

POWELL

(By Ruth Davis)

The health of this community is very good at this writing. The singing given at the home of Mr. Mamie Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. Miss Dora Owsley and her father of Stamford spent Saturday with Mr. Wilford and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Flanary spent Sunday with M. Davis and family. Fred Davis visited friends in the home community Saturday night and Sunday. Miss Eunice Anderson and her brother Jack of Haskell visited in this community Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lancaster spent the week end with the latter's parents Mr. Smith of Hilo. Delma Harabon of Sayles spent last week with Jesse Matthews. H. T. Brannan and family were called to Hico to the bedside of Mrs. Brannan's mother last Thursday. Weldon Turnbow of Curry Chapel spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother Alfred of this place. The party given at Mrs. Powell's Wednesday was enjoyed by a large crowd. Miss Helen Meyers spent the week end with her parents of Stamford. The young people enjoyed playing Croquet at Mrs. Colburn Sunday Afternoon.

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(Florence Ray)

It seems that we are going to have some spring weather this morning. Most all of the farmers are through putting up their land. They say now we are waiting for a good rain. Then planting will begin. Mr. and Mrs. A. Chaney are visiting their daughter Mrs. Charley Aycock of near Weinert. Mrs. W. B. West and daughters Joyce and Johnnie of O'Brien spent the week end with A. F. West and family of this place. The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCubb Friday night was well attended and all report a nice time. Clarence Ray and Vernon Harrison went to Rochester Sunday. D. M. Rasure of Mitchell spent Saturday night with A. F. West and family. Jud and Foster Senior boys played basket ball Wednesday. Jud won by a score of 5 to 17. Several from here attended the singing at O'Brien Sunday. Mr. Martin of Ft. Worth visited his brother A. E. Martin last week. Mr. E. P. Jones is in the Sanitarium at Dallas. We all hope to hear that Mr. Jones will soon be back at home and much improved in health. Guy McCulley of Sweet Home spent Sunday with Burford Epler. Miss Nellie and Ada Gunnels visited relatives at Lakeview in Hall Co. Several from here went to Haskell last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kendrick visited relatives in Stamford Saturday and Sunday while there they said they heard some good music. A. E. Maran and family spent Sunday with E. L. Ray and family of Hobbs community. Miss Larose Thomas of Mitchell is visiting her friend Miss Bertie West. The people of this community have bought a new piano. There will be singing at this place. Let us all be present and help out in the singing.

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CENTER POINT

(By Ethel Bland)

Miss Addie Dunham, also her brother Henry is sick at this writing. Several of the men have been improving the roads in this community. Mr. J. F. Jeter and family are visiting in Lamesa this week. Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mauldin of Rochester took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bland Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Morgan and children visited in Anson Sunday. Miss Tena Bland of Sayles spent Saturday night and Sunday with her cousin Ethel Bland. Mr. Hunt of Haskell spent Saturday night with Tommy Morgan of this community. Mrs. Lather Watson and several of the school girls made a flying trip to Stamford Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Belston spent Sunday with the former's parents of Tonk Creek. Mrs. Watson and Mrs. W. E. Bland were in Haskell on business Monday. Mrs. L. E. Bland took charge of Mrs. Watson's room while she was away. A good crowd from this community and school went over to Post and entered several of the contests Friday afternoon. Miss Sally Morgan won first place in the Senior girls high jump, and her sister Ruby, second. Marvin Morgan won second place in the Junior boys high jump. We are proud of these pupils for their spunk

COTTONWOOD

(By Miss Muggie Gossett)

The farmers of this section have the soil ready for maize planting. They are waiting anxiously for rain. The Baptist Church of this place is nearly completed. There will be Sunday School in the new house next Sunday. Mrs. W. A. Tanner spent the afternoon with Mrs. S. D. Gossett Monday. Messrs. Raymond Melton Archie Wiseman and Clyde Bland of Sayles visited the school Tuesday afternoon. The school children always like visitors. All who attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Higgen's Tuesday night report a nice time. Mrs. Overman has been sick the past week but we are glad that she is better. Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Newton have returned from a few weeks visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marlon. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Agnew from Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gossett and family the first of the week. Mrs. A. Mayfield spent Saturday with her daughter Mrs. W. H. Merchant of Haskell. Elmer Gossett of this community who is in the Stamford Sanitarium for an operation for appendicitis has been seeing several visitors from this section. He has been very ill but he is doing to nicely now that we think he will be home soon. Messrs B. I. Furrh and Slover Bledsoe have gone to Oklahoma for a few days fishing trip. Miss Opal Bledsoe spent Saturday

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(By Mays Myrtis Patterson)

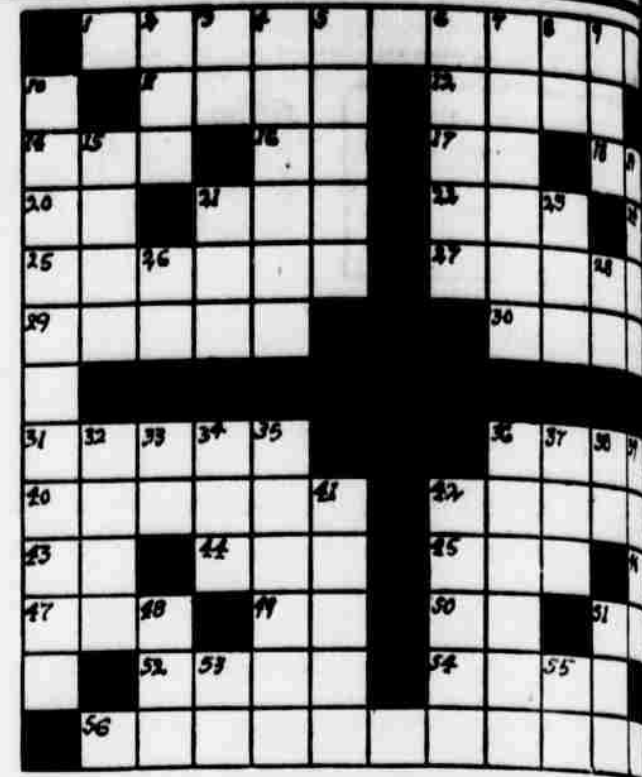
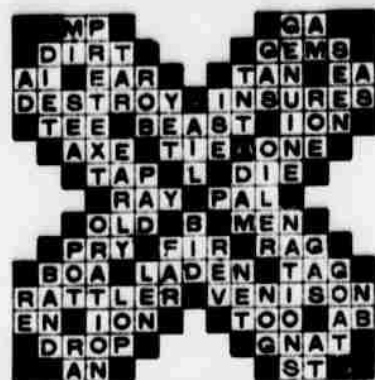
The farmers of this section are just about up with their farm work at present. The health of this community is good at this writing. Only colds seem to stay with every one. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Phillips and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Rainy south west of town. You will find the details of the basket ball game some where else in the paper. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patterson and family had for their guest the past week end their sons and daughters: Mr. and Mrs. Perry Patterson of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Patterson of Old Glory and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Patterson of Pleasant Valley. Most every one from here was in Haskell Saturday afternoon to see the ball games. There was some real playing done. The party at Mr. and Mrs. Rainy's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd and all had a nice time. Mr. Ed King and son of Roberts and Mr. J. L. Toliver were in this section Sunday morning. The pie supper was enjoyed by a large crowd Friday night. Misses Ethel and Opal Bledsoe and Muggie Gossett of Cotton Wood spent Sunday afternoon with the writer. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stockton and family spent Sunday in Goree visiting relatives. Mr. Roy Bledsoe made a trip to Wichita Falls Saturday night on business. Preaching at this place Sunday afternoon was attended by a large crowd. We had a real sermon. We urge each and everyone to come and bring someone with you.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our wife and mother. Especially do we thank those who so faithfully stayed by her bedside during her last hours and ministered to her with loving hands. May Gods blessings rest upon you each and every one. George Moeller and Children.

John Culp of Throckmorton, who has charge of the Reynolds Cattle Company's interests in this section, was in the city Tuesday on business, and made a pleasant visit to the Free Press office while here. Mr. Culp states that the X pastures are posted against trespassing and gave us an advertisement to that effect. This includes trespassing of any kind; fishing, hunting, woodhauling, etc.

W. E. Pyeatt of Rochester was in the city Tuesday and made us a pleasant call while here. Mrs. V. H. Pyeatt accompanied him home for a short visit.



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SAYLES
(Mrs. G. D. Payne)
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bland of Center Point spent Tuesday with the former's uncle A. L. Bland.
Mrs. McKinney of Bomarton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Maud Eastering.
Mrs. Mary Harleman visited her mother Mrs. A. J. Lewis of Abilene Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Ivy attended the funeral of Miss Reed at Stamford Thursday.
Sayles was well represented at the meet at Post Friday evening.
Cleve Phillips and family spent Saturday night at Stamford visiting Mr. Dee Phillips.
Mr. E. Harfell and Mr. Davenport went fishing last week and report a good time and lots of fish, but of course—the big one got away!
Miss Lena Bland spent Saturday night with Miss Ethel Bland of Center Point.
Mr. Will Mercer and family of Stamford visited Mr. Mercer of this community who has been sick for the past week.
Mr. H. D. Bland has repaired his house this week.
Mrs. Davenport visited Mrs. Howeth at Haskell Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bland spent Sunday visiting the latter's father, Mr. Tom Coleman of Plainview.

McCONNELL
(Miss Valentine Bland)
We are having some real pretty weather, but we would like to see some spring rains.
Most all the farmers are through listing their land.
B. M. Jones was the guest of his cousin J. M. Jones Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bunkley and family were the guests of their parents east of Stamford Sunday.
We are very sorry to report the serious illness of Miss Connie Gay. She is very low with pneumonia. We hope for her a speedy recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Chapman and children of Snyder, Texas, were visiting the latter's brothers, M. L. and F. E. Jones and families the past week.
Quite a number from this community attended the services at Stamford Sunday afternoon. Rev. Will Hogz gave a fine talk to the ladies only. The ones from here were Mesdames R. A. Cauthen, J. F. Guillet, F. E. Jones, G. C. Brown and Misses Orle Lee and Valentine Bland and Henrietta Brown.
Little Misses Marguerite and Mary Jones were guests of their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Stamford Saturday night.
Remember the Sunday School next Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.

PLAINVIEW
(By Ruth Deisman)
(Last weeks letter)
Mrs. Ed Sharp has been sick this last week but we are glad to hear she is better.
The party at Arthur Chapman's of the McConnell section was enjoyed by a large crowd.
Little Miss Lucille Brown of Anson is at her sisters, Mrs. Emmett Lovorn's going to school at this place.
Mr. Clay Lusk's baby is on the sick list this week.
The singing at Mr. Charlie Campbell's was enjoyed by a large crowd Sunday night.
Mrs. Chapman of McConnell called on Marie Kohout Monday afternoon.
The dance at Joe Davis' of Center Point was a grand success. A large crowd was there from all joining communities and some from town.
A. Dunn and family spent Sunday in the Ross community at Clyde Gordon's.
Bryan Hartley and Ed Newton of Bunker Hill were in this community this week end.
There was a large crowd at Sunday School Sunday morning. Everyone please come at 10 o'clock.
Several of the young people went skating at Flat Top Sunday evening.
The writer was in Haskell Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. John Kohout and son Howard were in Haskell Sunday night at Mr. Elmer Connally's.

BALLEW
(By Lillie Fraley and Talma Moore)
(Last weeks letter)
We are still having pretty weather and the farmers have about finished putting up their land.
School is progressing nicely at this place.
Ballew and Powell played basket ball Friday afternoon with Powell girls winning 15 to 4 and the Powell boys defeated the Ballew boys 12 to 11.
The ball game that was played in Mr. Moore's pasture Sunday afternoon ended with a score of 19 to 3 in favor of Ballew.
Miss Edna Gentry has returned from Oklahoma where she has been visiting friends and relatives.
Several Ballew boys and girls spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Talma Moore and all had a nice time.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fraley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ammons.
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harwell spent Saturday night with their daughter Mrs. C. D. Gentry.
Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Turnbow spent Saturday night and Sunday with J. W. Bartley and family.
Dr. A. Q. Gentry and wife of Haskell spent Sunday afternoon with R. D. Gentry.

A. H. Wair Wins Prize in National Contest
One of the biggest marble companies in the U. S. sent out designs all over the country and of the three selecting the most artistic designs received prizes. Mr. Wair received one of the three prizes, a marble bust valued at \$100.00. This is another reason why Haskell has the prettiest cemetery in the West. Mr. Wair puts up artistic monuments.
The Haskell Harmony Club presents "Feast of the Red Corn" a two act opera, High School auditorium April 2nd.

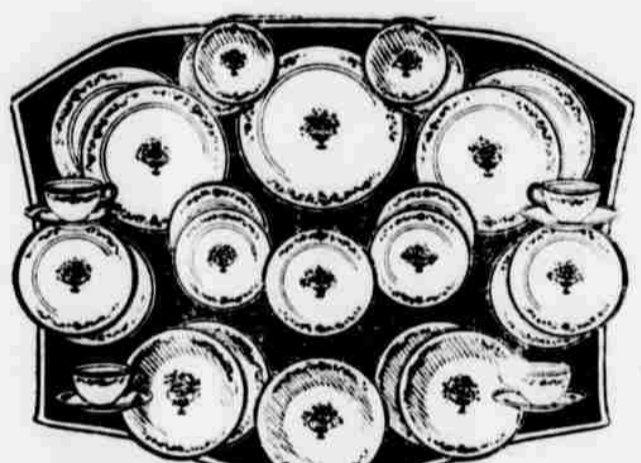
No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an un-healthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 6c per bottle.

Programme of Haskell Theatre
Monday and Tuesday, March 30-31—
"THE POWDER PUFF REVUE"
Consisting of 12 People, with Song, Dancing, and Lots of Good Music. Real Entertainment. Also—a First National Release—
"HUSBANDS and LOVERS"
"EDUCATIONAL COMEDY"
Wednesday April 1, only—
Barbara La Marr in
"SANDRA"
Thursday April 2nd, only—
"TELL ME WHY"
Dealing with "BIRTH CONTROL." Tells all, shows all. See a vision of life before birth. MATINEES—WOMEN ONLY. NIGHTS—MEN ONLY
Friday, April 3rd—
Constance Talmadge, in
"HER NIGHT OF ROMANCE"
Also "The Riddle Rider"
Saturday April 4th—
"THE CYCLONE RIDER"
A REAL WESTERN

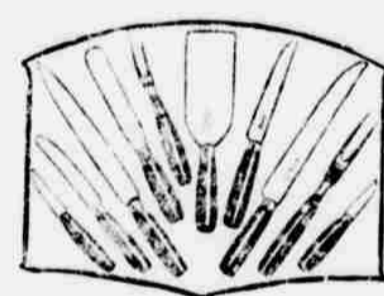
What Dose the Name of Your Bank Tell You?
If the name contains the word "National" as ours does, it means that the bank is under the direct supervision of Federal authorities, that it operates under the strict national banking laws, that it must forward to Washington frequent reports of its condition, that it must be ready at any moment for an unannounced visit from a Government examiner, and that it enjoys the full benefits of a membership in the Federal Reserve Association.
"Ask Our Customers."
THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK
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ROCHESTER WOMAN INJURED BY COW
Mrs. Mat Speck living a few miles west of Rochester was knocked down and seriously injured by a cow one day last week while in the lot. The cow attacked her and she was knocked down, cut and bruised by the steel yoke that the cow was wearing. Mrs. Speck will recover from her injuries, nevertheless they were very painful and she came very near losing her life.
WE HAVE—The very best equipment with which to do your cleaning and pressing. S. & M. Tailors. 13 tfe.
To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 3c.


This Week-Introductory Offer!
With Your 1925 Hoosier
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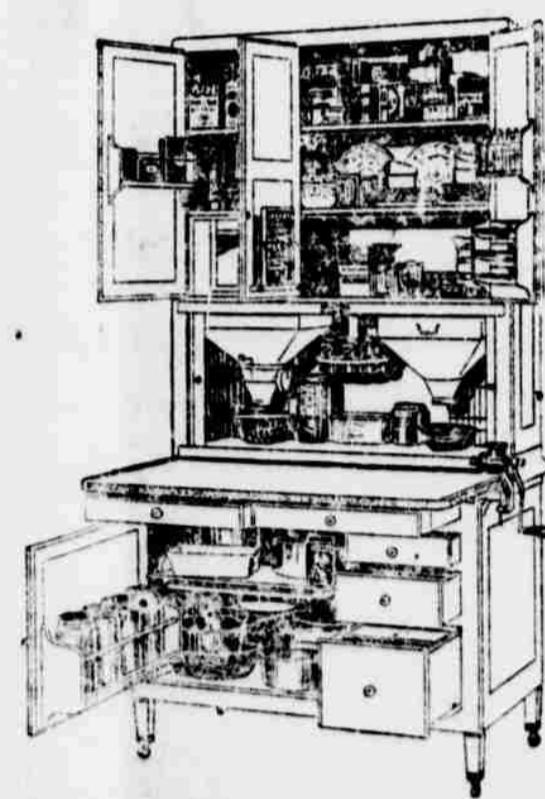
FINE SET OF CHINAWARE
You will be delighted when you see the charming decoration and Colonial pattern of this high-grade, semi-porcelain dinner set. This set is attractive enough to grace any table—a set you will be proud to own. And you get it, without any added expense, when you buy your Hoosier.



DEXTER DOMESTIC SCIENCE SET
This set was designed by one of America's most famous domestic science experts. It includes a carving set of knife and fork, two spatulas, a variety of knives—ten pieces in all. You get it with your Hoosier!



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Each piece in this set is designed to keep ingredients in perfect condition. There are seven spice jars, five containers for dry staples, one jar for tea or cocoa and an open dish which is ideal for salt. It comes with your Hoosier!



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HASKELL, TEXAS

This week we are giving at no extra cost, a beautiful dinner set, a genuine Dexter Domestic Science Set and a fourteen-piece crystal glassware set. This is a special offer to introduce the wonderful new 1925 Hoosier.
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PSALM OF A TOWN BOOSTER

Tell us not in mournful numbers
That this town is on the bum; rise
up from your peaceful slumbers,
Get out and make things hum. If we go
to work in earnest we can make things
go on high; 'twas thou art to dust
returneth, is a song of joy and by
All the past is gone forever—
Don't call one moment back—and the
future may come never; this is true so
help me Mack. Now's the time to do
our boosting, do not wait tomorrow's
dawn, in the gray you may be roasting,
all your boosting chances gone.
Lay aside your little hammer; grab a
horn and toot a few squeals the
workers had blamed hammer with a
sawed blade or two. This old town is
not a pippan and we ought to boost
it big; when we hear some growler
sippin', we should smite him on the
wig. Mighty oaks that grow and
flourish come from serious pain and
sweat; with your boosting you may
overhush something that may help us
sell something that may prove a blessing
to the toiling sons of men—that's
the point that I am stressing boost
and boost, then boost again. People
love the smiling booster and for him
they loudly cheer, but they hate the
blatant booster, long to pelt him in
the ear. Boost your country and your
opinion, boost the people of your
day, they will dub you wise and
sagacious and you'll gain a wide renown.
—Stachane.

Texas' Child Labor Law

A new child labor law for Texas
was passed when Governor Ferguson
signed the Young-Deudman bill which
prohibited both boys and girls
from working in mines, quarries,
factories, etc., under 16 years of age.
The law provides that children under
15 years of age may not work in
any occupation except upon farms and
in domestic service in towns of less than
5,000 inhabitants. Children under 17
are prohibited from working in any
dangerous occupation, in theatres or
any immoral places.

Provisions to be granted under any
special case by a county judge where
a family may depend on a child for
support.

Specialty designed Airplanes, carry-
ing 1,000 pounds of mail 100 miles an
hour are to be used in air mail service
this spring. Officials predict these
new planes will make the air mail ser-
vice pay itself. It will not be a great
while until the mail will be trotted
across the great oceans and from
the old hemispheres in a jiffy.

ROBERTS By Effie Lawson

The health of this community is
very good at present.
All the farmers have their land
ready for planting when we have a
good rain.
Nearly all the people from this com-
munity were in Haskell Saturday.
Chal Lovellon has struck water on
his lower place and will drill a well
on his home place this week.
The party at Mr. Goble's Saturday
night was enjoyed by a large crowd
and also the singing at Mr. Joe Mac-
coss Sunday night.
Miss Laura Mae Wheatley of Van
cross spent Sunday with Effie Law-
son.
The Roberts teachers Misses Vera
and Venita Baker spent the week end
with home folks in Stamford.
Mrs. Jack Pace of Wagoner spent
Sunday with Mrs. T. K. Woodson at
this place.

FOLLOW NATURE'S WAY IN REARING CHICKENS

Successful rearing of chickens de-
pends very largely on following close-
ly nature's way. If we study the way
of the hen that hatches every egg in
the fence corner, we shall find this
fact: The hen that laid the eggs was
not confined in close yards; she had
the liberty of the fields. This guar-
anteed good health and vigor. Eggs
laid by such hens will hatch better
than those from hens cooped up under
artificial conditions. Health and vital-
ity in the hen are transmitted to the
chicks. Eggs that hatch well come
from hens that have good vitality.
Chicks that live well come from eggs
laid by hens of good vitality. The
method of hatching or the method of
brooding is not always responsible for
eggs failing to hatch and for chicks
failing to live or grow well. The
parent stock, or the condition under which
the parent stock is kept, is sometimes
to blame.

Brooding stock, therefore, should be
carefully selected, only those individ-
uals being retained that are up to a
certain standard of shape, size and
vigor.
Even after the brooding stock has
been selected, the process of culling
still goes on, if the best hatches are to
be expected and the flock improved,
by the selection of only the best eggs
which are uniform in size, shape and
shell texture. Shape and color of the
egg are inherited characteristics.
Therefore continued careful selection
to hatching eggs should result in a
few years in the development of a
flock producing uniformly large, well-
shaped, evenly colored eggs of good
shell texture, because like tends to
produce like. In selecting hatching eggs
it is well to discard extremely large
or small eggs, these having thin shells
or ridges and soiled eggs.

Eggs for incubation should be as
fresh as possible, the fresher the eggs
the better the hatch. It is never ad-
visable to keep eggs longer than two
weeks. When this necessary they
should be stored in a cool, dry place
with as near a constant temperature
of 50 to 60 degrees as possible. They
should be turned every day to keep
the germ from sticking to the shell.
If there are only a few eggs to turn
they may be placed in drawers or
boxes and turned by hand each day.
If there are several hundred they may
be packed in egg cases and the cases
turned each day.

Early Spring is nature's most favor-
able growing season and consequently
this is the best time for hatching.
Chickens hatched early get the advan-
tage of this favorable growing season
and a longer growing period than those
hatched later. If chicks are hatched
from February through May they
should reach maturity and start laying
in September, October and November
when eggs are bringing good prices.
A large improvement can be made in
the quality of chickens produced in
Haskell County, in one year's time, if
only eggs from standard bred flocks
are used in the incubator and under
the setting hen, during 1925. Is your
flock being improved from year to
year?

W. P. Trice, County Agent.

FORMER HASKELL COUNTY MAN SUFFERS LOSS IN FIRE

Frank Havran Jr. a former Weinert
business man suffered the loss of his
barber shop in a fire at Mezarod last
Tuesday night when an entire block of
that city burned out. The blaze is re-
ported to have started from an oil
heater in Mr. Havran's shop about
7 o'clock Tuesday evening and spread
rapidly through the business section.
Mr. Havran carried no insurance and
his loss is estimated at more than
\$10,000.

Guy Mays Residence Completed

Guy Mays of Grissom's Store has
completed a new residence on West
Walton street a few blocks from the
square and will move to his new home
as soon as his furniture can be in-
stalled. Guy has taken a great pride
in the erection of this new building
and is making it very attractive by
beautifying the premises in arranging
the yards and lawns. This is another
new addition to the good residences
of Haskell and shows the civic pride
of our citizens.



GRAND OPERA SINGER WILL VISIT WEST TEXAS CITIES

Lending an ear to the call of her
own, May Peterson, Texas opera sing-
er, and member of the Metropolitan
Grand Opera Company, is planning a
tour of West Texas cities in the near
future.

She is here shown as she appeared
in Austin at Mrs. Ferguson's inaugu-
ration. With her, besides Mrs. Fer-
guson, are little Richard Nalle, Grand-
son of the Governor, and Wright Arm-

strong, leader of the Brownwood
band.

With that band and on the famous
"Old Gray Mare", also shown, she of-
ficially introduced the States adopted
song "Texas Our Texas."

May Peterson is the wife of Col.
E. O. Thompson of Amarillo. Her next
appearance in Texas will be at Am-
arillo, April 15, 1925, following which
she will take up her concert tour.
Further announcements of her coming
will be made later.

M. H. Gilliam in Temple Sanitarium

T. C. Cahill of this city left Tuesday
night for Temple, in response to a
message stating that M. H. Gilliam of
this city was seriously ill in a Temple
sanitarium. Mr. Gilliam recently
drove through to Temple in his car,
and the news of his illness comes as
a surprise to his many friends, who
trust that he may soon be back with
us in his accustomed health.

Tuesday afternoon while helping
dig a tank for his father-in-law, M. E.
Bland, A. M. Byrd was knocked un-
conscious. The clevis broke and the
handle of the scraper hit him in the
breast. He was fixing to dump a
scraper full of dirt when the accident
occurred. Fortunately it did no more
damage for he was able to be helping
a little bit next day and was only
complaining of being very sore.

Mrs. O. E. Oates is in Mineral Wells
taking treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Post attended
the Concert in Stamford.

Mrs. Elmer Irwin is in Wichita
Falls taking treatment from the doc-
tors.

Mrs. John and Hill Oates and
Marlin Wilson of Rule visited friends
in Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brasher spent
Saturday and Sunday in Rule visiting
their son Earl and family.

A most welcome and needed busi-
ness is to be opened in Haskell soon.
Watch for the announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holt left Monday
morning for Lubbock where they will
make their home. Mr. Holt will be
with Mr. G. T. Scates who has re-
cently put up an ice factory there.

Frank Kimbrough and Burnice
Mask who attend Simmons College vis-
ited home folks between terms.

Misses Nettie McCollum, Eunice
Huckabee, and Marguerite McCollum
attended the concert in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grissom and Mr.
and Mrs. Virgil Hudson went on the
excursion to the Rio Grande Valley.

Mrs. Fannie Harway of Abilene,
mother of Elder J. D. Harvey spent
the week end with her son and family
here.

Ernest Sanders and Agnes Cox
who are attending Southwestern Uni-
versity visited their parents between
terms.

W. A. Duncan was called to the
bedside of his mother, who is very
ill at her home in Bellevue, the first
of the week.

J. W. Feil of the Pinkerton com-
munity was in the city Saturday suf-
fering from injury from sticking a
nail in his foot while doing some car-
penter work about his home.

Some of those who attended the
Lynchburg Band Concert at Stamford
were Misses Mary Long, Alberta Smith,
Kathleen Mayfield, Lois Earnest,
Ludie Taylor, Messrs. Trice, Vernay
Anderson, Kenneth Thornton, Emory
Menefer, Oscar Oates, Mr. and Mrs.
Andrew Shriver.

Miss Carrie Veazey who has had
charge of the Millinery and Ready-to-
wear dept. of the John E. Morrison
Co's. Store at Graham Texas for the
past 12 years, left for her home in
Dallas Saturday morning after spend-
ing two weeks with her sister Mrs.
T. M. Pote of this city.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES REPORTED DURING FEBRUARY

Over 13,000 cases of influenza were
reported in Texas during the month
of February according to the report
made by Dr. H. O. Sappington, State
Health Officer to the Surgeon Gen-
eral of the U. S. Public Health Ser-
vice at Washington. Other communi-
cable diseases reported for the month
were: Anthrax, 1; Chicken pox, 581;
dengue, 49; Diphtheria, 234; dysentery
21; lethargic encephalitis, 7; Malta
fever, 1; measles, 482; meningitis, 4;
mumps, 983; ophthalmia neonatorum,
6; pellagra, 67; pneumonia, 1,279;
rabies (human), 5; scarlet fever, 101;
small pox, 281; tetanus, 2; trachoma,
23; typhoid fever, 65; paratyphoid, 10
tuberculosis, 253; whooping cough,
497; and coliformitis, 5.

Robbie Ridling Undergoes Operation.
Robbie Ridling, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Ridling of Winert, was carried to
the Stamford Sanitarium last Mon-
day morning and had her tonsils re-
moved. She only stayed one day and
night at the Sanitarium and was
brought home on the following Tues-
day. She was doing nicely at the last
report.

TEXAS BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS MEET

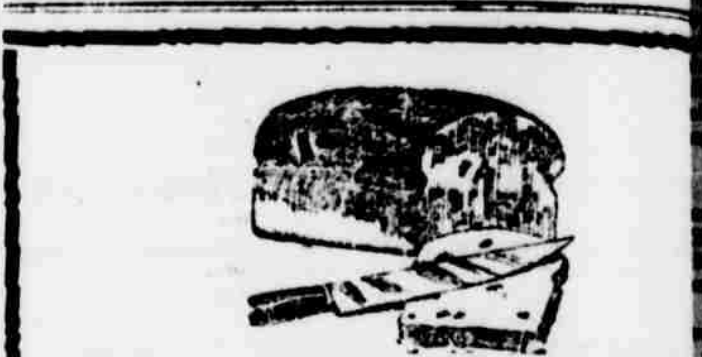
The Baptists of the city of Mineral
Wells in co-operation with the local
Chamber of Commerce of that city
have perfected arrangements for the
entertainment of the Baptist Sunday
School Superintendents of Texas in
their Sixth Annual Convention to be
held there beginning Sunday April
5th, and continuing through April 8th.
An array of the South's best Sunday
School talent, including a large num-
ber of Specialists in the various lines
of Sunday School Administration, have
been assembled enabling those in
charge of the gathering to offer the
strongest and best program of any of
these conventions held so far. The
speakers and conference leaders in-
clude Secretary Harold Ingraham of
the Baptist S. S. Board, Nashville,
Tenn., Miss Annie L. Williams, south-
west elementary Sunday School
specialist of Birmingham, Ala., Miss
Lillian S. Forbes, Elementary Sec-
retary and Miss Mary Virginia Lee, the
Intermediate Specialist of the Baptist
S. S. Board, Nashville, Tenn., and
Secretary Herbert V. Hamilton of the
Baptist S. S. Work of Arkansas. Also
in addition to these many of the Sun-
day School workers of Texas including
superintendents, pastors and others
are numbered among the more than
forty speakers and conference leaders.
Prof. I. E. Reynolds, head of the
School of Gospel Music of the Baptist
Seminary, Ft. Worth, will have charge
of the musical program and will de-
liver addresses and conduct confer-
ences on the subject as well. Every
side of the work of a modern Sunday
School will be given attention in the
most intensive fashion.

Fully one thousand Sunday School
workers including Superintendents,
Pastors and other Sunday School of-
ficers are expected to attend. Not-
withstanding the fact that Mineral
Wells recently lost her largest hotel by
fire. There are dozens of other hotels
and boarding houses, and assurance is
given by the local authorities that all
who attend this meeting will be cared
for in an adequate way. Mr. G. C.
Miller of Mineral Wells is the chair-
man of the Entertainment Committee
to whom all requests for
rooms should be addressed.
Wells is both a resort and
city and enjoys all year
over all railroads. This
convention will consist
of a round trip
et agent for round trip
idea of a Convention in
School Superintendents
in Texas and has met
response in other states
Conventions are now being
great success and profi-

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We want to supply eggs for our incubators. Not
have the eggs to sell but because we want you to succeed
poultry business. We have studied The White Leghorn
every angle and do not believe they can be surpassed for
makers. They take up only one-half the space for laying
They consume about one-half the feed and grow to trying
more rapidly than any other chickens. For laying purposes
are the best. Why not raise two of these at the same time
of the other breeds? It can be done if you buy your eggs
us, at \$5.00 per hundred. Fill your incubator next time
be the best investment you ever made. We deliver.

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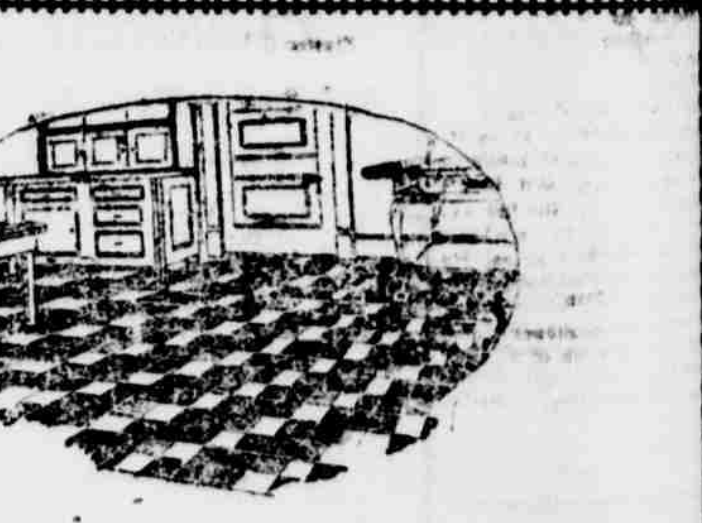
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We have leased the Merchants Bakery and we
model and put in new machinery at an early date—
ing this one of the best Bakeries in all West Texas.
We are now prepared to take care of your needs
day in

FRESH BREAD, HOT ROLLS, BUNS
PIES AND CAKES
If you have not been using the products from
Bakery, we invite you to give us a trial order
believe you will always be a regular customer.

Tucker's Bakery

Merchant's Old Stand on North Side



Floor Covering

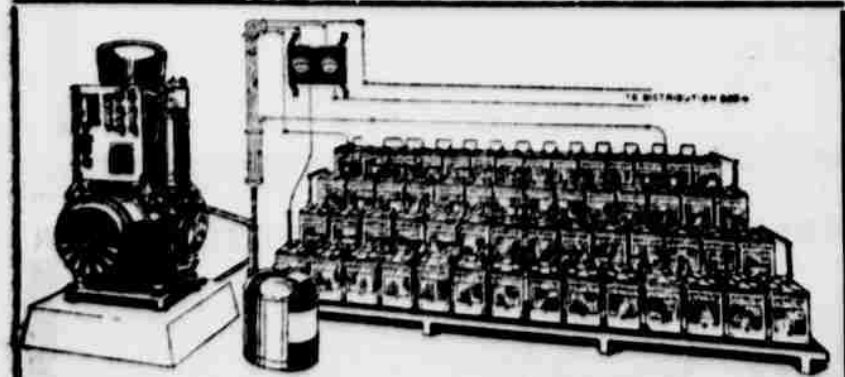
You have seldom had the opportunity to select your new
covering, from as complete a stock as will be found here.

In this big stock of ours will be found a Floor Covering
able for any room in the house, consisting of Linoleum in all
latest patterns, in six, nine, and twelve foot widths, appropriate
for the living room, parlor, or bed room.

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are being offered.

If you expect to buy floor covering of any kind this Spring
Summer it will pay you to see what we have to offer you.

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C. C. Goodman

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Phones: Day, 110; Night, 185.

Strictly a Cash Sale

BEGINNING SATURDAY MORNING MARCH 28th
AND ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 4th.

- Sugar, 100 lb. Sacks \$7.00
- Sugar, 25 lb. Sacks \$1.50
- Syrup, White Label Pure Georgia Cane, bucket \$1.10
- Per case \$6.50
- Green Velvet, White Swan, King Komus, Brer
Habbit, Louisiana Cane, per bucket 90c
- Per Case \$5.25
- 10 lb. Calumet Baking Powder \$1.40
- 10 lb. K. C. Baking Powder \$1.15
- No. 2 Tomatoes, per can 11c
- No. 2 1-2 Tomatoes, per can 13c
- White Swan, or Our Darling Corn, 6 cans \$1.00
- Garrett Snuff, 6 oz. bottle 32c
- Honest Snuff, 6 oz. Glass 32c
- Gallon Appriots, Peaches, Plums, per can 85c
- Loganberries, solid pack, per gallon 75c
- Soda, per pound 7c
- White Swan Catsup 25c
- Mother's Oats 30c
- No. 2 Kraut 10c. No. 2 1-2 Kraut 15c
- 12 lb. Pinto Beans \$1.00
- No. 2 Blackberries, per can 15c
- 25c K. C. Baking Powder 20c
- 10 lb. Arm & Hammer Soda in tin 70c
- 5 lb. Bucket Compound, best grades \$1.40
- 25 Bars Armour & Co's White Napha Soap \$1.00
- Brass \$1.50
Shovels \$2.15
Shops \$3.50

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Bring the Price List with you. Positively nothing
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the Wholesale List.

W. M. MASK

"THE FARMER'S FRIEND"

FROM THE FIELD

By W. M. FREE.

Friday afternoon of last week we attended the Post Rural track meet and enjoyed the event very much. The sand was rolling high all during the afternoon but they went right ahead with the feats. One of the largest crowds were gathered to witness this occasion that it has been our pleasure to witness in many days and all seemed to enjoy the occasion very much. We were carried down to Post by County Agent W. P. Trice who is very busy these days with assisting the farmers in terracing and with boys poultry club he is organizing. We noticed on our trip in passing the farm of Judge H. E. Lee that he has terraced put up and his rows run with the terraces. Quite a number who terraced their farms last year believe that they were well paid in production for their trouble and that's why so many others are following up their examples in terracing. J. D. McLean of Weluett, Walter Namy of Post and a number of others vouch for the advantages of terracing and they are putting in more terraces this spring. Mr. Trice has been very busy this spring in laying off terraces in all parts of the county. We will give the names of those who have built terraces later in the Free Press.

There was a time when the people of the city and rural districts were separated in important particulars. Travel from one to the other was difficult and means of communication were few. Each farm home was more or less a community in itself and was fairly independent of outside connections. The farmer produced most of what he needed for himself and had only limited concern with markets for his products. Also, the people in the city saw slight value in good roads and were not interested in rural schools or development generally. There is still a conflict at times in the attitude of the two sections toward legislation and other matters. But the differences in interests and points of view are disappearing. The motor car, telephone, radio, good roads, mail facilities and other modern conveniences have helped to erase the line that once separated the country from the city. This is as it should be. There is no need of a line of separation between the city and the country. When the country suffers disaster the city also comes to for her share of the loss. When the country is prosperous the city also floats the banners of prosperity. They are inseparable, one and the same in all interests and both city and country have realized this fact at last.

We are making an effort to get out to the country and gather more news from the rural districts, and Friday morning we tuned up our jitney and drove to Graham school where we found a bunch of fine boys and girls in school, fitting themselves for the walks of life. Misses Jaudis Farrington, and Lela Welch are teaching this progressive school. Their pupils are making excellent grades and the work of these efficient teachers are very satisfactory to the patrons. The teachers and pupils gave us a glad welcome and we appreciate their kindness very much.

We drove from there to New Mid where Mrs. Mary A. Blakeley and Miss Fannie Kay are teaching. They report a fine school. An epidemic of the "flu" was causing the attendance to fall short of normal, but they were doing good work and they reported specially that the department of this school was excellent, which is a real boost for the parents as well as the pupils. Parents must get behind the school to have good department in their children. They have a good school building. It was recently repaired and enlarged which makes it much more comfortable. We received a glad welcome at this school and we went our way rejoicing.

We expected to call at the home of our friend J. H. Herring who lives

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Neathery of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Luke Robertson of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Wyle Weatherford of Ferris.

Mr. Edwards was born in Talbot County, Georgia, Feb. 29, 1835. "The day I was born is said to have been the coldest day in the history of Georgia," Mr. Edwards said. When 4 years old he moved to Russell County, Alabama, with his parents, where he spent his youth and young manhood. He was married to Ellen J. Mizell, who died Sept. 6, 1922. If she had lived until the following January 3, they would have celebrated their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards had eight children, six of whom are yet living. T. A. Edwards of Grand Prairie, Mrs. J. A. Skiffers, Mrs. T. B. Lester, Mrs. B. L. Jones and Mrs. Lyde Cochran of Dallas and Mrs. J. L. Wilson of Wichita Falls. Mr. Edwards also has three brothers, A. N. Edwards of Greenville, 87 years old; C. A. Edwards of Ozark, Ala., 78 years old; and W. S. Edwards of Enterprise, Ala., 75 years old.

Seventy-five years ago Mr. Edwards joined the Methodist Church in Russell County, Alabama and has been a member of that church ever since. He has the unusual record of having been a preacher for sixty years after attaining the age of 30 years before entering the ministry. Fifty years of that time has been served in Texas. For the last thirty-five years he has been active in expounding the word of God in and around Dallas.

Mr. Edwards was a soldier of the Confederacy throughout the four years of the Civil War. Entering the military service in July 1861, as First Lieutenant of Company E, Fifteenth Alabama Regiment. He served with such distinction and ability that in a short time he was Captain of his company. He was with Stonewall Jackson throughout his valley campaign and with Lee in the seven day's fight around Richmond. He also saw active service in many other places, including Gettysburg and Fredericksburg. Although he was in some of the bloodiest fights of the four terrible years, he was never wounded.

The high esteem in which he is held by his former brothers in arms is attested by the fact that he was elected chaplain of the Trans-Mississippi Division of the United Confederate Veterans and still holds that position.

At the close of the Civil War Mr. Edwards entered the regular itinerant ministry of the Methodist Church and

traveled ten years in the Alabama, Tennessee, coming to Texas in 1875 he was stationed successively at Greenville, Farmersville, Collinsville, Atlanta, Mount Pleasant, Kaufman, Willis Point, West Dallas, East Dallas and Cochran and Caruth circuit in Dallas.

He was one of the early preachers of what is now Graham's Chapel, one of the oldest Methodist Churches in Dallas county. He continued his active ministry until he had attained the threescore and ten years, and during the last twenty years he has frequently preached at various churches of Dallas. Last Sunday he preached his ninetieth birthday anniversary sermon at the Oak Lawn Methodist Church, of which he is a member.

"After having seen the differences between the Northern and Southern Methodists over slavery culminate in separation of the two branches when I was 9 years old, I hope and expect to live to see the two branches reunited," Mr. Edwards said. "During all the years of my ministry I have observed the gradual healing of the sore caused when the two arms of Methodism were rent asunder. I have hoped and prayed that these two branches of the largest denomination of Protestantism

would forget their former differences so that they might do greater work for the Lord through their co-operative efforts. I am strongly in favor of the present plan of unification."

Clyde, Texas, March 2 Haskell Free Press, Haskell, Texas.

Enclosed you will find money order for which please send me the Free Press one year. We get hungry to hear from Haskell county, as that was our home for 17 years and during our stay we learned to love Haskell people. With best wishes to the Free Press.

Yours very truly, B. L. Potts.

...for Probate of ... of Texas ... any Constable of ...

Commanded to ... once each week ... in a newspaper of ... which has been ... regularly published ... less than one year ... county, a copy of the ...

Interested in the ... Deceased, S. C. ... in the County Court ... application for ... last Will and Test ... J. T. Bowman Deceased ... application, and ... which will ... next term of said ... on the first Monday ... 1925, the same be ... May A. D. 1925 at ... in Haskell, ... all persons in ... estate may appear ... application, should ...

but have you be ... the said first day ... thereof, this writ, ... thereon, showing ... the same.

and the seal ... office in Haskell, ... day of March A. ... Henry Menefee, Clerk, ... County, Texas.

ORDER ... laws of the State ... election is here ... City Council of the ... Texas, to be held on ... day of April, 1925 ... of electing a City ... the unexpired term of ... office, which ... Section 14, April ... for the purpose of electing ... term of two years, ... for one year term ... election ... laws of the ...

shall be held at the ... County, Texas, ... and Lynn ... Judge of said ...

shall be signed by the ... shall serve notice ... the Mayor in ... of said election ... date of said ...

of 1925. Pursued ... following vote ... W. M. Reid, F. L. ... and W. A. Cantile.

Mayor, ... City Secretary ... County School ...

When this May ... of ... will be an ... 4th day ... qualified ... Precinct No. ... County, as the voting ... Common School ...

At each of the ... for the pur ... County School ... said County School ... Three of said Coun ... County School Trustee for ... Said election ... the same time and ... election offi ... the election for Com ... Districts; and the ... places shall be ... A. M. and shall ... P. M.

for County School ... will be held in each Common ... at the same place and ... officers appointed ... of trustees in each ...

TWO HUNDRED HENS TO EVERY FARM

Two hundred hens to every farm in Haskell County is the latest slogan of Turner Camps manager of the Haskell Board of City Development. This he claims with other resources will make this county the most wealthy in Texas. He is desirous of getting a public hatchery for this section as upon investigation he has found that it is a big paying proposition. The West Texas Utilities have provided for ample cold storage and there is no reason why Haskell can't be among the first counties in Texas with poultry, turkeys and eggs. Lots all get busy and build up those flocks or start new ones, of the best and most thrifty variety and if ever again we have such a season as the memorable year of 1918 we will not be bothered in the least.

OLD TOWNST PARK IN CITY TO BE ABANDONED

The Internal Improvement Committee of the local Board of City Development has decided to not maintain the old tourist camp ground any further. It not only being unsightly, but is inconvenient, small and not located in the proper place. There will be another from park designated soon, however. Mr. Rowls English is making possible at the new amusement park a most attractive tourist camp ground where a nominal charge will be made for camping, giving our guests water, lights and service. This park which completed will be one of the beauty spots of West Texas, as well as a place for recreation and amusement of the best and dearest sort.

Flower Beds At Fair Park

Mrs. W. M. Wells, with the assistance of Mrs. Camps, this week have made some most attractive beds and planted bulbs and flowers at the Fair Park near the main entrance, two large circular beds have been made, one on either side of the Agricultural Building, also all along in front of the building there will be planted flow rs and vines, as well as along the south fence. A request was made recently in the Free Press for donations of flowers, bulbs or seed for this purpose, but as yet only one has responded, and that from a lady from Baird. If you have anything along these lines that would help make this property more slightly and pretty, please call Mrs. Camps or Mrs. Wells Furniture Store and they will gladly call for same and see that they are planted and taken care of.

Cord Of Thanks

We desire to express our hearty thanks and cordial gratitude to the dear friends and neighbors who ministered so lovingly and tenderly to our beloved husband, father and grandfather and brother, J. T. Bowman during his last illness and following his death. Your kindness will never be forgotten, and we pray God's richest blessings to follow you always. We also express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings.

- Mrs. J. T. Bowman, Haskell, Texas.
- T. E. Bowman and family, Waco.
- R. L. Bowman and family, Lorenzo.
- John Barnes and family, Rule.
- H. Warnock and family, Wichita Falls.
- J. D. Zachary and family, Wichita Falls.
- S. T. Bowman and wife, Waco, Tex.
- Frank Baugh and family, Hopas, Tex.
- A. G. Blackbear and family, Butler, Okla.
- Weldon Johnson and wife, Rule.
- Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Wichita Falls.
- Jewel Johnson, Haskell.
- J. B. Johnson, Waco.
- Mrs. S. C. Wingo, Waco.

KLAN TO BUILD \$15,000 BUILDING AT MUNDAY Contract has been let by the Ku Klux Klan of Knox County to B. O. Howle of Wichita for the construction of a two-story brick building in the city of Munday. The building, which is to be modern in every way, will represent an outlay of more than \$15,000. The upper story is to be occupied by the Klan as a lodge hall, while the lower portion will be used by George Isbell as a saleroom for Dodge Brothers cars.



Look the Part

by dressing the part. You may succeed without good clothes, but you will find the fight much easier if you pay more attention to your appearance. "Clothes Tailored to Measure by Born" make it easy for you to dress up at a very modest cost.

We will be glad to show you the new line of wonderful pure wool fabrics.

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HASKELL, TEXAS.

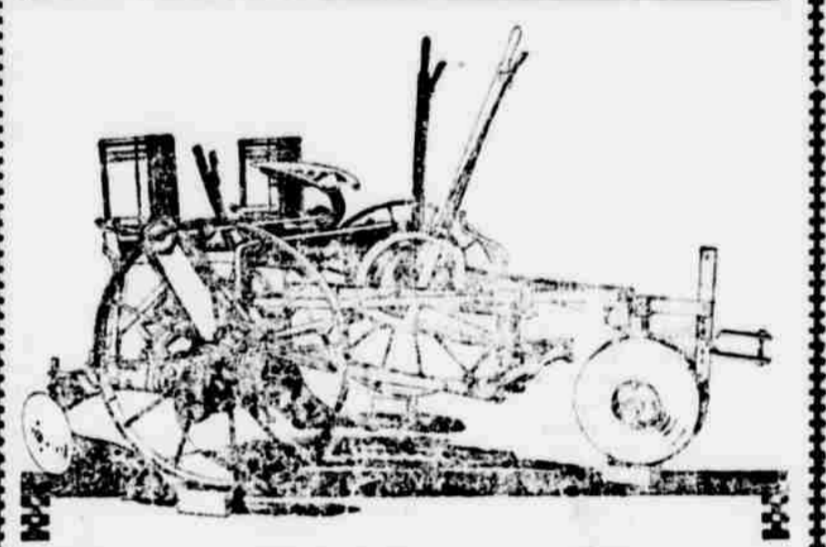
DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run-down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists. Price, 50c. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

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Mens Dress Pants

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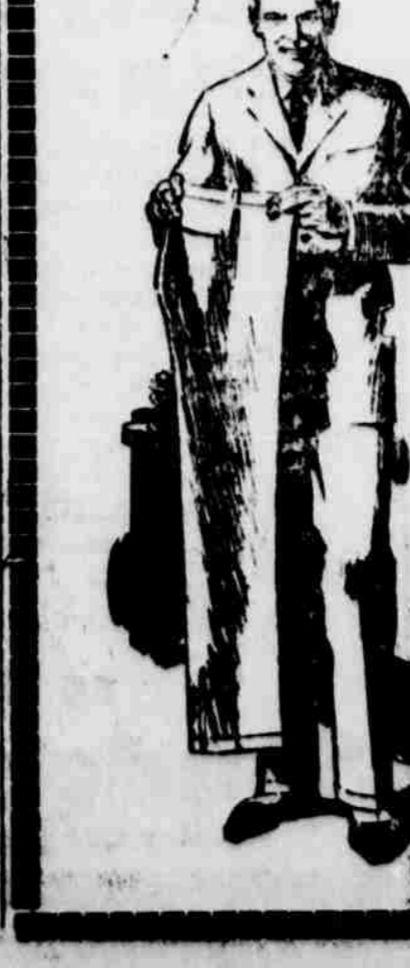
Below we quote a few of the bargains offered:

- Men's Dress Pants, all sizes, from \$3.75 to \$7.50
- One lot of All Wool Pants.....\$5.00 and \$5.50
- One Lot of All Wool Serge Pants.....\$5.50

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BOYS PANTS AND SHIRTS We have a special good line of Boys' Pants and Shirts priced at a very low figure. It will pay you to look these over.

FOOTS & MITCHELL WEST SIDE OF SQUARE



Wants

FOR SALE—Used piano near Haskell, looks like new, used 9 months, will close out cheap. Terms to reasonable party. H. G. Benson, Stamford Texas. 4tp 12

LOOK—If in need of a sewing machine, mail me a card. Will call at once. Small Payment down. Buy business by month or year. Your old machine taken in. Albert Glenn Singer Agent, Haskell Texas. 12 2tp

The biggest department in Haskell is to be opened in a short time. Watch for the announcement.

FOR SALE—First Year Kasch and Medicine cotton seed at \$1.25 per bushel. Crown and selected by C. G. Burson Haskell, Star Route 2. 4tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—NOW—Most desirable vacant residence lots in town, two blocks west high corner lots, 150 ft. front, improvements with city water, shade trees, and etc. price reasonable. M. C. Alexander, Stamford Texas box 828. 15p

FOR SALE—Anderson's egg crates for shipping setting eggs in 15 and 30 egg sizes. While they last I will sell them for half the manufacturer's price. See the samples at McCollum, Ellis & Couch's Hardware Store, W. Applegate, Haskell. 12tp

FOR SALE—A large amount of bright bundle feed special price made an large amounts. See W. M. Fife for information. 4tp

PLANT the famous Kasch Cotton seed. My cotton was carefully ginned, two or more bales at one time, with rail run. W. B. Gregory, 2 1/2 miles west of Weintert. 15p

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FOR SALE OR TRADE for Ford truck, one and one-eighth acres, Block 20, R. & R. addition to Haskell, Cole Jackson, Moran, Texas.

FOR RENT—Two room apartments over McConnell building with bath, water and sewerage. John A. Couch.

FOR SALE—10 or 12 head of cattle in good condition. See I. V. Marrs or J. W. Liles, Gilliam community. 15p

White Leghorn Eggs, M. Johnson Strain \$1.50 per setting of 15. J. G. Jackson, Rule Texas, Route 1. 4tp

LOTS FOR SALE—Worth the money, located in the northwest part of Haskell on good street. See Leflar & Brown, Haskell, Texas.

MONEY TO LOAN

I can get you a loan on your land from the Joint Stock Land Bank at 6 per cent interest, and you pay both principal and interest in 33 years. You buy no stock, can pay loan any time after one year. If you want a new loan or pay an old loan, write or come and see me. P. D. Sanders Haskell Texas.

BEGIN WITH THE BEST, Eggs from my famous Partridge Wyandottes \$2.00 per setting of 15 eggs. Special price on 50 and 100 sets. My birds are prize winners and good layers. Rev. Wilbur Dougherty, Haskell. 15p

FOR SALE—Eggs from my best pens of Rhode Island Reds \$2.50 for 15 eggs. From my utility \$1.50 per 15 eggs. Day old chicks for 20 cents each. Book your orders now. A. J. Josselyn, Haskell Route 3. 15p

WANTED—Work as housekeeper or assistant housekeeper. Prefer to work in home of member of Christian Church or Church of Christ. Mrs. Kate, Haskell. 13 1tp

PLANTS—Onion, cabbage, tomato, and sweet pepper plants grown in Southwest Texas. We can supply you by express or parcel post prepaid. Crystal Wax Bermuda Onion Plants, 300 \$1.00; 1000 \$1.75; 5000 \$7.50. Front proof cabbage plants, 100 40c; 300 \$1.00; 500 \$1.50; 1000 \$2.75. Special prices to dealers. Order now. J. F. Bolot, 1012 Ohio, Wichita Falls, Texas. 8tp

A TONIC

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

WANTED—Your clothes to clean and Press. S. & M. Tailors, 13 1tp. Don't mail order any more. There is to be a new business in Haskell soon that will take care of your needs at lower prices.

I have for sale four or five good span of work mules. Will take cash or good note. See J. C. Holt 8c Haskell.

FINE PERCHERON Stallion, as good as the best. Will make the season at my place one block south of the square. \$10.00. Insurance. J. C. Holt.

FOR SALE OR TRADE PLAINS FARM—176 acres, 10 miles west of Post on highway, 5-room bungalow house, 2 porches, fine water. Good outbuildings. In 300 yards of three-fourth school and church. 135 acres in cultivation. All tillable. Dark soil. Harrison Davis, Post, Texas, Route A. 12 2tp

First of the Red Cross High School Auditorium April 30th.

FOR SALE—38 lots in Price McCollum addition Throckmorton Texas. Write Mrs. I. L. Goldberg, Jefferson, Texas. 3tp

GENTLE MOTHER Tomato slips for sale, 25¢ per dozen. Seed brought from M. C. Mexico Tomato farm, E. F. Fouts. 1p

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs at 75 cents per setting or \$1.25 for two settings. E. B. Lusk, Rule R. 1 1tp.

Custom Hatching \$5.00 per hundred eggs. Setting of 17 White Leghorn eggs \$1.00. \$5.00 per hundred. Phone 287. Crawford Hatchery Haskell. 15p

FOR RENT 3 unfurnished rooms on Ballow street. Apply Mrs. W. R. Hunt. 1tp

I HAVE SEVERAL good residences for sale reasonable. See me quick. Bob Malone. 1p

The party who took roof leaders from in front of the Church of Christ last Friday evening will avoid trouble if he will return them at once. J. D. Holland. 13 1tp.

WANTED Second hand clothes, wingers. City Studio. 13 1tp.

NOTICE—The X pastures are posted. Woodchoppers, hunters and trespassers in general will be prosecuted. Reynolds Cattle Company, by John Culp. 13 8tp.

Eggs from my Blue Ribbon Dark Cornish \$2 per setting of 15. Joe F. Hindspeith, Route 1, O'Brien, Texas.

FOR SALE—Cord wood on the ground at \$2.75 per cord. Fred Monke near Myers school. 3p

Lost Ladies pin, small diamond in center surrounded by row of small pearls. Finder will receive liberal reward. F. L. Daugherty. 13 1tp.

WILL SELL WOOD every week day except Saturday. Wood is located on west side of R. W. Herrin farm and pasture. Julian Molina. 1p

THE BEST IS CHEAPEST

I am now ready to supply eggs from my Buff Wyandottes. The cockerels heading my pens are from the prize winning pens of the National Poultry Shows of Chicago. My hens and pullets are carefully selected and mated to these cockerels. Eggs \$2.00 per setting of 15 if called for and \$2.50 post paid to any address. Special price on large lots. The kind that lays is the kind that pays. W. Applegate, Haskell, Texas.

TAKEN UP—Red cow about three years old. Marked in left ear. No visible brands. Owner can have her by paying for this ad and the feed. P. D. Solomon, Haskell. 13 1tp.

ATTENTION

The Parent Teachers Association will have an Easter Sale at the McCollum, Ellis & Couch Hardware Store on Fridays and Saturdays April 10, and 11th.

Any donations for this sale from any person interested in the finishing of the sidewalks on our school grounds will be very much appreciated. This is a miscellaneous sale.

Notice of Stockholders Meeting—A stockholders meeting of the Farmers Gin Co. will be held in Haskell Saturday April 11th, at which time dividends will be paid on all stock, and other important business disposed of. All stockholders are urged to attend. J. A. Gilstrap, Sec'y. 13 2tp.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the Sheriff of any Constable of Haskell County, Greetings: You are hereby commanded to summons D. B. Kouri and Richard Morris by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to be and appear at the next regular term of the 39th Judicial District Court of Haskell County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof in Haskell on the last Monday in April, 1925, the same being the 27th day of April, 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 21st day of March, 1925, in a

suit number 3816 on the docket of said court, wherein J. L. Baldwin is plaintiff and D. B. Kouri, Richard Morris, Paul Kostas and N. S. Martzomkos are defendants, said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner of the tracts of land described in certain oil and gas leases herein referred to; that on or about June 10, 1924, the defendants, D. B. Kouri, Richard Morris, Paul Kostas and N. S. Martzomkos unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and are now unlawfully withholding possession to his damage in the sum of \$25,000.00; that the reasonable annual rental value of said land is \$25,000.00; that on June 10, 1924 plaintiff executed and placed in escrow five certain oil and gas leases to the defendant, D. B. Kouri, covering the following land in Haskell County, Texas: First Lease; covering all of the Richard Langham Survey, which lease is recorded in Vol. 99 page 24 of Haskell County deed records; Second lease; covering subdivisions Nos. 2 and 3 of the Thomas G. Box Survey as described in lease of record in Vol. 99 page 12 of said records; Third lease; covering 134.7 acres out of the J. E. Ellis Survey, described in lease of record in Vol. 99 page 30 of said records; Fourth lease; covering 626 acres out of the James M. Cass Survey, described in lease record in Vol. 96 page 23 of said records; Fifth lease; covering 1476 acres, being the Moses Butler Survey as described in said lease of record in Vol. 99 page 26 of said deed records and that thereafter D. B. Kouri assigned said leases in so far as they covered certain acreage to the other defendants herein. Said petition further alleging that all of said leases were executed at the same time and as a part of the same transaction and for the consideration and under the conditions therein alleged and that each and every one of said leases is null and void inasmuch as the defendant, D. B. Kouri, fraudulently represented to plaintiff at the time the leases were executed, and expressly agreed at that time, that he would with a rotary or standard rig and with suitable tools and appliances within 30 days from June 10, 1924 begin the drilling of a well for oil and gas on some part of the Richard Langham Survey and thereafter with reasonable diligence complete said well to a depth of 2000 feet unless oil or gas should be discovered in paying quantities at a lesser depth; that defendant represented to plaintiff that he had the agreed rig, tools and appliances on the ground and that he was unable to begin the well until said leases were delivered; that all of said representations authorized the delivery of said leases; that defendant was never financially able to drill said well and that he never in good faith began the same as agreed upon, (b) because there was no consideration whatever paid for said leases, (c) because the sole consideration for the execution of said leases was the drilling of a well with reasonable diligence on said land to the depth above mentioned and said consideration has wholly failed because defendants have not drilled said well with reasonable diligence or in good faith started same and said leases having been obtained by the fraudulent representations of said defendant the record of same was unauthorized. (d)

because said leases were to continue in force only so long as defendants drilled said well with due diligence to completion and hereafter developed said land for oil and gas and (e) because the defendants have never in good faith begun said well and drilled the same to completion and that defendants have long since permanently abandoned operations on said land and have failed and refused to drill said well and develop said property; that by reason of defendants having wholly and permanently abandoned the drilling of said well and the development of said property, the leasehold rights and titles of all the defendants have terminated and said outstanding leases now constitute a cloud on plaintiffs title; that all of the defendants had actual notice of the facts alleged by plaintiff at the time they executed their interests in said leases.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that the defendants, D. B. Kouri, and Richard Morris, both of whose residence is unknown, be cited by publication as required by law and for judgment against all defendants for 30 days in the sum of \$25,000.00 and judgment expelling the aforesaid oil and gas leases and removing the cloud cast upon plaintiffs property and for general and special relief.

Herein full not, but have before said court on the first day of the said term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in my office at Haskell, Texas, this 21st day of March, 1925. Estelle Tennesson, Clerk District Court, Haskell, County, Texas. Issued this 21st day of March, 1925.

Notice of Election for County School Trustees

The State of Texas, County of Haskell. To All Whom This May Concern: By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order, and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 4th day of April, A. D. 1925, by the qualified voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. One, in said County, at the voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commissioner's Precinct, as follows: At each of the voting places in said precinct for the purpose of electing one County School

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Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. One of said County; and one County School Trustee for the County at large. Said election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers that hold the election for Common School Districts; and the polls at said election places shall be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and shall not close before 6 o'clock P. M.

"The election for County School Trustees will be held in each Common School District at the same place and by the same election officers appointed to hold the election of trustees in each common school district."
JESSE G. FOSTER,
County Judge, Haskell Co., Tex.

No. 44
Citation on Application for Letters of Guardianship
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Haskell County, a copy of the following notice:
The State of Texas.
To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of Walter Furrer and Charley Furrer, Minors, Julius Schramm has filed in the County Court of Has-

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Attorney-at-Law
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kell County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the persons and Estate of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in May A. D. 1925, the same being the 4th day of May, A. D. 1925 at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein Full Not, but have before said Court, on the said day of the said term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office of said Court, at Haskell, Texas, this 14th day of March, 1925. (Seal) Emory County Court, Haskell

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PHONE 303
JUST PLUMBING of the kind you will appreciate when the job is finished.
At my shop you will find anything you may need in the plumbing line, on any repair you may need.
Try a can of HASTEX Drain Pipe Solvent, tried to unstop clogged sink drains.
Three large rolls of Toilet Tissue for 30c.
If you need a plumber just phone 303. I am at stay. Thank you!


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Also have the Barton Jack, which will make the son on my farm.
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NO more groping in the dark to turn your headlights on or off.
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For on the new Studebaker cars, it is conveniently located—right at your finger tips, on the steering wheel.
Come in and see the newest developments in motor cars.
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RED MAMMOTH JACK, KING, Number 27715. Black; white points, foaled 20, 1920. Height 16 1/2, girth 74 1/2, weight 1100 lbs., bone 8. Sire Prince, by Bob Winer, by G. S. S. dam Nell. Sire's dam Julia, by Bob Allen. Sire's second dam, bred by R. C. Morris, owned by J. E. Mapes, Haskell, Texas.
The above is complete registration of this famous Jack, which will make the season at my barn in the Roberts community. Terms, \$12.50 for season, \$2.50 cash.
J. E. MAPES

SOCIETY and Club

Y. P. M. S.
The Y. P. M. S. met Monday afternoon, March 16, 1925, at the Methodist church at 4 o'clock.
The following program was given:
Song, "In Christ There is No East or West"—by Society.
Prayer by Mrs. R. C. Montgomery.
"Miriam, the Gifted," by Miss Johanna Wilson.
12th Chapter of Numbers by Mrs. Montgomery.
Sentence Prayers by Society.
Business Meeting.
Benediction.
The following were present: Misses Mattie Latha Phippen, Helen Hardy, Mary Kimbrough, Glenda Wingo, Miriam Guest, Brucille Bryant, Johnnie Morgan, Johanna Wilson, and Mesdames R. C. Montgomery and Troy Howell.

T. E. L. Class Entertains
A lovely social meeting was held in the basement of the Baptist Church, on Tuesday afternoon, March 17th, when the members of the T. E. L. Class entertained, honoring the members of the T. E. L. class of Rule. Ferns and a profusion of fresh blue blossoms were used, while pretty rings spread about the floor, added to the coziness of the room. Strips of green and white crepe paper formed portieres to the double doors, through which the guests entered, while wires connecting the four central pillars were draped with loops of white crepe paper, interspersed with green shamrocks. The St. Patrick's idea was further carried out by the use of shamrocks on the white table runner. Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, teacher of the class, greeted the guests as they entered, introducing them to Mrs. Paul Kuenstler, then to Mrs. Travis Arbuckle. In the receiving line were Mesdames E. Eastland, John Lamkin, Vaughn Bailey, Leon Gilliam, and R. J. Reynolds. Mrs. J. A. Gilstrap opened the program by telling an amusing story, "The Birth of St. Patrick," then Mrs. D. Scott gave two lovely piano numbers. Mrs. Vaughn Bailey gave a clever Irish reading and Mrs. Whiteker sang "Where the River Shannon Flows" and "That Old Irish Mother of Mine." Partners were chosen by matching shamrocks which had been cut in two, and much fun followed over the contest. "An Irish Romance." Delightful jokes were given by Mesdames Jno. Ellis, A. J. Tuck, Vaughn Bailey and Alvy Couch. A "green" contest seemed a bit puzzling at first, but most everyone was able to score one hundred per cent on it. Kissing the blarney stone proved most amusing, as a number of guests were blindfolded, that they might kiss the stone, being assured that it would make them happy, successful, and good conversationalists.

Parents' Conference
The readers of the Free Press had their attention called last week to the forth coming parents' conference to be held in Haskell in the near future. This note is just a reminder of the importance of this meeting. It will be held in the auditorium of the First Christian Church, on Sunday, April 5, at 3:00 p. m. It is to be a mass meeting of all parents in Haskell and the surrounding communities, and is held in the interest of a better moral and social atmosphere for our children and young people. The conference, while it will be largely in the hands of the laymen, has the hearty approval and backing of every pastor in the town. The real friends of our young people will find in this conference both a challenge and a test. Come, friends, and let us reason together over this, our greatest obligation and our greatest problem. We shall expect the attendance of every father and mother who has enough interest in our boys and girls to wish to provide for them a better environment. All fathers and mothers who have no interest in our young people and who would as soon see them sinful as righteous and clean need not waste the time to come.
Yours for the youth,
G. Robert Forrester.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander spent several days last week in Dallas where Mrs. Alexander took treatment from the doctors.
Habitual Constipation Cured
"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly and should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It stimulates and regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60¢ per bottle.

At Your Motor's Service
The food you put into your own stomach has a lot to do with the way you work and feel. The sort of energy you put into your motor car will have an equal influence on how it will perform.
Look for Texaco Service Station when your motor is hungry, thirsty or tired. Here you will find the "peppiest" gas, the most soothing oil and other motor tonics. Free air and free water service—courteous attendants.

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New Apparel For EASTER

REMEMBER—Easter is only two weeks away—and as this is the time everyone wants to look their best, one must be choosing their new apparel now.

We are ready to help you with New Frocks, New Millinery, New Footwear, New Silks and trimmings. We have been busy the past few weeks assembling the newest things for this special occasion.



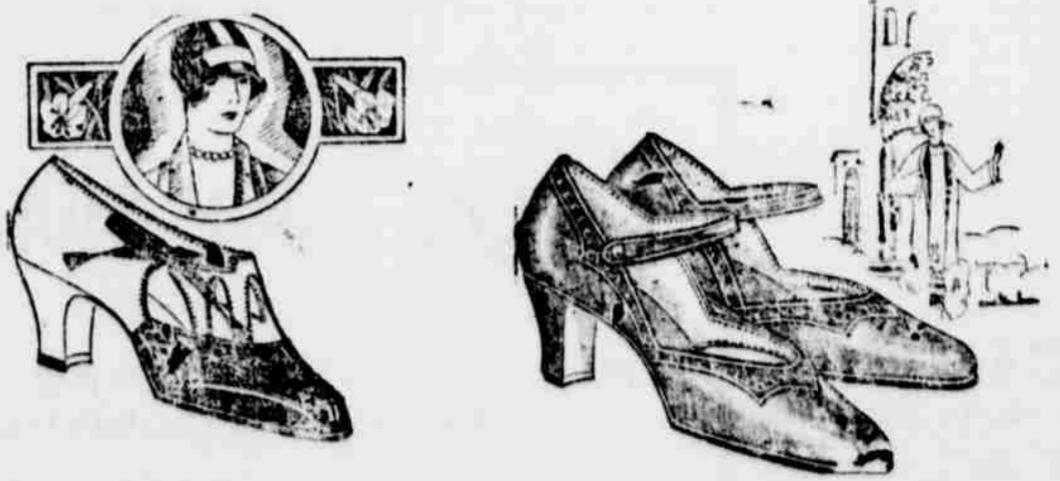
The Easter Frock

Smartest of dresses, ideally for wear on the "Sunday of Sundays", when all the world appears brightest and the womenfolks strive to look their prettiest.

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All the models are new—in shape, in color, in trimming. Created especially for Spring and Easter wear. Many styles of Tailor Simplicity. Many close little shapes, and then there are some along the new larger lines. Large and small head size so that both bobbed and un-bobbed can be fitted perfectly. Select your new hat now.



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is the prettiest we have ever had. The pretty new models on the graceful, slender lasts in the narrow and combination lasts are being shown in all the new shades of leathers—and Satins.

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Church and School

Presbyterian Church

Sunday March 29th, 1925
 Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m.
 Morning worship at eleven o'clock; subject will be "The Divinity of Christ."
 The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 p. m. All young people are especially invited to attend.
 There will be no preaching service at the evening hour, the pastor will preach in Rule at the evening hour.
 The public is cordially invited to attend all the services of this church.
 Rev. M. L. Baker will preach at Rose School house at 3 p. m. Sunday March 29, 1925.

Methodist Church Weekly Calendar

Sunday morning, March 29, Sunday School at 9:45. Mr. O. E. Patterson Superintendent.
 At the eleven o'clock hour the Laymen will have charge of the service. At 3 o'clock the Senior Epworth League will have a district institute. At 5 o'clock the Junior Epworth League will meet with Mrs. Coy Mayes in charge.
 The evening hour, preaching by the pastor.
 There will be no Women's Missionary Society on Monday afternoon.
 The mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 followed by choir practice.
 A cordial welcome awaits one and all at each of the above meetings.

First Christian Church

Service March 29
 Bible School—10 a. m.
 The Lord's Supper—11 a. m.
 Morning Sermon by the Pastor—11:20 a. m.
 Training Club—2:30 p. m.
 Y. P. S. C. E.—5 p. m.
 Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
 At the evening service Dr. W. N. Lemmon, recently returned missionary from the Philippine Islands, will speak. All of those who are acquainted with the wonderful work of Dr. Lemmon will want to hear him. To those who are not so acquainted, we extend a cordial invitation to be sure and hear him. The public is cordially invited to attend all of our services. It is our intention to make every service a spiritual uplift and a benefit to all who come.
 G. Robert Forrester, Minister.

Baptist Church

Next Sunday is special Missionary Day in the Sunday School. A program will be given at the close of the Sunday school hour by pupils of the school. The pastor will speak in connection with this program.
 The "Training Service" was organized last Sunday evening. This is composed of all BYPT's and BAPU (Baptist Adult People's Union). All meet at 7 p. m. and the service is conducted with the evening preaching service. All who want to train for better service for the Master are invited to take part in this training service.
 This church invites everyone to worship with them. You will enjoy good warm spiritual meetings. Our desire is to help you. Come and bring your friends.
 Leon M. Gambrell, pastor.
 Please remember the two dates:
 Dr. W. D. Powell at the Baptist Church Wednesday evening April 8th.
 Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. F. S. Groner at the Baptist Church for all day meeting Tuesday April 21st.

Laymen's Program

Methodist Church, Haskell, Texas.
 Sunday March 29, 11 a. m.
 F. L. Daugherty, lay leader, in charge.
 Devotional—E. G. Alexander.
 Special Music.
 What Can We Do As Men of the Church, to Build up the Attendance on All Its Services (Three 5-minute talks)—P. D. Sanders, Emory Benefice, and J. W. Gammill.
 My Experience as a Titler (10 minutes)—O. E. Patterson.
 Our Superannuates (10 minutes)—B. Cox.
 Our Women's Work (10 minutes)—Mrs. I. W. Kirpatrick.

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Persistent, racking coughing, which by rapidly weakening your entire system lays you open to more dangerous infections, can be checked often with the first dose of that old-time tried and proved remedy—Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. And there's a reason. Doctors say there is nothing like pine-tar to quickly loosen and remove the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing, while the honey both gives a pleasant taste and helps soothe irritation. It often astonishing how quickly this combination relieves the stubbornest cough.
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never get too old or know more than we ought to about the Bible, so come and help carry on the work.

Woman's Missionary Society

Last Monday afternoon at the regular hour, 3 o'clock, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met in regular meeting and Mrs. P. D. Sanders told very interestingly of her work in the County Superintendent's office and then Rev. Ben Hardy talked on Women's Work and what it meant to the church.

Presbyterian Girls Auxiliary

The Presbyterian Girls Auxiliary will meet at the Presbyterian Manse Saturday afternoon at three thirty. The book "The Romance of Home Missions" will be completed at this meeting. All the members are urged to be present.

SEND US: Your old clothes. We make them new. S & M Tailors, etc.

CREAM SEPARATORS

If you need a cream separator you can have the best De Laval in the world put in your house on trial. You can have time to give it a fair trial and decide whether you want it or another kind. You can pay for it on easy terms. See me in Mask's Store on Saturdays. O. L. Reeves, 21c

Midway Has Year Book

The seventh grade class, under the supervision of Mrs. Bob Covey have completed their year book, "The Midway."

This is rather extraordinary for the seventh grade in a rural school to have a year book, in fact I don't think I ever knew of one before. But this one is rather complete with seven books in its contents, composed of the school, the faculty, the seventh grade, seniors, literary work, impossible things, societies and art.
 "The Midget" will be on display at the Midway booth during the school meet. We would be glad to have the patrons from the rural schools to visit our booth and see it, and know what the seventh grade at Midway are doing.

Ironclad

A prisoner, distraught and pale, examined in a British jail, the hangman and the rope; the day of doom was drawing near, yet through the ghastly mist of fear there shone a ray of hope. For public sentiment was strong, insisting that the courts were wrong, in dooming him to die; men's protests shook the prison roof, but British justice sat aloof and offered no reply. Petitions signed by countless hands, expressed the peoples stern demands; that mercy be displayed; there were extenuating facts, so said the pamphlets and the tracts that afflicted writers made. The pulpit and the press declared that this poor fellow must be spared, a clemency divine must in this case they said be shown but British Justice cold as stone, sat still and made no sign. But on the day prescribed by law the convict felt the halter draw and settle for his crime; and Britons to their tasks returned, and anger peradventure burned within them for a time. This justice seems a savage thing that melts not, though the heavens ring with public plaint and cry; it seems a brutal thing, in truth, demanding always tooth for tooth and also eye for eye. But where that savage thing prevails they have few slayers in the jails; men pause a long, long time before they'll dare that justice cold that never will relax its hold, that does not part with crime.—Walt Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bernard spent last week end in Abilene.

HEREFORD BULLS

Young registered Hereford bulls of Anxiety breeding for sale. These are rugged bulls showing plenty of quality, size and bone and are sired by my herd bull Prince Domingo. 13 2p.
 J. D. Hughes, Haskell Texas.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAIN EXTINGUISHMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. See

Very Embarrassing

A steward stood at the gangway of a ship, and as he stood there he kept shouting for the benefit of arriving passengers:

"First class to the right. Second class to the left!"

A young woman stepped daintily aboard with a baby in her arms. As she hesitated before the steward he bent over her and said in a chivalrous way:

"First or second?"

"Oh," said the girl, her face as red as a rose, "oh, dear, it's not mine."

Correctly Named

Two colored gentlemen were talking about automobiles owned by their respective employers.

"An' den he bought his new 'coop'."

"You don't call dem 'coops,' dey is pronounced 'coop-ee.' A 'coop' is what you put chickens in."

"Yes, sah; dat's what he does with dis one."

The Coolidge Way

"We waste too much. Yesterday you had beef; today you ought to make a nourishing soup from the bone."

"But it was canned beef."

"Well, boil the can."

Watch for the announcement of the new business to be opened in Haskell soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Wilson of Rule were here Saturday on their way to the concert at Stamford.

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. 30c.

Concrete Well Curbing

Concrete Flues and Concrete House Blocking. Also sand and gravel.

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\$1,000,000 TO LEND Through the Rule National Farm Loan Association, of Rule, Texas, by the Federal Land Bank of Houston, on Land Located in Haskell, Knox and Stonewall Counties.

Rate, 5 1/2 Per Cent Time, On or before 24 1/2 Years. The Government's plan for Cheap Money on Easy Terms.

\$65 per \$1000 loan paid annually will retire the loan in 24 1/2 year costing the borrower a total of \$2242.50.

\$1000 loan at 6 per cent, (the usual rate) running for the same length of time will cost the borrower \$3750.00.

By comparison we find a saving in favor of the Federal Land Bank Loan of \$1518.00 on the \$1000 borrowed.

No trouble to answer questions.

THE RULE NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION
 W. H. McCandless, Secretary-Treasurer

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Half & Half Planting Seed for sale. Get the best; my seed are machine culled, saved from early picking. Get my prices before you buy.

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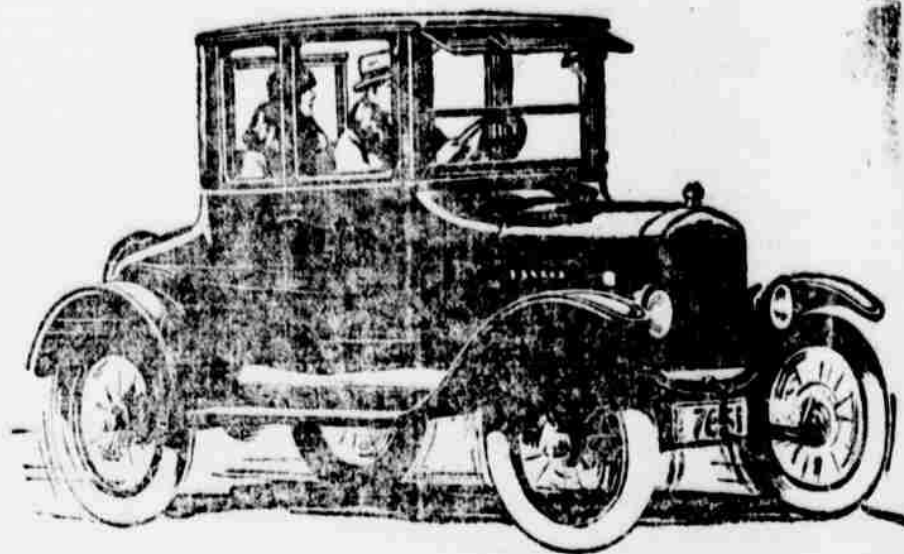
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Special for Saturday

One lot of 36 inch Perfection Percales, all brand new patterns, fast color, a beautiful assortment to select from, regular 20c value, special for Saturday, 4 yards for



All Customers Are Voting - -

All customers are anxious to cast their ballot in our Ford Coupe Contest.

The interest during the past week was greater than any previous week, our out-of-town customers are getting very enthusiastic in this campaign, each community is taking great interest in their candidate.

The leading contestants in this campaign are not so far apart that it would handicap you in going over the top during this exciting week.

Let us suggest to all candidates that you make an extra effort to get in touch with all your friends and tell them about the Ford Coupe Campaign. That each one dollar cash purchase Hancock's Dry Goods Store entitles them to one hundred votes and the contestant receiving the largest amount of votes up to Oct. 3rd, will be entitled to this Ford Coupe Absolutely Free!

Some one is going to be successful and this could be you, provided you get busy and let your friends and neighbors know that you really want their support in this Ford Coupe Campaign, that you entered this contest to win, and in order to do so, you are depending on their loyal support.

If you were to put in full time from now until Oct. 3rd, to win this Ford Coupe your time would be well spent.

The following are the names of the contestants and the standing of each up-to-date:

Miss Ola Cass	62,898	Miss Mary Emma Whiteker	17,111
Miss Ruby Fitzgerald	50,906	Miss Mildred Cook	17,111
Mrs. Ralph Bischofhausen	45,824	Miss Juanita Rhoades	16,111
Miss Louise Kaigler	42,015	Miss Florence Ray	14,111
Miss Lydia Tonn	37,706	Miss Velta Mae McKnight	14,111
Miss Jewell Jossalet	35,096	Miss Annie Kurfees	14,111
Mrs. Jesse Edwards	34,194	Miss Thelma Livengood	14,111
Miss Mary Lela Richey	23,820	Mrs. Robert Kennedy	14,111
Miss Oleta Stanley	23,613	Miss Bertha Lain	13,111
Miss Lillian Lewellen	20,513	Miss Ruby Martin	13,111
Miss Vera Thomas	19,260	Miss Myrtle Norman	11,111
Mrs. Ben Kreger	19,000	Miss Eva Noonkester	11,111
Mrs. Hattie Mahoney	17,993	Miss Nina Underwood	11,111
Miss Opal Strickland	17,882	Miss Lillian Buckner	11,111
Miss Juanita Dunlap	17,433	Master Carl Cordell	11,111

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