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ALL STRAW VOTE PROVES CORRECT

Wilson's victory at the November 7th is a striking verification of the prediction made by the straw vote long before election time. Six weeks ago, the 8,000 members of the Revall Drugists' Association, of which Jno. W. Pace & Co. member began to take a straw vote of their customers. The members of the Association being scattered over the United States were to reach 251,394 voters drawn all walks of life. It was the first straw vote ever taken, and made possible only by the national character of the organization.

Druggists throughout the country telegraphed the results of the vote cast by their customers to the national headquarters of the organization in Boston. The votes were tabulated, and results from the balloting from all states were announced by bulletins mailed from Boston which were posted in the 8,000 stores, and published simultaneously in the leading newspapers of the country.

The first straw vote bulletin sent October 26th, showed Wilson in the lead. The second bulletin, issued October 27th, showed Hughes in the lead by one electoral vote. From that day, each and every bulletin steadily gains for Wilson, both in popular and the electoral vote.

The final straw vote, dated November 1st, gave Wilson 554,500 popular votes against 398,896 for Hughes. On that date Wilson received 239 electoral votes against 121 for Hughes.

The nationwide straw vote derived value from its strictly non-partisan character. The Revall drug company, without regard to personal preference, furnished to the national headquarters of their association, United Drug Company, accurate results for each day's balloting in all states. At the headquarters the ballots were tabulated and sent to the local membership.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL ITEMS OF REAL INTEREST

The Haskell High School football team played football at Throckmorton last Saturday. The game resulted in a tie—score six to six. Friday of this week the Haskell team will play the Stamford High school at Stamford.

Cold Weather and Complaint at Cold Rooms

Many parents call teachers and complain to them or find fault with them for not keeping their school rooms warm in the North Ward building. Useless to say, this results from ignorance of conditions as they really exist at the North Ward building. Parents whose children are delicate in health are advised to have their children transferred to the east or south side. The building on the South Ward is reasonably comfortable; the one in the East Ward is entirely satisfactory. The North Ward building is suitable only for children who are vigorous physically and who need no protection from the wind, the cold, the heat or the rain. When it is hot, cold, rainy or windy, parents of delicate children should keep them at home unless they have them transferred to the other wards. When it is not hot, cold, rainy or windy, the North Ward building is reasonably satisfactory for delicate children. Complaining of the teachers does not improve the condition of the building. Teachers suffer the same pain, resulting from climatic conditions, that pupils suffer. Unless children are very strong and vigorous they should be kept at home during unusual weather or transferred to the other wards.

School Furniture has Arrived

The arm chairs which were ordered for the first of school for the class room in the High School have arrived. This will remove the inconvenience of sitting on chairs without desks.

Laboratory for Chemistry to be Installed

Apparatus and material for a laboratory for Chemistry and General Science have been ordered and will be installed within the next few weeks. This much needed equipment will enable the High School to secure affiliation with two or three more subjects in science.

Effort to Secure a Library

The pupils of the High School are making every effort to secure a small collection of books for use in the work. Many of the pupils have made donations of books to the small collection which has been started. A library room has been set aside and cases have been made for the books. Persons in town who have books that would be of service to the pupils are requested to donate them to the school library. Nothing will be of greater value to the pupils than a library in the High School. Persons who are willing to make donations are requested to send the books to the High school building. The books will be numbered and placed on the shelves with the name of the person presenting them written on the inside of the cover. Text books, books of history or of literature, books of travel or biography, in fact there are few books that would not be of some value to the pupils. Persons who have books they are willing to donate are requested to send them in at once.

Haskell Will not have a Week Holiday for Institute this Year

Pupils and patrons will be interested to learn that the Haskell Schools will not have the usual week vacation for the County Institute work this year. The Haskell teachers will do their institute work on Saturdays and give the patrons the full time teaching—one hundred eighty days, or nine months. This is done by few teachers in Texas.

One of the Faculty.

- Matador—C. H. Ledger.
- McCaughey—J. L. Rucker.
- Margaret—G. H. Gattis.
- Roaring Springs—I. A. Smith.
- Rochester—O. O. Huff.
- Roby—S. H. Young.
- Rotan—S. L. Culwell.
- Rule—J. O. Haymes.
- Spur—E. E. White.
- Tuxedo—J. D. Crockett.
- Vera—C. D. Pipkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Curran Hunt are in Wichita Falls this week.

AUTOMOBILE PARADE AND MERCHANTS' DOLLAR DAY

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE BY MERCHANTS, BUSINESS MEN AND CLUB LADIES FOR BIGGEST DAY HASKELL HAS EVER KNOWN. YOU ARE INVITED.

The Magazine and Symphony club ladies, backed by the merchants and business men of Haskell now have plans perfected for one of the biggest days in the history of the city, including an "Automobile Parade," "Free Flower Show" and "Merchant's Dollar Day."

Practically every merchant in the city will have some special article for sale at a big reduction, in many cases at less than half price. The merchants and citizens of Haskell extend a most cordial invitation to the people of Haskell county and to everyone of the surrounding towns and counties to be present on this day, as there will be more free attractions and more bargains offered than ever before.

There will be nothing but women to make this a red letter day for Haskell. As a tip to those who are contemplating matrimony, the news has been circulated that Judge Hughes and Judge Smith will marry any couple free of charge on this day and County Clerk English will donate the license.

A rest room for ladies and children will be found in the County Court room. In fact, everything will be done for your pleasure and comfort. The following merchants and business men invite you to come and be with us. Let's be merry together.

F. G. Alexander & Sons, Hunt's, Griebson's Hardware & Co., McNeill & Smith Hardware Co., Robertson Bros. Co., W. W. Fields & Son, Deek's Theatre, White's Confectionery, Corner Drug Store, Newport Cafe, Wood's Jewelry Store, Haskell Free Press, White Front Barber Shop, Rabe's Tailor Shop, Postmaster Dean, Haskell Ice & Light Co., H. M. Ellis, E. L. Northcutt, Jim Bailey, Thomas Cafe, C. D. Jeung, Stanton's Station, T. C. Cahill, Hazleton-Pryor Lumber Co., Dr. Cummins, Sanders & Wilson, W. H. Marchison, Jas. P. Kinhard, Robertson & Daugherty, Merchant's Cafe, Western Cotton Oil & Gin Co., Wells Furniture Store, Jesse B. Smith, R. H. English, B. M. Whitaker, J. F. Kennedy, Chambers Coal & Feed Co., Dr. W. A. Kimbrough, Dr. J. D. Smith, M. A. Chilton Feed Store, Dr. L. E. Taylor, H. G. McConnell, Tom Davis, J. J. Guest, Sutherland Barber Shop, Posey & Hunt, Jno. W. Pace & Co., Mack Grocery Store, Scott W. Key, W. H. Starr, Haskell Telephone Co., Haskell Laundry Co., V. at Side Drug Store, M. Pierson, Rutherford Grocery Store, F. M. Morton, Chas. E. Rutledge, W. A. Whitley, Gamble & Sherrill, Chas. Sammons, Farmers State Bank, Haskell National Bank.

CASES FILED IN DISTRICT COURT FOR NOVEMBER

- August Wehnert, et al. vs. A. H. Beach—suit to try title and damages.
- Mrs. M. S. Pierson vs. M. Pierson, et al. suit for debt and foreclosure of deed of trust.
- Paul Hopkins vs. Kate Hopkins, suit for divorce.
- Ed S. Hughes Co. vs. M. Pierson, et al. suit for debt and foreclosure of deed of trust.
- Jones and Haskell County Mutual Hall Association vs. R. M. Smith, et al. suit for injunction.
- Mesdames T. C. Cahill, J. U. Fields and Fred Sanders are at Sherman this week attending a meeting of the Federated Clubs.

SOME PRICE BEING PAID HERE FOR COTTON

A. C. Barton of the Rose community sold a bale of cotton on the local market last Friday, the bale and the seed bringing him the neat sum of \$152.00.

As we go to press, Jas. P. Owens, another one of our substantial farmers informs us that he had just sold a bale of cotton and the seed for \$155.80. This is probably the highest price ever paid on the local market for one bale of cotton and the seed.

Mrs. J. G. Walden attended Conference at Stamford this week. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ruth.

SLEET AND SNOW FIRST OF THE WEEK

Furries of sleet and snow was in evidence here the first of the week, marking the coldest weather in November this city has experienced in many years.

After dropping below the freezing point early Sunday, the mercury continued to fall steadily until it reached the 18 degree mark, around which it hovered rather persistently Monday and Tuesday mornings, being which fell rapidly and Monday was Haskell people a more of cold winter weather. Prospects at first were good for a real snow, but the falling of the temperature has put this out of the question for a while at least.

J. J. GUEST FINDS OLD PAPERS OF INTEREST

While our citizen, J. J. Guest was going through some old papers which had been in his family for a number of years, a record was found where Thomas Williams, grandfather of Mrs. J. J. Guest, enlisted in the United States army during the war of 1812. He enlisted on February 6th 1812, and was discharged on April 20, 1813. On the same sheet of paper a record was made of the enlistment of Mrs. Guest's father and uncle, Alexander Williams and James C. Williams, giving the date of their enlistments as November 26, 1830, and were discharged April 15, 1837, which is supposed to be during the war of Texas Independence.

In the package that contained the above records were a number of other documents and legal papers bearing dates of the early part of the eighteenth century. All the papers were badly worn and yellow with age. In the package were about \$450.00 of Confederate money.

Magazine Club

The Magazine Club met November 10th in a very interesting meeting. Owing to the sickness in the president's home she could not be with us and the first vice president, Mrs. Oates, presided in her own charming manner. Mesdames Walter S. Scott of San Antonio, and S. R. Rike of Haskell being charter members of club were unanimously elected to life membership. Mrs. Scott recently presented the club the splendid book, "When a Man's a Man" by Harold Bell Wright, also the handsome sum of \$5.00, which was very much appreciated by the club.

The lesson was conducted by Mrs. T. C. Williams and proved to be one of the most difficult lessons we have had, but with her proficiency many good points were brought out. Mesdames John Couch, W. B. Murphy and Miss McConnell were on the program and acquitted themselves with much credit.

Reporter

Entertain at the Hunt House

Mr. and Mrs. Curran Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Key entertained in an elaborate eight o'clock dinner at the Hunt House, November 9th, in honor of C. H. Bencini, of Ft. Worth, who is here, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cogdell.

After the dinner, the party adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell, where a pleasant time was spent in music and dancing.

Besides the hosts and hostesses, the following enjoyed the hospitality: Mr. and Mrs. Buford Long; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cogdell, Mrs. Hufflines, and the honoree, C. H. Bencini.

BIG DAY IN HASKELL NOVEMBER 25TH

The ladies of Haskell are working hard for the big Automobile Parade and Merchant's Trade Display.

The automobile agents are especially urged to be in the parade Saturday November 25th.

We have some good, hustling, live agents in our town, with some fine cars to sell, and we feel like Saturday, Nov. 25th is going to be a banner day for them to demonstrate their cars. Be sure and enter the parade. This will be a fine opportunity to advertise the good qualities of your cars and to get more orders than you can fill, so get in line Nov. 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wells, the Haskell Florists will also have on display and for sale a large assortment of pot plants, bulbs, and cut flowers.

SINGING CONVENTION MEET AT SACERTON

The Haskell County Singing Convention met with the Sagerton class at the Baptist Church in that city last Sunday. The weather being very disagreeable the attendance was not as large as expected, but a good number of singers gathered from different parts of the county, and the singing was enjoyed.

The visitors were given dinner at the homes of the good people of the city, and everybody was made to feel welcome.

Prof. H. H. Mansfield, and son Ed were there from Anson, and Dr. J. A. Pruitt, of Alexandria, La., was also present and took part in the singing.

The meeting was given to Sunday school and preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Dowell of Abilene. After dinner, the singing evening was spent in singing.

The following leaders were present and took part in the program: E. L. Green, President; J. P. McIntyre, Prof. Singleton, J. J. Stephens, Prof. Moore, Prof. Nunn, E. W. Rike, G. W. Wilson, W. E. Johnson, W. C. Chatswell, Mr. Thomas, H. H. Mansfield, J. A. Pruitt, Clyde Mansfield, H. R. Campbell, Willis McIntyre, E. L. Chatswell, Arthur Nunn.

After the choir singing, some special songs were rendered by the following:—

Prof. Nunn, H. H. Mansfield, J. J. Stephens, J. P. McIntyre, W. C. Chatswell.

The special features of the evening were the boy leaders, Messrs Arthur Nunn and Clyde Mansfield, and a song by Prof. Singleton, entitled "Mother Cares for You". The convention closed at 4:30 to meet with the Plainview class in May next year.

Record Breeding Turkey Sale

R. T. Adams of the Whitman community sold to one of the local dealers of this city last Wednesday 58 turkeys weighing 764 pounds at 20c per pound, which brought him the neat sum of \$140.80 for the lot.

Mr. Adams is one of our best farmers and has made a success with other crops this year.

COUNTY OFFICERS NOW AT HOME

Haskell County's official family for the next two years are already at home. The Commissioner's Court canvassed the returns the first of the week and they have all taken the oath of office.

Four new faces will appear around the court house from the result of the election. Tom Davis succeeds Gaylord Kline as County Attorney, Jesse B. Smith succeeds Emory Menefee as County Treasurer, and Jno. B. Hutto takes the place of T. C. Williams as County Superintendent of Public Instruction. S. A. Hughes will be Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, H. H. Langford Tax Collector, R. J. Paxton Tax Assessor, R. R. English, County Clerk, A. J. Smith County Judge, E. W. Loe District Clerk, and W. C. Allen sheriff will hold office for two years more.

Here's Some News

If its "news" you want, we have it. Large and small, quantities, bulk and package. We handle all the leading magazines and periodicals. All the novelty news numbers.

If by chance you want yearly subscriptions to certain publications, we will gladly give you the advantage of our club subscription rates. You will find none lower.

Tell us your wants. If we are not handling something you want, we'll get it.

LADIES:— We will deliver publications to your homes, if you will call us.

Theatre News Co. at Dick's Theatre.

Mrs. M. E. Rutledge, of Weatherford is here visiting her son, Chas. E., this week.

J. W. Collins is here from Austin, looking after business matters, and left for Weinert Tuesday.

Election Returns from Voting Precincts

Below we give the tabulated election returns from each precinct, giving the number of votes cast by each party and the vote on the School Amendment.

The total vote was considerably smaller than in the Democratic Primary last July. Only 1212 Democrats voted in the general election, 92 Republicans and 369 Socialists.

Two boxes, O'Brien and Joe Bailey, were carried by the Socialists. Sagerton has the distinction of voting the largest number of Republicans of any box in the county, only falling 3 votes short of the four boxes in Haskell. Brushy comes nearer being a solid Democratic box than any other in the county, considering the total votes cast.

Name and Box Number	ELECTION RETURNS				
	Democratic	Republican	Socialist	For Amendment	Against Amendment
Haskell, No. 1	169	3	14	54	96
Haskell, No. 2	108	7	5	41	59
Haskell, No. 3	59	4	12	15	45
Haskell, No. 4	73	3	11	33	37
Rule, No. 5	214	7	37	114	95
Rochester, No. 6	121	9	72	60	74
O'Brien, No. 7	49	7	68	39	42
Jud. No. 8	32	6	30	34	22
Chff. No. 9	27	1	6	8	10
Weinert, No. 10	99	3	34	43	60
Brushy, No. 11	37	0	3	11	22
Cottonwood, No. 12	38	2	5	9	13
Jim Hogg, No. 13	8	8	1	5	9
Howard, No. 14	15	3	4	9	5
Cobb, No. 15	12	0	10	11	6
McConnell, No. 16	17	2	9	8	11
Sagerton, No. 17	50	17	7	33	16
Joe Bailey, No. 18	17	2	20	12	8
Willow Point, No. 19	24	0	14	13	8
Bunker Hill, No. 20	9	4	1	2	8
Post, No. 21	25	4	5	9	12
Total	1212	92	369	593	608

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For Laziness, Biliousness, 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.

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Automobile Registrations

- 505 J. M. White, Haskell, Dodge.
- 506 W. B. Welch, Haskell, Excell-Motorcycle.
- 507 J. J. Oates, Rule, Ford.
- 508 C. M. Kalgler, Rule, Mitchell.
- 509 C. D. Routon, Goree, Ford.
- 600 Sherril Bros & Co., Haskell, Demonstrator.
- 601 J. B. Persue, Rule, Overland.
- 602 Jno. Howard, Haskell, Ford.
- 603 R. N. Sheld, Sagerton, Overland.
- 604 C. M. Thompson, Rochester, Ford.
- 605 G. H. Taylor, Haskell, Buick.
- 606 J. A. Watson, O'Brien, Ford.
- 607 Dr. J. M. Baker, Haskell, Ford.
- 608 J. S. Abernathy, O'Brien, Overland.
- 609 J. W. Coleman, Stamford, Saxon.
- 610 T. A. Coleman, Stamford, Saxon.
- 611 L. W. Yarbrough, Haskell, Overland.
- 612 C. H. Hollman, Weinert, Ford.
- 613 E. D. Lambert, O'Brien, Overland.
- 614 Martin Arend, Haskell, Chevrolet.

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 45-4c

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. W. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

PINK BOLL WORM IN NORTHERN MEXICO

The pink boll worm, the most destructive of all cotton pests, which has caused millions of dollars loss to the cotton growers of Egypt, India and other cotton producing countries has, for the first time been discovered on the North American continent. The presence and probable establishment of the pest in the important cotton-growing Laguna district of the state of Coahuila, Mexico, within 200 miles of the Texas-Mexico border, has been determined by specialists in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Amendments to quarantine regulations have been promulgated by the Secretary of Agriculture seeking to prevent the worm from entering the United States and every possible precaution will be taken by the Department to make the prohibitions effective and to safeguard the interests of the cotton producers of the United States in other ways.

New Books for Library

- The following new books are in the library:—
"The Heart of the Blue Ridge"—Waldron Bailey.
"When a Man's a Man"—Harold Bell Wright.
"The Call of the Cumberlands"—Charles N. Buck.
"It Happened in Egypt"—C. M. and A. M. Williamson.
"The Valley of the Moon"—Jack London.
"The Street of the Seven Stars"—Mary Roberts Rhinehart.
"The Heart of Thunder"—James Oliver Curwood.
"The Iron Trail"—Rex Beach.

Champion Cotton Pickers

R. A. Bradley, a prominent farmer of the Pinkerton community was in the city the first of the week on business, and while here renewed his subscription to the Free Press. Mr. Bradley believes that his four children are the champion cotton pickers of this section, having picked twenty bales of cotton during the past five weeks with the exception of about \$125.00 he has paid out for picking. The children's ages range from 7 to 12 years. The 7 year old girl recently picked 226 pounds in one day. Mr. Bradley has out 29 bales, and thinks that he will probably get 12 more.

W. T. C. U.

The W. T. C. U. met last Thursday with Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. Sanders as hostesses, in the home of Mrs. Montgomery. It was decided to give a prize for the best essay on the effects of alcohol and cigarettes on the human system.

The following splendid paper was read by Mrs. Long, being an editorial from the Houston Post printed just after a man, crazed by drink, had stabbed a woman to death in Houston:

"Who is John Barleycorn? He is the unrelenting foe of man; who has never been conquered by individuals. He is the slayer of men; the destroyer of homes, morals and virtue; the wrecker of lives; the advance agent of penal institutions; the friend of the gallows and electric chair."
"John Barleycorn robs men of their conscience; takes food from hungry orphans; disturbs peace and dignity of the state. In Houston his salary is \$2,000,000 a year; he costs four times as much as the schools. John Barleycorn is the pal and helmate of vice; his hands are red with innocent blood; he invades hotel and mansion. John Barleycorn, king of evil—an exchange says that 'Alcohol will remove stains from clothes' and the spring and autumn and winter clothes, not only from one that drinks it, but from the wife and family as well. It will also remove the household furniture, the eatables from the pantry, and the happiness out of the home."

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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. 2647, 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, it being the 5th day of said month, 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

For Sale:—Good jersey milk cows. From four to eight years old—will give from three to four gallons of milk per day. Have a few cows I will let reliable parties have for their feed. Can be seen near Sagerton. J. E. Garren, Sagerton, Texas. 47-3ip

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"GETS-IT" is sold and recommended by druggists everywhere. No bottle, or sent on receipt of price, by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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Ladies, Take Notice

I am permanently located at McNeill & Smith Bldg. Co., Haskell, Texas, fully prepared to repair all makes of Sewing Machines and guarantee same. I furnish attachments and needles for all makes of machines. I repair machines for widows free.

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The House



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MILLINERY SPECIAL

Beginning Saturday November 18th, we are going to offer some very attractive prices on Ladies, Misses and Children's hats. It is our custom to carry Seasonable merchandise from one season to another. And to close out every Hat in this department in the the next ten days we are offering the following prices:



- \$15.00 Hats, now.....\$7.50
- \$12.50 Hats, now.....\$6.25
- \$10.00 Hats, now.....\$5.00
- \$ 7.50 Hats, now.....\$3.75
- 4.00 Hats, now.....\$2.00
- \$ 2.50 Hats, now.....\$1.25
- \$ 1.50 Hats, now.....\$.75

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FLAT TOP

Well, we certainly have a brisk winter blowing, and it is sleeting me today.

This cold spell will mean farewell to lots of hogs. Some good eating of spare ribs and sausage.

Mr. Elliott and family have been attending the Methodist Conference at Stamford.

Mr. Burrow has purchased a Ford car.

Several from this community attended the singing convention at Saginaw Sunday and report a fine time.

Mr. Robins is visiting his son at Mr. who has Typhoid fever.

Mrs. Brewer of Bunker Hill was visiting her sister last Thursday.

Tulip

For Sale—Cheap, my entire farm implements and household furnishings. Must sell at once. Good reason for selling. Can be seen at my place on route 2, Haskell, Texas. One Pinkerton line. Houston market.

FOR SALE—At Bargain Prices, A load of well bred mules. Can be seen at the English stable in Haskell. Will give terms if desired.

Site T. W. Johnson.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Free returned from Austin last week. They have been visiting their son who is in school there.

J. R. Mitchell and family are in Waco seeing the Cotton Palace.

Another wedding Sunday. The marriage epidemic seems to have attacked our community. Clarence Mangrum and Miss Zada Adams were married Sunday afternoon.

Several of our young people attended the entertainment near Cottonwood Friday night.

The Misses Tabor are visiting friends here this week.

Misses Gardner, from Cottonwood visited Misses Baynes Sunday.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday afternoon although the weather was very disagreeable.

Singing Sunday night at Mr. Derr's. Rev. Frost, of Abilene spent Sunday night with H. B. Weaver.

Pat

Wanted

Reliable man with team or Ford car to sell Raleigh products in Texas or other states. Address, or call on T. L. Williams,

Haskell, Texas Itp

MRS. W. L. MATTHEWS DIED LAST WEDNESDAY

The Death Angel visited the home of J. C. Montgomery last Wednesday, November 8th, and gathered the dear soul of Mrs. Willie L. Matthews Home, leaving a vacant place in the hearts of her children and friends.

Mrs. Matthews was born in Tennessee November 22, 1851, and was married to R. C. Matthews in 1871; seven children came to bless their union, two of whom already waited her coming in the Great Beyond.

Two sons, U. W. Matthews of Ft. Worth, and A. J. Matthews of this place, and three girls, Mrs. Robert Osborne of Brandon, Mrs. Charlie Neil of Floydada, and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery at whose home she had lived since the death of her husband a year ago, are left to mourn her death.

All her children were at her bedside, and all that loving hands and medical skill could do was done, but the summons had come, and the weary soul went home.

Early in life, she joined the Missionary Baptist Church, and lived a life such as only a devoted follower of the Savior can live, although the last few years of her life she lay an invalid, her sunny smile, and sweet disposition seemed in itself an inspiration to all who knew her.

Her remains were interred in the Willow Cemetery, Friday, November 10th.

To her loved ones and friends, we extend our heartfelt sympathy in this, their sad bereavement.

A Friend

DENNIS CHAPEL

Quite a number from here attended the W. C. supper at Weinert Friday night.

Little J. C. Durham has been very ill the past week, caused from drinking kerosene oil out of a can. We are glad to report he is much better at this writing.

The box supper at Smith's Chapel Saturday night proved to be a success. The proceeds will go toward furnishing the new church.

Misses Johnie, Wille and Joe Stovall of Stamford are visiting their sister, Mrs. Charlie Durham.

Hugh L. Smith and wife spent Friday night in Haskell.

The Three Bears

SINGING CONVENTION TO MEET WITH ROBERTS CLASS

The Haskell County Singing Convention will meet with the Roberts Class the fourth Sunday in November. Prof. H. F. Haley informs us that a great time is expected. Everybody is invited to come and bring a well filled basket.

O'BRIEN

Everybody is enjoying the norther. A large crowd attended the musical entertainment given at the school auditorium last Friday night, which was enjoyed by all.

Picking cotton is the order of the day.

The singing at Mr. Stubblefield's Sunday night was enjoyed by all present.

M. H. Wood and family arrived in O'Brien Saturday night from Lineville, Alabama. They intend to make Haskell county their home and we are glad to have them with us again.

Texas Kid

ROSE

Bro. Miller, of Abilene filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Earl Bishop and family visited B. P. Davis and family of Post last Sunday.

Blake Johnson, who is attending school at Abilene spent Sunday with home folks.

Claude Gordon and wife spent a short while at S. M. Hayes last Sunday evening.

Boss McGregor, of Ballew, attended church here last Sunday night.

Jim Rose, Josh Cloer, Earl Bishop, and Wesley Davis left Friday morning from New Mexico.

Mr. Norton and wife, and daughter little Lois, of Haskell attended church at this place Sunday night.

George West and family, of Whitman spent last Sunday at Frank Hutchen's.

Jesse Barton and Miss Della Lusk were married last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Gordon, and daughters, Edith, Effie and Ellen, spent Sunday with Mrs. Marshall Davis.

C. G. Burson, of Weaver, called at Bob Foote's Friday evening.

Inez

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Sure, we've said new hats several times already. But the House of Alexander's has gained a wonderful prestige in the hat business. Seems like we can't keep quite up with the demand—doing our level best though. Getting new shipments every week. This last shipment seems to have capped the climax, they're good lookers. They're named **Lion Brand**. They're priced \$3.00 (Same old price) Also a new lot of ties you should see. A big assortment. And in the newest wrinkle—they're ties that wont wrinkle. Priced 50c to \$1.00.

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COTTONWOOD

Most everyone in this community through picking cotton.

The Cottonwood church called Bro. Jones as pastor for another year. W. A. Tanner and A. M. Mayfield

made a business trip to Goree Thursday of last week.

There was a large crowd at the entertainment at Mr. and Mrs. Gardner's Friday night.

There wasn't any prayer meeting Sunday night on account of the bad

weather.

Ab Wallace left Sunday afternoon to visit friends in Sweetwater, Texas.

Misses May and Dovie Furrh and Arnye Rhea Mathison visited Elsie Mayfield Sunday.

Hurrah for the Free Press, the

best paper going.

Snooks

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cogdell, Mr. and Mrs. Curran Hunt, Mrs. Scott Key, and C. H. Bencini motored to Rotan Friday, returning Friday night.

WHITMAN

Mrs. Gus Ford and Mrs. J. H. Lawson are visiting the Cotton Palace at Waco this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams were visitors at C. W. Bledsoe's Sunday.

Grandma Griffin, of Temple, arrived Saturday morning, and will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Goodwin.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Leflar the 31st, ult, a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rutten the 8th inst, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waggoner were visitors at G. E. Cearley's Sunday.

Sam Treat and family took dinner at J. H. Goodwin's Sunday.

Busy Bee

Lost:—A money bag in Haskell, containing two five dollar bills, one ten dollar bill, and a check for \$6.45 and receipts. Finder please notify R. W. Tyson, Haskell, Texas Itc

BRUSHEY

Seems as if winter is here this morning. It is sleeting, and 12 degrees below freezing point.

Hugh Poer visited in Waco the past week.

Bessie Smith spent Saturday night with Winnie Womack.

James Bowman took dinner with Lon Smith Sunday.

Amilla Bowman, and Winnie Womack took dinner with Vera and Lula Poer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chamberlain spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Loss Chamberlain.

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Haskell, Texas, November 18, 1916

A few of our exchanges still use the "bunk" sent out in "hotter plate" form over the signature of Henry N. Pope, president of the Farmers' Union of Texas. Pope represents the Texas farmer about as much as a boll weevil in a south Texas cotton field. The matter that is being published over Pope's signature by some of the newspapers as "news" is nothing in the world but political or corporation advertising, and should be paid for at regular rates, or barred from the columns of newspapers altogether.

An exchange says that the slogan of the Hughes campaign seems to have been "Knock and it shall be opened unto you." Another instance where the knocker received a "cold shoulder" from the American people.

Sam Roberts is making a great success of the Haskell Free Press. The paper came out last week with twenty four pages, and filled to overflowing with live advertising and news matter. It is a fine paper, and except for the price of white paper would make the publisher some money.—Haskell County Herald.

The above compliments from the pen of Senator W. A. Johnson, editor of the Herald, one of the best newspapers in Northwest Texas, is very flattering indeed. But when we are able to see Haskell as good a newspaper as the Herald, without acting as State senator, a side line we will consider our work well done.

We appreciate the way in which our readers responded to the statements of subscription sent out last week. The results have been very gratifying, and we take this opportunity of thanking each and every one for their attention to this matter. And to those who have neglected to see us, please do so at your earliest convenience as it is only a business proposition with us—we must get our books straight. If the statement is not correct, please advise us and we will gladly correct same.

GOODTOWN—GOOD PAPER

The Free Press has twenty-four pages this week. We believe after looking over the old files that this is the largest paper ever printed in Haskell county. The whole force, type and all, has worked night and day, and if your news item was overlooked please excuse us this time.—Haskell Free Press.

The Free Press is a good paper printed in a good town. The special edition referred to was a good one from cover to cover, and it showed that Editor Roberts is alive to the times. His patronage is growing

CENTER POINT

We have had some pretty cold weather, and people in this community are preparing to feast on sausage and pork. Several are killing hogs today.

Mrs. M. Fullbright, who has been visiting relatives near Sagerton is here visiting her son J. T. Fullbright. Alvin Jeter and family, of New Mexico are here visiting relatives and friends.

Jim Binnicker and family of Stamford spent Thursday and Friday with Bob Cauthen and family.

Grandma Rhodes left Friday for Stamford where she will visit relatives.

The W. O. W. lodge at this place entertained their members and several visitors with a supper Thursday night. All report a jolly good time and plenty to eat.

Troy Dotson and Ed Fouts of Haskell attended the supper given by the W. O. W. Thursday night.

Rev. Phillips will preach here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Come and hear him if you want to hear some good preaching.

Violet

SAYLES

We have been having some real cold weather this week.

Several have killed hogs. Quite a few attended the Singing Convention at Sagerton Sunday and report a nice time.

Maek Adams is on the sick list this week.

W. E. Johnson and family visited Walter Perry's of Sagerton Sunday afternoon.

Will Hardeeman and Charley Fouts took a load of wheat to O'Brien last week and had it made into flour.

A. L. Bland and mother spent Sunday with Mrs. A. M. Bird west of Stamford.

Mrs. Pitman, from Gauntt is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Will Riley.

The Wonder

MARRIAGE LICENSES

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John Hunt and Miss Elma Ferguson.

R. A. Pounds and Miss Nanny Snodgrass.

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W. W. Patterson and Miss Mary Hammonds.

W. G. Barron and Miss Ruth Edwards.

J. E. Pencock and Miss Della Alexander.

I. D. McGregor and Miss Hattie Anderson.

Uriel Jarred and Miss Mollie Decker.

which suggests that Haskell is also growing and thanks to the ability of Editor Roberts they are getting a splendid paper ever week. A town is judged by its newspapers.—Abilene Reporter.

Thanks awfully. We are only human and appreciate a bouquet from anyone at any time, and especially from as good a paper as the Abilene Reporter. The issue referred to, however was not intended as a special edition, and no attempt was made in that direction. It was only the outcome of the Haskell merchants' increased patronage, for which we are truly thankful.

FROM THE FIELD

BY W. M. FREE

We took passage with J. M. Maxwell in his jitney Thursday of last week to the northern part of the county, and also to Goree, and the trip was very much enjoyed by the writer. Mrs. Maxwell was also a passenger, and helped keep J. M. within the speed limit, not to exceed thirty-five miles per hour on good roads.

While in Goree, we called on the Advocate, and found the Anderson brothers just what we expected—real live newspaper men, and highly appreciated by the citizens of Goree. They extended a warm welcome to us, which was appreciated, and we came home with a warm spot in our heart for the Advocate and its Editors.

We came back by the way of the

way of the new school plot for Brushy which is now under construction by Mr. Maxwell. The school buildings at Brushy and Ample are to be torn down and a new building erected on a four acre tract of land between the two places. The new building will consist of four rooms, modern in every way. On the campus will be erected a dwelling for the teacher, which is a new step in the right direction.

We did not make many stops on the road because Mr. Maxwell was on a business trip, and we were getting the lay of the land, and expect to make a close canvass of the country for news and subscribers.

We reached the city late in the afternoon, and we thank Mr. Maxwell for his many favors on the trip.

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. 46-3te

If you wish to buy a farm, ranch or business property, I always have some bargains on my list. Henry Johnson, Haskell, Texas. 46-2pt

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You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Haskell, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, John Lullian, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Haskell, at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said court on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1916, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2450, wherein Mrs. John Lullian is plaintiff and John Lullian is the defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demands being as follows, to-wit:

That heretofore, on the 9th day of May, 1913, the plaintiff and defendant were lawfully united in marriage, in the county of Knox, state of Texas, and they lived together as husband and wife until May 11th, 1913, at which time said defendant was arrested for some sort of crime and placed in the county jail at Haskell, Texas, where he was kept until about June 1, 1913, and was then released; and on the date last above mentioned, the defendant without excuse or justification, abandoned the plaintiff as her husband, and he has left her for three years with the intention of abandonment.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays that citation in terms of the law be issued and served upon the defendant requiring him to appear at the next term of this Court and answer this petition, and that upon final hearing judgment be rendered annulling the bonds of matrimony between plaintiff and defendant, and decreeing to the plaintiff an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony against the defendant, besides all costs of suit. Plaintiff also prays for other relief, general and special, legal and equitable, as the law and facts authorize. Herein fall not, and have you be-

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fore said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, the 18th day of October, A. D. 1916.

E. W. Lee

Clerk, District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

Jno. Owens went to Munday Thursday morning.

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GAUNTT

Everybody seems to be enjoying the weather.

School started Monday, but on account of the bad weather there was only nine pupils present, although there will be about forty-four enrolled.

The Superintendent being absent Sunday, Sunday school was postponed.

Mr. Hendricks and wife of Tolson are visiting at J. T. Christians. Little Verna, daughter of W. E. an happened to a painful accident last Monday while on her way

from school. She was thrown by her horse, and it was thought she was dragged some distance. She was found in the road unconscious by a passing man. Her clothes were torn nearly off her, and she was cut and bruised in several places.

Lilac

Miss Ruth Walden visited in Stamford this week, and while there attended the piano recital given by Prof. Ball. Fifty of his pupils attended in a body. Two of his numbers were his own composition, and all were well rendered.

JUD

We are having some real cold weather at present, which will stop the gathering of cotton for a while.

Mr. Newton has moved to his new home.

Mr. Greer has bought land west of Jud.

J. M. Ivey made a business trip to Haskell the first of the week.

Tom Lesley has ordered a new Ford car.

J. W. Allen motored to Rochester the first of the week.

Bro. Webb will preach at Jud Saturday night and Sunday. Everybody is invited to come.

Smiling Beauty.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Riley of Sayles, a fine boy Tuesday, November 7th.

Mrs. J. A. Ford, Mrs. J. H. Lawson and Miss Nellie Crouch attended the Cotton Palace Saturday, returning Tuesday.

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 53.

Baptist Church Announcements

The Baptist congregation at Rose will have a special rally on next Sunday. There will be dinner on the ground. The B. Y. P. U. of the Haskell Baptist church will render the following program:

Subject—"Will God give me a personal Message through the Bible?"

Leader—Jno. R. Hutto.

Scripture Lesson—2nd Tim. 3:10-17 read by Miss Clara Cliff.

Introduction by leader.

Selection by Orchestra.

The Bible—God's message to all men.—Miss Myrl DeBard.

The Bible—the story of Redemption.—Miss Mary Clifton.

The Bible teaches the way of Life and Salvation—Edgar Ford.

Vocal Solo—Miss Hassie Davis.

Bible study as it relates to Consecration—Willie Posey.

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Selection by the Orchestra.

Benediction.

The following announcements are for the services at the Court House:

9:45 Sunday School, Business Men's Class, Etc. Don't forget the contest. Come, bring somebody, and wear your contest pin.

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3:00 Sunbeam Band.

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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.

SOAP MADE FOR HARD WATER

Yes, Mam!

—a big, white bar, created expressly to conquer the hard water of the Southwest—the kind of water you must use every day if you live in this section.

Three years ago, we saw that a soap made for ordinary water wouldn't do in the Southwest, so we made a soap to fit the water. It is the one white laundry soap that will lather, cleanse and rinse perfectly in hard water, without injury to hands or clothes.

A big, liberal bar—pure white—hard and firm, lasting one-third longer. It contains no free caustic and no matter how much your hands may be in the suds they won't get rough and red. It's a new and different soap you ought to try at once.

COTTON BOLL

THE WHITEST WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP

The bar is never soft and mushy. It wears a long time, but it lathers in a jiffy. Gets the dirt and gets it all—and rinses in a twinkling. It's creating a sensation all over the Southwest. Get some—try it—you'll like it fine.

Premiums given for the wrappers. Catalog free: Write Products Mfg. Co., Oklahoma City, Okla.

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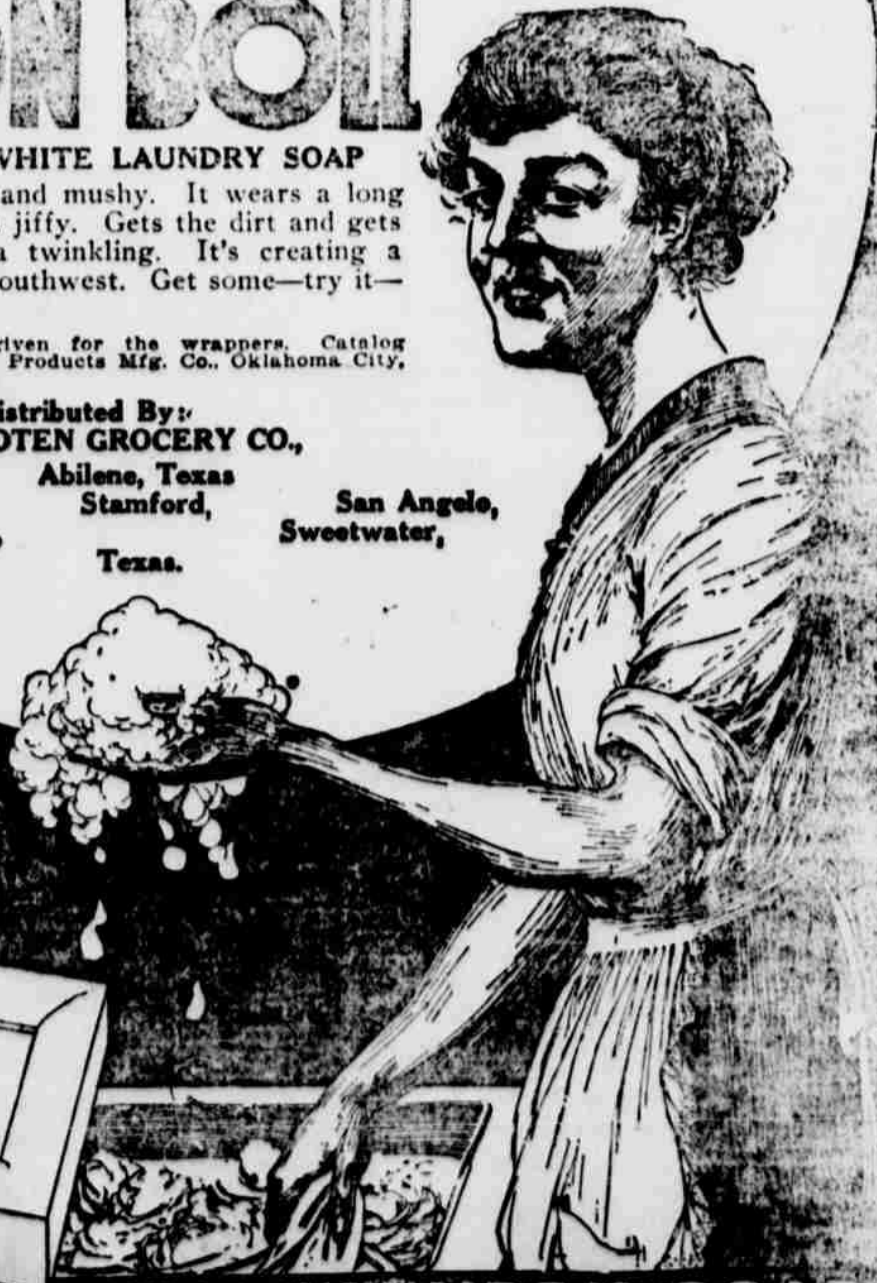
San Angelo,

Sweetwater,

Wichita Falls,

Big Springs,

Texas.



THE WHITEST WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP

T. B. Brazelton returned home Monday with his bride after a two weeks wedding trip to Asheville, North Carolina.

Mrs. R. L. McNulty, of Stamford, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kinnison Saturday, and Miss Bess Munn returned home with her to spend a few days.

R. L. Foote and family attended Conference at Stamford Saturday night, returning Monday morning.

Mrs. Alice T. Nolen attended Conference at Stamford, returning home Monday morning.

Mrs. O. E. Patterson attended the Conference at Stamford Saturday night, returning Monday morning.

Mrs. E. H. Nell is visiting A. J. Martindale and family at Rochester this week.

Ha! Ha! Ha! Flour is high, but we never have had a sack of La France returned to us yet. A. F. Rutherford Grocery.

J. A. Hammock, of Knox City, and son, L. D., of Williamson county were in the city on business Tuesday.

We have the exclusive sale of St. Charles and Johnson Laynes Coffee. Rutherford Grocery.

Jno. Calhoun, druggist with fifteen years experience, of Georgia, has accepted a position with Jno. W. Pace & Co.

N. L. McBee and Zack Hammock, of O'Brien were here Tuesday on business. They report cotton almost out, and a fair yield in their sections.

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

M. Lackey returned Wednesday morning from a trip to the Cotton Palace at Waco.

We want your butter and eggs. Highest prices paid. Rutherford's Grocery.

Richard Nolen and Homer Liles returned Wednesday morning from a several days business trip to Dallas and Ft. Worth.

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.

Miss Eunice Currier, who has been here attending school left Saturday for her home in Yoakum county.

I will take two of three pupils for the violin. Mrs. Wm. Groom. 45-3p

W. H. Grubbs of Red River County, brother of E. T. Grubbs of east of town, has moved his family here and will make this county his future home.

W. J. Lindsey, travelling salesman for the Texas Ironing Board Co., of this city came in for a visit with home folks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Murchison are visiting relatives at Bastrop this week.

Get our prices before buying elsewhere. Rutherford's Grocery.

O. E. White of Crowell was here Saturday looking after his farm interests in Haskell county.

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

J. E. Yeager of Anson was here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lawson and son Murle, of Throckmorton were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Penick of Rule was shopping in the city Saturday.

The 11 months-old baby of Mrs. Earnest Sanders of Waco was buried at the Ketrion Cemetery Sunday.

Mrs. K. Griffin of Temple, wife of Mrs. J. H. Goodwin west of town arrived in Haskell Saturday to spend the winter with her daughter.

Mrs. M. Lackey and children returned a visit with relatives at Stamford returned home Wednesday.

C. T. Jones and wife of Waco were shopping in the city Saturday.

Notice Full blood Brown Leghorn chickens at \$1.00 each. J. J. Campbell, miles west of Haskell.

HOLIDAYS ARE HAPPY DAYS

Kind words, deeds, visits and tokens of remembrance are recalled from Christmas to Christmas and from year to year.

Xmas the great ancient and modern gift giving occasion is very near. Gifts are greatly appreciated and are accepted as tokens of sincere love and true friendship. A real gift should be additional to actual necessities. You owe these, and real gifts are expected. You can't afford to be grouchy or short, deny or disappoint. Make others happy and you'll be happy. With each holiday comes a great increased demand for Jewelry. **Diamonds, Cut Glass, Silverware, Hand Painted China, Parisian Ivory, Watches, Clocks Etc.**

For this reason and for this purpose we are here with the largest up-to-date stock of the above lines in Haskell county. We thoroughly understand the Jewelry business. We have made it a specialty for quite a number of years, and absolutely guarantee every article we sell. What we say it is, it is. We back up our guarantee. We do not resort to exaggerations or deceptions. Guarantee quality and price. We pack, box and mail articles when desired. We will deliver packages to any Xmas tree in the city free. We will upon a small deposit put away any article in the store 'till Christmas. Jewelry bought here will be engraved free. **We will be open evenings until Christmas**

Don't wait until the rush is on, come early. Able man at the bench to do your repairing.

We have Optical Parlor in rear and make a specialty of fitting glasses for all errors of refraction, for all ages.

MARK KELLY Watchmaker **A. F. WOODS JEWELRY STORE** A. F. WOODS Doctor of Optics

COMING SOON

"The Birth of a Nation"

The Worlds Mightiest Spectacle,
D. W. Griffith, Producer.

Watch For Date Dick's Theatre

FARMERS INSTITUTE TO MEET HERE SATURDAY

There will be a meeting of the Haskell County Farmers' Institute at the Court House Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and President Martin Arend requests that the farmers and members of the Institute be present at this meeting.

At this meeting, Mr. Winn, of the State Department of Agriculture will discuss various agricultural topics, including marketing. Everybody is invited to hear these valuable lectures.

Turkeys

Turkey growers meet the 2nd and 9th of December. Club before the 9th. 900 already clubbed.

Clay Kimbrough, Pres.
G. L. Willis, Sec.

W. T. Ford and wife of Plainview were shopping in the city Friday.

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.

Barron-Edwards

Will Barron, of Gorman, and Miss Ruth Edwards of this city were married Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Justice of the Peace, S. A. Hughes at his residence in the north part of town.

The groom is a prominent young farmer of Gorman, Texas, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Edwards of this city. The young people left on the night train for Gorman where they will make their future home.

For Sale

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

Tax Notice

The tax rolls of the Haskell Independent School District are now complete and ready for collection. Remember, you can pay your school tax without paying any other tax.

Let all who are interested in the upbuilding of the schools come in and pay this tax as soon as possible.

Office in the Tax Assessor's office at the Court House.

R. H. Davis, Tax Collector.

Public Take Notice

Hauling promptly done by A. W. Parr. Phone 403 42-4f

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

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.

Let the Free Press do your printing

Photography

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

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Modern Home Planning

Don't waste your time and tax your temper trying to figure out your building problems. If you are thinking of building—whether it's a house, barn, garage or poultry house—come in and see us.

Building Plans—Material

We can show you building plans for all kinds of buildings for both farm and town purposes. And we can give you ideas and suggestions that may save you considerable money.

We can supply all kinds of building material at rock bottom prices and will gladly furnish estimates.

BRAZELTON, PRYOR & PATTON'S SUN PROOF PAINTS
Haskell, Texas

SATURDAY

NOVEMBER 25th 1916

HASKELL, TEXAS

AUTOMOBILE PARADE

Will begin at 1 p. m., consisting of Mitchell, Maxwell, Dodge, Hudson and many other demonstration cars by agents. Buggies, floats, and cars by merchants, and artistically decorated cars by private owners.

\$5.00 Is offered to the best decorated Haskell Car.

\$5.00 Is offered to the best decorated out of town car.

EVERYBODY IS URGED TO BE IN THIS PARADE

MERCHANTS DOLLAR DAY

These will offer the following and many other bargains all for **\$1.00**

Wells Furniture Store—Two 75c Rockers.
FOR ONE DOLLAR

McNeill & Smith Hardware Co.—\$1.50 piece of Aluminum ware.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Clifton's Feed Store—200 pounds of Coal.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

White's Confectionery—\$1.50 box Candy

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Corner Drug Store—Two boxes 75c Stationery.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Haskell Bargain House—Four pieces of Gold Band China.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Hancock's—\$1.50 House Slippers.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Mask's Grocery Store—20 pounds of Soda.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Dick's Theatre—\$10.00 in Prizes

Brazelton-Pryor Lumber Co.—Paint brush and one-half gallon of floor stain.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Grissom's—12 yards 12 1-2c Bleached Domestic.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

W. W. Fields & Son—7lb good 20c coffee.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

West Side Drug Store—\$1.50 Doll.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Jenson's—\$2.50 plain gold Ring.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Posey & Hunt—Two 60c buckets Syrup.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

A. W. Woods—Anything in Show Window.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

A. F. Rutherford Grocery—Twelve cans No. 2 Tomatoes.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Hunt's (No 1)—\$1.50 Blanket.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Alexander & Sons—Three cans Chase & Sanborn's High Grade \$1.50 Coffee.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Alexander & Sons—\$1.50 Wool Shirt.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Chambers Coal & Feed Co.—Half load of Wood.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Robertson Bros & Co.—27 bars laundry soap.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Robertson Bros & Co.—10 yards 12 1-2c Gingham.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Jno. W. Pace & Co.—One Klenzo Tooth brush 35c; 1 Rexall Tooth paste 25c; 1 box Rexall Cold Tablets 25c; Menthaline Balm 25c; 4 oz. bottle Cherry Bark Cough Syrup 25c. Total \$1.35.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

R. B. Spencer Lumber Co.—Three sacks 40c Lime.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

Corner Drug Store.—Any brand Talc powder 25c; any brand face powder 50c; any brand face cream 50c; any brand tooth paste 25c—Total \$1.50.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

FREE FLOWER SHOW

Will be held at the Wells Furniture Store. All kinds of pot and cut flowers will be on display FREE. Come and see the most beautiful display of Flowers ever shown in Haskell.