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If not entirely satisfactory, will give you your money back.

Prices are reasonable and consistent with service you get.

But we are not going to test your eyes for a two-bit glass.

We will give you a square deal and our place of business IS and WILL BE, Haskell.

JNO. W. PACE & COMPANY

SCHOOLS SHOW GAIN IN ATTENDANCE

Everything Running Smoothly, With Bright Prospects for Successful Term—List of Teachers.

This, the second week of school, shows everything running smoothly, with much interest and all students getting fairly down to work. The faculty is highly optimistic regarding the outlook for a successful term, notwithstanding some handicaps in the early portion of the term.

Following is a list of the teachers in the Haskell schools:

High School—Superintendent, R. J. Turrentine; principal, H. E. Bell; teachers, Miss Addie Tompkins, Miss Minnie Ellis and Mrs. Turrentine.

High School Building, 6th Grade—Miss Minnie Burt.

High School Building, 5th Grade—Miss Annie Norman.

High School Building, other grades—Miss Mayfield and Mrs. Robertson.

South Ward Building—Principal, Jno. R. Hutto; teachers, Mrs. Hutto, Miss Mary Boynton and Miss Minnie Dell Davis.

East Ward Building—Miss Queen McFerren, in charge.

Meeting of County Commissioners

The County Commissioners' Court met again last Saturday in an adjourned session. The purpose of this meeting was to further arrange for the matter of the purchase of teams and other equipment and the inauguration of the county chain gang, which is under contemplation. The commissioners will have another session Friday and Saturday, this week, to further go into the proposition. The establishing of the road gang is now practically an assured fact.

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COUNTY COURT IN SESSION THIS WEEK

Several Cases Disposed of During the First Two Days' Grind—Jury Excused Until Friday.

County Court convened Monday morning of this week, with Judge A. J. Smith, presiding. This, the first week, was jury week. Next week, also, will be jury week again. On Tuesday afternoon the jury was excused until Friday of this week, when court will again begin its grind.

Most of the day Monday was consumed in the trial of a man charged with aggravated assault. This trial resulted in a jury verdict of acquittal for defendant.

On Tuesday the case of a physician charged with practicing without a license occupied most of the court's time. In this case the jury returned a verdict finding defendant guilty. He was assessed a fine of fifty dollars and ten minutes in jail.

Several minor cases were also disposed of during the first two days' sessions. Quite a number of cases yet remain upon the docket, and it is probable that most of next week will be consumed in jury cases.

Cotton Pickers Arriving.

On Tuesday morning there arrived in the city a fair-sized crowd of negroes, who came here for the cotton-picking season. On Tuesday evening a big crowd of the dusky workers arrived from Wichita Falls, most of them having been employed to pick cotton in the vicinity of this city.

New Zealand's Mineral Island.

New Zealand has an island nearly three miles in circumference, which is almost entirely composed of sulphur, mixed with gypsum and a few other minerals.

DICK'S THEATRE IS OPEN FOR SEASON

Formal Opening Occurred on Monday Evening With Large and Pleased Audiences—Improvements.

The big event of the current week in Haskell occurred Monday evening, when Dick's Theatre was formally opened for the fall and winter season. Words would be wholly inadequate to describe the grandeur and beauty of this popular playhouse presented on Monday evening—in fact, presents every evening in the year.

Dick's Theatre has always been a highly up-to-date place of amusement, but this year, with the extensive improvements that have taken place, far surpasses any playhouse we have seen in any city under 20,000 inhabitants. It is truly the bright spot of Haskell, with the hundreds of incandescent lights that are switched on each evening about dark. The entire building is fairly aglow with bright lights. In addition to the beautiful lighting effect that prevails in the lobby, colored lights bedeck the entire front of the building, running high above the awnings. The theatre with all lights going, lights up the entire east side of the square and presents a most pleasing spectacle to the eye.

Long before the doors were thrown open Monday evening, a crowd of anxious and expectant movie fans thronged the lobby and sidewalk in front of the show, awaiting entrance that they might be sure to secure seats. All this crowd, notwithstanding the fact that the weather was bad all day Monday, with showers falling at intervals.

The interior of the theatre had been fixed up in a manner that was highly attractive and beautiful. One of the improvements that Manager Nolen is being highly complimented upon, is the addition of the new opera chairs. The chairs this week installed are comfortable and up-to-the-minute in every particular, being regulation opera chairs.

Another great improvement is the new Gold Fibre Minusa screen. This screen is the very latest and most improved idea in motion picture screens, and it is truly a vast improvement over former screen ideas. With the gold fibre screen many fine points are brought out in the pictures that was impossible with the old-style painted ones. Another thing, there is absolutely no eye-strain with this this new screen in use. It not only makes the pictures much plainer, but relieves all strain upon the eye.

Then comes that fine new Wurlitzer eight-piece symphony orchestra. It would be difficult to describe this instrument in a way that would do it justice. It must be heard to be fully appreciated. But a description is unnecessary to those who have heard the beautiful music that the orchestra renders. All in all, Dick's Theatre is an institution that Haskell as a whole might well be proud of. If the crowds of Monday night are to be taken as a criterion, the public is going to demonstrate its appreciation of this high-class photoplay house in a substantial manner.

The opening bill was a Bosworth production, "Betty in Search of a Thrill," with the noted comedienne, Elsie Janis, and Owen Moore, in the leading roles. It was truly a fine production, and the audience appeared well-pleased.

Mr. Nolen announces that he has many great attractions coming at later dates, which will include the famous Paramount Program, than which there is none better. In the Paramount pictures such noted players as Mary Pickford, Marguerite Clark; in fact, the foremost stars of America, will be brought to Haskell.

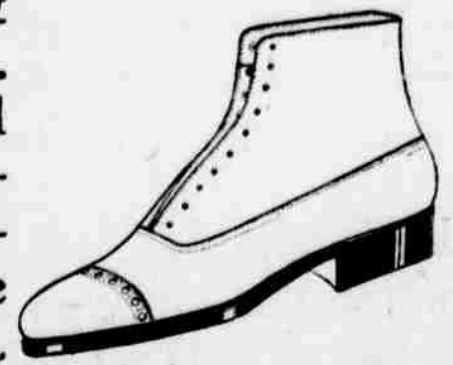
Here from Fort Stockton.

Ed Ellis, a former Haskell boy, together with his wife, has been in Haskell this week, on a visit to the home town. Mr. Ellis is now a resident of Fort Stockton. He is a son of Mr. Jim Ellis, of this city, and both he and his wife are well-known here. Mr. Ellis was for nine years employed at Alexander's store, and Mr. F. G. Alexander is authority for the statement that he made mighty good.

Howard & Foster Shoes For Men



Let your next pair of shoes be a Howard & Foster make. They have all the style, durability and comfort that can be put in any shoe.



Keep that extra dollar. Don't pay six dollars for a shoe; of course, you can get a good shoe for six, but one of our H. & F. \$5.00 shoes is as good and often better than a six dollar one. Buy one of our Silver Shirts with that extra dollar.

Our new ones are here.

Now, for \$3.50 and \$3.75 we can't be beat. Our Masterbilt shoes are great; good lasts; good leather, and no better workmanship goes into the shoes you've been paying \$4.00 for.



Fall stock complete in every department. We have what you want. Let us show you.

F. G. Alexander & Sons

THE BIG STORE

Haskell, Texas

Sept. 23, 1915

Monday Sept 27

Daniel Frohman presents the irresistible **MARGUERITE CLARK**



in the Famous Romantic Comedy

"Gretna Green"

By Grace Livingston Furniss

Also the first installment of the famous "Letters from Bugs to Gus" Series

These are the stories from the pen of Ring W. Lardner which ran in the Saturday Evening Post and which made him famous. This is not a serial story, but a series of pictures, every one complete in itself. You will enjoy these stories of Big League Baseball.

Matinee 2 to 6 p. m. Night 7:30 to 10:30.

Prices 10c and 15c

DICK'S THEATRE

KEPT BALE COTTON YEAR; GOOD PROFIT

Farmers State Bank Purchased Bale Last Year When Market Was Down. Good Investment

On Sept. 8th, 1914, at a time when the cotton market was exceedingly low, in fact, selling at about six cents, the Farmers State Bank of this city demonstrated its faith in the future outlook for better prices by purchasing a bale weighing 525 pounds, from J. W. Nanny, a good and substantial farmer of the Haskell section. For that bale of cotton the bank paid Mr. Nanny 10c per pound, the bale bringing \$52.50, which was about \$18.00 more than the cotton would have brought at the market price at that time.

After purchasing the bale, the bank stored the same, and on Monday of this week, the same bale was sold for 11c per pound, netting \$57.75. Thus the bank's faith in the future market has been vindicated, at the same time a good profit was realized on the investment, the difference of \$4.65 over what they paid for the bale amounting to approximately nine per cent on the investment.

One of the interesting features of the transaction, stated Mr. O.

Interesting Extracts From Diary of Trip

On her recent trip to the two California expositions, Miss Nevada Baker of this city, who made the trip in company with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Morton, compiled an interesting diary of some of the things that were seen en route. On the trip the party, in addition to visiting the California expositions, visited many other points of interest. The following is an extract from the diary regarding the Grand Canyon and some other interesting points visited, which we are sure will be interesting to our readers:

The Grand Canyon is reached by a spur of the Santa Fe railway, branching off at Williams and its terminus being Bright Angel, a village situated on the rim rock of the canyon. The village takes its name from a clear, running stream of water flowing into the Colorado river on the opposite side from the village. The stream was named by Major Powell. The village of Bright Angel has a population of 300 people, all but seventeen being in the employ of the Santa Fe railroad. Everything consumed in the village has to be shipped in, even

E. Patterson, the efficient and popular cashier at this banking house, was the fact that on Monday the bale was re-weighed and weighed out exactly 525 bales. Thus, a popular theory that cotton shrinks in weight when stored has been exploded, and this is also a splendid argument in favor of storing cotton when the market is down.

the water supply, amounting to about 100,000 gallons daily. The company keeps several driving teams for hire for tourists to drive back and forth to get different views of the canyon below. They also keep sixty to seventy mules for hire, to go down into the canyon, as they are much more safe than horses. The price for each mule ridden down into the canyon to the river with the necessary guides and return, is five dollars each, the distance being fifteen miles both ways. It is a legend of the Indians that this particular trail has been used for centuries. Some idea might be learned of the difficulty of crossing the canyon for the reason that the nearest trail crossing east of this trail is ninety miles, and it is twenty miles west, making but one crossing in 115 miles. Ex-President Roosevelt crossed on this trail in his famous bear hunt, and had this country here converted into a vast reservation. The depth of the canyon is from six to seven thousand feet and an average of ten miles wide and 200 miles long. The river on this trail is about thirty feet deep and 250 feet wide and flows twenty miles per hour. It is crossed by what is known as a cage swung on a wire cable, carrying capacity less than a ton, and is pulled by a man in the cage with a windless. The trail is now maintained by the county, which has men to give it daily care, removing anything that might make it more dangerous. One tunnel was blasted through solid rock. The county receives from the Santa Fe railway \$100 for each mounted tourist going through the gate.

The incline is from 25 to 35 per cent over a part of the way, and to reduce the incline to this they have to go at many angles.



Let Us Talk Together

You are first measured up for what you wear, by people who do not know you well enough to gauge you for what you are.

The man with an eye to future welfare in commercial life always looks his best. It is the safe, sure process of progression.

Sensible Styles

Are shown this year, styles that are comfortable and add grace to the figure. We have them. We have obtained a reputation for style and quality; that reputation

has been strengthened every season, and if you will visit us—either to look or to buy, we will show you coats and suits correct in every way, at prices that will please you.

We can aid you. Our prices are low enough to make good dressing a matter of economy, yet not too low to jeopardize reliability of quality and assurance of correct tailoring.

We are now showing the smart new models in Winter Overcoats and Suits.

All Wool \$12.50 to \$25.00
Other \$5.00 and \$6.25



See Our Window Saturday

To show the fitting qualities and the good values we have in shoes. We will show on living models shoes for women and men. See this display Saturday 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. in our windows.

The Store with the Goods

GRISSOM'S

The Store with the Goods

LOCAL NOTES

Fred Norman and Louis Free departed Monday evening for Austin where they will enter the deaf and dumb school.

Use Light Crust flour. The quality is unquestioned. Every sack guaranteed at Posey & Hunt.

Tom E. Ballard, Jr., Monday evening left for College Station, where he will enter the State A. & M. College.

If you haven't tried a sack of Light Crust flour, try one. A fresh car just received at Posey & Hunt's.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

List your land with Sprowles and Co. Office in McConnell Bldg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stevenson, of Lawn, are here as guests of their daughter, Mrs. Alex Edwards and family.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

Baths are selling for only 15c each at Kinnison's barber shop. tt

C. D. Long left Wednesday for Wichita Falls, being called there on business matters.

Everything neat and sanitary at Kinnison's barber shop. Baths only 15c. tf

Master Sedwick Anthony, son of Police Commissioner Anthony of Austin, left Tuesday evening for his home after a visit with relatives here and at Rule.

Fresh fruit, vegetables, water melons and cantelopes at Posey & Hunt's.

Marvin and Bailey Post left Tuesday evening for Austin, to re-enter the University of Texas.

Six room residence close in at a bargain. West Texas Loan Co.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

Friendship bracelet links. See them at Mrs. Love's.

I am now the Haskell agent for the famous Maxwell car, Henry Johnson. 39-1f

Brevard Long left Tuesday evening for Austin to re-enter the State University. He is taking a law course.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

A snap—4 room house nicely located, three blocks from square. West Texas Loan Co.

We show Paramount, Fox, Mutual and Pathe pictures.

Wanted—A position as stenographer by first class experienced woman. Address Mrs. A. S. Kirby Rule, Texas 39.4tp

Geo. E. Courtney left Wednesday morning for Wichita Falls, to attend a district meeting of the Farmers' Union.

Will have a car of Keifer Pears in town the last of this week. On sale at car at \$1.25 per bushel. J. B. Wankan. 1-tp

Guaranty Fund Bank. Farmers State Bank.

Let E. L. Northcutt do your hauling. Satisfaction guaranteed. tt

J. M. Veazy returned Tuesday after a trip to Dallas. He admits the pavements and lights looked "kind o' good."

Say, did you know Haskell was paying more than any town in Texas for cotton seed? Read Hunt's ad in this issue.

We show Paramount, Fox, Mutual and Pathe pictures.

Two negroes enlivened things somewhat on Depot Street Tuesday night when they pulled off a real fisticuff. The most damage reported was the loss by one of the belligerents of a set of false teeth.

Let me take your application for an accident policy in the International Travelers Association of Texas. T. C. Cahill Agent

H. L. Sherrill arrived in the city Wednesday evening from Temple

Mrs. Walter Bickley returned to her Stamford home Wednesday evening, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander of this city.

Two good houses, close in, and clear of debt, to trade for farm. Will assume some debt. West Texas Loan Co.

Mrs. Robt. Fields of San Antonio is visiting in Haskell this week, the guest of relatives.

Bring your cotton seed to Hunt's and boost the market. We are always on top with price.

Mr. Will Wright and family of Abilene have been guests this week in the home of Mr. Courtney Hunt and family.

For Sale—Windmill, galvanized steel frame, 15 foot stand and 30-barrel tank. Also good barn, with overhead loft, 20 feet square. See M. R. Hemphill. 36-2t

Mrs. George Dean this week arrived in the city from South Texas. She will spend the winter here with her mother, Mrs. R. B. Fields.

Cotton seed last year, \$10.00; this year, \$30.00. Why? Hunts.

Mrs. Emma Steadman returned Tuesday from Dallas, to which place she accompanied her daughter, Miss Mary. At Dallas Miss Mary was joined by the two daughters of Congressman Smith, of Colorado City, and the party of young ladies went on from Dallas to Virginia, where they will attend school this year.

For Rent—Three rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 500 North Houston St. 39-1t

Mr. Henry Johnson reports the sale and delivery last Saturday of a new Maxwell car to T. L. Atchison of near Haskell.

Bobolinks, bobolinks, Spink, spank and new; Try one for your lady love, At Mrs. Love's Variety Store.

For Sale—It would pay you to see Haskell Ice, Light & Coal Co., before you buy your coal.

R. G. French has returned after a trip to market. He purchased a large stock of Holiday goods for Mrs. D. Love's Variety Store while away.

I have coal for the thresher engines. F. T. Sanders.

Wanted—Girl to assist with house work in the mornings; no cooking. Phone Free Press.

Von Cobb left Sunday evening for Galveston, where he goes to re-enter school.

We are doing some advertising and will have some land buyers from other States. If you have land for sale, come in and list it with us, and we will sell it for you. Sanders & Wilson.

It costs you no more to buy groceries from us and get the genuine aluminum ware free. Posey & Hunt

Call for your coupons and get valuable pieces of aluminum ware when you buy groceries from Posey & Hunt.

Fresh and cured meats at Posey & Hunt's market.

For the best ice cream, at the lowest price, go to the Bottling Works, they have it.

Homer Arbuckle, a Haskell boy, who has been away from the city for some time, is at home again and now a regular member of the Free Press Force.

Fresh pork, boiled ham, beef loaf and sausage at Posey & Hunt's market.

Plenty of money to loan, at 6 and 8 per cent.

Sanders & Wilson.

If you want to exchange or sell your land, list with Sprowles and Co. Office in McConnell Bldg. tt

Haskell County Property

If you want a home in Haskell or a farm, see us. We have a large list, which includes some rare bargains.

R. H. Sprowls & Co.
Haskell, Texas

Paramount Pictures

Thursday, Sept. 30

Jessie L. Lasky in Association With David Belasco

Presents

A picturization of Belasco's Famous Dramatic Hit

"The Woman"

By William C. DeMille

With a Special Exceptional Star Cast Including

Lois Meredith Mabel Van Buren Theodore Roberts James Neill

Matinee Performance from 2:30 to 6 p. m.
Night 7:30 to 10:30

Admission 10c

Never before has this picture been offered at this low scale of prices

DICK'S THEATRE

The Great Galveston Storm Sale

Opens Friday Sept. 24 at Mistrot Bros. Co. at Stamford.

Thousands of dollars worth of goods from our Galveston warehouses, undamaged by the storm, now on sale at our Stamford store. The people of Jones County are now witnessing the grandest distribution of merchandise ever seen. Goods of all descriptions are here from our city store. The greater part have suffered no damage at all. Hundreds of cases were carried by elevators to the upper stories, and all of these are to be distributed to the crowds of people of Jones County, at prices that will be remembered for years to come.

We have extensively advertised this sale throughout the entire Stamford trade territory, and there will be crowds of people daily at Stamford.

The Goods Will Not Wait

Come, make money faster than you ever made it before. This sale is for you--don't delay a moment. Come and see a

Real Storm Sale

See the big crowds as they move about the store. Come and see our people buy goods when they get their money's worth. It will be a sight worth seeing. All people for 100 miles around Stamford will be here.

It will be a merchandise slaughter unparalleled in the history of the community

MISTROT BROS.

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

STAMFORD, TEXAS

Go to Whitman's Paint Store for pure pine tar.

Guaranty Fund Bank. Farmers State Bank of Haskell.

E. L. Northcutt is prepared to do all kinds of hauling. Prompt and satisfactory service. tfpt

Mrs. Clyde F. Elkins and children returned Sunday after an extended visit at Austin.

The advance on all wares and merchandise was caused by the war, but the decline on coal was caused by the enormous amount of business Chambers is doing.

Now is the time to think of insuring your cotton. I have the best of cotton insurance, also all other kinds of insurance. Henry Johnson. 38-tf

Chambers put Oakdale coal on the map in Haskell, as well as all other good grades of coal. Why not give him a trial if you are not already a customer of his. E. A. Chambers, phone 157.

Insurance, all kinds and the best, especially Cotton Insurance. See Henry Johnson. 38 tf

Read Hunt's offer on cotton seed in another space of this paper

Miss Tommie Boone returned home Sunday evening from Denton, where she went to accompany her sister, Miss Beryl, who is a student this year at the C. I. A.

The high cost of living and the fine quality of coal that Chambers handles keeps the wife with a smile all the time.

"The Woman" Is Coming Attraction

"The Woman" is recognized as one of the most forceful dramas ever presented by David Belasco and is by many considered the masterpiece of the author, Wm. C. De Mille. The picturization, offered by Mr. Lasky and Mr. Belasco, is said to be even more tensely dramatic than the play itself. Moreover, the photodramatic cast, including Lois Meredith, Mabel Van Buren, Theodore Roberts and James Neill, is one of the genuinely star organizations, and gives the production added note.

"The Woman" is a drama showing the manner in which domestic scandal may be used as a political weapon. A young "insurgent" is opposing a certain "grab" measure which the members of the "ring" are endeavoring to put through congress, with such evidence of success that the "machine" politicians endeavor to discredit him with the public by exposing an "affair" of his early life. The story concerns the manner in which the effort is defeated by the courage and nobility of a girl telephone operator.

To be shown at Dick's Theatre Thursday, Sept. 30th. Matinee and night.

Fire Alarm Thursday

An alarm of fire was sounded Thursday evening, being turned in for the residence of Mr. Jno. Solomon, in the eastern portion of the city. We did not learn the extent of damage.

Don't be deceived about your paint and oil. Why pay the same price or more for inferior material when you can buy the Sherwin-Williams at Whitman's Paint Store? Guaranteed to give you better service than any paint on the market.

Cotton is Moving Along Nicely

The Haskell County cotton crop is now being picked and ginned at a fair rate of speed. However, the showers of this week have hampered operations in the cotton fields. The gins are all fired up daily now and each plant seems to be getting a fair list of cotton for ginning. As to ginning, it might be of interest to here add that Haskell is equipped with four first class gins, and the facilities for handling the crop here this season are exceptional.

The market price for cotton throughout this week has been good, ranging a little above eleven cents.

Notwithstanding the European war and the cry of hard times in some quarters, it looks as though King Cotton is to come back into his own again this season. While the acreage in this section is not as great as last season, yet the crop will bring considerably more to the producers, owing to the prevalent high price of seed and the steady market for the staple.

Whitman's Paint Store handles medicinal castor oil, 50c per quart; turpentine, 35c per quart.

Now is the Time

to get more enterprises and manufacturing establishments in your city. Help the ones that are here by patronizing them. The Bottling Works wants your business

You can get wall paper for 2c a roll up. I am selling all the old stock at a greatly reduced price, in order to make room for one of the largest stocks of paper ever brought to Haskell. Whitman's Paint Store.

Typographical Errors

Last week in the publication of the statement of the Haskell National Bank, some typographical errors were made, therefore, we are this week reprinting the statement corrected. We always regret for errors of this nature to occur, but it is sometimes impossible to avoid it, it seems.

Coal, Coal--Cold weather will be here in a few weeks. I am selling more coal, better coal and cheaper coal this year than ever before E. A. Chambers.

To Preach at Whit's Chapel

Rev. A. M. Griffin was in the city the past Saturday, and while here was a caller at the Free press office. He requests us to make the announcement that he will preach at Whit's Chapel the second Sunday in October. Everybody is invited.

Wall paper, wall paper; it has just arrived. We told you it was coming. It is here. You will make a mistake if you don't see this large stock--best and biggest west of Fort Worth. Whitman's Paint Store.

Store more coal, as winter will come soon. E. A. Chambers wants your "biz."

100 per cent is proof enough. With no exceptions, my customers who have used Oakdale Lump Coal for six years, demand nothing short of Oakdale Coal. Sold where? At Chambers.

Plenty of Money

To loan on farms and ranches. We have secured a new connection and can make you the most liberal loan ever made with prepayment privileges.

Be sure to see us before you deal for money.

WEST TEXAS LOAN CO., State Bank Building.

For Sale

I want to sell my Haskell County property consisting of the business house where the Newport Cafe and White Front Barber Shop are now located on the north side of the Public Square. My dwelling situated near the High School building. Also my farm, consisting of 77 acres situated 1-1-4 miles north-east of the Public Square. I will, for the next ten days sell any or all of this property at a bargain. For further particulars, see my agent, Mr. Bruce W. Bryant.

H. C. Melton.

OLDER BUT STRONGER

To be healthy at seventy, prepare at forty, is sound advice, because in the strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later years. To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Emulsion which is a food, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate rheumatism and avoid sickness. No alcohol in Scott's. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

It's Almost Impossible

For other places to offer grocery prices that are interesting enough to affect these two features, that are always in evidence at this store

Quality

Always the highest quality of Groceries. "Good Things to Eat" that are pure, fresh and wholesome and handled in a sanitary manner. Our goods must be good.

Service

Prompt and careful delivery service. All orders given immediate attention and all possible care. We try to give you treatment that will bring you back.

Even then our Prices are Unusually Low

Posey & Hunt

Join the Yeomen

For the BEST and cheapest Life Insurance, with Accident clause added.

C. W. RAMEY,

District Manager Haskell, Texas

DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS

But Father didn't bring the right kind of sewing



Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

Rochester News Notes
(From the Express)

Leon Vardeman is in school in Haskell.

Sheriff, W. C. Allen was over Monday on business.

C. M. McGregor was in town on business Monday.

Walter Reed and Claude Busey were down from O'Brien Friday.

Sam Loe of Haskell is visiting his brother Isham, this week

Carl Howell was in town with a load of fresh pork and sausage Saturday.

H. G. Ramby came in Thursday evening with his new Overland car.

J. S. Menefee was in Haskell this week attending Commissioner's court.

Miss Cleo Chapman left Wednesday for Haskell where she will attend school.

C. C. Wilson was in town Monday and purchased a new Pekin wagon from Dar Ratliff.

Comer Felton was in town Monday. He says he will soon be in the cotton field again.

W. C. Allen purchased a Pekin wagon from Dar Ratliff Hardware Company Monday.

Miss Lois Chapman returned Saturday night from Haskell, where she spent a few days.

Murray Johnson came in Saturday morning from Foster, where he spent last week with Luther Denson.

W. M. Trusty was in town last week on business. Mr. Trusty is a leading farmer of this section and says things are looking good out his way.

H. G. Ramby motored over to Weinert Sunday accompanied by Miss Maude Carothers who was leaving for Denton and Mr. Reeve who is going to Munday.

Harrison Albin was notified by telephone Monday that his brother

Roberts Ripples
Health of the community is very good.

J. O. Wheatley and family spent Sunday at A. F. Forces.

Blake Ewing spent from Thursday to Sunday with relatives at Rule.

Quite a number of our young people attended the candy-breaking at Mr. McDaniels of Whitman, Saturday night. All report a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Claud Massie and daughters visited Mrs. W. M. Morton Sunday.

Mrs. Leonard Robinson and daughter spent Friday at J. P. Wheatley's.

Edgar Elkins has not been feeling so well the past week. When asked the trouble his reply is "Ardmore" We think it is a new disease but have reason to believe it is near the region of the heart. We hope for him a speedy recover.

Ivy Mapes and Myrtle Wheatley spent Saturday night with Dewey Yates of Whitman.

Quite a number attended the baptising at Rose Sunday evening.

Grandma Hughes spent Sunday night with Mrs. A. F. Force.

Tom Mapes and family visited at J. A. Mapes Wednesday evening.

J. A. Mapes and family visited at Edd Mapes Sunday.

T. L. Atchison came out in a new Maxwell Saturday.

Clarence Massie spent Saturday night with Erwin Yates.

T. L. Atchison and family and Mrs. Tom Mapes spent Saturday night at George Atchison's of Kirkdale.

Ivy Mapes spent Tuesday night with Myrtle Wheatley.

DRUCILLA.

Roy, is very low and not expected to live but a short time. He immediately left for Aspermont.

The first bale of cotton ginned here this year was raised by C. Carson of Stonewall Co. The bale was ginned Thursday, by the Harris Irby gin, and was sold to Bryant Link Company at 9.40. A premium of \$20.00 was given him by the business men of the town.

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The Colds of Mankind Cured by Pineal

Have you ever gone through a typical pine forest when you had a cold? What a vigorous impulse it sent! How you opened wide your lungs to take in those invigorating and mysterious qualities. Yes, Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey possesses those stimulating qualities and overcomes hacking coughs. The inner lining of the throat is strengthened in its attack against cold germs. Every family needs a bottle constantly at hand. 25c.

Sagerton Items of Interest
(From the Dairyman-Farmer)

J. R. Laughlin unloaded his car Tuesday, and expects to make his home here.

Rev. Phipps, of Abilene, pastor of Baptist church at this place, filled his regular appointment here last Sunday.

Messrs E. G. Stein, G. P. Lester, J. B. King and W. M. Kaiser, made a flying business trip to Crowell the first of the week.

Rev. A. B. Keen, former pastor of the Methodist church at this place, spent a short time here Monday shaking hands with friend

A band of strolling negro musicians spent Monday in town en route from Anson to Stamford, and amused the people here with vocal and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Gibson, residing near Sagerton, visited Aspermont friends the first of the week where they remained several days

J. S. Davis loaded his car of household goods and cattle for Pecos, Texas, Tuesday, where he expects to handle stock exclusively

Messrs. B. Hess, manager of the Higginbotham & Harris Lumber yard at this place, and W. H. Spiser, the grain buyer, motored up to Brandenburg Monday afternoon.

Mrs. O. B. Smith attended the Baptist Association near Goree last Thursday and Friday, returning home Saturday night.

E. G. Stein motored over to Rising Star last Sunday and returned Tuesday. He made good time and a quick trip in his Maxwell car. He made the trip in connection with a land deal.

News Notes From Rule.
(From the Review)

J. M. Steel made a business trip out to Jud Monday.

W. R. Carothers and wife were Haskell visitors Monday.

L. S. Price the gin man at Jud was mingling with old friends Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel Byles came in last week from Howe and will spend the winter with her sisters, Mesdames W. L. Scott and J. D. Hall

Trade conditions are beginning to take on a regular fall appearance. The streets of Rule are crowded with grain daily.

Hugh Williams has accepted a position with the Rule Mercantile Co. in the grocery department. He invites his friends to call and see him.

Floyd Joiner of Haskell has accepted a position with the popular firm of Fields & Hunt. The Review extends to him a hearty welcome to our growing little city.

Chas. Brewington of Stamford was over Saturday looking after his lumber interest at this place. He found everything in tip-top shape under the management of Mr. R. P. Cole.

Mrs. J. D. Westbrook who was called to El Paso some weeks ago on account of the illness of her mother has returned. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Hussy Ellis who will attend the Rule school this term.

Saturday, Sept. 25

"The Adventures of a Boy Scout"

Given for the benefit of the local camp of Boy Scouts.

Matinee from 10 a. m. till 6 p. m. Night 7:30 to 11
Price 10 and 20 cents

DICK'S THEATRE

Estate of I. H. Miller
Deceased
No. 258

In County Court of Haskell County, Texas.
In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was, on the 19th day of May, 1915, duly appointed administrator of the above named estate in said cause in said court and that he qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oath and making and filing the bond required by law in said cause on the 7th day of June, 1915, and that on the 13th day of August, 1915, letters of administration were duly issued to and received by him as administrator of said estate.

And notice is hereby given further requiring all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law. The residence and postoffice address of the undersigned is as follows: Residence: Jud, Haskell County, Texas. Postoffice Address: Jud, Haskell County, Texas.

Witness my hand this 14th day of August, 1915.

E. R. Miller,
Administrator.

Colds Do Not Leave Willingly

Because a cold is stubborn is no reason why you should be so. Instead of "wearing it out," get instant relief by taking Dr. King's New Discovery. Dangerous bronchial and lung ailments often follow a cold that has been neglected in the beginning. As your body faithfully battles those cold germs, no better aid can be given than the use of this remedy. Its merit has been tested by old and young. Get a bottle to-day. 50c and \$1.00. 3

Come in and talk to a man who has had seventeen years experience in all kinds of paint materials. He will be glad to tell you all about paints, and you will thank him as others are doing. Some things to be remembered are these: Don't let people tell you that any reliable paint company will sell you their paints labeled by different manufacturers and say it is the same paint company's paint. They are just trying to deceive you in order to sell the bill. Better know what you are putting on your house before it is too late. Don't be one of those who are coming in almost daily and saying: "I wish I had used Sherwin-Williams Paint." Whitman's Paint Store.

Buy Your Coal NOW

Three of the best grades of Coal delivered from cars to your bin

Purity Mateland, Colorado Negro Head and Domino--Sugarete

All good lump coal. I will deliver either of these coals to bin for \$8.00. \$7.50 at Car.

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Special Attention!
To those who want high grade nursery stock

It pays to patronize a Reliable Nursery. The Plainview Nursery is a reliable nursery, with a full and complete line, grown in and adapted to this section.

We have a full variety on:
Apple, peach, plum, pear, apricot; cherry, quince, nectarines, grape, dewberry, blackberry, raspberry, strawberry, rhubarb, asparagus, horse radish, shade trees, budded pecan, evergreens, roses, shrubs, vines, etc.

Stock delivered to customers in first class condition. Prices reasonable.

I have Haskell and Knox Counties for the Plainview Nursery Company. See me before placing your orders elsewhere.

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\$30 Per Ton For Your Cotton Seed \$30

We will pay you thirty dollars per ton for your cotton seed in merchandise and the very top price at all times in

Spot Cash

We have told our friends if they would bring us their cotton seed they could put them to \$30 per ton. We have been buying two weeks and they are now up ten dollars per ton. We are now paying your thirty dollars per ton in merchandise and sell you your goods ROCK BOTTOM SPOT CASH PRICES, which is the same as cash to you. We will buy your seed and pay you every dollar in cash and pay you the very top price at all times. We are now paying \$26 per ton cash, (price subject to change at any time without notice) for your seed, of course this price might change to higher or lower any day, but you will find us always on top with the cash price.

Now, Mr. Farmer, do you know that you are offered more for your cotton seed in Haskell than any other town in Texas? Do you remember that one year ago you were selling your seed for TEN dollars per ton. This is a fact and can't be denied. THEN THERE MUST BE A REASON. We tell you plain, your seed will bring you more if you will haul them to us. It is an absolute fact that the cotton crop of Texas is short, and this is one year that the farmers can dictate the price of their cotton and cotton seed. Now, Mr. Farmer, we ask you to give this matter one serious thought and take your seed to the man that you think is entitled to them. If you sell to us you get more, if you don't sell us you have got money in your pocket you wouldn't have if we were not buying. So don't you think we are entitled to your seed when we make the price

Bring Your Seed to us and Get More

Haskell's Progressive Store

HUNT'S

We Buy Anything You Have to Sell

The Store on the Square

Improvements at Station
During the week the Wichita Valley station has been undergoing a thorough renovation and re-painting. A force of painters were busy there for several days, and as a consequence the station has taken on quite an improved appearance.

To the Public
"I feel that I owe the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy a word of gratitude," writes Mrs. T. N. Witherall, Gowanda, N. Y. "When I began taking this medicine I was in great pain and feeling terribly sick, due to an attack of summer complaint. After taking a dose of it I had not long to wait for relief as it benefitted me almost immediately." For sale by West Side Drug Store.

Showers This Week
For the better part of the present week intermittent showers have been falling over this section. While the precipitation has not been excessive, yet the total rainfall will probably amount to one and a half inch, up to and including Thursday.

Biliousness and Constipation
It is certainly surprising that any woman will endure the miserable feelings caused by biliousness and constipation, when relief is so easily had and at so little expense. Mrs. Chas. Peck, Gates, N. Y., writes: "About a year ago I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they cured me of biliousness and constipation." For sale by West Side Drug Store.

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Good Grapes
When prepared right, make the best drink yet. You can get it at the Bottling Works. Call for Grapine, one of the best and most healthful drinks on the market today.

Benefit Performance for the Boy Scouts

The management of Dick's Theatre announces the five-reel production, "The Adventures of a Boy Scout," as a part of the bill at this playhouse on this Saturday the 25th. A Pathe cartoon comedy setting forth the antics of "Colonel Heeza Liar" completes the bill for this date.

"The Adventures of a Boy Scout" is being put on for the educational and financial benefit of the local camp of Boy Scouts. Scoutmaster, T. C. Williams, and the boys of the local camp are quite enthusiastic about the matter, and early this week the boys started the advance sale of tickets. From authentic accounts, the picture is very interesting and is not only interesting to the boys, but to grown-ups, as well. It is of interest to note that President Wilson appears personally in the film and some close-up scenes in the picture will give the audience a chance to see the President as he really is.

The picture traces the practical value of the Scout movement in the upbuilding of youthful character. The work of the Boy Scouts in all its aspects is illustrated by a series of descriptive episodes, in which the daily routine of the Scouts is shown; their drills, their usefulness in administering first aid to the injured; their esprit de corps; their ability to attack predators and wrong-doers, and their powers of defense.

Military operations, such as scaling walls, the rescue and care of wounded, the protection of property, are among the incidents that appear in the film. The Boy Scouts' adventures coincide with a human interest story which points out the moral that every boy is a potential asset to his

Treat In Store For Lovers of Antique

A rare treat is in store for lovers of Celestial antiques, draperies and porcelains, when they see on the screen in the William Fox production of "The Clemenceau Case" by Alexandre Dumas, the finest specimens of such priceless objects in the scene in Iza's boudoir. The grinning idols, squat Buddha, heavily embroidered hangings and exquisite Chinese porcelains are all from the collection of the late J. P. Morgan, and their recent exhibition at the Metropolitan Museum of art in New York City created an immense amount of discussion. In all the specimens used in "The Clemenceau Case" are worth in the neighborhood of \$250,000. The grinning Buddha that stands by Iza's couch is the gem of the collection. It comes from the Temple of Kan Esh Kai, in the center of Canton province, China and was seized during the Boxer rebellion by an American officer. It is supposed to be at least two thousand years old. Mr. Fox, who is a personal friend of J. P. Morgan, engineered the deal by which the antiques seen were loaned to Director Herbert Brenon. A special guard was detailed to watch them day and night. After the scenes in which they were used had been completed they were taken under guard back to their room at the Metropolitan Museum. This is the first time on record that such costly, wellnigh priceless properties have been used in any screen production anywhere.

country; that manliness, courage and chivalry always win out. Lend the boys your encouragement and your presence on Saturday. Help them to make of this performance a success.

Class "11" Meets
The Sunday School class No. 11 met with Mrs. J. U. Fields, Wednesday afternoon 22nd, to organize. They will study the women of the Bible once a month at which time they will meet in the different homes.

Jazel was the topic of the meeting and a very interesting lesson was enjoyed by all present. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. T. C. Cahill; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Laura Lee Langford; Sunday School teacher, Mrs. J. U. Fields.

Auto License
One automobile license has been issued by County Clerk Roy English since last report, being to T. L. Atchison, Haskell, No. 285-Maxwell.

Concert Postponed
Owing to the inclement weather Rev. Wm. Groom announces that the Old Folks' Concert, that was to have been given this Friday evening, has been indefinitely postponed. Announcement will be made later of the time for this event.

Marriage Licenses
Two marriage licenses have been issued since last report; one bearing the notation: "Do not publish." The other license was issued to W. T. Thompson and Miss Fable Lamb.

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WHAT is the sport in which you take the keenest interest? Is it trap-shooting, tennis, motoring, hunting, fishing?

No matter what it is, you will find here the equipment necessary for its enjoyment:

Tennis rackets, nets, etc., fishing rods and tackle, shotguns, rifles and revolvers—ammunition of all makes, including shells loaded with Infallible Smokeless Powder—everything in fact that helps gladden the heart of an outdoor man is here.

The next time you pass our way step in for a moment—not to buy but simply to become acquainted. The pleasure we are sure will be mutual.

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A nice lot of the famous Sunshine suits by express for you to see. The very latest colors, fabrics and models. Our enormous business in this line already this season causes us to believe we have the most beautiful and well selected line in the city, and our system of getting the new models as they come out by express, guarantees to you when you buy your suit or coat of us that it is the very latest thing. We not only have a wide variety for you to select from, but having marked them all at a very close profit, we can offer you some very attractive prices.

Our New Millinery Department

Has proved a grand success. Ask your friends who have visited this department if we haven't the most beautiful line of hats ever shown in Haskell.

Just Received

A nice lot of the Famous Fisk pattern hats. The name Fisk in a hat means the very last word in the milliner's art, and nothing but the very latest New York and Paris styles are used. Come and see them. It is a pleasure for us to show you.

And Don't Forget

Our store is brimming full of new silks, new wools, new dress goods of all kinds, new shoes, clothing, mens shirts, and in fact our stock is now complete to the smallest detail, and our low cash prices will please you.

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Worth Their Weight in Gold
"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and found them to be just as represented, a quick relief for headaches, dizzy spells and other symptoms denoting a torpid liver and a disordered condition of the digestive organs. They are worth their weight in gold," writes Miss Clara A. Driggs, Elba, N. Y. For sale by West Side Drug Store.

Bulb Display by Club Ladies
The Magazine Club Ladies will have on display at their club rooms on Friday afternoon, from 3 to 7 o'clock, a nice selection of bulbs. Every lady of the town is invited to come and view them, whether they purchase or not.

Guaranty Fund Bank. Farmers State Bank of Haskell.

None Equal to Chamberlain's
"I have tried most all of the cough cures and find that there is none that equal Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has never failed to give me prompt relief," writes W. V. Harner, Montpelier Ind. When you have a cold give this remedy a trial and see for yourself what a splendid medicine it is. For sale by West Side Drug Store.

Ever Salivated By Calomel? Horrible!

Calomel is quicksilver and acts like dynamite on your liver

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50c a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is purely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and cannot salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

Sunday School Will Have Home-Coming.

F. L. Daugherty, superintendent of Methodist Sunday School, announces that the school will observe Sunday, October, 3rd, as Home-Coming Day. On that day it will be the endeavor to have a large attendance of former pupils who for one reason or another have dropped out, also, it is planned to secure as large an attendance as possible of all who have in the past attended Sunday Schools. It is planned to make this a memorable day and we wish for the movement success.

When Haskell People

Publicly Testify, It's Evidence Not to Be Ignored

When residents of Haskell are willing to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills is there any good reason to try a kidney, backache or bladder remedy that is not as well recommended?

Mrs. W. G. Bedford, Hughes St., Haskell, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills gave me prompt relief from a feeling of discomfort in my back and I have had no return of the trouble since. I have great confidence in this medicine and I am glad to recommend it, because I feel it is worthy of praise."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Bedford had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Advertised Letters

List of unclaimed letters at Haskell, Texas, postoffice for week ending Sept. 18th, 1915. Advertised Sept. 20th, 1915:

Wesley Craft (2), Miss Belle Davis, Addis Fry, Mary Gamble, Cam Majors, N. C. Phillips, Earl Ritchie Paul Smith, Mrs. T. J. Thompson, Oliver Tucker and DeWitt Underwood.

S. G. Dean, P. M.

Rheumatism and Allied Pains—They Must Go!

The congestion of the blood in its flow causes pain. Sloan's Liniment penetrates to the congestion and causes the blood to flow freely. The body's warmth is renewed; the pain is gone. The "man or woman who has rheumatism, neuralgia or other pain and fails to keep Sloan's Liniment in their home is like a drowning man refusing a rope." Why suffer. Get a bottle of Sloan's. 25c and 50c. \$1.00 bottle holds six times as much as 25c size.

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\$10.00 Hedgethorn Puncture-Proof \$4.00

The regular retail price of these tires is \$10.00 per pair, but to introduce, only \$4.00

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Wells, Yachts or Glens will not let the air out. A hundred thousand pairs sold last year. **DESCRIPTION:** Made in all sizes. It is riding, very durable and easy to install. It is a special quality of rubber, which never becomes porous and which closes up small punctures without allowing air to escape. They weigh no more than an ordinary tire, the puncture resisting qualities being given by several layers of this specially prepared fabric on the tread. The regular price of these tires is \$10.00 per pair, but for advertising purposes we are making a special factory price to the rider of only \$4.00 per pair. All orders shipped same day letter is received. We will ship C. O. D. on approval. You do not need to pay a cent until you examine and find them strictly as represented.

We will allow a cash discount of 5 per cent (thereby making the price \$3.80 per pair) if you send **FULL CASH WITH ORDER** and enclose this advertisement. You run no risk in sending us an order as the tires may be returned a full expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination. We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. If you order a pair of these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear longer and look better than any tire you have ever used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a trial order at any price until you send for a pair of Hedgethorn tires. **IF YOU NEED TIRES** Puncture-Proof tires on approval and trial at the special introductory price quoted above; or write for our big tire and sundry literature which is described and quoted at wholesale prices. **DO NOT WAIT** until you are out of tires. Write for our **FREE CATALOGUE** of tires from anyone until you know the new and wonderful offers we are making. It costs only a postcard to learn everything. Write it now!

J. L. MEAD CYCLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.

Baptist Church Announcements

9:45 Bible School for young and old. Sunday week special Rally with musical program.
11:00 Preaching subject "A Great Ecstasy."
4, 5, and 7 P. M. the Unions as usual. Watch next week's paper for alteration in times of meeting.
8:00 Preaching, subject "The Woman with the Painted Face."
This church stands for righteous living, aggressive service, Biblical authority, and the old-time gospel clothed in the warm vivid terms of the present. Come you lovers of the real thing and let's go on together.

Women

The safest liver medicine which you often need is Po-Do-Lax. Headaches, biliousness and dizziness caused by constipation readily yield to this "May Apple" laxative. Remember, it is non-gripping and easy in action. It arouses the liver and increases the flow of bile without sickening effects. Get over that irritability by removing the cause—constipation. No gas, no fermentation, no pain. Po-Do-Lax, the perfect woman's laxative! 50c a bottle.

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The House Reliable
Oldest and Largest Piano and Music House in Western Texas. Latest sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc. Catalogue and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE for the asking. Established 1890. SAN ANGELO

The timid old lady asked the baggage master if her parcel would reach "Frisco intact." Said that official, "Let's see." Thereupon, he threw it on the floor. Once, "That's for Chicago." Twice, "That's for Kansas City." Third, "That's for Denver." The fourth time, he dashed it on the floor with extra violence. The box broke. The contents were scattered about.

"You see, mum, it wouldn't reach."

Fortunately, you are not in that position. You do not have to RISK the trial of the various things you need in your home or business. You can pick out a well-known article, one that has been tried and tested for years under actual working conditions in other places. Among such articles the trade mark "Texaco" has secured for Texaco Products the recognition to which their careful preparation and their suitability for the purpose entitle them.

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