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THIRTY-EIGHTH YEAR

WORKERS COUNCIL MET AT ROCHESTER

One of the best sessions of the Baptist Worker's Council ever held met at the Rochester Baptist Church Monday January 28th. A large congregation was present and a splendid program was rendered.

The program began promptly at 10 o'clock with Rev. I. N. Aivis of Haskell pastor. An excellent talk on "Institution" was made by Rev. E. D. Simmons of Simmons College, Abilene, which talks on Sunday School were made by Reverends J. W. of Rochester and Woody W. of Fort Worth. Both talks were inspiring and to the point. At Rev. Leon M. Gambrell, pastor of First Baptist Church of Haskell rendered a wonderful sermon on "Christ" which was well received by the congregation. At noon lunch was served by the ladies of Rochester and after all had eaten there was plenty left, which was a sign that all were bountifully fed. After lunch, before the regular program was taken up, Rev. Woody W. evangelist from Fort Worth was present with his workers, and Miss Lula E. English rendered several special songs which were much appreciated by all present. A woman's program was taken up at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The program was called to order by the chairmen, C. O. Davis of Rule, after a prayer by John Cook of Munday. Mrs. Turner conducted the devotional and was followed by the Discipleship Mrs. C. M. Caldwell of who made plain the duties of woman's work. She had many interesting things to say to the churches for their faith and untiring service.

The Laymen's Movement was taken up by Rev. Leon M. Gambrell. He said many things both inspiring and encouraging to the laymen. S. E. Stevenson, pastor of Church made an interesting talk on the duties of the laymen and which was well received by the congregation. Young Smith of Fort Worth made a very impressive talk which was enjoyed by all. The pathway of Munday, who has lived in Christian service and whose life has been closely associated with the children and their church made an excellent talk on the duties of the Laymen. His talk was closed by Rev. L. O. of Rochester's new pastor, who said some good things in connection with what had already been said by some wholesome advice to men and pastors.

Rochester school was dismissed and children came to the church for short musical program was given after the close of the Council, by Rev. Woody W. and his workers.

Grades of Haskell Schools Will Give Lyceum

Friday night, Feb. 1st at the High school lyceum program will be the primary grades of the schools to raise money to purchase and supplies for these

will be plays, drills, music by orchestra, piano music a chorus, and readings.

to be a very interesting and profitable program. The teachers have been working very hard on this program. It is going to be the very best ever given by the schools.

patrons and friends crowd the hall Friday night and thus encourage the children.

and 50 cent program but the price will be only 15 and 25 cents for an ordinary picture. The price does not elevate nor inform the children.

at the time—Friday night at the High School.

of Haskell who is now at Haskell was here several weeks.

ALLEN A. HEATHINGTON FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

In our announcement column this week will be found the name of Allen A. Heathington who is Superintendent of the Sagerton School, as a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of public instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. Mr. Heathington makes the following statement regarding his candidacy.

"To the Voters and Citizens of Haskell county.

"In announcing as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction for Haskell county I do so after being urged by many teachers and friends of Education in various parts of the county, to make the race.

"I have not lived in Haskell county as long as some other teachers have but I am by no means a stranger. I am now serving my third term as Superintendent of the Sagerton High School, so the voters of this county will experience little trouble in finding out something about me as a Superintendent of school work.

"If elected to the office of County Superintendent of Schools for this county, I have no promise to make other than I will try to fill that office with honor and dignity to myself and the people of the county.

"It will be impossible for me to make as thorough a canvass of the county as I would like to, and see each voter personally, on account of the short time I will have to see the people after the present school term closes May 23. After that time I shall endeavor to see just as many of the voters as it is possible for me to see in so short a time before the July Primary.

"Soliciting your support and influence and thanking you for assistance or consideration that you may see fit to render, I am,

Yours truly,
Allen A. Heathington,
Superintendent, Sagerton Public School."

East Side Singers Will Meet at Weaver Next Sunday, Feb. 3

The East Side Singing Convention meets with the Weaver singing class at the new school house four miles south of town next Sunday afternoon, February 3rd at one o'clock. The days are very short and the president M. O. Fields requests all the singers to meet by one o'clock so that more time can be used in singing. A good supply of the Vaughan 1924 books will be on hand for the use of the convention. Everybody is invited.

M. B. WATSON ANNOUNCES FOR TAX ASSESSOR

In our announcement column will be found the name of M. B. Watson as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Haskell County subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Watson is well known throughout Haskell county, having lived here the past 10 years. He made the race for this office two years ago and was only defeated by a few votes.

He is thoroughly qualified to fill the office to which he aspires and assures the voters of the county that he will appreciate their support and influence in the coming campaign. He expects to make a thorough canvass of the county before election time and try to see each voter personally.

We ask that you give Mr. Watson's candidacy due consideration when you go to cast your vote in the July primary.

F. A. WEST ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER NO. 1

In our announcement column will be found the name of F. A. West as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Mr. West has resided in the county and precinct for the past 10 years and is well known throughout the precinct. He is one of Haskell county's best farmers and will make a good commissioner if elected. Below is a statement issued by Mr. West regarding his candidacy:

"To the Voters of Precinct No. 1, Haskell County, Texas:

"I wish to announce myself as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. One, subject to the action of the July primary.

"In making this announcement, I wish to state that I am fully qualified to fill the office and make a good commissioner.

"I am not a Klu-Klux, never was and never expect to be. If elected, I promise to serve the people of Haskell County to the best of my ability. Your influence and vote solicited.

Yours respectfully,
F. A. West."

C. W. Brown of Rochester who is former Tax Assessor of Haskell county was here last week.

Modern David Harums



HASKELL PARTIES HURT IN AUTO WRECK

An automobile of this city was overturned between Albany and Moran last Sunday afternoon and Mrs. White, who was a passenger in the car was injured. Other passengers of the car, including Miss Vivian Bernard, were not hurt. Mrs. White was brought back to Haskell Monday and on last report was doing nicely. The cause of the trouble was slick roads from the rain in that section Sunday. The accident was unavoidable and the car was moving at a very moderate rate of speed.

Improvements Being Made on Interior of Haskell Theatre

The Haskell Theatre under the management of Ed Robertson is making extensive improvements this week on the interior of their building on the east side of the square. The front has been equipped with double doors along with other improvements and the interior will be repainted. A new piano has been purchased which will be installed about the 15th, which will make the Haskell Theatre one of the best playhouses in this section of the state.

Some of the best pictures ever brought to Haskell have been purchased by Mr. Robertson and will be shown during the next few weeks. Among the good ones that will be shown in February are "Little Old New York" and the "Virginian". Watch the advertising columns of the Free Press for the announcements that will be made from time to time.

New Brick School Building at Lone Star Completed

Lone Star District 13, has recently completed a new four room brick school building. This is one of the most beautiful school houses in Haskell county, and with the efficient teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Covey, the same they had last year, and the addition of Miss Crawford, gives them an excellent faculty.

A box supper in this community last Friday night netted the sum of \$122.00. Signs of growth and progress are seen in many of our rural schools. McConnell and Cottonwood have organized Parent-Teachers Associations and others will follow.

County Superintendent Mrs. Ed Robertson is visiting schools over all the county and reports schools in fine condition. In fact, the most immaculate school rooms and more real teachers than has been her pleasure to see in Haskell county.

W. F. Draper Improves Residence
W. F. Draper living west of town is making some improvements on his residence, putting in some new doors and making other improvements inside the building.

Seats on Courthouse Lawn Add Much to Beauty of Square

The concrete seats at the four corners of the courthouse lawn were completed this week by Frank Johnson. These improvements add much to the appearance of the well kept lawn and is a step forward in civic pride. There cannot be found a more beautiful lawn in this section surrounding the county capital than Haskell boasts. Special care is being given to the buildings and grounds by the officers in charge and the ladies of the city have assisted in planting flowers and year by year the grounds are becoming more attractive.

I. W. KIRKPATRICK ANNOUNCES FOR CITY MARSHAL

In our announcement column will be found the name of I. W. Kirkpatrick as a candidate for the office of City Marshal of the city of Haskell, subject to the action of the voters in the city election to be held in April.

Mr. Kirkpatrick is now serving his first term as City Marshal to be elected by the people. He has tried to fill the office to the best of his ability during the past, and says that if the voters of the city feel that he has made them a good peace officer he will appreciate their vote and influence in the coming election.

When you go to cast your ballot in the City Election, give Mr. Kirkpatrick's candidacy due consideration.

Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Will Be Held Tuesday

About 85 lots and tracts of land will be sold by Sheriff W. C. Allen for delinquent taxes at the courthouse next Tuesday, February 5th, between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m.

Some of these tracts are very desirable and considerable interest is being manifested in the sale of this property. In a number of cases several connecting blocks are delinquent and will be sold for taxes. If you are interested in this sale don't forget the date, next Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

WAYNE FERRY ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER NO. 3

We take pleasure in making the announcement this week of Wayne Ferry as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Ferry is now serving as Commissioner and the announcement is made to succeed himself. He has made Precinct No. 3 a good commissioner. He is conservative and all his official acts have been for the best interests of the people. He promises to give the same faithful attention to the office in the future if re-elected, as he has endeavored to give during the past. He will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming campaign and election and asks that you give his candidacy due consideration when you go to cast your ballot.

INTEREST GROWING IN TREE CAMPAIGN

force and interest as it progresses. Many are planning to put out trees in next month and there never was a better time to do so. The ground is soaked with water and once the trees are started they will be made to live with greater ease.

Many of the trees in town are needing trimming. We learn that a committee will be appointed to make inspection of the trees near the sidewalk and the owners will be asked to trim them up and we are sure that the walking public is entitled to this consideration.

West Side Singers Met at Rochester With Good Attendance

The West Side Singing Convention met with the Rochester class at the First Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon and good singing was enjoyed by all present. Rain came up about noon and the visitors from a distance were kept away on account of the bad weather but a large congregation of local people gathered and took on active part in the singing. Owing to the rainy weather condition being unfavorable for the occasion the convention will meet back with the Rochester class the fourth Sunday afternoon in February. Everybody is invited to come.

M. L. (Heavy) JONES ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 4

In our announcement column this week will be found the name of M. L. (Heavy) Jones as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Jones has been a citizen of Haskell county for the past 18 years, residing most of the time in Precinct No. 4. He was formerly Public Weigher at Sagerton and is well known throughout the precinct. He feels that he is fully qualified to fill the position to which he aspires and promises to do his very best to make the County a good Commissioner if elected.

He will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming campaign, and asks that you give his candidacy due consideration.

New Mid Box Supper Friday Night Brings Total of \$65.00

The New Mid school had a box supper Jan. 25 that was quite a success as well as an enjoyable affair. The proceeds were \$64.95. The contest for the cake was between Miss Lorene Finkerton and Miss Bonnie Stanfield. Miss Lorene won by a vote of 233. The money realized from the supper is to be used for playground equipment.

ANNOUNCES PROGRAM FOR POULTRY SCHOOL

M. B. Oates of Wichita Falls, Agricultural Agent for the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway sends us the following letter concerning the One Day Poultry School Car which will be in Haskell Tuesday February 12th. The letter is self-explanatory and we ask that our readers and friends remember the date and come to Haskell and attend each program. It will be worth the time.

"An advance trip to 23 towns on the Fort Worth and Denver and Wichita Valley for the purpose of planning with them for a One Day Poultry School has just been completed. Every town has accepted the plan and many of them have already begun preparing for a big day. Each town is doing all the publicity work and advertising, furnishing buildings for the morning meetings and providing prize money for the continued promotion of poultry work.

"There will be two morning meetings one of them will be a special meeting for Boy and Girl Club members only. All club members, crop club, stock club and poultry club members are expected to attend this meeting. There will be two or three short speeches and a poultry demonstration at this meeting. A successful poultry club member of Iowa Park will accompany the Poultry Special on its entire trip and will address the meeting of club members at each place. Miss Myrtle Murray, Poultry Specialist of the A & M College in charge of poultry club work in Texas, will conduct this meeting. After the meeting the club members will be taken through the F. W. & D. Poultry Special exhibit car in a body and given special attention. Every club member is expected to attend the 10 o'clock morning meeting.

"Another morning meeting will be public and at the same hour (10 o'clock). This meeting will be addressed by another Poultry Specialist of the A. & M. College, also by the Agricultural Agent of the Fort Worth & Denver. Immediately after noon the exhibit car will be open to the public. Poultry Specialists will be on the car to explain the exhibits, answer questions, and help the visitors to a solution of their poultry problems.

"The Poultry Special exhibit car will contain birds representing some of the most commonly kept breeds in Texas, models of three types of poultry houses, a complete exhibit of all market classes and grades of eggs, poultry house equipment, etc. This series of Poultry Schools is strictly an educational campaign. There are no strings to it, no advertising, nothing sold. It is put on to meet the rapidly increasing demand for poultry information. The poultry business is developing rapidly and this campaign is our effort to keep pace with the growth of the poultry industry."

M. F. MEDLEY ANNOUNCES FOR WEIGHER PREC. NO. 3

In our announcement column will be found the name of M. F. Medley of Weibert as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 2, (Weibert) subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Medley has been strongly solicited to make the race and feels that he is well qualified to fill the position to which he aspires to the entire satisfaction of the voters of the precinct. He is well known throughout the precinct, having been a citizen of the county for the past eight years.

He will appreciate your vote and influence during the coming campaign, and asks that you give his candidacy due consideration when you go to cast your ballot on election day.

G. T. Scales Will Have Charge of Local Utilities Branch

G. T. Scales, formerly division manager of the West Texas Utilities Company here has returned to the employ of the company and will again act as Division Superintendent of Group D, which includes the towns of Haskell, Weibert, Munday, Goree, Knox City, Rochester and Rule.

Mr. Scales has been a citizen of Haskell for a number of years. He was formerly manager of the Haskell Ice & Light Company before this company was purchased by the West Texas Utilities Co. and has a host of friends throughout the district who will be glad to know that he will be back on the job again.

Miss Madala Hunt was brought home Wednesday from the Sanatorium at Stamford where she underwent an operation and her many friends will be glad to learn that she is back at home and getting along nicely.

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JONES and SON

SOCIETY and Club

Misses Bolin, Payne and Earnest Entertain

Misses Amelia Payne, Leda Bolin and Lois Earnest entertained with a most delightfully planned party Friday evening at the home of Miss Lois Earnest. The home was made more attractive by the use of cut flowers. A delightful time was spent playing games. Mrs. Clyde Grissom received the prize for the ladies, a framed motto. Mr. Bert Welch was the lucky gentleman and received a silver pencil. The hostesses passed pretty colored candies and after the games served a lovely refreshment plate of raisin nut pie with whipped cream and coffee. The plate favors were carnations.

The following enjoyed the hospitality: Misses Verna Oates, Marylee Pinkerton, Mina and Eula Seelbach, Bettie Lee Castles, Exa Cahill, Nettie McCollum, Cleo King, Eugenia Graham, Lucille Taylor, Ruth Chambers and the hostesses; Messrs. Marvin Potest, Raleigh Lemmons, Oscar Oates, David and Clarence Perrin, Wallace Cox, Emory Menefee, Terry Randell, Bert Welch, Verna Anderson, Theron Cahill, Marlin Wilson, Jesse Campbell and Dr. Parmley, Mesdames and Messrs. Clyde Grissom, Hill Oates, J. P. Payne and D. B. Earnest of Rule, Mrs. R. J. Earnest.

Thursday Bridge Club

Mrs. W. M. Reid entertained the members of the Thursday Bridge Club and their husbands at her beautiful new home Thursday evening.

Miss Bryson delighted the guests with a reading and encore. A delightful evening was spent at bridge and the hostess served a salad course to the following: Mesdames and Messrs. W. H. Murchison, J. P. and C. V. Payne, J. E. Bernard, A. H. Alexander, Bailey Post, Rogers, Hill Oates, Mesdames Hunt and John Oates, Miss Bryson and the host and hostess.

Parent-Teachers Association

The P. T. A. met in one of the best meetings of the year Thursday January 17th, with thirty members present. Mrs. R. V. Robertson presided. It was with deep regrets that the resignation of Mrs. Gose as President, was accepted. We sincerely hope that circumstances may be such that she may be permitted to meet and work with us again soon.

Mrs. Robertson as First Vice President will serve as President until the time for election of new officers.

Mrs. Grissom, chairman of the Civics Committee, outlined the committees

plan for securing funds for the building of walks on our school grounds.

After the business session Mrs. Reynolds conducted a splendid program on The School Lunch.

Miss Sloane gave a splendid talk on "The School Lunch"; Mr. Brasher spoke on "Milk as a Diet"; and Mrs. Whitaker conducted the round table discussion. Mesdames Jesse Collier, Wilson and Kimbrough made short talks. This was a very instructive and enjoyable program.

Each patron of the school is especially invited to our next meeting, February 14th at 3:30 p. m. We have some important plans to place before you. Will have a short program, also a social hour. Mothers, come work with us for your and our children's welfare.

Magazine Club

The Magazine Club met in regular session Friday afternoon January 25th, with twenty-one members responding to roll call.

After the business session Mrs. B. M. Whitaker directed the program on Robert Frost, one of America's foremost poets. The poet's life and several poems were well discussed by Mesdames Sherrill, Sutherland and N. T. Smith. The following members enjoyed this splendid program: Mesdames Brasher, Conner, R. C. Couch, R. R. English, Hunt, Lewis, Montgomery, Marchison, Jno. Oates, Mary Oates, Hill Oates, Reynolds, N. T. Smith, Sherrill, Sanders, H. S. Post, Sutherland, C. Payne, Whitaker, Hardy Grissom and Wilson.

Mrs. Ethel Irby is visiting relatives in Fort Worth and Forrester.

Mrs. Leona E. Nolen of Abilene visited Mrs. Alice Nolen this week.

Judge Clyde Grissom and his wife are in Wichita Falls this week.

Mrs. Samuel Davis, Henry Wilson and D. B. Earnest of Rule were here Friday.

Miss Exa Cahill and Emory Menefee visited friends in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. Mamie Barron is in St. Louis buying the spring goods for Courtney Hunt & Co.

Mrs. John Oates has returned home after a few weeks visit with relatives in Dallas and Farmersville.

Judge George Foster of Lubbock spent a few days in the city this week on business.

Church and Sunday School

BAPTIST CHURCH

Leon M. Gambrell, Pastor.
Robt. M. Chambers, Music Director.
Good spiritual services at all usual hours next Sunday. Come.
Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
E. Y. P. U. 6:15 p. m.
Juniors at 4 p. m.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday February 3, 1924.
Sunday School 9:45.
Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Ben Hardy, 11 o'clock.
Junior Missionary Society, 3 p. m.
Senior Epworth League 6:15 p. m.
Evening hour preaching by the pastor, 7:15.
Woman's Missionary Society Monday February 4, 3 p. m.
Mid-week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:15 o'clock.

WORSHIP AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

February 3, 1924.
Sunday School—10 a. m.
The Lord's Supper—11 a. m.
Preaching by the Pastor—11:15 a. m.
Subject, "Christian Worship."
Junior Endeavor—2 p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E.—6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship—7:15 p. m.
At the evening service the Pastor will preach on the subject "The kind of Church the Future Needs."
Everybody invited to worship with us.

Will Preach at Lake Creek

Next Sunday, February 3rd, Rev. W. M. Lawrence of this city, County Missionary for the Haskell County Baptist Association, will accompany Rev. J. W. Edwards to his appointment at Lake Creek church. Rev. Lawrence will preach at the morning services and the church expects to observe the Lord's Supper at the evening hour.

Presbyterian C. E. Program

Leader—Clara Bushy.
Topic: "Gospel Triumphs in Japan."
Scripture Reading, Acts 10:34-48.
By Leader.
Paul of the Holy Faith—P. D. Solomon.
First Christian Martyr—Rachel Solomon.
Katoka Kenkichi—Henry Wilson.
Hymn "Faith of Our Fathers."
One of Our Japanese Missionaries—Edna Solomon.
Member of the Society—Lily Solomon.
"Togo"—Gertrude Freeland.
Miss "Yano"—Evelyn Solomon.
Mr. Oni—Byron Frazier.
Vemura—John Solomon.
Song.
Benediction.
All visitors are invited.

Men's Bible Class

The Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church met in the class room at the usual hour, 10 o'clock. A song was given by the class, then prayer by Bro. Finley. The president called for any new business that should come before the class. Then scripture reading from Exodus 14:19-31 by the class. We were then instructed on the lesson by our teacher Bro. Gambrell, taking up the study of the lesson. It was God's deliverance of the children of Israel from Egyptian bondage. Many times had the King promised to let them go

after God had sent plagues on them, but up to this time he had always broken his promise to the children of Israel, but this time he let them go. After they had started the King sent his army after them. When the children of Israel came to the Red Sea they saw on either side the great mountains and in front of them the sea, and in the rear of them the Egyptian army. So right here was a trial of their faith. They commenced to complain against Moses for leading them out there. They were commanded to stand still and see the salvation of the Lord. God protected them from the Egyptian army by a pillar of cloud. This cloud halted the Egyptian army. God's command to Moses was to stretch forth his rod over the sea and the people went over without hurt. God's command was to go forward. That command is to us today to go forward but we are weak of faith as was the children of Israel. When we as Christians do as God commands He will make a way for our escape. We all would do well to study the two main thoughts in the lesson—God's Deliverance, and Leadership.

We were glad to have the good attendance we had Sunday. Let's all do some real missionary work and make our class a hundred in membership, and let's not forget to pray for the spirituality of the class, and let's be 100 per cent Christians.

Reporter.

McCONNELL

Miss Valentine Bland.

Well, it is looking as if it may rain, although we have had some very pretty weather for he past few days.

Mrs. Robertson, county superintendent, and several of the patrons visited the school at this place Wednesday for the purpose of organizing a Parent-Teachers Association, which is to meet every Wednesday night.

McConnell and boys and girls played Post boys and girls at McConnell Friday afternoon. The girls game was only a practice game; for the girls the score was 11 to 3 in favor of Post. The boys score was 17 to 11 in favor of McConnell and the games were witnessed by a very large crowd.

The McConnell girls are to go to Howard February 11 and the boys are to go to Rose on that date.

Mrs. Desai, Kingston is visiting her parents at this time.

The basketball game played Wednesday at Center Point between McConnell and Center Point boys was very interesting. The scores were 24

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and 18, in favor of McConnell. Oscar Chapman and family have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman the past week. Miss Golda Mae Chapman is visiting in Stamford this week. We are sorry to report Mr. Cox on the sick list this week.

WEAVER

By C. B. Lackey.

Most everyone is taking advantage of the pretty weather preparing their land for planting.

The health of this community is very good at this time.

R. D. Lackey and wife spent Saturday night with Mrs. Lackey's parents, J. Collins and family near Weirert.

Miss Beulah Pierson of Tuscola is visiting at the home of George Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Davis of Post visited in this community Saturday night.

Mrs. J. Collins of Weirert is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. D. Lackey.

Ike Hudson and sister, Mr. Scott, and Miss Jones of Munday, visited in

this community Sunday at the home of J. D. Address.

A large crowd attended the show at the home of J. M. Lackey Sunday night.

Quite a few from this community attended the show at Haskell Sunday night.

Rev. W. M. Lawrence, county missionary, preached a good sermon Sunday night.

Rev. W. T. Priddy will preach Sunday at the home of J. D. Address.

Also the East Side Singing Society will meet here. A new piano purchased, and we are expecting a large crowd out to try it out.

A TONIC

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic Energizing and Vitality by Purifying the Blood. When purifying the blood, it brings color to the cheeks, it improves the appetite, you appreciate its true tonic value. Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic Iron and Quinine suspended in pleasant even children like it. Needs QUININE to Purify it. Enrich it. Destroys Malarial Grip germs by its Strengthening Effect. 60c.

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NOTICE--Sale of Munday Dry Goods

BANKRUPT AND FIRE STOCK

Begins Thursday Feb. 7th, at Munday Texas. Entire Stocktures and all Positively Must be Sold During February.

PLAINVIEW

By Miss Ruth Deisman

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oliver have returned from their visit to Dallas. They reported a nice time on the trip.

The Plainview basket ball teams visited Center Point Friday afternoon but no games were played. The Plainview teams then went to McConnell and watched the interesting games between the Post and McConnell teams.

Billie Marlon Dunn has been real sick, but we are proud to report she is some better.

The singing at Mr. Bradbury's was enjoyed by those present but the crowd was small on account of the bad weather.

Bruce Goodrich of Anson visited Grace Brown Saturday afternoon. Tommie Cauthen visited in this section Sunday.

There will be several games of basket ball played this week. There will be one at Plainview Tuesday afternoon between Center Point and Plainview. On Friday afternoon there will be a game at Plainview between Bayles and Plainview. Then we are planning on playing some games Saturday. We are now thinking we will play Bunker Hill at Plainview at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and one at Post Saturday at 2:30.

Several from this community attended the pie supper at McConnell Friday night.

Mrs. Mollie Shelton of Dallas, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J F Scott of this community, returned home Saturday night. We hope she will visit us again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Tidwell and little son Elmo of Anson spent Friday night with Mrs. Tidwell's sister, Mrs. E. A. Lovorn of this community.

Miss Vera Scott is visiting relatives below Stamford.

A Hearse A Poor Vehicle

A Hearse is a poor vehicle to come to church in. Why wait? This sign on the bulletin board of Saint Andrews United Brethren Church of Des Moines Iowa, started the congregation talking and going to church.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak Swarms, Old Sores or Sores on Child Skin. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by Oates Drug Store

BALLEW

By Miss Ruth Davis

Most of the farmers have begun plowing in this community.

The party given at the home of Blaine McDonald Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

M. Davis and family spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Sanders of Powell.

Fred Davis spent the week end with John Scheets of Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Parks spent Saturday night with the latter's parents of Haskell.

Mr. Wheeler and son Frank and Mr. Cardwell left for East Texas Sunday.

Mr. Goods and family of near Rochester spent Sunday afternoon with W. A. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Tolliver of Roberts spent Saturday night with Mrs. Tolliver of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Anron Hastings of Rochester spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howeth.

Clovis Odum has returned home from the plains.

Little Miss Mary Fraley is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. J. S. Hays and daughter Miss Ruby of Midway visited in our school Friday.

Several from here attended the tent show at Haskell last week.

Mrs. J. W. Howeth is on the sick list this week.

W. I. Karr of Pleasant Valley called on Tom Robinson Monday.

Dr. Kimbrough and little son John of Haskell visited in this community Monday afternoon.

HOWARD

Most of the farmers of this section are putting up their land, and will soon be ready for their early planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bell and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Medford, left Wednesday for their home at Stephenville.

Miss Lucille Bishop of Robertson county, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop and family.

The Howard school is getting along nicely, with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stone and Miss Ruth Riddle are teachers.

We are glad to have Mr. Frank Elmore and family, and Grandpa and Grandma Terrell from Post, and Mr. Trimmer and family from Oklahoma,

and Mr. Mack Perdue and family from Haskell moved to our community and we wish to make their stay here pleasant.

Mr. Conner died at his home Monday morning in the Rose community. Mr. Conner and family had lived in the Howard community the past year. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Medford and children Fay and Ray, and Mrs. Lee Medford and son Willie Lee, returned home Sunday afternoon from Comanche county, where they had been visiting relatives.

There will be a basket ball game on the Howard court Friday afternoon February 1st between Howard and McConnell. Everyone is invited to come.

O'BRIEN

By Mrs. W. B. West.

We are having some real "sunshiny" weather at this writing. The farmers are very busy putting up their land for another crop.

We are sorry to report that the little 18 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Melton is real sick at this writing.

Several from this place attended the Baptist Workers Council at Rochester Monday. All reported a good meeting and plenty to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemond are on the sick list this week.

Hickory Woods is real sick at this writing.

We are glad to report that Mr. Erwin's folks, who have been suffering with measles, are up and able to attend school again.

W. L. Fox of Abilene spent Saturday and Sunday here with his daughter, Mrs. Tom Carlisle.

Miss Bennie Speck, who is attending school at Simmons, spent this week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Speck.

Muri Manell of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Manell Saturday and Sunday.

Several from this place went to Amherst, Texas, this week on business.

J. B. Speck left Tuesday for Lamesa on a business trip.

Bud Gordon and Winnie Tipton returned home last week after spending several weeks at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsay Westmoreland left last week for the plains, where they will make their future home. We wish them success.

On last Wednesday about 3 o'clock the death angel visited the home of Mr. Banner and took away his companion, Mrs. Banner. She leaves a husband and several children, and a father to mourn her loss. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Rev. Raymond Van Zant of Rochester preached a fine sermon Sunday to a large congregation. Rev. Wilkerson of Knox City preached Sunday night. Both sermons were enjoyed by all who were present.

Next Sunday is regular preaching day at the Baptist Church. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night at 7:15. Ladies Missionary Meeting every Monday evening at 2 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend these services.

Several from this place attended court at Haskell last week.

Pleasant Valley

It looks like we are going to have some more rainy weather Sunday but the farmers are hoping it will be pretty so they can get their land put up soon.

W. F. Patterson was taken sick suddenly last week while plowing and has been ill ever since but is some better at this time. His mother Mrs. P. C. Patterson of Center Point has been with him ever since he was first sick and will stay until he fully recovers. His many friends and relatives are hoping that he will soon recover.

There was no school the first part of last week on account of the death of Miss Lullia Williams sister of Waco. Miss Williams left Saturday to attend the funeral at Waco and returned Tuesday and took up her school work Wednesday morning.

F. C. Patterson, Tony Patterson and family visited W. F. Patterson Sunday and on account of the little rain that came up right after noon they had to return to their home at Center Point at 2 o'clock P. M.

The school children all have long faces this week. We don't know why, unless it is because of the examinations they are having.

Otis, Ida, and Mrs. Mathews of Powell were callers at the home of W. F. Patterson Sunday night to sit up with Mr. Patterson.

The people of this community are awful good about visiting the sick and we sure thank them for it.

Rev. P. A. Tharp and family who live below Stamford were pleasant callers at the home of Mr. Potts on Monday.

A large crowd attended the party at the home of Mr. J. H. Free Saturday night and all had a splendid time. Quite a number from this community attended preaching at Cottonwood Sunday morning.

Mr. Mistle of Powell was a visitor at Frank Pattersons Monday morning.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) 3 before the meals and at bedtime and work off the cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 3c

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CENTER POINT

By Miss Ethel Bland

Mrs. Tidrow and Mrs. Tomkins have been real sick this week.

Mrs. W. E. Bland has been staying with her sister in law, Mrs. H. D. Bland of Bayles, who has been real sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Watson spent the week end at Ballinger, Texas, with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

Mr. Tom Briden and family have moved back to their former home in this community. We welcome them back, and hope they have learned that there is no place like Haskell and Center Point.

Messrs. Kirby and Gentry have improved the farm on which they live by rebuilding the fences.

Will Jeter has improved his home by building on and remodeling the old house. He also has installed a light system.

Charlie Matthews of Powell attended B. Y. P. U. at this place Sunday night.

Several from this community attended Sunday School and preaching Sunday morning at Cottonwood. Bro. F. A. Thorp is pastor of the church at that place, and a real sermon was rendered, and enjoyed by all.

Grandpa and Grandma Patterson were in the Pleasant Valley community at the home of their son Frank, who is reported being ill. Mr. Patterson is a former resident of this community, and we are very sorry to hear of him being sick, and wish him a speedy recovery.

The basket ball game between Center Point and McConnell was won by McConnell Thursday afternoon. The score was 22 and 18.

The members of the W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. Frank Jeter and quitted a quilt for the orphan home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bland spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maullin of Gaunt.

Messrs. W. E. Bland, Jess Matthews, Johnson Ivy, and Delma Haralson have been clearing land on the farms of Lewis and Bland.

Little Loyd Bland has been suffering with his eye which was hurt last week.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. are very sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. John Ivy. Mrs. Ivy is the quins leader of the Union, and is missed very much. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Ivy and Mrs. W. E. Bland attended the Worker's Conference at Rochester Monday.

LET OUR PRICES BE YOUR GUIDE

Here is your opportunity to start the new year right. Look over these bargain prices:

- FLOUR, as good as the best, better than the rest.....\$1.50
MEAL, 25 lb. sack.....60c
CORN CHOPS, 100 lb. Sack.....\$2.00
BARLEY CHOPS, 100 lb. Sack.....\$2.00
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HULLS, per ton.....\$14.00
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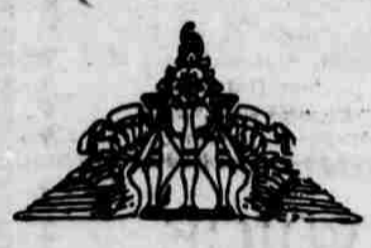
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Haskell, Texas, Friday Feb. 1, 1924

WHO GETS THE HONOR?

In this town, as in all others, there is one man or woman who does more for community betterment than any other person—possible more than any several other persons.

Who is that man or woman? A question of this kind ought to start you thinking. And after you have thought for a time it ought to start you to doing something yourself.

Any energetic person can do a lot for this town alone and single handed, but many persons working in harmony can accomplish wonderful results.

And there is room for all that we can do.

Hang the badge of honor upon the man or woman to whom it is due, and then go out with a determination to grab that badge for yourself.

That is the way to get results.

One thing that our motorists never seem to learn until it is too late, and that is that gasoline vapors are always ready to meet a lighted match half way.

They used to say that the Lord took care of the fools and drunks, but that was before the fools and drunks were trying to run motor cars.

They say auto production will jump 50 per cent in 1924. And we suppose pedestrians will have to jump in proportion.

We can recall when about all we had to look out for on the streets were runaway horses and careless bicycle riders.

Along the Way

"That's a darned smart man" is equivalent to saying "There's a fellow who agrees with me."

It's a well established fact in politics that dark horses often turn out to be white elephants.

If you think you're right, go ahead, but don't expect the whole world to go along with you.

Some people have so much respect for the truth that they always keep a good distance away from it.

Those people who think they are saints on earth are going to be mighty lonesome if they ever get to heaven.

The only time when newspaper advertising doesn't pay the business man is when his competitor is doing it.

The only really happy man is he who knows how to get along with what he has and how to get along without what he cannot get.

The witty speaker who is always punctuating his addresses with funny stories must feel awfully flat when broadcasting his stuff over the radio.

Leap Year is supposed to be the season when girls are justified in popping the question, but most of the girls know how to get him to do his own proposing.

A group of American scientists in a convention the other day debated the question of "How High Is Up" and now if they would just clear up the question of "How Old Is Am?" everything would be serene.

The average man is about the difference between what his wife tells other women he is and what she tells him he is.

A Vermont man says he has discovered a way to tell a good egg from a bad egg. All right. But we will still depend on our nose.

There must be a mistake somewhere. No man has yet been known to acknowledge having proposed to more than one woman, and the woman who does not claim from three to a thousand offers of marriage is also undisclosed.

The Personal Side

Trying to Please
A Chinaman was visiting Yellowstone National Park in winter. He had walked for some miles along a mountain trail covered with snow. Looking back over his shoulder, he saw a bear sniffing at his tracks and rapidly gaining on him.

With a shrill yell, he began to run: "You like my tracks? I makee you some more."

Liquid Assets
The Mississippi banker asked a man who was trying to borrow money: "How much have you in the way of immediate liquid assets?"

To which the customer cautiously replied: "About a case and a half."

Cost of Transportation
Mr. Smith—"Say, hessum yo' is allus yellin' fo' money so?"
Pahson Jones—"De gospel am free, deacon, an' so am wattah, but yo' gotta pay fo' de bucket yo' totes it in."

Thomas in his "History of Printing in America" inserts as a footnote the following item about an ad by Benjamin Franklin in his paper while he was in the news paper business, in the seventeenth century.

Bills of lading formerly began with "Shipped by the Grace of God Etc." some people of Philadelphia objected to the phraseology as making light of serious things. Franklin therefore printed some without these words and inserted in his paper the following advertisement: "Bills of Lading for sale at this office with or without the Grace of God."

This is leap year; the year the girls are supposed to propose to the boys instead of just talking the boys into it.

Maybe the reason some people haven't discovered the secret of success is because it's hidden in the sweat glands.

Why worry about something you have for sale, when for a few cents a Free Press want ad will carry the news to hundreds of people. When a buyer wants what you have for sale he will pay you the value of the article. Both parties will be pleased with the sale and the purchase. Try a want ad for what you have for sale. Your neighbor may be wanting to buy it.

Wants

STRAYED—3 black shoats, two males and one female, weighing about 100 pounds each. L. V. Marrs. 2ip

FOR SALE—My home for sale cheap. Well located, near high school building. Would rent to right party. Mrs. T. W. Coker. 4ip

A FARM for sale close to town. See J. E. Wallings.

DODGE OWNERS—Let us drain your crank case and refill with Dodge Bros. oil distributed by Dodge Bros. Draper's Filling Station. 4fc

ATTENTION FARMERS!—Carload extra good mules, to be sold at auction at Haskell Monday February 4th, rain or shine, at the Star Wagon Yard. 4ip

PHONE 224 for garden spading and yard cleaning. 1c

LOST—E. L. T. gold watch charm. Finder return to C. A. Dulancy for reward. 1c

NOTICE—I will be in Haskell every Monday doing refraction work, and fitting glasses. Office upstairs in Pierson building. W. L. Martin, State registered Optometrist. 14-1fc

Thoroughbred Rhode Island Red Eggs for sale. \$3.00 for setting of 15. Two settings for \$5.00. E. F. Fouts. 3c

FOR SALE—Single Comb Rhode Island Red Eggs: \$1.50 and \$2.00. Mrs. J. M. Baker. Phone 277. 4p

FOR SALE—Improvements, including lots where J. M. Maxwell home burned. See Claude Maxwell at Looney's Confectionery. 1fc

LAND TO RENT—At Mountain View New Mexico, fine bean land, fine soil. See J. F. Pinkerton. 2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farms on ranches anywhere. List with me. W. A. Short, Rochester, Texas.

YES, WILL TRADE—a nice 4-room house 2 lots, and will take car or truck in or part cash and notes. See J. B. Nellums or V. A. B. 39-1fc

FOR SALE—Power blacksmith shop, house, two lots. W. A. Short, Rochester, Texas. 44fc

For Sale—I have plenty of good wood for sale at my place near Weaver school house. M. E. Giddens, phone line 211, 21, 28. 11p

LOST—A medium sized white bull. Finder notify Robert Whitman.

FOR SALE—The best land on the Plains, in Lamb county near the new town of Anheist. Terms, small payment down and fifteen years at six per cent interest. Also have some bargains in farms in Haskell county. I have some real bargains in houses. See Virgil A. Brows, Haskell, Texas.

420 acres good land 5 miles from Sagerton for sale cheap. Possession now. I. S. Grindstaff. 2tc

ATTENTION FARMERS!—Carload extra good mules, to be sold at auction at Haskell Monday February 4th, rain or shine, at the Star Wagon Yard. 4ip

LOST—Monday Jan. 28th, a single barrel shotgun, .36 inch barrel, between Haskell and Rose school house. Finder please leave at the Free Press office and receive reward. 1p

FOR SALE—Johnson grass hay at 55 cents per bale. Barley hay at 60c per bale and baled maize at 50 cents per bale. Two miles west on the Rainer road and one mile south. P. D. Solomon. 1p

LOST—Suit case between Haskell and Monday last Friday evening, containing baby clothes. Finder notify or leave at Free Press. R. J. Wallace, Route 2 Munday, Texas. 1p

WE HAVE several Duroc Jersey sow pigs to put out to reliable boys on our club plan. See O. E. Patterson or Roy Neal. 1p

NOTICE FARMERS—I am now situated to do your blacksmithing and horse-shoeing in a first class manner. W. H. Price, 1 block west of courthouse square. 2ip

I have purchased a good truck and will do your hauling anywhere and at any time. Prices right. See me at W. H. Price's shop, Henry Price. 2ip

FOR RENT—Good farm, 175 acres in cultivation. T. C. Cahill. 1c

FOR SALE—Half and Half cotton seed at my home one mile north of Pinkerton Church. \$2.00 per bushel. L. T. Adkins. 1p

STRAYED—A cow about 8 years old white and brown Jersey with orange horns. Notify L. T. Adkins near Pinkerton church, Rule Route 1. 1p

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Haskell County, Texas will receive bids on February 11th, 1924, at Haskell, Texas, for one Best Tractorlayer Tractor.
R. E. Lee, County Judge. 3-4c

WANTED—Any work you may have washing, quilting or anything else I can do. Bring or send to Mrs. W. C. Short, 2 doors west of J. F. Kennedy residence. 2p

SINGLE COMB Rhode Island Red eggs from as good as there are. Red to the skin. Fine layers. \$7.85 and \$2 for 15 eggs. \$12.50 per hundred for fall pens. J. M. Everheart. 4fc

FOR SALE—Cord wood, fence post and some registered Hereford Males. See or write J. H. Free, 4 miles south of Wehnert Texas.

FOR SALE—My residence in this city. Close in. Mrs. Wm. Wells. 1fc

BRING US your second hand sacks. Haskell Mill & Grain Co. 41-1fc

Eggs for hatching from one of the best flocks of Partridge Wyandottes in this section. The Partridge Wyandotte is a bird of beauty combined with utility. Price per setting of 15 eggs, \$1.75 or \$10.00 per hundred. Send your order in early. W. M. Free, Haskell. 4-8c

BARGAIN TYPEWRITERS. \$3.00 down, balance like rent. Abilene Typewriter Exchange. Royal and Corona Agents. 2-4p

FOR SALE—One eight room house and five acres of land at a bargain at Pinkerton. See W. L. Norton, Haskell, Texas, Hunt Hotel. 2-4p

LUBBOCK COUNTY LAND BARGAINS—10 160 acre tracts one and one-half miles of Shallowater on main line railroad and Lubbock Highway, only 13 miles N. W. of Lubbock Tech College. Good school, stores and two gigs at Shallowater, and soil as good as plains affords. Fenced on two sides and 100 acres in cultivation each tract. Price only \$40.00 per acre; \$1,000 cash, and no more principal until 1926 and 6 per cent interest—on or before notes. Don't pass this bargain if you want a farm on the plains. Write or see J. L. Robertson at Sanders Hotel, Lubbock, Texas. 1c

R. S. Nolen Accepts Position On Road
R. S. Nolen formerly of Haskell and well known here who owns and operates the Nolen Theatre of Seymour has accepted a position with his former employer, the Film Booking Co., and has gone on the road. After a few weeks he will be given West Texas territory with headquarters at Seymour. Mrs. Nolen will have the management of the Theatre in Mr. Nolen's absence.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 3c.

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Money to loan on farms at 7 1/2 and 8 per cent, for 5 years or 10 years, with liberal options to pay the loan off before it becomes due. I also make a 20 year loan on the Amortization plan at 7 1/2 and 8 per cent interest and you pay interest and a small amount of the principal once each year, and this pays the loan off, both principal and interest in 20 years. Also give the option to pay this 20 year loan at any interest paying date. No red tape and no extra cost. Come in and let me explain these loans to you. You will like them and I can save you money.

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\$65 per \$1000 loan paid annually will retire the loan in 34 1/2 years costing the borrower a total of \$2242.50.
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Political Announcements

COUNTY
(Primary to be held in July.)

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
MISS ESTELLE TENNYSON.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
R. E. LEE.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
CLYDE GRISBOLL.

FOR SHERIFF:
HENRY TOWNSEND.
W. C. ALLEN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
J. E. WALLING.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR:
CHAS. M. CONNER.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR:
M. B. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
EMORY MENEFFEE.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT:
LEE HUMPHREYS.
ALLEN A. HEATHINGTON.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRC. 1:
M. J. LAMN.
J. S. ABARNATHA.
E. A. WEST.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRC. 2:
ED HOWARD.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRC. 3:
EARL BISHOP.
WAYNE PERRY.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRC. 4:
L. C. PHILLIPS.
M. L. (Heavy) JONES.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRC. 1:
FRANK McCURLEY.

FOR JUSTICE PEACE PRC. 1:
S. A. HUGHES.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRC. 2:
M. F. MEDLEY.

CITY
(Election to be held in April)

FOR CITY MARSHAL:
J. E. HOMESLY.
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Blinding Headaches

"For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . . I use it for colds, biliousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

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and it relieved me.
"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her. . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."
"Try Black-Draught. It costs only one cent a dose. Sold everywhere. E-60"

Poultry Training School

HASKELL, FEBRUARY 12, 1924.

Fort Worth & Denver Railway Cooperating With A. & M. College.

Lectures by Poultry Specialists and an Educational Exhibit, provided free for the benefit of Haskell County, February 12, 1924.

THREE CONTESTS. NINE PRIZES.

The contest and prizes limited to the school children of the county. Help from any source permitted, but the Work Must Be Your Own.

PRIZES.

EGG CONTEST. Open to everybody. The best setting of fifteen eggs, everything taken into consideration, for breeding purposes. Any breed permitted to contest.

ESSAY CONTEST. The best essay on "The Value of Poultry Raising," not to exceed 1250 words. The writer may consider from any and every standpoint, including whatever value poultry raising may have.

POSTER CONTEST. The best poster advertising the Poultry School to be held at Haskell, February 12. The most attractive drawing, including wording if used, for display in store show windows, advertising the Poultry School. Any color or combination of colors, any paper or cardboard permitted. Must not be less than 8x11 nor more than 24x24 inches in size.

RULES FOR CONTESTANTS.

All essays and posters must be submitted to the Principal of your own school to be judged by the Principal. The best essay and the best poster so selected to be sent to Haskell and delivered to W. M. Free not later than Thursday, February 7, 1924, who will deliver them to the judges selected for the final contest. Eggs will be judged by A. & M. expert. Essays and posters to be judged by Haskell County judges. All essays and posters to be left with the central committee. Every essay and poster must be headed on the front page "Poultry Training School, Haskell, Feb 12, 1924." and with your name and school district on its back page.

AWARDS FOR WINNERS.

The winner of the first prize in each contest will be awarded Five Dollars in cash. The winner of the second prize will be awarded Three Dollars, and winner of the third prize will be awarded Two Dollars. The Prize Winning Essay will be published in the Free Press. Awards will be delivered to the pupils at the Lecture, February 12th.

LECTURES.

An educational lecture will be delivered exclusively to the school pupils by Miss Myrtle Murray, from 10 till 11 A. M. February 12th, in the Haskell Theatre. A lecture for adults will be delivered in the Court House at the same hour, 10 to 11 A. M., February 12th, on how to best handle poultry, including turkeys.

EXHIBITS.

Exhibits of poultry will be at the car on railway track near the depot at Haskell. Exhibits in the poultry car will be open to pupils of the schools exclusively from 11 till 12 A. M. This will be one of the best features of the entire school, and all pupils are invited to attend.

Adults admitted to exhibits 12 till 5 P. M.

R. E. SHERRILL
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HENRY ALEXANDER } Publicity Committee.
F. L. CALDWELL
JNO. P. PAYNE

Robert's progressive ranch in Vontress country was in several days the latter part of the week on business.

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MODEL TILOR SHOP

RETURNS FROM FUNERAL OF FORMER HASKELL CITIZEN

Mr. J. S. Barnett of east of town returned last week from attending the funeral of his son-in-law R. L. Bradley who formerly lived in Haskell county and doubtless is known to many in the city. Mr. Bradley died Sunday January 20th, from an operation for appendicitis. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. George Truitt and his remains were buried in a Dallas cemetery.

Mr. Barnett had just arrived home when he received a wire from another son-in-law, Bill Cunningham, living in another city, was seriously injured in an automobile wreck and came very near losing his life. It seems sometimes that the old adage is true that "Bad luck never comes singly."

J. L. BALDWIN ATTENDING MURDER TRIAL AT HILLSBORO

J. L. Baldwin of this city left Saturday night for Hillsboro where he is attending the trial of a man named Thompson who is charged with the killing of Judge J. C. Baldwin, a brother of J. L. Baldwin, more than two years ago. In a former trial Thompson was convicted and given a term of 15 years in the state penitentiary, but was granted a new trial by the higher courts.

J. C. MCKINNEY ADDED TO STATE BANK DIRECTORS

J. C. McKinney has been added to the board of directors of the Farmers State Bank of this city. Mr. McKinney is a substantial farmer living 5 miles west of town and is one of Haskell county's best men.

Plumbing & Tinning

We handle anything in the plumbing and sheet metal line. Sanitary work only. Estimates furnished on application. Phone 358.

Haskell Plumbing & Sheet Metal Works
Wm. Ramsaier, Prop.

COTTON SEED Half and Half Booklet Free
JOHN M. BLIGH,
Decatur, Ala.

\$24.00 REALIZED FROM PIE SUPPER GIVEN AT GAUNTT

The pie supper and program given Saturday night Jan. 20 at Gauntt was a great success, and there was a large crowd present. There was a premium of silver, a "compact" given to the girl whose pie brought the most money. Miss Pauline Miller was the happy little girl who won this premium. There was a cake with a vegetable seed in it, which was guessed at 10c a guess. This afforded much merriment among the crowd. The amount realized from the sale of the pies and cakes was \$24.61 which will be used to buy books for the expression class taught by Mrs. Gordon.

Come to Gauntt when you want to be entertained.

DAN CUPID ACTIVE IN NEIGHBORING TOWNS

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pullig of Knox City Thursday Jan. 17, their daughter, Miss Rose, was married to Mr. W. C. Harper, Rev. C. E. Dick performed the ceremony. They are well known young people of their city.

The wedding of Mr. Marshall Albert Baldwin to Miss Mary Ethel Bowman was solemnized at Taylor, Texas, Wednesday, January 23rd. Mr. Baldwin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baldwin of Old Glory, who formerly lived at Stamford. Miss Bowman comes from one of the best families of Taylor. It is reported they will make their future home in Stamford.

On Sunday morning January 20th, Rev. J. O. Heath, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Munday united in marriage Miss Ruth Giles of that city to Mr. W. E. Kimrey of Joplin, Mo. They left for Brownwood after the ceremony where the groom is located at present. Mr. Kimrey is with Kimrey Construction Co. of Dallas.

Program Baptist Laymen's Union
February 4, 1924.
Opportunities and Possibilities of Laymen's Union.—John Couch, E. I. Christian.

Reading by Miss Bryson.
Social Side—Sam A. Roberts.
Soul Winning—John Fouts.
Male Quartet—Bro. Gambrell, R. M. Chambers, K. M. Read, Jim Fouts.
Stewardship—R. C. Couch.
Educational—Bro. Gambrell.

Mr. Giddens one of the best farmers living south of town was in the city Friday on business. He has recently purchased a farm near Weaver school house and is now putting it into cultivation. Mr. Giddens renewed for the Free Press while here.



Alex. Turner Income Tax Expert of Dallas was here Friday.

R. L. Irby of Forrester was a visitor to Haskell last week.

Louis Potot of Haskell was a Rochester visitor Saturday.

Judge and Mrs. A. H. King of Throckmorton were here Friday.

Miss Virgie Brown of Rochester was in the city Friday shopping.

Mrs. Holt Moore of Rochester was in the city last Friday afternoon.

Tom Ishell of Munday was a business visitor to Haskell Friday.

Ex-Sheriff W. O. Britton of Benjamin was here Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kreger of Bal-law were shopping in the city Tuesday.

Emory Menefee spent several days in Wichita Falls on business this week.

J. D. Mounce of Throckmorton was a business visitor to our city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Jamison of Knox City were here Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Carney of O'Brien were in the city Wednesday on business.

Dr. T. S. Edwards of Knox City was a visitor to Haskell Thursday of last week.

Roy Shook and Chas. McGregor made a business trip to Rochester Saturday.

Misses Eunice Huckabee and Sula Maye Ratliff spent the week end with friends at Abilene.

R. G. Stoker of Crystal Falls was here for a short visit this week looking after his business.

W. T. Sarrels of the sheriff's department was in Wichita Falls Tuesday on legal business.

Mrs. Troy Howell is spending the week end in Anson, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wilson.

M. L. Ratliff and son E. L. of Stamford were visiting their son and brother Judge L. D. Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grissom were in Wichita Falls several days this week where Judge Grissom had legal business.

Millard Melton and his mother, who live five miles south of town are visiting relatives in South Texas this week.

M. F. Medley of Wehnert was a business visitor to the capital city Wednesday and while here called around to see us.

Miss Ermine Daugherty returned home Monday from T. W. C. at Fort Worth and will remain here for the winter.

Mrs. Richard Nolen and son Jack Lyles of Seymour came in Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. O. P. Lyles.

A. Chaney, one of the progressive farmers living on the Brazos River near Rule was in the city Tuesday on business.

Miss Mollie Williams and Mr. Hardy Grissom are in St. Louis this week buying the spring goods for the Grissom stores.

W. H. Alexander, Claim Agent for the Katy Railway Company with headquarters at Dallas was here Tuesday on business for the company.

T. D. Whitford, a former Haskell county citizen who is now living at Vernon was here this week winding up his father's estate and visiting old friends.

W. P. Kinnison of Wilson is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Kinnison of this city. Billie says things are pretty good out in his section.

F. J. Trimmer, a good farmer of the Howard community was here Wednesday, and called to see us and handed us the price for six months of the county news.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith returned Saturday from a week's stay at Dallas where they attended the Hardware Men's Convention. They were royally entertained and report a most delightful time.

F. M. Edwards of Wehnert was in the city Wednesday on business. Mr. Edwards is one of our foremost farmers in this section of the state and has been very successful in his chosen profession.

We had a card from A. Montandon who formerly lived on Route two out of Haskell that he wanted the Free Press changed to his address which is now O'Brien Route one. Mr. Montandon is a good farmer.

A. J. Grantham, who was on his way from Slaton to Ellasville passed through the city Tuesday, where he goes to engage in the feed and grain business. He is an old time friend of W. Apple-gate of this city and called on him while here for a short visit.

A New Grocery Store

We have opened a new grocery store on the east side of the square—next door to the Kennedy Garage, where we will be glad to have all our friends call and see us.

We expect to carry a complete stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries and will appreciate your patronage.

GIVE US A TRIAL ORDER.

Cox Brothers

East Side Square HASKELL, TEXAS

J. J. Wofford an old time friend to the Free Press who lives in the Bunker Hill community was a business visitor here Tuesday and called to see us a while in the city and had us to send him the Free Press for another year.

W. C. Allen carried his daughter Miss Winnie to San Angelo, preparatory to entering the sanitarium at Carlsbad, N. M., as soon as room can be secured. It is to be hoped that she will return unto us in renewed health.

C. D. Bensley a former citizen of Haskell County who moved to Denison during the year of 1918 has returned to the county and will make his home here. He owns a farm near the Gauntt community but will not live on it this year.

Mr. A. A. Burdett of Goree Route Two made us a pleasant call while in the city. Mr. Burdett has been making his home in Wichita Falls for the past year, but tells us that he has moved back on his farm near Brushey and expects to try the farm again. Mr. Burdett paid for another year for the Free Press and is again a citizen of Haskell County fully paid up.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bowman, pioneers of Haskell county who live in this city left this week for Waco where they spend the winter with their parents. Mr. Bowman called to see us and had us change the Free Press to his address while away. He is expecting a good time on his visit, beside his children he has many friends in and around Waco that he expects to see while there.

MRS. JESSIE B. SMITH RETURNS FROM SANITARIUM

On last Sunday Mrs. Jesse B. Smith was brought home from the Stamford Sanitarium where she underwent an operation several days ago. She remained at the Sanitarium about three weeks and her many friends will be glad to learn that she has regained her health sufficiently to come home.

Recovering From Operation

Mrs. H. W. Richey of Gilliam underwent an operation Wednesday at the Stamford Sanitarium and is reported to be getting along nicely on last report. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she stood the operation bravely, which is believed to be successful, and it is to be hoped that she will soon be able to return home to her family.

MARY SUE COLLINS ON UNIVERSITY HONOR ROLL

The name of Miss Mary Sue Collins appeared on the Honor Roll in the Daily Texan, a paper published by the student body of the State University at Austin, Sunday January 27th, in a class on special work she is taking in the University.

Miss Collins is the daughter of J. W. Collins of the State Marketing Department, who formerly lived at Haskell and the family is well known here. The many friends of Miss Collins will be glad to learn of her success. It is worth while to be on the honor roll of the State University.

CEDRIC SANDERS WRITES PRIZE-WINNING THEME

Cedric Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Sanders of this city, who is attending the State University at Austin, and specializing in mechanical engineering, won the prize in a theme contest of engineering with eleven other contestants entering. Cedric has made good in his work and will doubtless finish with high honors and start out in the world with a vision which will crown his effort with success in his chosen profession.

Mr. Hall Neff Dies in Munday
Mr. Hall Neff died of pneumonia last Saturday at his home in Munday and was buried Sunday. He leaves a wife and two little daughters.

BRIEF ACCOUNT OF DEATHS FROM ADJOINING COUNTIES

The father of Frank Rhoads, a noted ranchman of Throckmorton County, died at the home of his son Frank in Throckmorton, with whom he was making his home, Thursday January 17, and was buried in the Throckmorton cemetery Friday following. He was 84 years of age and was a native of Tennessee and had lived the greater part of his life a strict member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Grandma Pullig died at her home in Knox City Wednesday Dec. 23, after many years of useful christian service for her Master. Rev. C. E. Dick conducted the funeral services at the home before her burial in Knox City cemetery the following day.

Three Common Business Mistakes

which farmers are still lamentably behind their city brethren. lies in the too general failure of farmers to advertise for what they want or to advertise what they wish to sell. Many a farmer has wasted \$2 or \$3 worth of time trying to visit or inquiry to locate a milk cow for sale, when a 25-cent advertisement in his local paper would have supplied his need at once.—Clarence Poe, in The Progressive Farmer.

Any woman who has been married a couple of years can tell you there are two sides to every question—the right side and the side her husband takes.

Films Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Your druggist will refund money if PAGO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Fillets in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c

Why ? is the danger signal red ?

Because the rays of light from a red object vibrate more violently than those from any other color. Therefore they startle the eye into instant attention. Safety calls for

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NO. 6 DISINFECTANT

wherever germs or insects endanger health.

No. 6 acts like cleansing sunshine where sunshine cannot reach. Ten times more powerful than carbolic acid, yet safe and inexpensive.

One of 200 Puretest preparations. Every item the best that skill and conscience can produce.

Payne Drug Company

The Rexall Drug Store

Our Big Cut Price Sale Great Success

Hundreds of people swarmed over the store Friday and Saturday and this week, and loaded up on wonderful bargains throughout our store. Not one customer so far as we know was dissatisfied or disappointed. You will not be disappointed if you visit us any time during our sale. We have a big stock; every department complete. We have bargains galore throughout our store.

New Goods Arriving Daily

We are receiving daily new things in our Millinery and Ready-to-Wear department, also New Spring Footwear, and New Goods which are all priced very low.

MEMBER, OUR SALE WILL POSITIVELY CLOSE NEXT WEEK. BUY NOW AND SAVE MONEY ON GOOD DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE.

MOURTNEY HUNT & CO.
HASKELL, TEXAS

CLAPP Coming to Texas



The Great Plains country is attracting thousands from all over the continent.

Edwin J. Clapp

One of the foremost financial writers of the country has bought a West Texas farm and is moving his family to it. Read his story of

"WHY I AM COMING TO TEXAS"

EDWIN J. CLAPP IN NEXT

SUNDAY'S FORT WORTH RECORD

Mail Several Copies to Friends

sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said E. D. Gardner in and to said property.

Dated at Haskell, Texas, this the 9th day of January A. D. 1924.

W. C. ALLEN, Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas.

Notice of Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas.

In the Matter of Jerryimah Gazway Mitchell, Bankrupt. No. 969 in Bankruptcy.

Office of Referee, Abilene, Texas, Jan. 26, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Jerryimah Gazway Mitchell

of the County of Haskell, and district aforesaid, did, on the 2nd day of July 1923, file in the Clerk's office of said Court, at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 28th day of February, 1924, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said district, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled cause.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy.

Notice of Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas.

In the Matter of Elmer Andrew Bowman, trading as Bowman Hardware Co., Bankrupt. No. 1026 in Bankruptcy.

Office of Referee, Abilene, Texas, Jan. 26, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer Andrew Bowman, as aforesaid,

aforesaid, did, on the 21 day of Dec. 1923, file in the Clerk's office of said Court, at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 28th day of February, 1924, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said district, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled cause.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy.

Notice of Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas.

In the Matter of Marvin Jackson McClellan, Bankrupt. No. 989 in Bankruptcy.

Office of Referee, Abilene, Texas, Jan. 26, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Marvin Jackson McClellan

of the County of Haskell, and district aforesaid, did, on the 17th day of July, 1923, file in the Clerk's office of said Court, at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 28th day of February, 1924, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said district, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled cause.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy.

ORDER OF APPLICATION FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

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

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR

ORDER OF SALE—Estate:

The State of Texas.

To all Persons interested in the Estate of W. L. Hills, deceased, Mrs. Lulu B. Hills, administratrix of the said estate has filed in the County Court of Haskell County, an application for an order to sell the following property of said Estate, to-wit:

Lots 7 and 8 in Block 56 of the original town of Rule, Haskell County, Texas, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the First Monday in March A. D. 1924 at the Court House thereof, in the town of Haskell, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Herein I will, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at Haskell, Texas, this 20th day of January A. D. 1924.

(Seal) Emory Menefee, Clerk County Court, Haskell County, Texas. By Cleo King, Deputy. 5-4

What Henry Ford Does

All of us are interested in the successful man and what the successful man does.

Henry Ford is perhaps earning more money than any other man in the world, and is also performing a wonderful service for mankind. Everything Henry touches prospers, therefore we would like a little insight into his everyday life, and here is what he does, as told by Robert Littell:

"Just as the regular business man has his routine, his office hours, his mail, his appointments, his golf, so Henry Ford's day is something quite different, and quite his own.

"He will get up very early, and perhaps chop a tree, often not eating anything till the middle of the morning. Then climb into the little wire wheel Ford coupe and drive like the mischief down to the River Rouge plant, or somewhere in his factories where something new is going on. He may go down to the river to see Edsel's new power boat, and perhaps avoid the office altogether all day long, though people may be waiting there to see him.

"If it is summer, we may find him giving orders not to cut the crop on the farm until some fledglings he has seen in nests on the ground have grown strong enough to fly; if winter, he may be skating, with great skill and energy, or taking a walk, and jumping all the fences. If indoors, he will kick as high as the chandelier to show friends he still can do it, or cook for them a meal of synthetic foods in his laboratory, or turn on one of his vast collection of mechanical instruments, or even sit down to the automatic organ which he likes to play with all the stops pulled out.

"He doesn't like to read, and still 'wouldn't give five cents for art.' Work is amusement for him. Perhaps he has never known what work is, in the ordinary sense. He can never grow weary of watching things go around, and he is as engrossed in all his vast network of machinery as if it were a toy and he himself young enough to worry about nothing else.

"And while he enjoys it, he takes awfully good care that the toy stays well oiled and makes more and more money every year.—Exchange.

A FEW STATES FURNISH ALL THE PRESIDENTS

This is not a land of equal opportunity to be president. In the 124 years of our existence as a Nation we have had thirty presidents and only ten states have furnished them. If you lived west of the Mississippi river and south of Tennessee, you had so chance to be president. You might have been the greatest man on earth and if you lived in North Dakota, some smaller man from Ohio would have beaten you to the presidency. Senator Underwood is reminding us of this fact to enforce his plea for a Gul State president. But it isn't a matter of sectional discrimination that has given the thirty presidents to the ten states. Three of these states have furnished eighteen of the thirty presidents. Little Rhode Island has no more show for a presidency than South Carolina or Idaho. It is political arithmetic, not sectional preference, that does it. Under the electoral college system a candidate must get a

Good Bread is Your Best Food

WHY NOT EAT THE BEST?

HARCROW'S MILK DANDY BREAD costs you no more than other breads and you will know after using Milk Dandy Bread that you are buying the very best bread to be had. Bread with a texture and flavor that cannot be beat.

Every pound of our flour is sifted before it goes into the dough—and we use the same pure ingredients that you yourself would use in your own home.

Ask Your Grocer for Harcrow's MILK DANDY BREAD Rochester Baking Co.

SAGERTON

By Howard E. Boles

Miss Queen Gilly accompanied E. G. Stein and family to Haskell Saturday January 20.

Mrs. Hale is still very ill. Her speedy recovery.

Park Caudell went to Haskell business trip.

Services were held at the church Sunday by the Rev. C. J. Mrs. G. A. Lambert went to Haskell to do some shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Murry Smith has returned her home in Sagerton after an absence.

The good weather has made it sible for the farmers to get their prepared for planting next spring.

The Sagerton basketball team boys and girls, played Tanner Wednesday afternoon. The Sag boys were defeated badly but the girls came to the rescue and kept the team name from being tarnished badly.

Operator Got Fresh

"Why did you strike the telephone operator?" the judge asked the dorky.

"Well, yo' honah," said the culprit, "it was just like this. I hands him a telegram for mah girl, an' he starts in readin' it. So I jes nchaturally ups and hands him one."—Country Gentleman.

J. F. Norman one of Rule's best farmers was a business visitor to our city Tuesday.

Reduce the Skidding Danger!

Buick Four-wheel Brakes



BUICK four-wheel brakes reduce to a minimum the skidding danger every driver encounters on wet pavements.

The action of the simple yet positive Buick brakes not only slows down the car safely but keeps it steady, preventing skidding to either side.

Buick four-wheel brakes operate with slight pressure on the service brake pedal, are of the Buick-proved external contracting type and function independently of the emergency brake.

Buick has taken this advanced step of designing four-wheel brakes on its 1924 cars in conformance with its well-known policy of providing owners with the safest and most dependable transportation.

We will be pleased to give you a demonstration and let you prove the effectiveness of Buick four-wheel brakes yourself.

R. M. KINARD, Stamford, Texas For Free Demonstration see G. T. SCALES, Local Agent, Haskell, Texas.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER OF SALE
The State of Texas, County of Haskell.
In the District Court, Haskell County, Texas. Bertha Seltz, et vir vs. E. D. Gardner. No. 2017.
Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of November A. D. 1923, in favor of Bertha Seltz and husband Frank Seltz, against the said E. D. Gardner, No. 2017 on the docket of said court, I did on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1923, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tract of land, to-wit:
All that certain tract or parcel of land in Haskell County, Texas, a part of the N. E. Brister survey No. 32,

Abst. No. 23, Pat. No. 649, Vol. 2, and described by mets and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the N. E. corner of the fence, same being 20 feet West and 20 feet South of the N. E. corner of said Brister survey; thence with said fence North 80 24' West 985 vrs, to stake under fence for N. W. corner same being Northeast corner of a 175 3-4 acre tract to Richard E. Zerwer; thence South 0 55' West along west boundary line of said Richard E. Zerwer tract 1000 vrs, to the S. E. corner of same and the S. W. corner of this tract in the North boundary line of the Mietha Foster 175 3-4 acres tract; thence East 280 3-4 vrs, to Northeast corner of said Mietha Foster 175 3-4 acre tract; thence N. 118 vrs, to the N. W. corner 121 1-2 acre tract to W. A. Neal; thence E. with said Neal 121 1-2 acre tract 722 vrs, to the Northeast corner of same and the S. E. corner of this tract a point under the fence 20 feet West of the said Brister survey; thence along the fence North 960 vrs, to the place of beginning, containing 175 3-4 acres of land.

And on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1924, same 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 courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and

HELPING THE FARMER

BIG AUCTION AT HASKELL ON MONDAY, FEB. 4th

SALE BEGINS AT 1:30 O'CLOCK, RAIN OR SHINE

1 CARLOAD EXTRA GOOD QUALITY MULES

3 to 6 years old, weighing from 2000 to 2600 lbs. per pair. Guaranteed to be as represented. Phone your neighbor. We will sell without reserve to the highest bidder.

BE THERE AND SAVE MONEY!

Oklahoma Mule Company

GUTHRIE, OKLA. M. M. CAHILL, Mgr.

ECZEMA!

THIS isn't one of those fake free treatment offers you have seen so many times. We don't offer to give you something for nothing—but we do guarantee that you can try this wonderful treatment, entirely at our risk, and this guarantee is backed by your local druggist.

HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES! (Hunt's Salve and Soap) has been sold under absolute money back guarantee for more than thirty years. They are especially compounded for the treatment of Eczema, Itch, Ring Worm, Tetter, and other itching skin diseases.

Thousands of letters testify to their curative properties. M. Timberlin, a reliable dry goods dealer in Durant, Oklahoma, says: "I suffered with eczema for ten years, and spent \$1,000.00 for doctors' treatments, without result. One box of Hunt's Cure entirely cured me."

Don't fail to give HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap) a trial. All druggists handle.

OATES DRUG STORE

Over 150 of the Halsell Farms Already Sold—to Farmers

OVER 150 good farmers—the kind who know good land and opportunity—when they see it, are coming to the Halsell Farms in Lamb County, Texas—they have come here and investigated what we have and they have bought land—to farm—to make money.

A Great Cotton County—Raise one-fourth to one bale per acre—no boll weevil—easy to raise—bring top price. The rich chocolate loam soil, deep and fertile, is also wonderfully adapted to the raising of corn, wheat, feed grains, vegetables, garden truck and fruit.

\$25 an Acre—15 Years to Pay! Scores are coming to this land of opportunity and establishing homes. Pure water of fine quality and in abundance. Ideal climate—short, dry winters; long, temperate summers. Good transportation facilities.

On the Santa Fe Railroad—Amherst, an up-and-going town is now being built on the property. Schools and churches are being built. Halsell Farms is fast becoming a thriving farm community. Its citizens are the right class of people.

Investigate—Now! If you are seeking a real home in an ideal part of the country, where rich land and honest efforts will pay you ahead, write at once for full particulars about Halsell Farms. Land is selling fast—write today! Remember this is one of the few remaining big tracts of good farming land that can be bought at these prices on terms.

The Halsell Farms Company

General Offices Amherst, Texas

FROM THE FIELD

By W. M. FREE

At Saturday morning we took pass- with our good friend Billie Burt the Star Route Carrier of the States mail from Haskell to ster. Billie has made enough from Haskell to Rochester alone past several years to have gone the world and started back on road journey. He has driven a

Ford so long that he can detect the slightest sound of the unruly beast when she gets ready to 'cut up' and does not wait until she gets into a rage to fix her. He has never paid a fine for breaking the speed limit in town or country and has never had an accident or been the cause of anyone getting hurt. A wonderful record indeed is this.

We reached the city of Rochester and went directly to the City Barber Shop owned by W. E. Pyatt where we received a warm welcome and a renewal for the Free Press before I could get out of his place and see who was in town.

When I got on the street and began to look around I found that Rochester had put on a different appearance. I had not been in the city since the serious fire which destroyed one whole block of business houses. But I soon found that the citizens were not discouraged, but with renewed efforts all were back in business that could find suitable locations and others will go back when new brick store buildings can be erected and we learned that plans are already on foot for the construction of more buildings for the business district. We further learned that all the residences were occupied and it is almost an impossibility to get a house in the city.

Rochester is situated in one of the best agricultural sections of West Texas. The business men have confidence in that section and substantial establishments are in operation and

they are growing bigger every day. The city has manifested at all times much thrift and prosperity and her business institutions have always prospered. The schools have made wonderful progress and now they have one of the best high school buildings of any city of like population in all of West Texas. The school this year under the guiding hand of Prof. Jackson is making more than the usual progress.

A talk with the farmers of that section reveals the fact that most of them are in excellent financial condition. Many were frank to say that the earth contained more moisture than had been in the ground since 1914, which proved to be a record breaking crop year. The Rochester farmers are about through gathering their cotton, and it is noticeable that the fields are gleaned closer than ever before, which the good price has made possible. The total number of bales weighed in the yards of Rochester by J. H. Cooper up to the present is 6,125 and he believed this number will be increased considerably when the crop is all in. The total of the 1922 crop was 6,621 bales, but Mr. Cooper does not think that the crop of 1923 will reach the total figure of the 1922 crop. But the difference in the price has put thousands of dollars in the pockets of the farmers and the deposits in the bank of Rochester speak for themselves.

The Rochester churches all have live memberships and go to Sunday Schools and religious practices are not on the wane, but growing in spirit and in strength daily. The Baptist people have just called a new pastor. Rev. L. E. Frazier from Tarrant county has moved his family to Rochester and has accepted the pastorate of the Rochester and O'Brien Baptist Churches. Rev. Frazier comes well recommended and the people of these churches are very fortunate in securing him for their pastor.

The Church of Christ was on a deal for a pastor and have probably made the arrangements but we did not learn who will take charge of the work.

Rev. Raymond Van Zant, pastor of the Methodist Church, reports good church attendance and a live Sunday School, with a christian spirit prevailing among the members of his flock.

Dr. W. J. Howell of Hamlin has located in Rochester since the going away of Dr. W. H. Dunn and is now one of the practicing physicians and seemed to be establishing himself among the people of the city and country and he is pleased with the new location.

We were pleased to have spent a short while in the cafe of Oscar Har- crow, who is running a bakery in connection and he seems to be doing a wonderful business both with the cafe and bakery. Oscar has lived in Haskell and has many friends here who will be glad to know of his success. He gave us a nice ad for his business and gave us a welcome that we so much appreciate.

We called on Albert M. Allen, a former friend who has recently purchased the H. J. Garner Grocery store and has had charge of the same for the past thirty days. Albert is building up a wonderful business. Clyde E. Franklin is moving from Rule to Rochester and will be employed by Mr. Allen in his store. Mr. Allen has quite a lot of inspiration in his new business and expects to keep wide awake and fully alive to the needs of his business, which is said to be the true Rochester spirit.

Another man we met was T. G. Carney, who is now in the grocery and dry goods business in Rochester but still lives at O'Brien. Mr. Carney reports a prosperous business and is getting along nicely. He was in business in Haskell 20 years ago and in looking over the old files of the Free Press we notice that he carried a strong line of advertising for his wares at that time.

A. B. Carothers a familiar figure of Rochester, was on the streets of the city. He is enthused over the report that the Orient expected to put on motor car service which will be quite a convenience to the town along the railroad.


John A. Lee is just winding up his services with the Farmers Gin Company and will go back to Rule for the present. He has been with these people through the fall and claims a very successful business for the new gin. Mr. Lee has lived at Rule many years.

Cecil Merchant, a son of Jack Merchant of the Cottonwood community has a nice garage business in Rochester and is doing some improvements on the inside of the building he occupies.

We also met J. H. McGee, an old time friend who lives at Knox City. He is selling the Kasch Cotton Seed and had a truck load of seed in Rochester. J. D. Senter of Santa Anna was with him.

We spent the night at the Farley Hotel in the city and on the morning we attended the Baptist Church and heard Rev. L. E. Frazier, the new pastor, preach a real Baptist sermon to a large congregation. From church we accompanied F. A. Mansell to his happy home where we were served with a real good dinner and gave a welcome that we shall not forget. After a good rest and a friendly chat we came to the Baptist Church again where we enjoyed the afternoon with the singers of the Haskell County Convention. Owing to the rain that came up about noon the attendance was cut short but a good singing was enjoyed by the gathering of the local people.

From the convention we went with A. D. Lewis to his home in the suburb of the city where he lives on the farm and enjoys the conveniences of the city. He recently built a new home and has it equipped with all modern electric ap-



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 —in—
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MARY PICKFORD
 —in—
'Thru the Back Door'
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pliances possible to obtain in Rochester. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have a happy home with two bright little boys to gladden and make their joys greater. We spent the night with them and attended the Church of Christ evening services and heard Elder P. S. Young of Haskell preach a splendid sermon to a large congregation. The next morning we came to town with Mr. Lewis and spent most of the day at the Worker's Meeting of the Haskell County Baptist Association, which was held at the Baptist Church. A nice lunch was served by the ladies of Rochester and everyone present was most cordially fed and there was plenty left over. In addition to an interesting program, special music was rendered by Rev. Woody Smith and son and Miss Lulu E. English of Ft. Worth. The day was a glorious day for all who were present.

We came home in the car with Rev. I. N. Alvis and Rev. Gambrell. Rev. Alvis makes a Ford hum when he is at the wheel and we were not long in reaching home. Our trip and stay in Rochester was one of pleasure and we were glad to meet again our many friends that we had not seen in months and glad to have made new acquaintances that we hope to know as friends of the future. I received many new subscribers and renewals for which we thank you one and all for the kindness shown to us while in the city of Rochester. Space forbids me to make this story longer. I will ring off.

POULTRY BUSINESS IS GROWING FAST

The following article is written by M. E. Oates, Agricultural Agent of the Fort Worth & Denver and the Wichita Valley Railway Company, concerning the rapid growth of the poultry business along these railroads:

Development and interest in poultry is increasing in Texas; is increasing so generally and rapidly that the Fort Worth & Denver Lines, in cooperation with the A. & M. College in order to keep pace with the development, will put on another series of One Day Poultry School beginning Feb. 5th and running to the end of the month.

Farmers are realizing that poultry is an important side line and that in some instances the poultry flock has yielded as large returns as the staple crop. Bankers know of many farmers who are receiving from \$20.00 to \$50.00 per month from poultry and are therefore encouraging farmers to continue poultry raising. Feed concerns selling poultry feeds are employing expert poultry men to do poultry extension work. There are four concerns in Texas who are now employing such experts.

Winter poultry shows are rapidly increasing in number and in size. The Poultry Departments of the county fairs, district and state fairs are all growing rapidly. Poultry supply houses report a much larger sale of incubators this winter than ever before. Many hatcheries are enlarging their capacity. The A. & M. College reports that there is a much greater demand for the Poultry Specialists than for any of the other Specialists of the College. The Texas Farm Bureau has recently employed an egg marketing specialist to establish egg grades and orderly marketing of eggs. All of these activities on the part of

commercial organizations including the banks and railroads indicate their faith in the reliability of poultry as a sure source of income. The assistance being given by the College Experts, the feed dealers, Specialists and others assures the success of farm poultry raising. Northwest Texas is surely taking the lead in poultry development and the Denver Road is doing all it can to keep abreast of the times and establish farm poultry keeping on a paying basis on every farm in its territory.

A Good Word For Him

Hans Schmidt was reported to be the meanest man in the neighborhood. He died. His body was placed in the grave, and according to old Pennsylvania German custom the people stood around the open grave, waiting for some one to say a good word about the deceased before filling the grave. After a long wait, Gustave Schultze said: "Well, I can say just one good thing about Hans; he wasn't always as mean as he was sometimes."

"What Dey Is"

The two village trouble-makers had gotten into a row and the matter was up in court. Uncle Wash, an old gentleman of color, was a witness. "Now, Uncle," said the lawyer, "tell me just what conversation occurred." "I kain't jes' remember it all," replied the candid Wash, "except dat each one was callin' de other what dey is."—American Legion Weekly.

Mrs. O. Cole and children of Rule, D. B. Earnest of Rule, L. S. Earnest of Spur visited Mrs. R. J. Earnest Tuesday.

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Better the First Time
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WEINERT

By Special Correspondent

Mrs. W. H. Hughes has returned from Stamford where she spent several days visiting relatives.

W. H. Hughes was in Haskell Friday on business.

G. C. Newsom went to Haskell Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Siddons and children of Seymour were here Sunday to see Mrs. Siddons' mother, Mrs. Albright, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones and Mrs. Jones father, Mr. Milan of Pleasant View were in to church services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Baker were in Monday Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barton and children spent last week end in Munday.

Miss Julia Williams, principal of the Pleasant Valley school, spent last week end with her parents here.

Mr. Raymond Long and Miss Essie Marlon were married Sunday morning at the latter's home near here. Rev. Luther Jenkins officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Long will make their home in Weinert.

Rev. Luther Jenkins of Abilene preached Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night at the Baptist church.

Rev. W. H. Barnett will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night, February 3rd.

Mrs. Hart of Crowell has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Newton Therwanger. She has gone to Abilene to visit another daughter, Mrs. Justin Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Therwanger were in Crowell last week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Cokerell and sons Hugh and Edward of Abilene were here Saturday.

W. A. Baker of Floydada was here Sunday.

Henry Ethridge of Corsicana, a former resident of Weinert was here and at Haskell last week.

Mrs. H. F. Monke visited relatives in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Neathery were here Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. Preston Weinert were in Haskell Sunday.

The "tacky" party given by Mesdames R. H. Jones and H. F. Monke to the members of the Matrons Club and their husbands was a very enjoyable affair. Games and contests were indulged in till a late hour, and refreshments were served to about twenty guests.

Bulging Domes

It is the habit of the highbrows to deride the notions of their social inferiors on the subject of entertainment. The things which give them pleasure ought to give them pain. So they are told.

They get more fun out of a brass band playing popular music than they could get out of a Handel festival. They have no business to. They can sit happily in a theatre, and draw pleasure from appeals to superficial instincts—from simple stuff without any depth to it. They ought to know better.

The train of reasoning that leads to this conclusion indicates a quaint conception of economics. Why is it undesirable that people should be easily pleased? Would it be undesirable for people to be easily fed?

Under present conditions there is not enough joy in the world. Probably there never will be. There is extremely little danger of there being too much. If some people are easy to please, so much the better. There would be less pleasure in the world if they were hard to please.

"But," argue the highbrows, "a man's mental faculties must be at their lowest if he enjoys elementary stuff in a theatre. His intelligence must be at its minimum strength."

Why not? That is just the proper state for a man to be in when he is in a theatre. When his mentality is fully alert he has no business in a theatre at all. He ought to be at work.

Our career—our calling—is the most important thing in our mundane lives. If it is not, we have chosen the wrong career, and we ought to switch at once. The best moments, the hours when our faculties are keenest, ought to be spent in our vocation, whether it be farming or dentistry. We should not take our brains to a theatre when they are intensely awake.

The long-haired highbrow who sits at a New Thought drama, congratulating himself that his cerebration is at its peak, probably has no work to do that demands the efforts of a thoroughly alert mind. If he had, it would require the conservation of his mental energies.

Everheart, B.
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20 YEARS AGO

Taken from the files of the Free Press January 30, 1904.

Mr. F. G. Alexander visited the farms branch house at Munday this week. He says the former Knox County Bank which was a private concern is now in full operation as the First National Bank of Munday.

Mr. G. W. Andress who with his wife has been visiting relatives in Haskell and vicinity for two or three weeks returned home to Gorman this week. Mrs. Andress remained here a week or so longer before going home. Mr. Finis Smith and wife of the Flat Top neighborhood visited the family of Capt. Oglesby in town this week.

Mr. Jno. E. Robertson and family have moved to town and will occupy the residence recently occupied by Prof. Cunningham, the latter having moved to his farm a mile east of town.

Mr. W. D. Dickerson of the northern portion of the county is reported seriously ill.

Miss Maude Hunt returned several days ago from Commanche where she has been visiting for several months. Messers. Fred Irby and Clarence Lewis left Thursday morning to take a course in a school of Telegraphy in Dallas.

Rev. L. L. Lusk and W. H. Wyman left Thursday morning to attend the Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Stone-wall Association being held at Bethel Church in Jones county.

Masters Frank Robertson and Walter Fields spent several days this week visiting at the latter's home near Marey. Mr. C. C. Riddle was over from Aspermont this week shaking hands with his Haskell friends and looking after business matters.

Messers Robert and N. G. Neathery of Waco visited the family of Dr. Neathery this week.

Cotton sold in Haskell yesterday for 14.30. \$71.50 per bale is pretty good.

Mr. H. C. Dozier one of the enterprising farmers of the north west part of the county was in the Capital City yesterday.

O. B. Corothers of Marey was in town yesterday and being asked how his "Neck of the Woods" was getting along said that farming operations were progressing very satisfactory since the rain put the land in condition to plow and chop otherwise they were on something of a boom, filling up country rapidly with new farms.

He thought that not less than one hundred new houses had been put up the last three or four months within four or five miles of the little town of Marey and new people were still coming.

On Tuesday evening at the home of J.W. Meadors in this place Mr. S.L. Gibson of Deming, N. M., and Miss Maggie Irby daughter of J.E. Irby a prominent citizen of the Eastern part of the county were united in marriage.

Rev. J. H. Chambliss pronouncing the Ceremony. Mr and Mrs Gibson left Friday for Deming where they will make their future home.

Judge P. D. Sanders returned Tuesday from a business trip to Waco and Houston. Judge says that from what he could see and hear along his line of travel, farm work is a little more advanced in the central and southeastern portions of the state than it is here.

Nor did he get the impression that the farmers in those sections were in any better if as good financial condition as they are here.

Up to Thursday noon Mr. W. T. Jones public weigher at this place, had weighed 3,000 bales of cotton of last years crop. These figures only represent the cotton handled at this place, which he believes is considerably more than has been handled by any other town not on a railroad in North West Texas. But cotton is still being picked and is coming in at the rate of 15 or 20 bales a day, and it is probable that Haskell's cotton will go close to 4,000 bales when it is all in.

We have no accurate knowledge at this time of the number of bales made in the county. A good deal of the cotton ginned at country gins has gone directly to the railroad points without coming to the town of Haskell. It is probable that the total production of cotton in 1903 will run close to 6,000 bales.

Edgar Stovall of Moran spent several days in the city last week.

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Woman's Mission
The Woman's Mission met in regular session last afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sutherland, superintendent Service Work, had charge and a very interesting program was participated in by the Bible Lesson, by Mrs. T. Spirit of Understanding Nations, by Mesdames and Ben Hardy.

A round table discussion on votes were cast on Movement. A delightful "Deaf Kitten" by Sutherland, completed the

There will be a pie supper at the Morris Chapel in the District Friday night Feb. 2. The proceeds will go to and other repairs for the Chapel Church was a time back and the old building was purchased at its new location near the Montgomery. Everybody come and help out with

Pie Supper at Morris Chapel Friday

Brown was the most
for Rochester in his defeat. Haskell High is playing handicap this year, having however, under the leadership Blacklock, are prospecting of determined follow.

Line up: Indians (Blacktain), Chapman, Forwarder; Bagwell, Kemp, Guards. Rochester—Turner, Clark, Martin, center; Brown, Woods, Guards.

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Sophomores, Miss Ruth Chambers. Term Honor Roll: Galen Robertson, A; Louis Pearsey, A; Mamie Jones, A; Anita Grissom, A; Lucille Shied, B. Semester Honor Roll: Galen Robertson, A; Louis Pearsey, A; Mamie Jones, A; Anita Grissom, A; Mary Sherrill, A.
Junior Honor Roll, Miss Kilgore. Third Semester: Michael Watson, A; Hayes Scott, B; Freddie Johnson, B; Veda Earles, B; Johnnye Morgan, B; Helen Norman, B. Term Honor Roll: Hayes Scott, B; Johnnye Morgan, B;

Freddie Johnson, B; Michael Watson, B; Veda Earles, B.
Honor Roll, Freshman Class, Semester Honor Roll, Ruth Robertson, A; Earline Mask, B; Stella Mae Coburn, B; Fay Akins, B; Elmore Smith, B; Burl Cox, B. Term Honor Roll: Ruth Robertson, A; Earline Mask, B; Lucille Middleton, B; Vivian Johnson, B; Stella Mae Coburn, B.
Grade 7 A, Semester Honor Roll: Kathryn Rike, A; Mary Pearsey, A; Lewis Smith, A; Marjorie Rogers, A; Lucille Foote, A. Term Honor Roll: Kathryn Rike, A; Mary Pearsey, A; Lewis Smith, A; Florine Maples, B; Aurline Means, B; Lucille Foote, B.
Grade 7B, Semester: Opal Weaver, B; Fred Akins, B; Ralph Kirkpatrick, B; Velma Tucker, B; Willie Nellums, B. Term Honor Roll: Willie Nellums, B; Belton Duncan, B; Opal Weaver, B; Fred Akins, B.
6B Grade, Term Honor Roll: Agatha Malone, B; O. B. Ratliff, B; Mildred Simmons, B; Elsie Bradley, B; Ruby Nellums, B. Semester Honor Roll: O. B. Ratliff, B; Agatha Malone, B; Elsie Bradley, B; Ruby Nellums, B; Mildred Simmons, B; Holt Eastland, B.
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Fifth B Section: Thomas Brasher, A; Clara Lamkin, B; Luella Woodson, B; Mavis Branch, B; Ruby Cox, B. Term Honor Roll: Thomas Brasher, B; David Leflar, B; Mavis Branch, B; Luella Woodson, B; Clara Lamkin, B.
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4th Grade, Term Honor Roll: Wallace Sanders, A; Marvin Gholson, B; Ruby Fay Thomason, B; Addie Mae Whitaker, B; Lena Bell Kemp, B. Semester Honor Roll: Wallace Sanders, A; Ruby Fay Thomason, A; Marvin Gholson, B; Zelma Anderson, B; Addie Mae Whitaker, B; Irma Mask, B.
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Poultry School Train Will Leave Worth Worth Mo

The Poultry Demonstration is run over the lines of Worth and Denver City Railroads leaving Fort Worth February 1st according to previous announcements. M. B. Oates, Wichita Falls Agent of the railroad, The demonstration will be at Decatur 5th.

Two poultry specialists at M. College, Miss Myrtle M. E. O. Edson, will go along special exhibits. Most of the will be furnished by the colleges. Estes, Iowa Park, who has Oates, has made a creditable boys' club work, will be one of special party.

A stop of one day in towns will be made on the trip and two meetings will be held. Boys and girls, especially belonging to clubs, will have a tug of their own with Miss charge. Estes will speak at the young people's meetings, and meeting each day will be a gathering.

The itinerary follows, Decatur 5; Bowie, 6; Henkelta, 7; Falls, 8; Seymour, 9; Haskell, 12; Stamford, 13; 14; Jayton, 15; Spur, 16; Byers, 19; Electric, 20; Y. Quannah, 22; Childress, 23; 25; Channing, 26; Amarillo, 28; Clarendon, 29; and Mead 1st.

HASKELL DRY GOODS MERCHANT IN

Hardy Grissom and Williams of the Grissom Store are in the St. Louis market buying the spring stocks for some stores, which are located for Justin, Quannah and headquarters here.

HASKELL INDIANS ARE COUNTY BASKETBALL

The Haskell Indians of Rochester High School are believed to be the fastest Inter-scholastic game in this county.

The final score, 13 and 2 the Rochester court, proved the Indians are undefeated champions. Rule having been earlier in the season by Captain Blacklock led for Haskell with 6 points, allowing with 5 and Cliff 2. no points, but proved his ability. Kemp at safety play game.

Brown was the most for Rochester in his defeat. Haskell High is playing handicap this year, having however, under the leadership Blacklock, are prospecting of determined follow.

Line up: Indians (Blacktain), Chapman, Forwarder; Bagwell, Kemp, Guards. Rochester—Turner, Clark, Martin, center; Brown, Woods, Guards.

PIE SUPPER AT MORRIS CHAPEL FRIDAY

There will be a pie supper at the Morris Chapel in the District Friday night Feb. 2. The proceeds will go to and other repairs for the Chapel Church was a time back and the old building was purchased at its new location near the Montgomery. Everybody come and help out with

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