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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1916.

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## WING OF COUNTY & BRIDGE FUND

The new Commissioner's book over the affairs of the according to statistics furnished by the County Judge, they the financial condition of each and bridge precinct to be as follows:

Commissioner's Precinct No. 1	on hand	\$628.37
Commissioner's Precinct No. 2	on hand	\$178.39
Commissioner's Precinct No. 4	on hand	\$241.74
Commissioner's Precinct No. 3	on hand	\$2,081.63

tax values of each precinct year 1916 are as follows, figured on basis of 15c on the one hundred valuation:

Precinct No. 1	\$2,955,046.
Precinct No. 2	\$2,140,850.
Precinct No. 3	\$1,804,806.
Precinct No. 4	\$1,897,462.

precinct will receive the following per cent of the road and fund:

Precinct No. 1	33.16 per cent
Precinct No. 2	24.29 per cent
Precinct No. 3	21.25 per cent
Precinct No. 4	21.30 per cent

**Tompkins-McDaniel**  
Tompkins, son of Mrs. J. B. of this city and Miss Nellie daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel of Abilene were married at the home of the bride's uncle, Simmons at Roby, Texas last afternoon at 7 o'clock. Rev. officiating.

of the contracting parties any friends here who join the press in wishing them a long happy married life.

Lawson, Marion Shook and Barber, Jr. motored over to Roby in the bridal party.

will make their home, after a days, at their country home of town.

**MISSIONARY SOCIETY**  
Missionary Society met Monday, 20th at four o'clock.

R. J. Turrentine—who is our in the Bible study for the year very interesting manner told of "Quo Vadis" preparatory study of Revelation.

Monday Mrs. J. U. Fields gave our third lesson on "American Neighbors".

Supt. of Publicity.

**An Interesting Old Man**  
Froy, who is now living with sister, Mrs. L. W. Chamberlain Ferris ranch in the northeast Haskell county has a very family record. He is 81 of age, and is very active for his years, and enjoys the very health. He has 49 grand children, and 21 great-grand children native born Texans, and live in the state.

**Magazine Club**  
Magazine Club met at the home Sanders at the usual hour on 17th. The president, advised by J. U. Fields, were in attendance of the State Federation, met at Sherman, and in her absence, B. M. Whitaker graciously Mrs. Fred Sanders proved a splendid teacher for the lesson subject was "Triumph of Dependence Movement". Many profitable points were pointed out by both the teacher and the following papers:

"Martin and His Leadership" by Bruce Bryant.

"Our Success as Liberator" by C. D. Long; and "Results of Dependence Movement in Brazil" by R. M. Whitaker.

Reporter.

**Drake-Andrews**  
Drake and Miss Willie made a march on their friends who were quietly married by Jno. D. White Wednesday, sitting in an automobile.

two popular young people of and have a host of friends in the Free Press in wishing the happiness life holds in make their home in Haskell.

## CHANCE TO SELL FARM PESTS

The Free Press is in receipt of the following letter, which is self-explanatory:

Haskell Free Press:  
Haskell, Texas.  
Gentlemen:

Our Mr. Winn, while in Haskell last Saturday reports that he thought that Haskell could and would furnish a car load of rabbits for Eastern markets.

Since our Mr. Cole launched the move to find a market for rabbits he is now getting orders for rabbits in car lots. The only question now is, can you, together with others, interest the farmers of this county? Good rabbits bring very near as high a price as poultry. You no doubt have more money tied up in rabbits than in poultry. Millions of people in the east want them for food. Millions of rabbits in the West, worth thousands of dollars doing millions of dollars worth of damage to crops.

Mr. Cole has now got the market for all the rabbits West Texas can furnish. This is the first time in the history of Texas, that a market is demanding one of the great pests of the country. Get busy, get your people interested. Scalps sell for five cents in the court room. The carcass sells for from 20c to 35c for human food.

Department of Agriculture.  
P. S.—Instructions on how to prepare for market will follow soon.

**Broom Corn Sale**  
J. F. McClintock of Paint Creek sold to the Courtney Broom Factory of Haskell last Thursday three bales of broom corn weighing 1,000 pounds for \$125.00 per ton. Mr. McClintock only had a few acres in broom corn this year, but his yield was fairly good. We believe that broom corn would pay well in Haskell county as a money crop.

## COTTON GINNED PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 1ST

Director Sam L. Rogers, of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, announces the preliminary report of cotton ginned by counties in Texas, for the crops of 1916 and 1915. The report was made public for the state at 10 a. m., on Wednesday, November 8th.

	1916	1915
Archer	3,965	1,351
Baylor	9,986	3,967
Childress	8,482	4,046
Clay	10,599	3,395
Cottle	7,964	2,575
Crosby	6,175	681
Dickens	3,564	3,423
Foard	4,419	2,245
Hall	8,152	6,817
Haskell	14,121	13,928
Jones	27,044	27,465
Kent	2,354	4,871
Knox	14,733	4,081
Scurry	8,519	8,620
Throckmorton	2,659	1,733
Wichita	4,887	1,779
Wilbarger	12,244	4,929

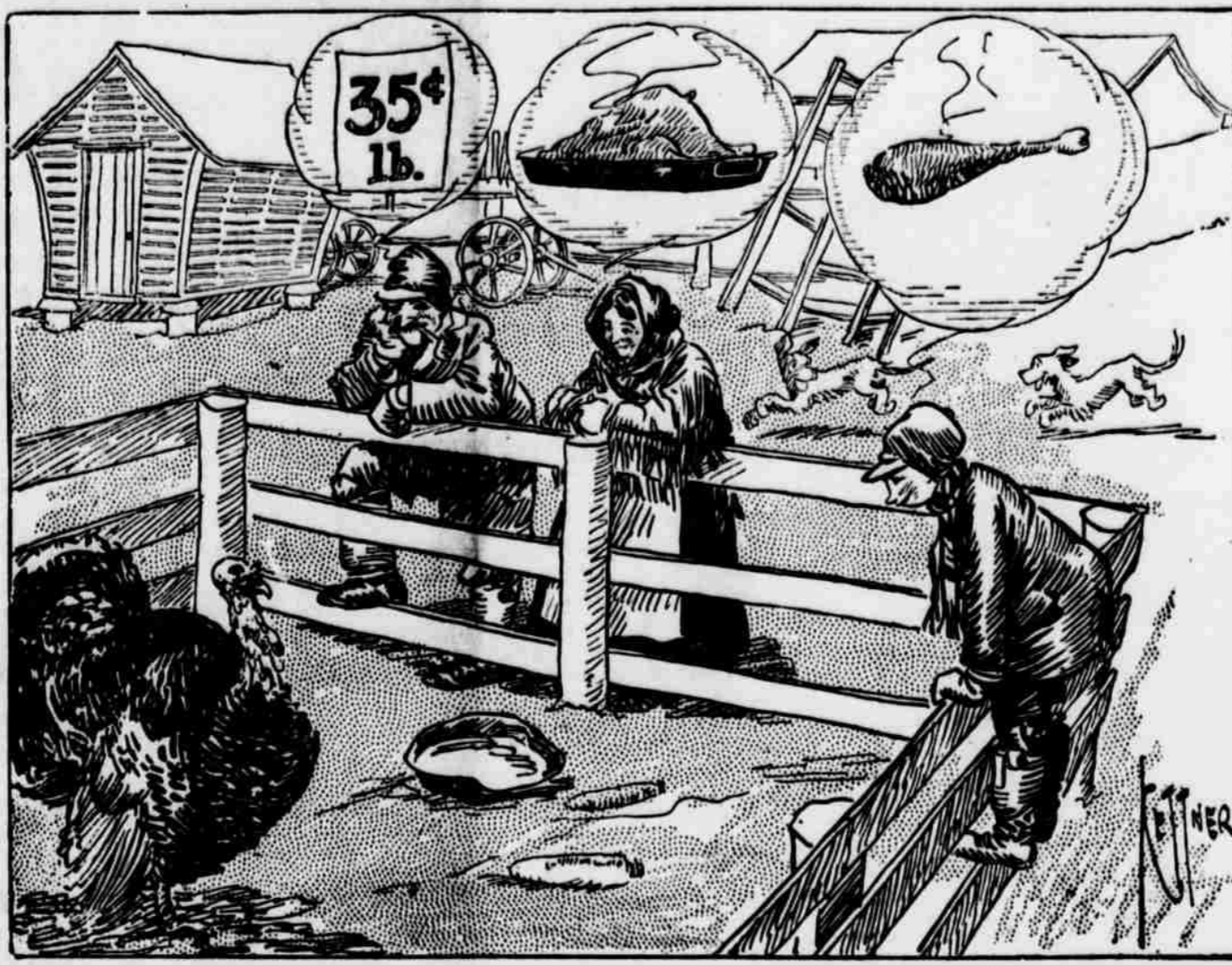
**Mining Marble.**  
In the mining of huge blocks of marble at the Carrara quarries, explosives are still used largely. The electric saws are used only occasionally.

**O'BRIEN FLOUR MILL IS  
RUNNING DAY AND NIGHT**  
C. G. Barnett, manager of the O'Brien Milling Co., of O'Brien was in our city Tuesday attending to some business matters, and while here informed us that the flour mill at O'Brien was running night and day, and business with them was very rushing, in fact they were over ten days behind with their work.

The mill, which is a Midget Marvel 25 barrel mill is owned by the farmers around O'Brien on the co-operative plan. It has cleared in the last three months for the owners above \$2,500 besides offering a market for their wheat, and selling or trading the flour back to them at a considerable saving. During the past week, Mr. Barnett informs us that he has traded flour to the farmers for 900 bushels of wheat.

F. F. Huntsman who has been with the mill since its erection is the miller.

## HOW THE TURKEY LOOKS TO THEM



## DOLLAR DAY SATURDAY--- SOMETHING DOING. COME!

**AUTOMOBILE PARADE—BIG FLOWER SHOW—MERCHANT'S DOLLAR DAY. LARGE CROWD EXPECTED AND MUCH INTEREST BEING SHOWN.**

November 25th is Merchant's Dollar Day, Automobile Parade Day, Flower Show Day, and it is also Saturday—a day that always brings large crowds into town—and it goes without saying that next Saturday will see one of the largest and most enthusiastic crowds Haskell has ever known.

The idea of this big day for Haskell was conceived by the Symphony and Magazine Club ladies, and is now being pushed by the merchants and business men, and everything possible has been done by them to make it a success.

For bargains Haskell cannot be beat Saturday—almost every merchant in the city is offering bargains in some of their various lines, and they are bargains, too, some actually below cost. In addition to these there are several genuine sales going on.

Everyone who has an automobile should come to Haskell Saturday. Those agents, whose territory includes Haskell county have gone to large expense to get decorating material, and a decorator from Dallas has been secured by one, and is in charge of

decorating some of the cars. These agents have sent letters and phone calls out over the county to owners of cars requesting them to be sure and be on hand with their car. Of course every automobile agent is proud of his car, and the automobile parade promises to be one of the interesting and beautiful features of the big day.

The Flower Show will be another beautiful feature of the day. Some of you, who are not acquainted with the Haskell Florist stock of flowers, can expect to be surprised at this showing, for it will greatly exceed anything that has ever been shown in a town the size of Haskell.

All arrangements possible have been made to entertain you, save you money and make you enjoy the day. A room has been arranged for at the Court House, and will be fitted up for a ladies rest room.

Come to Haskell Saturday. Something doing all day long—not an idle moment. Be one of those who get a prize. Music for the occasion by the Haskell Concert Band. Come.

## STORES WILL CLOSE FOR THANKSGIVING

We, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business all day Thursday, November 30th, in celebration of Thanksgiving.

Hunt's Main Store, Hunt's Store No. 2, Grissoms', Mrs. D. Love, J. D. Jensen, W. W. Fields & Son, Robertson Bros. Co., Marr's Paint Store, W. M. Mask, Chambers Coal & Feed Store, F. G. Alexander & Sons, Wells Furniture Store, Hancock & Co., McNeill & Smith Hardware Co., A. F. Rutherford.

**Presbyterian Church Womans Society**  
The Woman's Society of the Presbyterian Church met in their Mission study class Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. R. English. It was an occasion in which Mrs. English and Mrs. Key took to show in a small way their appreciation of one of their old members, Mrs. T. C. Williams, who is soon to move away, a new member, Mrs. T. B. Brazelton just come into our midst.

After the regular lesson was over, a few of the honorees' intimate friends came in to enjoy the social hour. One of the main features of the hour was the talk made by Mrs. Sherrill in the name of the society, when she presented Mrs. Williams with a salad fork as a remembrance of the love and esteem in which she was held by her co-workers.

After a feeling response from the recipient, the hostess served a delicious salad course while the Victrola made music and the ladies made merry.

A Guest

**At Last! Illuminated Keyholes.**  
Announcement was made at Harrisburg, Pa., of the formation of the Violet Ray Enamel company, which will manufacture an enamel which will give a clear violet ray at night and be useful in enameling door fastenings, locks, keyholes, house numbers and doorplates. — Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

**Indian Dyes From Dogwood.**  
Dogwood was the source of the famous "Indian red" with which the vain warriors dyed their eagle feathers and buckskin clothes. They prepared the dye from the roots of the tree. This is probably the most brilliant dye to be prepared from American trees.

## BUSY WEEK FOR COMMISSIONERS

Last week was a very busy week for the new Commissioner's Court—being in session until Saturday noon. The following business was transacted:

The annual report of the Farmers State Bank as depository of the Haskell Independent School District.

The official bonds of the following officers were approved and each one sworn in:—E. L. Northcutt, Public Weigher, Precinct 1; Jesse B. Smith, County Treasurer; E. W. Loe, District Clerk; A. J. Smith, County Judge; S. A. Hughes, J. P. Precinct No. 1; Jno. R. Hutto, County Superintendent; of Public Instruction; J. C. Lewellen, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1; R. J. Paxton, Tax Assessor; B. M. Hicks, Public Weigher, Precinct No. 5; Tom Davis, County Attorney; R. E. DeBard, Constable, Precinct No. 1; E. G. Stein, J. P., Precinct No. 2; A. L. Cox, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3; R. R. English, County Clerk; P. C. Patterson, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; J. M. Ivey, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; W. C. Allen, Sheriff; H. H. Langford, Tax Collector; W. W. Scharff, Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4.

Quarterly reports of the following officers were approved:

S. A. Hughes, J. P. Precinct No. 1; E. L. Riddling, J. P. No. 2; T. C. Browning, J. P. No. 5; E. G. Stein, J. P. No. 4; Commissioners Cox, Riddling, Menefee, and Patterson, County Clerk English, District Clerk Loe, and County Judge Smith.

A petition was presented signed by H. Henkes, et al for a road to run by the Bunker Hill school house, the petition was accepted and the matter referred to Commissioner Patterson of Precinct No. 4.

Dr. D. L. Cummins was appointed as County Health officer of Haskell county for the next two years.

The constable elect at Rule refused to qualify, and the office was declared vacant, and W. W. Kitley was appointed to fill the place, and his official bond was approved.

J. M. (Mike) Perry was appointed as janitor at the court house.

The County's Ex-Officio officers salary was fixed as follows:

County Judge \$1,500.00 per year; District Clerk, \$500.00; Sheriff \$500.00; County Clerk, \$500.00; Treasurer salary was fixed at 2 per cent on receipts and disbursements.

The following were dropped from the paper list:

John Hinton, Tom Pierson and W. F. Smith.

The trustees of the Myers School District were granted permission to sell the old school building.

J. W. Meadors, H. S. Wilson and Jno. L. Robertson were appointed as a finance committee to audit the books of the various county officers.

**B. W. M. W.**  
Met in a very interesting Bible study with Mrs. Paxton as leader. These meetings are increasing both in spirit and in numbers—twenty-five members present, and all very enthusiastic over our present outlook for accomplishing more and greater things for our Master in the future than we have in the past, and we are still extending a glad hand to any who will come and join our happy band, and help us. We need you.

Next week will be a Missionary program, Mrs. McFatter, leader, with Meadames Waldrop, Norton and Griffin each on the program.

The Justice of the Peace, S. A. Hughes has kindly given us permission to have our bazaar in his office, the 8th and 9th of December. So remember the place and date, and come early and get your Christmas presents.

## DISTRICT COURT MEETS HERE NEXT MONDAY

District Court will convene here Monday, at which time the Grand Jury will be empanelled and set to work. Petit Jurors have been summoned for Wednesday.

A light docket awaits the Court, and unless the Grand Jury returns several bills, the court is not expected to be in session more than two weeks. The usual term is three weeks.



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## ADRIFT

By ELIZABETH SHIELDS.

Her hair was golden and her large, inquiring eyes were brown. They flashed with great hopes and the wonderful dreams of youth. She arrived in New York with the conviction that an amazing adventure was waiting for her each time she turned a corner. She lived alone for one week in the goal city of the United States and, of course, it happened. On the first day of her second week's stay in the old-fashioned brown-stone boarding house, she descended the dark, musty-smelling halls, with the dim gas jets burning to the dining room for luncheon.

Claire was not only dewy, fresh and rosy, she had cultivated an air of dash and she was wistful, but of this latter quality she was utterly unconscious. When she entered the dining room she found a stranger at her table. New York is overfilled with pretty girls, but Gilbert Brown sat up when he looked at Claire.

Claire looked him over completely without, apparently, taking her eyes from the cream pitcher in front of her. He was too big, she decided. She shrank from men so broad and with such square chins. There was something so delicate about her, she seemed a little beyond Gilbert Brown, but he started to talk anyway.

Luncheon finished, they went up the stairs to a still gloomier room, known as the library. After another half-hour's acquaintance he felt free to inquire, "Haven't you anyone to look after you?"

She answered with a lifting laugh. "No one's ever taken care of me. I only have Aunt Annie, who was glad I came to New York."

"Go back home, child," he warned her; "you won't stand being banged about here."

She gave the man a long, speculative glance. "I haven't any home to go to," she laughed lightly, dismissing the subject forever. A thought flashed into her golden head that here was a chance for adventure. She wanted to dance and dine in the restaurants, and her week in New York proved that she probably never would, unless she went alone. She astonished the man by telling him this. All her girlish desires for experience beamed trustfully from her brown eyes as she talked.

"I'll take you to a show," he offered eagerly. "First, we'll have dinner with a cabaret, then a show after," he urged.

Still Claire hesitated. The opportunity so suddenly presented took her breath away. His eyes were burning into hers in an uncomfortable way. The temptation to seek adventure was too strong to deny.

Upstairs in the tiniest hall bedroom ever built into a boarding house Claire dressed for the evening, aglow with the wonder of the adventure on which she was starting.

When she met Brown her eager brown eyes looked directly into his. Her tight grasp on his arm gave him the feeling of being a protector in a deeper sense than ever before. She carried her head high, animated with the joy of living. She intoxicated Brown.

The cheap dazzle of Broadway wearied him, but Claire laughed up at him in childish excitement.

"Do you like this sort of thing?" he questioned wonderingly.

"I can't thank you enough for taking me," she chirped; "it's all more beautiful than I ever dreamed, much more wonderful!"

She started for home willingly when he suggested it.

"You must not come again," he cautioned her; "other men will ask you."

"But I want to come again," she protested.

Secretly Brown made up his mind that in the morning he would look up the first train to her home town and see that she took it, if he had to take her to the station himself. Aloud he said, "You're the nicest little girl I ever saw!"

Claire placed her soft palm over his mouth.

"You've told me every minute that I'm pretty."

He caught her hand and held it. He knew he should drop it, but she looked at him with bright, happy eyes and smiled. Brown's heart always ruled his head, and at the touch of her soft little arm against his, he drew her close to him. He covered her face with kisses.

"I want you with me always, sweet one," he whispered in a trembling voice. "I don't want to let you go." She put her arms around him and kissed him. Releasing her he drew his breath in sharply. "I shouldn't have talked to you at all. You're too good for men like me. Tomorrow—" he continued.

Smiling sweetly into his face Claire interrupted. "Tomorrow we'll go adventuring again." Brown clutched her hands in his strong grip.

"I don't want to let you go out of my life, but—"

"I shan't. We'll be perfectly happy together." Claire laughed and cuddled closer to him. Then she whispered, "This is my first proposal!"

It was several minutes before Gilbert Brown could speak. In his heart, which was big, he was glad for the innocence of her.

"Little treasure," he murmured, "I'll be a good husband to you." (Copyright, 1926, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Then the Ice Formed.  
Her—No doubt you think I am older than I really am.

Him—Not at all. I'm sure you are not as old as you look.

## Notice of Estray

The State of Texas, County of Haskell:

Taken up by J. W. Meadors, and estrayed before A. L. Cox, County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2 Haskell, County:

One chestnut sorrell horse, about 14 1-2 hands high, 9 or 10 years old. Left shoulder enlarged; no brands.

The owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the same away, or it will be dealt with as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 26th day of October, 1916.

R. R. English,  
Clerk County Court, Haskell County Texas.

## Prosperity Pointers for Farmers

In the interest of further developing and up-building the territory through which their lines are operated, the Fort Worth & Denver City and Wichita Valley Railway Companies have issued an attractive thirty page booklet entitled "Prosperity Pointers for Farmers" and containing valuable information regarding soil conditions and the money making crops to which same is best adapted as proven through the production of the numerous bumper crops which have produced general prosperous conditions and are constantly making it possible for "Renters" to become prosperous "Home Owners". A few of these booklets are still available for those whom it may be possible to interest in the question of locating in Northwest Texas. If, therefore, you have any friends that you may desire to interest, and will send us their names and addresses, we will find pleasure in mailing them copies of the issue referred to. If you have friends to whom you would like to send copies yourself, instead of having us do so, we will be glad to send you the booklets desired free of cost.

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### How It Would Tempt Him.

"See you fat fowl," whispered the tall tramp at the water tank; "wouldst thou enjoy him?" "Yeas," yawned the laziest tramp in all the states and territories. "If de engine killed him, a cyclone whirled all his feathers off and de lightning struck de dry grass and baked him nice and brown, I would enjoy him, pard, yes, verily."—Selected.

### Chinese Peanut Industry Growing.

Growth of peanuts in China has increased enormously, due in part to the discovery of the possible utilization of peanut oil in manufacturing soap as a substitute for olive oil, and for various culinary purposes, and of the nut itself, after baking, as a substitute for coffee, for mixing with chocolate and cocoa, and as an ingredient in biscuit-making.

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### Longfellow's Inspiration.

Hawthorne told Longfellow the story of Evangeline, adding that he had been urged to write a romance based on it, but thought it better suited for verse. The story of Hiawatha, related to Schoolcraft by Abraham Le Fort, an Onondaga chieftain, furnished the poet with the outline of his embellished verse. The "Tales of a Wayside Inn" were suggested by an old colonial hostelry at Sudbury, Mass., which still is in existence.

### Where Blacking Gets Odor.

Shoeblacking, says the Scientific American, owes its peculiar aromatic odor, faintly suggestive of the deep woods, where spruce and hemlock needles pad the ground, to an oil which is manufactured from this same kind of needles. The greater part of this oil is distilled in New England during the winter.

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### HOWARD

This community was visited by a shower of rain Tuesday. The school at this place started Monday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stark and two children, William and Miss Pauline, arrived last week from Spur, where they have been visiting their son, Chonk of that city. Quite a crowd attended the Baptist program at Rose Chapel Sunday afternoon. Marvin Medford was very ill the last part of last week with tonsillitis, is up at this writing. The little of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Howard is

sick with the same disease. R. L. Sid and Jack Medford left Thursday for De Leon, where R. L. went to attend business. They returned Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weaver visited in Haskell the first of the week. John Howard and family of Kirkdale visited Mrs. Howard's sister, Mrs. Chess Covitt Sunday. Misses Aubrey Stark, Hettie Underwood and Jim Cox and Howard Montgomery attended the picture show at Haskell Saturday night.

Tipperary

The Free Press does good job printing

### EDUCATIONAL COLUMN

#### School Taxes in Mexico

A few months ago the following story was obtained from a Spanish exile from Mexico—a man of culture and affluence in his own country. He said, "I used to object to the idea of paying taxes for educating the children of other people. I paid my taxes to support the general government, and I did it willingly. I thought it a good investment, for I received physical protection for all it cost me. The government prevented my enemy from taking my life or cutting off my right arm, were he amind to do so, so I thought." "But," he said, "not until the Carrancistas came and confiscated my entire harvest of wheat, 40,000 sacks then in the field, had it ever occurred to me that every acre of land I possessed owed for its protection just as I as an individual did for mine. And don't you know, the very best protection an acre of land can have is the protection of an intelligent ballot through a system of free public schools. You people in the United States realize that to be self-governing all your children must be educated, and that it is up to your real and personal property to foot the bills. I am tremendously interested in the public schools of Texas as I have found them. When I go back to my country, if I am ever permitted to return, Catholic though I be, I mean to go on record, with what influence I have, for a system of free schools for Mexico, supported by a system of uniform taxation similar to what you have here."

Governmental conditions are infinitely better in Texas than in Mexico. Land and personal property values are higher because the protection given is more substantial. But school patrons, voters and taxpayers, did you know that Texas is almost half a century behind the leading states of the Union in the financial support of her schools? Does your community supplement the state appropriation with a local tax sufficient to give you a decent school? Do you think of your school taxes as an investment and do you pay them cheerfully, as if you were making any other good investment? Has it ever occurred to you that a school tax of fifty cents per \$100.00 is equivalent to a contribution of only half of a cent postage stamp from each dollar's worth of property? These are some questions about which to think the next time local school tax is put to vote in your district.

D. G. Tidwell, of Weaver, was in the city Thursday and reported cotton picking was about over in his section. He made 31 bales of cotton and picked it with the help of his own family. Mr. Tidwell is one of our best farmers, and knows the art of growing cotton in the West.

If you want to sell your land, see me at once. I am co-operating with live agents from other states who are bringing buyers to Texas. This brings buyers to Texas. This class buys land. Henry Johnson, Haskell, Texas.

For Sale:—Horse, buggy and harness, cheap. Wm. Groom, phone 58.

If your house is insured in one of our companies, you are fully protected, whether it burns up or burns down. When you lose, we pay. Henry Johnson, agent, Haskell, Texas.

Cheap Money  
On good improved land. Large loans preferred. Lowest rate of interest ever known in this territory. Twenty-five years here in the business. Write us.  
43-44 Compere & Compere  
District Managers, Abilene, Texas.

### PLEASANT VIEW

We are having some very warm weather, if it will just stay warm. Bro. J. O. Little preached at Pleasant View last Sunday. He had a very large crowd. Bro. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Sargent, Misses Zora and Elsie Griffith, Miss Johnie Gaines, and Miss Norma Smith took dinner at Mr. Ford's. Mr. and Mrs. McIver have moved to Pleasant View. Mot Strickland came to church in his new Ford car. Mr. and Mrs. Boone, from Throckmorton county visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jones and wife Saturday and Sunday. Pat Jones and wife of Merkel are visiting Mr. Jones' mother. Lon Smith and wife from Routan City visited W. O. Sargent last Sunday evening. Mrs. Sallie Boone visited Mrs. Bert Price Monday. W. O. Sargent, Albert Erick, Dave Griffith, Mrs. Mollie Griffith attended the Conference at Stamford Saturday and Sunday. Miss Alice Sargent visited relatives at Merkel this week. Miss Norma Smith from Windegate, Texas is visiting her sister at Pleasant View. Miss Mamie Ridling and her friends from Wehnert visited Pleasant View Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ridling and some friends from Wehnert visited her son near Pleasant View Sunday evening.

Sunshine.

### NEW MID

Cotton picking is about over in this community. Mr. Stubblefield has purchased a new Buick car. The singing at the home of John Berryhill Sunday night was enjoyed by all present. Mr. Mitchell and family of O'Brien visited friends and relatives near Rule Saturday night and Sunday. A. L. White and W. D. Johnson and son have just arrived from the plains, and report everything fine. Mr. Lee and wife made a flying trip to Waco to visit their son, who is going to school there.

Tempest.

### First Baptist Churches.

The name Baptist was first given to certain congregations of English Separatists which had recently restored the ancient practice of immersion, in 1644, but the congregations were several years older than that. There were two bodies of Baptists founded before that date—the Arminians, established by the followers of John Smyth, who had been a clergyman of the Church of England, founding the first General Baptist church in London in 1611, and the Calvinistic, or Particular, Baptist church, established in London in 1616.

No use to go fishing any more. Just phone 85, and they will deliver them.

### Mebane Triumph Cottonseed

I have bought a carload of the above seed from Lockhart, Texas, for planting purposes. They will come in three bushel sacks, stamped and tagged genuine Mebane seed.

The price will be \$2.00 per bushel here.

These are the best seed I could get, and will arrive about December 1st. See me and place your order before that time, as this is saving to you of freight.

F. T. Sanders

The Free Press and Dallas Semi-

**Bruce W. Bryant**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Office in Callahan Building  
Haskell, Texas

### SAYLES

We are having some cold weather these days. The farmers appreciated the rain that fell Tuesday, as it was fine on the wheat. John Elmore and family spent Sunday with A. L. Bland. The singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson Saturday night was enjoyed by all present. H. H. Mansfield and family who are moving from Anson to Haskell, spent a few days with E. V. Riley while en route to Haskell. Mrs. Betts from Rule visited her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Johnson this week. Mack Adams is reported very sick this week. Mr. Belber has moved his family to the Jud community. Elmer Miller, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. E. Bland, returned to his home at Ennis last Sunday. Mrs. Maggie Hollaway visited Mrs. H. D. Bland Saturday night and Sunday. Two Cousins.

Don't buy until you have seen our line of Christmas gifts. Corner Drug Store.

### Photographs

I have opened up a first class Studio in Haskell, one block west of the Postoffice, and am prepared to do all kinds of photograph work from kodak finishing to enlarging. Prices in reach of all. Don't stand back on account of dark, cloudy days. We know our business. We work up old faded photos. Give us a trial. All work guaranteed.

### J. A. TUTEN

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System  
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

### Frank Explanation.

It was at a private entertainment, and a lady had just risen from the piano. "Would you like to be able to sing and play as I do, dear?" she queried of a little five-year-old miss. "No, ma'am," was the unexpected reply. "And why not?" asked the lady. "Cause," explained the small observer, "I wouldn't like to have people say such horrid things about me."

**SPECIAL Dollar Day Sale**

**Come Here Saturday, and let us show you how much your \$1.00 will buy.**

For one thing, 7 lbs 20c coffee for **\$1**

**W. W. FIELDS & SON**  
West Side Square

**SPECIAL FOR DOLLAR DAY**

On Saturday, Nov. 25th, I will sell one gallon Pure Fruit Cream for **\$1.00**

Also 2 bottles pop, 5c

**Haskell Bottling Works**

**Money To Loan**

On land at six to eight per cent interest. Liberal terms of re-payment will make you as low a rate of interest as you can get from anybody.

If you want a new loan, or want to extend an old loan come and see us, or write us.

**SANDERS & WILSON, Haskell Texas.**

**Dr. Price's CREAM BAKING POWDER**

Sixty Years the Standard  
No Alum—No Phosphate

**BARGAIN IN A FARM**

300 acres 7 miles S. E. Haskell, all fine deep soil; 130 acres in cultivation good house, cistern and tank; fine grass and on public road. Possession given. This is our best bargain at only \$25.00 per acre. \$2300.00 cash, balance all time needed. See us at once as this will go at this price.

**West Texas Loan Co.,**  
J. L. Robertson & F. L. Daugherty, Managers.  
Up stairs in Leo Pierson Building.

**MONEY SAVED IS MONEY MADE**

Had it ever occurred to you that your old furniture can be completely rebuilt and refinished so that its appearance and lasting qualities will be all that of new furniture, at a saving of from **40 to 75 per cent**

The truthfulness of this statement is verified by many satisfied customers who have given me their work.

If your DRESSER, WASHSTAND, WARDROBE, Etc. needs changing or refinishing, I am sure I can please you in the work.

It is also a fact that many OUT OF DATE SIDE-BOARDS can be worked into beautiful BUFFETTES. On this work I can save you an average of 60 per cent.

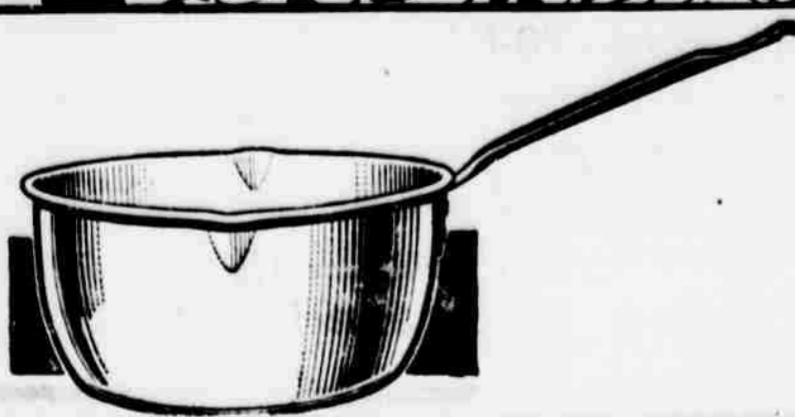
**TRY IT OUT AND BE CONVINCED**

**Fred C. Mendeck.**  
Cabinet Maker and Wood Finisher  
Shop in Adam's Old Studio Building. Haskell, Texas.

# Dollar Day Pleases All



**\$1.50 worth of any Aluminum Ware for \$1.00 on Saturday November 25th.**  
**McNEIL & SMITH Hdw. Co.**



Mrs. H. D. Cooper and sister, Miss Iola Lee Muske who had been visiting Mrs. Elmer Woodward returned to their home at Brookshire last Friday. Mrs. Woodward accompanied them for a short visit.

Mrs. J. F. Garber left last Friday for Whitney, where she will visit her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Yarbrough.

**For Sale** My residence in Haskell at a bargain. G. H. Cobb. 45-4tp

Mrs. Ross Payne has returned from a two weeks visit with relatives at Halland and other points in Bell county.

H. H. Mansfield has moved his family here from Anson, and will be connected with F. C. Mendek in the cabinet making business.

**School at Foster will begin Monday**  
The school at Foster will begin Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Walden as teachers. A house was begun last Monday on the school grounds by H. C. Wyche, which they will occupy as soon as finished.

Mrs. Henry Free, of Pleasant Valley visited Grandpa Courtney of this city the first of the week.

H. M. Eaton has moved his family from Lynn county to Haskell. He formerly lived in Haskell County and was in the city Saturday.

We are in business for your health. We want you to feel good all the time by eating good fresh fish and oysters. We deliver. Phone 85.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lloyd, the 20th, a girl.

F. N. Chapman of Weatherford is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. T. Hudson of this city.

W. O. Sanders living a few miles north of the city, sold 18 turkeys to one of our buyers for the neat sum of \$55.80, last Saturday which is a good showing for the Haskell turkey market this season.

Fish. Fish. Fish. And nice fresh fish at the Bottling Works.

**Turkeys**  
Turkey growers meet the 2nd and 9th of December. Club before the 9th. 900 already clubbed.  
Clay Kimbrough, Pres.  
G. L. Willis, Sec.  
46-4tp

L. N. Rector and family of Willow Point were in the city Saturday shopping.

Mr. A. E. Jeter of Tolar, N. M. is visiting his parents J. R. Jeter and wife, and other relatives of Center Point. He was in the city Saturday.

J. G. Martin of Hamilton is visiting his niece, Mrs. Henry Horner of this city.

**For Sale**  
One house and lot in the south part of town, two blocks from South Ward School building. For particulars, see Mrs. D. Love at the Haskell Bargain House.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wright, the 23rd, a girl.

**For Sale**  
A four-room house and one acre of land near the north ward school. Will take team. See Iron Pearsey, Haskell, Texas. 46-4tp

Mark Gentry, manager for the Reynolds Land and Cattle Co., of Haskell and Throckmorton counties, was in the city Saturday shaking hands with old friends. He is one of the oldest cattlemen in the country.

**Public Take Notice**  
Hauling promptly done by A. W. Parr. Phone 403 42-4t

**Have Buyer for 400 to 700 acres in** cultivation in one tract. Write us minute description of city property or farms you have for sale or exchange together with outline of what you desire. Twenty-five years in the land business in Abilene. Compere & Compere, Realty Department, Abilene, Texas. 45-4tc

Floyd Self left Saturday for Sherman on business.

Aren't you lucky? To live where you can have nice fresh fish and oysters delivered on just a few minutes notice. Phone the Bottling Works. They want your business.

**His Intentions.**  
"Young man," said the stern parent, with the accent on the "young," "do you intend to stay here all night holding my daughter's hand and looking into her face like a calf?" "No, sir." "What do you intend to do, then?" "Well, I had thought, when you had done us the kindness to retire, that I would put my arm round her waist, and, if she did not object, I might risk giving her a kiss."

**Benevolent Man's Advantage.**  
The benevolent has the advantage of the envious, even in this present life; for the envious is tormented not only by all the ill that befalls him, but by all the good that happens to another; whereas, the benevolent man is better prepared to bear his own calamities untroubled, from the complacency and serenity he has secured from contemplating the prosperity of all around him.—Colton.

Weekly Farm News. \$1.75 per year.

**Combating Umbrella Theft.**  
A combination lock to enclose umbrella and prevent it being stolen has been invented by a cafe attendant.

**Don't Be a Critic.**  
It requires very little ability to fault. That is why there are so many critics.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

**Well Hidden.**  
James, three, had a couple of nieces and forgot where he put them, asked his mother if she knew where they were. She said: "I don't know, James, where did you put them?" said: "I don't know, mamma, but will be a good place, anyway; and will find them."

**Heart's Necessity.**  
Welfare requires one or two panions of intelligence, probity, grace, to wear out life with—people with whom we can speak a few sensible words every day, by whom we can measure ourselves, and who hold us fast to good sense and to—Emerson.

**How to Sharpen Knife and Razors.**  
There are certain rules adopted by cutlers for sharpening razors, pocket knives, etc. "A razor," said one craft, "must be laid flat on the stone because it is hollow ground and requires a fine edge. But a pocket knife requires a stiff edge, and the way you lay it flat on a stone so as to polish the polished side you injure it. It must be held at an angle of 20 degrees and have an edge similar to chisel."

**The Campaign.**  
The Campaign is the great plan rounding the city of Rome, rolling it down, like a quiet sea, on bones of dead cities from the mountains to the Mediterranean. It is a desert level tufted with rusty granularia. It is one of the most beautiful and most unimpaired bits of earth in the world. A slow, subtle beauty belongs to it, which has taken possession of some and which others feel.

## SAVE MONEY NOW and BE INDEPENDENT in the FUTURE

We want you to feel at home in our bank. Come in, start an account with us, we are here to serve you. Ask us when in need of favors of any kind in our line. We appreciate your business.

**Make OUR BANK YOUR BANK**  
**FARMERS STATE BANK, "Guaranty Fund Bank"**

Misses May and Minnie Martindale, of Rochester visited with Mrs. E. H. Neill Sunday.

**For Sale**—80 acres one half mile of Ballew school house, north of Haskell, 65 acres incultivation, pasture, cistern, four room boxed house. Price \$27.50 per acre. Terms. Clay Kimbrough. 46-3tc

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Atchison the 19th a boy.

H. A. Self of Pinkerton left Friday for a business trip to Lampasas.

If you wish to buy a farm, ranch or business property, I always have some bargains on my list. Henry Johnson, Haskell, Texas. 46-3tc

Good jersey cow for sale. Burwell Cox. 48-2tp

**Poultry and hides**—The Sherrill Elevator Company will pay highest market price at all times for your produce. See us. 46-3tc

If you want to sell your land, see me at once. I am co-operating with live agents from other state who are bringing buyers to Texas. This class buys land. Henry Johnson, Haskell, Texas.

M. L. Drew, of Throckmorton was here on business Monday.

Miss Viola Humphries spent the week end with the family of T. J. Atchison of Gauntt, and passed thru the city Thursday morning enroute for Cliff, where she will begin her school Monday morning, November 27th.

Sam T. Miller and wife and C. H. Moneyham and wife of Rule were shopping in the city Wednesday.

Miss Lela Odell will go to Jayton Saturday, where she has accepted a position as teacher of English in the High School of that city.

Mrs. Henry Free of Pleasant Valley is visiting Grandpa Courtney of this city.

Homer Tompkins and wife returned Thursday morning from visiting Mrs. Tompkins parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McDaniel of Abilene.

**Wanted**—To buy or rent four or five room house. Must be well located, and worth the money. Apply at the Free Press Office.

**For Sale**  
I have for sale for the next few days at my residence, six coming two-year old jersey, good color, helpers, Heavy springers. J. D. Smith. 46-3tc

D. A. Lindsey, a newspaper man from Junction, was here Thursday.

**W. O. W. Attention**  
Friday night, December 1st will be the time for the annual election of officers. Please come promptly at 7:30.

H. H. England, of Paris, arrived in the city Tuesday. He will assist contractor McFatter on the Baptist Church which is now under construction.

Mrs. Edna Daniel of Waco is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Ramey.

Miss Weaver, of Simmons College, an old school mate of Miss Gladys Odum spent the week end with her.

Mrs. John McElvain is visiting Mrs. T. E. Bowman home.

**80 Acre Farm for Sale**  
Six miles north of Haskell, one mile from Ballew school, 70 acres in cultivation. Good four room house, barn, cistern and tank. Small payment down, good time on balance. Will take 1906 Ford car in on deal. If interested write or see me at once. 46-3tc

Cut glass and Jewelry. Corner Drug Store.

Christmas goods arriving daily. Corner Drug Store.

J. R. Hill, of Rule was in the city Saturday on return trip from Ft. Worth where he has been with a car of cattle.

Most complete line of cut glass in town. Corner Drug Store.

Prices, Designs and Quality—the best. Corner Drug Store for cut glass.

We will lay aside any article for you until Christmas. Corner Drug Store.

One 3 pound can of Chase & Sanborn's High Grade Coffee, \$1.25 value for \$1.00 Saturday November 25th. at F. G. Alexander & Sons.

Miss Mamie Odell returned Tuesday morning from Waco, where she had been visiting her friend, Miss Eupha Todd, formerly of this city.

Read Grissoms Dollar Specials and Clothing Sale ad.

Grissoms special sale Saturday and next week.

Our Jewelry department is complete. Corner Drug Store.

Ivory manicure sets from \$25.00. Corner Drug Store.

**FOR SALE**—At Bargain Price car load of well bred mules. Has been at the English stable in Haskell. Will give terms if desired. 47-3tc T. W. Johnson

**Public Take Notice**  
Hauling promptly done by A. W. Parr. Phone 403

## THE Place to Eat — IS AT — BILL'S CAFE

**DINNER - - - 25c**  
Short orders at all hours

We can serve you anything you want in the style you like best. We are strong on courtesy and service. Try us.

**BILL'S CAFE**  
W. H. Tysinger, Prop.

# MITCHELL AND CHEVROLET OWNERS ATTENTION!

Be here Saturday, November 25th, for the Big Automobile Parade. I will try to have decorating material on hand and help decorate your car, and certainly want you to be sure and be here.

I have installed another large oxygen acetylene welder, also a large motor generator for charging storage batteries. We are now in position to do any and all kinds of automobile work.

**THE TEXAS GARAGE**  
W. A. WHATLEY, Prop.  
TWO GARAGES ON DEPOT STREET, FORMERLY THE HASKELL GARAGE HASKELL, TEX.





Saturday November 25th is set aside as Dollar Day. Below We offer Special Bargains in seasonable goods. Take advantage of this chance to save on your purchases. Besides our Dollar Specials, read our Clothing and Ready-to-wear prices.

10 yards 12 1-2c Domestic .. <b>\$1.00</b>	\$1.50 Ties ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	Special lots \$1.50 fancy Petticoats. .... <b>\$1.00</b>
\$1.25 Sweaters ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	\$1.25 Suit Cases ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	3 pair of Men's Fibre Silk hose <b>\$1.00</b>
\$1.25 Shirts ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	Two 75c Mufflers..... <b>\$1.00</b>	3 pair Ladies' Silk Fibre Hose <b>\$1.00</b>
\$1.25 Waist ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	Table of Ladies and Children's Hats ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	12 Handkerchiefs ..... <b>\$1.00</b>
Two 75c Ties ..... <b>\$1.00</b>		\$1.50 Baby Caps ..... <b>\$1.00</b>

## *Extra Special Prices On Ladies' Suits Coats and Dresses*

<p><b>MEN'S MACKINAWs --NEW</b> NOBBY COATS BELTED AND PLAIN BACKS. MISSES BLACK BUTTON AND WHITE TOP LACE SHOES AND MANY NEW GOODS ASK TO SEE THEM.</p>	<p><b>LADIES SUITS</b> \$25.00 Suits..... <b>\$20.75</b> \$22.75 Suits..... <b>\$16.95</b> \$19.75 Suits..... <b>\$14.95</b> \$18.75 Suits..... <b>\$13.95</b> \$16.75 Suits..... <b>\$12.95</b> \$15.00 Suits..... <b>\$11.95</b> \$12.00 Suits..... <b>\$ 9.95</b></p>	<p><b>LADIES COATS</b> \$25.00 Coats..... <b>\$22.75</b> \$20.00 Coats..... <b>\$18.75</b> \$16.75 Coats..... <b>\$14.75</b> \$15.00 Coats..... <b>\$11.75</b> \$13.75 Coats..... <b>\$10.95</b> \$12.50 Coats..... <b>\$ 9.95</b></p>
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## *Big Reduction On All Ladies Hats Many Specials on Work Clothes*

<p><b>MEN SHIRTS</b> \$2.50 Wool Shirts... <b>\$2.25</b> \$2.25 Wool Shirts... <b>\$1.85</b> \$2.00 Wool Shirts... <b>\$1.65</b> \$1.50 Flannel Shirts... <b>\$1.25</b> \$1.25 Flannel Shirts... <b>\$1.00</b> \$.75 Flannel Shirts... <b>\$.65</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S OVERCOATS</b> \$17.50 Overcoats... <b>\$14.95</b> \$15.00 Overcoats... <b>\$12.95</b> \$12.50 Overcoats... <b>\$10.95</b> \$10.00 Overcoats... <b>\$ 8.95</b></p> <p><b>MEN'S SUITS</b> \$25.00 Suits... <b>\$22.50</b> \$20.00 Suits... <b>\$17.95</b> \$18.75 Suits... <b>\$14.95</b> \$17.50 Suits... <b>\$14.75</b> \$15.00 Suits... <b>\$12.95</b> \$12.50 Suits... <b>\$10.95</b></p>	<p><b>MEN'S SWEATERS</b> \$2.50 Sweaters... <b>\$1.95</b> \$2.00 Sweaters... <b>\$1.65</b> \$1.75 Sweaters... <b>\$1.45</b> \$1.50 Sweaters... <b>\$1.25</b> \$1.25 Sweaters... <b>\$1.00</b> \$1.00 Sweaters... <b>\$.85</b> \$.75 Sweaters... <b>\$.65</b></p> <p><b>MANY SPECIALS ON WORK CLOTHES</b></p>
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**These prices good through Saturday and next week only.**

*The Store With the Goods*

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HASKELL,

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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1916.

WHOLE NO. 1598

## FROM THE FIELD

BY W. M. FREE

went out the Throckmorton poultry.

with T. L. Williams, the Ramman Tuesday afternoon, making the first stop at the splendid home of Atchison of the Kirkdale county, an account of which will be in another column of this issue. Next called on J. R. Atchison, and just returned from Haskell his family who had been visitants for several days in the

spent the night with that good J. D. Kilgore of the Irby family, who was just winding his cotton crop and getting his 200 acres of land, and has a success farming. He came Navaro county, and this is his crop here. He is experienced growing of cotton, and believes to grow cotton here just as successfully as in the black land counties, with less cost of production. He also believes in diversification, for he has some of the best cows in his section, and Mrs. Kilgore placed on the table for our some of the best Jersey but have met with lately. She has lots of chickens and the market-Bronze turkeys, and has them yard as evidence of her success.

We next called at the home of F. A. Klose. He was at the house and met us at the front gate. From present indications he had been killing hogs the day before our arrival. He is through picking cotton, and he and his family have picked their entire crop of 19 bales. Mr. Klose has a good home and plenty of out-buildings. Mrs. Klose has some fine chickens and turkeys, and their place shows much thrift and prosperity.

We next stopped at the home of A. J. Via who was away from home and we failed to see him.

We made our next stop with Will Zelisko, a splendid farmer who was away from home when we reached the farm, but as we were leaving he came in with a fried. They had been out hunting, and had killed one cottontail rabbit. Mr. Zelisko has out 14 bales of cotton and some more to pick.

Albert Peiser was at the house when we came to his place. He has out 15 bales of cotton and was rushing his picking to get through to move to the place where Pete Moeller now lives, where he will farm next year. He has 23 head of hogs and 7 head of good cows. Albert believes in making his living from the farm.

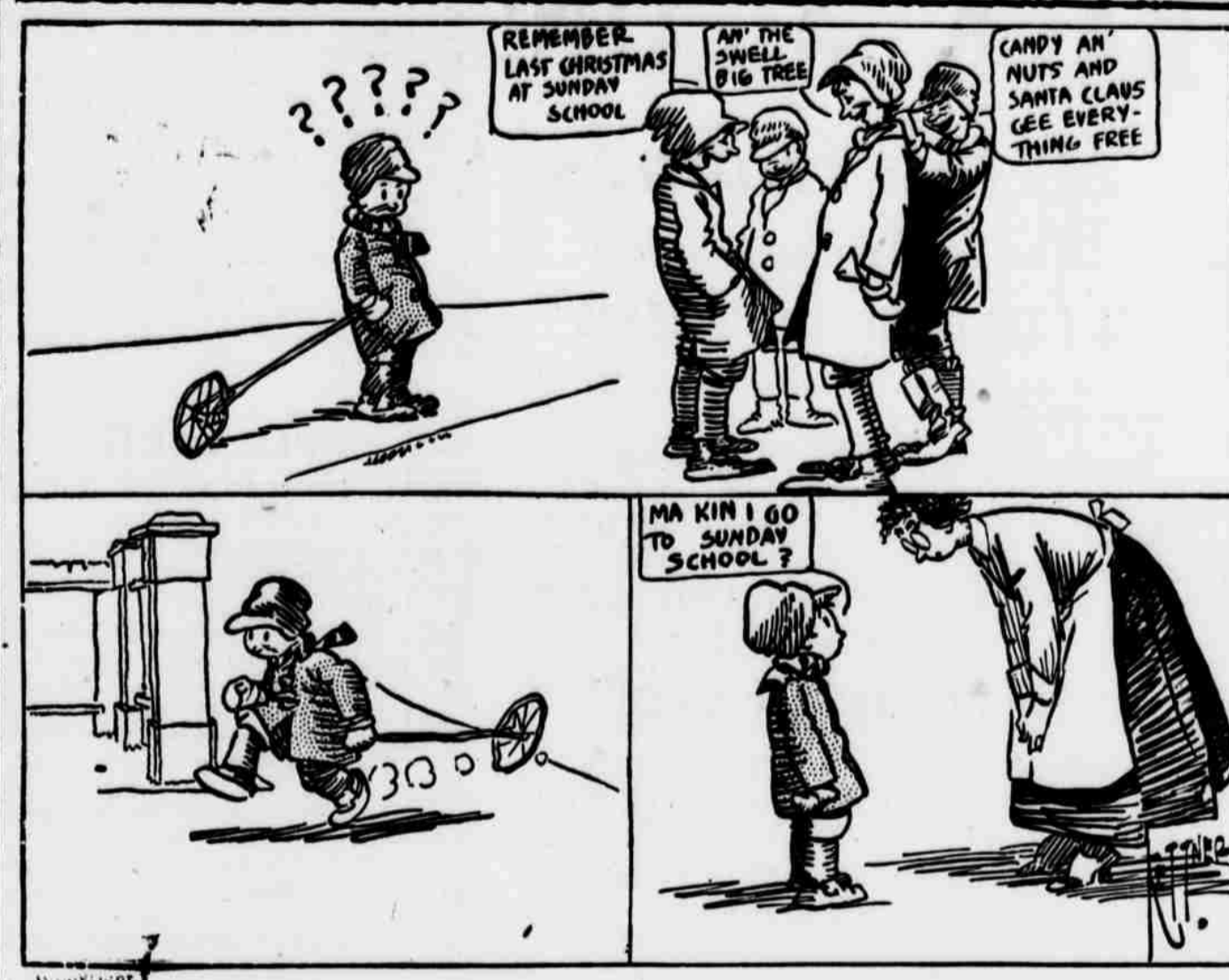
Mrs. Emma Eschberger had gone to Haskell with a bale of cotton when we called at her farm. She has out 15 bales of cotton and has several bales more to pick. She is a good farmer, and has made a success and is a good business woman.

We called at the home of A. Puschel who was picking cotton near the house. He has out 15 bales and some more to pick. He has a good farm, well improved, with good stock and good tools for farm use. We saw some very big red hogs in the lot which shows the larder will be replenished, and meat in the smoke house next year.

We passed by the home of August Steinfath, a farmer who has out 11 bales of cotton. He was in Haskell when we passed. We are always glad to know of our farmers coming to Haskell, and he is freely forgiven for not being at home this time.

R. Kritschmer was away from home, but we learned he has out 18 bales of cotton, and is not through picking. He has 8 good hogs, and some real good cattle. Mrs. Kritsch-

## FIVE WEEKS TO CHRISTMAS



mer raises lots of chickens and turkeys, and has been very successful in the business.

We came by the home of F. W. Zelisko, one of the pioneer farmers of that section and we found the old gentleman at home. Mrs. Zelisko had gone to Waco that morning. He has a well improved home and has been living there several years, and has a well arranged place, and a good automobile which adds to the comfort of the family. Some time we hope to give a more perfect account of this good man and his splendid home.

We next called at the home of Mrs. M. E. Moeller, who had just gotten in a supply of nice big red apples from town, and we were permitted to help ourselves to some of them while we were waiting for Mrs. Moeller to arrange to receive us. Mrs. Moeller is farming and has made a good crop.

We came in to Haskell from the above named places, making no stops on the road. Our trip was very successful and we enjoyed it throughout. We opened more gates on this round than at any time in our remembrance, and all we have to say is we are thankful we were equal to the occasion.

We remained in the city over night and Williams drove his jitney to the office about noon, and we set out for the north part of the county, making our first stop at the home of B. E. Wafford of Vontress, who was guilty of a righteous act—he had brought his family to Haskell to do their shopping. Mr. Wafford is a good farmer, and has made a good cotton crop; has out 21 bales, and has several more to pick.

We called on J. W. Cerveny, a splendid farmer of that community. He is through picking cotton and has made 7 bales. He has 7 large hogs and 15 small pigs. He has 14 head of horses and other good stock on his farm. He can read in four different languages, and can speak all of them distinctly.

We called on L. L. Chamberlain, a stock farmer who was busy with his work. He has good cattle and other stock, and is getting on splendidly in his business affairs.

We next made a call at what we believe to be one of the best kept farms in Haskell county, and we shall defer making any statement until we can at some other time give you a complete record of this beautiful home and farm of J. D. Roberts of the Vontress community.

We next called at the farm of S. O. Thomas. He is a stock farmer who goes whole heartedly into his work. He was in the pasture building fence when we called and we failed to see him.

We called at the home of L. W. Chamberlain of the Ferris ranch, who is one of the best farmers on the ranch, and has a large force to do the farm work. He is a good cotton

farmer, and has some fine jersey cows and 13 head of good work stock, and hogs for his meat. Mrs. Chamberlain has an incubator, and raises lots of poultry.

S. A. Lattimore has moved on the ranch. He is a brother of J. H. Lattimore, stock foreman of the ranch.

We spent the night with R. P. Chamberlain, one of the most prosperous young farmers on the Ferris ranch. He has picked 24 bales of cotton, and has sold some of his crop for the neat sum of 20 cents per pound. He has some excellent cattle and other stock. Mrs. Chamberlain is no doubt the champion turkey grower of Haskell county. She has 30 head of the Mammoth Bronze turkeys now on the poultry yard

that she expects to hold for the Xmas market. These turkeys are all from an early hatch, and they are very large. She will tell us later on in the Free Press her method of raising turkeys which will be appreciated by our readers. We have seen this fact demonstrated in the turkey market this fall—a big gobler will bring more money than a Texas steer in the old cattle days of Texas. Mrs. Chamberlain gave us back-bone and sausage, and she knows how to prepare these good things to eat to please the most fastidious.

A. O. Fudge, an Ellis county farmer, living on the Ferris ranch was called on. He was placing in his wagon a load of ducks and turkeys for the market. The Rhode Island Red is his favorite chicken. He

made 22 bales of cotton and is about done picking. He has some fine red cattle that seem to be his pride, except his new Chevrolet auto which he has recently purchased. Mr. Fudge likes Haskell county and does not hesitate to say so.

We called on H. L. Chamberlain, another young farmer who is pushing toward the mark of the high calling. He has out 15 bales of cotton, and is in a prosperous circumstances. Has 8 head of good cattle and other good stock, and has killed hogs for his meat a few days before we arrived, and was cooking up the last of the lard.

E. D. Beck was not at home when we called at his house, but we met Mesdames Beck and Margaret Patten, who is 81 years old. She was visiting Mrs. Beck and is in the best of health and can get about the house almost like a girl of sixteen. We will publish a sketch of her life later on, of the early days of Texas.

M. W. Kisterson owns a 2,000 acre ranch which is well improved. He has a splendid residence and every modern convenience, properly arranged for comfort. He has now 140 head of graded Herford and Durham cattle. He was not at home when we stopped at his place, but we met Mrs. Kisterson and his sister, Miss Kisterson of Virginia, who is spending the winter with them.

We drove to the home of Walter Patton, another stockman who is doing well in the ranch business. He has 150 head of good red cattle on his ranch of 823 acres. Mrs. Patton is raising the Rhode Island Red chickens and she expects to improve her stock next year by introducing new blood. They have been living on this ranch about 12 years, and have things conveniently arranged. Mr. Patton owns a Buick car, which can be relied on for service whenever needed. Mrs. O. W. Stone was visiting Mrs. Patton when we were there. They have just moved here from Bell county and will live in that community next year.

We called at the home of E. J. Ward, who was helping E. H. Patton build a new residence. He is a good farmer, and a jolly good fellow, and is some carpenter.

We took dinner with E. H. Patton who was very busy building new rooms to his dwelling, and was in a

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## Flower Show Day

### November 25

We are presenting a great Picture of Western Life called

# "THE STAMPEDE"

Only one reel, but every inch of it is ACTION

depicting many extraordinary scenes of horsemanship, broncho busting, and wild horse racing, bull-dogging steers, buffalo riding and other sensational and exhilarating feats.

This film was taken at a Western County fair recently, and some of the very best buck riding, roping and wild riding ever shown on the screen is contained in this thousand foot reel. There are thrills, sensation and action from beginning to end which should satisfy any audience.

ALSO ON THIS DATE CHARLEY CHAPLIN IN "ONE A. M."

## Wick's Theatre



## PRINCE ALBERT

the national joy smoke

**Prince Albert gives smokers such delight, because**

- its flavor is so different and so delightfully good;
- it can't bite your tongue;
- it can't parch your throat;
- you can smoke it as long and as hard as you like without any comeback but real tobacco happiness!

On the reverse side of every Prince Albert package you will read:

"PROCESS PATENTED JULY 30TH, 1907"

That means to you a lot of tobacco enjoyment. Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!



**in goodness and in pipe satisfaction is all we or its enthusiastic friends ever claimed for it!**

It answers every smoke desire you or any other man ever had! It is so cool and fragrant and appealing to your smokeappetite that you will get chummy with it in a mighty short time!

Will you invest 5c or 10c to prove out our say-so on the national joy smoke?

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

YOU'LL find a cheery howdy-do on top as you see how much of a stranger you are in the neck of the woods you drop into. For, Prince Albert is right there—at the first place you pass that sells tobacco! The fuzzy red bag with a nickel and the tidy red tin for a dime; then there's the handsome pound and half-pound tin humidor and the grand crystal-glass humidor with spangle-mounting top that hangs the tobacco in such hand-up trim all the time!

This is the reverse side of the Prince Albert tin. Read the "Patented Process" message to you and realize what it means in making Prince Albert so much to your liking.

# BACK AGAIN!

## Helen Holmes

The Popular Favorite in  
"A Lass in the Lumberlands"

A new and spectacular chapter play in fifteen chapters.

Those of you whom Miss Holmes delighted with her work in the "Girl and the Game" will be more than glad of this announcement.

**THIS STORY IS BIGGER AND BETTER THAN**

**"The Girl and the Game"**

You will also be pleased to know that we are going to show this production on the same date of "GLORIA'S ROMANCE" Some combination, charming Billie Burk, and dare-devilish Helen Holmes—who by the way is altogether charming—all at one time.

Mr. McGowan, who played the part of "Spike, the Convict" and Mr. Manly, who enacted the role of "Jerome Storm, Engineer" in the "Girl and the Game" will also be seen to advantage in the new play.

The starting date for this BIG new Thriller will be

**Tuesday Dec. 5**  
**Don't Forget It**  
**Dick's Theatre**

**OUR Dollar Day Bargains**

**Will Attract You**

MARKED DOWN \$1.00  
ONE DOLLAR BARGAINS  
ECONOMY DAY

In addition to our \$1.00 drug bargain we decided to put on 4 pieces silver deposit ware for \$1.00 regular price \$2.00. Consisting of Vases, Vinegar Bottles, Finger Bowles, Nappies Cologues, Mustards, Sugar, and Creams.

**JOHN W. PACE & CO.**

### MORE THAN 200 MILES OF ROAD GRADED

The County Road Gang has been established only a little over one year and they have graded and put in good shape over 200 miles of road, including many bad places. This is indeed a remarkable showing for so short a time and the county judge and commissioners are of the opinion that if they receive the co-operation of the citizens and road overseers over the county, at the expiration of the next two years they will have all the roads of the county in first class shape.

The two road gangs have been consolidated and all county teams will be worked by convict labor in the future with the following men in charge, Ira Blair, road boss and W. Jarvis, convict guard.

The commissioners drew for the arrangements for working the county teams, resulting in Precinct No. 1 getting the teams for the first two months, Precinct No. 2 for the next two months, precinct No. 4 for the next two months and precinct No. 3 for the next two months.

County Judge Smith was instructed by the Commissioners Court to buy at least two car loads of ear corn to be used as feed for the teams.

### Christian Church

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church met in a business session Monday afternoon.

We want to announce that our Thanksgiving Tea will be given at the home of Mrs. H. E. Fields on Tuesday the 28th of November, from three to five. The small sum of 15c will be charged for the afternoon's entertainment. Your presence will be appreciated.

Reporter.

We have Christmas gifts from the most trivial to the most elegant to suit the purse of all. Corner Drug Store.

### PLEASANT VALLEY

No weddings to report this week, thank goodness.

J. R. Mitchell and family have returned after a visit to the Cotton Palace at Waco. They say the exposition was fine.

Relatives from Haskell visited with George West Sunday.

Mr. Newton and family have moved to the plains, starting Monday.

Messrs. Kidding, King, Jim Free and Preston Derr left Sunday on a prospecting tour of the plains.

Dennett Weed is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Rev. Curry, Missionary for the Baptist intended to preach here Sunday afternoon, but failed to come.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday afternoon. We had the largest crowd we have had for some time. We had several visitors from Cottonwood and Ballew. Among them were Messrs. Tolliver, Brown, Thomas and Misses Josselot, Thomas and Brown, and some whose names we did not learn. Come again and help in our Sunday school.

Singing at Mr. Adams Sunday night.

Pat.

### RULE, ROUTE 2

The people are getting along nicely gathering their cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Chambers visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vernon Sunday.

A party of young people from our community attended the show at Rule Saturday night.

Dutch Hager, who was operated on at Stamford for appendicitis, returned home last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McCarty attended the funeral of her uncle, Dock Simpson, at Rule last week.

Mrs. Clyde Kimbler spent last Sunday with Mrs. Frank Boyd.

A man living in our community sold a bale of cotton last week which brought him \$152.40 with the seed.

There is a good deal of land changing hands now days.

Everybody you see now is wanting to buy land. We suppose their money is burning their pockets.

J. D. Norman and wife were shopping in Haskell one day last week.

Peggy

### WEAVER

The death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sanders last Saturday morning, Nov. 11th, and took away their little baby, who had been sick for several days. We extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs. Z. T. Lloyd of Robertson Co., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Tidwell.

B. P. Davis and family motored to the Rose community Sunday afternoon in their new car.

Gordon, Joe and Bill Larned, Jake and Frank Whitaker returned the first of the week from Robertson County, where they have been picking cotton.

Wesley and Willie Mullins of Rose were visitors at the home of B. P. Davis last Friday.

D. G. Tidwell and family, A. A. Sanders and family, J. W. Nanny and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wright and Grandma Terrill were visitors at the home of W. E. Tidwell Sunday.

R. J. Moore and family are spending a few days in Stamford this week.

Will Wright and Bob Brook attended the party at the home of Avis Howard Saturday night.

John Andress spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in the Ballew community.

The singing at the home of Mr. Wilkerson last Sunday night was well attended.

For-Get-Me-Not

### VONTRESS

Cotton picking is almost a thing of the past in this section. Grain that is up is looking fine.

Our Sunday school has been changed from 10 o'clock A. M. to 2:30 P. M. Irene and Bess Roberts have returned from the Cotton Palace. They report a nice time while there.

J. H. Roberts and family made a trip to Abilene Saturday.

A few of our young people attended the services at Rose Chapel Sunday afternoon.

T. S. Grimsley and son, Ira, made a trip to Rule Monday.

Bert Welch of Ballew attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Little Ruth Lancaster, of Powell community is spending the week with her cousin Blanch Dwyer.

Jessie Wafford is on the sick list this week.

Ruth Via spent Saturday and Sunday with Tillie Atchison in the Kirkdale community.

Some of our people here attended the candy breaking Friday night at J. A. Leonard's in the Kirkdale community.

Blue Jay.

The Free Press does good job printing



# DOLLAR DAY IS

## American DOLL DAY

Below are a few of the Bargains We will Offer Sat. Nov. 25th

Campbell Kid boy or girl \$1.50 Doll \$1.00

Japanese Doll \$1.50 value \$1.00

Boy or Girl dressed Doll with hair 1.50 value \$1.00

All above dolls American made November 25th—American Doll Day.

On this day we will celebrate the making of dolls American as heretofore they have all been made in foreign countries.

Our store will represent a fair, in which girls of nations will compete with each other in the selling merchandise of their country. They will be dressed in their native regalia, will take pleasure in showing you their wares.

December 1st—Opening Day. On this day we will call on our Christmas Eve. Everyone who calls on this day will be shown through our store, and given a beautiful "Dream Girl" calendar.

December 2nd—Mother's Day. We desire to have another in Haskell to call on us on this day. Each mother calling will be given a fine art calendar "Evening Glow" The number bringing the largest family of children will be given a large basket of sweets.

## HASKELL BARGAIN HOUSE

Mrs. D. Love, Prop.

### DENNIS CHAPEL

There will be a box supper at Dennis Chapel on Thanksgiving night, November 30th, and the proceeds will go to the purchase of a Victrola for the school. If the ladies will all bring boxes, and the men and boys come prepared to buy them, they will not only have an enjoyable time, but will be helping the school as well. We are expecting a large crowd, and can entertain you, so everybody come.

Miss Lottie Ballard, with her mother and sister, of Stamford have been visiting Mrs. Harry Bettis the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Brazwell, and Messdames Reese and Howell from Knox City visited Mrs. Arthur Matlock Sunday. They made the trip in Mr. Brazwell's new Saxon car.

Grandma Williams, who has been

seriously ill for the past much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Smith Sunday in Stamford, going pany with Mrs. Smith's party and Mrs. Pogue.

Jim Bass, of Walnut Springs here the first of the week on Mrs. Whitehead, who has for some time is reported last few days.

A. C. B. Mayberry has made cane crop into "lasses" which any store bought product.

Bill Cantrell, who was pole cat about two weeks in the Pastuer Institute at treatment.

The Thr

Don't buy until you have line of Christmas gifts. Drug Store.

# PROGRAM



## DICK'S THEATRE



WEEK BEGINNING

MONDAY NOVEMBER 27th

### NOTE---

After an absence of nearly a year from giving our personal attention to Dick's Theatre, we are now at home again, and will bend our efforts to give you the very best service that it is humanly possible to offer.

We have not been away from home because we desired personally to be, but because circumstances forced us to be away.

We have never moved away from here. Never have, nor do we now have any idea of making any place our "Home" other than Haskell.

Though we have tried to pick competent managers to look after the business in our absence, (and in justice to those managers, let us say that they have been competent. They have a greater part of the time worked under serious difficulties, and we bespeak for them great praise for having done so well) still irregularities may have occurred, which were unpleasant, but at the same time unavoidable, so we ask you to forget these things; to continue to give us your patronage, in return for which we offer you deep appreciation, and our promise to serve you at any and all times to the last degree of our ability.

MR. AND MRS. RICHARD NOLEN

MONDAY NOVEMBER 27th

Jesse L. Lasky

Presents

America's Most Popular Star of  
the Screen

**BLANCHE SWEET**



In a photoplay in which a young woman, accused of murder wins freedom from accusation through the help of the spirit of her who departed.

**"PUBLIC OPINION"**

A realistic and gripping presentation of the theory that those who have passed away from this world return in spirit to right wrongs.

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 28th

Chapter 10 of

**"GLORIA'S ROMANCE"**

With the little Star Supreme

**MISS BILLIE BURK**

Also on this Date

**"MUSTY SUFFER" COMEDY**

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 29th

William Fox

Presents the great five part Wonder play

**"GOLD AND THE WOMAN"**

Featuring

**THEDA BARA**

You have never seen the Worlds most Famous vampire in a stronger, more powerful, more sensational feature than this. To miss seeing it would mean a tremendous disappointment for you.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 30th

Daniel Frohman

Presents

The popular screen Stars



**OWEN MOORE and MARGUERITE COURTOT**

in a faithful visualization of the celebrated  
comedy of adventure

**"ROLLING STONES"**

By Edgar Selwyn

An unusual photoplay of laughs and thrill on the Paramount Program, produced by the Famous Players Film Company.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 1st

Signal Film Corporation

Presents

**HELEN HOLMES**

in a tremendous five part production

**"THE DIAMOND RUNNERS"**

SATURDAY DECEMBER 2nd

We begin the famous Triangle Program that has caused such a furor in the cities during the past 10 or 12 months.

The first of the Triangle offerings will be---

**"THE LAST ACT"**

Featuring Beautiful Bessie Barriscale. Also the corresponding program of two reel comedy being a Triangle---Keystone

**"LOVE AND CINDERS"**

With Chester Conklin



# DICK'S THEATRE

# BIG BANKRUPT SALE

Store No. 2 **HUNT'S** Store No. 2

## ANOTHER LUCKY STRIKE

We have made another lucky strike. Bought another big stock at almost **HALF PRICE**. We bought the entire stock and fixtures of the Wichita Valley Mercantile Co. of Wichita Falls Texas. This is an exceptionally good stock invoicing \$9,000. We bought this stock at almost half price and are consolidating it with our already large stock in Store No. 2. This will give us in this store alone something near \$30,000 worth of merchandise, the largest stock of drygoods in Haskell County, or in the middle west. We bought these goods right and expect to close them out at unheard of prices. There never was a time when all lines of goods and especially drygoods were as high as they are today, but we have protected ourselves and our customers by heavy buying, and by buying these stocks, and today we are selling goods as cheap and cheaper than last year and for less than they could be bought to-day.

**Save This Circular! It Happens Sat. Nov. 25 Tell Your Friends**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 25, will be a big day in Haskell. All surrounding Counties will be represented that BIG DAY Merchant's Carnival. Free Automobile Parade and Flower Show, and Merchant's Dollar Day. The Big attraction will be HUNT'S BIG BANKRUPT SALE at Store No. 2.** This will be the beginning of 27 days celebration of our anniversary. We opened Store No. 2 November 18th, one year ago, and since that time we have sold more goods for cash than any store in Haskell County and we expect to make Saturday November 25th the biggest day in our history.

### Make Your Dollars Have More Cents

Limit 10 yards to Customer Saturday, November 25th Only      Limit 10 yards to Customer Saturday, November 25th, Only      Limit 3 to Customer Saturday, November 25th, Only      Limit 6 to customer Saturday, November 25th, Only      Limit 10 yards to Customer Saturday, November 25th, Only      Limit 7 spools to Customer Saturday, November 25th, Only

**REMEMBER:**—This sale will begin Saturday, November 25th, and will continue for 27 days, closing Saturday, December 23rd. But prices made and quoted will be good only for the time that the goods we have on hand lasts. We cannot replenish our stock and sell at prices we are now making. So come early while our stock is full and complete. We have everything you can expect to find in a first-class dry goods store. The new stock recently bought contains thousands of yards of Gingham, percales, calicoes, bleaching, staple shirtings and checks, blankets, underwear, sweaters, knit goods, clothing, overcoats, overalls, shoes, and in fact a full and complete stock of high-grade dry goods. This stock will just fit in and replenish our stock until it is second to none in the West. We had intended closing out this store, but the opportunity of buying this splendid stock, which will give our customers additional advantage in buying high class goods at low prices was so great a temptation we could not resist, and so, will continue this store for awhile.

In addition to unheard of prices, we have decided to offer a beautiful \$30.00 Kitchen Cabinet absolutely free of cost. This will be given away Saturday, December, 23rd. Just in time for a handsome Christmas present. Something you did not expect—We are going to give as a present to everyone whose bill amounts to \$25.00, a \$5.00 42 piece dinner set absolutely free.

Ladies Coat Suits.....\$4.98 up	Men's \$20.00 Suits.....\$14.98	Men's Heavy ribbed Union Suits..... 98c	Misses Dresses, 75c value ..59c	Remember our line of Hosiery is the largest in the county 8c-11c-13c	Remember, this last lucky strike gives us the greatest dress goods department in Central West Texas. You can get almost anything you want here, and our word for it <b>THE PRICE WILL BE RIGHT.</b>	Our Men's Shoe department will be the big event of the sale but time and space forbids price quoting. Only to say you can save almost half on your shoe bill.
Ladies Skirts..... \$2.69	Men's \$18.00 Suits..... \$12.48	Two piece Suits, the garment..... 49c	Misses Dresses \$1.25 value 98c			
Ladies Corsets..... 98c	Men's \$15.00 Suits..... \$10.98	Boys' Union Suits..... 49c	Ladies and Misses Taboggans..... 49c	Can't be duplicated any place on earth. Many of this line less than half price.		
Large Line Ladies Shoes \$1.95	Men's \$10.00 Overcoats..... \$7.98	Boys' Pants..... 49c	Taboggans, 4 feet long..... \$1.00			
	Men's \$12.50 Overcoats..... \$9.98	Boys' Sweaters..... 49c				
	A good Work Pant..... 69c					

**Pay no attention to side shows, the main show will be at HUNT'S No. 2**

Of course there will be other sales put on to counteract our sale, there always are, but our prices cannot be duplicated, their sale will be small in magnitude when compared with our big sale.

**Come Early and Avoid the Rush      Doors will Open at 8:30 a. m.**

**The Big Sale at Hunt's Main Store will Continue for 15 days**

We will continue the Big Sale at our main store for 15 days. Since buying the big stock of the Wichita Valley Mercantile Co. we have \$55,000.00 worth of dry goods in Haskell. We are bound to reduce these stocks and will continue our sale.

## The Temptation Was Too Great

goods are so terribly high and scarce, We could not resist the temptation of buying this elegant stock at such a ridiculously low price. We will continue prices made in our big sale as near as we can. Some lines have been closed out—some replenished, but we will continue to make the lowest prices on all lines of goods of any house in Haskell county or in the West. It will pay you to come miles to these **TWO-IN-ONE** or **DOUBLE HEADER SALE**, and lay in what dry goods you will need for the next year to come, as it will be many a day before you will buy at these prices again.

Store Closes all Day Friday to Prepare for the **BIG SALE** | **HUNT'S STORE NO. 2** | Store Closes Friday November 24th to Prepare Our Big Stock For Sale

# IDEAL SARSAPARILLA

## The Unfailing Remedy

For Laziness, Bilioussness, a Drowsy, Tired, Sleepy Feeling, Stomach Troubles, such as indigestion and bad secretions of the liver, kidneys and blood.



It positively takes the place of calomel without the least restriction of diet or habits while taking, and will better cleanse the system. A perfect vegetable purgative. NO calivation, no sickening drug with the bad after effects. One dose at night will cleanse the liver. The tonic dose will make you well and strong.

- Relieves weakness and tired feeling.
- Relieves pain in the back, shoulders and neck.
- Relieves bad bilious headaches in a few days.
- Relieves sick stomach, belching, gas on the stomach.
- Relieves attacks of indigestion positively
- Relieves a bilious attack in one night.

It will work a great quantity of bile from the system, will flush the kidneys, will purify the blood. One bottle will cleanse your system, build you up, give you a good healthy appetite and digestion. Buy a bottle today. Take one-half the contents as directed. If you are not benefitted, return the other half to us and get your money back. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

Sold and Guaranteed by  
**Jno. W. Pace & Company**  
HASKELL, :-: TEXAS

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days**  
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c

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

**NOTICE**  
The State of Texas, County of Haskell.  
To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Mrs. M. A. Guinn, deceased.  
The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate with will annexed of Mrs. M. A. Guinn, deceased, late of Haskell County, Texas, by Hon. A. J. Smith, judge of the county court of said county on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1916, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 30th day of October, A. D. 1916.

Bruce W. Bryant  
Administrator of the estate of Mrs. M. A. Guinn, deceased 45-4tc

**A Birthday Party**  
On last Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, a crowd of children gathered at the home of little Clyde Edwards to celebrate his sixth birthday. The children played games until about 4 o'clock when they were called to the table and enjoyed very much, the cakes, soda water, fruits and candy. Mrs. Jess Edwards, Clyde's mother, Mrs. Alex Edwards, his aunt, and Mrs. T. L. Williams waited on the tables.

Those present were:  
James, Hubert and J. W. Edwards, Virgie, Burnice, Winnie Mae and Emma Allen, Naomi, Loreta and Maebell McCarty, Galston Carr, Jessie and Tommie Northcutt.

Clyde received many nice presents which he appreciated very much. The children went away thanking him for the good time and wishing him many more happy birthdays.

A Guest  
Let the Free Press do your printing

**Brazelton-Battle**  
The following interesting account of the Brazelton-Battle wedding appeared in the Waco Times-Herald.  
"Tuesday at Marlin in the First Presbyterian church the wedding vows were solemnized of Miss Pauline Battle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Battle, and Thomas Berry Brazelton, of Haskell, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brazelton of Waco. The account of this event, which unites two prominent Texas families will be of interest to friends here and elsewhere. The romance began at Asheville, N. C. several summers ago and after the groom's graduation from Princeton in 1915, he located at Haskell, exhibiting business acumen in the management of the Brazelton-Pryor Lumber interests there.  
Friends and relatives were assembled in the church, which was beautifully decorated with palms and ferns and lighted with many electric lights placed among the foliage. The ushers were Lilbourne Peterson and T. G. Altorf, Jr.

The Wednesday Matinee Musical Club of Marlin recognized this important event in the life of one of their members and sang "The Bridal Chorus" to Miss Bartlett's accompaniment. The ribbon bearers were Marie and Chloe Brazelton, the young sisters of the groom. Rosalis Altorf and Louise Emerson. They were clad in delicate pink tulle with fillets of tiny roses on their hair.

As bridesmaids, there were Misses Alice Brazelton, Nancy Joe Brazelton and Mabel Bunch, the two sisters of the groom and the niece of the bride. Lavender over pink tulle made the orchid tints of their dresses; picture hats of pink and Colonial bouquets of Killarney roses completed their costumes.

The groomsmen were Messrs. William Morrow and Tom Moore of Waco, Roy Watson of Houston. The maid of honor was the bride's cousin, Miss Esther Woodward, who wore orchid pink tulle over taffeta with evening hat in the same delicate coloring. Her flowers were pink Killarney buds. As matrons of honor were Mesdames Walter Van der Stucken of Llano and Owen Carter of Dallas.

Continuing the pretty idea of the rare tints of an orchid they wore pale lavender with hats in like shade. They carried Killarney roses. Petite Rosalis Van der Stucken carried the wedding ring, a diamond circlet, in the chalice of lily. Entering with her brother-in-law, Walter Van der Stucken of Llano, the bride approached the altar. Duchess satin with overdrapery of silver lace, entrain, was her elegant wedding robe, the filmy veil caught coronet-fashion with orange blossoms, fell in graceful folds. Lilies of the valley, and Bride buds made the bouquet of this beautiful bride.

The groom was accompanied by Mr. Swartz of New York, a Princeton man; the celebrant, Dr. James, also claimed Princeton as his alma mater, hence the groom's college affiliations were not forgotten in this auspicious hour. Hawthorne Kysor sang "O Perfect Love" as post-nuptial song.

The wedding was followed by a reception in the spacious Battle residence. Here the bride's parents and the Messrs and Mesdames T. C. Westbrook, Charles Altorf, Bunch and Van der Stucken received the guests. Chrysanthemums adorned the Clunycovered table, where the bride's cake stood in state. The refreshments patronized the bride's chosen colors.

The bride's gift to her attendants continued the pink and lavender motif. They were vanity cases enameled in the two colors; or gold hatpins set with amethysts. The groom gave his attendants silver photograph cases.

The bride's parents recalling her musical talent, presented her with a Steinway grand piano; the groom's parents gave a chest of silver, while in china, and Minton and Doulton services will go along with handsome gifts into their new home.

Before locating in Haskell the groom won honors afore at Princeton, he was the first of the Cap and Gown class of 1915 to wed, hence received the elegant crested tea service promised by the club to their first benedict.

Mr. and Mrs. Brazelton will visit Asheville and other eastern cities while on their honeymoon.

The bride's going away costume was a midnight blue velvet coat suit with moleskin trimmings and muff to match. She wore a French hat of midnight blue with tiny gray ostrich trimmings.

They will be frequent visitors to this part of the state where their parents are prominent in business and social life.

In the Dollar Day ad last week there was a mistake in Alexander & Sons coffee ad. It should have read "One, 3 pound can of Chase & Sanborne's High Grade Coffee, \$1.25 value for \$1.00"

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**Notice of Sheriff's Sale**  
(Real Estate)  
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Taylor county, Texas on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1916, in the case of J. W. Campbell and Sam Campbell versus D. M. Cogdell, No. 3647, and to me, as Sheriff directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 18th day of October, A. D. 1916, and will between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in December, A. D. 1916, at the Court House door of said Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which D. M. Cogdell had on the 15th day of June A. D. 1915, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Situated in Haskell County, Texas, being the south one-half of the south half of block No. Seventy Four (74) of the Brown and Roberts addition to the town of Haskell, containing fifty acres of land, and eight acre strip of running across said block 74, off the south end of the north half of the south half of said block 74, all of which is better described in deed dated June 15, 1915, said deed executed by R. E. Rankin to D. M. Cogdell. Said property being levied on as the property of D. M. Cogdell to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1650.05, in favor of J. W. Campbell and Sam Campbell and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1916.  
W. C. Allen  
Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas

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**Meet Me at the Flower Show**  
 November 25  
**WELL'S Furniture Store**

Saturday, November 25th. I will find my wagon on the north side square, one bottle of the Rawlinson, and one 25c box of Ointment for \$1.00. T. Williams, the Rawleigh man. 11p

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 Side Square, Haskell

**GAUNTT**

We are having some more cold weather, and it looks like it might snow.  
 A large crowd attended the Sunday school last Sunday, and a good sermon was preached by Rev. Bateman.  
 J. E. Hooten, of Haskell visited his sister, Mrs. W. E. Johnson Sunday.  
 J. W. Addington is at Rotan attending to business.  
 Miss Nellie Christian returned home Friday after a few days visit at Tolbert.  
 A. G. Lambert and wife of Haskell visited their daughter, Mrs. I. B. Crow, also her sister, Mrs. Claude Stovall, of Abilene visited her last Sunday.  
 Miss Viola Humphries of Dublin, who was a teacher at Gauntt two years ago is visiting in this community.  
 Quite a number were at the singing at J. E. Quick's last Sunday night.  
 S. E. Cearley, of Whitman is building a house on the place he has recently bought in this community.  
 M. Sanderson started for New Mexico last Saturday night prospecting.  
 Lilac

**FLAT TOP**

Most everybody is through picking cotton.  
 The cold weather of last week killed some of the wheat to the ground, but some think it will come out.  
 Several of the young people attended the singing at Bunker Hill Sunday evening.  
 Our school started Monday morning with Miss Fannie Kay as teacher.  
 Mr. Burrow and family motored over to Scurry county Friday in their jitney to visit Mrs. Burrows' parents, returning Sunday.  
 Tom Beene and Ewald Backhaus went over to Stamford to attend the movies Saturday night.  
 E. C. Windelborn and son, Ollie, have returned from the Cotton Palace.  
 D. M. Gulun and family visited Mr. W. M. Beene and family Sunday afternoon.  
 Doll Cornelius living near Plainview took dinner with W. M. Beene, Saturday.  
 Tulip

**ROSE**

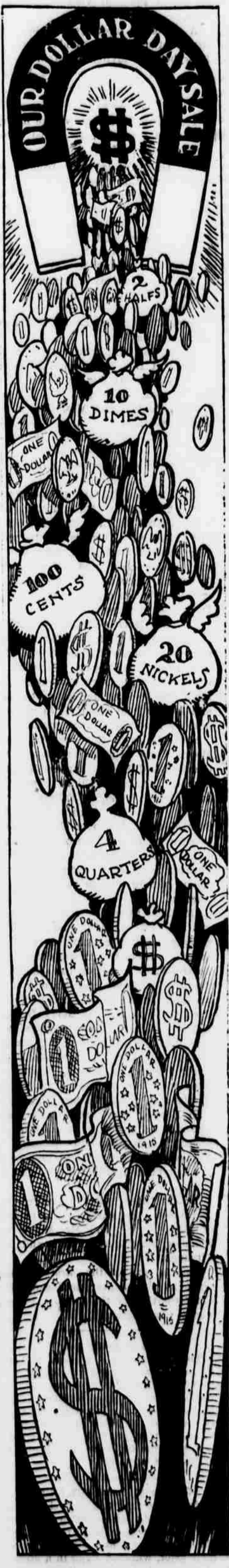
Cotton picking is pretty well over in our community.  
 Most everyone has considerable grain sowed.  
 W. B. Johnson, who is attending school at Abilene was in our community again last Sunday.  
 Chas. Quattlebaum and wife of Midway spent Tuesday night at S. M. Hayes.  
 Everyone seemed to enjoy the day last Sunday, and our Temperance Rally was a great success. The Friendship church rendered a good program in the early afternoon which we all enjoyed. Then Mr. Hutto's B. Y. P. U. class of Haskell rendered a real good program which we all enjoyed, and we thank them very much for their coming, and especially invite them back again.  
 Quite a crowd from Post, Whitman and McConnell attended the services here last Sunday.  
 Jesse Adams spent Saturday night with Clyde Gordon.  
 Mrs. Mullens and Mrs. Marshal Davis took dinner at S. M. Hayes last Sunday.  
 Inez

**O'BRIEN**

Mr. Stubblefield purchased a new Buick Saturday.  
 J. S. Abernathy sold nine bales of cotton for 20c a pound last Thursday, which brought him \$930.50.  
 Mrs. Sam Brown's sister, Mrs. Merrick is visiting her from Leuders.  
 M. V. Wood and family have been on the sick list for the past few days but are better at present.  
 The kodaking party consisting of Mrs. Dave Vannoy, Winnie and J. U. Johnston, Velma, Emma, and Herman Bernard, and Clifford, Clyde, Mildred and Vera Abernathy all reported a jolly time. They went to the new bridge on the Brazos river.  
 The school at O'Brien is progressing nicely.  
 Dave Johnston and Arthur White have gone out on the plains prospecting.  
 Frances Smith, near O'Brien intends to move to Lamesa, where he has bought a tract of land. We regret to see him leave.  
 Zack Hammock of O'Brien, route 2 has moved to Knox City.  
 Texas Kid

**Quarantine Raised**  
 The Live Stock Sanitary Commission at Austin informs County Judge Smith that Haskell and Knox counties, which had been placed under quarantine since February 24th, 1916 on account of hog cholera infection were released November 13th.

**OUR Dollar Day Specials**



Saturday, Nov. 25th is Haskell's Dollar Day. You will miss a great treat if you fail to be with us on this date, and you will miss a big bargain if you fail to buy one or more pairs of our Ladies and Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 house shoes that we are offering you for only **One Dollar** on this date. We have them in solid Brown, Grey and Black with fur trimming, as well as dressy ones in all the fancy colors. See them in our windows.

**MILLINERY SPECIAL**

Don't fail to see our display of all ladies and children's hats. We are selling them at less than cost. Just think what it means to you to be able to buy your mid-season hat at just one-half price. Don't fail to see these bargains. Come to Haskell Saturday and make our store your stopping place. It will be a pleasure to have you with us whether you buy anything or not.

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**GILLIAM**

The wheat is looking very well in this vicinity, but is needing rain.  
 Henry Sanders is very sick at this writing. He has typhoid fever.  
 We are glad to report that Mrs. B. F. Church is able to be up again. She visited her sister, Mrs. S. M. McCain Monday evening.  
 Jesse Clement and wife visited home folks, S. M. McCain Saturday and Sunday.  
 Mrs. W. C. Norton's brother, of Stamford, and cousin of Rule, Miss Curry were visiting here Saturday and Sunday.  
 John Pennington, and uncle, D. J. Irwin and family came in from Coleman City Tuesday night. Mr. Irwin is going to locate in this community.  
 C. W. Shellie and family spent last Sunday at the V. L. Pennington home.  
 Our school started last Monday with Prof. Williams as teacher, and 18 pupils are enrolled. The school is progressing nicely.  
 Ellis McCain visited home folks Sunday.  
 O. Justice and family were visiting in Haskell Monday.  
 Elmo Brown and wife spent Saturday night with W. A. Sanders and family.  
 Our Sunday school was very well attended Sunday. We would be glad to have a large crowd every Sunday.  
**BOX SUPPER**  
 The box supper was just fine Saturday night. Miss Bernice Shellie won in the race as the most popular young lady. Jess Clement received the popular vote for the pair of socks for being the ugliest man present. The amount received from the supper was \$49.35. A large crowd was present, and all report a fine time.  
 Rev. White, of Haskell was our auctioneer and when he fails to get the money there is something wrong. W. M. Free of the Haskell Free Press was also with us, and he played his part well.  
 Bob

**LONE STAR**

Cotton picking is still in full sway in this community.  
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones, the 13th, a boy.  
 Mr. Hodges and family were visiting in this community Sunday afternoon.  
 Mrs. A. J. Melton spent Sunday with her mother near Munday.  
 Plummer Evans left Saturday night on a prospecting trip.  
 The singing at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Redell's Sunday night was enjoyed by all present.  
 Quite a number of people from this community attended Missionary services at Gillispie Sunday morning.  
 Mrs. Plummer Evans and Miss Ina Griffin were shopping in Knox City Saturday.  
 Blossom

**JOE BAILEY**

Most everybody in this community is through picking cotton. Several have killed hogs and of course they have something to eat now.  
 Miss Ina Hutson, who has been visiting Miss Flossie Pinkley for some time returned to her home in Johnson County Saturday.  
 Miss Bernice Matthews of Stamford, who has been spending a few days with Miss Beatrice Green, returned to her home Sunday.  
 Albert Luck of Rule, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his uncle J. A. Shelton.  
 Will Royce of near Stamford, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his cousin, Price Royce.  
 Miss Malinda Pitts is visiting in the Tanner community this week.  
 The singing was very well attended at this place Sunday evening.  
 Several of the young people of this community attended the party in the Ward community and all report an enjoyable time.  
 Mr. Cohorne of Avoca has bought the A. J. Shelton place, and has moved here. We hope Mr. Cohorne will be well pleased with his new location.  
 Kido.

**Christian Church Ladies Aid Notes**

The Auxiliary to the "Christian Womens Board of Missions" met with the president, Mrs. J. L. Robertson, November 16th, with a large membership present. After a short business period, Mrs. C. D. Grisson took charge and taught a splendid lesson, also told the Missionary story of a "blind girl" in a most impressive way. Many interesting things about the book of Psalms were told by Mrs. Jno. D. White. During the lesson many things of importance were learned of South America and each month there will be a specially prepared paper on that continent.  
 The hostess assisted by Mrs. White served a delicious salad course, which was enjoyed by several visitors as well as members.  
 Reporter



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 "Everything baked with Calumet is so tempting—wholesome—delicious—I want 'em all. For things hard to bake right it can't be equalled. Calumet is the world's best Baking Powder—it's moderate in price—pure in the can and pure in the baking—wonderful in leavening and raising power—the most economical to buy and to use."  
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 Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's Pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

**COTTONWOOD**

Mrs. I. N. Furrh returned home after a few days visit with her mother at Salesville, Texas.  
 Mrs. W. A. Tanner, Miss May Furrh and Miss Elsie Mayfield were shopping in Haskell Saturday.  
 Mr. Free, the Free Press man was a pleasant caller in our community Friday. Come again.  
 Several people from this community attended the entertainment at Mr. and Mrs. Newton's Saturday night. They report a jolly good time.  
 B. G. Furrh and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willbanks were shopping in Haskell Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mayfield of Lake Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Mayfield Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts and Mrs. Green visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Mayfield Sunday.  
 Bro. Curry preached at Cottonwood Sunday morning.  
 Snooks.

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our thanks to the friends that helped us through the illness and death of our dear mother. May God's blessings rest upon you all.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Osborne  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nell  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Matthews  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matthews

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# We Are Glad

To announce that on Saturday Dec. 22nd we will begin the showing of the much talked of and justly famous

## Triangle Program

It was after long and serious deliberation that we finally decided to sign a contract for the Triangle. We were not sure, and as for that matter, we are not yet sure Triangle in a town the size of Haskell will result in a paying proposition for us, on account of the fact that we are forced to pay such an enormous price for it. We must necessarily have quite a large number of people at each Triangle showing to even make expenses on that day.

But in line with our policy, of trying to always give the best, against our better judgment—that is from a financial standpoint—we have gone ahead and put our signature to a contract that will obtain for your pleasure this wonderful program.

Most of you know what constitutes Triangle. Backed by D. W. Griffith, ("Birth of a Nation" producer) Thomas H. Ince, and Mack Sennet, the three Master Minds of the industry, who personally supervise every production coming from Triangle, and who have under their direction, the greatest and most superb galaxy of stars in the world.

Greatest in point of numbers, and in talent. Among them:—

Dustin Farnum, Douglas Fairbanks, Billie Burk, Bessie Barriscale, Mary Bolland, De Wolf Hopper, Willard Mack, Tully De Wolf Hopper, Willard Mack, Tully Marshal, The Dolly Sisters, Julia Dean, Sarah Truax, Frank Keenan. Old favorites like William S. Hart, Mae Marsh, Dorothy and Lillian Gish, Owen Moore, and in

### The Triangle--Keystone

Fatty Arbuckle, Mabel Normand, Joe Weber and Lew Fields, Raymond Hitchcock, Eddie Fay, Chester Conklin, and Mack Swan.

The opening presentation of the new Triangle will be a drama in five parts entitled—

#### "The Last Act"

Featuring beautiful BESSIE BARRISCALE; also the corresponding two-reel Keystone.

#### "LOVE AND CINDERS"

Featuring Chester Conklin.

Seven reels constitute the Triangle program—always a 5 reeler and two reels of Keystone.

Saturday, December 2nd, is the starting date. Come to the Matinee, and avoid the night crowds.

Watch this paper next week for important announcements in regard to Triangle

## Dick's Theatre

### Dr. Price's CREAM BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard  
No Alum—No Phosphate

#### FROM THE FIELD

By W. M. Free

(Continued from Page 1—Section 2) big hurry to get through while the weather was good. Mrs. Patton gave us a fine dinner which we very much enjoyed. Mr. Patton owns 331 acres of good land where he lives and has it stocked with cattle.

We stopped at the home of H. A. Williamson and met the family. Mr. Williamson was away. They have made 23 bales of cotton and other crops were very good this year. Mrs. Williamson raised 27 head of turkeys and lots of chickens. They have lived in this section 11 years.

C. L. Womack was not at home as we passed his place, but we met his son, C. H. and wife at his father's.

We next called at the home of A. J. Smith, of Brushey, who was in Coryell county visiting relatives. We met the family and spent a short time in the home. They have a large family, mostly girls, several married and the others are still at home with their parents.

We stopped by the home of Marshall Lane, who has a nice stock of goods at Ronton City. He was gone to town and we did not see him. Mrs. Lane was looking after the store and they are enjoying an excellent trade, and are very much appreciated by their customers.

We met P. H. Rouan at the store where he was buying gas for his newly purchased Ford.

We called at the home of J. E. Beck, one of the largest cotton farmers of that section. He will make about 100 bales of the fleecy staple and has purchased a farm of 428 acres of good land with three artesian wells on same.

We met J. T. Wallace at his home. He is trying out Haskell county the second time. He says of all the places in his life Haskell is the best yet. He made 23 bales of cotton this year, and made the best feed crop in years. Among the many things worth mentioning is 17 tons of millet and sorghum.

We called late in the evening at the home of A. Mayfield, one of the best citizens of the county, who has a well improved section of land with a beautiful residence well located and every modern convenience necessary to the family comfort. The farm will make, or near, the 100 bale mark in the production of cotton this year. Mr. Mayfield gave us a glad welcome, and reminded us that they could arrange to have fried chicken when we could spend the night with them, and we are fully convinced Mrs. Mayfield is a good cook. We hope in the near future to pay this home a special visit.

The Raleigh man applied the juice to the jitney and we began to ramble and the roads began to look smooth and level and we reached Haskell in time for supper. Thanks to the Raleigh man.

#### Blanche Sweet, Lasky Star, Talks About Spiritualism

"I have been in many unusual pictures since I have been before the camera," thoughtfully remarked Blanche Sweet, the beautiful Lasky star, who was interviewed while resting between the scenes of "Public Opinion" a Paramount release which will be the attraction at Dick's Theatre on Monday, November 27th. "but this idea of having ghosts haunt one all the time has me all fussed up. Of course I know it is no one but charming Edythe Chapman, but it is all so mysterious that I am beginning to start every time I see her."

"When I was a little girl, I had a mad devotion for ghost stories, and any tale that had a clanking chain, a low moan, or a white shroud in it, I would read and read again," continued Miss Sweet. "However, I have had several specky parts since I have been with the Lasky company. You will remember that in "Secret Sin" I played twin sisters, and I nearly went into hysterics when I sat in the theatre and saw myself talking to myself on the screen. It was uncanny. In "The Case of Becky" I had a dual personality. That was easy as there was nothing spooky about it, but this spirit coming in from time to time in "Public Opinion" has really got me all upset and I go home at night, and look for ghosts behind every door, and I actually feel disappointed if I drop off to sleep without having some noise make my hair stand on end."

"I am quite a believer in spiritualism, and I do believe that the spirits of departed people try to come back and talk to us. I have heard of several instances of this kind where people were warned about something. It has excited my curiosity, and when I get a vacation—if I ever do—I am going to delve deeper into the subject. I do not mean the spiritualism of the common trickster practicing in every town."

"I don't know what I am to do next, after this picture is finished, but I hope I will have another chance to wear some of the new gowns I brought back with me from my last

#### BRUSHEY

We are having some rainy weather and prospects are good for more rain today.

A. J. Smith and daughter, Mrs. H. W. Quicksall and daughter returned from Gatesville Monday.

Jessie Smith took dinner with one Chamberlain last Sunday.

Bro. D. M. Strickland of Abilene filed his regular appointment at this place Sunday.

Miss Mae Williams spent Sunday evening with Vera Lena Boer.

Rev. Luther Jenkins preached at Brushey Sunday night.

Lon Smith and wife attended church at Pleasant View Sunday evening.

A series of meetings will begin at the Baptist Church Sunday Nov. 26. Everybody is invited to attend.

Red Wing

#### JUD

This is nice weather we are having. Will McDonald has moved from Hill county to Jud.

Mr. Gaston's daughter from Needmour is visiting them.

Dumas Ray and Miss Jewel Murrain motored over to Rochester Sunday.

Chalmers Harris, Bessie Rodgers, Ben Thompson and wife from Red Top called on Dee Thompson Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. West, a fine boy, Tuesday, November 14th.

Ovie Lesley called on Florence Ray Sunday.

John Cogburn called on Mr. Bateman Saturday.

Jessie Bell and wife were pleasant visitors at Dee Thompson's Sunday.

Mr. Greer left for Winters, in his new car Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Cox, a fine girl, Nov. 15th.

Smiling Beauty.

"If You See Anything You Like, Grab It"

That is the pleasant philosophy of life which guides Buck Ryder, and Dave Fulton in their rather haphazard existence. Dave is a little more of a theorist than Buck, who, though an amiable chap and most likable is willing to go to extremes in carrying out his scheme of things which Dave does not approve.

So when Buck persuades his friend to pose as Jerry Braden for the purpose of winning the hand and fortune of Norma Noggs, according to her uncle's will, Dave thoroughly dislikes the idea of deceiving the girl, and is only held steadfast in his purpose by Dave's continued urging.

Since Dave in this case is Owen Moore, and Norma is Marguerite Courtot, and it all happens in the Famous Players Film Company's adaptation of Edgar Selwyn's celebrated comedy-drama, "Rolling Stones" the outcome of the deception is sure to prove absorbingly interesting. It will be revealed at Dick's Theatre next week where this Paramount picture will be the feature attraction.

"Rolling Stones" is a delightful mixture of comedy and thrilling melodrama and contains several of the most interesting comic characters. There is Mr. Branigan, the scurvy of the boarding house and her very humble and unwillingly useful-spouse. Then there is the real Jerry Braden, and his frantically excited wife who does not like the idea of his coming to the wicked city to investigate the lovely Norma, and who finally decides to follow him to town. Place all these in the same boarding house with Norma, Buck and Dave, and you will be perfectly justified in expecting something to happen. It does with breathless speed that keeps one laughing, thrilling from start to finish.

Among those whom Director Del Henderson has gathered in support of Miss Courtot and Mr. Moore are Denman Maley, Alan Hale and Ida Fitzhugh.

This is one of the first releases made by the pioneer producers after the formation of the Famous Players Lasky combination.

#### As to Brain Food.

The more brains a man has the more he is in need of brain food, though not necessarily the kind he would take in through his mouth. That is, the best kind of food for the brain is the kind we put into the brain instead of the stomach. There isn't much use to take food for the brain we haven't got, anyway.

#### Change of Scene After Grief.

Many women find in change of scene a most wise course to follow when some trouble comes to them. The old associations but serve to renew their grief, whereas being in a strange place among strangers they seem to find new strength. New interests make claims upon them, and little by little they become resigned to the inevitable.

eastern trip. I have one—just then the director called her and a moment later the fair star was busy with the tribulations of a trained nurse accused of having poisoned her patient.

# DOLLAR DAY SALE



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#### French Operas.

The earliest operas in France were composed by Lully at the end of the seventeenth century and Rameau at the beginning of the eighteenth century, but they were little more than imitations of the Italian style. The basis of the French opera was laid by Gluck in the latter half of the eighteenth century. Meyerbeer, Rossini, Gounod and Thomas represent the most popular of the successors of Gluck, with the more modern Massenet and Carpentier.

#### Fear, the Tormentor.

How many useless torments are ours because of fear! Looking back over my own life I can see that most of my sufferings were due to fears, and that they were all, every one of them, both useless and poison. Of all the demons that ride poor mortals, fear is the most malicious.—Irish World.

#### Priceless Sense of Humor.

The sense of humor "suffereth long and is kind; is not puffed up; is not easily provoked." Within its easy reach is the "soft answer that turneth away wrath." It is the first cousin of love. This earth would ride on springless axles without it.

#### Simply Impossible.

A Chicago woman who had received a legal summons to appear in a certain court at a certain period of time much put out thereby. In explaining the matter to a friend, she said: "I shall not appear—could not, in fact. Not only am I not socially acquainted with Judge Jones, but the whole of his communication is so impossible that I absolutely refuse to know him."

#### Not Hurt by Use.

During his vacation a San Francisco lawyer met an old friend in a village, and their conversation drifted to a discussion of the natives. A young farmer came under his eye and said the lawyer, "Yes," assured his friend dubiously. "Well, anyway, he has a mighty good head. 'It ought to be good,' was the reply. 'That man's head is brand new—he's never used it any.'"

#### Unhappy Success.

A prudent man has his moments of depression when it seems as if wife's running account at the goods store must be trying for sprinting record and, what is worse, succeeding.—Columbus (O.) Journal

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