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We've made many cheerful homes in this community for those starting out anew, hand-in-hand on life's blissful journey. We know that you want your home furnishings to be substantial, in good taste, refined, serviceable and economical. Our experienced judgment will be of great assistance in providing all of these essentials within your appropriation.

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Take your tires for instance: We sell you the best tires we know of—

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Then we show you, by advice and actual assistance, just how to take care of your tires, so they will yield to you the last mile built into them.

We render this valuable and expert service because we know it will bring us both the most satisfaction in the end.

Come in and inspect our line of Goodyear Climber Tires—Sizes 20x3—20x3 1/2—31x4. The Price and Quality will suit you.

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Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes—Preferred by the Majority.

## Helpful Hints

**Lyonnais Potatoes**—Heat 1 tablespoon butter in frying-pan. Add 1 tablespoon chopped onion. When pale brown add 1 pint diced boiled potatoes, seasoned. Shake till butter is absorbed; potatoes should not color. Add 1 tablespoon chopped parsley and take up.

**Stuffing for Tomatoes, Green Peppers, etc.**—1 cup dry bread crumbs, 1-3 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon onion juice, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 2 tablespoons melted butter. Ham, rice, or other cooked cereal may take the place of crumbs.

**Fried Egg Plant**—Wipe the egg plant cut in 1-4 inch slices, soak in salted cold water one hour. Dip each slice in beaten egg and fry in butter until inside is very soft, outside brown.

**Cream Cheese and Pimento Salad**—Add to Philadelphia cream cheese (or blue cottage cheese will answer) as many chopped pimentos as will give decided flavor, roll into balls about size of walnut and place 3 or 4 on lettuce leaves for individual plates. Pour over all either French dressing or thin mayonnaise. The mixture is also excellent for sandwiches. The pimentos, or sweet Spanish peppers, may be bought put up in oil in small cans.

**Walnut Wafers**—1-2 pound brown sugar, 1-2 pound broken walnut meats, 2 level tablespoons flour, 1-4 teaspoon Royal Baking Powder, 1-3 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs. Drop small spoonfuls on buttered pans, bake in quick oven.

**Corn Pudding**—To 1 can corn chopped fine or 1 pint corn pulp cut from the cob add 2 beaten eggs, 1-2 cup milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, a speck of pepper. Bake in buttered pudding-dish, moderate oven, 20 or 30 minutes or until set like custard. Serve hot with meat.

**Mock Duck**—3 pounds of round steak cut in a single piece. Make a deep slit in the middle from the side—fill with a potato and onion dressing as for duck; put strips of salt pork on top. Bake 3 hours slowly, basting often. Make a brown gravy and pour over meat when served.

### "Am They a Hell" (I'll Say They Is)

The newly appointed pastor of the colored church announced that the subject of his first sermon would be: "Am they a hell, or am they not? And I will prove that they am."

The church was packed when the new parson arose to prove his assertion.

"Brethren," he said, "the Lord made the world round like a ball." "Amen!" cried the congregation. "And the Lord make the world so it would go round and round." "Amen!" was the response. "And the Lord made two axes for the world to go round on. And he put one axle at the North Pole and one axle at the South Pole." "Amen!" agreed the congregation.

"And the Lord put a lot of oil and axle grease in the center of the world so as to keep the axles well greased and oiled." "Amen!" said the congregation.

"And then a lot of sinners dig wells in Pennsylvania and steal the Lord's oil and grease. And they dig wells in Kentucky, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas and in Mexico and Russia, and steal the Lord's grease and oil."

"And some day they'll dig so many wells that they will have all of the Lord's oil and grease and then two axles is going to get hot. And that will be hell, brethren, that will be hell!"—Exchange.

### To the Members of the Democratic Executive Committee

You will please meet me in the District Court Room at Haskell Saturday August 21, 1920. In precincts where no chairman was elected, the old one will hold over.

S. A. Hughes, Co. Chairman.

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### ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE POST SECTION

Everyone is still working out this way.

Mrs. D. S. Ketrin, Mrs. Ed Petrec and Mrs. Lula Ketrin have returned from their visit to East Texas.

Mrs. Bill Ketrin left Sunday night for New Mexico where she will spend a few days.

This community was visited by an all day rain Monday.

Bro. Harrison filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Several from this community attended church at Howard Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community also attended the singing at Weaver Sunday afternoon.

Miss Willmet Johnson has returned from a visit to her aunt at Abilene.

Mrs. W. W. Johnson and children are spending a few days with her brother, George Bouldin of near Stamford.

Miss Callie Smith has been spending a few weeks with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Smith.

M. L. Middlebrook and family have returned from a visit to relatives in Galveston, Houston, and Austin.

Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook and daughter Callie Maye spent Tuesday with Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. Thompson and family attended the baptizing at Pleasant Valley Sunday afternoon and spent Sunday night with Mrs. Thompson's father and family, Will West.

Miss Callie Smith has been visiting home folks the past few days.

The singing at Post Sunday night at the church was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Elder spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Livengood.

Mrs. Frank Simmons' sister and children are visiting in the home of Frank Simmons for a few days.

We have organized a B. Y. P. U. at the Post church and it is doing nicely. Everybody come and help us out.

The party at the home of Bert Davis Wednesday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Reporter.

J. T. Ellis and family from Fort Stockton are visiting his father, J. E. Ellis and other relatives.

### "Hyphenated Americans"

It is claimed that the term "hyphenated Americans" dates back prior to the year 1876, when John Boyle O'Reilly applied it to a remnant of the old time torism who were objecting to the nation-wide celebration which took place that year.

### Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

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Our unalterable policy is to be of the greatest possible value to the largest possible number of people, regardless of whether or not they are customers of ours.

Our welfare is dependent on the welfare of this community, so we have a vital interest in each individual who composes it.

Do not hesitate to call on us whenever we may be of service.

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## THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK

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HASKELL, TEXAS.

Rev. S. E. Stephenson of Munday and E. T. Miller, Evangelist from Abilene, were in the city Friday. They are conducting a series of meetings at Pinkerton and are meeting with success despite the weather conditions. Rev. Stephenson is pastor of the church at Pinkerton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Best of Rule Route One were in the city Saturday shopping. Mr. Best is a good farmer and a breeder of the Brown Leghorn chickens and gets an abundance of eggs.

### Home vs. House.

Home cannot be given us. We may be given a house, a place to eat and sleep. This is not a home, says the Western Methodist. A home is a place of love and rest and peace. Love and rest and peace must be deserved, must be earned. Nobody can hand them to you as so many packages. They are matters of reciprocity. If you have some to give there will be but little for you to receive.

No man is ever far from the hero who has learned to do things when he feels least like doing them. To trample underfoot all moods and feelings—to get to our duty and our cross in spite of them—do that summer and winter till we die, is the one road to the music and the crown.—G. H. Morrison.

# Your Friends Buy Wisely, so Can You

Buying foodstuffs doesn't consist simply of shoving your money over the counter and taking the stuff home. Anyone can do that, but it requires good judgment to buy wisely.

Ask any of your friends what they think of our foodstuffs. You will find that most of them buy from us, know that they get the genuine article, and are never overcharged.

They buy wisely, because they know what they are buying. They buy from us because they know we buy wisely in the wholesale markets.

You can buy just as wisely as your friends. Try us a few times, and your own good judgment will tell you that you have made no mistake.

## Industrial Transportation Company

J. F. POSEY, Mgr.



## Will It Stay Up?

Land is sky high—but that doesn't seem to worry anyone. Farmers everywhere are buying or selling or both with feverish enthusiasm. Since the beginning of 1920 twenty per cent of the farm land in the richest agricultural section of the United States has changed hands, says

## The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

In a single county land transfers thus far this year amount to almost \$20,000,000! Where will it stop?

If you are planning to buy land you want to be sure that at the present high prices you are getting your money's worth. If you intend to sell, you want the right price and a contract that will insure collection. If you don't plan to either buy or sell, you want to know all about a land boom that is sweeping the country and affecting the value of nearly every acre. I'll tell you how you can

know—just send me a dollar bill that isn't busy and I'll see that you get the next 52 big issues of the brightest, richest and most helpful farm weekly ever published. I mean THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, of course. And in your first issue you can read Mr. Harry R. O'Brien's smashing article of authoritative information of the land boom, "When is a Rich Man Poor?"

Better write or call me today

Arthur P. Roberts  
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**E. S. KELLEY**

Mrs. R. E. Sherrill returned from the Temple Sanitarium Friday morning, where she underwent an operation some time ago, and we trust she has fully recovered, and it is to be hoped by her many friends that she will enjoy much better health in the future.

**Why Holland Grows Willows**  
Holland is covered with willow trees, and the great dikes of the country are made stronger by the network formed by the roots.—Brooklyn Eagle.



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### FOREMAN TELLS ABOUT TROUBLE

Had Suffered for Twenty Years—Gains Eleven Pounds and is Restored To Health

"For two years before I began taking Tanlac my health was so bad I lost two or three hours from work every day, since taking five bottles of the medicine I am in as fine health as I ever was in my life," said C. H. Melton, construction foreman for the Western Union Telegraph Co., living at 3326 Tracy Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

"I had stomach trouble and nervous indigestion for twenty years," he continued. "Five years ago I got in such bad shape that everything I ate caused me terrible suffering from gas and at times I could hardly breathe. I had a stuffy feeling all the time and was so constipated I had to keep taking laxatives. My head ached some time like it would simply burst and I became so weak and run-down I looked like I would have to give up my work entirely."

"A friend of mine had tried Tanlac and recommended it so highly I decided to take it, too, and, believe me, I found it to be a real medicine. In three days time my appetite began to improve and my stomach got better. I kept on improving rapidly and now I eat anything I want, have gained eleven pounds and never have stomach trouble, headaches or constipation any more. I never felt better in my life and it is a real pleasure to recommend Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggist everywhere.

Jess Miller of Route One out of this city brought some fine Buff Orpingtons to town and sold them to L. N. Lusk for breeding purposes. The Orpington is a favorite breed and they are fast gaining a reputation as a layer and an all round profitable fowl. Ask any man or woman who has bred Orpingtons for any length of time how they like them and see what an affirmative answer you get.

Human Morgana progressive barber of Hule was in the city Friday on business.

**Music Hath Charms**—Another reason why a girl should take vocal lessons is because if she ever has to raise any children she will need a lot of voice.—Dallas News.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE BUSH KNOB SECTION (Throckmorton County)

We are not complaining of dry weather now-a-days.

The farmers are all wearing smiles since the rain.

Feed cutting is the order of the day now. The feed made pretty good in spite of dry weather and grasshoppers. The singing school is still progressing nicely and will close Friday.

J. E. Price and Anell Hanna were here from Abilene Saturday, returning Monday, Homer going back with them.

Several of the Throckmorton folks went to Haskell to hear Joe Bailey speak last Monday night.

Sunday School was well attended at both churches Sunday.

The Baptist meeting will begin at this place Saturday night. Bro. W. M. Scott of Hamilton will assist in the meeting.

Several of the men met Friday and Saturday and built an arbor, where the meeting will be held.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Baker and little Orville Basley are better.

Mrs. Gregory returned home from Hamilton Tuesday where she has been visiting her parents.

The young folks enjoyed a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Bradock Saturday night.

Bush Knob Orchestra met at R. R. Henson's Sunday night and played a while.

The rains will make the watermelons and late gardens grow.

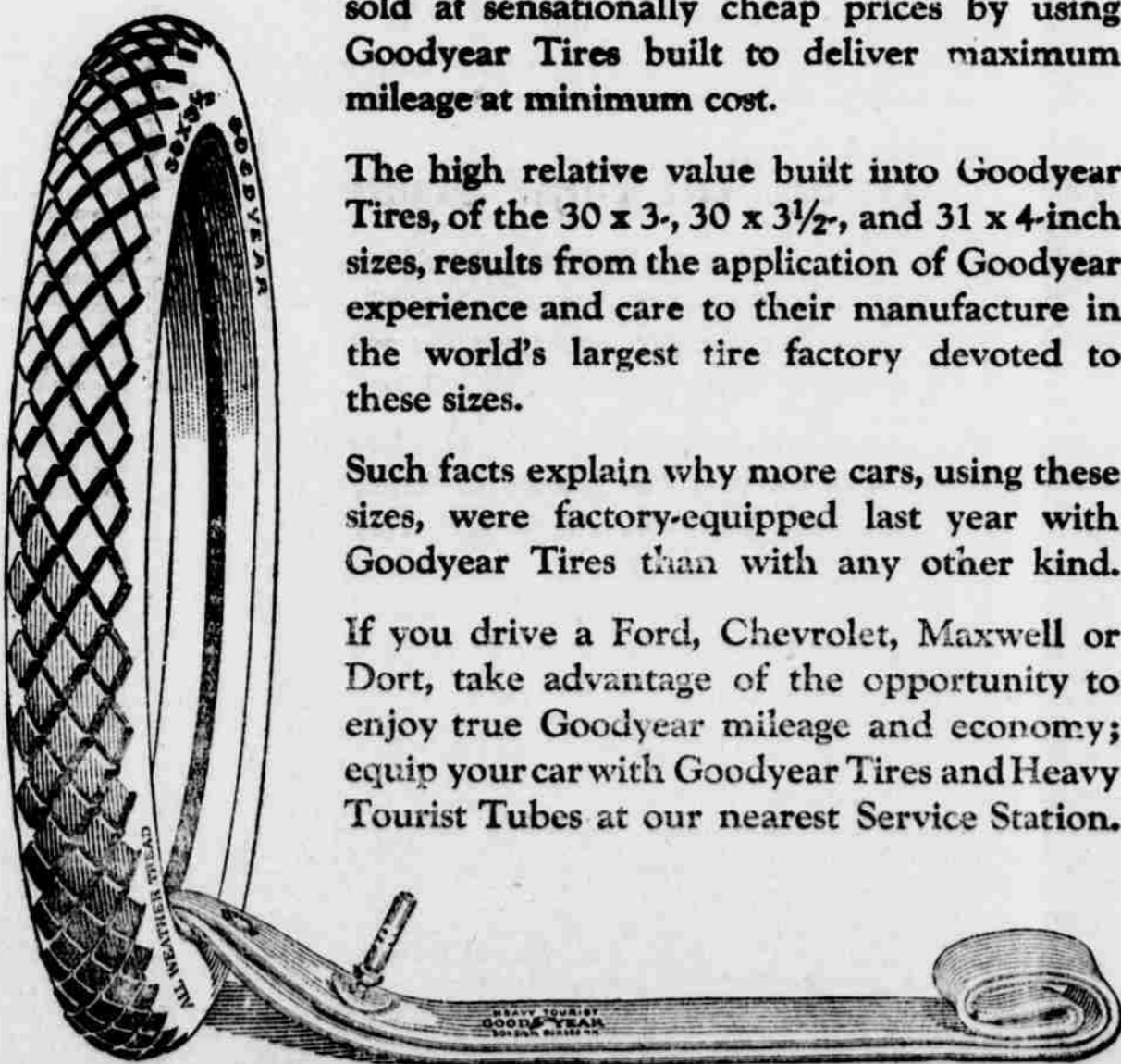
M. P. Taylor, singing school teacher, went home Saturday, coming back Sunday night.

Reporter.

### Of Great Riches.

Of great riches there is no real use except it be in the distribution; the rest is but conceit.—Paeon

# Save Money—Put Goodyear Tires on Your Small Car



Avoid disappointment with tires made to be sold at sensationally cheap prices by using Goodyear Tires built to deliver maximum mileage at minimum cost.

The high relative value built into Goodyear Tires, of the 30 x 3-, 30 x 3 1/2-, and 31 x 4-inch sizes, results from the application of Goodyear experience and care to their manufacture in the world's largest tire factory devoted to these sizes.

Such facts explain why more cars, using these sizes, were factory-equipped last year with Goodyear Tires than with any other kind.

If you drive a Ford, Chevrolet, Maxwell or Dort, take advantage of the opportunity to enjoy true Goodyear mileage and economy; equip your car with Goodyear Tires and Heavy Tourist Tubes at our nearest Service Station.

30 x 3 1/2 Goodyear Double-Cure Fabric, All-Weather Tread..... \$23.50  
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Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost no more than the price you are asked to pay for tubes of less merit—why risk costly casings when such sure protection is available? \$4.50  
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# GOODYEAR

**J. F. Kennedy Sells Goodyear Tires and Tubes, At HASKELL GARAGE**

## Clear as a Bell

THE SONORA has the clarity and vibrant charm of the great bronze bell in the church tower which peals its chime lazily over the town on a quiet Sunday morning.

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### Haskell County Opportunities

We have at this time prospects for a bumper crop of everything planted by the farmers in Haskell County. The early maize and kaffir crops are matured and ready for heading or binding as soon as the weather will permit and the ground gets dry. The cotton looks at this time that it will make a bale or more per acre. The hay crop is just as good as anyone could wish and from every quarter of the county the farmers are telling the same story of bumper crop prospects. Haskell county is ideal for the rearing of hogs, cattle, sheep and goats and all kinds of live stock of the better grades. And is especially adapted for poultry, which is being extensively bred over the county. Much interest is being manifested in the poultry industry and the breeders are sparing no pains to secure excellent foundation stock of the various breeds. The cattle and hog industries are leading in the county at the present time. We have some splendid Hereford, Holstein and Jersey herds in the county. Among them some of the prize winners of the state. The sheep breeders are limited in number compared with other livestock, but the few who have embarked in the business claim it a paying proposition. The County Fair, which will be held the first Friday and Saturday in October promises to be one of the biggest boons for the county that has taken place since the organization of the county, and the farm products, livestock and poultry that will be shown will convince the most skeptical that Haskell county can deliver the goods in agriculture, stock and poultry raising.

W. B. Roberts and son John H. of Vontress and his brother C. C. Roberts and his son John W. who is visiting him from Blanchard, Okla., were in the city Friday and called around to see us while in the city. Uncle Billie as he is called, has been a subscriber to the Free Press for 21 years and they also had the paper sent to his brother C. C. at Blanchard, Okla. He had not seen this brother in 30 years when he came to see him a few weeks ago and he and Mrs. Roberts were going home with him this week for a visit in Okla.

**Usually a High One.**  
Experience is the only teacher in position to demand and get its own price.—Colorado Springs Telegraph.

**No Worms in a Healthy Child**  
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Worms will then grow off or disintegrate, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

H. N. Therwanger and family of San Angelo spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Therwanger, returning home Sunday of last week. Mr. Therwanger is with the Waples-Platter Wholesale Grocery Company of San Angelo and has a splendid position. He is also a reader of the Free Press, sent to him by his father.

**First Real Estate Deal.**  
According to one authority the first real estate deal in America occurred on May 6, 1626. Peter Minuet purchased the site of the city of New York for the sum of \$24 in present United States currency value. This price was 90 cents per 1,000 acres.

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Electric power saves time and labor on the farm, to say nothing of the convenience, safety and comfort of electric lights in the home and around the farm buildings. Delco-Light brings dependable electric service to any farm at low cost.

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**PLANT WHEAT, RYE, OR BARLEY ON COTTON LAND**

It has been wisely suggested by the Farm and Ranch that farmers plant wheat rye or barley between the cotton rows this summer before the fall season sets in to insure winter pasture. It has never been a practice of the West Texas farmer to make such preparations during the summer months for winter pasture, but in the usual way of sowing the stubble lands and the lands where he has harvested an early feed crop in grain, which oftentimes is too late to furnish the pasture needed during the winter. With the recent rains should the farmers of Haskell County plant between the cotton rows a few acres where it could furnish grazing for their stock after the frost has killed the grass, it would be something worth while. When later is so scarce as it is now, when we get into the gathering of the crops, few of the farmers will have the time to sow any grain for pasture as early as it should be sown to furnish the grazing they need in early fall and winter.

It will not prove an experiment this year but a success. The rains have made it a surety, all you have to do is to put the seed in the ground before your cotton opens and you will have a splendid pasture awaiting you as soon as you can pick the cotton.

**Married**

**I. J. Miller and Mrs. Mattie Morrow** surprised their many friends Saturday by driving to Haskell, and were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Judge R. P. Simmons in the office of the County Treasurer. The contracting parties were from Stoneval County. We wish for this happy couple a long and happy married life.

**Howard-Woolsey**

**Mr. Fred Howard and Miss Annie Woolsey** were united in marriage last Saturday morning at 10:30 by Judge R. P. Simmons at his residence in this city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Woolsey, well known citizens of Vontress. She is a young woman with a charming personality and has many friends in the community. The groom is a prosperous farmer, a young man of splendid worth and his many friends join the Free Press in extending congratulations to him and his bride.

**Arthur Edwards Opens Optometry and Watchmaking Store**

Arthur Edwards has opened an Optometry and watchmaking establishment upstairs over the Corner Drug Store and has it well equipped for his trade. He recently returned from St. Louis where he studied watchmaking and also took a post graduate course in optometry. Mr. Edwards is well known in Haskell and has many friends who will be glad to know that he has permanently located in the city. We predict for him a profitable business in his line.

We believe that the West Texas farmer should keep books on his various crops at all times and find out the cost of production on all crops grown by them. It seems to us that it is just as necessary for the farmer to keep books and have a cost price as the merchant or any other successful business man. You should keep an expense account and know of a certainty that you are not running your business below the cost of production. If you are not keeping books on your farm you are taking a leap in the dark every year and oftentimes we never find out until too late that certain crops do not pay.

**I. A. Humphries and family of Min-  
dus** were in Haskell Saturday. Mr. Humphries is one of the best farmers in his section and reports the crop conditions in his section better than he has seen in years.

**Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Link and daughter Mrs. Jesse Burton** of east of town were shopping in Haskell Saturday. Mrs. Link is one of the best farmers of the county and has one of the best farmers of the county and has one of the best crop prospects this year he has ever had since coming to West Texas.

**Mrs. H. V. McFarland and son Henry of Free Worth** are the guests of Mrs. McFarland's mother, Mrs. B. H. Dodson this week.

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**Mrs. Ed Robertson**

**Mrs. S. J. Meane**, mother of J. L. Meane of this city returned to her home at Temple Saturday night after a two months visit with her son. Her maid, Walter Bowen accompanied her.

**Miss Vina Fabius** left for Colorado for a few weeks stay Tuesday evening.

**Rev. R. A. Seranton of Abilene**, former pastor of the First Baptist church of this city passed through the Wednesday morning en route to Selmon to attend the Baylor County Baptist Association.

**V. N. Flooniken** spent Tuesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Flooniken of this city on a return trip from the plains country. He returned to his home near Lone Star Wednesday morning.

**Justin Green of Wichita Falls** son of A. P. Green, District Deputy of the Yeomen, is visiting his father this week.

**El. H. Hallmark of the King Gro-  
cery Company of Wichita Falls** was here Sunday visiting home folks and friends. Hamilton has a good position in Wichita Falls.

New Fall Fashions are Given First Place in this Week's Store News.



New Coats, Coat Suits, Dresses & Hats are Now on Display. Come and see them.

# Introducing New Fall Fashions— Modes Of Beauty and Distinction

We are now showing for the coming season a goodly number of early arrivals in New Fall Suits, Coats, Dresses, Blouses and Hats, all selected with that discriminating care which characterizes this store's buying. This new Fall Apparel has been chosen from the best style sources—makers who have a national reputation for the beauty and authenticity of their style creations. We invite your early inspection of these and other early Fall Fashions.

## New Suits and Coats for Autumn Finely Tailored and Moderately Priced

### Showing New Dresses for now and for Fall Wear

This week we present many late arrivals in Autumn Dresses from the best designers. And the numerous variations in style and trimming provide so many dressy effects that one could hardly wish for a more diversified collection.

Add to this wonderful variation of styles, such alluring materials as lustrous Satin and Taffeta, or the soft, drapy Silk Crepes, and the popular woolen fabrics as Wool Jersey, French Serge and Tricotine in the rich Fall shades of Brown, Rust, Navy, and Midnight Blue and you'll have a mental picture of the new Autumn Dresses.

The trimmings are elaborate, including iridescent beads and richly colored silk embroidery. Moderately priced from . . . . . **\$18.50 to \$75.00**

### Early Suit Fashions

The straight line silhouette and the long waist line generally prevail for the coming season. The skirts are short, and while not full are wide enough to permit freedom in walking.

Styles that are distinctly individual dominate this early showing of Fall Suits. The favored fabrics are Duvetyne, Peachblooms, Velour de Laines and Tricotines; and such rich, practical tones as Brown, Rust, Midnight and Navy. Your desire for a suit, beautiful yet practical, can be gratified from our selections.

### New Fall Coat Styles

The new styles arriving bring delightful expressions of the prevailing modes. You will appreciate the richness of the materials as well as the beauty of the styling of the new Fall Coats.

Choice can be made from Coats of such favored materials, of velvet-like texture, as Duvetyne, Velours, Duvet Superior and Veldyne; many of them richly trimmed with fur. Such becoming styles are sure of an enthusiastic welcome—an exhibit well worthy of a special trip for the purpose of inspection.

### Introducing Millinery Modes for Autumn



We invite you to visit the Millinery Department and see the initial display of Hats for Early Fall.

A showing that is resplendent with the best of the modes for early season wear.

Millinery exclusively shown by us, and selected from the choicest shapes and effects in trimming of the leading makers.

Our stock is one of the largest that we have ever shown in Haskell and will be in charge of Miss Pearl Sp'res this season, who will be glad to assist you in making a selection.

### Attractive Values In Neckwear

Our extensive showing of men's neckwear offers almost unlimited choice in the latest patterns and colorings. Exceptional values at

50c, \$1.00 and \$2.00

Others still finer at \$2.50, \$3, \$4.



**TELLS OF TRAVELS IN COLORADO AND CALIFORNIA**

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scription of Southern California, for everyone has formed a picture of his own of the limitless stretches of fruit, walnut and olive groves, the truck farms, and the beautiful roads, which make California a paradise for automobiles.

After staying in Los Angeles two days, though we were in the city quite often afterwards, we made our headquarters at Ocean Park, a popular beach resort. From there we took several trips, among them being those to Santa Catalina Islands, and to the summit of Mt. Lowe. Mrs. H. B. Fields and family accompanied us to Santa Catalina, about thirty miles from the San Pedro harbor, where we boarded a large excursion steamer. So soon as the ship got into the long, but gentle, swell of the Pacific, the fun began, though the unfortunates who furnished the amusement would deny that there was any humor in it. One could hardly keep from laughing openly at the woe-filled expressions of those who were seasick. The island, owned by Wrigley, the chewing gum magnate, is nothing more than a mountain range, rising directly from the sea; and it is about six by twenty miles in its dimensions. Avalon is the only harbor, and there one sees motor launches, row boats, glass bottom boats, and various queer craft engaged in water sports. The beautiful submarine gardens are worth ones time to visit.

It was my experience to tire of the beach resorts rather soon, for on the beaches, especially at Venice, there is very little morally or sense of propriety. The many forms of amusements and gambling are wide open every day of the year, and the sky is the limit on Sundays. Of one thing, however, I did not tire; that was the surf bathing. That cold salt water, with the thrills given by the breakers and the undertow, puts new life in one. It is a very healthy sport.

Los Angeles, in area, is the largest city in the United States, though its population is only about 600,000. I did not see much of the city beyond the business district, and comparatively little of that part. It is a beautiful city with its splendid parks, public buildings, and residences. As for the frequent earthquake shocks, which we experienced slightly, they have not been serious. The natives are for the most part nonchalant about them. And, personally, between the quakes and our tornadoes, blizzards, and sandstorms, I choose the former.

Even so, however, I prefer Texas to live in. For it is the people with whom one associates that decide his likes or dislikes for the place where he lives. I like Texans better than Californians, because the latter are the opposite to Texans in their natures and dispositions. But I am prejudiced and I shall not discuss it.

The return journey was uneventful except for three things: A temperature of 112 degrees at 8:30 p. m. in Needles, California; the Grand Canyon; and my own experience as a "brone" rider and hunter on a ranch in Colorado. The Grand Canyon is named rightly. Its titanic chasms are truly appalling. For the only time in my travels I grew dizzy for a few moments when first I stood on the rim of this "titan of chasms." It cannot be described. The opposite rim seems to be a little matter of a mile or two away; it is thirteen miles. In places where it can be seen the Colorado River seems to be only about ten feet wide, and smooth; it is a raging torrent 300 feet, 100 yards, across. The most striking thing one notices are the ever-changing, many-hued colors and the curious way the water has sculptured the cliffs. The canyon is not a narrow cleft cut perpendicularly as is the Royal Gorge, but a series of smaller canyons, yet immense in themselves, all subordinate to the one mighty chasm. The river is in some places over 6000 feet below the rim of the plateau. It is a mistake to stay under a week at the canyon, while in a stay of a month one might begin to conceive the stupendousness of it.

My experience as a "brone" rider was both amusing and painful. I had seen before cowboys riding bucking horses, but never before had I experienced it. It is not the straight hard pitching that is dangerous, though it is rather rough, but the liability of the horse and the liability of his running into the fence of the corral, which latter event I experienced, much to my own sorrow. At any rate, I received a wonderful, even if painful, working illustration of the law in physics that for every action there is an equal and opposite reaction.

Now I am at the end of the more important of our experiences. Of course, I could not begin to tell all the amusing or the opposite incidents on our trip, nor the details of the things we saw. Noe could I hope to make the reader see those things as I saw them. It is my belief that one learns more in talking to the travelers he meets with than in merely seeing picturesque places. That has been my experience. Doubtless, travel is "a fool's paradise" for many, but for others it is very valuable because they learn the ways of "the heathen" and become close observers of human nature, which shows in travel many evil sides, and much that is good.

—Gaines Post.

**Absentee Voting Begins on 18th**  
In accordance with a recent ruling by the attorney general's department, absentee voters may exercise the privilege of voting at the August primary from the 18th until the 24th inclusive. It being necessary to present personally to have your poll tax receipt or exemption. Any qualified voter who expects to be absent from this county on the day of election may take advantage of the law. This condition applies to all the counties in the state, and to those who desire to avail themselves of the absentee voting law.

**Mrs. Ed Post and children** who have been visiting the family of H. B. Post of this city for a few days returned to her home in Waco by the way of Wichita Falls Wednesday morning.

**Mrs. Mary Lee of Fort Worth** has been visiting the family of I. V. Harris and other relatives in the city.