

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES FILED DURING THE WEEK

D. D. Huddleston to Lisette Frey, West 20 North 40 South 80 tract 22 of Lucinda Dyches survey, consideration \$1.00.
Geo. A. Joseph to J. F. Lunak, West 2 Block 76 J. P. Rozier survey, consideration \$1.00.
R. R. English to Mrs. Effie Roberts, 4 acres out of Jno. Campbell survey, consideration \$1.00.
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J. B. Mills to Ma Mae Cox, North 1-2 East 1-2 Block 29, D. Cassanova survey, consideration \$1.00.
C. C. Blakeley to Dave Tobolsky, 4 acres out of Jos. McGee survey, consideration \$1.00.
Continental Oil & Refining Co. to J. Jones, Block 21 Jane Wilson survey, consideration \$1.00.
W. S. Fouts to O. G. Griffin, Block 4 West of N. W. 1-4 Subdivision 3, Red River survey 71, consideration \$1.00.
O. G. Griffin to E. H. Lovbridge, Block 24 out of N. W. 1-4 subdivision Red River survey 71, consideration \$1.00.
B. M. Whitaker to Alex Pinkerton, 20 acres out of Wm. Gilliland survey, consideration \$1.00.
A. S. Kouri to K. Hammet, South 1-2 Block 38 out of J. G. Pitts survey and North 20 Block 7, N. Haggard survey, consideration \$1.00.
L. Daugherty to T. F. Tucker, et al, 100 acres out of Jno. N. Gainer survey, consideration \$1.00.
M. Travis to M.H. Co. Pet. Co., Block 59 Leroy Miller survey, consideration \$1.00.
John T. W. Johnston to Gus Lyons, 999 acres out of Thos. G. Box Richard Langham surveys, consideration \$10.00 etc.
A. Pinkerton and wife to B. M. Whitaker, South 1-2 and Northwest 1-4 Section 49 and South 4-2 and N. W. Section 39, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Block 1, consideration \$1.00.
D. Sheldon to T. C. Montgomery, Block 23 Geo. W. Brooks survey and Block 11-55 to J. A. Taylor survey, consideration \$1.00.
A. E. Howland to Minnie Tate, Lots 12-15-16 Section 10, Block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, consideration \$1.00 etc.
A. E. Howland to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hume, Lot 7 Block 9 out of Section 2, Block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, consideration \$1.00.
E. Coffman to M. V. Cadman, out of 1-4 of royalty in 160 acres out of Section 25, Block 16, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, consideration \$10.00.
D. Sheldon to J. F. Falmer, East 1-2 Block 29 J. W. Woodway survey, consideration \$1.00.
D. Huddleston to J. A. Schaeffer, East 1-2 Lot 1, Tract 4, L. Dyches survey, consideration \$1.00.

2,287 POLL TAX RECEIPTS ISSUED BY TAX COLLECTOR

2,287 poll tax receipts have been issued by Tax Collector Chas. M. Conner for the previous year, or a loss of 76 for the previous year, or a loss of 76. Only 25 exemptions were issued compared with 43 the year before. The following is a report by voting boxes:

Name	No.	Polls	Ex.
Haskell	1	285	4
Haskell	2	158	3
Haskell	3	116	2
Haskell	4	132	2
Rule	5	467	4
Rochester	6	272	0
O'Brien	7	122	0
Jul	8	33	1
Cliff	9	37	1
Weinert	10	197	2
Brishey	11	75	0
Cottonwood	12	52	1
Jim Hoag	13	31	0
Howard	14	28	0
Cobb	15	25	0
McDonnell	16	44	2
Sagerton	17	44	1
Joe Bailey	18	49	0
T. Paint	19	39	2
Bunker H.	20	21	0
Post	21	39	0
Total		2,287	25

FAMOUS VIOLIN HAD BEEN STORED FOR GENERATIONS

Violins do not have the sentiments and sensibilities attributed to them by imaginative musicians, but they have histories, interesting and varied, gay romances and dark tragedies, even as do their warm friends of mankind. A violin which is not only remarkable in itself, but with a remarkable story is one possessed by Axel Skovgaard, the Danish Violinist, who is to appear at the High School Auditorium on Saturday, at 8:30 p. m. It is as bright and polished as if it had left the hands of its maker but yesterday, and still the instrument is over 200 years old. The first person to play upon the violin was Mr. Skovgaard himself. To a chance meeting with a London dealer in musical instruments Mr. Skovgaard owes his good fortune in obtaining his rare Strad. This man had a fine collection of old Italian violins, they were real antiques, cracked, scratched, and worn, through more or less rough life for several centuries. Having traveled in the wealth before him and tried most of them, Mr. Skovgaard remarked that it would have been a pleasure to have seen such instruments when they were new, but such pleasures were denied modern artists. To the surprise of the Danish artist, his new friend replied in the negative and stepped to a fireproof vault and came out with a big yellow case, which he opened and took out an unstrung violin and handed it to his guest. Apparently it was just from the maker's shop, but plainly it was lettered "Antonius Stradivarius, Anno 1712." "When I was last in Madrid," said the dealer, "I was presented to a collector of art works, in whose collection, however, there was but one violin, namely, a Stradivarius. Naturally I inquired how a violin could have become lost among so many paintings and he then informed me that it was an old heirloom, which had always been in the family, and that he had once found a book with a history of how Stradivarius made this violin in memory of his dead son, and that they had therefore retained it in the museum." With the instrument went the romantic tale of its origin—how in Cremona, through the love of one of Stradivarius' best pupils for a girl violinist, an instrument that the maker particularly prized had been stolen for the girl, and when it was returned to its maker he refused ever to play with it, and it was not until after his death that his sons sold it to a collector, who in his turn sold it to the Spanish museum, where the instrument descended from father to son in many generations. The price demanded for the violin was \$13,000.00 and was paid by Skovgaard. This violin fulfills the most enthusiastic expectations as all will believe who hear its tone.

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The town of Rochester has received a reduction in their insurance key rate of three per cent on account of teaching fire prevention in the Public schools. This course has been introduced along with a course in training for citizenship.

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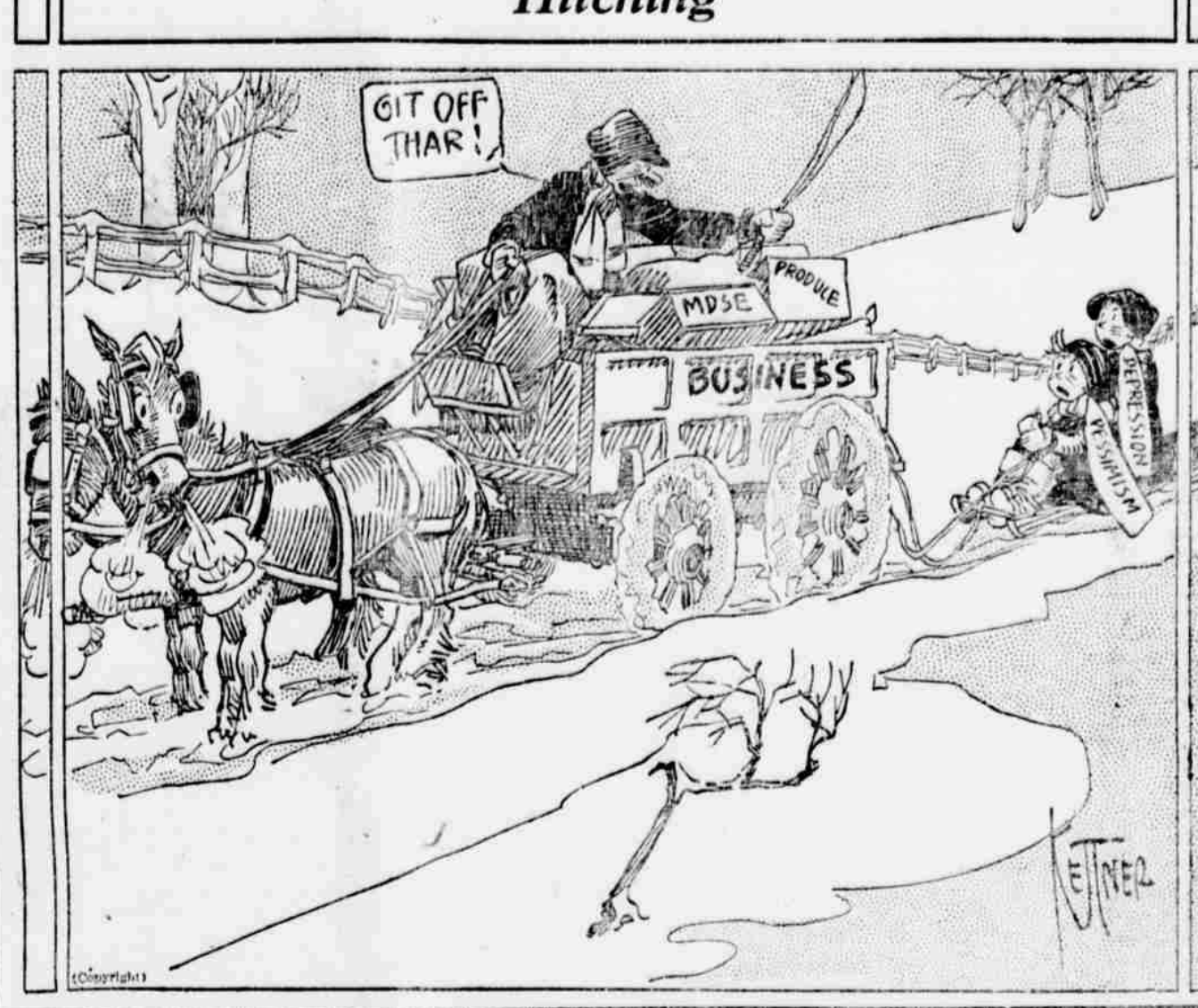
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NEW MANAGER FOR HASKELL PRODUCE COMPANY

F. L. Caldwell of Big Springs, succeeds Len B. Hamner as manager of the Haskell Produce Company. Mr. Hamner retiring from the business. Mr. Caldwell is an experienced produce man and comes to Haskell highly recommended as a business man and a gentleman. He took charge of the business last week.

WILL RE-SET PACKER IN KOURI NO. ONE

Interest in the oil situation in Haskell county continues to be centered around Kouri No. 1, on the Ballard Ranch, east of town, regardless of the many delays that have occurred in bringing in the well. The casing is being pulled this week for the purpose of resetting the packer higher up in the well, in order to be able to use the swab or shoot the well if necessary. 42 feet of oil bearing sand was drilled through, according to reports received here. Those who are interested in this well are confident that a producer will reward their efforts if the well can be properly finished.

TREE AND SHRUB PLANTING CAMPAIGN IS LAUNCHED

Although spring has had quite a setback this week, yet it is slowly, but surely coming. With it will come the budding of trees, flowers, and grass. And now, the month of February is the time to begin the planting and planting of flowers, shrubs, vines and trees. In no other way can the comfort and attractiveness of a town be secured so cheaply, easily, and satisfactorily as by the extensive planting of shade trees and shrubs.

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HASKELL'S FIRE INSURANCE KEY RATE LOWERED 2 CENTS

The teaching of fire prevention, together with a course of training for citizenship, which has been introduced by Superintendent C. C. Minatra in the Public Schools, has caused the Insurance Commission to reduce the key rate of Haskell 2 cents.

POST SCHOOL MAKES INTERESTING REPORT

School work is going forward nicely. We have 100 per cent enrollment and almost 95 per cent attendance.

ROCHESTER LOSES TO LEUDERS IN BASKET BALL

Rochester lost her right to attend the District meet at Abilene when she was defeated by the fast team of Leuders to the tune of a small score. Rochester's forwards had an off day, while the Leuders forwards carried a horseshoe about their necks. This was one of the cleanest games of the season and the boys of Rochester and Leuders are to be complimented for their clean play and sportsmanlike conduct.

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DECLAMATION CONTEST HERE FRIDAY NIGHT FEB. 18th

A declamation and debating contest between Abilene High and Haskell High school will be held Friday night, February 18th. Haskell enters four boys and four girls in declamation and two boys in debate. Abilene sends the same number of pupils here for the contest.

Baptist Revival in Progress

The revival meeting which began last Sunday at the Baptist church is progressing nicely. Large crowds are in attendance at every service. Rev. Ernest Baldwin and Singer P. S. Strickland, are a consecrated team and present the message of salvation in both sermon and song.

Marriage Licenses

Arnie T. Adams and Miss Beatrice Dunlap; Floyd Fryer and Mrs. Jessie Lee; A. G. Wilmon and Mrs. M. M. Tubbs; Charlie Brown and Miss Marie Fryer; Carl M. Tidwell and Miss Audrey Lain; Hery M. Thomson and Hector Dunlap; Hugh Harves and Miss Minnie Schwartz; Clyde McNeill and Miss Bertha Sorenson; Carl Johnson and Miss Leola Bristow.

Henry Flood of Munday was a visitor in the city this week.

Mrs. M. S. Pierson has returned to her home in Abilene after a visit with her daughter Mrs. G. W. Waldrop.

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BREEZY NEWS ITEMS FROM THE O'BRIEN COMMUNITY

We are having some cold sleety weather at the present writing. Walter Quidlis left Sunday for Haskell where he will attend court this week. Mr. Will Speck of Lamesa is here visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Tom Sparks and Mrs. Ida Quarrells of the Mitchell community spent Sunday with Mrs. W. B. West. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walsworth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Skins. Mr. and Mrs. Fenley of Haskell were O'Brien visitors Sunday. Johnie West, Jeannett Robbins and Eldin Elliot are all on the sick list this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walsworth and Mrs. P. A. Mansell went to Knox City Monday. John Hardinger made a business trip to Haskell Monday. Hubert Carr of Rochester spent Thursday night here with Garlin Mansell. Bro. McLaughlin preached to a very large crowd here Sunday and Sunday night at the Baptist church. Miss Mattie Brodgers returned home Sunday after spending several weeks with relatives in Childress. Reporter.

NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM JOE BAILEY SECTION

How do you all like this cold weather? I think it fine for a change. The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Coleman Saturday afternoon and took from them their beloved son, Chester. He had only been sick for a few days. The entire community joins in extending their heart felt sympathy to the loved ones who are left to mourn the loss of the loved one who will know no more sorrow and care. Mr. E. C. Wenderborn had business in Sagerton Friday. Mrs. Kay called on Mrs. Dunn Sunday afternoon. J. A. Shelton, Ernest and Hubert Weida, Charlie and Delbert Pinkley, spent Sunday with J. D. Kirkpatrick and family of Sagerton. Leslie Gibson of Haskell had business in this community Friday. Misses Robt. Dyer and Flossie Pinkley spent the week end with J. W. Dyer and family of Haskell. Mr. Blake and son Carroll and the Misses Dunlaps of Haskell were in this community Thursday afternoon. Ben Kay, Dalphus Pinkley, Flouis Fairbright Reager Bell, all attended the dance in the McConnell community Saturday night. Irvin Kirkpatrick spent Friday night with Sant Shenton. There will be church at Bailey Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Everybody come and bring someone with you.

The PULSE of BROADWAY by D. E. Wheeler

A \$500.00 prize has been offered by Thomas A. Edison, Inc. for the best treatise on "The Effects of Music," submitted to the American Psychological Association, before June 1, 1921. This competition is open only to psychologists. Some of the subjects suggested as appropriate are: "Classification of Musical Selections according to their Psychological Effects." "Individual Differences in Musical Sensitivity." "Types of Listeners." "Validity of Introspection in Studying Affective Responses to Music." "Modification of Moods by Music." "Effects of Familiarity and Repetition; Emotional Durability of Various Types of Selections." "Effects of Contrasting Types of Music on Muscular Activity." "Other Objective (Physiological) Measurements of Effects of Musical Stimuli." "An Experimental Study of Music as an Aid in Synchronizing Routine Factory Operations."

Among the artists we invariably find listed in featured appearances with the leading orchestras of the country are Rachmaninoff, Hempel, Spalding and Matzenauer, all of whom have recorded for the Edison. It is usually a matter for congratulation for an artist to appear with a leading orchestra, but we would say that the foregoing artists would dignify any organization and cause it to be the party for felicitations. Richard Aldrich, the competent critic of the New York Times, said of Miss Frieda Hempel, at her appearance with the New York Symphony, that she sang "with vocal power and brilliancy and an easy command of the style of Mozart." Miss Hempel sang the "Incarnatus," from the mass in C minor, and the air of "Costanza," from "Il Seraglio," both of which make severe demands on the artistic powers of the singer.

We Believe in Cleanliness

That is why you will always find our Bakery Sanitary and in the best condition in every respect—We cordially extend an invitation to the housewives of Haskell and surrounding country to visit our kitchen and see how the bread we sell is made—We are willing to stand our reputation on your verdict. Because a loaf of bread from an out of town Bakery comes wrapped in a pretty piece of paper, it is no guarantee that you are getting bread made and handled, you would have done it, if you made it in your own home. Think it over—and buy your bread next time from—

Merchants Cafe & Bakery T. B. BROOKS, Prop.

Money to Loan on Farms See me before you arrange to get a loan or renew the old one. My inspector lives in Stamford and therefore makes prompt inspections. I have the money and want your loan. Clyde E. Elkins

NEWS ITEMS FROM THE BRUSHY COMMUNITY

We are having some pretty weather at this writing. Everyone enjoys the sunshine. Sunday school is progressing nicely at both churches. We have 194 enrolled at the M. E. and 98 at the Baptist. Mr. E. M. Bowman is said to be improving and we are glad to hear the good news. Grandma Paysinger was laid to rest in the Brasley cemetery Tuesday evening. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones. Hugh and Jewel Womack have moved back in our midst. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Benton took dinner with Lee Dyer Sunday. Mrs. E. E. Lowe, Will Price and family, Mrs. and Mrs. A. D. Irelak spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smith. Sunday was regular church day for our pastor, but he had a surprise for us. He brought Mr. I. V. Yorke and Mr. Mahan with him. Rev. Yorke is to hold a revival at the church beginning Sunday night. Mr. Mahan is a minister who will have charge of the church during the revival. The box supper last Friday night was well attended and a number of new members were added which brought the total to \$411.90. A large crowd from Pleasant View attended church here Sunday night. Mrs. Franc Roberts from Ventress attended church here Sunday night. A young lady took supper with E. R. Lowe Sunday night. Rev. L. S. Jenkins of Abilene will hold his regular appointment here Sunday evening. Everybody come and bring someone with you.

The choice is not limited to this list, and any subject bearing directly on the nature of music and the way it influences people, will be acceptable. Manuscripts are to be sent to W. V. Bingham, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pa., who will transmit them, without the names of the authors, to the Committee of Award designated by the American Psychological Association. Manuscripts should be submitted in form for publication.

Claudia Muzio, the celebrated soprano, has been able to spare more time this year than usual from the Metropolitan Opera House, and has appeared in a



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number of recitals and concerts, where she has been as successful as on the opera stage. At Carnegie Hall, the Hippodrome and Madison Square Garden, she has enraptured New York audiences by the beauty of her voice and the charm of her personality. Outside of New York, this famous artist has been equally welcomed, and her concert hall renown promises to equal her fame in the opera house.

When Albert Spalding made his first appearance of the present season at Carnegie Hall, there was a great audience waiting to greet this foremost American violinist, after his triumphant tour of Europe, as violinist soloist with the New York Symphony. And they applauded Spalding, not only as a native artist, but as a well poised and finished musician. When Spalding later appeared with the National Symphony and the Beethoven Association, he confirmed the opinion that the best of American violinists may be very favorably compared with the best of any nation. His technique is finished and easy, and his tone is one of singular purity and beauty.

The Edison Tone-Test Recital Department has developed into the largest booking agency in the world, and its great importance in the field of music is becoming more and more recognized. Under its direction, Miss Alice Veilar toured the Pacific Coast in a series of bookings that ended during the middle of December. This delightful singer made about one hundred successful appearances. Her accompanist was the well-known pianist-composer, Victor Young.

George Gershwin, composer of Swanee and other successes, in Along Broadway, said: "Why, if you were in Europe and heard the music of our supposedly native composers, you would be unable to say 'that work is American.' They no more voice the spirit of these United States than did Tchaikowsky represent Russia, or Puccini, Italy, when they wrote in styles of other lands. Do you know, I think Irving Berlin is more typically American than many of those whose works are heard in opera and concert halls."

Albert Spalding, in Along Broadway, said: "The influence of Mr. Edison's invention on the culture of our country is incalculable. By means of it a million tongues of music are sent broadcast. Their vibrations will echo in the lives of unborn generations. It is enough to make one pause about what he shall transmit in a musical way to the future."

Buy It Either Way Tablets or Liquid PE-RU-NA A Great Medicine Mrs. M. J. Riley, R. R. No. 1, Box 104, Abilene, Texas, writes: "I have used Pe-ru-na and know its value for colds, coughs and catarrhs. It cured my catarrh and I do not know what I would do without it. It is a great medicine." Sold Everywhere

Willard STORAGE BATTERY TRADE MARK REGISTERED WHEN somebody tells you of a battery that has come through a long life and had some hard knocks along the way, don't put him down as a windjammer. But you can bet on it that if the tale is gospel-true he had a good battery to start with and he gave it a square deal. Ask about the Still Better Willard. J. F. KENNEDY Fully Equipped Service Station. A Man at the Bat who Knows his Business. HASKELL GARAGE East Side of Square.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE WEINERT COMMUNITY Weinert sure is having some cold weather now. John E. Robertson has purchased the brick store and opened up Saturday afternoon. Mrs. J. Frank Cadenhead and Mrs. Bert M. Davenport have returned from a visit home. Lewis Williams has been out of school the past week on account of sickness. Everyone enjoyed the "42" party given Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arch McClellan, in honor of Miss Velma Doming. The box supper Friday night was a great success. Weinert and Rule were to play basketball Friday afternoon, but on account of bad weather they did not play. The party at Mr. Ray Biddings were enjoyed by all present. Mrs. E. E. Cockrell was down from Abilene the first of the week. Mrs. Billie Hughes has been visiting relatives in Stamford the past week. Mrs. Pearl Siddens visited Mrs. E. E. Cockrell of Abilene the latter part of last week. Weinert Reporter.

Two Remarkable Rides. A remarkable achievement of an English rider dates back to Shakespearean days. Robert Carey is said to have ridden from Whitehall to Edinburgh, 400 miles, in three days, carrying the news of the death of Queen Elizabeth to James VI. He made another noted ride from London to the Netherlands, with the news of Cardinal Wolsey's death, travelling by boat from London to Gravesend and riding the intermediate distances. He left London, according to the accounts, at 4 o'clock one afternoon and was back in London at sunset the second day thereafter.

A TONIC Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value. Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

Gold Horseshoes Expense is not efficiency. Don't pay for gold horseshoes when you buy your printing. Sensible printing on sensible paper—Hammermill Bond—will save you money and get results for you. That is the kind of work we do and the kind of paper we use. Use More Printed Salesmanship. Ask us.

Insurance PROPERTY INSURANCE—Fire, Tornado, Hail, Automobiles, Parcel Post, Tourists Baggage, Rents, Plate Glass, etc. CROP INSURANCE—Hail, Floods, Drought, Insects, Disease, Frost and Winterkill. LIVE STOCK INSURANCE—Policies written in the HARTFORD and HOME the two largest American fire insurance companies. MARVIN H. POST Haskell, All Kinds of Insurance

Don't Cuss Your Car It Only Needs Repairing Your car never "acts up" unless there is a good reason. That is the history of all cars. Our business is to look for the reason and correct it. That is easy for us to do, because we understand the mechanism of your car. So your temper by keeping your car in smooth-running order—or let us do it for you, and don't forget if you let fit you out with a new set of Fisk Tires and Tubes will be ready for the warm spring days which will be here, when all car owners will want to enjoy their machines. TONN GARAGE A. Tonn, Mgr. E. Tonn, Mech.

J. S. Chilton Graduate Optometrist and Optician Expert Watch and Jewelry Repairing Office Over the Corner Drug Store GRANITE AND MARBLE MEASUREMENTS Can be furnished in the following: GRANITE—Blue Granite, Berea, Quincy Granite. MARBLE—Carrara, White, Green, Gray, Pink, Brown. All work executed on a concrete base. Satisfaction guaranteed before payment. See or write my before buying. G. JONES, Haskell, Tex.

RESTING NEWS ITEMS FROM THE JUD COMMUNITY

Weather has been very pretty, and a real nice snow last Wednesday.

Sacred Harp Singing was held in place last Sunday afternoon. People from different parts of the county and other places were present to take part in the program, which was very pleasing and entertaining, especially to the older people who love to sing old songs of the bygone days. It brings back to them the happy memories of youth and former days of manhood, where they heard the songs ringing from every hill and on every Sabbath morn.

Singing will be held a Red T-top, at Sunday in March. Everybody is invited to attend and take part in singing.

Mrs. George Eoff and Miss Eoff of Anson spent Saturday and Sunday with W. L. Ray and family in place.

Myrtle Allen of Rhoda spent

Saturday with Miss Lillie Epley.

J. B. Weaver and family of Cooke Springs spent Saturday night with A. F. West and family of this place.

Mrs. Tanslin was taken to the Sanitarium at Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coghun is moving to Bradenburg. We sure do hate to give them up, but we wish them much success in their new home.

John McCarty and family of Hamlin and Mrs. Chester Jones of Ruhe, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ray Sunday evening.

B. H. Ivey and Dixie Harris made a business trip to Cisco last Tuesday.

B. E. Carr made a business trip to Stamford last Monday.

The singing at W. A. Ivey's Sunday night was well attended and all seem to enjoy themselves.

J. M. Ivey and A. F. West attended the masonic lodge at Haskell last Monday night.

There will be Sunday school at this place next Sunday evening at three o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

Honoring Mr. Murchison.

Mrs. W. H. Murchison entertained Saturday evening with a six o'clock dinner in honor of Mr. Murchison's birthday.

A very elaborate four course dinner was served, the table was beautifully decorated with red carnations, the place cards and favors carrying out the color scheme. Covers were laid for Messrs J. R. Oates, Courtney Hunt, C. B. Long, A. H. Alexander, Tom Davis, O. E. Oates of South Bend, and Mr. Murchison. When the gentlemen had finished their coffee and cigars, they came into the living room and found that other guests had arrived. Immediately the dinner party was turned into a bridge party. The late guests were Messrs J. R. Oates, Courtney Hunt, C. B. Long, A. H. Alexander, and Miss Vera Neathery.

After several games of bridge the hostess served delicious refreshments of strawberry ice cream, in carnation moulds, single food cake and minuts.

NEWS ITEMS OF THE WEEK FROM PLAINVIEW SECTION

We have been having some winter weather here of late.

Mrs. Lee Hurst has been seriously ill but is reported better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ulmer are the proud parents of a baby girl since Feb. 2nd.

The home of Mrs. G. W. Coleman was made sad when Chester, the oldest son was taken away very suddenly Sunday afternoon about one o'clock. Chester was a boy who was loved by all who knew him and will be missed, as we have a sweet hope of meeting him in the home beyond. The remains were laid to rest in the Highland cemetery Sunday afternoon at Stamford.

Mr. Medlin and family of Lynn county have moved back to their old home place. We welcome them back. Mr. Medlin says "he feels at home."

Valentine Bland spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sisters, Misses Ole Lee and Jessie Ree Bland of Stamford.

Mrs. M. S. Dodson of Stamford spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Dave Ulmer.

Miss Goldmann Chapman spent Saturday night in the Post community.

SLATS DIARY.

Friday—when I cum home this evening ma sed to me Where you ben & I answered & replied no place she sed Yes you have you ben down to Bud Plattorakes barn boxing with gloves on and so 4th. Now you get the cole & khilins in. I sed how did you no it & she sed a litte bird told her. But I new how she had learnt it & I busted up are old weija hard with a hammer witch wont tell no more tails on me.

Saturday—Mrs. Gillem was telling ma about a ole lady a cross the creek witch has silk worms. ma sed you tel her to drink punkin seed tea. Pa nudged me in the rib & he chokked tring to keep from laffing on his pie. I dont think ma sen the joak nither me.

Sunday—when I cum from being at school I ast pa witch I of the cummiments was the hardest I to keep from busting. pa cleared his throte

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Date of Test: Mar 16, 1921

1. Place Edison (Mark X in record)
Edison 4th

2. Time (Mark X in record)
Morning Afternoon Evening

3. Weather (Mark X in record)
Dull Cold Bright Warm

4. What kind of music did you feel like hearing? (Mark at each which describe such music as it is heard.)
Tender Vivacious Joyous Solemn Majestic Weird Martial Exciting Gay Simple Dreamy Sad

5. What was your mood immediately preceding test?
(Mark X in record)
Serious or Worried or Bright Carefree Gay Depressed or Nervous or Exhilarated Composed Fatigued or Sad or Unfatigued Joyful Discouraged or Optimistic

6. As a result of the test, what were your most noticeable mood changes?
(Serious to gay, gay to serious, worried to carefree, nervous to composed, etc.)
MOOD CHANGE
Serious Carefree
Worried Joyous
Worried Joyous
Worried Joyous

7. Please comment on manner in which mood changes occurred:
I came from a very serious expression and when the first that I heard the music I was

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Pulpwood and Paper Situation.
Ten years ago, the United States produced its entire supply of pulpwood but now two-thirds of it is imported. This means freight rates to be added to the price.

Indications are that the supply of pulpwood timber in New England and New York will be exhausted in twenty years.

In New York alone the supplies will be gone in ten years.

Dependence upon foreign supplies of pulpwood for news print means we will be at the mercy of foreign manufacturers as to prices.

Ten years ago the United States produced its entire news print supply—now we import two-thirds of it.

Only one-third of the newspapers issued in 1919 were printed on the product of the American forests.

High cost of pulp and paper mills prevent the manufacturing plants from following the timbers as do saw mills.

Much pulpwood has now to be freighted 500 miles to the mills.

We bought nearly 1,400,000 tons of pulpwood from Canada in 1918 and prices advanced from \$10 a cord to as high as \$25.—American Forestry Association.

Apron and Handkerchief Sale.
Circle No. 2, of the Christian Ladies Aid will give an apron and handkerchief sale at Well's Furniture Store, on Monday February 21. Some pot plants will also be for sale. 7-2c.

Remember spring is almost here and we have just the kind of rug and furniture to make your home attractive for the glad Easter season. Well's Furniture Store. 711c.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Haskell State of Texas, and you shall cause once each week for three successive weeks before the return day hereof: Notice of Resignation of Guardianship and Filing of Final Exhibit.

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
estates of Fay Deaver, Florine Deaver, and Elizabeth Deaver, Minors, E. C. Couch, guardian of their persons and estates has filed in the County Court of Haskell County, his application in writing for leave to resign said guardianship, and has accompanied the same by an account for final settlement thereof, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the seventh day of March, 1921, at the Court-House in the town of Haskell, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest the account of said guardian, should they see proper to do so.

Herein full met, but have you then and there before said court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, February 7, 1921.
EMORY MENEFFEE, Clerk.
County Court, Haskell County.

Pains Were Terrific

Read how Mrs. Albert Gregory, of R. F. D. No. 1, Blufford, Ill., got rid of her ills. "During . . . I was awfully weak . . . My pains were terrific. I thought I would die. The bearing-down pains were actually so severe I could not stand the pressure of my hands on the lower part of my stomach . . . I simply felt as if life was for but a short time. My husband was worried . . . One evening, while reading the Birthday Almanac, he came across a case similar to mine, and went straight for some Cardui for me to try.

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

"I took it faithfully and the results were immediate," adds Mrs. Gregory. "I continued to get better. all my ills left me, and I went through . . . with no further trouble. My baby was fat and strong, and myself—thank God—am once more hale and hearty, can walk miles, do my work, though 44 years old, feel like a new person. All I owe to Cardui." For many years Cardui has been found helpful in building up the system when run down by disorders peculiar to women.

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Haskell, Texas, February 12, 1921.

The successful preacher knows that a good sermon must not have too much length, but plenty of depth.

Guess Mr. Groundhog didn't see his shadow, and now it will be interesting to note his reliability as a weather prophet.

If Uncle Sam could only turn the tide of immigration to the farms there would be no need of erecting a flood gate against it.

It's a shallow brand of patriotism that doesn't burn as brightly in time of peace as in time of stress. Have you paid your income tax?

Taking your hat off when the band plays the national anthem doesn't get you anything with Uncle Sam unless you pay your income tax.

CASH MUST ACCOMPANY WANT ADVERTISEMENTS

Beginning with our next issue, Feb. 19, we will not publish any local advertising unless accompanied by cash. If anyone carrying a regular account here wants an advertisement charged, it can be done, but others must bring the cash.

All advertisements booked in, will be hung on a waiting hook—waiting for cash.

Our bookkeepers time is too valuable to spend in charging and collecting for a great number of twenty-five and fifty cent items. Please, do not ask us to charge a want ad.

Resolutions of respect and cards of thanks, ten cents per line. All local advertisements in local column, one cent per word each insertion. No local taken for less than twenty-five cents.

In Memoriam.

On February 2, 1921, the Angel of Death appeared with his gentle rap at the door of our beloved friend, Mr. E. A. Thomas, calling him to that home not made by hands. The dissolution of the spirit from the earthly home came at 1 o'clock in the morning.

When the end came it was as the sunset of a beautiful day. There was no cloud on the sky of his happy life. All was well with him and while we mourn at the time, we know that he has merely laid down the cross on earth for the crown in heaven.

Mr. Thomas was born in Jacksonville, Alabama, May 6th, 1858. He has resided in Haskell for the past thirteen years and it was when he came here that he joined the Baptist church and has lived a consistent christian life until death came.

His noble influence will live on in those to whom he gave his devoted love and affection, and the memory of him will fall over them always like a beautiful benediction from above. It was his extreme love and devotion for his family that attained proportions of idolization.

Mr. Thomas was the father of six children all of whom lived to establish homes of their own before the reaper, Death, claimed a link in the family chain.

Left to mourn his loss are: Mrs. E. A. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thomas of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas of this city, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brummett of Enid, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Wichita Falls.

The funeral services occurred at the family residence Friday morning at 11:00 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. Jones. Interment followed at Willow Cemetery.

To those who are left behind, may the noble life he has lived console them and help each of us to meet him in that better world.

A Friend.

Magazine Club Notes.

The Club met Friday February 4th. A large attendance of active and associate members and visitors who are always welcome.

The roll call on Spain were fine. The president Mrs. J. F. Posey, dispatched business in a very capable manner, and turned the meeting over to the director Mrs. J. U. Fields, who had planned a most interesting program.

We are beginning the third book in the course. The Highways and Byways of Spain, the introduction to this study was certainly educational and enjoyable. The parts were so well given.

Map Study: W. W. Fields, Life of Columbus: Mrs. Sanders, Charles I and Phillip II, Mrs. Murchison, Literature of Spain: Mrs. Tyson, Our Relation with Spain: Mrs. Ellis.

Friday February 11, the first eight chapters of the book are to be discussed. It is your loss if you miss these lessons. You have the opportunity of "Brushing Up" on the history of Spain, and perchance learning some.

Keep your eye on the Club lot and follow the example. Help to beautify your home town by planting trees, shrubs, flowers and grass.

The Club is agitating a "Chicken Law." Put your chickens up before you are forced to.

Mrs. Posey is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Murphy of Seymour, expressing her thanks for the cut glass bowl presented her by the Club as a parting gift.

Reporter.

FACT and FICTION

Begin to plan your garden yet?

With January gone spring seems a lot nearer.

Even a bum mechanic can make a good excuse.

Hoover wants America to be rational in her treatment of Europe.

Even as easy task becomes difficult when you tackle it with reluctance.

In courtship it's billing and cooing, but after marriage it's mostly billing.

A word to the wise may be sufficient, but much depends on the word.

It's a waste of time trying to impress people with their own importance.

The thing that makes for success is doing the right thing at the right time.

Diplomacy consists largely of knowing when it is the right time to say nothing.

To the investor in stock propositions the "ground floor" seems to be the ideal location.

Silk shirts have run their course, it is said. Wonder if wrist watches will follow.

Even a woman with the bargain hunting mania draws the line on a cheap looking man.

A sense of humor takes the rough edge off a man's disposition and the links out of his vanity.

An optimist is a fellow who sees better things ahead when everything is breaking against him.

The landlord is one of the persons who evidently have not heard that things are coming down.

Why not let the home brewer alone? Isn't it punishment enough that he must drink his own stuff?

You will find it a lot easier to get along with the other fellow if you let him have his own way once in a while.

Austria threatens to hang all her proficients, which is an encouraging sign that she is coming to her senses at last.

When a city starts in to drive out the crooks, it would be well to see first if there are any on the municipal payroll.

It isn't necessary to try to make fools of some men. Just give them time and they will save you the trouble.

Now that the Allies have fixed the indemnity Germany must pay, wars are likely to be more unpopular in that country hereafter.

These days we hear much of the vast army of the unemployed, but the American farmer is still sending out the S. O. S. for help.

The United States, Great Britain and Japan all seem willing to reduce their navies, but each wants the other two to start first.

Their first plum crop in eight years is about to be picked by the Republicans and there's every evidence that the fruit will find a ready market.

There may be just as good fish in the sea as ever was caught, but you would have a fine time trying to make some married women believe it.

By bringing the Psyche knot back into Vogue Dame Fashion played a mean trick on the girls whom she persuaded to have their hair bobbed to be in the swim of fashion.

NEWS ITEMS FROM THE CURRY CHAPEL SECTION

As we all like to know how our different communities are getting along I thought you might like to know about Curry Chapel, as it has been quite awhile since we have had any news from here.

Most of the farmers are about thru with their cotton gathering and are preparing their land for another crop. Quite a lot of grain has been sown in this part of the country.

This winter has been so mild that the health of our community has been unusually good.

Five years ago last August we organized a little Sunday school at Curry Chapel when the church was first built and even through the war and drought we kept the Sunday school going. Sometimes just a few there and sometimes a house full of people. We have lately reorganized the Sunday school with Mrs. Clarence Norton Supt. Miss Fanny Roberts, Secretary and Miss Minnie Beckham, organist, and as we have come to the times when it seems to be almost absolutely necessary to have more equipment together with new song books for our Sunday school, we have decided to give a box supper at the church Saturday night, February 19th. We give everyone a most cordial invitation to come and bring a box and help us.

Reporter.

New Milliner Arrives Monday

Mrs. Humphries of Plainview, milliner for Grissom's Store, arrived Monday morning. She has been in the millinery business for herself at Plainview for several years and comes highly recommended.

Will Serve Lunch Saturday

Circle No. 1, of the Christian Ladies Aid will serve lunch next Saturday, February 12, on the north side of the square, in the building formerly occupied by the Sutherland & Mauldin Barber Shop. Hot chili and coffee and many other good eats will be served. We invite the public to lunch with us.

Christian Ladies Aid Begin Another Contest

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian Church met on January 31 and was divided into three circles. Mrs. Bailey Post, leader of No. 1, Mrs. Jno. B. Mauldin, leader of No. 2, and Mrs. Courtney Hunt, leader of No. 3. This contest began February 1st and will close May 1st. Much interest is already being manifested and no doubt will be the result of a neat sum for the building fund.

Helpful Hints

Graham Wafers.

One third cup of butter, 1 cup of sugar, white of one egg, 1/2 teaspoon of soda, 2 teaspoons cream of tartar, 1/2 cup of water, Graham flour to knead. Cream butter, add sugar and dry ingredients alternately with water. Fold in white of egg. Knead lightly and roll thin, cut in squares and bake until delicately browned.

Peach Charlotte.

One half box of granulated gelatine, 1/2 cup of water, juice of one lemon, whites of two eggs or one half pint of whipped cream, 1 cup of sugar, peaches. Dissolve gelatine in water, by first allowing to stand five minutes. Then place over boiling water. When partially cooled, add lemon juice and 1 or 2 cups of peaches. Allow to stand until it becomes hardened. Then stir briefly either the whites of two eggs or one half pint whipped cream. Turn in mould first rinsed with cold water. When cold and firm, turn on a cold platter and serve with or without cream.

Veal Pie With Dumplings.

Cut two pounds of course, lean veal into cubes and cook tender in enough cold water to cover it. Have ready 1/2 pound of finely minced pork, an onion chopped fine, and a tablespoon of chopped parsley. Put a strata of veal in the bottom of a buttered baked-dish, cover with this mixture and sprinkle with paprika and with butter. When all the materials are used up in this order, fill the dish with gravy made by thickening the liquor in which the veal was stewed with a little flour. Now prepare a rich biscuit dough and drop from a spoon (the dough should not be at all stiff) into the boiling liquor. Cover and allow to steam until well puffed and light. Garnish the meat platter with the dumplings.

Delicious Milk Soup.

To each cup full of milk use one cupful of water, one tablespoon of butter, a pinch of salt, 1-8 teaspoonful of soda, and one tablespoonful of tomato catsup. Put water in sauce pan, add milk, butter, salt, and soda. Let simmer a few moments, then stir the catsup in quickly. This quantity will serve two.

Baked Sweet Potatoes Creole Style.

Peel six medium sized sweet potatoes. Put them into a deep pan and cover them with a nicely seasoned gravy from a roasting joint of a beef, mutton or pork. Set them into the oven and bake until tender, take care to baste them from time to time.

Faked Pudding.

One quart milk, one pint grated bread crumbs, 1-2 cups of sugar, grated rind and juice of one lemon, yolks of four eggs, current jelly, 1/2 cup of sugar, whites of four eggs. For a change, two ounces of melted chocolate may be added, 1-4 teaspoon of cinnamon and one and one half teaspoons of vanilla. Beat yolks of eggs, add sugar, grated rind and juice, then milk, and pour over bread crumbs. Let stand about an hour, then bake until firm in center. Spread with jelly and cover with meringue made of 1/2 cup of sugar and whites of eggs. Return to oven to brown meringue.

Orange Egg Pudding.

Peel and slice a half dozen oranges and set aside, with a cupful of sugar over them; in a mixing bowl pour the whites of six eggs, beat until stiff, add a pint of thick cream previously whipped, and two teaspoonfuls of gelatine, which has been dissolved in a little cold water; set this mixture away to cool, and when partially hardened, stir in the orange and sugar very lightly and pack in a mould. Serve cold.

Cabbage.

Quarter a small cabbage and boil in salted water; when tender, skim out and let stand until perfectly cold. Chop very fine, add two beaten eggs, butter, salt, pepper and milk. Mix well and bake.

Boiled Rice Pudding.

Boil a cupful of rice in a two teacupful of water. When the water is absorbed add a quart of milk and cook until the rice is soft. Add a piece of butter, a little salt, 3 beaten eggs, and a teacup or more of sugar. Put into a buttered basin, grate nutmeg over the top and bake forty-five minutes.

Mrs. John Oates Entertains

On February 2, 1921, Mrs. John Oates entertained with a delightful dinner and bridge party, honoring her husband on the anniversary of his birthday.

Promptly at 7 o'clock the gentlemen arrived. After much merriment and happy wishes for the honor guest, they were ushered into the dining room. Here they were served with an elaborate four course dinner. After partaking of such a feast, they returned to the living room, here they were surprised to find their wives assembled for the bridge party.

Five delightful games of bridge were played after which the host, assisted by Mrs. C. B. Long, served Parfait Novel and angel food cake.

In the wee small hours the guests took their departure, all expressing themselves as having the time of their lives.

Those enjoying Mrs. Oates' hospitality were: Messrs John Oates, Courtney Hunt, Henry Alexander, W. H. Murchison, C. B. Long, Mesdames C. B. Long, Hunt, Alexander, Murchison. The out of town guests were; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Alexander of Seymour.

A Guest.

LINCOLN THE MAN



"Let not him who is homeless pull down the house of another, but let him labor diligently to build one for himself."

A. Lincoln

A recent writer on Lincoln as a "lover of mankind" has likened him to two other great men who have become a common possession of our Anglo-Saxon race. Although they seem almost as far separated from each other as from Lincoln himself, both Chaucer and Sir Walter Scott reveal to the careful observer the qualities that provoked a comparison apparently so remote. These are the qualities of a lover of mankind.

Chaucer displayed them in depicting, with sympathy for all, the group of widely various characters who made their immortal Canterbury Pilgrimage together. Scott displayed them not only through the creatures of his imagination, but also in his recorded relations with all his fellow beings. In that respect Chaucer is at a disadvantage, because he lived long before biography had attained anything like its modern abundance. Lincoln, later than Scott, and more tempting to bi-

Lincoln and Sumner.

Lincoln was modestly proud of his stature and of the effect of the physical man, especially when actuated by noble sentiments. He used to speak of his height to every tall man he met, and to propose measuring—another guileless habit of self-gratification. The only refusal he is known to have received was from Charles Sumner, who was also tall and proud of his height. Sumner was worrying the President, as he often did, about some perplexing matter, when Lincoln abruptly challenged him to measure. "Sumner declined," said Lincoln, "making a fine speech about this being the time for uniting our fronts against the enemy, and not our backs. But I guess he was afraid, though he is a good piece of a man. I have never had much to do with bishops where I live, but, do you know, Sumner is my idea of a bishop."—Harper's Weekly.

As Lincoln is Remembered.

The work he did, the sum of his deeds and their great fruitage, may inspire the chronicler of our national life and the recorder of God's handwriting in the annals of His world; but to the rank and file, who know but vaguely the details of his heroic achievements, the memory of Lincoln takes the form of a warming, loving, saddening personal presence, a latter-day reflection of the everlasting Man of Sorrows.

Why Lincoln Helped a Bug.

President Lincoln was walking with a friend about Washington and turned back for some distance to assist a beetle that had got on its back and lay on the walk, legs sprawling in air, vainly trying to turn itself over. The friend expressed surprise that the President, burdened with the cares of a warring nation, should find time to spare in assisting a bug.

Cut Lincoln Off His List.

General Huidekoper in 1862 detailed two companies of his regiment to guard President Lincoln's summer residence. He saw the President constantly and they became real friends.

The first time the general met the President, Lincoln, who had heard that the Huidekopers came from Holland, inquired: "What is the difference between an Amsterdam Dutchman and any other Dutchman?"

And the general, who admired Lincoln above all other Americans, adds: "If I had had any awe of the President it was then and there forever gone."—Girard, in Philadelphia Ledger.

Funeral Train of the Martyred President Leaving Washington Under Escort.

The splendor of the ceremonials which aggrandize living royalty as much as they glorify dead heroism was wholly wanting in the obsequies of Mr. Lincoln. No part was taken by the government except the provision of a suitable military escort. All beyond was the spontaneous movement of the people. For seven hundred miles, through eight great states of the Union whose population was not less than 15 million, an almost continuous procession of mourners attended the remains of the beloved President. There was no pageantry save their presence. There was no tribute but their tears. They bowed before the bier of him who had been prophet, priest and king to his people, who had struck the shackles from the slave, who had taught a higher sense of duty to the free man, who had raised the nation to a loftier conception of faith and hope and charity.

ographers because of his high place, is the most fully recorded of them all—although there is no single book about him that seems so sure to persist as the "Life of Scott," by Scott's son-in-law, Lockhart.

It is in the very variety and extent of the studies of Lincoln's character that the strength of his hold on the imagination of the world is shown. Fifty-six years have passed since he met his tragic death. Through all that period the interpretations of his character—historical, analytical, poetical—have steadily increased in number. The bare facts of his unique, yet strangely typical and significant career, arranged themselves in perspective like the nets of a great up-lifting tragedy. If he had lived in the days when myths were made, it is easy to imagine that in the process of time he would have grown into a great mythical figure, a King Arthur of the New World, a half-divine hero like those that we associate with the most distant antiquity.

But he belonged to no such period. His age is one of the most amply recorded in all history, and the records of his life are so intertwined with those of men and events quite without poetic or heroic suggestion, that his feet can never be wholly removed from the earth. Indeed, it is much better that no such possibility exists. We need to know that out of our common life can spring so extraordinary an example of the development of which our human nature is capable.

When all is said and done, when his wisdom, his patience, his sacrifice are fully remembered, we shall delight pre-eminently to recall him as the friendly, humorous, accessible lover of mankind.—Youth's Companion.

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WANTED—Four or five ton of maize heads, give me your best price also distance and direction from kell, R. H. Pigg, Route 4.

FOR SALE—My residence, on north and two block east of the J. F. Posey, etc

WE WILL PAY the highest price for clean cotton rags. Free Press.

I have for rent 120 acres, ten tools for sale on time to man to run himself. Geo. H. Morrison, Haskell, Texas.

STRAYED—One bay mare, with square. Also one black crippled in right hind leg. I. S. staff.

A BALE of clean rags is worth more than a bale of cotton this week. Free Press Office.

FOR SALE—Full blooded B. horn eggs. \$1.50 per 15 or \$3.00, or \$8.50 per hundred. Horsterton.

FOR SALE—One dozen White horn pullets and two dozen Leghorn pullets at \$1.50 each. Free.

FOR SALE—1920 Ford car new. Registered Herford built, three years old, good use. L. lam.

STRAYED—From my farm, Roberts school house, two white black sows, weighing about 200 lbs. Finder please notify me and reward. W. W. Murchison.

FOR SALE—One Planter, row, one walking middle row sulky plow, one buggy, one cultivators. For terms see Reynolds.

BARBER SHOP for sale for land. Price \$1,000.00. See other in two notes, one in other one year from March. A. Draper, O'Brien, Texas.

ITCH—It is an awful disease—the best of them get it. It is pen to get it don't despair. Woodalls Drug Store. They sell a remedy that they cure it. It is put up in \$1.00 sizes. Woodalls Drug Store, 25, Gore, Texas.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Red Jersey bull, "Jinks" good individual from fine his calves show up well, and breech. See or phone J. M. two miles northeast of Haskell.

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode eggs for getting. 1st post cocks from A. & M. Post, \$3.00 for 15. 2nd post \$1.50. All good laying strains. Baker, Phone 877.

With a Nation's Tribute



The splendor of the ceremonials which aggrandize living royalty as much as they glorify dead heroism was wholly wanting in the obsequies of Mr. Lincoln. No part was taken by the government except the provision of a suitable military escort. All beyond was the spontaneous movement of the people. For seven hundred miles, through eight great states of the Union whose population was not less than 15 million, an almost continuous procession of mourners attended the remains of the beloved President. There was no pageantry save their presence. There was no tribute but their tears. They bowed before the bier of him who had been prophet, priest and king to his people, who had struck the shackles from the slave, who had taught a higher sense of duty to the free man, who had raised the nation to a loftier conception of faith and hope and charity.

SHOWING

Newest of pretty things can be found among our suits, coats, dresses and hats. We have just returned from our market trip. All the market affords was ours to select from. You will like the selection we made for you.

Gray

Gray is a headliner this season, when it's not Navy, it's Gray. We show you Gray from head to foot.

A pretty combination, Navy Suit, Grey Hose and Hat. We have what you will want in this color.

Navy

Navy, the old stand-by, comes forward this season with all it's renewed popularity. Navy was never quite so good and leads all colors, unless it be Gray, which is a close first. The combination of Navy and Gray is very strong. Again the Navy with the new shade of red (called flame) as trimmings, or in a hat, makes a beautiful contrast.

Shoes

You will like them, Pumps, Straped Pumps, Oxfords, Plain and Brogue. Never did we take more pains to get just the right style and last, neat soft foot wear that puts the finishing touches to any costume.

Dress Goods

You will be enthusiastic about these new goods, your taffetas, canton crepes, charmeuses, etc., are here in all their new colors, and you will be surprised when you see how cheap these goods are. In fact, we worked hard to procure new goods at popular prices.

Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Department
Opens its New Goods Friday

J. E. Grissom & Co.

Hunt's Stand

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our Kodak Films to the
for quick service.

H. L. Daugherty, Prop.

OUR GENTLEMAN AGENT

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J. R. Watkins Medicines,
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Write today for free par-
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Samuel Shiles.

Poor Mother.
other of a large family life
one darned stocking after
Boston Transcript.

Frontier Riding Records.

Two notable cavalry rides of the frontier days were those of Tom Tobin and John Kirley. Tobin, when a mere lad, carried dispatches for Gen. Kearney during the Mexican war, once making a record of 800 miles in less than 21 days, using six horses. Kirley performed a similar service from the army camp near Salt Lake during the Mormon troubles, riding to Fort Hays, 1,100 miles in 17 days, using only four horses. He had to make the last mount a few miles from the destination and carry his saddle in.

Folly Comes Home to Him.

When Charley abdicated his throne and retired to the monastery of St. Juste, he amused himself by trying to learn watchmaking. After some time he remarked one day: "What an egregious fool must I have been to have squandered so much blood and treasure in an absurd attempt to make men think alike, when I cannot even make a few watches keep time together."

Famous Sons of Clergymen.

Of a thousand great names chosen at random, 170 were sons of ministers. Dryden, Addison, Goldsmith, Reynolds, Herschell, Wren, Jenner, Nelson, Cecil Rhodes, Colorado, Cowper, Tennyson, Tweede, Kingsley and Blackmore are among them.

Don't bother with poor flour.

A sack of Belle of Wichita will prove that the best is the cheapest. Alexanders. 1c

F. L. Daugherty has moved his office

to the Theatre building.

A lot of boys still in hospitals

would be glad to pay a 1920 income tax. How about yours?

Remember how you cheered on Armistice Day?

Paying your income tax is evidence of real patriotism.

The words "peace and victory"

will have a holier meaning when you have paid your income tax.

Every dollar of your income tax

goes into the common till for the common good. Pay it today.

Remember the war cost billions.

Your income tax for 1920 helps to defray part of it.

Not all of us can be heroes, but all

of us can be patriots. Payment of your income tax helps to make you one.

Be thankful you are paying an income

tax to Uncle Sam and not an indemnity to William Hohenzollern.

Miss Eupha Todd of Waco arrived

Monday to visit friends.

If the war had not been won in 1918,

what would have been your income tax for 1920? Pay it with thankfulness.

Belle of Wichita Flour better than

ever at Alexanders.

THE POET

By JACK LAWTON.

(© 1921, Western Newspaper Union.)
"It seems to me," Bob Chalmers said, "that you are looking thin, Don, and worried."

The young men sat before the fireplace in Bob's bachelor apartment. It was sometime since the two had met, and after the usual recollections of college days spent together, Bob, eying his friend over the bowl of his pipe, made the concerned remark.

"I am worried," Don burst out impulsively, "terribly worried over Helen, which is the new name my fiancée has given herself, and it's part of the new foolishness that possesses her. Where she got it I don't know, unless the poet fellow who gave readings before her aunt's culture class put the nonsense into her head. However that may be, an ordinary man is mere common clay, in Helen's opinion, since the poet made his entrance and exit. I, it appears, am the commonest of all because of my devotion to business. And she has not spared my feelings in hinting that a matter of fact business man is no fitting mate for her. She must soar, she says, whatever that may be, to a more elevating sphere, and all that rot."

"We quarrel every time we meet. She wants a poet for a lover. So I'm out."

Donald leaned forward abruptly. "And it hurts to lose her," he said, "that's the strange part of it. With all her unreasonable whims, little Helen is the only one girl for me."

Bob Chalmers studied the fire with an amused smile.

"Couldn't you turn poet," he asked, "until her fancy passes?"

Donald Bruce arose and reached for his coat.

"No, I can't," he answered shortly. "And the thing is not a fancy with Helen, but a conviction. My middle name is Gloom, these days. Can I drop in and unload my troubles when I pass your city next month? It's mighty nice to have a friend on my route."

"Always welcome," Bob Chalmers answered. "Where did you say that your little girl lives?"

"In Elsmere," Donald replied. "a small town in easy commuting distance."

Bob Chalmers whistled meditatively as he removed his necktie and continued to whistle rumpiling his wavy locks before the mirror.

At the end of a month Donald came again. Bob Chalmers greeted him cordially, then as his friend was comfortably seated in the big chair, Bob frowned.

"Thinner and more worn looking than ever!" he exclaimed.

Don also frowned.

"Well, don't rub it in," he said. "If one is fool enough to fall in love with a girl, one has to keep on loving her. It seems. At least that's my case. And now—" he laughed shortly, "there is no hope for me at all. Helen has met her poet."

Bob stared.

"Oh! Well, poets these days are much like their brothers," he comforted. "Have to be up to date and busy. The idyllic dreamer was a product of the past."

"Not this poet," Don contradicted. "He is all that the heart of a romantic maiden could wish. My own sister is touched with Helen's enthusiasm—describes this stranger's charms by the hour, then sits looking pensively into space. It would almost," added Bruce, "make you sick. His name's enough to make a man sick, too—Leslie Laverne."

"Sounds made up," said Bob. "Probably is," Donald agreed.

The evening was not a success. Don took his departure early.

"I'm not good company," he sadly told his friend. In understanding sympathy Bob wrung his hand.

"Cheer up," he said, "and do not fail to stop over on your next trip."

Donald's next coming was after more than a month's absence. Bob, leaning back under the lamp, and smiling at nothing in particular, heard his friend's voice at the door.

"Come right in, Don," he called, and Don came in. His face was beaming. He fell promptly into the proffered chair and as promptly began his story.

"You see," he explained, "I can't stay long, for Helen is just around the corner at her aunt's, waiting for me to take her to the theater. We are engaged again, and I guess the poet did the job for me. Anyway, Helen never wants to see a poet again. 'Fed up,' as I understand it. Read lyrics to her morning, noon and evening, and incidentally took his meals at her house, later, to the disgust of the family. They rather liked the fellow at first, it appears, but when he monopolized the house and continued to overlook such worldly matters as taxi fares or the price of opera tickets, when he and Helen went out together, why, it was not only her faith in him which was shaken, but the whole structure of her fanciful theory. Beauty is all right in its place, you know, but present needs recognized. Anyway, little Helen sent for me, and I went like a dog. And now you should hear her prate of the nobleness of true manhood, meaning—myself."

"Don," his friend remarked quietly, "all has worked out as I expected. And now, the least you can do is to put me straight with your story. I have been Leslie Laverne."

Mrs. Mammie Barron returned Wednesday morning from St. Louis.

F. M. Edwards of Wehnert was a city visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Massengale Herrington has been called to the bed side of her husband D. F. Herrington, near Corsicana.

Try Belle of Wichita for your pastry and baking. It is superior to most flours. At Alexanders.

Sleep-Walking.
A boy's parents one morning that the night he had dreamed he got out of bed and climbed to the summit of an enormous rock, where he discovered an eagle's nest which he took away with him and placed beneath his bed. It was discovered later that these events had actually taken place. The precipice he had ascended was of a nature that baffled even the most experienced mountaineers, and the nest was discovered beneath his bed, just as he had stated.

Exchange

Getting Results.
"When it comes to impressing the popular mind," said Senator Sorghum, "a party platform is quite likely to prove less important than the rear platform of a special train."

Hit and Miss.
When a woman emphasizes how much she misses her husband it may only signify that she has tried to throw the crockery at him.—Cartoons Magazine.

The Novel-Writer.

What am I, a novel writer, trying to do? I am trying, with such limited means as I have at my disposal, to make little pocket-theaters out of words. I am trying to be architect, scene painter, upholsterer, dramatist and stage manager, all at once. Is it any wonder if we novelists do not succeed as well as we could wish when we try to be masters of so many trades?—F. Marion Crawford.

Spines of Porcupine.

The spines of a porcupine, in the usual position, lie nearly flat, with their points directed backward, but when the animal is excited they are capable of being raised. The quills are loosely inserted in the skin and may, on being violently shaken, become detached, a circumstance which probably gave rise to the purely fabulous statement that the animal possesses the power of actually ejecting its quills like arrows or darts at an enemy.

Women's Spring Suits

Since the suit is worn for such a variety of occasions, it becomes an indispensable part of the wardrobe and must be chosen with care. The woman who is now planning to add a smart suit to her wardrobe will be particularly interested to know that these new suits have come. A remarkable range of choice await your selection, many of them breathing the spirit of youth, everyone instantly recognizes as a product of designers genius, beautifully made and carefully finished. A cordial invitation is extended you to visit this department.

Millinery News

A number of beautiful hats in clever, novel designs, some with ostrich feathers, or spring flowers, or in tailored effects, with just a suggestion of trimming, are brightening our millinery department. Large, small, medium, with brims up-turned, flat or drooping, toques, turbans and many unusual new shapes are going to provide the Chic Finesse to many a costume.

F. G. Alexander & Sons

We Sell Groceries at Such Small Profit

Every man should do his "bit" in this reconstruction period. We are doing our "bit" by selling our friends and customers the best groceries at the very lowest price for which they can be handled. This policy may deprive us of some luxuries, but it will enable you to meet your obligations and perhaps save enough for a rainy day.

Let us remind you once again that we handle only the best brand of groceries, also the best bread. Give us a trial.

Industrial Transportation Company

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OLD LOVE TOKENS

Years Ago All Valentines Had a Personal Touch.

Much of the Romance of the Day Has Passed, Though Sentiment Is the Same as Ever.

Three hundred years ago young men and women wrote their own valentines, which consisted then only of love notices, or declarations of affection, written in verse from a very full heart and on plain paper. Many of our great-grandmothers saved these old missives.

Perhaps our parents came across such valentines, old and yellow and decaying, packed away in lavender in the bottom of a dusty trunk up in the attic. Yet when these valentines were first penned and put in her hand how grandma's heart did palpitate and the dimples rise to her cheeks! No matter how halting the sonnet, or anagram or triole, it was the music of love to her. "Heart," "dare" and "art" did rhyme sweetly!

The machine-made valentines that we buy nowadays have lost this personal touch, though perhaps some of them have gained from an artistic point of view. Today it is only the school children and a few open-hearted interested grown-ups who find the custom of valentine making and valentine giving the fascination that it used to be. Why, even Charles Lamb wrote valentines, and loved to.

Now the modern young man drops in a confectioner's or florist's shop and orders candy or flowers sent to her. He scorns the valentine sonnet—whereby the girls of today are missing a heap of romance.

This was the day when a young man might accuse some young woman he admired of being a coquette without insulting her. In those days "coquette" had just such a naughty meaning as "vamp" has today. It meant a heartless trifle.

If she thereupon sent him a hand-made valentine on which were two bleeding hearts made as one, it was her answer to his accusation. It meant that conquering the hearts of other men than he, meant nothing to her; that only his heart and hers in all the world counted, that her heart was bleeding for him just as much as his was suffering for her.

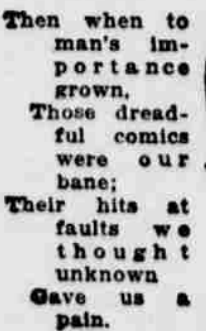
The comic valentine is an outgrowth or burlesque of the super-sentimental valentine and has almost died out. Instead of pointing out the recipient's perfections and charms it dwells vividly and uncomplimentarily on his mannerisms, clothes and appearance, in colored caricature. Red hair, large noses, blotched complexions, remarkable skinniness or avoirdupois are usually the jocular themes. Because valentines are sent anonymously, it is possible with impunity to remark scathingly on the physical characteristics or disposition of one's friends or foes.

NOT AS IN DAYS OF OLD

Valentine Day Missives Somehow Differ From Those of One's Gay and Festive Youth.



When we were yet a youngster small, And sweet hearts true swapped valentines, What joy was ours! How we recall Their mushy lines!



Then when to man's importance grown, Those dreadful comics were our bane; Their hits at faults we thought unknown Gave us a pain.



But February 14 moves us no more, Although the day brings missives still; We get a dunning letter, or, Perchance a bill.



No old time token greets our eye, To make us either gay or mad; Both love and malice pass us by— It's very sad.

Make Sure of Valentine Kiss. If you have no sweetheart to come to kiss you early on St. Valentine's morning, go out and sweep the nearest well with a broom. Once the cobwebs are gone he will come flying.

YOU don't use as much of Calumet as you do of most other Baking Powders. It has more than ordinary leavening strength. You save about half.

You don't pay a big price for Calumet. It's sold at a moderate price—that represents another saving.

You don't feel uncertain as to results. Baking never fails—because Calumet never falls below the proven standard of "Best by Test."

Use only half the amount usually required



CALUMET BAKING POWDER

BEST BY TEST

It possesses the highest quality ever put into a Baking Powder. Contains only such ingredients as have been officially endorsed by United States Food Authorities.

For weeks, for months, it keeps as fresh and full of strength as the day it left the Calumet Factories, the World's Largest, Most Sanitary and Modern Baking Powder plants.

Pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet Gold Medal Recipe: Yolks of 4 eggs, 1 1/2 cups sifted flour, 3/4 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup water, 1/2 cup Calumet Baking Powder, 1/2 cup vanilla. Mix in the regular way.

Notice for Selection of County Depository

Notice is hereby given that any banking corporation, association, or individual banker in Haskell County, desiring to be selected as the County Depository shall deliver to the County Judge on or before Monday, February 14th, 1921, a sealed proposal or bid stating the rate of interest offered on the County Funds for the next twelve months. The funds to be so deposited including all moneys collected for taxes and deposited in said depository selected, and the same shall draw interest computed monthly upon the daily balances to the credit of the county and tax collector.

Said depository shall be chosen at a regular meeting of the County Court on Monday, February 14th, 1921, and each proposal or bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$1200.00, as a guaranty of good faith; that if such bid be accepted, said check will enter into the bond required, and upon failure of the corporation or association, or individual banker that may be selected as depository, to give the required by law, the amount of said certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages, and the County Judge shall readvertise for bids. C. B. L. County Judge, Haskell County.

CITATION IN PROBATE THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following citation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the citation in the County of Haskell, State of Texas and you shall cause said citation to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

CITATION IN PROBATE THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Bettie Lou Hargrave, Edmond Clayton Hargrave, and Viola Lauretta Hargrave, Minors.

On the 22 day of January, A. D. 1921, the Honorable C. B. Long, County Judge of Haskell County, Texas, made an order appointing J. W. Hargrave temporary guardian of the estates of the above named minors, which said order is now recorded in the Probate minutes of said Court, said minors hav-

ing an estate of the probable value of \$3,000.00, consisting of an undivided interest in a farm in Denton county, containing about 122 1/2 acres of land.

All persons interested in the welfare of Bettie Lou Hargrave, Edmond Clayton Hargrave, and Viola Lauretta Hargrave, Minors, are hereby cited to appear before the County Court of Haskell county, Texas, at the Court House in the town of Haskell on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1921, the same being at a regular term of said Court, then and there to contest such appointment if they so desire, and that if such appointment is not contested at such term, then the same shall become permanent.

Here I fail Not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Haskell, Texas, this 22nd day of January, 1921.

Emory Menefee, Clerk, County Court, Haskell County, Texas. I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Writ now in my hands. At Cousins, Sheriff.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE WHITMAN COMMUNITY

Most of the farmers are busy preparing their land for another year. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dawson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hanna Sunday.

Mr. Bernard Meredith and Miss Minnie Lee Dendy and Mr. Hugh Dendy and Miss Sallie Evans visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill Sunday.

Jimmie Thompson, Fay Dunlap, Leslie Gibson, Nina Dunlap, Grant Maxwell and Martha Dunlap all went to the river Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of Ballew visited her mother Mrs. Dunlap Sunday.

The party at Ernest Tidwell's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Reba Dyer and Miss Flossie Pinkley from Joe Ballew attended the singing at C. W. Bledsoe's Sunday night.

Miss Fanny Bell Dendy visited Miss Opal Seats Sunday evening.

Mr. Prindle who has been on the sick list for several weeks is reported to be some better at this writing.

Miss Olga Coffey visited her parents at Anson Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mae Bell Taylor and Miss Dorothy Clifton of Haskell visited Miss Bertha Lane Saturday.

Mrs. Burson and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Frierson visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Frierson Sunday.

Mr. Henry Crow from Haskell is visiting in this community Sunday.

Miss Ida Fond of Rule visited Miss Opal Seats Saturday night.

Mr. Newt Wardenlow of Weinert, visited Miss Gladys Tidwell Sunday evening.

Mr. Will Chastain and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frierson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hanna visited Mr. J. H. Lawson and family Monday.

The singing at C. W. Bledsoe's Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. Busy Bees.

COWBOY ACTORS ARE ALWAYS HUNGRY

Realism in motion pictures may be commendable, but with a set of hungry cowboys running around loose, realism in foodstuffs is not always wise in face of the present H. C. of L. Anyway a country store filled with all sorts of appetizing goodies,—canned fruit, chewing gum, chocolate bars, etc., proved too much for the cowpunchers in "Cupid—the Cowpuncher," which comes to Dick's Theatre soon.

The picture is a Goldwyn and Will Rogers, the star, gets in some of his best fancy roping stunts. The cowpunchers, led by Tex Parker, who is "Monkey Mike" in the play, had roped about everything on the lot and were hankering for new fields to conquer when the store set was made. They greeted it with a (silent) whoop of delight, and from that time on things would suddenly vanish mysteriously from the shelves.

Very soon a realization of something radically wrong struck Director Clarence Badger.

"What's happened to those shelves?" he shouted. "Oh, nothing, much" drawled Tex.

"Where's all those cans of fruit?" demanded Badger.

"I can't say exactly, but I will say that's as good jam as ever I ate," was the only satisfaction he got from Tex as the boys hastily fell to piling up the empties on the denuded shelves.

We can fit your home until it will be a real pleasure to entertain your friends. Well's Furniture Store, 7-10

I'm Yours says \$5 Bill

if you catch me!

FRIEDMAN-SHELBY THE ALL-LEATHER SHOE CO. INTERNATIONAL SHOE CO.

\$5.00 cash and a new pair of shoes will be given to the wearer who finds paper in the heels, counters, insoles or outsoles of any shoes made by us, bearing the above trade-mark.

For the children, particularly, you should insist on Friedman-Shelby "All-Leather" Shoes, because nothing but leather-built shoes will stand the hard knocks that the little folks give them day after day. Men, too, know what leather means in footwear and women are gaining a keener appreciation every day. Friedman-Shelby "All-Leather" Shoes are made in a wide variety of styles and prices, for all the family. Just ask your shoe dealer.

"It Takes Leather to Stand Weather"

GRISSOM'S
"The Store With the Goods."

Friedman-Shelby
"ALL-LEATHER" SHOES

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We have opened a garage in the building formerly occupied by the Pinkerton Shop on the east side of the square, and are now ready to take care of your automobile repairing.

Bring us your car the next time you are in trouble and let us show you how quickly we can fix it for you. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Claude Menefee, Garage

FREE Trial for 3 Days

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Come to our store right away—select an Edison phonograph and a dozen records—and we'll deliver them promptly to your home for a 3 day trial which will not cost you a cent or place under any obligation to buy! How can we do this? Because

EDISON'S NEW DIAMOND AMBEROL

is the world's greatest phonograph value. Meet any test, when "talking machine" ordinary phonographs fail. If the Edison convinces you, we'll let you own the Amberol on practically your own terms! Hurry right down to our store for this Free Trial or you may have to wait your turn.

McNEILL & SMITH HARDWARE CO.

ATTENTION

We have opened an up-to-date mattress factory in the building across the street from the Texas Garage and Filling Station and are prepared to make anything in the mattress line. If you have ever seen any of our work we extend you an invitation to visit our factory. Your patronage will be appreciated.

We also make a specialty of renovating old mattresses—Why pay a high price for a mattress when you can have a better one made for less.

Pinkerton Mattress Co.

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Depot St.

No. 470. 5-2tc.
Application for Letters of Guardianship.
STATE OF TEXAS
The sheriff or any Constable of any county, is hereby commanded to cause published once each week for a period of thirty days before the return day of said writ, a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously published for a period of one year in said Haskell county, a copy of the following notice: STATE OF TEXAS: Persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, Alice Lammert, Bert, and Bertha Lammert, F. Lammert has filed in the County Court of Haskell county, an application for Letters of Guardianship of said Minors which application will be heard at the said Court, commencing on

the first Monday in March, A. D. 1921, the same being the 7th day of March, A. D. 1921, at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.
Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, this the 28th day of January A. D. 1921.
EMORY MENEFFEE, Clerk.
County Court, Haskell County, Texas.
PLENTY OF MONEY TO LOAN
On good farms at 8 per cent interest. If you want a loan come and see us we will protect your interest.
Sanders & Wilson, Haskell, Texas.

Asbestos.
The earliest use of asbestos was for spinning and weaving to make incombustible thread and yarn rope and cloth, and this has continued to be the most important use of asbestos ever since the days of the Greeks and Romans. Only the best grades can be used for this purpose, according to the United States geological survey, department of the Interior. Thread can now be spun so fine that it will run about 32,000 feet to the pound.
Piles Cured in 5 to 14 Day.
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, burning, bleeding or protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can rest assured after the first application. Price 60c.
REMEMBER THIS
We keep all watch and jewelry repairs in large fire-proof safe overnights.
Repair Department, A. F. WOODS.

CUPID'S OWN DAY

Fourteenth of February Belongs to Him Alone.

Anniversary Brightens the Drab Month With Memories of the Past and Joy of the Present.

Brightening the dull, drab month of February and doing their very best to cheer up and bring love into our hearts, the valentines—the valentines smile at us with their lace-and-forget-me-not daintiness from the shop windows.

There are elaborate "millionaire" valentines of celluloid and blue ribbons that come in big lace boxes. Like French dolls; there are valentines that when pulled out like an accordion become Cinderella coaches of cardboard, laden with Loves and Venuses and Cupids. Others resolve themselves into airy pink-and-blue palaces—you never know—peopled with delightful goddesses and doves.

But the best and most sincere, perhaps are the old-fashioned valentines—sheets of foamy paper lace, through which you look upon hearts redder than lovers' lips, in a prospect of violets and forget-me-nots. And hidden away, like a billet doux in a bouquet, a little verse:

This heart, sweet love, I send to you,
Together with these violets blue.
And if you like this heart of mine,
I pray you be my valentine.

Could anything be more simple or direct to the point? As unerringly as Cupid's darts or a beau's rapier, the verse carries its message home. It may be that the Elizabethan lyrics, the love songs of Herrick and Lovelace and Suckling, survive today only in the valentine.

And, ah, what memories these harbingers of love bring with them! They lead us back along the columbine-bordered road to yesterday, over the asphodel meadows of Youth and First Love and Childhood Fancies, and we meet and kiss our first sweethearts again—alas, they have gone out of our lives these many years.

And so, dear little Valentine, accept these violets and forget-me-nots, and hug this message close to your heart—for surely a sweetheart is the sweeter for a valentine, and, as all wise men know, 'tis love that makes the world go round.

GOOD OLD SAINT IN TROUBLE

Embarrassed by Shower of Hearts Though It Would Seem He Should Be Used to It.

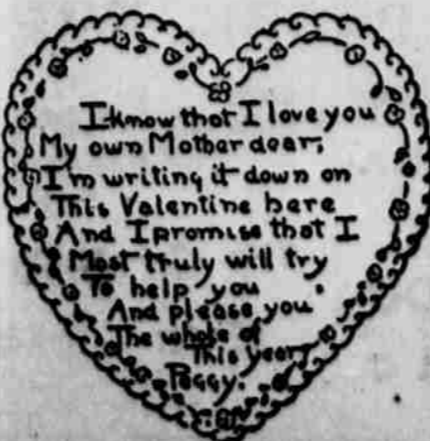


St. Valentine slyly
Put up his umbrella.
"This shower of hearts
Would embarrass a fellow.
"I'm glad that I manage it
Once in a year
Exercise is the thing
Hearts are needing, I fear.
"While many are beating,
They're all out of tune,
And cold as December
Instead of warm June.
"So I'll mix 'em and change 'em
And warm 'em up, too."
I wonder if he'll fix
Your heart up for you?

Valentine Challenge.
One form which the observance of Valentine's day took in England was that of a person's valentine being the first young man or woman that person saw on Valentine's day. This developed into the custom of challenging one's valentine by saying, "Good morning, 'tis St. Valentine's day." The one who said it first upon meeting a person of the opposite sex received a gift.

Interesting Valentine Reading.
Interesting reading for Valentine's day is Dickens' account of Samival Weller's laborious writing of a valentine to his housemaid love, signed "Your lovesick Pickwick."

TEDDY'S VALENTINE



Save On Groceries

We want your trade not just because of the little profit it will bring us, but because of the opportunity for us to show you your advantage in trading here, and by that means extend our business and thus help more people effect a real saving.

We help you to save because we sell for cash and therefore have no bad accounts to be paid by charging good customers higher prices in order to cover such losses. You buy and pay for what you get.

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Haskell, Texas

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WIT AND HUMOR

New View.
Mrs. Grimm—"And so you are going to be my son-in-law?"
He—"By Jove! I hadn't thought of that!"—Tit-Bits.

Was in a Hurry.
"You seem very attentive to that soap-box orator."
"Yes," replied the man who worries about fuel. "He is standing on the makings of a fine bunch of kindling wood."—Washington Star.

Just a Street Car Drizzle.
She (getting ready for theater)—"Is it raining?" He—"Not a taxi rain."—New Haven Register.
There was little hen and she laid a lot of eggs:
She hatched 'em into chickens with feathers on their legs!
The chickens grew to pullets, as such like chickens order.
And each sold down in the market for two dollars and a quarter.
—San Francisco Bulletin.

Not Experienced.
Bride—"Is there any age at which children cease to be a care?"
Nonagenarian—"I can't say, my oldest is only 70."
—Kansas City Star.

Easy to Do.
Maggie—"What, you back here? I thought you had fallen into a fortune!"
Henry—"I did and went right through it!"—Cartoons Magazine.

An Optimist.
Let poets sing their little song
And gaily smite the lyre;
Give me the man who whistles while
He's putting on a tire.—Exchange.

The Press.
It's wonderful to think about
The power of the press.
It tells us what the statesman says
And how the ladies dress,
What's on at every movie show
And who is going wrong.
Without this monitor and guide
We couldn't get along.

The Luck Fifth.
"Nice children you have. What are they?"
"The fifth."
"He seems to be the healthiest looking of the lot."
"Yes, by the time he came along his mother had run out of theories."—Boston Transcript.

Still Doing Business.
Mrs. Trotter—"Yes, we're just back from Colorado. We've been up to the top of Pike's Peak."
Mrs. Homebody—"Dear me! I've heard my father speak of going to Pike's Peak when he was a boy. I had no idea they still had it out there."
—Boston Post.

Mr. Lee Copeland spent the week-end with his family in Alford.

Miss Billie Veazy of Wichita Falls is spending her months leave of absence with her mother Mrs. H. E. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lee spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Lee's brother W. B. Tysinger of Electra.

New Showing of Spring Ready-to-wear and Millinery

Saturday, Feb. 12th

We will have on display for your inspection a beautiful line of Fisk hats. This line of millinery is one of the oldest and best known lines in the country and you cannot go wrong on style or workmanship when your new spring hat is a Fisk. The prices range from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Also a good showing of King Bee hats, the newest and the very latest in Spring Styles and Patterns. Prices range from \$5.00 to \$8.50.

Spring Suits

Our line of Spring suits are direct from New York—from one of the largest manufacturer of coats and coat suits, noted for their superior quality in workmanship and styles, consistent with the price—ranging from \$15.00 to \$35.00.

We will have on display this week, a new line of spring gingham, all new patterns, reasonably priced. Also a new line of Domestic Cambric, Sheetings, in fact, a complete line of staples, all bought on the lowest market—and will be sold accordingly.

We will be glad for you to come in and inspect our new spring showing on the above date—Saturday February 12.



Most People

Have become a regular customer of ours, since opening our new filling station and if you are not one of the many we hope that you will call and see us the next time you need anything in our line. Because one visit will make a permanent customer of you.

Expert Service

Is very essential to the life of your automobile when it needs repairing or adjusting. If unreliable workmen tinker with it, it will never be "just right." Put dependence in our mechanics. We guarantee our service and take particular pains to do the right thing the right way.

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February Clean-Up Sale


The first week of our February Clean-up Sale has been very successful. We have closed out a great many lines—but still have a few special bargains in the way of winter merchandise, that we are closing out at a very LOW PRICE.



Men's Clothing

We have about 100 Mens Curlee Suits which is entirely too many for this season of the year and in order to reduce this enormous stock we have cut the former price to one-half.

\$67.50 Suits	... \$33.75
\$65.00 Suits	... \$32.50
\$55.00 Suits	... \$27.50
\$50.00 Suits	... \$25.00
\$45.00 Suitst	... \$22.50
\$40.00 Suits	... \$20.00



Shoes

We have a complete line of men's boys, ladies and children's shoes that we are closing out at a reduction of one-fourth off. It will be to your interest to let us show you this line before you buy.

\$15.00 Values at \$11.25
\$12.00 Values at \$9.40
\$10.00 Values at \$7.50
\$8.50 Values at \$6.40
\$7.50 Values at \$5.65
\$5.00 Values at \$3.75
\$4.00 Values at \$3.00

We have just received a lot of new high grade overalls that we are closing out with our present stock at—

\$1.39

The best blue work shirts made for—

\$1.00

We have just received by express a new shipment of Venida Hair nets, all colors, the biggest value on the market—

20c each

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H. H. S. NOTES

Chapel Exercises
Regular Wednesday morning Chapel Exercises.
Announcements.
Round Table Lecture on "Tardiness"
Short Talk—Rev. Seale.
Song.
Vocal Solos by Rev. Strickland.
Prayer.
The short talk by Rev. Seale was enjoyed by the faculty especially, since it was for the benefit of the student body, and the solos by Rev. Strickland, evangelist singer from Ft. Worth, were also enjoyed by all. Since we had visitors, we escaped with only a lecture or two; mild ones on "being late."—Fortunate Students.

"Which One Now?"
Miss Fulton, in English II—"Have any of you 'Paradise Lost'?"
Whit—"I haven't, but I've lost a paradise."

Natural Tint
Lois—"She makes me tired, raving about the color of her cheeks and lips being natural."
Alleen—"She hasn't got anything on me! Mine are too, at least it says so on the box."

Not Definite
John, passing "the bunch of girls" on the street just after Ermine had won in the beauty contest—"Hello, Pretty Girl."
Bunch—"Hello, John."

Press Club
The Press Club had the pleasure of holding its regular bi-monthly meeting at the home of Miss Lois Norton, Class Editor, Tuesday evening, February 8th. When the house was called to order by our president, Miss Mary Langford, fourteen of the nineteen members were present. During the business meeting several important matters concerning the "Thistle," our H. H. S. annual, were discussed and voted upon. John Davis, our very efficient business manager, reported that a number of the engravings had been returned from the engraver and that printing would be started soon. This will enable us not only to get out this volume of the "Thistle" much earlier than was done last year but we also get a discount over our former expenses in this line.
Since we had a good annual last year, we hardly hope to improve over it this year except in one respect: That we intend to put out just as good an annual this year at less expense. We are doing this in one way by reducing the size of the printed page, making it smaller but more on it. The Club members will start taking orders for this volume of the "Thistle" within the next week and your order will be appreciated.
After the business meeting we were invited into the dining room, where a delicious salad course was served. Mock toasts, especially to the hostess,

contributed to the enjoyment of the course, after which we returned to the parlor to enjoy games and music. After several hours of business and pleasure, it was considered wise to adjourn for the evening, and the members of the club departed thanking Miss Norton for the delightful treat.

"Line-Up" of the Club for '21
John Davis—Business Manager.
Gertrude Freeland—Editor-in-Chief.
Frank Kimbrough—Asst. Business Manager.
Irene Cox—Asst. Editor.
Kate Woodson—Art Editor.
Lois Norton—Class Editor.
Ermine Daugherty—Editor Favorite Section.
Alleen Taylor—Bear Cat Rep.
Lonnie Griffin—Basket Ball Rep.
John Van Buskirk—Freshman Rep.
Mary Langford—Editor Townsite and Faculty.
Erwin Whitmire—Editor Thistle Briar.
Bernice Mask—Editor of Organizations.
Carl Griffin—Curtain Club Rep.
Othello Anderson—Senior Rep.
Frankie Mae Brooks—Junior Rep.
Jean Hays—Basket Ball Rep.
Roy Stewart—Football Rep.
Arthur Fox—Soph. Rep.
Miss Elsie Tyson—Staff Adviser.
—A Member.

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Mrs. J. U. Fields spent Tuesday in Seymour.

PARENT TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT ROCHESTER
Executive members of the Parent Teacher's Association of Haskell including Superintendent Minitra, met with the parents of Rochester Thursday evening January 27, and organized a Parents and Teacher's Association. We are indeed grateful to these ladies of Haskell and Supt. Minitra for their valuable assistance in this organization. The parents of Rochester are very much interested and we believe that we will have one of the best associations in the county. --
The following officers were elected:
Mrs. S. T. Chapman, Pres.
Mrs. W. P. Murphey, Sec.
Mrs. T. B. Bagwell, vice-pres.
Mrs. G. C. Cowan, Cor. Sec.
Reporter.

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Prize Box Supper of the Season.
Wainert High School had the most successful box supper of any school in the county this year. On last Friday evening, both from a financial and a social view Total proceeds being \$252.73.
About forty-five boxes were sold, all being, as a visitor termed it, "Up-town boxes," and the proceeds from the boxes were \$160.00. A cake for the homeliest man was knocked off on Mr. Teal, one of our cotton buyers. Proceeds being \$21.38. A beauty cake was presented to Miss Hazel Hadley, bringing \$71.35.
Proceeds of the supper are being spent on the school ground equipment for Wainert High School, which have up until the present been in a poor condition.
The high school thanks its many supporters in a most hearty manner. Arrangement Committee.

Christian Church Notes.
Our splendid Sunday school continues to grow. 117 present last Sunday and many kept away on account of sickness. Let each pupil be present next Sunday and bring someone with you. We had a powerful message at the morning hour by our pastor, resulting in one addition to the church. We had no evening service on account of Baptist revival, and will continue to discontinue evening service while their meeting is in progress.
Sunday school promptly at 10 o'clock and morning worship at 11 o'clock, sermon by pastor. We extend a cordial invitation to the stranger in the city—to worship with us. You are welcome, and we shall strive to make you feel so.

Reporter.
George Free of Wainert was a city visitor Wednesday.

Announcements

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