

The Haskell Free Press

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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1921.

WHOLE NUMBER 1770

ESTATE CONVEYANCES FILED SINCE LAST REPORT

The Oglesby and husband to J. C. Lot 1 in Block 1 in Haskell, Consideration \$200.00.
A. Gillespie to I. N. Gillespie, 1.4 section 9 Block 3, H. & T. surveys, Consideration \$10.00.
Moore and wife to F. C. Quade, section 1, Block 2, H. & T. surveys, Consideration \$2.00.
Hillard and wife to S. D. Gay, part of Wm. Walker survey, Consideration \$2,500.00.
Gay to H. D. Johnson, 80 part of Wm. Walker Survey, Consideration \$1,000.00.
Allen and wife to H. O. Case, 111, 112 and 113 of the Peter survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
Wanda Ham to A. T. Foutz, 75 section 81 Block 1, H. & T. surveys, Consideration \$2.00.
Sherrill and wife to F. M. Lot 1 in Block 13 in Haskell, Consideration \$1,250.00.
Fink and wife to G. R. Conch, 8 in Block 18 Brown & Roberts to Haskell, Consideration \$1.00.
May and wife to Ina May, part of Section 62 and 63 Block T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
May and wife to Hollie May, part of Section 62 and 63 Block T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
Pierce and wife to W. A. 11 1/2 acres out of Section 159 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$250.00.
Reynolds to Mrs. T. G. Reynolds 20 acres out of Coryell Survey Consideration \$1,000.00.
Fields et al to First Christian Haskell, Lots 3 and 4 in 33 in Haskell, Consideration \$1.00.
Vickery and wife to J. L. Bald, 32.5 acres out of R. Langham Consideration \$1,835.00.
Sattie Fields et al to C. A. Hill, 14 Carothers addition, Consideration \$500.00.
Zelisko and wife to L. T. Zeman et al, 100 acres out of Smith survey, Consideration \$1.00.
Mason Trustee to T. D. Guffey and 3 in Block 2 in Rochester, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
Mason Trustee to Easter Guffey 13 in Block 29 in Rochester, Consideration \$1.00.
W. Phillips and wife to W. 22, 26.95 acres out of Sarah McCreary, Consideration \$67,732.
Brauer and wife to Youkum Bank, 742 acres out of Hilar survey, Consideration \$12,000.
Kempner to R. C. Whitmore, 2 in Block 29 Brown & Roberts to Haskell, Consideration \$1.00.
H. Darley and husband to A. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, in Block 11 and Courtwright addition to Haskell, Consideration \$2,500.00.
Hohen and wife to Charles Subdivision S. George G. Alvey, Consideration \$10,000 etc.
Montgomery and wife to Maurice Subdivision 3 Joel Low survey, Consideration \$2,118.40.
O. F. Lodge 379, Rule, to W. 20, Lot 4 in Block 25 in Haskell, Consideration \$10,000.
Hillard and wife to Eugene 135 feet out of Subdivision Allen survey, Consideration \$1.00.
Josselyn and wife to Rosie 154 acres out of Jos. McCreary, Consideration \$10,000 etc.
W. Welch and heirs to D. E. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 in Block 13 South to Rule, Consideration \$1.00.
H. and wife to J. R. New, 1, 2 and 3 in Block 1, College addition to Haskell, Consideration \$1.00.
H. to R. E. Acker, 80 part of section 4, Block 2, Washburn surveys, Consideration \$1.00.
Williams to A. J. Rowland, 12 Lots 1 and 2 in Block 13 addition to Haskell, Consideration \$2,500.00.
Chamberlain et al to L. I. 200, 200 acres out of Samuel survey, Consideration \$5,000.00.
Hickerton and wife to Farmers 145 acres E 1-2 sub-division Correll County survey 72, 12 in Block 49 in Rule, Consideration \$500.00.
Land Co. to C. H. Chistler, 12 in Block 49 in Rule, Consideration \$500.00.
to Ella Price, 10 acres out of 27 Block 46, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$200.00.
and wife to J. T. Bingle, 100 acres out of Subdivision G. Allord survey 43, Consideration \$700.00.
Hillard et al to Lonnie Griffin, Block 29 in Haskell, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
Dobson and wife to J. P. 7 and 8 in Block 1, Patterson to Haskell, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
erson to S. B. Pierson, Sec. & C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$1.00 etc.

APRIL 8th AND 9th ARE CLEAN-UP DAYS IN HASKELL.

In keeping with the Governor's Proclamation to observe Clean-Up Week March 13th to 15th, Haskell as a city was unable to observe that date, due to conditions which were unavoidable. The desiring to observe a general clean-up week, Haskell a cleaner and more beautiful city, the city council has designated Friday and Saturday, April 8th and 9th, as Clean-Up Days. It is not intended for the business houses to close for those days or even for a part of the day. The idea is for some members of the business to look after the business and others spend the morning in cleaning up. In this way a business will suffer and a great work can be done. It is urged that every business house clean up and have a separate with the City Council and observe in this manner. It is not for one to clean up and the neighbors do nothing, but for everyone in town to do some such work will result in a most important improvement. Haskell is going to be made clean. Warm weather will soon be here and we must keep Haskell clean for cleanliness means health. Every property owner is urged to get busy if they have not already cleaned their premises. Dr. Manton M. Carrick, State Health Officer, advises that a State Health Inspector will visit every city soon. So let each of us do our part in the general clean-up work, that our homes and business houses may be their very best when the Inspector arrives, and may we be rated as one of the cleanest and most beautiful cities in West Texas.

NEW MEAT MARKET OPENED LAST WEEK

The Cash Meat Market, owned by Messrs. N. T. Smith and Boothe English on the north side of the square opened its doors to the public last week. It is a modern market in every respect, having a white enameled sanitary refrigerator, where all meats are protected from dust and germs. J. M. McKee will be found behind the counter to serve the public in his usual genial manner. Messrs. Smith and English are to be congratulated on opening such a modern market.

Parent-Teachers Association Meeting

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet at the East Ward school Thursday, April 7th at 4 o'clock. Please let every parent be interested enough in their children to attend these meetings. The following program will be given: Music by School Children. Reading, subject: "Kindergarten" Led by Mrs. R. J. Reynolds. "Is the Kindergarten Training of Vital Value to Child" - Miss Milledell Davis.

HASKELL SHOE SHOP MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

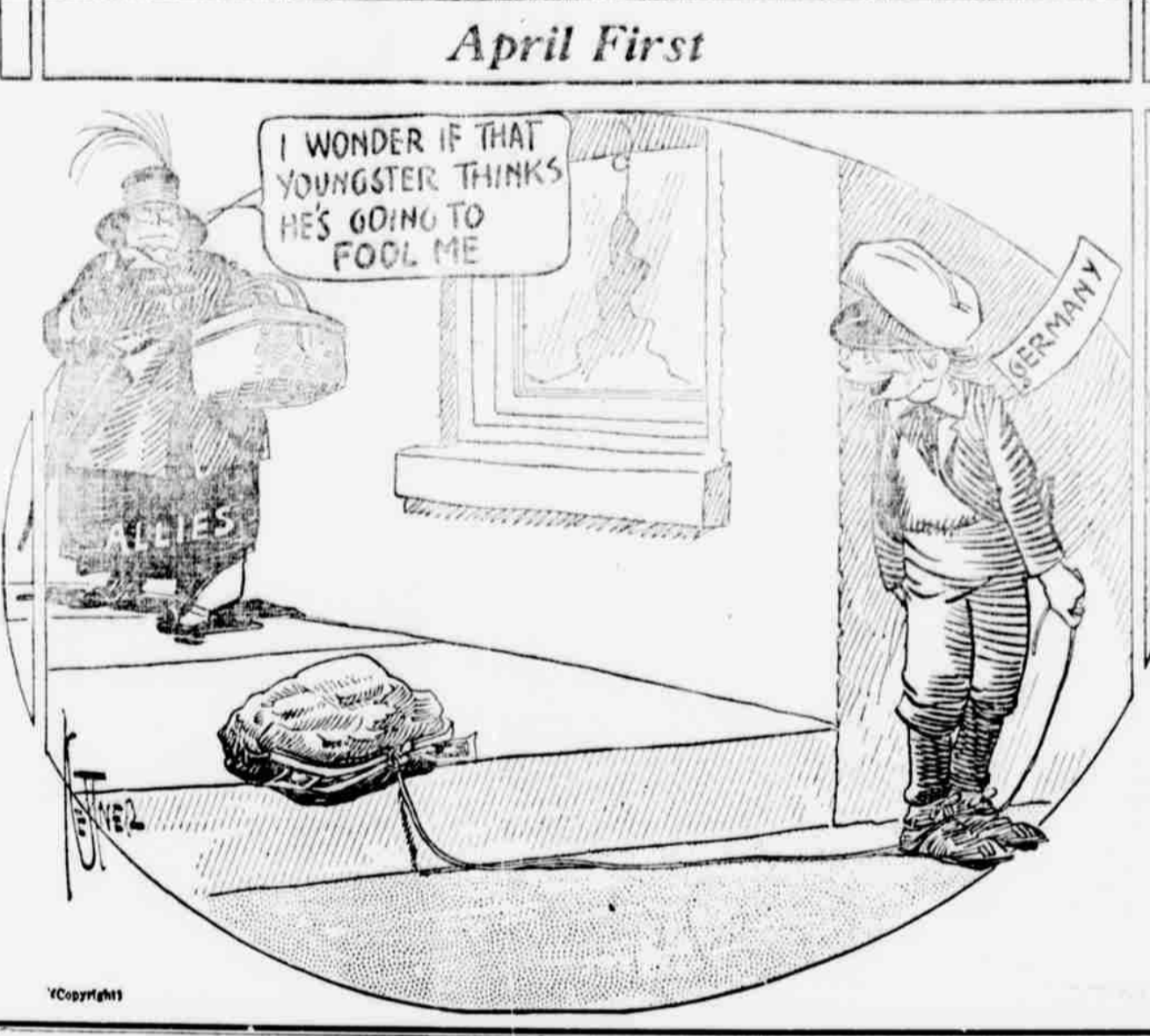
The Haskell Shoe Shop on the east side of the square has been making many improvements of late in the way of machinery, until it is one of the most up-to-date shops of its kind to be found anywhere. Bill McDonnell, proprietor, came here last year from Lawton, Okla., and has built up an excellent home trade, as well as out of town business, having the equipment to do anything from the smallest repair job to making a pair of boots or shoes outright. Visitors are always welcome at this busy shop, and are shown every courtesy when they call.

BUSINESS HOUSES WILL CLOSE 6:30 AFTER APRIL 1

We the undersigned merchants, agree to close our places of business at 6:30 p. m. during the week with the exception of Saturday beginning Friday April 1st, 1921.
James Cox & Co.
Sherrill Bros. & Co.
H. V. Holcomb & Co.
W. W. Westover and Sons.
J. W. Ghorman.
J. E. Grissom & Co.
Graham's Store.
H. J. Reynolds.
F. J. Mitchell.
Wells Furniture Store.
Industrial Toy-Shop-Stationery Co.
McNeill & Smith Dry Goods.
H. G. Vise and Sons.
J. M. Whitman.
W. M. Mack.
Cash Meat Market.
Payte's Fruit Stand.
Hancock & Co.

CITY ELECTION TO BE HELD HERE TUESDAY

An election will be held in the city Tuesday for the purpose of electing two aldermen to succeed Marvin Hancock and John Oates whose time expires this year. Both Mr. Hancock and Mr. Oates have consented reluctantly for their names to appear on the ticket for re-election, on account of the plans for the city have under way for the improvement of the streets, paving of the public square, placing the city wells in sanitary condition, extension of the water and sewer mains, and other contemplated improvements. If there are other candidates who desire to have their names filed to appear on the ticket it must be done not later than Friday, after which the ticket will be printed and it will be too late. M. D. Underwood of star route two, was a city visitor Friday. He made this office a pleasant visit and left his renewal for the Free Press for another year.



HASKELL FAST BECOMING POULTRY SHIPPING POINT

Haskell is fast becoming a produce market - this is no idle statement as we have the figures to substantiate the fact. During the month of March the Haskell Produce Company has purchased 32,207 pounds of poultry from the farmers of Haskell County, paying out the neat sum of \$6,120.26. This amount does not include 21,900 dozen eggs purchased during the month along with butter and other produce which will bring the total amount of money paid out to the farmers above the \$10,000.00 mark. One of our prominent farmers remarked to us that this amount will exceed the profit on one thousand bales of cotton at the present price of the heavy staple, and if this amount of poultry and eggs should be sold during each month for the rest of the year the poultry business would bring more clear money into the county than our entire cotton crop for 1920, as the above figures do not include the poultry that has been sold in the other towns of the county.

FREEZING WEATHER DOES CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE

Monday night's drop in temperature, accompanied by a heavy frost, did considerable damage to vegetation in Haskell county. The thermometer registered 32 degrees Monday morning, but due to the fact that a high wind was blowing all through Sunday night no damage was done to growing vegetation. Monday night the mercury descended, registering 27 degrees Tuesday morning. A large majority of the tender garden crops, unless protected from the frost in some way are believed to have been either completely killed or badly damaged. While some of the crops in a more advanced stage may have escaped with but slight damage, it is believed that the frost will do some damage to the crops.

Lively Thaw

An impressive Easter week was witnessed at Haskell, A. M. on Saturday morning March 26th, 1921 by a few friends who assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thierwanger of this city, which was decorated in beautiful ferns and flowers expressing the spirit of Easter. The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Thierwanger and Mrs. Odell, the mother and sister of the bride, who took them into the living room. To the beautiful strains of Mendelssohn wedding march rendered by Miss Lucille Taylor, Miss Elton Thierwanger and Mr. Morris U. Lively entered accompanied by Miss Mary Pennington and R. P. Brouncherton. The ring ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. J. P. Patterson. The bride was gowned in a beautiful blue taffeta trimmed in gray and carried a bouquet of rose buds and lilies of the valley. The maid of honor was also dressed in a blue taffeta of very pleasing design and line. Mr. and Mrs. Lively left immediately after the ceremony for a short visit to New Mexico after which they will be at home at Graham, Texas. Those present at the wedding were: Miss Mary Pennington of Stamford, Miss Hallie Younger of Fort Worth, Misses Lucille and Gladys Taylor, Mayme and June Smith, Bernice Long, Mary Langford, Elsie Tyson, and Messrs R. P. Brongherton of Wichita Falls, Robert C. Hamer, D. H. Sidney A. Herstatt, Graham, Cecil Foltard, A. M. Hughes, Emory Menefee, G. B. and H. N. Thierwanger, of Wehnert, and A. D. Odell.

C. W. Parmenter of Throckmorton, transacted business in the city Tuesday.

TOTAL NUMBER OF BALES OF COTTON GINNED 1920-1921

County	1920	1921
Archer	3,338	3,332
Baylor	18,831	14,272
Callahan	19,018	11,812
Childress	19,930	27,279
Clay	29,256	29,709
Coleman	52,735	41,752
Comanche	11,659	14,339
Dickens	6,626	15,392
Donley	11,210	7,715
Fisher	34,992	29,591
Ford	14,557	9,000
Garfield	2,008	4,200
Haskell	33,398	34,662
Jones	55,941	72,967
Kent	8,050	5,498
Knox	35,634	29,318
Nolan	21,972	29,434
Russell	57,682	47,245
Sheriff	18,825	19,705
Stonewall	4,673	12,403
Taylor	49,762	42,779
Throckmorton	3,099	5,080
Wichita	7,348	5,582
Young	13,914	16,192

SCHOOL TRUSTEES ELECTION WILL BE HELD SATURDAY

A school trustees election will be held in the Haskell Independent School District for the purpose of electing three school trustees to succeed O. E. Patterson, John A. Couch and Harry Grissom. All three of the above gentlemen have consented for their names to appear on the ticket for re-election. In addition to these names a committee have filed the names of T. R. Balm and J. O. Crawford which will also appear on the ticket.

Cox-Bischhoffhausen

A very nice Easter wedding was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage Sunday evening at eight thirty o'clock when Rev. J. P. Patterson united in marriage Owen Cox and Miss Tommie Bischhoffhausen. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bischhoffhausen and is a very popular young lady. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and is a very energetic young man. They will reside in this city, where they have a host of friends who wish them a long and happy wedded life.

Mrs. P. W. Walthall Returns to Temple

Mrs. P. W. Walthall went to Temple Monday evening where she will receive and X-Ray examination and possibly treatment before her return. She has many friends who have watched her case with interest and have rejoiced in her rapid improvement.

An Eventful Date

Four years ago next Wednesday, April 6th, we declared war on Germany, and 13 years ago on the same date George Washington was elected our first President.

Mrs. Carl J. Jones of Waco, and Mrs. Claude H. Farr and little son George Wehnert of Westover, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wehnert, returned to their homes Sunday.

T. W. Johnson and son R. C. transacted business in Spur the first of the week.

CITY PLANNING TO DO EXTENSIVE STREET WORK

At a meeting of the City Council last Monday a resolution was passed to buy a street grader and Frank Reynolds was employed by the month with his teams to work the streets of the city. It is the plan of the council to place all the streets in first class shape and the work will be continued until Haskell can boast of the best street system of any town in West Texas. If finances will permit, some of the most important streets will probably be gravelled. After a street is placed in first class shape an effort will be made to maintain it in that condition.

SINGING CONVENTION MET AT PINKERTON SUNDAY

The Haskell County Singing Convention met at Pinkerton in an all day session last Sunday with a good attendance despite the unfavorable weather conditions, and the good singing was enjoyed by all. Dinner was served at noon and everyone was made to feel welcome and partook of the bountiful spread the good ladies of Pinkerton had prepared. There were many leaders present who took an active part in the musical program and many special songs were rendered. Haskell, Whitman and Pinkerton classes rendered songs which received many cheers and compliments from the entire audience. The convention adjourned about 4:15 p. m. to meet at Sarty's school house, 4 miles south of Haskell, and one mile west of the Haskell and Stamford road on the fourth Sunday afternoon in April. All are urged to meet at 1 p. m. and begin singing on time.

JUDGE MCCONNELL RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA TRIP

Judge H. G. McConnell who has been spending the winter in California for his health returned home this week very much improved. He reports a very pleasant vacation. We are glad to have Judge McConnell home again.

J. L. Tubbs Buys Boiling Works.

J. L. Tubbs has purchased the boiling works of W. I. McCarty and is giving the place a thorough renovation. When finished it will be one of the cleanest and most inviting of its kind to be found near anywhere. Mr. Tubbs expects to have it ready to open to the public Saturday.

Kemp-Blackman

The marriage of Giles Kemp of this city and Miss Marie Blackman of Jarman occurred at the Methodist parsonage Monday evening. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kemp and has many friends in this city. The bride is a very popular young lady of her home town. She spent a few months in Haskell last year and made many friends here. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life.

M. G. Nix of Munday was in the city Wednesday and called at this office and renewed his subscription to the Free Press.

Mrs. S. A. Hughes and daughter Mrs. W. A. Kirkpatrick and children left Thursday for a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Troy Howell made a business trip to Dallas Wednesday.

OH. LEASES AND ASSIGNMENTS FILED DURING THE WEEK

F. S. Walters to A. B. Walters, 5 acres out of Jos. Mexico survey, Consideration \$150.00 etc.
D. D. Huddleston to Thomas J. Branch, Lot 17 Tract 4, Lucinda Dyches survey, Consideration \$1.00.
M. F. Caine to F. C. Wilcox, Block 25 of G. H. and H. Survey 1, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
D. D. Huddleston to Mrs. H. Garber, Lot 18, Tract 4, Lucinda Dyches survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
S. S. Kouri to Abe Furrh, Blocks 145 and 135 John G. Pitts survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
W. R. McConnell to Mrs. Robt. Iron, South 1-2 Lot 47 out of Subdivision 8, Coryell survey 71, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
A. C. Hefflin et al to J. F. Patterson et al, 40 acres out of Section 7, Block 2 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
A. C. Hefflin et al to James L. DeVault, 40 acres out of Section 7, Block 2 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
Fred Carter to Mrs. E. L. Pitman, Lots 8 and 9 in Block 1 B. & B. survey 5, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
S. S. Kouri to R. C. Whitmore et al, Block 9, N. Haggard and Block 139 John G. Pitts survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
Texas-Cushing O. & D. Co. to Hudson D. Wilcox, Tract 48, Section 5, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$234.00.
Texas-Cushing O. & D. Co. to Hudson D. Wilcox, Tract 60, S. F. & W. Co. survey 2, Consideration \$450.00.
Texas-Cushing O. & D. Co. to Carrie M. Layman Tract 41 Section 5, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$167.00.
Texas-Cushing O. & D. Co. to Opal R. Wilcox, Tract 31, Section 9, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys, Consideration \$837.50.
W. R. McConnell to H. L. Schompt, Block 11 out of Subdivision 4, Coryell Survey 72, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
D. D. Huddleston to D. B. Gillispie, Lot 7 Tract 38, Thos. Toby survey 43, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
W. H. Dunn et al to F. L. Shaeckelford, 800 acres out of Jno. Hoffman survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
S. S. Kouri to Hardy Grissom, Trustee, 1-10 interest in Block 1, N. Haggard survey, Consideration \$4,000.00.
R. P. Roark to A. M. Jordan, Subdivision 40 Jas. Scott Survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.
D. D. Huddleston to L. & J. Taylor, Lots 27 to 30, Tract 4, Lucinda Dyches survey, Consideration \$1.00 etc.

SELLS CHICKENS AT A FANCY PRICE

Whit Williams, living 10 miles east of the city, bought 46 Plymouth Rock hens to town one day this week and sold them for \$44.52 which will equal the proceeds of five or more bales of cotton after expenses of gathering and marketing are paid. Uncle Whit says he left about 50 hens on the yard at home to replenish the supply of market eggs and fowls for another season. He has been very successful in the 24 years that he has been a citizen of Haskell county. He has 220 acres of his farm in small grain this year that he says is looking fine. Will have 30 acres in row crop for feed, but will not have an acre of cotton planted on the farm. Mr. Williams has not reduced his cotton acreage very much, for he never has been a very extensive cotton grower. He has been a successful farmer - lives at home and has comfortable surroundings.

Popular Munday Couple Married

The marriage of Miss Sue Baker and Charles L. Munday, both of Munday, was solemnized by Rev. McHenry Steele pastor of the Baptist Church, in this city, on Thursday, March 24th. The bride is well known in this city, where she has frequently visited. They are both very estimable people of Munday and have a host of friends who wish them a happy and prosperous life.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Kid is a Combination of pep, curiosity, devilment, goodness, fun, trouble and noise. Some days he brings his Father's gray hairs in sorrow to the Grave, and other days he brings back Dad's lost youth. The Kid is hard to Get Along with sometimes, but still We can't get along Without him.

Reduce Now:

Plant plenty of pigs, peas, poultry and potatoes and you will push poverty over the precipice and bring peace, plenty and prosperity "poco pronto."

Diversify Now

To The Farmer:

It is essential to your and our prosperity that the cotton acreage be reduced 50 per cent from normal—and we invite your careful attention and consideration of the statistics appearing herein. We cannot urge upon you too strongly the necessity of your reducing the cotton acreage for 1921.

South Must Know Truth

There is too much unspun cotton in the world today—millions of bales too much. If you produce more than half a crop of

COTTON

You will not be able to sell it at any price.

YOU MUST REDUCE ACREAGE

We cannot promise you, even if you do reduce the acreage, that you will get more money for your cotton than you are getting now. We do promise you that if you grow cotton without growing food for men and feed for animals, we will all be worse off than bankrupt.

"GET IT OUT OF YOUR HEAD THAT ANYTHING BUT THE SUPPLY AND THE WORLD'S ABILITY TO BUY FIXES THE PRICE OF COTTON"—Dr. Bradford Knapp.

There is Now Enough Cotton in the World to Last About Two Years.

If you want to plant more cotton after having read the following figures then we must confess we have no more to say. It is Up To You!

The ten-year average amount of American cotton on hand unspun at the beginning of each fiscal year—prewar, about.....	1,200,000 Bales
At Aug. 1, 1920, beginning present fiscal year, according to Hester, unspun American cotton.....	6,083,000 Bales
Probable amount of American cotton unspun July 31, 1921, now indicated, more than.....	9,000,000 Bales
Of 3,000,000 bales larger than any amount ever carried over before.....	21,000,000 Bales
The greatest consumption of cotton ever known in a single year less than.....	15,000,000 Bales
The greatest consumption American cotton any one year ever known, less than.....	13,000,000 Bales
Ten-year average consumption American cotton prior to the great war.....	17,500,000 Bales
Ten-year average consumption of all kinds cotton, including American, prior to great war.....	18,181,000 Bales
Consumption of all kinds of cotton, 1919-1920, U. S. Census figure.....	29,000,000 Bales
American crop of 13,000,000 this year indicates a world supply of all kinds of cotton, including American, of.....	13,000,000 Bales
The world carry-over may reach a total of, or may exceed.....	15,000,000 Bales
The world during the present fiscal year is not likely to consume more than.....	15,000,000 Bales

P. L. Downs of the First National Bank of Temple, Chairman of the agricultural committee of the Texas Bankers Association, points out some facts which ought to be burned into the consciousness of every man in Texas who is genuinely interested in the future of the state. Among other things, Mr. Downs said:

"Texas today has approximately 500,000 farms. Of these, 110,000 have not a cow on them, 127,000 have not a sow, 100,000 never heard the cackle of a hen or the crow of a rooster, 315,000 do not grow sweet potatoes, 330,000 are without kitchen gardens, 360,000 do not grow hay or forage.

"Just think of the immense loss in wealth represented by these figures. Placing a sow on every farm with a consequent annual litter of pigs would add \$25,000,000 to our wealth. If every farmer would market 10 dozen eggs a week it would mean an addition of \$75,000,000. A proper garden would not only feed a family, but cut its meat bill in half and permit the sale of from \$300 to \$500 worth of truck annually.

The Haskell National Bank, Haskell.

The Farmers State Bank, Haskell.

The Farmers State Bank, Rule.

The First National Bank, Rule.

First State Bank, Rochester.

Weinert State Bank, Weinert.

Continental State Bank, Sagerton.

First State Bank, O'Brien.

First National Bank, Knox City.

First National Bank, Munday.

First State Bank, Munday.

First National Bank, Goree.

First Guaranty State Bank, Knox City.

Baptist Ladies Auxiliary

The all day Missionary Program was a success Monday, Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick, who had charge of the program, compiled it well and all of the speakers were present and rendered helpful addresses.

One of the enjoyable features of the day was the bountiful spread of goodies at noon. No doubt all of us are more enthused about our Mission Work and the spread of the gospel throughout the earth. Mrs. J. U. Fields of the Methodist Church was a welcome visitor. We believe it helpful for the women of different churches to attend these meetings. On invitation eight of the women of the Hope Will Baptist Church of Haskell (negro church) were present in the afternoon and gave an encouraging report of their work.

Reporter.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for all the kindness shown us by our friends and neighbors in our hours of sorrow. You did so much to make our cross easier to bear. Only those who have passed through this valley of sorrow can know how your service and kind words can mean. May Christ out of his abundance of love and mercy guide and bless each and every one of you.

Mrs. A. Hall,
S. A. Burdine,
G. C. Burdine,
L. F. Burdine, and
B. C. Burdine, Jr.

Rev. J. O. Heath, pastor of the Baptist Church at Munday, Rev. McHenry Seal and I. N. Alvis of Haskell are attending the \$75,000,000 Campaign Rally in Abilene.

Notice of Trustee Sale

The State of Texas,
County of Haskell.

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, as substitute trustee named and appointed as provided in a certain deed of trust, recorded in Vol. 18, Page 63 records of real estate mortgages of Haskell County, Texas, executed and delivered to R. B. Bishop, trustee on the 5th day of November, 1915, by Chas. E. Rutledge and wife Emma E. Rutledge for better securing the payment of one certain promissory note for the sum of one thousand dollars more fully described in said deed of trust, executed by the said Chas. E. Rutledge and wife Emma E. Rutledge payable to the order of Reynolds Mortgage Company, Fort Worth, Texas, due on the first day of February 1921, bearing 7 per cent interest per annum from date until paid, interest payable annually as it accrues, providing for the payment of 10 per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest then due as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

And whereas, G. R. Couch is the legal owner and holder of said note and the said Chas. E. Rutledge and Emma E. Rutledge have made default in the payment of said note and the same is now past due and unpaid, principal with interest from February 1st, 1921, and trustee fees by reason thereof as provided for in said note and in said deed of trust.

And whereas, I have been requested by the said G. R. Couch to enforce said trust I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at public auction, to the highest bidder on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1921, the same being the third day of said month, at the court house door in the town of Haskell in Haskell County, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Haskell county, State of Texas, a part of the Isador Ramos League and Labor, patented to the heirs of John R. Cunningham, April 29th, 1870, by Patent No. 165, Vol. 18, and more particularly known and described as the East one hundred two and one-half (102 1/2) acres out of out lot No. 81 in the Brown and Roberts addition according to plat recorded in Vol. 20, page 22 of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas, and being the same land conveyed to Chas. E. Rutledge by R. C. Montgomery and wife by deed recorded in Vol. 66, Page 214 of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas, to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description, with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging.

Witness my hand this 30th day of March, A. D. 1921.

F. L. Daugherty,
Substitute Trustee.

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STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!
"WHEN SMITH STEPPED OUT," a comedy in three acts will be given April 2nd at the Weinert High School Auditorium by the Senior Class of our school, assisted by the Juniors.

SLATS' DIARY

Friday—Had are test in rithmetic today. the teacher sed we are advancing along pritty nicely now but I gess from what she mentioned that I am a long ways from being the advancedest I in the bunch. When she ast what we that wood be sed of Cristofer Columbus if he wuz livving today I sed he wood be looked upon as a very old man for he wood be over 475 years of old age.

Sat.—the yung lady witch lives nex door to are house pretends to have a good singing voice but pa dont enjoy it. I never herd her name till last nite when I herd pa mention it, her 1st name is Helen & her las name is Blazes, frum what he sed when she sung.

Sunday.—pa give ma a supprize by having her dimond ring set up in platinum. she was very glad and thanked him a lot for having her ring set in the most xpensive metal in the world. I was about to say to her that Radium was the most xpensive but pa give my ear a jerk so I kep still about it. I haf to keep still when I do no sum thing to say.

Monday.—pa & me got are hare cut only I got more cut than pa did, he ast the boss what it costed for a bath & he replied & sed twinty 5 cts or 12 for 28. pa sed he diddnt want to g in the hole sail bisness.

Tuesday.—pa was at lodge las nite & never got home till way in the nite, ma was gronching about it this morning she sed When you Was Going With Me You Hated to Go Home. Pa sed nothing. I gess he still does hate to go home.

Wednesday.—I seen Pug Stevens a coming down the street swinging his arms at the top of his voice. I called him a mekanikal doll & he started after me & sed if he ever ketches up with me I wood waken up & wonder who had brung me to the Hospitale, jus like that. But he diddnt ketch me, pa says marriage is just like a poker game its all in the draw.

Thursday.—I think Ted & Jane was talking about me to my back for I seen them laff & then look at me sideways. I sed to them I gess I was wise to what they was doing & Jane answered & replied the sooner I get wise it won't hurt nothing. he can have her for all I care about it.

We're Great Milk Drinkers
WASHINGTON, D. C. March 23.—The average American today is a great milk drinker and consumes twice as much as in former generations, according to the department of agriculture. The consumption of milk last year was estimated at forty four gallons per capita not including that used in ice cream, cheese and butter.

Services at Whitman Sunday
Rev. J. P. Patterson will fill the pulpit at Whitman next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. G. L. Willis and daughter, Miss Tincy were in the city shopping Tuesday.

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The Federal Land Bank will be ready to close loans May 1st. Applications can be made on and after April 15th. Rule National Farm Loan Association covers Haskell, ... in Stonewall Counties. The Secretary-Treasurer will be at the following places on the dates mentioned for the purpose of explaining full the Federal Land Bank plan of making loans; will be glad to answer any and all questions pertaining to same; will be prepared to take applications. If interested see me at:

Haskell, Monday April 18th.
Munday, Tuesday April 19th.
Knox City Wednesday April 20th.
Benjamin Thursday April 21st.
Aspermont, Friday April 22nd.
Rule, Saturday or any day after.

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E. H. Higginbotham, Prop.

J. F. Jeter of route one, was in the city Friday and called and gave us his renewal for the Free Press.

E. A. Hall of Rochester route one, was in the city Thursday. Mr. Hall called at this office and gave us his name for a year to the Free Press.

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Mrs. J. M. CRAIG, of Los Angeles, Calif., who says no one can feel more grateful for what Tanlac has done than she does. Has gained twelve pounds and health is better than in years.



"Of all the people who have taken Tanlac I don't believe there is anyone who feels any more grateful to it than I do," said Mrs. J. M. Craig, of 674 1/2 E. 40th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

"I suffered from nervous prostration and was so weak that I could not even sweep the floor and during the day I would have to lie down four or five times. I tried to walk, but found out that half a block was all I could stand before I would give out. Nervous spells came on me often. Finally my husband urged me to try Tanlac and I am indeed glad he did, for it proved to be just what I needed.

"The first two bottles did not seem to help me. I guess it was because I was so bad off, but on the third bottle I could tell I was improving and that gave me more hope than ever of getting well. My improvement from then on was rapid and by the time I had taken five bottles I was better and stronger than I had been in years.

"It enabled me to sleep soundly at night and I have gained twelve pounds. That was several months ago and from then until now I have been in as good health as I ever was in my life. I have told all of my friends and relatives what a wonderful medicine Tanlac is."

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TEXAS PHYSICIAN SAYS CANCER IS CURABLE

Dr. J. M. Gilbert of Randolph Declares Dr. O. A. Johnson Has Proved His Mastery of Dread Disease

Physicians know that cancer will not yield to ordinary treatment. Therefore when a bad cancer appeared on his face, Dr. J. M. Gilbert of Randolph, Texas, lost no time in consulting Dr. O. A. Johnson, eminent cancer specialist, of Kansas City, Mo. Declaring he is entirely cured, Dr. Gilbert writes:

"I recommend that every cancer sufferer consult immediately with the man, that I, as a doctor, regard foremost in his line. Dr. Johnson has proved to the world that cancer can be cured."

Dr. Johnson has published a remarkable book called "Cancer Truths," a statement of his theories and experiences in treating cancer without the use of the knife. Purely medicinal measures only are employed; that is, external applications to destroy the cancer and internal medication to purify the blood. This book will be sent free to any cancer sufferer. Or, if you have a friend suffering from cancer, write to Dr. O. A. Johnson, uSite 5300 1324 Main Street, Kansas City, Mo.

Death of J. W. Burdine

On Tuesday evening, March 22nd, the Death Angel visited the home of Mrs. A. Hall at Rochester, claiming her father, J. W. more familiarly known as "Grappa" Burdine. He was stricken with paralysis on Monday morning, this being the third stroke. J. W. Burdine was born December 19, 1833, in Lee County, Miss. At the age of 24 he married Miss Mary F. Francis, and to this union eight children were born, all surviving except one son, who died in infancy. Mr. Burdine moved his family to Texas in 1870, coming to Ellis county, later settling in Haskell county in 1904, where he spent the remainder of his life. After the death of his wife five years ago he made his home with his children, spending the last eighteen months with his daughter, Mrs. A. Hall. He was converted last August and united with the Baptist church living a true christian life. The funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Rochester Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock by Rev. Era Miller and S. Stevens, both of Abilene, assisted by Rev. Stevens, pastor of the Rochester church. The remains were laid to rest in the Rite cemetery by the side of his wife. He leaves to mourn his loss the following children: J. S. Burdine of Waco, S. A. Burdine of Quail, Texas, W. C. of Melrose, N. M., G. C. of Lemase, L. F. and B. C. Burdine of Rochester and Mrs. A. Hall also of Rochester, all of whom were here to attend the funeral except J. S. and W. C. Burdine. He is also survived by 43 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family in the loss of their loved one.

J. D. Barton of northwest of Rule was in the city Monday.

C. M. Hunt of Dallas was in the city the first of the week.

G. C. Vaught of Knox City was a city visitor Tuesday. He called and had us renew his Free Press for another year.

J. N. Weaver of Stamford Routed, was in the city Saturday and called at this office and had us place his name on our list of subscribers.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE CITY OF ROCHESTER

This part of the country is being visited by squally weather.

Loy Perry fell Monday and sprained her right arm.

C. S. Howell is loading a car of chickens this week.

A small child of E. B. Sherley was run over by a car Sunday and had his leg broken.

Mrs. G. W. Buckner, a highly respected woman of our community died Sunday. The remains were laid to rest Monday evening in the Rochester cemetery.

Miss Alice Carothers, who has been attending school at Denton, is at home with her parents for a few days.

Leola and Olive Greenwade left Monday for Sweetwater to visit their sister, Mrs. W. H. Bray.

Grandma Summers returned home Sunday from a week's visit at Sagerton, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Hess.

Lee Humphries is able to be at his post in the schoolroom again.

E. P. Carr, our telephone exchange manager, is very sick at this writing.

J. T. Wilson of Chico, who has been here for the past few weeks buying cotton, returned home Friday.

W. M. Tipton has sold his residence and will soon move to the state of Wyoming.

Emmett Starr of the Starr Garage here, is in Haskell this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. C. Walden took her troop of girl scouts on a hike Saturday to Four Corners, four miles west of here. They took their camping outfit and all report a great time.

I. C. U.

Notice

Be sure to watch the paper later for an announcement concerning "The Hickory Holler Schule," a play to be given by the members of the Parent-Teachers Association, for the benefit of our schools.



STOP THAT BABY'S CRYING

It isn't because he is bad, it is because he hurts, that he cries. We have everything needed for baby's comfort. Let us supply these necessities.



Methodist Missionary Society
Sixteen women answered roll call with Missionary News.

Mrs. Guest conducted the Bible Lesson from Isaiah, which was indeed an inspiration to every one, especially the fifty-third chapter in which the Prophet tells the story of the life of Christ five hundred years before his birth.

Mrs. Morton gave a very interesting account of her trip into Old Mexico and the work there.

The society was very glad to have Mrs. Williams with them again, having just recovered from a serious illness. The women bought quite a number of stamps, the proceeds of which goes to the starving Chinese.

Saturday, April 2, will be a red

letter day in the church, as Mrs. Delaney, superintendent of Young People of North West Texas Woman's Conference, will be here, and also Mrs. Brittan, District Secretary. Mesdames Kaizler and Oslin have prepared a splendid program and everyone is invited to come and bring lunch and spend the day.

Reporter.

Parent-Teachers Association

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet the first Thursday in April, which will be April 7th. All members are requested to be present.

Dr. Gose transacted business in Fort Worth this week.



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BETTY

By RUBY H. MARTYN.

Helpful Hints

1 1/2 cups flour.
1/2 cup sugar.
2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoonful grated nutmeg.
A pinch of salt.
2 tablespoons butter.
1/2 cup milk.
Sift the dry ingredients together four times before adding the butter, egg and milk. This will make twelve muffins.

Hamburger Steak

Roll two pounds of ground steak into a round cake moulding it well so that it will stick together firmly. Season with salt and pepper. Fry the meat in three or four tablespoons of melted butter and lard. Have piping hot when you put the meat in. When the meat is done, take it up on a platter and make a gravy with a cup of milk and a cup of tomato juice and about two teaspoonfuls of flour. Put over the meat and serve.

Corn a la Mexican

1 cup of corn.
1/2 chopped green pepper.
2 beaten eggs.
1/2 tea-poon salt.
1/4 tea-poon pepper.
1/8 tea-poon paprika.
1/4 cup of milk.
1/4 cup grated cheese.
Mix ingredients, sprinkle top with buttered bread crumbs. Bake in moderate oven until thickened as a custard.

Mustard Pickles

1 quart of large cucumbers.
1 quart of small cucumbers.
1 quart of celery.
1 quart of small white onions.
1 quart of green sliced tomatoes.
1 quart of stringed beans (white wax ones preferred).
2 quarts of cauliflower, broken in pieces.
6 green peppers.
6 red peppers, chopped.
Soak in salt water 24 hours then drain.

Mustard Dressing

6 table-poons ground mustard.
1 table-poon turmeric.
6 quarts of elder vinegar.
1/2 cup of sugar.
1 cup of flour.
2 teaspoon of celery seed.
Mix well and cook slowly, then pour over pickles boiling hot. Let pickles get thoroughly heated, then can.

Sand Cookies

2 1/2 cups granulated sugar.
1 1/2 cups butter.
5 cups flour.
3 table-poons milk.
2 eggs.
1 level tea-poonful soda.
Roll as thin as possible, dredge with sugar and bake. When baked they should be as thin as paper.

Salmon Loaf With Drawn Butter Sauce

1 lb. can pink or chin salmon.
1/2 cup milk.
1/8 tea-poon pepper.
1 tea-poon minced onion.
1 cupful soft bread crumbs.
2 beaten eggs.
1 1/2 tea-poon salt.
Grated rind of 1/2 lemon.
Drain liquor from salmon and reserve for sauce. Remove salmon bones, separate into flakes and mix with the ingredients. Mold into a loaf, pack in greased pan and bake in moderate oven for 40 minutes. Remove to hot platter, decorate with parsley and lemon slices and serve with it the following:
DRAWN BUTTER SAUCE—Melt 2 table-poons butter, stir into it 2 table-poons flour, and when smooth add the salmon liquor diluted with enough water to make 1 1/4 cupfuls, adding it gradually and stirring constantly until thickened. Then add 2 table-poons more of butter broken into bits, 1 tea-poon of lemon juice, 1 tea-poon minced parsley and salt and pepper. When butter is melted, serve.

Church Services.

There will be preaching at the Church of Christ Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and also Sunday night by Elder Lanier of Abilene, also preaching Monday and Tuesday nights following by Elder John Rice of Munday. Everybody is invited to come.

Mrs. C. H. Flood spent a few days last week with Mrs. Matthew Alexander of Stamford.

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"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

HIS FIRST CLIENT

By LILLIAN P. LEONARD.

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"Cheero, old dear!"
"Whereya get that stuff, 'cheero'?"
"Cheer up! Look at the sun shining and—"

"Little birdies singing 'tweet, tweet,' I suppose!" growled Ross in a tone of utter disgust. Bringing his feet down from the window sill with a bang and rising with a huge yawn he stretched his already long arms to their utmost.

As he stood in this position he looked like some colossal figure supplicating the cosmic powers, his mouth wide in invocation. So thought the apparition as she opened the door and stood hesitating on the threshold! Ross, crimson, brought himself into shape, while the man opposite sid the cuspidor under the desk with his foot.

For the girl in the doorway was the first human being, other than themselves, who had opened that door; that door lettered with ornate gilt lettering:

Ross Adams
Henry Demson
Real Estate, Mortgages,
Justice of the Peace Notary Public
WALK IN.

The girl stepped into the room and took the chair proffered by the momentarily dazed Ross, while Henry evaporated toward a door marked "private" in severely plain, black letters.

The usual light remarks had been made, and Ross, taking a gasping flyer into his first taste of business, asked:

"There is some matter I could assist you in, Miss?"

"I came to see a justice of the peace," replied the girl, blushing vividly.

"Well, I am Ross Adams, justice of the peace."

The girl looked at the floor, bit her lip and stammered:

"You marry people?"

He took a grip on himself and answered airily:

"Oh, yes, to be sure, when everything appears all right and parties have the license."

"How many people have you married, Mr. Adams?"

"Why, er—er—hundreds—of course I never kept count."

"Oh, I am so sorry; I wanted to be the first. Will you marry me?"

"Yes, indeed, I shall be delighted," smiled Ross.

At this moment the door swung open and two men, heavily bearded, stalked into the room, and in military precision took a stand on each side of Ross, while in due they chanted:

"We are witnesses to your promise to marry this young lady?"

With a swift back-action swat, Ross cuffed the pseudo girl soundly across the cheek, while with lightning speed he clutched at the men's beards. They came forth in each hand, but there also came forth a startled yelp in an unmistakably feminine voice from the girl in the chair, and Ross was staring horrified at "Girle" of college days in the face of one of the men he had denuded of a beard.

"Now, see here, 'Girle,'" said Ross, "I always told you that no good ever came from practical joking. You have brought this upon yourselves. But," turning to the girl, who was crouched down in the chair with a hand held to a crimson cheek, "my deepest regrets to this young lady for my brutal act and my only hope is that she will forgive me. Who is she anyway?"

"Oh, that's only my kid sister and she don't mind a little crack like that! Ought to see her sometimes after she has put on the gloves with me!"

"Huh!" flashed the girl. "Mr. Ross, you should see him when I get through with him! He looks like a beef steak pie for a week after!"

But though I know that every tooth is knocked down my throat and that my jaw is fractured in a thousand pieces, I guess I'll forgive you this time."

"Go!" mourned "Girle," "went and messed up the whole show after our rehearsing for a week. But, see here, Ross, this is Jim Turner," motioning toward the other man who had leaped to the side of the girl and was trying to comfort her in a most lovable manner.

"All right," replied Ross, "and now, the why of all this fool farce?"

"Oh, Sis and Jim want to be married, that's all. Folks kicking up a rumpus, but Sis and I are strong for Jim, so go to it!"

Ross, from whom all timidity of "first business" had fled, took from his desk drawer the necessary book and calling in the grinning Henry as a witness joined the couple in marriage.

"Now," said Ross, "my privilege to kiss the bride shall be taken advantage of and tany it in some measure erase the memory of the blow."

So Ross performed this ceremony, also, to everyone's satisfaction with the exception, possibly of the bridegroom's.

"The joke's on me, so it's my—"

Ross put his hand into his pocket where reposed safe and sound just seven coppers, one dime and a pant's button.

"I should say not, it's our spurge," said "Girle," pressing a fat roll into Ross' hand. "So, on with the feast!"

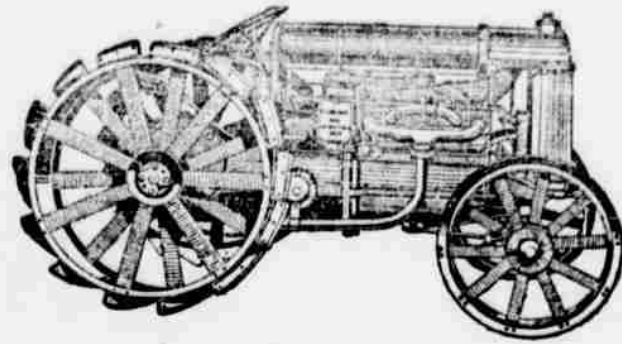
After this spectacular entry into the business world, Ross went surely and firmly upward in his practice and the day was not long in coming when the same group, with the addition of a certain girl, made up another wedding party.

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Citation by Publication. 13-4th THE STATE OF TEXAS
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Haskell, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District, once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, R. S. Nolan whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the county of Haskell, on the 25th day of April, 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed

in said Court, on the 17th day of March A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2724, wherein Lee Pierson is plaintiff and R. S. Nolan and Alice T. Nolan are defendants, the nature of the plaintiff's demand are as follows, to-wit:
 A suit on a promissory note for the principal sum of \$5,000, bearing date January 12, 1920, alleged to be executed by defendants, R. S. Nolan and Alice T. Nolan, and payable to plaintiff Lee Pierson, twelve months after its said date—it being alleged that said note bears interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and provides for 10 per cent attorneys' fees on the principal and interest of same if not paid at maturity, and if placed

in the hands of an attorney for collection—it is further alleged that said note is past due and unpaid, and placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, and that the defendants are liable to plaintiff for the entire amount of interest, principal and attorneys' fees. It is further alleged that the defendant R. S. Nolan, transferred and delivered to plaintiff 100 shares of the stock of The First State Bank of Stamford, Texas, of the par value of \$100.00 per share, described as certificate No. 5, for 90 shares and Certificate No. 54 for ten shares of said stock, that same was placed as aforesaid as collateral to secure plaintiff in the payment of said note and it is alleged that same is in the hands of the District Clerk of Haskell County, Texas, by order of the District Judge of the 39th District. Plaintiff prays for judgement, against both defendants for principal, interest and attorneys' fees of said note, and for the foreclosure of his lien on said bank stock and for general relief.
 Herein Fall Not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at its office in Haskell, Texas, this 17th day of March, A. D. 1921.
 R. R. ENGLISH, Clerk, District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

A GENTLEMAN
 By GRACE O. WEATHERS

With a last five feet round as station house, any daughter of A. A. Perry, without an exception up the side of the express to Boston, she disappeared with the train. She came into the first vacant seat she came to, and opened her purse for the first of a goodly roll of fresh, crisp yellowbacks gleaned from various sources, and cutting that Bessie's stolen pleasure trip was very profitable. It was odd that they were too careful of the goodness, couldn't she take care of herself?

She snatched complacently, "I mean so," she would say if they had but her note yet. Speed be back on the 4.30 train, so no one should worry.

Bessie looked about her. The train was quite full as it was only 5 o'clock. She glanced at the man beside her. He was young and good looking, in fact he looked like "perfect gentleman." Such a picture Bessie had cherished in her heart for years. He was her ideal! She had found him! He was returning her store, and finding her very lovely. Then, perhaps because they were both very young and happy they smiled at each other. The man straightened himself slightly.

"Bound for Boston?" he queried, his voice rich, and well cultivated.

"Yes," shyly answered the girl, while an unbidden flush mounted to her cheeks at her own unaccustomed boldness. "Are you?"

He nodded. "It was getting mighty dull down at the house. Mother is sick of company and won't have any, so I decided to take a trip to Boston to see a game."

Before Boston was reached, Bessie had told him of her escapade. He laughed heartily. When they reached the gate at the station, Bessie looked up at her new acquaintance. "Goodby, I hope you enjoy the game." She turned away, but the boy hurried after her.

"Oh, I say, don't go off that way. Listen, you've got a whole day to spend here, and so have I. Can we—won't you—what I mean is will you spend it with me? Please. We'll go to Nantasket beach. Come on, will you?" The girl glanced up at him. "No, I can't really. It isn't right. I couldn't! Please don't ask me. I don't know you." She stammered, and then laughed helplessly. "I'd love to," she finished.

"Good!" he exclaimed. He was all boy.

Then followed a wondrous day to the "poor little rich girl." With a perfect gentleman at her side she "did" all the things she had wanted to do since she was a child.

They lunched extensively and expensively, the boy laughingly refusing to allow the girl to pay her own bills. They thrilled over the roller coaster, they sailed in the captive airplanes.

At 4 o'clock they sailed for home, and on arriving at Boston found they had time for more ice cream. Between spoonfuls the Perfect Gentleman cried, "Hold still! there's a bug on your neck. Wait, I'll get him!" Bessie "held still," and presently the "bug" was gone. They dawdled so long after their ice cream that they narrowly missed the six o'clock train. The boy caught her wrist. "Come on, this way!" and presently, panting, they found themselves once more in a train sent homeward bound. They chattered all the way, the boy rather nervously. When Bessie's station was reached she turned to him.

"Goodby, I've had a simply glorious time, and thank you ever so much."

"Not goodby, but so long," the Perfect Gentleman answered. "I'm coming to see you next week."

"So you are. So long, then!" And she was gone.

She found her father waiting for her in the roadster. He was plainly worried at his daughter's latest escapade, and he greeted her none too graciously.

"You scamp! Do you realize what time it is? Where on earth have you been?"

Bessie snuggled close to her father, coaxingly. "Oh, Daddy, darling, I've had a perfectly wonderful time!" She proceeded to tell him all about it. He listened stolidly, with only an occasional "humph!" to show he was listening.

"Am I in time for supper?" asked Bessie, as she finished, glancing at her wrist. Then she gasped. Where her dainty platinum watch had been now only a light streak in the tan of her arm appeared. It was gone! "Oh, Daddy," she moaned. "My watch is gone."

"Eh, what's that?" asked her father. "Lost it, did you? Shouldn't wonder, after all that!"

"Oh, dear!" Bessie's hand went to her throat, and she gasped anew. Her lavalliere was gone! Where... how on earth? Then in a flash Bessie remembered the "bug," remembered how the boy had snatched her wrist and pulled her through the crowds to the train. Clever boy! More calmly now she opened her purse. Of course the roll of yellowbacks was gone.

"Daddy, everything's gone!"

"So he 'fished' you, did he? Tough luck!" and he wisely refrained from scolding her further. She was already sufficiently punished for her stolen trip.

Of course money could buy a new watch, another lavalliere, and another roll of yellowbacks, but no money on earth could bring back her dream of the "Perfect Gentleman." He was gone forever.

Opening Announcement

We wish to announce to the public that we have our market open for business and invite you to call and give us a trial. We will appreciate your patronage and will endeavor at all times to give you the very best fresh meat at a reasonable price.

Cash Meat Market
 Between Tucker's Cafe and Fouts & Mitchell

The Haskell National Bank

again calls the attention of their many friends and customers to the condensed statement below at the close of business March 26th. This statement is voluntarily printed without any request from the Comptroller. A study of this statement will convince you that your funds are in excellent hands and that a better place cannot be found to do business.

Become one of our customers, and deposit with us.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discount	\$888,027.87
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00
U. S. Bonds	27,800.00
War Savings Certificates	840.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	8,400.00
Stock Federal International Banking Co.	750.00
Cash in Vault and With Banks	115,180.02
Total	\$1,043,997.89

LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided Profits	13,955.05
Circulation	24,500.00
Reserved for Taxes	2,581.21
Money Borrowed	NONE
DEPOSITS	402,961.63
Total	\$1,043,997.89

March 26, 1921.

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TAKE EXAMINATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES AT HOME

In the future applicants for certificates must take the examinations in the county in which they reside or carry to the place of examination a recommendation from the County Superintendent of his county. Please remember this and save time and embarrassment.

Mrs. Ed Robertson,
 County Superintendent

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.

A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.

The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough.

Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 35c.

Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1921, the same being the 5th day of said month for the purpose of electing two aldermen.

The place of voting shall be at the Courthouse and S. A. Hughes is hereby appointed manager of said election.

Sam A. Roberts, Mayor,
 City of Haskell, Texas

After Thorough Trial a Detroit, Mich., Man Endorses Pe-RU-NA

The following letter written from Detroit, Michigan is no snap judgment expressed on the merits of Pe-RU-NA, the well-known catarrh remedy, but rather a mature, sober opinion formed after a full year's trial.

This is the way Mr. Michael Fako of 906 East Palmer Avenue, in the Michigan Metropolitan, writes: "After using PE-RU-NA for about one year will say I have found it a very good medicine for catarrh. It has helped me a great deal and I am very well satisfied. I have gained in weight, eat and sleep well, my bowels are regular and better color in my face."

"PE-RU-NA has done what and to me is worth its weight in gold. I shall continue to use PE-RU-NA as long as I live and recommend it to my friends who are troubled with catarrh. Nothing can be more convincing than the endorsement of a man who has used it for a year. There are people in every community who are suffering in using Pe-RU-NA. Mr. Fako's is a good example of the results of PE-RU-NA on catarrh, croup, colds, catarrh, and bowel disorders and tartral conditions. Put up in both tablet and form. SOLD EVERYWHERE."



Starting Friday

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Real Big Bargains picked from all parts of this store. Includes goods that we are overstocked on, discontinued lines Offered at Sacrifice Prices for quick selling.

Read each of the listed items as there is something in that you need.

Ladies Hose, 20c and 25c quality, per pair
 Ladies Hose, 75c quality, per pair
 Ladies Hose, \$1.00 quality, per pair
\$2.95 Black Silk Hose—Special
 One Lot of Ladies Georgette Blouses, all sizes. Values up to \$10.00. Special
 Baby Blue Messaline Ribbon in all widths
 Good Gingham and Percale
 Best Grade; Values up to 60c, now

Shoes Galore

Men's and Ladies Shoes listed here represent big savings with each purchase.

No. 1047. Tan English Last, Men's heavy Dress Shoe, regular price \$11.00. Special.
 No. 1082. Black Gun Metal, English Dress Shoes, regular price \$9.50. Special.
 No. 1639. Black Glazed Kangaroo English Dress Shoes, regular price \$14.75. Special.
 No. 1-03. Black Kid and Kangaroo Men's Straight Last. Was \$13.50.
 No. 1652. Men's Bro. English. Regular Price \$12.50. Special.
 1 Counter of Odds and Ends, Ladies and Children's Slippers. Special.
 1 Counter of Odd Ladies Slippers.
 1 Special Lot Ladies New and Old Low Cut Slippers. High and Low heels. Special
 Men's Hats, all colors and sizes, regular prices up to \$6.50. Special.
 Gauntlet Leather Palm Canvas Gloves.
 Women's Heavy Brown Canvas Work Shoes. \$3.50 value. Special.
 Men's Heavy Brown Canvas Work Shoes. \$4.50 Value. Special.

Millinery

1 Table of Hats, Values up to \$8.00. Special.
 1 Table of Hats, Values up to \$9.00. Special.

23 Ladies Suits—Our Entire Stock—REDUCED
Men's Underwear, Sox, Shirts, go in this Special

ALL IN ALL, WE OFFER BARGAINS BEGINNING DAY THAT IN MANY INSTANCES ARE LESS HALF THEIR ORIGINAL PRICE.

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HASKELL, TEXAS

Titan Tractor
 Back to the Old
Rock-Bottom Price

We have reduced the price of the Titan 10-20 Tractor to its former low figure. This is the same Titan tractor which 75,000 farmers have put into remarkably successful service--the same standard power, plus 1921 improvements and additions.

A full set of removable extension angle lugs sold as extra equipment under the former low price is now included without extra cost. Fenders, Platform, Angle Lugs, Throttle Governor Friction Clutch Pulley, Wide Range Adjustable Drawbar, water Air Cleaner-- All are included without any extra charge.

International 8-16 and 15-30 Tractors
 Also Reduced in Price

Farmers who want a light tractor, built like a high grade automobile but with the same sturdiness and reliability of the Titan, can now get the International 8-16 also at a much lower figure. We have long restricted the sale of this model to a limited territory, but increased production enables us to release it to all sections of the United States.

The International 15-30 tractor has been reduced long with the others.

Bear in mind that we give unequalled service, made possible through 92 branch houses and thousands of local dealers, to every International tractor owner, no matter where located.

Prices of Other Lines Reduced

Prices have also reduced on chilled plows, tractor plows, cream separators, kerosene engines, seeding machines, International threshers Harvester-threshers, wagons, hay presses, and a number of other lines on which your dealer can give you full information.

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"The Tailor"

Publication by the State of Texas

11-14-1921. Sheriff or any Constable of County. Greeting: I hereby command you to publish in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, in any newspaper published in the nearest District to said District, to appear at regular term of the District Court of said County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Haskell County, Texas, on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1921, then and there to publish in said Court the petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1921, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2712, wherein A. H. Beiser is plaintiff, and Ella Beiser is defendant, and said petition alleges that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Haskell County, Texas, on the 9th day of October, 1917, and that they lived together as husband and wife until October, 1920, at which time defendant left plaintiff's home, and about the last mentioned date plaintiff overtook defendant in the City of Haskell, Texas, and plaintiff further alleges that defendant is a married woman, and is the owner of the following property, to-wit: Lots 3 to 7, inclusive, in Block 77

in Carney Addition to the town of Brien, Texas, also Lots 11 and 12 in Block 74 of the Carney Addition to the town of O'Brien, Texas, and personal property consisting chiefly of household and kitchen furniture; that defendant acquired no rights in said property and disclaimed any such rights; plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving the marriage relations of plaintiff and defendant and for an adjudication of his rights in the above described property as his individual and separate property and estate, etc.

Herein I do not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS, R. R. ENGLISH, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this 4th day of March, A. D. 1921.

R. R. ENGLISH, Clerk, District Court, Haskell County.

Notice to Sidewalk Contractors. Sealed proposals will be received by Marvin H. Post, City Secretary of the City of Haskell, until 2 p. m., Tuesday, April 5th, 1921, for the furnishing of all materials and labor for the construction of approximately 3,500 square feet of sidewalks on Clark Street abutting the property in Blocks 23 and 24 and on Standefer street abutting property in Block 23 of the original town of Haskell. Plans and specifications may be obtained from Marvin H. Post, City Secretary.

SAM A. ROBERTS, Mayor, City of Haskell, Texas.

MISS FINCH

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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Nell Latimer had met Celia Finch and Ethel, the youngest of that popular family, noted for its feminine pulchritude, but of Rosamond, the eldest, he had only heard echoes of her calm beauty. Men said she was a marble statue and that nothing could awaken her dreaming peace.

"My sister Rosamond?" Celia had repeated one day. "She's the dearest thing, but she wouldn't be interested in any of this," she waved her fan at the room full of dancers. "She is browsing among books most of the time, is the most absent-minded creature imaginable, and—we are missing most of this dance, aren't we?" she ended wistfully.

Neil apologized and in a moment they were vanishing in the maze.

One afternoon when the fever of spring was in the air and he could not remain indoors harnessed to the routine of a busy office, Neil got into his car and rode out East avenue to the country club. The Finch residence was on East avenue and he had passed Mrs. Finch and the younger girls in the shabby car driven by a middle-aged negro. The Finches were poor in this world's goods, but, as they came of a good old family and had many rich relatives, the fatherless family went around a great deal and entertained occasionally in their lovely, decaying home, filled with heirlooms.

Just as Neil reached the Finch residence he became aware that the machine needed water. A maid was standing with her back to him hanging out a snowy washing of clothes. She wore a pink sunbonnet, but he could see a couple of clothespins protruding from the depths of the bonnet.

"Good morning," he said in his pleasant voice. "May I have a pail of water, my car—" he did not finish the sentence but paused in dismay, for the clothespins were removed from the loveliest of lips and the face turned to his was never that of an ordinary maid-servant. Such rare beauty could only belong to the sister of Celia and Ethel—she saw his embarrassment and smiled gravely.

"Water? Certainly," she said in a voice which made his pulses tingle. "If you will come to the house I will give you a pail; there is water in the garage, but you may as well fill the pail in the kitchen." She led the way into a great kitchen, immaculately clean, where an ancient colored woman, crippled with rheumatism, sat in a comfortable armchair by the fire. She croaked hoarse protests when the girl gave Neil a shining pail.

"No, Miss Rosamond, honey, done you be waitin' on folks lak that—"

"Please, be quiet, Aunt Heppy," chided the girl.

"I am sorry to trouble you—I didn't know that I might be intruding—I am acquainted with Mrs. Finch and her daughters and—"

"You must be coming to dinner tonight, then," suggested the girl. "I recognized you at once—I am Rosamond Finch."

Neil took her hand. "May I stay a little while and be kitchen company?" he asked. "I'd like to get acquainted."

Rosamond looked doubtful. Then a wave of color invaded her fairness. "I shall be glad, Mr. Latimer, but you see it would embarrass mother and the girls if it were known—you see, Heppy is crippled, so, as we cannot afford another maid, I come out and help. Heppy directs me and I love to cook—"

"She shore am de beateenest cook!" interrupted Heppy.

Rosamond joined in Neil's laughter. "Heppy is a good teacher, and it gives the younger girls a chance to go about. 'I've been out two seasons already, and I do like a chance to keep up with my studies. I must fly around now because there is dinner to get—oh, we have an extra maid in for that to help Abner in the dining room. Can you mix mayonnaise?"

"Can I?" Neil washed his hands and pushed back his cuffs.

"If you will let me help you a little I'll forswear any knowledge of you and your dark plottings in this kitchen."

"Very well," she laughed merrily, "only you must fly at the stroke of four, so that you will not scandalize mother and the girls."

Neil never forgot that hour spent in the kitchen with lovely Rosamond Finch.

That night at the happy, informal dinner party for which the Finches were famous Neil saw her again and she seemed another girl. Her family and friends took fire from her gaiety and it was a never-to-be-forgotten evening. Rosamond Finch had awakened.

During the weeks that followed Neil learned more about the interesting family of girls who maintained their social position on a depleted income, remade their own clothes, until there came a day when they had to unpack Mrs. Finch's own wedding dress and veil for Rosamond's bridal. After all the "oldest Miss Finch," who had contentedly stayed at home in the kitchen, was the first bride, and Aunt Heppy, who had turned her into a famous cook, was almost as proud as Neil himself as the bride came up the aisle. "She looks like a lovely statue," said some on that day.

Neil only smiled. He knew that beneath the marble there was flame—had he not kissed his Galatea into life?

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All along the Atlantic Coast there are summer resorts with miles and miles of boardwalk, trodden by millions of feet and drenched with surf and sea fog. Some of these boardwalks have been in service for 25 years, and are still sound and whole. The right wood in its proper place. Others have been replaced every few years. The wrong wood for purpose; or the right wood wrongly specified. A good example of the need for an expert lumber service.

America uses more wood per capita than any other country in the world. As in the past, so in the future, much of the development of the Nation depends on its lumber supply. The typical citizen is accustomed to lumber. He naturally takes it for granted he knows all about it. It will pay him, both in his private interests and as a taxpayer to check over what he really does know about choosing the most practical wood for a specific service. It is something of a shock to the man who thinks of lumber vaguely in terms of a "nice clean board" to come face to face with questions about the specific quality of the various kinds of wood.

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Far-reaching questions—make no mistake about that!

Detailed, scientific knowledge of the species of lumber, their characteristics and availabilities, means durable and economical building today.

More than that, it means ample supply of lumber, present and future, for all essential needs—conservation and economy through the use of the right wood in its proper place.

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As substantial factors in the lumber business, the Brazelton people want to put at your service the results of their experience and investigations covering many years.

To this end we will supply to lumber buyers and to the public, any desired information as to the quality of the different species and the best wood for a given purpose.

This service will be as broad and impartial as we know how to make it. We are not partisans of any particular species of wood. We advise the best lumber for the purpose, whether we handle it or not.

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate

No. 2631. Reynolds Mortgage Co. vs. J. W. Gardner, et al. In the District Court of Haskell County, Texas.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1920, in favor of the said Reynolds Mortgage Company and against J. L. Linville, et al., No. 2631 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1921 at 11 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Haskell, State of Texas, and belonging to J. I. Clark, as administrator of the estate of S. E. Gardner, deceased, and Claudia Clark, Dolrous Clark, Audria Clark, Chester Clark, Clinton Clark, J. L. Linville, and J. W. Martin, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Haskell, State of Texas, and being the North one-half of the Southeast one-fourth of survey No. 37 of the four leagues of land patented to the School Commissioners of Wise County, Texas, June 25, 1858 by Patent No. 284, Vol. 13, and known as survey No. 76, abstract No. 405, and containing _____ acres of land; and on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1921, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said Haskell county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. I. Clark, as administrator of the estate of S. E. Gardner, deceased, and Claudia Clark, Dolrous Clark, Audria Clark, Chester Clark, Clinton Clark, J. L. Linville and J. W. Martin, in and to said property.

Dated at Haskell, Texas, this 5th day of March A. D. 1921.

AL COUSINS,
11-4c Sheriff of Haskell County, Tex.

ITEMS THIS WEEK FROM THE CITY OF WEINERT

Bro. Crockett from Stamford preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and afternoon.

Miss Ruth Whitaker left for her home in Peacock Friday night.

Miss Marie Riddling returned home from a visit to Dallas, Wichita Falls, Fort Worth and Graham.

Hugh and Edward Cockrell from Abilene were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Shells from Ralls has been visiting her brothers, J. B. and E. L. Riddling.

Mrs. Albright returned home after a visit with relatives at Seymour.

Weinert was visited by a good show Friday and Saturday night and will also be here Thursday night of this week.

Reporter.

Mrs. Ed Robertson and little son of Chillicothe is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stark and also Ed's mother and sister Mrs. Ed Robertson and Miss Linda.

Mrs. J. E. Phillips of Goree spent Friday with her mother Mrs. Massengale Harrington.

The Frost

Has not hurt the fruit and vegetables at

Payte's Fruit Stand

A nice variety for you to select from every day.



Hear a pure voice!

MORE beautiful than a sweet silver bell,—more exquisite than any other musical sound in the world,—is the human voice when it is pure. But rare! Extremely rare! Mr. Edison tested 3800 singers. Only 22 sang pure notes.

The NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

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Mr. Edison's favorite portrait! The famous pen-etching by Franklin Booth, 12 x 19 inches. Given to everyone who votes in our "most-interesting American" contest.

Come in and hear Case, Hempel, Chalmers, and other artists Mr. Edison has picked for their purity of tone. The New Edison Re-CREATES these magnificent voices so perfectly that there is no difference between Re-CREATED voice and original voice. It gives you their every enchanting beauty.

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We Appreciate Your Trade

Our business during the opening of the Spring Season has been very satisfactory in every way—in fact, it has been far above our highest expectations. There is a reason. We have gone over our stock and marked our merchandise down to the present price of other commodities regardless of the cost price to us—this has not been overlooked by the buying public of Haskell and surrounding Country—they realize the big bargains that we offer and have been quick to take advantage of the saving that can be found here—as this is the time we all want our dollar to buy 100 cents worth of merchandise.

We appreciate your trade and shall endeavor to prove our appreciation by always giving the best values for lowest amount of money.

New Dry Goods

Practically every department of our store is complete and we are able to offer you the very latest in high grade merchandise at a price you can afford to pay.

If you are not already one of our satisfied customers, we ask that you come in and visit our store—compare our prices and the quality of merchandise we sell and we feel that when you have done this we will be able to class you among our friends and customers.



BAYLOR COUNTY RABBIT DRIVE VERY SUCCESSFUL

Nearly four hundred citizens of Haskell, Knox, Baylor and Throckmorton counties assembled themselves at a point designated six miles south of Bonham in Baylor county at the Cornhill school house, March 25th at 9:30 in answer to an invitation coming from the Green-hill community to make war on the lock rabbits.

Promptly at the hour designated, a large army of men left the school ground in cars for the pastures and wheat fields in quest of the long-eared rabbit.

A score of drives in the morning resulted in the extermination of six hundred and ninety three rabbits and three coon.

At about ten o'clock cars chattered to a halt and boys, pale and after the long hunt, hurried to their cars to load their rabbits. Many of the boys were seen to be very happy, and some of the boys were seen to be very happy, and some of the boys were seen to be very happy.

The evening drive resulted in about the same number of rabbits as in the forenoon, with two coons.

If every community would follow the successful example, farmers would be financially benefited, and communities would become more closely related socially. If you doubt it, question any farmer, hunter, doctor or merchant, or a member of a sportsman who attended this long-to-be remembered picnic.

Miss Madge Pinkerton, who is a student at E. C. U. at Fort Worth, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pinkerton.

Y. P. M. S. Program

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Haskell, Texas, will give an all day program at the Church Saturday April 2nd. The program will begin at 10 o'clock.

Song—"Bring Them In." "Words of Welcome"—By local superintendent Y. P. M. S., Mrs. C. M. Kaigler.

Scripture Reading—Virginia Gilbert. "Two Little Eyes"—By Juniors. Prayer—Edith Jones.

"What Will You Give to Jesus?"—Artie Wright and Louise Kaigler. Address to the Young People by Conference Superintendent Y. P. M. S., Mrs. Tom C. Delaney, Memphis, Texas. Noon Recess.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:30.

Opening Song, "Throw Out the Life Line." Gratitude From the Women's Missionary Society of Haskell—Mrs. D. K. Kibben.

Topic, selected Subject, by District Secretary, Mrs. Jim Britton, Haskell, Texas.

"Our Finances" by Conference Treasurer Mrs. R. C. Montgomery. Pledge, Crossroads House, by members of Y. P. M. S.

Special Song, "Hosanna"—Mrs. McKenzie. Address to Women's Missionary Society—Mrs. Tom C. Delaney.

Song, "I Need Thee Every Hour."—Reporter.

Miss Mae Simmons who has charge of the Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Department of the big dry goods store of Bryant-Link & Co. of Jayton, was in the city visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Simmons a few days this week, returning back to Jayton Wednesday.

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 get relief after the first application. Price 50c.



CARDUI HELPED REGAIN STRENGTH

Alabama Lady Was Sick For Three Years, Suffering Pain, Nervous and Depressed—Read Her Own Story of Recovery.

Paint Rock, Ala.—Mrs. C. M. Steadall, of near here, recently related the following interesting account of her recovery: "I was in a weakened condition. I was sick three years in bed, suffering a great deal of pain, weak, nervous, depressed. I was so weak, I couldn't walk across the floor; just had to lay and my little ones do the work. I was almost dead. I tried everything I heard of, and a number of doctors. Still I didn't get any relief. I couldn't eat, and slept poorly. I believe if I hadn't heard of and taken Cardui I would have died. I bought six bottles, after a neighbor told me what it did for her.

"I began to eat and sleep, began to gain my strength and am now well and strong. I haven't had any trouble since. . . I sure can testify to the good that Cardui did me. I don't think there is a better tonic made and I believe it saved my life."

For over 40 years, thousands of women have used Cardui successfully, in the treatment of many womanly ailments.

If you suffer as these women did, take Cardui. It may help you, too. At all druggists. E 85

ADJOURNED?

By ALICE BORDEN STEVENS

Don't nod, nod, nod, nod! Bob's hand struck the steering wheel and averted, as in regular swing he skipped down the hill road in his own eccentric way, one shoulder lifted by the crutch, the other drooping with the bend of the well knee.

"Have a ride?" The sweet voice rang above the din of the engine as the automobile came to a sudden stop. "Going to the village? I'll give you a lift." She spoke in a careless, comradely voice, as though every day she took to unknown crutches and landed them at unknown destinations.

"Sure!" he cried, deftly lifting himself through the door to the back seat of the touring car. Doris Berkeley didn't wait to help. She released the lumps and slid into the road seat. "Where to, eh, honey?"

"Call that?" he asked. "God! All right; here goes." The road was winding, now through woods and now along cliffs dipping to the river. The car ran with an occasional catch. "Break out of order? Can I help?" Bob Randall listened. "Knock out, isn't she? Oh, all right, I didn't mean to butt in; go on, please."

Doris laughed. "I am sensitive about my driving, I suppose. I've had it all day; now do you dare ride with me?"

"To the death," said Bob, more solemnly than he intended. Inwardly he was swearing at his wooden leg and luck generally; but he did know the value of a brave front, and used it. With all the money in the world, had he a right to ask any woman to marry half a man? The dash and snap resolution that had made him a remarkable aviator gave him many a jolt as he limped through his days, by deciding on a future course sure to please his glorious spirit, only to find it impossible to his maimed body, however expert he might become in the use of makeshift limbs and tools. So, with his heart and soul insisting "Thou art the girl," his mind and will clamped down the lid of desire with the iron of fair play.

"There! It's jammed again! Oh—can you jump? You can't, of course!" Doris tugged at the wheel in despair but it would not move.

"We're going over—I'm sorry—" and she held the wheel as the fence crashed with the impact.

The car pitched at right angles into the top of a tall sapling, and slid, jerked, buzzed, down its bending length to the bench beneath, stopping with the front wheels in the water. The slide of 20 feet was, thus broken, not more exciting than a good loop-the-loop at the park, but the girl felt the grip of responsibility before there was time for fear, and the man cursed his impotency to help as a man who was not a wreck—a thing—an idiot—might help. To be strong—and useless!—what a pain!

All was so. Doris unfolded from the bottom of the car where the drop landed her, and peeped over the seat.

"What? Aren't you dead? Thank heaven, though I've little right to even speak of heaven, after risking your life this way. How could I guess it would act so? It did it this morning, and landed me in the ditch, but the garage man said it was all right now."

"Turned it too hard, that's all." Bob unscrambled the real and the artificial of his belongings and crept from the car. Holding by the back wheel, he handed her the crutch.

"Can you vault? If you can, you won't get wet. I don't know how we will get out of this! He looked up the sheer face of the cliff, "but first, let's get out of the machine, anyway. Sure, you're all right?"

"Why, they're alive!" "Not after that fall!" The voices came incredulously from above their heads.

Leaning over the rail, two scared faces took account of conditions below. "Can you walk?"

"Sure!" called Bob, "if we had a chance." He looked up and down the rocky shore dubiously.

"How is the car?" "It looks all right; wet, of course." "Well, wait, and we'll get ropes and things from the garage."

When the climb was made with the aid of engines and pulleys and many strong arms and ingenious minds, two people rather shaken now that it was over, sat in the back seat, the girl smiling tremulously, but finding courage in the face of the man.

"Do you still want to go to the golf grounds," she said.

"Well—under the circumstances—" "Say," broke in a gruff and practical voice, "that engine would go if it wasn't wet. As it is, we're going to tow you some; take the wheel, one of you!"

"Meeting adjourned," whispered Bob, as he helped Doris over to the driver's seat. "There's to be a happy ending, isn't there?"

She smiled and leaned a bit on his shoulder as she passed.

"Yes—adjourned," she said, and he braced his good foot against the iron rail, and dreamed strong dreams as they went on their way. Perhaps there was still in him, after all, a power to serve.

Needed Boiling Down. Walter—Was the dinner cooked to suit you, sir? Diner—Yes, all but the bill. Just take that back and boil it down a little.

THE AWAKENING

By GERTRUDE ALLEN.

Rosamond was in that delightful state which is neither sleeping nor waking, and was vaguely aware that it was morning, for the town was becoming vocal. A dim suspicion of dawn made the windows faintly visible, but it surely could not be time to get up.

A wave of thankfulness swept over her at the thought that she was safely in her own little white and pink bedroom, and then she slipped back into dreamland and found herself walking along a brookside, a little buff spaniel running in and out of the water beside her. A rainbow arched the brook and receded as she advanced. Suddenly she heard an ominous growl, which resolved itself into the rumble of a passing dray.

"Rainbow in the morning, suffers like warbling," she repeated drowsily.

She was back in dreamland, where a queer old woman sat rocking, singing in a raucous voice, "John Anderson, my Jo," and as she sang she changed into a lovely young girl with a spinning wheel, who seemed inclined to speak when Rosamond became aware that the hum of the wheel was really made by a street car two blocks off.

She stretched lazily and smiled a little, thinking sleepily of the small white-and-pink room—her very own room—the "apple blossom room"—so called because when the house was built years and years before an apple tree stood in front of the east window of the room, and in its flowering season filled the little room with its fragrance. Ah, she could smell it now, though the apple tree had long since disappeared.

She began to realize that it was morning and time to wake up, and then dozed off once more. Now she was in a sleigh rapidly approaching a vertical precipice, but on the very edge, the catastrophe was averted by Ray Randall, who suddenly appeared from nowhere, remarking, "Dreams always go by contraries."

Now she was really awake, but lying with closed eyes, trying to induce another visit from Morpheus. She was contentedly happy that she had firmly resisted all the pressure brought to bear upon her when she refused to marry Mr. Comstock, the aged millionaire.

At least he was aged according to her standards. She was nineteen and he was forty-four. To be sure, he was tall, erect, elegant and learned, but there were indications of a bald spot, and he wore spectacles, the kind with big, round lenses, and he was not slim. She had always thought of him as one of her father's cronies, and the idea of marrying him made her shiver.

Once more she dozed, and this time was part of a confused dream of apple blossoms and music, and Ray Randall, and then she was suddenly wide awake, thinking of Ray.

"Poor? To be sure he was, Young? Just twenty-four. Ambitions? Certainly; he already had plans about the United States senate. But she was willing to wait, willing to work, willing to efface herself, if only she might do it for Ray. In the meantime had her own little white-and-pink room—her sanctum sanctorum—her haven in all times of stress.

Suddenly she opened her eyes and looked straight into the eyes of Mr. Burton Comstock. She was certainly in a white-and-pink room, a very large and luxurious room; a room decorated with apple blossoms, and Mr. Comstock carried a wonderful branch of them in his hand.

"My rose of the world," he said, "a penny for your dreams; they surely must have been pleasant ones."

"Yes, Burton, in a room like this, no other kind would be possible."

"And Rosamond," continued her husband, "didn't Ray Randall use to run around in your set? I see by the morning paper that he has won the election; and also his engagement to that rich widow, Mrs. Stevens. At one time I was almost jealous of him."

"And at one time," replied Rosamond, "I almost thought I did not even like you."

Burial Place of "Mother Goose." Near the center of the older part of Boston is a large graveyard in which are buried many notable persons of the colonial days. It is a very interesting place and the old gravestones have been well-cared for. One small stone marks the grave of "Mother Goose," to whom many thousands of children have been indebted for much innocent enjoyment.

Soldier Earned Furlough. Private James Cunningham won a 90-day furlough from Camp Dix, N. J., when he shinned up a 90-foot pole to replace a pulley that civilian workmen said could not be replaced without lowering the pole. Maj. Gen. C. P. Summerall, commanding officer, was so pleased that he gave Cunningham a day's leave for every foot he shinned.

Depressing Introduction. The chairman of a club in an Indiana city was introducing the speaker of the evening. After announcing the name of the lecturer and her subject, the chairman in conclusion said: "Last year we went in debt on account of our lectures and so this year we decided that we would have cheaper talent."

THE NEW MAID

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

Donald Sinclair picked up a magazine that had been left on a subway, idly. He had no special interest in it; it had merely been lying the space where he was sitting.

Back in his mind, but not in an exaggerated a proportion as to his outlook, was the wish that he was going home to a well-regulated hotel, to a dinner nicely served, their own small dining room full of one that his sister Jean had prepared after her own hand work. Both he and Jean had been having meals outside and Jean had been coming home late from the office and preparing dinner rather to trail out to a restaurant.

Their experience with home-made had been unsuccessful.

It was with a very grave face then that Donald found the magazine he had picked up so idly to be something that pointed the way to happiness. A letter of recognition, apparently lost by its owner, sticking between the pages of the magazine. It read:

"To whom it may concern: To state that Gladys Turner has been in my employ as general housekeeper for three years. She is an excellent cook, is strictly honest, neat, and a splendid manager. She is doing my employ only because my mother has fallen in love with her, and I'm trying for her with his mother. She has my highest recommendation. The letter was signed and the phone and address of the mother added.

Donald did not confide in Jean until his plans should be perfected.

The outcome was that Gladys Turner called at the office of Sinclair Co. and was ushered in for an interview with Donald.

She was neatly dressed and nicely spoken.

"My sister and I are out all my sister being the editor of a man's magazine. I want very much to have you take entire charge of home, planning meals and everything that will leave my sister free from worry. I will pay \$100 a month, and there is a dainty room in our apartment for you. We are not in any way difficult to please," he added with a rare smile.

Gladys Turner fidgeted in her seat and tried to speak easily, but her words were hard. Finally she found voice.

"I—I have never worked in a way," she confessed. "That part of a story I am writing, but am not too well fixed financially, really am honest and a splendid and could manage your home very easily." She looked up at him, awaiting his verdict.

That she had quite taken advantage of her was a self-evident fact.

"All I ask," she added a trifle fully, "is to be left alone to work when I am finished with your work."

"That seems little enough," Donald said out of the maze of thoughts.

So it happened that an evening Jean arrived home after a week to find a daintily set table, a fully cooked meal and a neat spotless apron ready to serve her brother in their own dining room.

Donald had sprung many happy prizes on his sister, but this was the one that she valued most.

"Are you quite, quite sure I can awaken to have to run out and a few chops, a baker's cake and a tin of vegetables for our dinner?" questioned Donald.

"Not this time, sis. The way that girl would almost make a plot. I'll tell you all about it."

And Gladys reached a splendid tentment in the home of the Sinclair. She had hours of uninterrupted concentration, and her material was long ready markets.

Donald began to feel terribly grieved that he was excluded from long confabs held between Jean and Gladys.

Donald was pacing the floor in some wrath. He frowned darkly beamed as suddenly.

He strode into the hall and found on that closed door.

"Well—what's the idea?" Jean.

"Nothing, except that I am darned lonesome. I want to go to movies and no one will go with me."

Jean laughed. "We didn't have selves being invited or anything like a dislike for movies."

"Well," blurted Donald, "I want Gladys to leave her position the same reason as she left the office. He looked boyishly but very politely at the two women he loved on earth.

Gladys blushed hotly and Jean a swift glance at her brother. She had known this was coming, hoped for its early settlement. Donald's way was a bit unusual, smiled up at him. Her eyes gazed on the blushing girl who risen to such splendid heights as a woman and a writer.

There was a lovely glow in her eyes as she looked up.

"I have not as yet been attracted," she said softly.

"But look out from now on," Donald, and swept both women a great bear hug.

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