has been in the past and she gssured the in the past and she assured the
members that she was always ready and willing to assist the Club in its efforts to be of ser vice to the puolic.

Reporter.

## Symphoay Clab Entertains.

There is no organization in Symphony Club. They have al ways graciously rendered their services on all occasions when music has been desired. They have striyen to promote a wider timulate individulal and to ong musical lines.
Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Murchison the Symphony Club gave a matinee musicale which
was enjovable in every respect Was enjovable in every respect. door by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Earl Cogdell.
The program was opened by a ohort interesting talk by the Presclub had been organized six vears, during which time the study of
music in all its .phases, from the carlieat form to the present development, had yeen consiatently
pureved. This rear, the course is
help and pleasure to the members
She said while the Symphony Club did no civic work th.y tried in many ways to create an upbuild



Voice-Till Death.
Mrs. Cahill.
5. Piano: Barcarolle-Rubell

Mrs. Patterson.
Mesdames Cahill, Bernard and
Lewis.
7. Piano Duet-Valse de Con
Mrsdames Patterson and Cogdell
8. Chorus-Summer Night-

Svmphony Club.
After this program the guests
w. re shown into the dining room
dhere the table was tastily ar-
anged. Mrs. Scott and Mis.
and
Veathery presided over the ten
ns and
Mesdames Odell and

l.cliring themselves once more
bligated to the Symphony Club.

Two People in a Store
Have you ever observed the ac Hons of a $m$ an and a woman in a mething to learn. Not lonk since we spent a few
ni utes in a store and this is what we saw:
A man from the country strolled in, kreeted the proprietor with a wreezy "Hello," remarked abou c "p. the latest dog fight and a cew other important matters, and
few and eventually remembered that he wanted an item or two. He took he first thing handed him, tossed 1 dollar on the counter, shoved he change in his pocket without counting it, then lessurely tollowTen mis nuse to the street.
Ten minutes later a woman walked briskly in, handed the clerk a smiling "good morning" and promptly requested to be
shown thus-and-so. She picked it shown thus-and-so. She picked it
up, held it up to the light, twisted up, held it up to the light, twisted it, turned it over, examined it red the price-and rejected it. It was n
for.
Did
Did the clerk have something else? He did. Three different somethings were shown her with-
out any better result. Then the light of the world returned to her first love, tested it, fondled it caressed it, and told the clerk that ahe "guessed it would do, though not exactly what she wanted." She paid for it, counted her change carefully, let her eyes roam erous things she wanted later on and departed with a fund of in format

Notice, Farners Gin Co. The stockholders of the Farm
Gin Company are calted meet at the W. O. W. hall, in
Haskell, January 23rd, 1915, at 20 'clock p. m .
All stockholders are requested
to be present, as we have impor tant buainese
SUMMER NORMAK
For Haskell. The following is a reporitur
the action of the four councie: that have agreed to unito in pro moting a Pablic School Sumbir
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ held in the town of Haskefl v
Summer Normal during thus summer of 1915. We favthen
recommend that the auljoining counties to be invited to co-oper
ate with said Haskel said Summer Norinal
(The above report from Has
kell county was unanimosis tdopted by the institute asserm Thed in November, 1914.)
This is the netion of the Stone




Good Chilli at the M. \& G Guaranty Fund Bank.
State Bank of Haskell.

Hancock horse

We can now make a few loans. Sanders \& Wilson.

## Wanted-To buy second hand

Good Chill at the M. \& G. fiss Esther Mott left Friday for Miss
Weinert
E
Good baths
hop at 15 c .
Ben Park left for Oklahoma Wednesday. J. W. Collin
Wednesary.
C. H. Fo Criday night. For service,
B $\_$Milam
J. W. Meado:

Cheap furnt
ans F Furniture w

## Guaranty Fund Bank. Farmers State Bank of Haskell.

Misses Loise and Jan
re visiting at Vernon.
Judge A. J. Smith had
in Fort Worth Sadurday
Sid Post of Wim
Sid Post of Waco was in this Try out Sandwiches they are
fine. M. \& G. Confictionery
fine. M. \& G. Confictionery
$\underset{\text { Fraughon's }}{\text { Fusinesc }}$ Scharship
Mrs. Will Owens of Fort W visited in this city this week.
We now have money to loan. Saders \& Wilson.
Judge William Piers on,
Greenville was here this week.
Mrs. Alice Nolen visited a
Stamford the first of the week.
For sale-A good work horse
Hancock \& Co. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harris le Miss Peek visited with friends at Abilene the first of the week.
The place to buy your drugs. The Corner Drug store. Baths are selling for only 15 c
each at Kinnison's barber shop. tt
Henry Evans will buy or trade for most any old thing. Phone 177
Trade with the Corner Drug
Trade with the Corner Drug
Store, the otd reliable Drug Store. For Sale-Good four room house, close in. W. M. Tucker. 1tp C. W. Waldrop made a trip to Sweetwater the first of the week


Guaranty Pund Bank. Parmer

## JOIN THE YEOMEN  See C. W. RAMEY.

Hamburgers at the M. \& G.
For sale-A good work horse
Hancock \& Co.
E. L. Northcutt is prepared to do al satisfactory service.
C. B. Billingsly and son visited with Mrs. W. O. MeCarty of this city the first of the week.
Mrs. D. W. Pitchford, who has been visting here, has returned t er home at Wichita Falls,
Don't forget the place, Adams' West corner of the square.
We have several Tvler Business oilege scholarships to sell at
iscount. Call at this ofice.
All popular hot drinks at M \& O Have a photo of your famil matie before the circle is broken
Mr, and Mrs. W. H. Murchiso went to Anson Friday, where Mr II. had business with the court.

Lost-A child's overcoat, be ween my house and Ed Wilfong'
W. F. Draper. The ladies of the Baptist church will soon have an "Easter Apro Sale." Watch for further notice
Mrs. W. J. Lowry has returned to Seymour after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Draper Mrs. C. L. Arnold, of Erath county, who had been visiting here,
home.

For service, wisit the \& \& Confectionery.
Lost-Ĺap robe between Mul Creek and town. Finder leave a Haskell National Bank. G. W Mis. Turk of Hillsboro, who f has been visiting her father, G. J Graham of this city. lett Tuesday Mrs. J. M. Mare, of Gorce, who has been visiting her son, Walter
Moore of this vicinity, has retun-

## to her hom

Mr, and Mrs. A. W. MeGregor
of Waco, passed through on their way to their farm nea
Wednesdav morning.
Alvey Gilmore has returned to Haskell, after many years absenc in Oklohoma. He is a grand so
of Mrs. G. W. Keister. All popular hot drinks at M. \& C Ernest Grissom left Tuesday iight for Justine, Texas, to look after the dry goods store of the Griss ms at that place.
The city marshal has been having some very needed improvement done on the streets runnin by the Methodist church
Mrs. R. G. Fuqua, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson, of this vici
ity, has returned to her home.
For Solo-Dhodo

For Sale-Rhode Island Red and second prizes. Apply to Mrs. J. F. Lloyd Haskell, Tex.
Try our Sandwiches, they are fine. M. \& G. Confectionery,
Capt Wm Oglesby, of Stephenville, spent a few days in our city last week looking after some propday night.


Dr. J. C. Guest and wife of
Lockney, returned Lockney, returned home Tuesday night after a visit to the Doctor's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Guest parents, Mr.
of this city.
Mrs. S. C. Wingo has retuned to
her home at Waco, after spending looking after her property inter
est in this county.

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Notice-Judge H. R. Jones will have charge of my law office during my temporary absence Austin attending the

Bruce W. Bryant
Our friend J. B. Cox, who let his farm here in charge of his on and went back to Beli county has come back to this county We join his neighbors in a hearty amily.
Ladies, I will only charge 75cts or making house dresses. and 3 cts for blouses and : less for top kirts. 1 make these how price 6 advertise my work. Call and ee me. (M s.) Joe Whatley, 702 Walton St.
We can now handle some choice arm and ranch loans, and espe cially ranch loans ranging from 3,000 to $\$ 8,000$ at 9 per cen If you want money be sure ee us at State Bank.
J. Robertson, Manager West Texas Loan Co
Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant and children left Friday morning for Ausin, to join Mr. Bryant, who is atrending the legislature as our representative. Mrs. Bryant will stop off at Wichita Falls and spend a day with her brother, Dr. Guest of that city.
Eor Sale-Sows, Gilts, Shoats and pigs.
Will receive on Jan, 28th one car of 45 brood sows and gilts, 75 head of shoats and pigs. Alr good sol of Poland China and Duroc Jer
sey. Write, Phone, or see, B. M Whiteker, over White Front Bar ber Shop, Haskell. Texas, 42 p Stop the Child's Culds, They Often Result Seriously
Colds, Croup and Whooping


Registered at the Haskell Hotel this week: A.A. Wilson, Houson. Texas. I. E. Hyser, Kansas City Mo. H. Merton. New York he magician and ventriloquist. R. Valentine, Houston, Texas. J. A. McAroy, Santa Fe, N. M.
G. H. Williams, McKinney, Texas Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hall, Ft Worth W. L. Lawrence, Fort Worth, Tex. W. B. Alexander, Denton, Texas.

Cough Medicine for Children
Never give a child a cough medicine that contains opium in any form. When opium is given may follow. Long experience has demonstrated that there is no better or safer medicine for coughs, colds and croup in children than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is equally valuable for adults. Try it. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

The jumor editor in response to a very cordial invitation from the president of the Magazine Club visited the art exhibit this week at the old Farmers National Bank building, and saw quite a fine collection of pictures from the best artists. Not being an artist
or a student of art we felt our inor a student of art we felt our ability to give a notice worthy of
such a fine exhibit, so Prof. H. E. Bell was asked to prepare an ar. ticie for pabication, but Mr. Bell,
being a very busy man, could not get the article to us early enough
for this week's insue, but it will appear in our next issue.

## Saturday

Is the Last Day of our January Clearance Sale.

Saturday is the last day before we take inventory.

To make Saturday a Record Breaker, we offer unusual bargains in all lines.

These are only a few eye-openers. Many more in the store.

## Overcoats

Boys Overcoats, half price. Mens $\$ 10$. Overcoats $\mathbf{\$ 5 . 0 0}$. Only a few

## Underwear

Ladies and Children's Sweaters half Price Childrens gowns half price
One lot Ladies Gray Pants.........................................25c
One lot Misses Gray Unions..................

Shoes
One lot Ladies shoes ................................ $\mathbf{9 5 c}$
One lot $\$ 2.50, \mathbf{8 , 0 0}, 53,25$ Ladies shoe

## Mens Clothes

in gray, blue and brown..........................................................
A few wool shirts.................
A few wool shirts................................
One lot $\$ 1.50, \$ 1.25$, and $\$ 1.00$ Negligee shirts
81.10
$75 c$

## Boys Suits

## Dress Goods

Unusual values in Dress Goods
One piece $\$ 1.25$ goods
One piece $\$ 1.00$ goods
One piece $\$ 0.65$ goods
39 c
Corsets
Special Prices on Corsets, front lace and any.


Remember that Saturday is the last day of this sale. That wo are soing to make a special efiort to sell as many goods as poselble before taking invoice. All goods will be sold at remarkable bardains Saturday the last day. Give us a call.




