



# SOCIETY and Club

## The Girls of the One For Another Class Have Party

On Thursday, February 20, the One For Another Girls' class of the Methodist Sunday School had a Washington party in the basement of the Methodist Annex. Cherry pie and cocoa were served to the following: Pauline Dismay, Elizabeth Stewart, Frances English, Agnes Gleson, Arlene Cousins, Beulah Case, Irene Knutson, Nina Lon Gray, Trueta Stone, Clara Wilfong, Herbert Watson, Willie Edl, Joseph Gose, R. W. Hilly, Violet Edwards, T. Stewart, Leo Robb, Lowell Thompson.

## Mrs. O. E. Patterson Hostess To Thursday Luncheon Club

Mrs. O. E. Patterson was club hostess for the monthly Thursday Luncheon Club last week, and the members gathered about her table and enjoyed a morning of conversation and hand work and then the delicious luncheon of turkey and accessories, cherry pie with whipped cream was enjoyed by the following members: Mesdames John W. Pace, J. E. Betts, R. J. Packer, S. A. Roberts, Elmer Irwin, R. C. Couch, B. M. Whitaker, Wiley Reid and the hostess.

## Presbyterian Auxiliary Meets With Mrs. R. E. Sherrill

The ladies of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. R. E. Sherrill on last Monday afternoon and combined a social hour or two with a pleasant duty. This was quilting a quilt for the purpose of raising funds for the organization. A delegate was elected to the Presbyterian which meets in Hillsborough the 2, 3 and 4 of April. Mrs. H. S. Wilson was the delegate with Mrs. L. J. Isham the alternate. Mrs. Sherrill served the ladies and coffee pudding topped with ice cream, fruit and waffles. These were Mesdames M. L. Baker, L. J. Isham, H. S. Wilson, John Tubbs, Albert Graham and hostess, Mrs. R. E. Sherrill.

## Circle No. 1 of Christian Workers Aid Society

Circle No. 1 of the Christian Workers Aid Society met in the home of Mrs. H. S. Post last Monday afternoon and Mrs. Post taught the Bible lesson that both circles are studying at this time, the book of Genesis. At the close of the lesson Mrs. Post served a delicious refreshment plate to members present.

## Miss Bertha Carmin and Aline Mitchell Have Turkish Party For Four G Bridge Club

Quite unique and Oriental was the setting and various appointments for the Turkish party given in the home of Mrs. P. A. Wemble by two hostesses, Misses Bertha Carmin and Aline Mitchell on Tuesday evening. Shaded lights and lighted tapers shed a soft glow over the low tables and seats on the floor and various colored flowers gave a very pleasing oriental effect. Hostesses and guests were garbed in oriental costumes. A salad plate was served to Misses Marguerite Stephens, Marjorie Whitaker, Dallas Bowen, I. W. Kaigler, Vivian Bernard and the club members Misses Mary Kinbrough, Ruby Martin, Elsie Roberts, Nettie Mullins, Louise Kaigler, Ella D. Koonce, Mildred Jones and Beatrice Weimer of Wheeler.

## Notice Epworth Leaguers

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth Leaguers will be held Monday night at 7 p. m. in the League room. Of special interest at that time will be "Seeing Ourselves as Others See Us" A criticism of last Sunday's worship service by some of the attendees. The order of business follows: 1. House called to order promptly at 7 p. m. 2. Devotional conducted by Bob Bowers. 3. Written reports of officers. 4. Old and unfinished business. 5. "Seeing Ourselves as Others See Us." 6. New business. Adjournment at 8 p. m. The department having the largest number present will enjoy a special surprise treat.

Mr. and Mrs. See-racy of Dallas motored out last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Babin and sons of Graham were last week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Daugherty.

Robert Whitman, who is studying pharmacy in Fort Worth, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

P. L. Daugherty and W. E. Sherrill made a business trip to Brownfield last week.

Miss Fay Akins of Lake Creek spent the weekend with her parents here.

Miss Madine Newsome, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newsome northwest of town, was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium Sunday where she underwent a serious operation. She was brought home Monday and is reported doing fine.

## True, Trusted, Tried S. S. Class Entertains

On last Friday evening, Feb. 21 the True, Trusted, Tried S. S. Class of First Baptist Church entertained with a party. The church was decorated in red, white and blue and the color scheme in refreshments were carried out too. A number of games were played. Misses Winnie Darnell and Roselle Jones served jello topped with whipped cream and little cakes and lemonade were served to the following: Lily Fay Stoker, Juanita Stone, Lucile Akins, Annie Maud Taylor, Kate Darnell, Clara Wilfong, Frances Walling, and Hubert Watson. Joseph Gose, Willie Edl, Cecil Lantz, and Carl Arlocke and Mrs. Tina Jones and Mrs. H. R. Whartley.

Joe Short of Haskell was one of the guests at a formal dinner given by the dean and matron of Texas Christian University. Mr. Short was the escort of one of the girls who live in Gibson House, for whom the dinner was given.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Draper motored to Seymour Saturday on business.

Kenneth Oates of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Oates, and other relatives here.

## LOCAL NEWS FROM MITCHELL COMMUNITY

Mr. and Mrs. Coviness spent Sunday with her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Weatherman.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reed has been sick but is improving now. Dalton Phillips visited Mrs. C. H. Phillips Saturday evening.

Mrs. Madge Orsborn's aunt died Sunday evening at 4 o'clock and was buried Monday evening at Cisco.

The girls indoor baseball team of O'Brien played Cliff school yesterday. The O'Brien girls won.

Mr. Tilman Lee's little daughter has been sick but is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sweatman and family Sunday.

Mr. I. D. McGregor and family visited Mrs. John McGregor at Haskell Saturday.

Jeff and Joe Thatcher visited Oliver King Sunday.

Alice, Faye, Marie and Dorothy McGregor spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McGregor at Stamford.

Mr. Virgil Hudspeth spent Saturday night in Rochester with his sister Mrs. Bertha Qualls and family.

Mrs. B. T. King sat up Saturday night with Pauline King who has been sick.

Miss Gladys Fletcher, who has been working at Wichita Falls for several months, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher, who live west of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davidson and family of Rochester spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Fletcher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reed were at

## Mr. Tilman Lee's Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Caffey spent Saturday night with Miss Cleo Underwood.

Mr. T. L. Henderson left this morning for Dallas.

Chris Fletcher of Rochester spent Wednesday in Apertmont transacting business. Mr. E. B. Hanson and family and Mrs. Tom Cheek and family visited J. T. Mickel Sunday.

Miss Alice Phillips visited Miss Jewell Phillips at Stamford Saturday.

Miss Alice Phillips visited her grand father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Phillips at Haskell Sunday.

Five new pupils were enrolled in Mitchell school Monday. They are Goldie, R. D. Floyd and Virgil Helgen and Capitola Latham.

The father of Mr. David Cummings is very sick. They came and got Mr. Harbin Cummings to go and help with him.

Mr. H. A. Riels and Mr. Sam Reed went to Haskell on business Monday.

Mr. H. D. Brown left for Cisco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. McGhee spent Sunday evening with their daughter, Mrs. Smith at Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hellingworth left Monday for Sweetwater. They are trying to locate them a place for another year.

Joe F. Hudspeth and wife took dinner Monday with his niece, Mrs. Mildred Milam, at Rochester. They report a very enjoyable dinner and a good time.

Mr. J. L. Lewis and family spent Monday in Knox City.

Mitchell school had a big Valentine box Friday.

Miss Pauline King had a severe attack of appendicitis. She is doing better now.

## Hi League In Special Program

On last Sunday evening at 6:15 the Hi League of the Methodist church met in a special program. The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church was invited to come. The topic of the program was "Friends With Other Lands." A little play was given with characters representing other lands.

The first was a boy from China by Fred Sanders.

A girl from Czechoslovakia by Leticia Kinnison.

A negro from Africa by Allegra Kinnison.

A girl from Russia by Ethel Irby.

A girl from Holland by Eva Dell Squyres and an American by Christine Tucker.

Louise Cannon sang a vocal solo and at the last everyone sang, "The Star Spangled Banner." The parents were invited to attend and several came.

Sam A. Roberts made a business trip to Wichita Falls and Pterolin last week, returning home Sunday.

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- Inspect and Adjust Brakes
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#### A Queer Inconsistency

It seems singular that people are so much more particular about the interiors of their homes than about the exteriors. Many folks who carefully sweep up every bit of litter on the floors of their rooms, will yet allow ashes and rubbish to lie around for months in their back yards.

If one has to make a choice, and has not time to keep thoroughly neat, it would be better to keep the exterior of a home place in good condition, and let the interior go. The disorderly interior at least does not affect the appearance of the town. But every person who passes a house with disorderly grounds gets an unfavorable impression. Such a dwelling is a blot on a street and it leads the neighbors to catch the infection of careless living.

#### Wear and Tear

People who own a dwelling should make up their minds that that house needs constant tending to keep it in order. Something is always wearing out. The care of a home is much like the care of clothing and the prudent will realize that a stitch in time saves nine.

You let a house go without repair it needs the better repair and permanent through the long life.

tile of the house is shortened, or else it will take so much more paint and labor to get it in shape, that you saved nothing by the neglect of these years. The cheapest way to keep a house repaired is to care for the little defects when they appear, and before they grow into big ones.

#### Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas,  
County of Haskell.

P. G. Alexander vs. C. C. Goodman

In the District Court, Haskell county, Texas.  
Whereas, by virtue of an Order of sale and execution issued out of the district court of Haskell county, Texas, on the 15th day of February, 1930, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1930, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1930, in favor of the said P. G. Alexander and against the said C. C. Goodman, and numbered 4018 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 25th day of February, 1930, at 3 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land lying and being situated in Haskell county, Texas, to-wit:

Being all Block "A" and lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 and 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 of Block "B" of the S. H. Johnson Addition to the town of Haskell in Haskell county, Texas, as shown by a map of said addition recorded in Vol. 19, page 275 of the Deed Records of Haskell county, Texas, reference to which is hereby made. And on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1930, the same being the First Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Goodman in and to said property.

Dated at Haskell, Texas, this 25th day of February, A. D. 1930.

W. T. Searles Sheriff  
Haskell County, Texas.

## Among the Churches and Church Societies

#### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Face the Facts: What is the essential thing in all this campaign by the Churches of Christ to celebrate the church's birthday on June 8th? The essential thing is not to have a great crowd on June 8th. It is not that individual Christians should partake of the communion on that day; there is no more sacredness to the feast that day than any other. It is that we get every member to Face His Individual Responsibility for Personal Attendance and activity in the church. If the campaign does not result in that it will be a failure. The simple fact is that Christian people have been playing at this business. Go to Church Sunday. Every member in his own pew.

Bible School 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching and Communion 11:00 a. m.  
Preaching 7:15 p. m.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday March 2nd will be observed as Young People's day at this church. The entire evening service will be conducted by the young people of the congregation. A most interesting service is being planned by them and every one is urged to be present. Young People's Day is observed all over the Assembly next Sunday and a special offering will be taken for the work for the young people of the church.

At the morning service the pastor will preach on "Christ Made Men." The Sunday School begins each Sunday at 9:45 a. m.

A cordial welcome awaits you here.

#### THE WEINERT METHODIST

"The Rock That Is Higher Than We." This is the first of four programs on "Old Song Titles" to be presented at the morning services.

This old song will be featured in music, singing and sermon. It has a Bible setting and an interesting history back of it.

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Sing Song and Sermon Service at Seven Thirty P. M. Subject, "The Rich Farmer." The series of sermons on "Characters" has brought requests from members of the audience to continue the study. This is the first of four "Characters That Failed." Let us study them and profit by their mistakes.

#### A MESSAGE FROM THE HASKELL COLORED PEOPLE

Haskell, Texas, Feb. 26, 1930  
To The Haskell Free Press:

Please give space for a few dots in behalf of the colored people of Haskell. Now we are living among you good white people and we feel you are our friends and you are much better to us than we are to ourselves and we thank you for your kindness and now beg you in the name of the Lord and for the uplifting of the colored people of Haskell, to please in some way make it possible for us to have a better school building and site for our young boys and girls. We know that we cannot bring out the best that is in the boys and girls under present conditions.

We feel that Haskell has as good a white people as any place in Texas and we have no other people to ask but you. Please do something for us along the school line. We are here to help you do what you want us to do in the right way. Now other towns close by have provided good school buildings and sites for the colored and why should Haskell not have the same? We ask this of you that we may have better colored people and better places to train the mind of the colored boys and girls. Would you expect any more of this

boy or girl who is trained in the present atmosphere. We hope you will give us a chance to better prepare ourselves to do what we do well. We thank you  
Rev. G. D. Gee (Colored),  
Haskell, Texas.

#### Circle No. 2 of The Christian Women's Aid Society

On Monday afternoon, February 16th, Circle No. 2 of the Christian Women's auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. John V. Davis after the usual preliminary and prayer the director of the bible course, Mrs. G. R. Forrester taught the lesson in Genesis to Mesdames J. H. Post, C. H. Moxice, Dennis and Roy Ratliff, Lynn Pace and Preston Baldwin.

On last Monday afternoon the circle met in the home of Mrs. Preston Baldwin with the opening prayer by Mrs. J. M. Glass and the continuation of the study of Genesis by the director, Mrs. G. R. Forrester. At the close of the lesson, Mrs. Baldwin served a salad plate to Mesdames John V. Davis, Lynn Pace, J. M. Glass, W. G. Henderson, Blam Parrish, Dennis Ratliff and Alonzo Patterson.

Mr. O. E. Patterson attended the bankers convention at Ft. Worth last Saturday.

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1. What church stands today that was standing on the days of Christ upon earth?
2. Is the claim of Catholics true that their church was built upon the rock?
3. Was Simon Peter the first pope?
4. Is the Catholic church the oldest of all the churches?
5. Are there prophecies in the Bible that refer to the Catholic church?

These are some of the questions that will be discussed day morning. The large chart will be used that will help you see church history with the eye. Not one unkind word said about the Catholic people. For the next few Sundays deal with facts concerning the churches of the world. We invite to come and see.

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Section 1: Before the erection, construction, alteration, or repair of any building, structure, or wall of any part thereof or of any platform, staging or flooring to be used for standing or seating purposes is commenced, within the limits of the city of Haskell, Texas, the owner or lessee or agent or either or the architect or builder employed by such owner or lessee in connection with the proposed erection, alteration or repair, shall apply to the City Secretary of the City of Haskell, Texas, for a permit to do such work. The application for such permit shall be made on a blank form furnished by such City Secretary and

shall state the exact site to be occupied by the new building, or if an old building is to be repaired or altered, then the site occupied by such old building, the material to be used, the dimensions and estimated cost of such building, alterations or repairs or structure or work to be done and the probable time consumed in said work or erection of said building.

Section 2: Work must be com-

menced under any permit granted by the City Secretary within six months after the same is granted or all rights thereunder will be barred by limitation.

Section 3: Every person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction therefor shall be fined in any sum not exceeding One Hundred Dollars.

Section 4: The fact that there is now no sufficient building ordinance in the City of Haskell, Texas, and the further fact that there is now urgent demand for such ordinance for the protection of the inhabitants of said city, causes an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the rules regarding ordinances to be read at two stated meetings and not to become effective until ten days after publication, be suspended and such rules are hereby suspended, and this ordinance is passed on second reading and final passage, and shall take effect and be in force from and after final passage and publication, and it is so enacted and ordained.

Approved and approved, this the 26th day of February, A. D. 1930.  
 T. H. Cahill, Mayor  
 D. H. Perlin, City Secretary

**CHEAP MONEY TO LOAN**  
 The Federal Land Bank of Houston has Cheap Money, Plenty of it, to lend on farm lands in Haskell, Knox and Stonewall Counties, thru the Rule National Farm Loan Assn. of Rule, Texas. Rate 6%. Time 35 years. Option to pay all or any part after five years, or can pay at any date before five years by paying small bonus. Cheapest and best loan offered in Texas.  
**Rule National Farm Loan Assn.**  
 W. H. McCANDLESS, Secretary-Treasurer

**Money to Loan on Farms; Ranches**  
 I can get you a loan on your farm at a low rate of interest, payable annually; the loan to become due at the end of ten years, and give you the privilege of paying as much as one fifth of the principal each year if you desire to do so. The cost to you will be the abstract fees and recording fees. If you want a new loan or want to renew an old loan write me or come and see me and let me explain to you, and I will get you the best loan to be had in a company that you will be pleased with and save you money, so you will be satisfied in the future. You get all the money you borrow.  
**P. D. Sanders; Haskell, Texas**

**THREE IMPORTANT FACTORS  
 ENTER INTO THE COST OF  
 YOUR AUTOMOBILE**

- 1. How much it costs to make the car**
- 2. How much extra you pay the dealer**
- 3. How much it costs for operation and up-keep**

**THE PURCHASE** of an automobile involves a considerable amount of money and it should be carefully considered from all angles before a final decision is made.

The value of the car to you depends on the value built into it at the factory, how much extra you pay the dealer for distribution, selling, financing and accessories and what it will cost to operate and maintain the car after purchase. Each of these factors, as it relates to the Ford car, is frankly explained below.

**Economy in production**

THE FORD CAR is made economically because of the efficiency of Ford production methods. The money saved through this efficiency is put back into the car in improved quality of material and in greater care and accuracy in manufacturing. The constant effort is to eliminate waste and find ways to make each part better and better without increasing cost—frequently at lowered cost.

Because of Ford economies in large production and because the Ford organization operates on a low-profit margin, the price you pay for the car is much less than it would be under any other conditions. Yet it brings you many unusual features of construction and performance.

At least \$75 extra value is represented alone by the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield, the Rustless Steel, the four Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers, and the five steel-spoke wheels. The unusually large number of ball and

roller bearings and the extensive use of fine steel forgings instead of castings or stampings are additional features that reflect the high quality built into every part of the car. Throughout, it is a value far above the price you pay.

**Low dealer charges**

THE SAME PRINCIPLES of efficiency and economy that characterize the manufacture of the Ford car are applied also to distribution. Obviously it would do the public little good to save in production if these savings were sacrificed later in excessive costs of selling, financing and accessories.

The Ford dealer, therefore, operates on the same low-profit margin as the Ford Motor Company, his discount or commission being the lowest of any automobile dealer. He does a good business because he makes a small profit on many sales instead of a large profit on fewer sales.

**NOTE THESE LOW PRICES**

Roadster . . .	\$435		
Phaeton . . .	\$440	Tudor Sedan	\$500
Coupe . . .	\$500	Sport Coupe	\$530
Two-window Fordor Sedan . . .	\$600		
Three-window Fordor Sedan . . .	\$625		
Cabriolet . . .	\$645	Town Sedan	\$670

(All prices f. o. b. Detroit)

Low charges for time payments through the Universal Credit Company

The lower cost of selling, combined with the low charges for financing and accessories, means a direct saving of at least \$50 to \$75 to every purchaser of a Ford, in addition to the savings made possible by economies in manufacturing. The money you pay for a Ford goes into value in the car. It is not wasted in high dealer charges.

**Low up-keep costs**

IT IS IMPORTANT to remember that the cost of your automobile is not the first cost only, but the total cost after months and years of service. Here again there is a decided saving when you buy a Ford.

The cost of operation and up-keep is lower because of simplicity of design, the high quality of material, and the reduction of friction and wear through unusual accuracy in manufacturing and assembling. The reliability and longer life of the car contribute to its low depreciation per year of use.

The intelligent, painstaking service rendered by Ford dealers is under close factory supervision and is a factor in the low up-keep cost of the Ford. All labor is billed at a flat rate and replacement parts are always available at low prices through Ford dealers in every section of the United States.

In two, three or five years, depending on how much you drive, the saving in operating and maintaining a new Ford will amount to even more than the saving on the first cost of the car.

**FORD MOTOR COMPANY**



**Kansas Theatre**

**"Home Of Perfect Sound"**  
**PROGRAM**

**For Week of March 3 to 8**

**Monday and Tuesday**  
**OLIVE BROOKS in**  
**Return of Sherlock Holmes"**

**Wednesday and Thursday**  
**ANET GAYNOR in**  
**4 DEVILS**

**Friday and Saturday**  
**LEO GARRILLO and**  
**VIRGINIA VALLI in**  
**MISTER ANTONIO**

**News Reel Each Monday**  
**and Tuesday.**  
**and Comedy Each Night.**  
**Time 7:15**

**ADMISSION PRICES:**  
 Night.....50c, 35c, 15c  
 Matinee.....35c, 15c

## POLITICAL Announcements

We are authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July:

**FOR SHERIFF:**  
W. T. Sarrela (second term)

**FOR TAX COLLECTOR:**  
Ed P. Forns (second term)

**FOR COUNTY CLERK:**  
Jason W. Smith (second term)

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER:**  
J. E. Walling (re-election)

**FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 1:**  
G. B. Tanser (second term)  
J. S. Abarnatha

**FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 2:**  
T. M. (Tom) Mapes  
R. B. Guess (re-election)

**FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 3:**  
J. P. Simmons (second term)

**FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 4:**  
W. T. Morgan  
L. C. Philips (re-election)  
O. L. (Jim) Darden

**FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, Prec. 1:**  
Giles Kemp, (second term)

**FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER Prec. 2:**  
R. N. Mathison (re-election)

**FOR CONSTABLE PREC. No. 1:**  
J. H. Ivy  
R. E. DeHart (second term)

### CITY OFFICES

(Election in April)

**FOR CITY MARSHAL:**  
Alex Edwards  
Al Connor  
W. E. Webb (re-election)

**FOR SECRETARY TREASURER:**  
Miss Lou Wood (re-election)  
D. H. Howard (re-election)  
Mrs. John T. White

R. C. Montgomery was among the West Texas Bankers attending the District Bankers convention at Ft. Worth last Saturday.

Mrs. Abdon Holt and brother David Smith of Ludlow's spent last week end in Haskell, guests of relatives and friends.

## SPECIAL PRICES

### SHOE REPAIRING

Beginning Sat. Mar. 1 and continuing until March 15.  
Men's \$2.75 Whole Soles \$2.50  
Men's \$1.25 grade Sole \$1.00  
Men's \$1.00 grade sole .85  
Ladies \$1.00 grade Sole .75  
Ladies 85c grade Sole .75  
Rubber Heels .50  
1st grade Ladies Rubber Tap .35

Special Prices on Childrens Work All Work and Material Guaranteed to please. These prices are for cash only.

### Electric Shoe & Top Shop

C. Wheatley, Prop. Phone 303  
1st Door North Farmers State Bank

Harry Stalleup of Big Spring, formerly owner of the Haskell Bottling Works, was a business visitor in Haskell Wednesday.

P. A. Wumble, recently connected with Buick Chevrolet Company but who is now employed in Abilene, spent Sunday with home folks here.

### LOCAL NEWS FROM COTTONWOOD SECTION

There was church at Cottonwood Sunday and Sunday night. Bro. Climar who is teaching over at Balfew preached Sunday morning and Bro. Segs from Abilene preached Sunday night. Bro. Climar will preach every fourth Sunday and Bro. Segs every second Sunday. The public is cordially invited to attend all services at this place.

We are very sorry to report that the death angel came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Haring and took away a little infant baby. This family has the sympathy of our people.

Tim Sauer has purchased a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hattie Edwards and daughters Helen and Marguerite and Grandma Heston of Segmunt visited the home of Mrs. Hulsecomb and her son Dale Hulsecomb, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Henry Estabrook is building a tank for Mr. M. A. Maxwell. Mr. Tom Clark from Haskell moved into our section last week in one of the new homes.

Alex Ferguson and Mr. Philips from Seymour, Texas were here on business last week.

The H. D. Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Floyd Maxwell, Thursday. We are hoping to have a large attendance.

I. N. Furrh from Weibert was in the Cottonwood community Sunday night.

# PANHANDLE REFINING CO.



STATION ONE  
BLOCK NORTH OF  
COURT HOUSE ON  
WICHITA FALLS  
HIGHWAY—  
J. E. GIBSON, MGR.

STATION ON  
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COURT HOUSE  
WICHITA FALLS  
HIGHWAY—  
J. E. GIBSON, MGR.

## Greets the People of HASKELL

Noxless Green Gasoline is a genuine motor fuel. It gets its anti-knock qualities in the latest refining processes. It is quick starting. It produces more power and more mileage.

It has a snappier pick-up, gives better lubrication, and produces less carbon. Unquestionably, it prevents motor knocks. It sells at a premium of only one cent per gallon. Try it for satisfaction and economy.

In opening our Service Station in Haskell, we bring to the people of this community the very best products that the market affords. For more than 14 years we have been continually producing crude oil and refining it in our own plant. These years of experience, together with the latest and most modern refining equipment, have made it possible for us to produce a gasoline that is a step ahead of any motor fuel being offered today. We refer to our new NOXLESS Green Gasoline. We pledge to the people of this district our full co-operation in the things of interest to the community and solicit a share of your business on the basis of quality and service.



General Office, Wichita Falls, Texas

Our Panolene motors are produced from grade, paraffin basis, Continental Crude Oil they have stood the severe tests of motor and trucks.

We are distributors of Firestone Tires, Tubes, Batteries, Amalie Oils and Greases.

We are equipped to give you first class service. Washing, Greasing, Polishing your car, clean the car inside, as well as out, with our vacuum cleaning system.

All Standard Size Vegetable Packets And Most of the Flowers per packet **5c**

**PLAN YOUR GARDEN NOW!**

**SEEDS**

**GARDENING** time is just ahead. Fresh packets of Northrup, King & Co.'s Seeds are now on display in dealers' stores. These seeds are of unsurpassed quality. A five cent price on all standard size vegetable packets and most of the flowers, makes this line attractive to thrifty buyers.

**Northrup, King & Co's Seeds**

Panhandle Noxless Gasoline 21c gal.

Panhandle U. S. Motor Gasoline 20c gal.

**EVENTS WHICH ARE WORTHY OF YOUR ATTENDANCE**

We will be a big event at Our Store Friday Morning at 9:00 a. m., also each afternoon at 3:30. Don't Miss a Single Day. Buy Theatre Tickets for Saturday's Matinee or Night Show.

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**EVENTS WHICH ARE WORTHY OF YOUR ATTENDANCE**

We will give free with Each Cash purchase of \$5.00, a Ticket to The Texas Theatre Saturday Matinee or Night Show. We have made arrangements for an especially good Show for this occasion.

**BLIZZARD**

**OF BARGAINS**

Make your purchases at the L. & M. Store—Save Money and get a Free Ticket to the Show. This Ticket will be good for Saturday's Matinee and Night Shows Only.

Make your purchases at the L. & M. Store—Save Money and get a Free Ticket to the Show. This Ticket will be good for Saturday's Matinee and Night Shows Only.

**Courtney Hunt Buys L. & M. Stock LIQUIDATION SALE BEGINS Friday February 28th, At Nine O'clock A.M.**

**EXTRA! EXTRA! Irish Dress Linen**

Imported Irish Dress Linen, to be closed out Friday morning, at the yard—  
**39c**  
See Window for these New Spring Patterns

**Courtney Hunt Has Bought the L. & M. Stock of Goods!**

**FOLKS**—We have bought the L. and M. Stock of Merchandise for the purpose of liquidating it. We bought it under the Bulk Sales Law, from the L. and M. Store at a fraction of its real value, and have decided to close it out to the buying public in 10 selling days, to the bare walls. To do this we must make the cheapest prices ever offered the buying public of Haskell and community, this stock is a new stock of high class merchandise, and we have added thousands of dollars worth of new and seasonable merchandise to it in order to make this the greatest selling event ever held in Haskell.  
Remember the doors will close forever March 8th—this store will be no more—it must and will be sold out to the bare walls. Fixtures for sale. Do not let anything keep you away from this great Liquidation Sale.  
**REMEMBER THE OPENING DATE—FEBRUARY 28th and Closes Forever on March 8th at 10 p. m.**

**EXTRA! EXTRA! Curtain Goods**

20c value ruffled curtain goods, blue, rose and gold border, absolutely fast color, to be closed out Friday, the yard—  
**8c**  
See Window for this Merchandise

**Indian Head**

Printed Indian head, big range of patterns. Regular 39c value. To close out, the yard—  
**39c**

**Underwear**

Men's winter union suits—a good one, to close out—  
**98c**

**EXTRA! EXTRA! Genuine Supurb Dress Cambric**

35c value, superb Dress Cambric. Guaranteed fast in color—all new Spring patterns. Just came in, but must be sold in the next 10 selling days. This unusual value on this bunch of Dress Prints will close them out in two hours Friday. Your choice, 5 yards for—  
**\$1.00**

**EXTRA! EXTRA! English Dress Prints**

20c value De Luxe Dress Prints, absolutely fast color—all new bright colors for Spring. To be closed out, 10 yards for—  
**\$1.00**  
Now on display in window.

**Ginghams**

Good grade gingham—big lot of pretty new patterns. To close out, the yard—  
**14c**

**Bloomers**

One lot women's rayon bloomers, assorted colors, to close out—  
**79c**

**Ties**

Beautiful ties—beautiful new patterns, to close out—  
**79c**

**PIQUE**

Printed Pique in a big range of beautiful patterns, fast colors, regular 60c value, yard—  
**39c**

**FREE! FREE! FREE!**

We will give free with Each Cash Purchase of \$5.00—a Ticket to the Texas Theatre Saturday Matinee or Night Show. We have made arrangements for an especially good show for this occasion—**JARRET GAYNOR and CHARLES FARRELL** in—  
**"LUCKY STARR"**  
ALSO A GOOD TWO REEL COMEDY  
You will Save Money on any purchase made—then enjoy yourself by going to the show. The Texas Theatre is equipped with the best talking equipment money can buy and bring to Haskell the best Shows shown on any screen. Make your purchase at the L. & M. Store. Save Money and get a Free Ticket to the Show. Tickets good for Saturday's Matinee and Night Shows Only.

**Work Shirts**

Men's standard brand work shirts, to close out at only  
**39c**

**Bed Spreads**

One lot of cotton bed spreads, to close out—  
**\$1.19**

**STORE CLOSED All Week Until Friday Morning at 9:00 o'clock Arranging Stock for Sale!**

**EXTRA! EXTRA! PRINTE DSILK**

\$2.50 value printed Silk—beautiful dark backgrounds with floral designs, also dots and modernistic Spring colors. To be closed out Friday, yard—  
**98c**

**SILKS! SILKS! ALL SILK PONGEE**

Genuine Imported all silk 12M Pongee, in natural color only. 85c quality, to be closed out at, per yard—  
**38c**

**STORE CLOSED All Week Until Friday Morning at 9:00 o'clock Arranging Stock for Sale!**

**COURTNEY HUNT CO.**

**Purchasers of the L. & M. Stock of Merchandise**

**HASKELL,**

**TEXAS**

# SOME UNUSUAL VALUES

will be offered in next weeks ad—watch for it—  
it will mean big savings to you.

## GRISSOM'S

### Rural Community News Items

#### LOCAL NEWS FROM GAUNTT COMMUNITY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crawford and children of Knox County spent last week end with Mrs. Crawford's mother, Mrs. S. B. Spurlin.

Mrs. Mazy Gibson of Rule spent last Monday and Tuesday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Helwig.

Roy Miller has purchased a Farm-all.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sims and daughter Opal of Sagerton visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Miller and family.

The dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pittman was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Johnson of North Western New Mexico are visiting relatives and friends in Haskell County this week. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Merchant have moved to the Mulkey farm to make their home another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spurlin of Haskell spent Thursday night with Mr. Spurlin's mother, Mrs. S. B. Spurlin.

#### INTERESTING NEWS FROM SAGERTON

The Sagerton Girls' Basketball Team went to Haskell Tuesday night of last week. Sagerton's first team played Haskell and Sagerton's second team played Tanner Paint. Sagerton was defeated in both games. One of the best players of our team was ill and could not play in the game.

Rev. Walton of Stamford has been teaching a Teacher's Training Class here in the M. E. Church the past week.

E. B. Littlefield of Anson called on a few of his many friends in Sagerton Wednesday evening.

Dr. Spahr of Rule made a visit to Sagerton Saturday afternoon of last week.

Mr. Townsend and Mr. Kitley of Rule were in Sagerton on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Summers the past week and also her brother, Marvin Lewis.

The Sagerton Misses Eagles honored the Mr. Eagles with a banquet Wednesday night of last week in the school building. Mrs. C. Lee Clark, Mrs. E. D. Engelman and Mrs. G. E. Russell planned the banquet for the boys. When every one arrived at the school house Miss Juanita Castle of Rule, one of the guests, played "Hail, Hail, The Gang's All Here" while every one marched up to the table and took their places. The place cards were small Eagles' Toasts were given by C. L. Clark after which the plate dinners were served. Mr. Tabor, the Eagles' Coach made a very interesting short talk about each Eagle player. Then Mrs. T. E. Bell, the Girl's Coach, made a short talk, after which, Milton Stein, the Mr. Eagles' Captain and Miss Opal Gibson, the Misses Eagles' Captain made talks. A reading was given by Miss Margaret Brooks of Rule. Every one present enjoyed the evening from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith of Stamford visited his mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Sagerton last Sunday.

The Sagerton Eagles are planning on entering the Basketball Tournament at Stamford on the 28th of February and 1st of March. We hope these boys will win some place there.

Miss Mildred Chamberlain, grammar school teacher, was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Chamberlain, at Gorse last Wednesday afternoon. We hope her mother will recover from her illness soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laughlin went to Gunther, Texas last Saturday to get her mother, Mrs. Scharff to come and live with them. Mrs. Scharff's husband recently died and she is

going to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin in Sagerton.  
Rev. Walton, Methodist pastor here delivered a good sermon Sunday morning and night.

#### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM TANNER PAINT

The Tanner Paint girls defeated the Sagerton girls Tuesday evening in a basketball game at Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd from Old Glory spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Everett.

Little Miss Zelma Bee McMean spent Tuesday night with little Miss Quata Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson entertained the young people Saturday night with a musical entertainment.

We are sorry to report that little Miss Augusta King has been ill with the flu, the past week.

The primary and intermediate rooms rendered an interesting little program Friday afternoon.

Miss Mammie Welch spent Tuesday night with Miss Fannie Mowell.

Willis Hinds was the guest of Loreous and Hulbert Hunt Sunday.

Walter Scott from Hamlin spent the week end with Roy and Ray Scott of this community.

Miss McLean spent Sunday with Miss Jennie Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Place and Mrs. O. J. McLean and her son James have just returned from a trip to Lamesa.

Next Sunday is regular meeting day at the church. Every one is invited to come and be with us.

Miss Mammie Creek visited Miss Betty Faye Mowell Saturday evening.

FOR SALE—Mules, second hand implements, (good shape, no junk), taken in trade on Farmall Tractors. Jones, Cox & Co.

#### Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Order of Sale

The State of Texas,  
County of Haskell.

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 11th day of January, A. D. 1930, in favor of E. Cornelise and against N. E. Marr, Allen Marr, Chas. Barton and wife, Jessie Barton, in the case of E. Cornelise against the said N. E. Marr, Allen Marr, Chas. Barton and wife, Jessie Barton, No. 4045 in such court, I did on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1930, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described tract of land, situated in Haskell County, Texas, as the property of the said N. E. Marr, Allen Marr, Chas. Barton and wife, Jessie Barton, to-wit:

The North Half (N. 1/2) of Lots One (1) and Two (2) in Block Twenty Seven (27) of the original town of Weinert, in Haskell County, Texas.

And on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1930, being the First Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said N. E. Marr, Allen Marr, Chas. Barton and wife, Jessie Barton, in and to said property.

Dated at Haskell, Texas, this the 25th day of February, A. D. 1930.

W. T. Sarrels, Sheriff

Haskell County, Texas

Haskell folk who attended the funeral of Mrs. J. M. Musser at Abilene last Sunday afternoon were: Judge and Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant, Messrs and Mesdames R. C. Montgomery, J. U. Fields and John Rike

## TOSS ASIDE YOUR MONEY WORRIES

Extra dollars of your very own—wouldn't they be welcome this Spring?

FEED HASCO LAYING MASH and SCRATCH GRAIN and let your chickens make the living.

Hundreds of sacks sold each month. Our Sales increasing beyond expectation.

- Hasco Laying Mash, per 100 lbs. \$3.00
- Hasco Hen Scratch, per 100 lbs. \$2.50
- Yellow Corn Chops, per 100 lbs. \$2.25
- Maize Chops, per 100 lbs. \$1.75
- Flour, 48 lb. sack \$1.60
- Meal, 24 lb. sack \$ .65

## Haskell Mill & Elevator Co.

"Save The Difference"

for Economical Transportation



**BIG SALE starts SATURDAY**

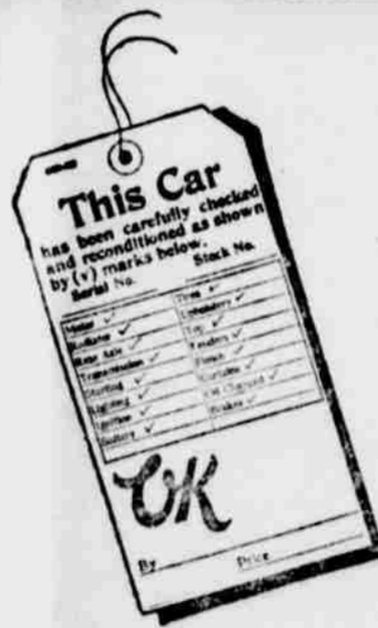


# SPRING CLEARANCE SALE

of

# USED CARS

—WITH AN OK THAT COUNTS



Here is a bargain event without parallel in the history of this community! This great spring clearance sale brings to bargain seekers a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to secure famous used cars "with an OK that counts" at savings that will be long remembered.

Due to the tremendous popularity of the New Chevrolet Six, we have an unusually large stock of fine used cars. To clear our stock quickly, we offer these splendid cars at low sale prices that are nothing less than sensational.

Buy a car during this sale at many dollars below its normal price! Look to the red "OK that counts" tag as proof of the quality and dependability. This tag signifies that the car has been thoroughly checked and reconditioned. Be sure to attend this sale early!

Wide choice of four and six cylinder cars

**Chevrolet 1929 Coupe**

Motor has been thoroughly reconditioned. Not a scratch on the body. Equipped with Heavy Duty Tires. Sold with "an OK that counts." Special Sale Price.

**\$450.00**

1928 CHEVROLET TOURING—Read that price! Compare appearance, performance and reliability and you'll prefer it to anything the market offers at anywhere near this price. Completely equipped, ped, ready to drive away. Price **\$190**

1927 CHEVROLET ROADSTER—Body and upholstery like new. Good Tires. For sale—"with an OK that counts" to the first lucky buyer at this low price. **\$225**

1927 CHEVROLET COUPE—If you want a coupe, this is the opportunity of a lifetime. You'll be proud of their appearance and performance. And at this low price you can pay many months' operating costs with the savings. Reduced for sale to **\$195**

1927 CHRYSLER COUPE—Here's a real car for any kind of driving. Has many thousands miles of care-free service ahead of it. Only **\$235**

1927 DODGE COUPE—Reliable performance, comfortable riding, cheap transportation. Special sale price **\$210**

MODEL T FORD—At most any price you want to pay.

**Chevrolet 1928 Coupe**

Your last chance to get \$75 on a slightly used coupe. Completely equipped—carefully checked and reconditioned, "with an OK that counts." Formerly **\$375**

**\$375**

BUY "OK" USED CARS FROM A CHEVROLET DEALER

# Bettis Chevrolet Co

Haskell,

Rule

# OCIETY and Club

## Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary.

A family reunion and dinner on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Ketrone at their home in Haskell on Wednesday Feb. 19th, when their children and grandchildren surprised them by inviting other members of the family that lived in different parts of the State and a few friends. Mr. Ketrone is 75 years of age and his wife is 69.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ketrone and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Petree and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stanford, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brimberry and family, all of Haskell county; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harwell and family of Sherman, Mrs. Estelle Adams of Ft. Worth, Miss Una Vay Adcock of Haskell, Miss Mildred Laws of Sherman, Mrs. Maggie Newby of Haskell.

The afternoon was enjoyed by playing games, kodaking and talking over old times.

## Midway H. D. Club.

The Midway Home Demonstration Club met in regular session in the home of Mrs. E. E. Welsh with 18 ladies present, Feb. 18th. Our agent Miss Partlow conducted the lesson for the afternoon which was on gardening and hot beds and their necessity to every family, which was both very interesting as well as instructive.

The club will meet March the 4th in the home of Mrs. Anderson.

## Harmony Club's Last Two Programs.

On last Wednesday week Mrs. H. R. Whaley was director of a bible lesson for the Harmony Club and used the parables as the theme. The following ladies discussed given topics:

- The Parable of The Ten Virgins—Mrs. B. M. Whitaker.
- The Two and the Five Talents—Mrs. Vaughn Bailey.
- The One Talent—Mrs. John Ellis.
- The Passover Coming of Christ—Mrs. W. C. Williams.
- The Judgment, Mrs. R. J. Reynolds.

A very fitting conclusion to this Bible Day program was a beautiful vocal solo, "I Know The Bible Is True," Miss Mae Free.

A social hour was observed in a dainty valentine tea, the refreshment plate being replete with cakes and ices in valentine mold.

The following Wednesday in the absence of the house hostess, the president acted in that capacity and Mrs. E. Gaston Foote directed a musical quiz that proved quite interesting and instructive. These quizzes will be given periodically through this club year, they are secured from the extension department of Texas University. The only musical number on this program was a piano duet by Misses Annabel Burt and Edith Foote.

## Junior Leaguers in Party at Home of Mrs. W. C. Pippen.

On Tuesday evening of last week just at twilight the Junior Epworth Leaguers of the Methodist church mobilized at the home of Mrs. W. C. Pippen and they with their leaders enjoyed a splendid time for an hour and a half playing all kind of in-door and out of door games. The ladies present who guide these little folk from Sunday to Sunday were, Mrs. W. J. Sowell, Mrs. C. B. Breedlove and the hostess, Mrs. W. C. Pippen. The children were served punch and cake.

## Methodist W. M. S. In Study of Bible Course.

On Monday afternoon of this week thirty-five ladies gathered at the Methodist church for the opening bible lesson on the Life of Christ. A prelude of piano music was played by Mrs. Bert Welsh and Mrs. Harry Bettis gave the devotional and began with a prayer. The lesson was taught by Mrs. S. R. Rike, on the geographical history of Palestine.

Mrs. Rike taught with a map and gave questions and from time to time encouraged round table discussions. An intermission on the lesson was given during which time Mrs. Bert Welsh sang "The City Called Square," accompanied by the organ by Mrs. O. E. Patterson. Mrs. J. U. Fields then read a pianologue, "Out of Doors In The Holy Land."

by Van Dyke. The ladies adjourned then to attend the tea given by the Senior League. Monday March 3rd. will be a business meeting.

## Mrs. John Oates and Mrs. W. M. Reid Entertain In Home of Former With Bridge.

Mrs. John Oates and Mrs. W. M. Reid entertained jointly in the home of the former on last Wednesday week at three o'clock p. m. with bridge. The lovely color tones of orchid and pink were used in decoration with large sweet peas. Twenty-four ladies were seated around the six tables for the afternoon's game and when the final count was made it was found that Mrs. W. H. Murchison had won high score and Mrs. Harry Bettis second high. They were given prizes, Mesdames Oates and Reid served a salad plate to Mesdames Tom Davis, Herman Bettis, Harry Bettis, W. H. Murchison, J. E. Bernard, John V. Davis, Theron Cahill, Demmitt Hughes, J. L. Southern, Wallace Cox, French Robertson, Lynn Pace, Dennis Ratliff, Hill Oates, John P. Payne, Clay Smith, Clyde Grissom, Guy Mays, D. H. Persons, Leo Duncan, Mrs. Marlin Wilson and Jack Bradford of Rule and Misses Ermine Daughter, Lois Earnest and Helen Harbison.

## Two Hostesses Entertain With "84" at Magazine Club Library.

On the evening of Friday, February the 21st, Mrs. John Oates and Mrs. W. M. Reid entertained at the Magazine Club Library with "84". All decorations were complimentary to George Washington's birthday as were the tally cards and menu, which was brick ice cream in the red, white and blue served with cake squares. The guests were Messers and Mesdames S. A. Koorters, C. L. Lewis, W. H. Murchison, J. U. Fields, O. E. Patterson, W. A. Duncan, T. C. Rogers, A. H. Warr, John W. Pace, E. Gaston Foote, F. L. Daugherty, R. L. Burton, Horace Oliver, W. C. Williams, Vaughn Bailey, Henry Alexander, P. J. Reynolds and Mesdames Mary E. Oates.

S. R. Rike, H. S. Wilson, B. M. Whiteaker and Misses May and Dulin Fields.

## Magazine Club Studies Texas Artists.

On Friday afternoon of last week the Magazine Club enjoyed a Texas Artist program directed by Mrs. C. L. Lewis. A short business session was presided over by the president Mrs. Clayborn Payne previous to the program. The roll call was "Your Favorite Texas Artist."

Development of Art in Texas—Mrs. H. S. Post.  
Painting at the Opening of the Early Period—Mrs. Clay Smith.  
Reading, "The Wager" by Lexie-dean Robertson, Mrs. T. G. Cahill.  
Painters of the Earlier Period—Mrs. P. A. Womble.  
Mary Bonner Etcher—Mrs. French Robertson.  
Piano Number—Mrs. O. E. Patterson.

## South Ward P. T. A. Program.

The South Ward P. T. A. sponsored a splendid program for the patrons last Thursday, February the 20th. Opening number was a song by the 1st grade. These little tots carried the American flag and sang right lustily of their country and freedom. Cleo Edwards of the fourth grade then read, "Abraham Lincoln."

"Washington and Lincoln"—Marjorie Ratliff of the third grade.  
February Heroes—Billy Pogue.  
A dialogue, "Like Washington" was presented by the third grade.  
Reading, "February the 22nd"—Christine Tucker.

A tribute to the way heroes are made, "Results or Roses"—Claudia Fay Maxwell.  
Reading, "When We Have Company"—Marjelle Clifton.  
Reading, "George Washington"—Paul Crawford.

A splendid talk on Patriotism—Supt. C. B. Breedlove.  
There was a large number of

patrons present and the ladies of the P. T. A. served them with cherry pie topped with whipped cream.

## Colonial Bridge Club Guests Of Mrs. Roy Ratliff.

Mrs. Roy Ratliff was hostess to the Colonial Bridge Club in her home Tuesday afternoon of this

week and prepared two tables for members and guests. Bridge was enjoyed from three o'clock until five thirty and then Mrs. Ratliff served a dainty salad course to Mesdames John Draper, Lynn Pace, John V. Davis, Wallace Cox, J. L. Southern, Ralph Payette, Wayne Koonce and C. C. Payne, the hostess, Mrs. Roy Ratliff.

# COTTON PLANTING SEED

To The Growers of Better Staple Cotton:

Will say that I will have a car of Select Mebane Seed on Wichita Valley track at Haskell, Texas, March 1st. These seed are early ginned. Grown in Bell County, and are of the very best variety. I have certificate from Bank, Ginner and cotton buyer of Troy, Bell County, Texas, stating that the cotton grown from these seed stapled from 15-16 to 1 and 1-16 inch staple.

These seed will be in 3 bu. printed bags and sold from car at \$1.35 per bu. If unloaded will have to get \$1.50 per bushel. See me at car.

T. M. BLAKELEY, Abilene, Texas

## ANOTHER STEP TOWARD BETTER SERVICE

We have just added to our line, a Plumbing Department and will now be able to give you in this new line that same prompt, efficient service that has always characterized our business.

Blacksmithing, Sheet Metal Work and Service Station. Call 106

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HASKELL, TEXAS



their LIVES are in YOUR HANDS!

DOWNY LITTLE THINGS... not long out of their shells... how much they must depend on you for the things they need to live and get big. They need a feed filled with nourishment. A feed which will build bones quickly... building muscles strong... change fuzz to feathers in a hurry... all this they demand... and yet their little crops can handle only one tiny thimbleful of feed a day! What a job for feed!

Consider Purina Chick Startena (mash) for this job! In every thimbleful are twelve ingredients! Cod-liver oil... dried buttermilk... alfalfa flour... granulated meat... these and eight others are there... each one with a real job to do. Purina Startena is mixed over and over again... 960 times just to be thorough! And you will find the same care taken with Baby Chick Chow (scratch)... to be fed with Startena.

Your chicks... what they do for themselves... what they do for you... is entirely in your hands. They eat so little... yet it counts so much... that you can afford to do only one thing... feed Purina Chick Startena!



Porter, White & Trice  
HASKELL, TEXAS

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"Saves for the Nation"

The "M" System Store owners throughout the country do co-operative buying, which enables all of these stores to make attractive prices, and none of the money saved in that connection goes to anyone except the "M" System Store owners. Not one penny of it goes to New York moneyed interests, but it stays right here in Haskell.

By reason of a systematic way of doing business and our co-operative buying, the "M" System Stores are able to compete with any of the foreign owned chain stores and saves many hundreds of dollars for the customers of these stores.

ATKEISON'S "M" SYSTEM STORE

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Suggestions for Friday and Saturday

<b>APRICOTS,</b>	California Choice 2 Pounds	<b>29c</b>
<b>Rice,</b>	Tasty Brand, 2 lb. Pkg. Tasty Brand, 1 lb. Pkg.	19c 12c
<b>M-J-B- Coffee, 3 lbs.,</b>		<b>\$1.39</b>
<b>Compound,</b>	4 lb. Pail All Brands	<b>54c</b>
<b>SUGAR,</b>	(Limit 10 lbs. to Customer) Pure Cane, 5 lbs.	<b>29c</b>
<b>SOAP,</b>	CRYSTAL WHITE 10 Bars	<b>37c</b>
<b>Tomatoes,</b>	CONCHO No. 2 Cans 3 For	<b>29c</b>
<b>OATS,</b>	Checker Brand, Highest Quality No Premiums, Large Box	<b>24c</b>
<b>Fig</b>	Calif. White 1 Pound	<b>14c</b>
<b>Flour</b>	Highest Patent 48 Lbs.	<b>\$1.59</b>
<b>MEAL,</b>	MONARCH CHOICE 20 Pound Sack	<b>59c</b>
<b>Salt,</b>	25 Pounds Fine For Table Use.	<b>34c</b>
<b>Kraut</b>	Libby's Size 2 1/2 Each	<b>14c</b>
<b>Red Potatoes</b>	Small Size Pound	<b>3c</b>

Home Owned With Chain Store Advantages

son, daughter of H. Patterson of Hogan of Coleman ay evening at 7:30 the First Baptist Oklahoma, it was Saturday.  
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s of the Haskell tendered the use Club rooms for their arty on last Thurs- the social commit- time nor pains in s attractive. They son holiday and bout with George otifs. Miniature all bunches of cher- lief decoration. The was played over white and blue cards were old and table numbers in the favored refreshment plates cake squares were George Washington with ice cream. Y. Wimbish are the and have put forth his year to make them. Mr. and Mrs. ndentent C. B. Mrs. Ed Sprowls, k. Donna Davis, ad Mr. Herman Richey and Mrs. present to enjoy he seniors who ernard, Clarence rrand secretary of y Willis, Louise a Woodson, Mavis land, Bessie Bee Isbel, Ethel Lou Adkins, Wynona Solomon, Catheryn of Clair, Lois Stokes, Lorene Newsome, on, Nova Griffin, d Ratliff, Charle itan and Charle  
omery Rike and a Sixty-five Gues- agton Party  
ay afternoon, Mes- ontgomery, S. R. Wilson entertained in a lovely George at the Magazine The appointments tive and effective was a large Ameri by a real cherry ries. Small hatch bunches of cher- les were the score ican shields used . The house party hostesses and Mes- nern, Ethel I-be Fitzgerald, who sment plates, wad white and blue ersion was 42 and Colonial punch at the close brick the three favored with cake squares ries. A very pleas- playing of the y Mrs. O. E. Patter- ht all of the ladies soon after they said guest list included, Sherrill, Mary E. s. J. G. Mulkey, E. Patterson, R. J. yne, John P. Payne, H. Persons, H. S. Reynolds, French Roberts, T. C. uthern, Clay Smith, rt Welsh, B. M. Williams, P. A. on Foote, R. L. e, Tom Bailey, Jim Baldwin, M. L. ard, Harry Bettis, C. B. Breedlove, T. C. Cahill, T. G. h, F. L. Daugherty, Davis, J. M. Diggs, P. A. Duncan, John R. L. Harrison, Ethel Irby, Joe A. mbrough, Wayne King, W. H. Mur- a, E. Martin, Guy lum, Dulin Fields, B. M. Reid, Misses Ruby Fitzgerald; Mesdames West- y, Lennis Jones



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FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

## SUN OIL COMPANY BEGINS SURVEY OF COUNTY

### Courtney Hunt Store Bought By Former Owners

Grissom Withdraw From Organization in Deal Closed at Lubbock This Week.

COURTNEY HUNT & COMPANY STORES RETAINED BY FORMER OWNERS

A deal was consummated today by the Courtney Hunt Store, one of the dry goods establishments of Lubbock to Courtney Hunt and Hardy of the store until seven stores in the county were merged with the Grissom store.

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### LONE STAR SCHOOL BUILDING BURNED WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The Lone Star school building, several miles north of Weibert, was destroyed by fire Wednesday night, according to information received at the County Superintendent's office today.

The building was a four-room brick structure, one of the most modern in the county, having been built some five or six years ago. The entire building and equipment was practically a total loss, it was reported. It is understood that building and contents were covered by insurance.

### Barn and Contents In East Part Town Burned Sunday

A large barn belonging to J. B. Phillips in the east part of town, together with about 150 bales of hay and other feed, was totally destroyed by fire early Sunday morning with a loss estimated by Mr. Phillips at several hundred dollars, partially covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered about 6 o'clock and an alarm turned in, but the fire department was unable to save the structure as it was beyond the reach of any water supply. Origin of the fire could not be ascertained, as no one had been about the premises since the previous day.

### Census Reports Are Provided For Absent Families

The Census Bureau makes special provision for enumeration of families planning to be away from home during the month of April.

The Fifteenth Decennial Census of the United States will be taken during the month of April. The enumeration will be made by a force of about 100,000 enumerators who will go from house to house and secure the information required for the census. Every person is to be enumerated, so far as possible, at his "usual place of abode" or the place where he usually lives.

For cases where it is known in advance that the whole family will be away from home at that time, special provision has been made by the Director of the Census in the form of an absent family schedule which is to be filled out by some responsible member of the family in advance of the census date and transmitted to the local Supervisor of the Census. A copy of this schedule can be secured by application to Mr. Irwin E. Barr, of Lubbock, Texas, who is the Census Supervisor for this district.

Families planning to be away during the month of April, leaving the home closed or with no one in charge who is qualified to give the census information to the enumerator, are urged to obtain one of these schedules at once and to fill it out and send it to Mr. Irwin E. Barr at the earliest possible date. Or if the house is left in charge of a servant who will be sure to be at home when the enumerator calls, the schedule may be left with such servant for delivery to the enumerator. The information furnished on this schedule will be treated as confidential and will be used only for the tabulation of statistics which will not reveal any information with regard to individuals or families.

Mrs. H. K. McWhirter and daughter Mary Elizabeth of Dallas were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hughes of this city.

### Car Belonging to Banker At Rule Stolen Sunday

A Buick coupe belonging to A. A. Bradford, Rule banker, was stolen in Sweetwater Sunday, according to information received by the sheriff's department here Monday, and it was reported by Sweetwater officers that the culprits had driven east out of that city. Information concerning the car was sent out Monday by local officers, and it is hoped that the car may soon be recovered.

### TEXAS' COTTON MILLS ANALYZED BY WILLIAMS

An analysis of the cotton mills of Texas was made and the remedy proposed by Carl Williams, cotton member of the Federal Farm Board in an address before a joint session of the legislature at Austin.

A constantly mounting production in the face of an ever-increasing export market, not only in Texas, but throughout the South, was assigned as the primary reason for the present all but poverty-stricken condition of the cotton-raising industry.

However, the speaker named the introduction of short staple cotton into Southern fields as that which has done more than all else to bring ruin on the cotton planter.

The cotton acreage must go down and the quality raised must come up," said Williams. "Unless this is done, no governmental agency for fixing prices can aid the cotton farmer as he should be aided."

Williams named the two conditions which the board can only dispense the aid provided in the \$500,000,000 revolving fund voted by congress through dealing with co-operatives. These co-operatives must represent the commodity of a section, like cotton in the South. The cooperative with which the board deals must be made up of smaller units to which the individual farmers belong. These units must be legally qualified under terms of the Capper-Volstead bill, one of the rules being that they must not deal with products of nonmembers to a greater extent than with those of members.

He warned that right now the cotton acreage of the South is showing "danger signals," pointing out that while there should not be more than 40,000,000 acres in cotton, there was 47,000,000 last year.

Williams named the two conditions which, he said, every banker, landlord and farmer should insist be met before a cotton seed is planted on grown owned or worked by him. The first was that enough acreage be devoted to food crops to care for the farmer's family and live stock. The second was that no cotton be planted except on that land where it has shown an average net profit the past five years. Less than two-thirds of Texas cotton land has shown such a profit in that period, he said.

"It will be a fatal mistake for any banker to finance any landlord and allow him or any farmer to plant cotton this year unless these two conditions have been met," he said.

The speaker dwelt at length on the evils of short-staple cotton. Its elimination, he declared, will mean an added addition of \$20 per bale to Texas cotton. The need for planting it no longer exists, he emphasized, since seed may be had that will produce inch cotton under all conditions in this state. The fact that non-tenderable or short-staple cotton will not make good cloth is the thing that is against it, he said.

He pointed out that 80 per cent of the crop of the nation, and 40 per cent of that in Texas, this year is short staple. He urged Texans to get their figure back to what it was ten years ago, when only 5 per cent was short staple.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Penson and Mrs. Thoma Ballard visited relatives in Ft. Worth last week and returned here Sunday.

### MARRIAGE LICENSE RETURNED WHEN BRIDE CHANGES MIND

A Rule negro this week returned to the County Clerk's office the marriage license which had been issued to him on Dec. 21, with the following convincing explanation.

"Rule, Texas, Feb. 19.

Mr. Jason W. Smith, Haskell County, Texas: "The party put me off until after Xmas. She said that she was going to take a trip and as soon as she got back that she would marry me. I suppose she found some one else she haven't returned as yet.

"The time have expired on the license and I am returning them. Very truly yours, William Bell, Rule, Texas."

### PANHANDLE OIL COMPANY ENTERS RETAIL FIELD HERE

Announcement is made this week of the entrance of the Panhandle Refining Company into the retail field in this city, with the opening of their filling station just north of the Free Press, under the management of J. E. Gibson.

The station has been completely modernized in every respect, with new pumps and storage tanks installed, together with the very latest equipment obtained for their servicing department, including a new cleaning and greasing rack, vacuum cleaner for upholstery, etc. A large stock of tires, tubes and accessories have also been placed in the building, as well as modern tube repair equipment.

Mr. Gibson, manager of the new station, states that automobile owners will be offered every service possible, and invites them to visit the new place and acquaint themselves with Panhandle products including the famous Noxless gasoline developed by this company. The new station opened for business Wednesday, and a very substantial patronage was reported for their opening day.

### Funeral Services Mrs. J. M. Musser Held at Abilene

After an illness of 24 days in an Abilene Sanitarium Mrs. J. M. Musser passed away last Saturday and funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church, Abilene on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock by Dr. M. A. Jenkins, pastor, assisted by Dr. Sandifer of Simmons University and the Rev. S. M. Spann pastor of the First Methodist church. Mrs. Musser was young and the mother of a dear little girl that needed her and the human heart can not understand why she was called from this world at this time, but in the words of that beautiful hymn, "Some Day We'll Understand." The floral offering was superb and attested to the love and esteem the friends and loved ones of the deceased had for her. She is survived by her husband, Mr. J. M. Musser and one little daughter Martha of Abilene, her mother Mrs. J. A. Couch, Sr. and four own brothers and two own sisters and one half brother and two half sisters. The Haskell brothers with their families who attended were Messrs John A. Couch, R. C. Couch and George Couch. To the bereaved ones we extend deepest sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields spent a few days of last week in San Angelo; Mrs. Fields was a special guest of the San Angelo Women's Club and house guest of Mrs. W. S. Douglas.

James Mullino who is attending school at A. and M. Junior College, Arlington, was at home with his folk in Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Mullino, over last week end.

Miss Dolie Louise Chambers, teacher in the Stamford schools spent last week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gann.

More Than 35 Men in Party With Expensive Equipment. Will Make Haskell Headquarters.

### WORK MAY TAKE MONTHS TO COMPLETE MANY LEASES HELD BY THE SUN COMPANY SCATTERED OVER THE COUNTY

### LIGHTNING SETS FIRE TO BARN IN SOUTH PART OF TOWN

A barn and contents at the home of J. C. Montgomery in the south part of town was practically destroyed by fire Friday night about 9:30 o'clock. Lightning is thought to have set fire to the barn, as it occurred during the heavy shower which fell that night. The fire department was called to the scene and succeeded in extinguishing the flames after the loft and roof of the barn had been burned away. A quantity of hay stored in the loft was destroyed, and water damage was sustained on planting seed stored in the barn.

### Farm Bureau to Hold Monthly Meeting Saturday

The Farm Bureau will hold its regular monthly meeting in the District court room of the courthouse next Saturday evening at 2 p. m., according to local officers of the Bureau.

A number of important matters will come before the meeting, such as acreage reduction and staple cotton. Also recent changes in the by-laws and policy as recommended by the directors and the Farm Board will be explained. All members are requested and all others invited to be present.

### INCOME TAX EXPERT TO BE IN HASKELL ALL DAY MONDAY

An income tax expert from the Department of Internal Revenue will be in Haskell Monday March 3rd, for the purpose of assisting people of this section in filing their income tax reports. He will be located in the Haskell National Bank and will be glad to aid anyone desiring his help in making out their returns.

### Mrs. John T. Wilson Candidate for Office of City Secretary

We are authorized this week to place the name of Mrs. John T. Wilson in our announcement column as a candidate for the office of City Secretary, in the City Election to be held in April.

Mrs. Wilson, the wife of our late lamented John T. Wilson, former postmaster, needs no introduction to the voters of Haskell, having been a resident of the city for a number of years, and is held in high esteem by our entire citizenship. She has been strongly urged to enter the race for this office by a number of friends, who know her to be qualified in every respect for this responsible position.

In connection with her announcement, Mrs. Wilson makes the following statement:

"To the Voters of the City of Haskell: Having been repeatedly urged by the friends of my husband the late John T. Wilson, to make the race for the office of City Secretary and Treasurer, I have decided to announce my candidacy for that office. I need the office. I must educate my boys and finish paying for my home. I feel that I am qualified for the duties of the office and should you see fit to give me your vote, I can promise courteous and efficient service to all.

"Thanking you in advance for any support given, I am Very respectfully, Mrs. John T. Wilson.

Beginning work on a geophysical survey that will reach every section of Haskell county, the Sun Oil Company has brought a crew of between 30 and forty men to Haskell and are making this city headquarters for their operations in the section.

The work being done in this section is under the direction of J. G. Roberts, assisted by R. A. Burleson; H. J. Reuver, general foreman; G. M. Howard, electrical expert; and M. J. Rice, engineer of survey. These men compose the engineering staff, and are directing the work of thirty men in the crew located here. A large amount of electrical and surveying equipment, including two large generating plants and a small fleet of trucks, is necessary to carry on their operations.

Actual work was started on Monday morning near the Gauntt school house and this first survey will extend from the Brazos river on the west side of the county across to the Throckmorton county line on the east. Leases are held by the Sun Company on acreage located in practically every section of the county, and it is probable that oil structures on these leases will be mapped out first, although the engineers have indicated that the entire county would be covered with the survey.

The tests as made by the Sun Company are of an extremely technical nature, using electrical equipment perfected only a few years ago at a cost of millions of dollars, and it is said that the apparatus used is sensitive enough to record the presence of various structures thousands of feet under the earth.

Mr. Roberts, head of the party, states that the work in this section will probably keep his crew here for some time, possibly several months or longer, and expressed himself highly pleased with the accommodations provided for the party by our citizens.

### Courtney Hunt Buys L & M Store For Liquidation

The L. & M Store on the east side of the square, has been closed all week, following an announcement that the store had been purchased by Courtney Hunt & Co. under the Bulk Sales law for the purpose of liquidating it.

The new owners took charge of the store Monday morning, and marking down the stock preparatory to opening Friday morning in a Liquidation Sale. Everything in the store is to be sold within the next ten days, according to their advertisement, and hundreds of bargain prices are offered the people of this section.

### Mother of Haskell Women Injured in Car Accident

Mrs. W. J. Foster of Austin, mother of Mrs. R. L. Foote and Mrs. Ed Sprowls of this city, was painfully injured Sunday night in Austin when struck by an automobile and knocked to the pavement as she was returning home from church. The injured woman was carried to the St. David's Hospital where it was found that her right limb was broken below the knee. She was also considerably bruised. Mrs. Sprowls left for Austin Monday morning to be with her mother, whom we hope will soon recover.

Miss Marjorie Whiteaker of Dallas is at home for a few weeks vacation and Miss Mary Emma Whiteaker, student of Simmons University spent last week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Whiteaker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Post and little daughter Wynona Francis spent last week end with her father Mr. Will Post of Dallas and Mrs. Marvin Post at Lubbock.