

A NEWSPAPER DEVOTED TO THE BEST INTEREST OF THE FARMING AND BUSINESS INTEREST OF HASKELL COUNTY

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THIRTY-EIGHTH YEAR

## POULTRY EXHIBITS BIG FEATURE OF FAIR

The poultry building for the Haskell County Fair is being rapidly completed and will soon be ready for the largest showing of fine chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese ever kept in Haskell County. In fact, there will be more turkeys in competition here than were shown at any one place last year in this section of the state. Several classes of chickens will be extremely large and the variety of varieties will be a surprise to the majority of visitors. The exhibition wire coops will give uniformity increasing the general appearance and at the same time afford each exhibitor a neat and attractive setting for his poultry.

Entries for this department close Tuesday Sept. 30th, and must be mailed not later than that date. The hall will be open Oct. 1st, to receive exhibits but no birds will be received for exhibition except those that have been entered with the manager and on which the entry fee has been paid.

The poultry department will be one of the best educational features of the fair and to receive the full benefit every farmer who has pure bred birds should enter their best either as singles or pens and have it judged by the American Standard of Perfection.

Any one wanting a catalogue or entry blanks may get them from J. P. Payne, Haskell Texas.

### EVERY BED IN HASKELL NEEDED FOR FAIR GUESTS

Our visitors must be cared for, and it behoves each and every one of us to make available every room, sleeping porch, bed and set to the many whom we are expecting with us on October 1st, to 4th.

It is urged by the housing and information committee of which Mrs. Hardy Grissom is chairman, that all the good people of Haskell respond in the same way and spirit that has been manifested heretofore when they have been called upon.

The committee has decided on a price which they consider not cheap also not exorbitant, which is as follows, room with bath \$2.50 each per person, rooms without bath \$1.50 each per person, sets \$1.00 each per person.

### MA FERGUSON'S NAME BARRED TILL TRIAL

Sheriff W. C. Allen, County Judge R. E. Lee and County Clerk Emory McNeer, members of the Haskell County Election board were enjoined in papers received Tuesday from certifying the name of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson to be on the ballot for Governor of Texas in the General Election in November.

The order prohibits them from certifying her name until after the outcome of an injunction suit filed by Chas. M. Dickson of Bosque County, to keep her name off the ballot. The case is to be heard Monday September 22, in Austin, before Judge George Calhoun of the Fifty-third Judicial District, who issued the restraining order.

The Haskell County Election board will not make up the ticket before next week and it is expected that the suit will be settled before the local board completes their work.

### LEE PIERSON WILL ERECT NEW BUILDING

Work was begun the first of the week on the new Lee Person building just north of the Haskell National Bank on Clark street. The building will be of brick and the construction will be 35 by 80 feet divided into two store rooms.

Mr. Person is a believer in Haskell and the future of the town. Several years ago he erected the two story Person building on the north side of the square which has been a valuable piece of business property. Last year he purchased the McConnell property on the north west corner, which is also a two story building well located, when the new building is completed it will make him three separate business buildings of two store rooms each on the ground floor. The other buildings have a number of desirable office rooms on the second floor.

### SEYMOUR FAIR BOOSTERS HERE FIRST OF THE WEEK

Several business men of Seymour were in the city the first of the week in the interest of the Baylor County Fair which opened in Seymour today. Seymour is planning a fair and radio this year that will far exceed anything attempted in the past. They have been having a fair for several years and it has been one of the best county fairs in all Texas.

On account of the heavy rains, the radio which was to have been held today has been postponed until tomorrow and will continue through Friday, Saturday and Sunday. A large delegation of Haskell people are planning to visit Seymour during their celebration if the roads will permit.

For information or housing see any of the following committees:

Mrs. Hardy Grissom, chairman; Mrs. Elmer Irvin; Mrs. R. C. Montgomery; Miss Arctic Nine Weaver; Mrs. M. B. Lebo; Miss Ruby Fitzgerald.

### 113 BALES GINNED COMPARED WITH 518 LAST YEAR

There were only 113 bales of cotton ginned in Haskell County prior to September 1st, compared with 518 bales on the same date last year according to James E. Lindsey of Rule, who furnished the information with the official ginners report of the county.

This exhibit will be sent from Abilene to Wichita Falls and entered in the Texas-Oklahoma Fair, where they are expecting to win honors for Haskell County. The exhibits will also be entered at the State Fair in Dallas with probably additions from the exhibits displayed at the Haskell County Fair on October 2, 3, and 4.

### BAPTIST REVIVAL WILL CLOSE SUNDAY NIGHT

The revival meeting at the Baptist Church will close next Sunday night. Everyone is most cordially invited to attend these last services. Much good has already been accomplished and a blessing is in store for you and your friends. Evangelist Blackmon and wife will leave Monday morning for Bishop, Texas, for their next engagement and then go to South Carolina for a meeting.

Mrs. W. J. Collard and children of Fort Worth spent last week end with her sisters Mrs. J. A. Frazier and Mrs. J. E. Pace.

Mrs. H. G. Taylor and son Allen of Palo Pinto visited her nieces Mrs. J. E. Pace and Mrs. J. A. Frazier.

W. C. Bevers wife and daughters of Munday spent last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Frazier.



## Packing Up

### MISS LUNICE HUCKABEE IS NAMED DUCHESS

Miss Lunice Huckabee has been named Duchess of Haskell in the grand and ornate coronation ceremony at the annual Haskell County Fair, held on Monday evening Sept. 19, 1924.

A three-day old Alice Jacks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jacks, was crowned at the West Texas Fair park on Monday evening. The coronation was performed in a hall which was decorated in style of the 1800's. Alice was a young girl with golden hair dressed in diamonds, diamonds, diamonds. Alice's mother, Mrs. Alice Jacks, kept a professed secret until the presentation of the coronation but it was known to all that Alice was the fairest and prettiest girl in the school.

The following day Alice Jacks

parade will be exercised on the morning of Oct. 22, 1924 with a gigantic parade and pageant which will form at the West Texas Fair grounds by noon of the day. The coronation of the beautiful fair queen will immediately upon the arrival of the parade at the Fair Park.

The following day Alice Jacks

will feature the pageant. The queen of the day and her attendants, the duchesses from all the towns of the county and their attendants, the school with their students, decorated floats and grand bands, grand city and county delegations, etc., etc., etc.

The pageant will be in great show with itself. Remember the pageant will leave the High School building at 11:00 o'clock.

The following prizes will be given:

First prize will be \$25.00 for the best decorated float or car.

Second prize will be \$15.00 for the second best decorated float or car.

Third prize will be \$5.00 for the third best decorated float or car.

A prize of \$5.00 will be given for the best individual costume.

Below are listed some of the divisions of the parade and the individuals that will be responsible for their respective divisions:

Schools—Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant.

Rodeo—Clyde Hunt.

Race Horses and Cars—Henry Alexander.

Color Features—Tanner E. Camp.

Fire Boys—J. B. Post.

City and County Officials—Mrs. Henry Alexander.

Old Timers—Mrs. Henry Alexander.

Organizations—Mrs. Roy Sheek.

Business Houses—Mrs. Mamie Bur-

keen.

Individuals—Mrs. W. H. Murchison.

If you want to get in the hand of the division that you will be in, see J. B. Post. They will give you all the necessary information.

LIGHTNING DOES DAMAGE  
ON T. A. PINKERTON FARM

AZURETTI SERVICE AND BLACKSMITH AND IRON WORK ON THE T. A. PINKERTON FARM, SPANNING 2500 ACRES ON THE 27th INCLOSED, WILL BE THE AUTOMOBILE RACES ON OCTOBER 25th ACCORDING TO THE ARRANGEMENTS MADE WITH K. E. STEPHENS, OWNER.

Many individuals of the ranch and surrounding areas attended the opening of the farm, which was made possible by the excellent work of Mrs. Dora Kiger and her family for English.

This makes four and the half year.

It is the second year for the Haskell High School during the two years I was Superintendent of the Haskell Public Schools. The others being two credits in Spanish and one and a half credits for Vocational Agriculture.

"I shall always be interested in the Haskell Schools, the children of Haskell, and the fine little city of Haskell. You have many fine people that I and my family will always love.

W. E. STEPHENS, OWNER.

A clean sportsman, a good student, a fellow and beloved by all who know him, now will be a junior this year and we are holding forward to great things from him in his next two years here. He has more than once given honor to the school and one always to depend upon in a pinch.

Stewart is also a member of the Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, one of the largest in the world.

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**Mike's Reasoning.**

"Did yez see this, Mike? It says here that when a man loses wan at his sins his other sins git more developed. For instance, a blind man gits more sinse uv hearin' an' touchin' an'—"

"Sure, and 'tis true. I've noticed it myself. When a man has wan leg shorter than the other the other leg's longer!"

**Problems of Life**

"It may be hard fo' a rich man to enter de kingdom of Heaven," said Rastus to the preacher, "but hits just as hard fo' a po' man to stay on de earth."

**30¢ COTTON-\$29.00 LAND**

Either the cotton is too high or the land is too cheap. For one acre of land will usually produce from one-fourth to one-half bale of cotton annually—worth from \$25. to \$75. One crop will frequently more than pay for the land. We will sell you the land for \$42. to \$29. per acre on long time payments and at a low rate of interest. If you are interested in securing a home for yourself and family where there is no oil well and where the climate is fine and the water good, write today to W. A. SeRele, General Agent for the Spearman Lands, 14 Santa Fe Bldg., Seguin, Gaines Co., Texas, for descriptive literature giving prices of land, terms, etc.



McCrory-Kirkpatrick

The groom in the conventional black led his bride into the circle of friends where the ring ceremony was used.

Immediately the couple left for New Orleans on a tour, after which they will be at home Oct. First at Denton Texas.

Miss Juanita is one of our most estimable Christian girls has been reared in Haskell and numbers her friends by the scores.

Mr. McEvily is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCrary of Hamilton Texas and holds a position as manager of a very widely connected Cotton Exchange.

They are both to be congratulated and blessings and best wishes go with them to their new home from all Haskell people.

**Return From Vacation**

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rike and daughter Kathryn and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery have returned from their delightful vacation. They went to Santa Fe New Mexico first and there they saw many wonderful things of Historical Interest. They witnessed the magnificent Pageant staged by the Pueblo Navajo and Apache Indians. The far famed artists of Taos came over and decorated all the Museums and even the streets for this occasion. This is the third year the Pageant has been staged and it depicts the life of the early Indians as far back as they have any history.

After the Pageant the Rikes left Santa Fe and visited the Elephant Butte Dam on the Rio Grande which is the largest artificial storage basin for irrigation in the world, providing irrigation for 180,000 acres of arid land in New Mexico, Texas and Mexico. From there they went to El Paso and Juarez returning via the wonderful Hondo Canyon described in last week's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery stayed a few days longer in Santa Fe and while there visited the Frijoles Canyon 40 miles west of Santa Fe. In this canyon are the homes of the ancient Cliff Dwellers. Their ceremonial chamber and every thing is in a perfect state of preservation. They said they saw nothing more thrilling in Yellow Stone Park than this. They returned home via of Roswell and camped out the entire time.

**Miss Pinkerton Entertains**

Miss Mary Lee Pinkerton entertained recently with a delightfully planned party at the Lodge, the country home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pinkerton. Punch was served throughout the evening and the following were included in the guest list. Misses Lucile Taylor, Nettie McCallum, Lois Earnest, Mary Ella Pace, Verna Oates, Pauley Newsome, Mesdames Bill Hills of Rule, J. O. Galloway of Fort Worth, Thomas Morrison of Spur, Ferris Morrison, Messrs: Verney Anderson, John W. Pace Jr., Wayne Koonce, Kenneth Oates, Galves Post, Thomas and Ferris Morrison, Fred Langford of Stamford Bill Hills, D. Campbell, and Marvin Wilson of Rule.

**Parent-Teachers Association**

The P. T. A. met Thursday Sept. 11 with twenty-two present.

Mrs. Kimbrough spoke words of welcome to our new superintendent and the teachers of the school.

Mrs. Robertson reported \$330.00 paid out for the sidewalks.

Mrs. Odell reported that the finance committee had decided to have a stand during the Fair.

The P. T. A. will have two meetings

each month, the second and fourth Thursdays.

Superintendent Neff spoke of the school, the work we have done and the work he expects to do. He stated that Haskell High School has 254 affiliated credits.

Next meeting will be September 25. Business meeting at 3:30 and program at 4 o'clock.

Everyone is invited to these programs, whether you wish to become a member of the P. T. A. or not. The subjects discussed are those that have to do with some phase of school or home problems.

**The T. E. L. Class**

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday School is the mothers class. Mothers who are invited to come and bring your babies. We have an interesting class but very anxious to have more members.

The officers for the next six months are as follows:

Mrs. B. M. Whitaker, Teacher; Mrs. W. Green, Associate Teacher; Mrs. W. A. Hardeman, Vice-Chair; Mrs. Whitmire Dougherty, Vice-Vice President; Mrs. John B. Lunsford, Second Vice President; Mrs. Leon Gambrell, Third Vice President; assisted by Mrs. R. J. Reynolds and Mrs. Vaughn Bailey; Mrs. A. J. Tuck, Sect. and Treasurer; and Mrs. K. D. Stimmons reporter.

**Parent Teachers Association**

The Parent Teachers Association will render the following program at the High School Auditorium Sept. 25, at 3:30 p. m.

**Business.**  
Piano Solo, Mrs. Brock;  
Reading, Mary Emma Whitaker;

Vocal Solo, Rev. Leon M. Gambrell;

Discussion of topics pertaining to school interests, Mr. Noff;

Round table discussion;

Come and get acquainted with your children's teachers.

**Haskell Boy Popular at Simmons**

Frank Kimbrough son of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough of this city left Monday for Abilene where he will be captain of the Paul Bell team. Frank has made a great record at Simmons and is one of the most popular young men in the school.

Mrs. Hall Morrison and son Joe and daughter Mrs. Edith Springs of Graham are visiting Mrs. Morrison's mother Mrs. J. S. Rice and sister Mrs. R. C. Montgomery this week.

Mrs. Joe Ferguson and daughter Miss Frances who have been visiting Mrs. F. M. Morton and Miss Anna Kate Ferguson for the past several weeks left for their home in Hale Center Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wofford Hardy and little son left Monday morning for Big Spring.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parsons are delighted to have them as Haskell citizens again. They had an up-to-date Cafe in Rule and were doing a good business but had a good offer and sold out. Mrs. Parsons and the boys are here and he will come later.

**Haskell Boys and Girls in Various Colleges and Universities**

The time was not so many years ago when boys and girls who finished the Haskell High School who had college and University advantages were in the minority but out of a class of thirty, seventy-five per cent will be a student in the college or university of their choice this year. These are listed below together with Haskell boys and girls who are pursuing their studies in the following schools: State University; Walter Murchison, John Pace, Misses Lucy Cummings and Annie Karpus, Texas Christian; Misses Madlin Hunt, Mary Lee Pinkerton, and Elizabeth Baldwin, Abilene Christian; Miss Sulia Mae Ratliff, South Western University; Miss Aznes Cox, Ernest Sanders, Harvard University; Gaines Post, Southern Methodist; Misses Mary Ella Pace and Madeline Watson, Simmons College; Misses Eisele Lawrence, Linda Robertson, Fern Case, Bernice Mack, Lois Norton and Frank Kimbrough, A. & M.; John L. McCallum, Jack Sutherland, Kenneth Gates and Morris Smith, A. & M. Jr., Arlington, Harry Lee and Hugh Ratliff, Baylor University; Misses Lucile Taylor and Edna Clifton and John Wiley Whitaker, Baylor College; Artie Mae Weaver, Marjorie Whitaker, Jessie and Jessie Johnson, Mabel Guest and Hazel Mitchell, Teachers College, Denton, Misses Thelma Pearl Chitwood and Edith Jones, C. I. A.; Misses Lois Killingsworth, Kyrene Simmons, Canyon Normal; Misses Georgia Smith and Kathryn Smith, Carr-Burdett; Sherman, Miss Willie Mae Wells.

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**Baptist Women's Society**

The B. W. M. S. met Monday afternoon at the church with 10 ladies present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Gisharrap presided. Brother Gambrell is our bible teacher for the year, taught the first lesson on "The Harmony of the Gospel." The week of prayer for State Missions which was to have been observed this week was postponed till next week on account of the protracted meeting.

After prayer by Bro. Gambrell the meeting was adjourned.

**The Woman's Missionary Society**

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met last Monday afternoon at four o'clock and Mrs. O. E. Patterson directed a splendid program on Social Service following the devotional by the president, Mrs. I. W. Kirkpatrick. Mrs. J. M. Gose discussed the child labor law and Mrs. Fred Sanders stressed the great need of

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Haskell, Texas.

**WHEN FALL WINDS BLOW**

Then is when you must watch your complexion, otherwise you may start the cold weather with it in such condition that you will be bothered with chapping all winter long.

We carry a full line of cosmetics which will insure perfect safety for your complexion throughout the Fall and Winter months.

**Toll of Carelessness**

Figures recently compiled by the state of Oregon show that 70 per cent of its automobile accidents are caused by carelessness. Of 9,331 accidents reported from January 1 to June 30 last 5,457 are charged entirely to carelessness. Added to these may be included the following: speeding, 18%; failure to give right of way, 18%; wrecks, 22%; cutting corners, 37%; double at intersections, 13%; driving while intoxicated, 12%; failure to give signal, 20%; driving on left side of street or highway, 6%; improper parking, 7%; reverse direction in middle of blocks, 4%; passing to left of street,

cars while discharging passengers, 31%; inattention, 24%; jockeying on bridges, 21%; a total of 849 accidents which might have been avoided, according to the report of the Secretary of State, had the driver been careful: It is probable that these Oregon figures would be a fair average for other states.

That too many automobile drivers let the insurance company pay the bill is responsible for many avoidable accidents. Let drivers remember that no insurance policy has yet been devised which will return the life of a person killed through an automobile driver's carelessness. Safety to life and property rests almost wholly in the hands of the automobile driver.

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Heat from the electric speed units is evenly distributed under the entire cooking utensil. There is no fluctuation in intensity, and no cool spots where food does not cook, nor hot places where it burns if not constantly stirred. This uniformity removes the danger of under-cooking as well as burning.

The heat-insulated, air-tight oven prevents evaporation with consequent shrinking of roasts and loss of natural juices and flavor which always take place in an oven that must be ventilated in order for the fuel to burn. Nor are there any fumes or soot to contaminate the food.

Meats are richer, juicier; bread is more moist, keeps longer; cakes are more delicate in flavor and of finer texture; biscuits more beautifully browned; everything has a more delicious taste. Good cooks become better; inexperienced cooks quickly learn to cook with assured success.

**West Texas Utilities Company**





No. 589  
Citation on Application for Temporary  
Guardian—Writ

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of  
Haskell County Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause  
to be published once each week for a  
period of ten days before the return  
day hereof in a newspaper of general  
circulation, which has been continuously  
and regularly published for a period  
of not less than one year in said Hos-  
pell county, a copy of the following  
notice:

The State of Texas:

To all persons aggrieved by the acts  
of L. E. Thompson, Corp.  
Thompson, Myron D. Davis, and  
Ray Thompson, now in A. H. Hunt,  
phones are in the Young Court of  
Haskell County, a copy of the

September A. D. 1924, duly appointed  
Temporary Guardian of the estate of  
said minors, which appointment will  
be made permanent unless the same  
shall be contested at the next term of  
said Court, commencing on the first  
Monday in November A. D. 1924, the  
same being the 3rd day of November  
A. D. 1924, at the court house thereof,  
in Haskell Texas, at which time all  
persons interested in the welfare of  
said minors may appear and contest  
such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fall not but have you before  
said Court on the said first day of the

next term thereof, this writ with your  
return thereon, showing how you have  
executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of  
said Court, on the 5th day of September A. D.

(Seal) Emory Menefee Clerk  
County Court Haskell County Texas

De Lacy W. Smith Deputy

A. J. CANADA

There's Division with You's money  
Loses and Wins in Pictures and  
Entertaining the Masses. When you had  
some trouble about the pictures, tell me how  
it hangs up in the checks and how  
it hangs up in the pictures, you will then  
see what the trouble is.

Cook's Tasteful Child Tonic is simply  
fun and quenches thirst in syrup. So  
pleasant even children like it. The blood  
needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to  
Enrich it. Destroy Malaria germs and  
Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigor-  
ating Effect. See.

Eyes Examined  
Glasses Fitted

Watch Repairing

L. R. BAILEY, O.D.

Haskell, Texas

Room 11 Superb Building

ROBERTS

By Lillian Lewellen

The health of this community is  
good at present.

We were all proud to see the good  
rain which fell Thursday but as we  
have a good season in the ground,  
we don't want to see it rain any more  
for a while so we can get our cotton

Bro. Priddy preached at this place  
Sunday night. He could not be with  
us Saturday night and Sunday morning  
but went Bro. Brannan of Asper-  
ton to preach in his place. Bro.

Priddy did not accept the Roberts

church until Sunday night. We are all

proud to learn that we have Bro. Phillips

of Stinford for our pastor for  
another year. Let all go and hear

Bro. Priddy. He will bring a good message to you. His preaching Sunday is  
at 7:30 a.m. Sunday to each month.

On Sat. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cook

were the last, a fine young boy, at

last report, should still have been

there now.

As it was you see for often planned  
several trips this summer to motorized  
Haskell. Abundant.

Christianine Simpson of Elmer is  
visiting her mother Mrs. T. H. Woods  
of this place.

C. A. Lewellen and brother Frank  
have come to Wichita Falls to see if  
they can secure some cotton pickers.  
Their father J. C. left for Golden  
Mountain yesterday to get some cotton  
pickers.

We had our regular singing here  
Sunday afternoon which meets with us  
on the second and fourth Sundays in  
each month. We extend a special invitation  
to all singers and lovers of music  
to come and help us.

Miss Martha Braum of Douglas  
spent Sunday with the writer.

Miss Francis Ferguson of the Plains  
spent several days with grandmother  
Weaver and attended church at Roberts Sunday. We want her to come  
back again.

#### RESOLUTIONS

To the Wesselup Mission Wives  
and Members of Haskell Lodge No.  
682 A. F. & A. M.

We, your committee appointed to  
present suitable resolutions in the  
memory of our beloved brother H.  
Serge Lewis, do hereby report as follows:

We pass an offering back to His  
Majestic Kingdom, His promised  
Promised Land, our beloved brother H.  
Serge Lewis.

Therefore, as a memory of the  
dearly loved brother, we have  
forwarded to our deceased brother H. S.  
Lewis to Haskell Lodge No. 682 A.  
F. & A. M., Haskell, Texas, of which  
Brother Lewis was a member.

First:

We sincerely submit to God's will  
with we mourn our loss.

Second:

That in his death, we have lost one  
who was always true to the tenets  
of our order and a brother beloved by  
us all.

Third:

As a man he was faithful and  
true, upright in every relation and in  
all stations of life.

Fourth:

That a copy of these resolutions be  
forwarded to his relatives with whom  
we deeply sympathize and to whom  
we extend our sincere condolence.

Fifth:

That a copy be spread upon the min-  
utes of the Lodge and a copy bound  
to the Free Press for publication.

Brother Lewis was initiated in  
Stephenville Lodge No. 207 on March  
10, 1918, passed to the degree of a  
Fellow Craft Mason, April 25th, 1921,  
and raised to the Sublime Degree of  
a Master Mason July 26, 1921.

He served our Brother to now a living  
stone in their Spiritual Building,  
that Home not made by hands, Eter-  
nal in the Heavens.

Fraternally submitted  
J. F. Kennedy  
A. H. White  
Debins P. Ratliff  
Committee

#### Textile Milling

Unsatisfactory conditions still prevail  
in the textile industry. During the  
month of July some of the mills  
were closed down, while others operated  
on a part-time basis. Smaller  
consumption of cotton, fewer active  
spindles, and reduced production were  
the outstanding features of the re-  
ports received. The July production  
of nine mills amounted to 1,640,256  
pounds as compared to 1,678,290  
pounds in June and 1,230,704 pounds  
in July a year ago. These mills con-  
sumed 2,339 bales of cotton during  
July as against 2,456 in June and  
2,084 in July, 1923.

The reports show that the unfilled  
orders on hand at the mills are in-  
creasing, and that signs of improve-  
ment in the demand for goods are be-  
ginning to appear.

#### Cheated the Tiger

Molly is a practical-minded little  
maid with an affection for animals.  
The other day she heard her parents  
telling about a relative who had to  
have his arm cut off in consequence  
of a tiger's bite. She only said,

"What a pity! The poor old tiger  
might just as well had it!"

#### No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an  
unhealthy condition, which includes poor blood, and a  
rule that children with worms should drink  
GROVE'S TASTELISS CHALK TONIC given regularly  
for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, im-  
prove the digestion, and act as a General Strength-  
ening Tonic to the whole system. Nausea will then  
throw off the worms and the child will be  
perfect health. Pleasant to take. 9c per bottle.

No. 590  
Citation on Application for Probate  
of Will—Writ

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

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

You are hereby commanded to cause  
to be published once each week for a  
period of ten days before the return  
day hereof in a newspaper of general  
circulation, which has been continu-  
ously and regularly published for a period  
of not less than one year in said Hos-  
pell county, a copy of the following  
notice:

Herein fall not but have you before  
said Court on the said first day of the

next term thereof, this writ with your  
return thereon, showing how you have

executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of  
said Court, on the 5th day of September A. D.

(Seal) Emory Menefee Clerk  
County Court Haskell County, Texas.

By Jason W. Smith Deputy.

Given under my hand and seal of  
said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas  
this the 5th day of September, A. D.  
1924.

(Seal) Emory Menefee Clerk  
County Court Haskell County, Texas.

By Jason W. Smith Deputy.



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Haskell County Fair Oct. 2, 3 and 4.

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All mattresses made with loops on  
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# The West Texas Fair

## ABILENE--Sept. 22 to 27

### Six Days --- Six Nights

At an expenditure of a tremendous sum of money and the combined efforts of  
hundreds of Abilene and West Texas citizens, both men and women, serving without compensation, we have succeeded in organizing and will open Monday, Sept. 22

# The Great West Texas Fair

Its object is the development of West Texas and the entertainment of West Texas citizens. The program is varied, covering every phase of interest, entertainment and endeavor. A brief of the program follows:

**MONDAY**—Opening Pageant, crowning the Queen of West Texas.

**TUESDAY**—Public School Day. Football—Abilene High vs. Stamford High.

**WEDNESDAY**—Automobile Races.

**THURSDAY**—Football—Abilene Christian College vs. Clarendon College.

**FRIDAY**—Shrine Day. Automobile Races.

**SATURDAY**—Traveling Men's Day. Football—Simmons vs. Baylor. Anson High vs. Big Spring High.

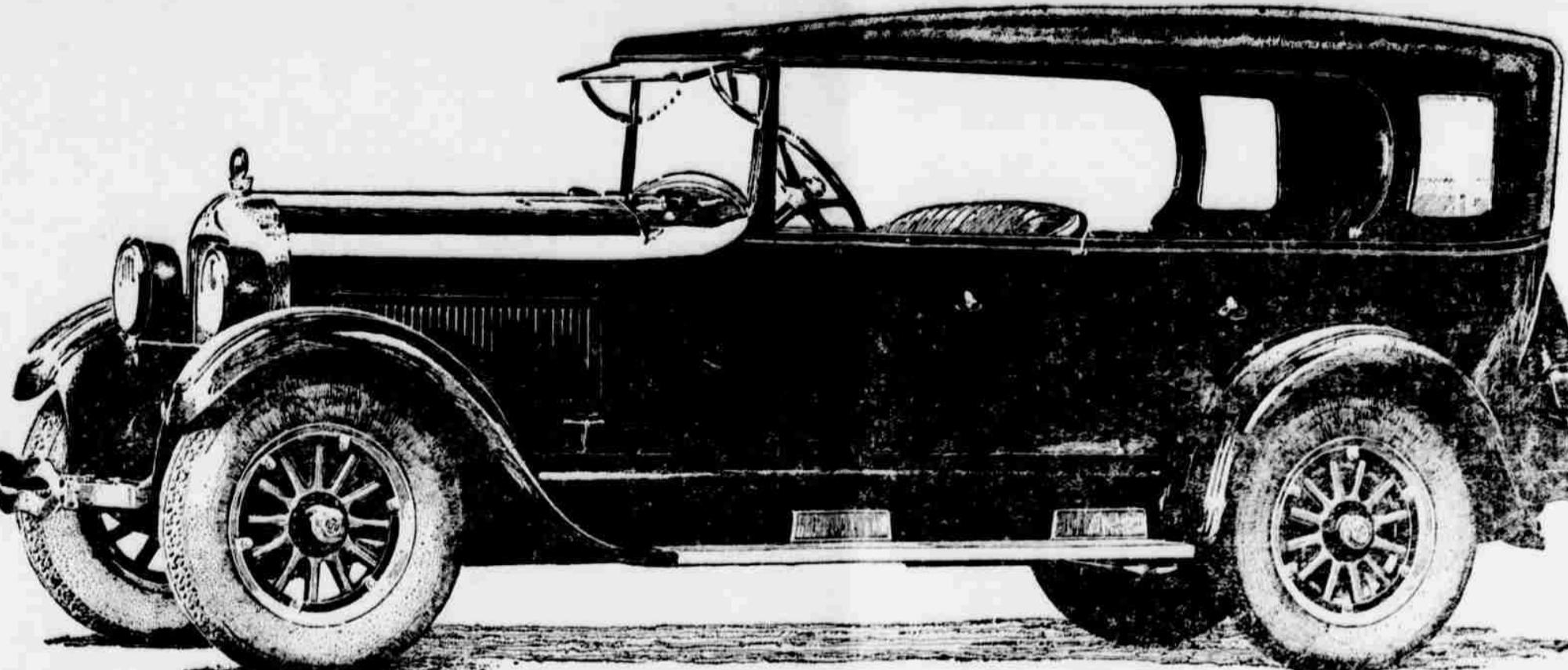
### EVERY DAY:

Gates Flying Circus. Agricultural Show. Manufacturers' Exhibition. Automobile Show. Dog Show. Con T. Kennedy Shows on the Midway. Fireworks Every night. Al Sweet's Chicago Cadet Band. Abilene Concert Band. Simmons College Cowboy Band. Abilene Christian College Band. McMurray College Band. Hippodrome Amusements furnished by The World Amusement Company. Live Stock and Poultry Shows.

Reduced Railroad Rates, the Lowest Ever Given, to Abilene for

# The Great West Texas Fair

## September 22 to 27



# 15 New Studebakers

*Including an entirely new type of car—the DUPLEX-PHAETON*

Today Studebaker has made Automobile History and established standards of value and quality more fully and obviously than ever before

**T**ODAY Studebaker proves that beautiful, distinctive, stylish body lines can be originated by American body designers without following precedent or imitating or adapting what has been done before.

Today Studebaker proves that a practical and beautiful type of car can be made to combine the pleasure and performance of the open car and the comfort and protection of the closed car—and this without excessive price or compromised quality—a car "duplex" in open-car smartness and convenience and closed-car elegance and comfort—and at a price no higher than that of an open car!

Today Studebaker proves, in its new Standard Six Duplex model, that a six-cylinder car of fine quality, great power, plenty of room and impressive appearance can be made and marketed at a price of \$1145.

Today Studebaker proves in its new Special Six and its Big Six Duplex models that the ultimate in all the essential features of quality in five- and seven-passenger cars can be made and marketed at a price of \$1495 and \$1875 respectively.

And this is possible only because Studebaker cars are made in one of the most comprehensive industrial plants in this country, 70 per cent of which is new within the last six years.

Every modern method of manufacture and long experienced management are available for the production of Studebaker automobiles.

Today Studebaker proves that the highest grade closed car bodies—framed in selected hard woods, cushioned with the best cushion work, upholstered in fine mohair fabrics and fitted with expensive appointments—can be made and marketed on superlatively good chassis at moderate prices.

This is made possible by the new \$10,000,000 Studebaker closed body plants. Studebaker designs and builds all of its closed bodies in one of the best equipped and most modern body plants in the industry.

#### The Three New Chassis

**THE STUDEBAKER STANDARD SIX**—113 in. wheelbase, 5-passenger. Engine 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 5. 50 b.h.p.—with 6 different bodies, including Duplex-Phaeton, Duplex-Roadster, Coupe-Roadster, Coupe, Sedan, and Berline.

**THE STUDEBAKER SPECIAL SIX**—120 in. wheelbase, 5-passenger. Engine 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 5. 65 b.h.p.—with 5 different bodies, including Duplex-Phaeton, Duplex-Roadster, Victoria, Sedan, and Berline.

Three completely new chassis! 15 completely new bodies!

Completely new lines! . . . Marvelous new performance

Completely new open-closed car!

Completely new radiators, new fenders, new lamps, new seating comfort, new finish, new colors in lacquer finish, three improved engines

Real balloon tires, not low-pressure cords. Sizes: 21" x 5.25" to 20" x 7.30"

New Studebaker automatic hydraulic 4-wheel brakes—optional

New values, never before equaled—even by Studebaker!

But Studebaker 4-Wheel Hydraulic Brakes (with disc wheels) can be furnished as optional equipment on all models at extra charge if desired.

Studebaker 4-Wheel Brakes have three exclusive features not found on any other system in this country.

1. Braking pressure is furnished by hydraulic power automatically developed. A light touch to the braking pedals controls its great force like a touch to the throttle controls the power of the engine. This feature will appeal instantly to women.

2. The front wheels cannot lock.

3. There are only two adjustments required—one at each rear wheel. The front brakes are permanently adjusted at the factory. The oil in the transmission is used to generate the hydraulic power; the action of the gears and the pump keep it in circulation; it cannot congeal or freeze. Braking power is always instantly ready—in winter as well as in summer!

#### New Ease of Operation

**New Ease of Gear Shifting**—New power in braking, a touch to the pedal exerts a giant's strength at the rear wheels—New clutch action, soft as velvet—A new steering gear and steering knuckles designed for balloon tires—A new grouping on the dash, including ALL the usual instruments plus a gasoline gauge that always works accurately.

**Lighting Control Switches**—all on the steering wheel—instantly handy.

**Automatic Spark Control**—No manual attention required, so the lever is eliminated. Automatically governed to all speeds with the precision of machinery.

#### And the Details

The new cars are longer and lower to the ground. The line from the radiator to the rear is nearly straight. The wheelbase of all models is increased.

The fenders are much wider and deeper crowned to cover the width of the tires. They fit more closely over the wheels. The rear fenders are long and gracefully curved into the running boards.

The radiators are high and set low in the frames and convex curved just below the filler cap. The design is strikingly original and beautifully distinctive.

Entirely new head lamps and cowl parking lamps designed by Studebaker—artistically appropriate and in perfect keeping with the originality of the body and fender design.

Deeper, stiffer frames, more cross members; shorter, flatter springs for balloon tires. All bodies lower, all roomier, better and more comfortably cushioned. Seats are lower, backs and sides are higher.

#### Look Forward Into Next Year

The new Studebaker is here today! And no matter how sweeping your ideas of what a new model should be this car will satisfy you. It will thrill you with the very newness and originality of its beautiful lines!

You may not be in the market now, or even this year. But to see the new Studebaker is to look forward into next year—and the year after! SEE IT TODAY!



STANDARD SIX	SPECIAL SIX	BIG SIX
113 in. W.B. 50 H.P.	120 in. W.B. 65 H.P.	127 in. W.B. 75 H.P.
5-Pass. Duplex-Phaeton. \$1145	5-Pass. Duplex-Phaeton. \$1495	7-Pass. Duplex-Phaeton. \$1875
3-Pass. Duplex Roadster. 1125	3-Pass. Duplex-Roadster. 1395	5-Pass. Coupe ..... 2650
3-Pass. Coupe-Roadster. 1395	4-Pass. Victoria ..... 2050	7-Pass. Sedan ..... 2755
5-Pass. Coupe. 1495	5-Pass. Sedan. 2150	7-Pass. Berline. 2860
5-Pass. Sedan. 1595	5-Pass. Berline. 2225	
5-Pass. Berline. 1650		



On all Standard Six models, with 4 disc wheels and spare rim, \$60.00 extra. On all Special Six and Big Six models, with 5 disc wheels, \$75.00 extra. (All prices f.o.b. U.S. factories, and subject to change without notice.)

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