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FORTY-FIFTH YEAR

CONCRETE PAVING STARTED ON HIGHWAY 30

CONCRETE SURFACING BEING LAID AT RAPID RATE. LOCAL MEN BEING EMPLOYED

ALL STRUCTURES ON HIGHWAY 51 ARE COMPLETED

Pouring of concrete on Highway No. 30 in Haskell county was started Tuesday of this week, and a large crew of men together with considerable equipment, are making rapid progress on the work, marking the final step in the completion of a system of hard-surfaced roads in Haskell county for which bonds were voted in December 1929.

Construction of the pavement was begun at a point about four miles north of the Jones county line and the highway will be paved south to the county line. It is estimated that about one month's time will be required to complete the four-mile stretch, and equipment will then be moved to McConnell and work of paving carried on from that point.

Local Labor Employed
When the work of pouring concrete was started this week, an announcement was made by L. E. Witham & Co., contractors, that employment would be given only to residents of Haskell county, county officials and the Commissioners Court having urged this step as a means of relieving as far as possible the unemployment situation in the county. A large number of men have already been employed on the project, and more than likely as the work progresses a much larger number will be required.

MOVE TO PAVE THROCKMORTON TO OLNEY HIGHWAY

In a movement looking toward the hard surfacing of a gap of highway 79 from Olney southwest to the Throckmorton county line, the Young county Commissioners Court Tuesday created a road district in the northern part of the county. It is expected that an election on a bond issue for financing the project will be called soon.

Paving of Highway 79 from the Young county line to Throckmorton is practically completed and the surfacing of the link between Olney and the Throckmorton line would shorten considerably the all-weather route from Wichita Falls to Abilene, according to proponents of the newly created road district. Highway 79 connects at Throckmorton with 29 south to Albany where Highway 1-A is intersected.

Speaker Will Address Veterans at Rule June 19

All ex-service men of this section are invited to attend a meeting of the C. C. Hagar Post of the American Legion, at Rule on Friday night June 19th, at which time Dr. Webb of Pampa, well-known speaker of the southwest, will deliver an address of special interest to ex-service men. All veterans are urged to attend, regardless of whether they are members of the American Legion or not.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hobbs and little daughter of Enid, Okla., spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards of this city. They were en route to San Angelo, where Mr. Hobbs is scheduled to give a number of professional golfing demonstrations at the opening of a new course in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pippen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ora Pippen and little son to Cisco to spend the day with N. M. Pippen and family Sunday. Three relatives returned with them.

Miss Hattie Davis, who has been teaching school in Dallas, returned home Thursday, Monday, and Tuesday, and will teach in Dallas next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed of Fort Worth spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thompson.

Death Sentence Assessed Will Fritts Is Affirmed

Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin Upholds Sentence of Kent County Jury

Tenant House on McGregor Farm Is Destroyed by Fire

Charles McGregor of this city received word that one of his tenant houses situated on the Brazos River north west of here was destroyed by fire Saturday night.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR OTTO THANE HELD AT STAMFORD

Funeral services were held at Stamford Tuesday for Otto Thane, 30, well-known and highly respected farmer of the Erievale community, southeast of Haskell, who was found fatally wounded at the Thane home Monday. He died in a hospital at Stamford several hours later without regaining consciousness.

Local News From Vontress Section

The health of our community is good at this writing. Several from Roberts attended Sunday School at Vontress Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Odham and Mrs. Albert Arend spent last Saturday with Mrs. Rody Sorenson.

Miss Waple Theo Johnson and Alice Fay Riley spent Sunday with Connie Hoyal.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Arend Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Taylor and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Zahn and sons of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bruggeman and children of Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Oldham and Mr. and Mrs. Rody Sorenson and daughter spent Saturday with the latter parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Anderson of Weisart.

Miss Ruby Oldham has returned to Wichita, where she will make her home.

Mr. Preston Johnson visited Wilford Mercer Saturday night.

Mr. Roy Mercer left for Graham Sunday where he is to work in the harvest.

J. R. Roberts spent Sunday with Preston Johnson.

SECOND DOSE OF TOXOID WILL BE GIVEN THURSDAY

Carrying out a county-wide health program inaugurated several weeks ago, a State Health Nurse will be in Haskell again Thursday June 11th, at the High School building, for the purpose of giving the second dose of diphtheria toxoid to the children who received the first dose two weeks ago.

Those who desire may also receive the vaccination for smallpox on the above date, in addition to the diphtheria toxoid. This treatment is free to all, regardless of age, and is being sponsored throughout the state.

Anyone who desires to receive either of the above treatments is requested to be at the High School building at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

51 to Receive Hand of Fellowship at Baptist Church

Last Sunday was a red-letter day in the local Baptist Church. A total of fifty-one members were received. To this large group the right hand of church fellowship will be given Sunday morning.

At the morning service the pastor will speak on "The Lord's Supper." In the discussion, he will explain why Baptists practice restricted communion. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Shows Substantial Profit On Poultry

Would you turn down \$236.36 profit on an investment of \$527.00 in five months? Of course you would take it. That is what J. T. Therwanger did too. Some effort was of course needed to produce the returns.

Mr. Therwanger is a poultry demonstrator in Haskell county and lives near Weisart. Here is a summary of his demonstration records from Jan. 1, 1931 to May 31, inclusive.

Eggs gathered: January, 2926; February, 4691; March, 8904; April, 7771; May, 6944; total eggs, 31,136. Total money spent for feed, insecticides, etc., \$146.60. Total sales made \$386.96. Total net profit \$236.36.

Net profit 49 per cent on an investment of \$527.00 in 396 hens and a \$200 poultry house and equipment. Net profit per hen of \$59.19; cost to produce eggs \$0.68 per dozen.

Mr. Therwanger keeps a complete daily record of all expenses and sales, selling nothing but selected eggs. He will make affidavit that the above statements are true. What else other than poultry will pay 49 per cent in five months.

Miss Wilda Pippen, who left for Plainview immediately after school was out had a delightful visit in the home of Miss Judith English. Miss Judith returned home with her and spent a few days seeing friends here before going on to Dallas where she will spend a great part of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hildebrandt have returned to their home in Kansas City, Mo., after spending several days with Mrs. Hildebrandt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Therwanger of Weisart.

Miss Wilda Pippen left Monday for Abilene, where she is attending the League Assembly at Mohrway College.

Dr. L. J. Sherrill to Preach Sunday

Dr. Lewis J. Sherrill, professor of religious education in the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., will preach at the Presbyterian Church at the regular services next Sunday. Dr. Sherrill was the commencement speaker at the Austin College finals this week.

At the Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock, it has been announced, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed, and any who wish to unite with the Church will be given opportunity to do so. The Sunday evening service will be held at 8:15.

Sunday School will be at 9:45 and the Christian Endeavorers will meet at 7:15.

Aubrey Brown, supply pastor, will preach at the Roscoe Presbyterian Church Sunday.

HOME IN SOUTH PART OF TOWN BURNS WEDNESDAY

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams in the south part of town, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday about noon. The fire is thought to have started from an oil stove which was burning in the kitchen, and by the time an alarm could be given, the flames had spread through the five-room structure.

Only a few articles of household furniture were saved from the house by neighbors who were first to reach the scene. Firemen were unable to extinguish the fire before the building was practically destroyed.

According to Mr. Williams, a small amount of insurance was carried on the house and contents, which will partially cover his loss.

W. P. Key Is New Proprietor of Jack's Cafe

W. P. Key, former proprietor of Key's Confectionery, has purchased the cafe operated by Jack Johnson, and the business will be operated in the future as Maizie's Sandwich Shoppe.

Mr. Key has had several years experience in the cafe and confectionery business, and states that the new business will be operated under the same policies as his former establishment.

Haskell Girl is Honor Graduate

Miss Katherine Rike returned home yesterday, after completing her school work at S. M. U. Dallas. Miss Rike was among the 14 honor pupils out of a class of 253 that received degrees at the closing of the term. The honor awards to the students was made by Vice President H. M. Whaling, Jr.

This was the sixteenth graduation class of Southern Methodist University.

Miss Rike attended the commencement exercises at S. M. U. and returned home with Miss Katherine yesterday.

"Do You Live On Easy Street" Is Sermon Subject

"Do You Live On Easy Street" will be the subject for the Sunday evening services of the First Methodist Church next Sunday evening, according to announcement of the pastor. Services will begin promptly at 8:15 p. m. and there will be a special young people's choir and special quartet numbers, singing an unusually good song service. You will find a cordial welcome at the "Church With the Glad Hand."

Ray Watson from Seymour was in Haskell last Wednesday.

MRS. W. W. FIELDS, PIONEER RESIDENT, CLAIMED BY DEATH

Funeral services for Mrs. W. W. Fields, age 84, pioneer resident of Haskell, will be held at the First Christian Church Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. G. Robert Forrester of Coleman, former pastor of the First Christian Church here, will conduct the services. Interment will be in Willow Cemetery beside the grave of her husband, the late W. W. Fields, pioneer business man of this section.

Death occurred at the family residence Thursday morning about 7 o'clock, following an illness of one month. Deceased had resided in Haskell for the past forty-one years, coming here with her husband in 1890. She had been a faithful and lifelong member of the First Christian Church, and her life was that of an exemplary Christian, beloved of all with whom she came in contact.

Deceased is survived by four sons and one daughter, all of whom will be present for the funeral. Surviving children are: J. U. Fields, Haskell; Ernest Fields, San Antonio; Lewis Fields, Dallas; Lewis Fields, San Antonio; and Mrs. Annie Fields Parish, of Haskell.

Board of Directors of Encampment to Meet July 11

The board of directors of the Haskell Baptist Encampment, Baptist Pastors and other friends of the encampment are called to meet on the encampment grounds at ten o'clock, Thursday, July 11. Visitors are invited to bring lunch and a picnic dinner will be served. The evening service will be at 8:15 p. m. The program of the encampment for the year will be conducted along the following lines, especially in the morning: People and Bible work. Sermons each morning will be conducted from eight-fifteen to ten o'clock along special lines, such as: Bible study, Doctrines and Missionary work. The usual sermon at seven o'clock three general sermons will be held emphasizing the work of the Sunday School, B. P. U., W. M. U., Hospitals, Plans Home and Denominational Societies.

Dr. W. R. White, encampment speaker, will bring a message each evening. The dates of the encampment are from July 13 to 19. Copies of the encampment bulletin may be obtained by addressing Walter Jackson, 234 Hickory Street, Abilene, Tex. Everything is shaping up for a great encampment.

Named Instructor For C. M. T. C.

Prof. Morris U. Lively of the Department of religious education of Abilene college, and former resident of Haskell, has been named as instructor in the Citizens Military Training Camp at Camp Beaudry, Colo. Mr. Lively who is a captain's commission in the Reserve Corps of the Army, has been ordered to report for duty at his service.

This Prof. Lively is occupied with his duties at Camp Beaudry. Mrs. Lively will spend the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Therwanger of Weisart. Mr. Lively will join her after completion of his work.

Don Dotson attended a District Meeting of the City Service Club at Abilene last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doughty and little daughter from Earth, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Doughty's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Conroy.

Chicago's 1933 Exposition Opens First Exhibit



Fort Dearborn and modern Chicago. Hedrich-Blessing Studio.

Two years before the formal opening of A Century of Progress—Chicago's 1933 World's Fair—the first exposition building has been thrown open to the public.

It is Fort Dearborn, an exact replica of Chicago's birthplace—the log stronghold built in 1803 by Captain John Whistler and burned to the ground by savage Redskins on August 15, 1812, after the evacuating garrison had been massacred.

Silhouetted against the skyscrapers of modern Chicago, Fort Dearborn offers a romantic contrast to life today.

From the top of a tall pole in the center of the parade ground flies a flag bearing fifteen stars and fifteen stripes.

At diagonal corners of the fort, log blockhouses frown down upon the narrow enclosure between inner and outer stockades and menace the prospective foe with brass French cannon which saw service in the War of 1812.

Ancient flint-lock muskets, dueling pistols and powder horns



John Manson, great grandson of Captain Whistler, in barracks. Inset is Lieut. Sverdrup, who led troops to site of original fort.

hang on the rough, hand-adzed walls and above the heavy, masonry fireplaces. It is a fascinating reproduction of frontier life at the beginning of the marvelous century whose culmination the world will celebrate in Chicago in 1933.

baby returned from Arizona last Tuesday.
Mr. Grametbauer and daughter, also Miss Sophia Hageman of Sagerton called on Mrs. Hansford Harris Tuesday afternoon.
Hansford Harris and Bob Elmore called on Luther Kinnamer east of Haskell Sunday afternoon.
Mr. Goodwin and Mrs. Banks of Haskell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Banks.
M. H. Guinn and Hamp Harris were in Stamford Sunday morning.
Lucille Banks spent Sunday night with her grandmother in Haskell.

CENTER POINT

Health is good here at present. Those warm showers, we had last week were fine on crops and gardens.

Miss Armita Bland of Haskell is spending this week with her cousin, Helen Bland.

Mr. Dot Pitman of Gauntt was in our community, Sunday night.

Mrs. T. J. Johnston of Haskell spent last week-end with her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Patterson and family.

Mrs. Wilton Kennedy of Haskell visited relatives here Friday. Clarence Chitwood was in Haskell, Friday.

Sunday school is progressing nicely. Everybody come out and be with us.

Mrs. W. E. Bland visited Mrs. Arthur Bland of Haskell, Saturday evening.

Amos Patterson and family of Haskell were pop-calling in our community Wednesday of last week.

The H. D. Social given in the home of Mrs. T. M. Patterson was enjoyed by all present. Eighty-four was played until a late hour.

Ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Bird, W. E. Bland, W. T. Morgan, T. P. Morgan, Mrs. P. C. Patterson and Mrs. T. J. Johnston of Haskell, several youngsters and the host and hostess.

Club will meet with Mrs. P. C. Patterson Thursday of this week.

Thursday evening with Misses Lena, Edna and Ella Moeller and George Moeller, Jr.
Felix and Herbert Klose, Erick Optiz of Pleasant Valley was in our midst Friday.
Misses Lena, Edna, Ella and Lydia Moeller spent Sunday with Misses Clathilda, Mary and Louise Moeller.
Hollis and J. L. Howard of Douglas were in our midst Sunday.
Miss Mathilda Moeller is spending a few weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stiewert of

Vontress.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith of Haskell were in our midst, Sunday.
There will be Sunday school here next Sunday June 7 in the morning at 10 o'clock. Everyone come and bring some one with you.
Misses Lena and Lydia Moeller spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stiewert Sr. of Vontress.
Feminine fashions in Paris feature trousers for all sorts of wear, which reminds us that you can't tell anymore who wears the pants.

They're developing a new kind of paper that won't crackle when the speaker is using the microphone. Here we thought those cracks were caused by the announcer's boiled shirt buckling.
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DRY SALT Bacon Thick and Tender Per Pound 11 1/2c

Syrup East Texas Best Per Gallon	69c	Potted Meat 3 Cans For	10c
Soap 10 Bars For	29c	Soap Chips Quick Arrow Box	5c

New Potatoes Strictly No. 1 15 lbs. 27c

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Rural Community News Items

BUNKER HILL

Rev. Adams of Stamford filled his regular appointment Sunday morning.

The B. Y. P. U. of New Hope presented a fine program here Sunday afternoon after which Rev. Benson of New Hope preached an interesting sermon.

A large crowd attended Sunday school Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams of O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chatwell and children of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hagle of Pleasant Valley visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Chatwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Newton and children of Sagerton spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Boedecker.

Misses Clarice and Farice Smith spent Sunday with Miss Bessie Mae Chatwell.

The health in our community is pretty good at present, hope it continues so.

Miss Lula Morgan of Stamford is spending this week in the Oscar Morgan home.

Quite a number from here attended the birthday party at Mr. Fred Spitzers Thursday evening.

The singing given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett Sunday evening was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Rev. Bailey of Stamford will preach at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and Rev. Sam Morris will preach Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. An invitation to attend is extended to all.

FLAT TOP

Misses Clara Lippe of San Angelo and Alberta Lambert of Sagerton spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Annie Stremmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wendeborn and daughter spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinze of near Old Glory.

In honor of her seventy-fourth birthday, Mrs. Ed Kainer was given a celebration on Tuesday evening, May 20th at her home at Stamford. Forty-two and other games were played during the evening. A delicious supper was served to the following: Frank Kainer, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kainer and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emi Kainer and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thane, all of this community, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Thane and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fischer and family all of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Schaake and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hinze and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roebber and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moritz and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thane, Mrs. Alfred Hinze and grandfather Schonerstedt all of Stamford.

A party was enjoyed by a large crowd in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Haveman Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thane visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thane and son of near Avoca Sunday.

Miss Clara Lippe returned to her home at San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel and family were visitors in the William Reber home of near Old Glory Sunday.

Several from this community at-

tended a party in the Bruno Kupatt home Sunday evening.
Mrs. Ed Kainer and son, Frank of Stamford were in this community Sunday afternoon.

ROCHESTER

Mrs. Wheeler visited friends at Monday, Thursday.

Mrs. Mathis McCarty of Haskell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bragg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watkins and Miss Johnnie Cowan spent Monday and Tuesday at Lueders fishing. They report enjoying two nice messes of fish.

J. M. Ballard of Lamesa was here a day or so this week. Mr. Ballard said the recent sandstorm hurt them too but he believed not so badly as it did here.

Hugh Gauntt and family are here for 8 or 10 days visiting their mother, Mrs. A. Gauntt, after which he'll enter summer school at McMurry College.

Roy A. Baker and his father W. A. Baker made a flying trip to the Plains Wednesday.

A nice snow rain fell in Rochester territory Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Carothers returned last week from a visit to her daughters, Mrs. Guy Speck of Post City.

Mr. Sam Chapman and family ate a fish dinner with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith of Haskell.

Miss Beulah May Summers of Sagerton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ellen Reising and family.

Mr. John Robert Frazier passed away last Saturday and was laid to rest Sunday morning in Rochester Cemetery. Rev. M. R. Pike, pastor of the Methodist Church conducted the funeral services at the grave.

It won't be long until we're causing the heat.

A Hollywood star figures he gets \$10 a word in every talkie. And yet they say talk is cheap.

SAYLES

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore and baby are visiting her parents on the Plains.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Odie Bland died Friday morning. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

Raymond Melton came home from McCamey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harris and boys of Midway, Mrs. H. E. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chapman and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Harris and son. Also Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Harris and children visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harris Sunday.

Miss Emma Wiseman is on the sick list.

Mrs. E. A. Fouts came home Saturday after spending several weeks in Rule and Haskell.

Mrs. M. H. Guinn, Mrs. Leonard Banks and children visited Mrs. Hansford Harris, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bland, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Owens of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Strickland, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor and

IRBY

Health in our community is good at present.

The Irby nine moved to Cottonwood Sunday afternoon and played the Cottonwood nine a game of baseball. The Irby boys won the game. They will play Cottonwood Sunday again at Irby.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Optiz and children were in our midst Wednesday.

Miss Sophie Arend of Vontress and Leonard Force of Roberts, Alton, Willie and Ernest Peiser spent

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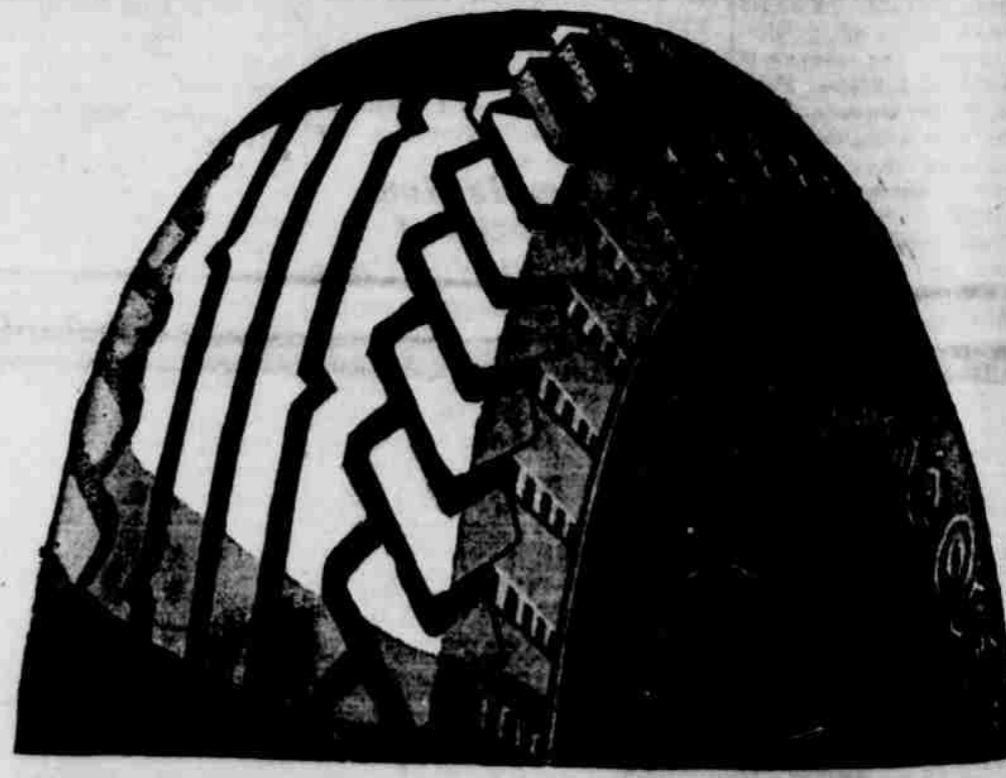
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SOCIETY and Club

Colonial Bridge Club.
Mrs. Bailey Post entertained members of the Colonial Bridge Club last Tuesday afternoon. Markers and rose buds were used in the decorations. Refreshments were served to the attending members and guests: Mesdames Lynn Pace, Herman Davis, Tom Davis, W. P. Trice, V. Davis, Jim Williams of Ft. Worth, Dennis Ratliff, Virgil Reynolds, Bert Welsh, Marvin Post of Marillo, Roy Ratliff; Misses Mary E. Eunice Huckabae, Lela Smith, Maurine Couch, Madalin Post and the hostess.

W. D. Koonce Letter.
Dear Lil:
Why didn't you come to church Sunday night? You missed the election of officers and that handsome Lance Webb spoke, too. Now that you are just dying to know that you are just dying to know who the officers are. Well, Ed Pippen is the president and Andy one, too. You remember she kept our league going last summer while Mrs. Foote and the president were both gone, don't you? John Oates, Jr. is the Vice President and we know he is good because of the good work he has done as treasurer the past year. Elizabeth Gilbert is secretary; Margaret Richey, corresponding secretary; Howard Wilson, treasurer; Ed Kinnison, reporter; Althea Davis, Era Agent; Madge Hamilton, first department superintendent; Felix Mullino, second department superintendent; R. P. Chamberlain, third department superintendent; Lillian Kaigler, fourth department superintendent. You know about those leaguers who have gone to Abilene to the assembly don't you? I bet they had a glorious time. Sunday night Mrs. Foote talked some about going to assembly. Our league had four or five representatives. Be sure and come to league Sunday night at 7 o'clock. We need your friend,
Lib.

Mid H. D. Club.
The New Mid Home Demonstration Club met at the school house Wednesday evening, May 27th regular meeting day with 14 members present.
Miss Partlow was present and gave a quite an interesting talk on household Lenens.
We discussed our plans for the summer. Quite a few are planning to go next week, June 8th and in Knox County at Union Grove.
Club members be sure and come to our meetings. We have a good time. Let us make the best of it.
—Reporter.

Helena Bagby Circle.
Mrs. J. P. Payne was hostess to Helena Bagby Circle Monday afternoon. Mrs. Taylor gave the optional and Mrs. R. C. Couch the opening prayer. Mrs. Cates then read our lesson on "Larger Stewardship." Finishing our book our committee decided to disband for the next three months, with all circles meeting at the church once each month in our Royal Service Program.
We will meet next Monday evening at 6 o'clock with Mrs. Taylor as social meeting and reveal our plans. Please let every member know and honor your Pal with a

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Haskell County History

As Revealed by the Files of the Free Press 20, 30 and 40 years ago.

Twenty Years Ago Today—1917

Mrs. Henry Alexander left Thursday morning for Galesburg, Ill., where she goes to visit her parents and attend the marriage of her sister, Miss Zou McDill which takes place on the 15th inst.

Miss Ruby Beavers who has been visiting her sister in Bell County has returned home.

Hale Neathery has returned from Abilene and is spending a few days with his parents.

Mr. David Garnier has adjusted his loss with the insurance company \$3,000.00. The Elks adjusted theirs at \$1,346.00 and Dr. Robertson adjusted his at \$750.00. We understand that most of those who suffered in the fire are having their losses very satisfactorily adjusted.

W. A. Watley left the middle of last week in his auto, for Coleman on business and a pleasure trip.

Spencer & Richardson have put up a bulletin board in their drug store and every evening they get the returns on the days games in the Texas League. It is quite handy for those who are interested in Baseball as it is always a day late before the papers get here.

J. E. Mansell and W. K. Bagwell of Rochester were in the city on business last week.

Mrs. E. A. Chambers and children returned from Seymour Sunday evening where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde F. Elkins returned from Austin Thursday.

Alvy R. Couch Cashier of the Weinst State Bank was in the city Tuesday.

W. L. Howard was in town Tuesday and reports a good rain fall Sunday at Whits Chapel. He reports that the grasshoppers have destroyed a good deal of his cotton, but have not hurt the feed crop.

County arrived Tuesday and will buy land and locate in the county. Mr. Mills is a sister of Judge P. D. Sanders.

Mrs. J. F. Pinkerton and Mrs. J. B. Baker went to Waco Tuesday to attend the State convention of the Christian Church.

John Robertson was over from Aspermont a day or so this week, while here he contracted with Mr. Townes to build him a house on his ranch about two miles from Aspermont. Mr. Townes left Thursday morning for that purpose.

A delegation of Odd Fellows came down from Seymour last Thursday and organized a lodge of that order at this place with 20 members. The following gentlemen were elected officers for the first term. W. E. Sherrill, N. G.; H. H. Nisbett, V. C.; H. R. Jones, Treasurer; A. C. Foster, Treas. Protom; J. W. Meadors, Secretary; E. S. Springer, Warden; W. B. Roberts, Conductor; J. B. Baker, Inside Guardian; J. T. Ellis, Outside Guardian.

The Mason's held an election on last Saturday night and the following lodge officers were elected for the ensuing year: A. C. Foster, W. W.; F. G. Alexander, S. W.; E. P. Springer, J. W.; L. T. Litsey, Sec.; G. R. Couch, Treas.; C. A. Norris, Tiler.

We learned Friday that a movement was on foot to incorporate the town, but had no space left in which to discuss the question.

Judge H. R. Jones and wife returned home Thursday.

Mr. W. J. Sowell bought the B. L. Frost residence this week, on the east side of town for a cash consideration of \$500.00. He will add some improvements to the place.

Forty Years Ago Today—1897
Let everybody turn out Saturday 13th inst. and arrange to celebrate the 4th day of July. Such occasions as this bring people together and cultivates a good feeling in the community. It gives the new comers an opportunity to get acquainted and cultivates a realization that he is one of us. Lets excel all other previous celebrations.

Dr. M. L. Haggard reports a very destructive hail storm in his neighborhood that came last Monday and he says that fully two-thirds of the wheat was ruined and corn was slightly damaged, and cotton that had been chopped to a stand was slightly damaged. He says that oats are doing fine and were not damaged.

Several wagons and teams with grading tools have arrived at Haskell and are preparing to begin work

Thirty Years Ago Today—1907
J. W. Wright one of Throckmorton's leading attorneys gave us a call yesterday on his way to Crosby county where he is looking after some land matters.

Miss Annie Coker has resigned her position with the telephone company and will spend the summer with her family in the country and rest up.

Dr. J. F. Bunkley and wife visited friends here and at Stamford this week.

H. N. Frost of Mineral Wells, our one time citizen arrived Wednesday night on a visit with his parents and children who have been here since the loss of their mother.

Mr. J. E. Irby and family arrived last week from Denton County and will make their future home here. They are at present on the farm with their sons "The Irby Boys" as they are familiarly known. But expect to secure a place in town and move in, in time for the opening of school this fall.

J. A. Mills and family of Grimes

Mrs. C. M. Kaigler Begins Summer Classes
Mrs. Kaigler will teach summer classes for beginners, intermediates and business girls and women. Special classes will be held at night in physical culture, voice training, and proper breathing. See Mrs. Kaigler for terms.

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To Address Editors



JNO. W. CARPENTER

on the railroad to this place. They were ordered here from New Mexico. They are very reticent and refused to give any information concerning their business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lomax, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Long, Mrs. J. C. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rupe, and Misses Carrie Rogers, Lizzie Crites and Hugh Rogers have returned from a trip to the Clear Fork. They caught fish aplenty and had a good time generally.

Haskell County has 2,500 inhabitants. The outstanding indebtedness of the county is in round numbers \$25,000. This is \$10.00 per capita for each inhabitant in the county.

Mrs. Lizzie Grimes and children and Mrs. Mattie Rutledge of Roby are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Marcy. Mrs. Grimes is a sister of Mrs. Marcy.

M. S. Pierson and daughter Miss Alice, and sons William and Marshall left Thursday for Emory.

M. S. Shook and M. S. Tandy were in the city Thursday.

Wat Fitzgerald, J. A. Bailey and Wm. Ward were in the city Tuesday.

W. D. Koonce was in the City Thursday.

A. B. Carothers was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Foster, Miss Lera Riddle and Mr. Ledbetter left Sunday for Belknap to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Industrial development is one of the greatest of Texas' present needs. Significance of this condition will be outlined by John W. Carpenter, president of the Texas Power and Light Company, before the Texas Press Association in its annual convention in San Angelo, June 12th.

Mr. Carpenter is recognized as one of the keenest students of Texas needs. He has been a leader in numerous movements during recent years pointing toward decentraliza-

tion of industry. Mr. Carpenter recently declared "Our smaller towns are the white corpuscles in the blood of Texas. For several years they have been constantly losing their virility. Today's trend is away from them. If they are to survive which in turn means if Texas survives, they must have some industrial development. It is up to Texas to see that they get it."

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PINTO BEANS Today— 10 lbs.— 37c and 42c Less Year Ago— 10 lbs.— 79c	BANANAS Today— 3 lbs.— 3c and 4 1/2c Less Year Ago— 8c
New Potatoes No. 1 BEST GRADE Today— 10 lbs.— 15c and 24c Less Year Ago— 10 lbs.— 39c	COFFEE MAXWELL HOUSE Today— 3 lbs.— 89c and 35c Less Year Ago— 3 lbs.— \$1.24
CARROTS LARGE BUNCHES Today— 2 for— 5c and 5 1/2c bu. Less Year Ago— 1 for— 8c	Smoked Bacon SMALL SIDES Today— 1 Pound— 15c and 12c Less Year Ago— 27c
PEAS Black Eyed, about 1-3 Snaps Year Ago 8c pound Today, Lb. 5c	Lemons Sunkist—It Keeps Longer Year Ago, 3c each Today, Each 1 1/2c
FLOUR 48 lbs. EXPRESS (Every sack guaranteed) Year Ago, \$1.69 Today— \$1.09	Spinach WAPCO No. 2 CANS Year Ago, 45c for 3 Today 3 Cans— 32c
Black Pepper Year ago 58c lb. Today lb. 34c	OATS CHECKR, Large Package Year Ago, 25c Today 19c
Catsup Year Ago, 25c Large Bottle Today 15c	Catsup Year Ago, 15c Today, Small Bottle 10c

Some Great With Advantages

TRADER HORN

Texas Theatre Next Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

Harrison, premier reviewer and an individual that can be depended upon to tell the actual facts about pictures he reviews, says the following about the great **TRADER HORN**:

If the most exciting scenes of every wild animal picture photographed to this day were put together they would hardly make a picture that would equal "Trader Horn" in interest and suspense. This would be true even if one were to leave the sound in "Trader Horn" out of consideration. But with the sound taken into consideration, one is forced to come to the conclusion that it will be decades before another such picture will be produced. It is not only the scenes of the fights of ferocious animals, and the fact that sound makes them realistic; it is because, first, they are interwoven into a story with deep human appeal, and secondly, the play-selected for the part of Trader Horn has been made for it. Harry Carey is not only an actor, and a finished one, having appeared on the stage in addition to the screen, but is also a real human being; he is in the picture just what he is in life—a regular fellow, a man who has remained unspoiled despite his success. His voice is manly and yet melodious; and it registers well. Manifestly Irving Thalberg, the MGM production chief, knew what he was doing when he selected him for the part.

The story is a simple one—A missionary woman had heard that her daughter who when a baby had been abducted by the savages on one of her raids, was alive and sets out to find her. Trader Horn meets her and warns her of the danger. But she goes on. Horn follows her with the hope of aiding her. He soon comes upon her body and in accordance with a promise he had given her, goes on to rescue the girl. He succeeds after risking his life.

As to the animal scenes, the equal of them have not been seen in pictures. The first animal fight the travellers encounter is between a laughing hyena and a lion. It is ferocious. Later they come upon zebras, three different types of gazelle, leaping impallas, giraffes ostriches, water bucks, baboons and other animals. The next fight is when a leopard sneaks behind a baboon; the other baboons tear at the leopard, until they force him to give up his prey: The cries of the animals naturally make this scene so realistic that one is frightened as if one were present. Travelling further on they come upon giraffe-neck gazelles, storks, ferocious wild dogs, jackals, and vast herds of buffalo. There is a tragedy when they come upon a rhinoceros; the horrible-looking huge beast charges at them and they shoot the animal just in time. But one of the blacks is killed—the animal pounces on him before they had a chance to kill it.

The scenes that show them captured by the Isorgi; the rites in preparation for their sacrifice, which they are forced to witness all through the night, hold one in breathless suspense. And so are the scenes of the time they are shown running away from the savages, they are without escape. During the time they are shown running away from the savages, they are without escape. They come upon a lion, who was ready to pounce on a zebra. They wait with hope of being able to get part of the zebra for food. The lion leaps upon the zebra and is joined by three other lions. Afterward a terrific fight ensues between the lions for the "spoils." The men leave the girl alone up in a tree while they wait for a chance to get part of the meat. She descends and while away from the tree she comes face to face with a ferocious lion. She screams for help. They yell to her to lie flat on the ground, and after she does this the lion leaps over her. The gun bearer kills the lion by driving a pole into his mouth. They "shoo" the other lions away and secure some of the meat. These scenes are blood-curdling.

If you want to see and want your children to see a good clean educational picture, one that is authentic in every way, one that thrills you as never before, one that you will want to see over and over again, then see **TRADER HORN** at the Texas Theatre, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Rural Community News Items

HOWARD

Miss Myrtle McCrary is visiting relatives this week near Albany.

Mr. John Crowder and Miss Jewell Tidwell are attending summer school at Haskell which started May 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tsuji and little daughter of Stamford spent Sunday in the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Emmer Medford and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Landess and children visited relatives at Hamlin, Sunday as a week ago.

Mrs. Emmer Cox and children of near Haskell visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crump and little son, also Mrs. Keel and children visited in the Weaver community Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Novak of Palestine, Texas spent the past week visiting the former's mother Mrs. Wesley Brown and family.

Rev. Novak preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night. A large crowd attended both of these services.

The sad news reached Mrs. Wells last Sunday that her father of near Weatherford, Texas, who has been ill for several weeks was dead. The sympathy of this community goes out to her.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wiley and children of Stamford visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Fowler and baby of the Gauntt community spent Thursday night in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Medford and family.

Several from this community attended the plays at Gauntt and Post Friday night.

GAUNTT

The play at the school house Friday night went over big. Quite a large crowd was there.

Carl Fowler and Reufus Yarbrough left Sunday morning for Brownfield to make the harvest there.

The dance at Bowman's Saturday night was enjoyed by everyone present.

Mrs. S. B. Spurlin and children spent the week-end in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Woodie Culpeper, of Tanner Point.

Mrs. Clay Kimbrough, Sr. visited Mrs. Gladys Foster Sunday afternoon.

The farmers in this community are harvesting the wheat.

Otto Spurlin received the bad luck of getting two of his fingers crushed last Monday while working on the windmill. They are much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Fowler spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Medford of Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Short and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster of New Cook visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pittman of Stayton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dray Pittman. They returned Sunday morning and were accompanied by Archie Pittman of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bynum and daughter La Verne, of Haskell visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Russell, Friday night.

The health of the community is good at this writing.

ROSE

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lusk spent Sunday in the Midway community visiting L. N. Lusk and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tidwell and little son Bobbie Gene of Howard took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ike West, Sunday.

Edna Mae Davis spent a few days last week with relatives in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Patterson, also Cohn Henshaw of Haskell were in our midst Sunday night.

Miss Nora West of Benjamin, also Mrs. Ike West's mother of San Antonio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ike West this week.

Juanita Matthews of Haskell spent the first part of last week in this community. Teria Patterson

returned home with her for a few days visit.

Several from this community attended the play at Gauntt Friday night.

Mrs. J. A. Newby has returned home from Sherman where she has been at the bedside of her mother and who passed away last Sunday. Mrs. Newby's father returned home with her.

Miss Ethel Wolfe spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis and family.

Doc Patterson spent Saturday night in Haskell.

Cecil Reeves of Hemphill Lake was in our midst Sunday afternoon.

Sunday School was well attended Sunday. We have a contest started between the Reds and Blues. The Reds are ahead at present. Everyone come and help us in this contest and you will be served right when it is over with. Remember we start our Sunday School each Sunday strictly at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed Robertson of Quannah was visiting her son Ed Robertson of this place Sunday.

Several girls from here went on a hike last Tuesday. They declare they had plenty to eat and a good place to go swimming.

Mrs. W. J. Kendrick gave a quilting last week. Every one that wanted to come and quilt from other communities were given their dinner while the women of this community served a bountiful lunch at noon hour. Three quilts were quilted before night, two of the quilts being for Mrs. Fred Kendrick and the other for Mrs. Frank Patterson. Those attending this affair were:

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Landess and Mr. and Mrs. B. Kingston of Howard; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Patterson and Mrs. Will Bland of the Center Point community, also Mrs. McKinney of Seymour; Mesdames Claud Gordon, R. E. Lusk, J. A. Newby, Bert Davis, Will Scheets, Clifford Rose, Grady Scott, Frank Patterson, Richard Spinks, Fred Kendrick and Misses Mary Scheets, Teria and Lenny Patterson, Edna Mae Davis and Essie Scott and Mr. Will Kendrick, Frank Patterson, Bert Davis and Fred Kendrick.

The next Quilting will be with Mrs. J. A. Newby June 23. Every one come and take part but don't forget that dish of something good to eat at noon time.

NEW COOK

Well here we are again after being absent for the past two weeks. Every thing is going on nicely in our community. All are busy planting since the nice rain that fell Thursday and Friday.

School closed Friday May 22nd on Wednesday night, a play, "Light House Nan" was given by the tenth grade pupils. Mr. Owens had charge of the play. Then on Thursday a program was rendered by the smaller grades. On Friday night seventh grade graduation exercises. The following program was carried out:

March—Miss Tarpley.

Invocation—W. W. Vernon.

Salutatory—Lera Sellers.

Class Song—"Our Yesterdays."

Graduation Day—Oleta Leggett.

Valedictory—Francis Allison.

Introduction of Speakers—Rev. Chas. A. Tucker.

Presentation of Diplomas—Mrs. Suther.

Benediction—Miss Minnie Ellis.

The singing at the home of Mr. Vernon Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Nora Sonnemaker will entertain with a singing next Sunday night.

Elgin Wright entertained the young folks of the community with a party Saturday night. All reported a nice time.

Sam Wright's aunt of DeLeon is visiting him.

Mr. and Mrs. Perdue spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gipson of Rule.

Ray Bain of Rule spent the week-end with Henry Taylor.

Mr. J. A. Opry has returned home from Dallas where he underwent an operation for his eyes.

Arb Hammit made a business trip to Breckenridge Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rural Johnston spent the week-end with the former's parents of south of Rule.

Miss Alma Austin is visiting friends and relatives in East Texas.

Mr. John Wright and family visited relatives in Rule Sunday.

New Cook defeated Foster in baseball Sunday.

Keith Corns and Miss Lola Mae Sellers surprised their friends by getting married, May 22. They have many friends who wish them the most of happiness.

Miss Lucile Maudin is at home for the summer. She has been attending the Rule high school.

Miss Juanita Morgan of this community was one among those who graduated from the R. H. S.

COTTONWOOD

There was a very large crowd at Sunday School Sunday and singing Sunday night. There will be church services next Sunday. Everyone come and bring some one with you. Bro. Hubert Sego will preach.

We had a very interesting ball game last Sunday afternoon, played by Cottonwood and Irby. Irby won out by one point. They will play again next Sunday at Irby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tanner and little daughter have been visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Pearl Patterson of Center Point has been spending the last two weeks with her little friend Ruby Stodghill of this community.

Mr. Leonard Force and Mr. Elvis Derr of the Roberts community was in our midst Sunday night.

Mrs. W. M. Bledsoe returned home Sunday morning from Snyder, Texas where she has been visiting her son, Hubert Bledsoe.

Eula and Bulah Force, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Force, Jewel Roberts of the Roberts community attended the ball game at this place Sunday evening.

Ether and Lillie Drusedow was in our midst Sunday afternoon.

Orvil Williamson was a pleasant caller in the home of C. P. Jones last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Merchant had as their guests last Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. John Isbell from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Patterson of Center Point spent Sunday night with Slover Bledsoe and wife.

Miss Veta Weaver who has been teaching school at this place left Monday morning for Canyon where she will attend school.

Edna Robertson who has been attending school at Seymour has returned home for the summer.

Mrs. Charlie Capps from Dallas is visiting her parents of this community.

W. M. Bledsoe and Ray Reeves went to Abilene, Wednesday.

The ladies of this community cleaned off the church yard Tuesday afternoon.

The H. D. Club ladies of this community are planning very much on going to the encampment near Knox City.

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned Kaech Cotton Seed, second year seed, \$1.00 per bushel. Ferris Ranch Co., Wadner, Texas. R. A. Burdett, Manager.

The flapper, says a fashion note, has vanished. Probably a case of too much vanishing cream.

FOR SALE—New Two Row Horse Draw Cultivators at Bargain Prices. Jones Cox & Co. Ste.

FOR SALE—3 and 4 weeks old Chicks as cheap as 10c each. W. P. Trice.

LOST—Log chain about 100 long with hook on each end. Paid out of my wagon in front of Cunningham place north town. Return to Walter Winters.

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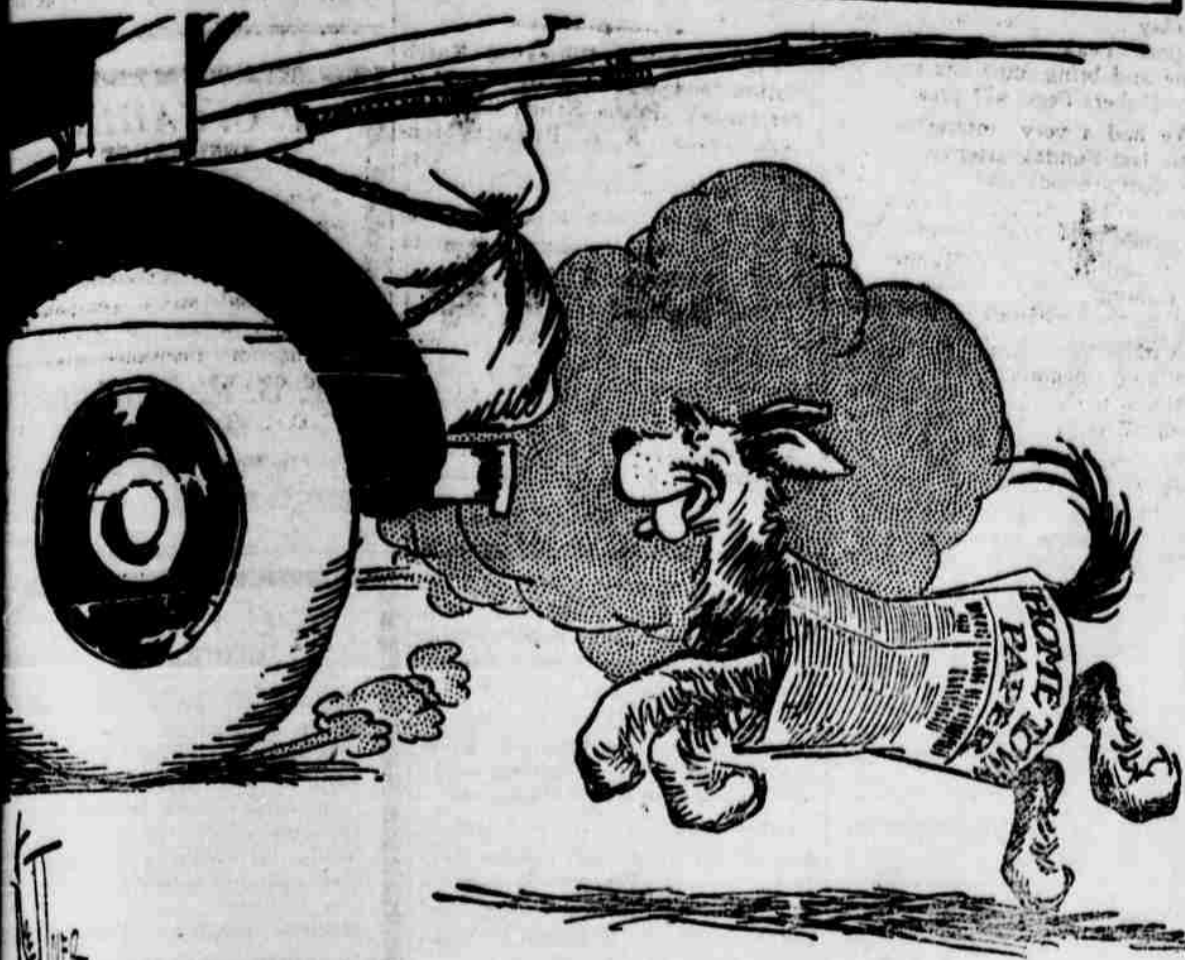
- Ten Cent Counter**
Our ten cent Counter is attracting much attention. Every thing is 10 cents a yard: gingham, percales, curtain materials, prints, **10c per yard**
- Children's Shoes**
100 pairs of little childrens slippers. Every one good style and values that sold from \$1.00 up. **49c per pair**
- Table Damask**
Assortment of pure linen imported demask that sold from \$2.50 to \$3.50 per yard **98c**
- Men's Fancy Socks**
Good line of fancy patterns and sizes. The kind you pay a quarter for **13c**
- Women's Hats**
Styles carried over from last season. Some sold formerly at \$4.95. While they last **49c**
- Bloomers and Step-Ins**
Womens and childrens garments that sold several times over what we are asking for them. **79c**
- New Wash Dresses and Pajamas**
Bought from the manufacturers at a low price. See them for real value. **98c to \$1.89**
- Children's Coveralls**
One lot of childrens good play suits and coveralls, including Lee's and other good makes. \$1.00 and up for only **49c**
- Silk Dresses**
Still a few left that were carried over from last season. Some of them sold formerly at \$35.00. All short lengths, but with a little alteration can be made good styles. **\$2.95 Each**

Variety Store Savings!

- BROOMS**—a good four strand broom **19c**
- LARGE GLASS FLOWER VASES**—a very pretty 25c vase for only **5c**
- CURTAIN RODS**—Round extension rods with brackets and nails. Each **5c**
- TOILET PAPER**—Capitol Toilet Tissue. Big 5c roll of soft paper. 8 rolls for **25c**
- BOX STATIONERY**—Good quality paper, a regular 25c box. Per box **10c**
- LADIES HOUSE SHOES**—Every pair in stock to be sold. Values up to \$1.00 **35c**
- EMBROIDERY THREAD**—Silkine Embroidery Thread. Good selection clean fresh stock. Three for **5c**
- TOILET SOAPS**—Every bar of 10c Toilet Soap in the store to be sold at **5c**
- WINDOW SHADES**—Big stock of extra wide Columbia brand in plain and scalloped fringes. **HALF PRICE**
- CUPS AND SAUCERS**—Good and good quality (plain) Per set **49c**
- BOWLS AND FLATTERS**—Plain and decorated, all regular 25c and 35c values **15c**
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- HARVEST HATS**—All styles that formerly sold at 49c and up to 75c **25c**

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Op' Faithful



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Goree visited Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Ray Overton, Thursday. Rev. Johnson is pastor of the Goree Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Ivy and children, Horace and Edna, also Otho Nanny spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivy's daughter and family.

The Epworth League elected officers for the League, Sunday night. Eugene Overton was re-elected president with Mr. E. C. Watson, vice president; Beryl Montgomery, secretary; with Woodrow and Raymond Adcock Group Leaders.

A splendid program was rendered by the B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon. The following Epworth Leaguers made good talks before the B. Y. P. U.: Marvin Stanford, Woodrow Adcock, Eugene Overton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Overby of Plainview attended Sunday School at the M. E. Church Sunday morning.

Last week marked the closing of another successful school year in the Post School with the same teachers re-elected for another year, making the 13th school term for the principal, Mr. Elmer C. Watson the fourth for Miss Vada Cole from Post City and the second for Miss Josephine Gardner from Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Adcock are spending the week with the former's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Middleton and Mrs. Austin, also Mr. Guillet, all of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. Vasco Guillet, Thursday.

Mr. Arthur Simpson from Sims, Ark., is visiting his sister Mrs. Vasco Guillet.

Mr. and Mrs. Cody West from the Ballew community visited relatives in this community, Sunday.

Little Jackie Chamberlain who is living with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Middleton in Stamford visited her grandfather Mr. Frank Simmons, Thursday and Friday of last week.

The community supper at the school house Tuesday night was enjoyed by a large crowd with plenty of good things to eat.

Mr. J. W. Adcock brought out a new combine last week. Mr. R. H. Darnell and Mr. Jim Gilstrap visited their farming interests Thursday.

Luke Darnell of Haskell visited his brother, Bill Darnell and sister Mrs. Horace Hood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lusk and children visited Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Ivy Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole of Post City came by Saturday after their daughter Miss Vada Cole and Aletha to go to Abilene and then to Post City. Miss Vada will attend school in Texas Tech this summer.

Earnest McElreath of Stamford who receives his degree at Baylor the 27th visited his sister Mrs. E. C. Watson, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walling of Haskell visited the latter's brother Mr. E. C. Watson and family and attended the program Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee visited their sons Henry and Harry in Haskell Saturday.

community Wednesday of last week. The H. D. Social given in the home of Mrs. T. M. Patterson was enjoyed by all present.

Ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Bird, W. E. Bland, W. T. Morgan, T. P. Morgan, Mrs. P. C. Patterson and Mrs. T. J. Johnston of Haskell, several youngsters and the host and hostess.

Club will meet with Mrs. P. C. Patterson Thursday of this week.

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Plymouth Rock Eggs, 2c Each. W. W. Johnson.

LOST—Boys black and sand ox-ford, size one, Saturday night. Finder please return to the Free Press.

AN ORDINANCE An Ordinance to Amend Section No. 2 of an Ordinance Regulating the Production of Milk to be Sold in the City of Haskell, Texas and Prescribing a Penalty for Violation Thereof.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas: That Section No. 2 of an Ordinance Regulating the Production of Milk to be Sold in the City of Haskell, Texas, and Prescribing a Penalty for the Violations Thereof and Declaring an Emergency, as passed March 19th, 1931 be amended as follows: All cows from which milk is taken to be sold in the City of

Haskell, Texas, shall be examined for tuberculosis or other infectious diseases two times in each year at intervals of time not to exceed six months by some licensed veterinarian. There shall be filed with the City Secretary of the City of Haskell a certificate of such examination within ten days from the date of such examination.

That all other Sections and Provisions of an Ordinance Regulating the Production of Milk to be Sold in the City of Haskell, Texas and Prescribing a Penalty for Violations Thereof as passed March 19th, 1931 shall remain in full force and effect. Passed this 7th day of May, 1931. Approved this 7th day of May, 1931.

(Seal) Emory Menefee, Mayor. Attest: D. H. Perrin, City Secy. e

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GREAT INTEREST SHOWN IN THE INTERNATIONAL CANNING CONTEST FOR 1931

Great interest is being shown in the International Canning Contest in Haskell County. Mrs. E. E. Welsh, 4-H Club Leader, has received 33 free Ball Mason jars for the women and girls in the county who are interested in winning prizes in the 1931 International Canning Contest.

Haskell County will receive much publicity by getting in entries immediately. Contestants may enter any canned product. There are seven classes, as follows: Fruit, Vegetables, Meat, Jelly, (including Jam, Preserves, Fruit Butters, Marmalades, etc.), Pickles, Unusual Packs, and the Balanced Meal. Any preferred method of canning may be used.

Home Missions—Blanche Frierson, Christian Education and Ministerial Relief—Mary Pearsey. Religious Education and Publication—Dixie Orr. Stewardship of Possessions—Reynolds Wilson. Christian Social Service—Mary Sue Hester.

The above chairmen will work out a program for the Endeavor and the group leaders will see to it that their members get their parts and give same at the meetings.

The program for the year to be studied is the Kingdom Highways.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Adcock are spending the week with the former's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Middleton and Mrs. Austin, also Mr. Guillet, all of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. Vasco Guillet, Thursday.

Mr. Arthur Simpson from Sims, Ark., is visiting his sister Mrs. Vasco Guillet.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartfield of the Gauntt community visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hartfield Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Montgomery and daughter spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Montgomery's father, Mr. Wm. Welch in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and children of the Howard community spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook and Mr. and Mrs. Will West attended church at Howard Sunday morning and spent the rest of the day with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin.

Elmer Giddens, Jr. of Sayles spent Sunday with his cousins, James and Grady Adcock.

Mr. L. C. Smith who has spent the winter in Goree is back at home with his daughter Mrs. Ray Overton.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of

Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

Table listing prices for GROWENA 100 Pounds \$3.15, OYSTER SHELLS 100 Pounds \$1.20, OMOLENE 100 Pounds \$2.15, BLUE KETTLE, H. & M. FEED 100 Pounds \$1.85, HOMINY FEED 100 Pounds \$1.30.

SEARS - ROEBUCK Poultry Truck will be at Our Store Saturday and will buy all kinds of Poultry: Heavy Hens, per pound 16c, Light Hens, per pound 14c, Leghorns, 4 lbs and over, per lb. 16c, Springs, per pound 19c and 21c, Turkeys, per pound 15c and 18c.

Porter, White & Trice PHONE 48

HOPE FOR HEALTH RETURNS WITH FIRST BOTTLE OF FAMED HERB EXTRACT

Advertisement for Herb Extract medicine, including text about regaining health and a testimonial from J. F. Watson.

Restless, could not sleep

Advertisement for Cardui medicine, featuring a testimonial about sleep and health.

Large advertisement for The Haskell Free Press featuring a woman sitting at a typewriter and the slogan 'The Salesman that's ALWAYS Welcome'.

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SAFETY RESTS WITH THE INDIVIDUAL

During 1930, insurance companies paid out \$300,000,000 as a result of automobile accidents—only a little less than was paid out for fire loss. The automobile death toll of 32,000 was about 7,000 more than were killed in industrial accidents.

In both waste of life and cost to the public—casualty insurance rates are a direct reflection of accident statistics—careless and incompetently handled automobiles constitute one of our foremost problems.

At one time it was believed that the ends of safety could be advanced by improved roads, cars and the like. But experience has given this theory a sad blow. It is not uncommon for some new and important development—such as four-wheel brakes, better tires, or lower center of gravity in a car—to result in more accidents, due to the public overrating the new safety factor. For the same reason removing hazards from a stretch of highway will sometimes result in more accidents occurring there as a result of more careless driving.

New safety authorities recognize that the most important factors are not roads and automobiles, but driver and pedestrian. They must absorb the "safety idea" if any definite progress in automobile accident prevention is to be made. The difficulties in spreading this idea are obvious—at present about 40,000,000 people drive the 27,000,000 cars in this country.

So the problem comes down to this—a sense of responsibility on the part of the individual motorist and pedestrian. Users of the streets and highways have it in their power to make those streets and highways safe—no one else can do it for them.

PUBLIC EXPENDITURES THAT BRING RETURNS

Three main causes are advancing the secondary road movement: the need for relieving congestion on main highways, the efforts being made in all states to reduce taxes and keep down governmental expense, and—perhaps greatest importance—the necessity of giving farmers year-round contacts with markets and the outside world.

Good secondary roads are a perennial attraction to tourists who welcome the opportunity to see the "back country" that main highways often avoid. They bring business to small towns and rural and semi-rural areas that would otherwise go principally to the larger cities. It has been found that the average cost of a good, year-round secondary road, made waterproof, dustless and mudless by use of asphalt or road oil, and suitable for a fair amount of traffic, is but \$4,000 a mile—about one-eighth the cost of standard hard paving. Upkeep expenses are likewise low and such roads may be adapted to their territories by using local materials as the base.

From the standpoint of the farmer, good roads are indispensable. They mean an end to the time when he stayed home in the bad weather, or started for town and got mired. They remove the obstacles in the way of receiving medical attention and fire fighting facilities, of sending his children to and from school. They are the best investment the states have ever made in behalf of agriculture and the small town.

It is no wonder the good roads movement is making great progress even in a time when "money is tight." The public is learning that tax money invested in good roads is one of the few forms of public expenditures for which the people get more in return than they pay out.

MOST PROSPEROUS NATION IN WORLD IS FRANCE

France is today the most prosperous nation in the world, according to figures assembled by Dr. Julius Klein, Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

"In a world harassed by depression and economic anxiety, France's well-being is conspicuously impressive," Dr. Klein writes in *Collier's Weekly*. "Measured by almost every index, she has stood forth in the past few years as the most prosperous of nations."

"Until recently her unemployment has been practically nil, whereas the jobless armies in America, England, Germany and Italy totaled this winter at their peak some 14,000,000 or more. Her per-capita gold holdings at this writing are about \$67, as against \$12 for Switzerland, \$39 for Argentina, \$34 for the United States, with England, Germany and Italy straggling far behind. In iron and steel exports, that great staple indicator of power in world trade, she has in the past five years stood at the head of the exporting nations.

"In telegraph-wire mileage, her people are now better equipped than any in Europe, with a per-capita average nearly three times that of Germany or Italy and seventy per cent greater than that of England. Her roads in proportion to population are likewise far and away the most adequate on the globe; her improved road mileage per 10,000 of population is 99, whereas that of the United States is 51, England 39, Germany 34 and Italy 28."

Here is the second greatest colonial empire on the globe and it is worth nothing that practically all of it has been acquired since her debacle in 1871. The vital significance of that empire as an element in her present day economic preeminence is all too frequently overlooked; indeed her colonial commerce is the most important single factor in her

external trade, outranking that of any other geographic entity both as a market and a source of supply for the mother country. She is putting this empire on parade this summer with a colonial exposition at Paris. It will be a revelation to the rest of the world, which is not as familiar as it might be with the amazing post-war progress of French engineering, tropical sanitation and similar fields of colonial endeavor.

THE BLIGHT OF THE HOUSEHOLD

The fly is a most deadly insect, carrying millions of disease germs on its feet and legs. It drags its dirty sticky feet and legs over the filth and refuse, and then enters the home and contaminates the food on the table and leaves its dirty filthy disease germs as it alights on children and babies.

Do not swat the fly, its diseased and exposed body, when crushed, is still a danger to the health of your family. Kill flies in the room by using one of the better types of insect spray, which have been developed and marketed in the past three years by the large oil refining companies, who are now advertising their products in this paper



It is reported that General Butler would like to be in the United States Senate. Probably so that he could say what he pleases without responsibility.

Every man has the delusion that some day, somehow, he'll get out of debt.

One advantage about Gandhi's mode of dress is that it doesn't take him long to make his toilet in the morning.

Here They Come



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The wise wife keeps her husband truthful by not asking him too many questions.

Another thing this country needs is a good five-cent tip.

It's never safe to trust the fellow who gives nobody credit for honesty.

Why is it that a fellow's finger always has to hit the edge of the old razor blade on the bathroom shelf?

One thing in favor of the man who kills himself—he generally gets the one responsible for his troubles.

The census shows that widows are more numerous than widowers, which confirms the belief that women learn quicker than men.

It's reported that complaints are being heard in some cities because the soup kitchens do not give curb service to automobiles.

An Englishman makes the declaration that Americans are "indifferent tea drinkers." And a right snappy comeback would be that Englishmen are drinkers of indifferent coffee.

A prominent dentist says the American mouth is getting larger. That's probably due to the habit of eating those barbecue sandwiches.

A government hunter in Arizona has killed 2,300 coyotes. Mayor Cermak ought to get him on the Chicago police force.

An economist says that a too rapid return of prosperity might prove harmful. Most of us could stand a substantial increase in the dose, however, without any ill effects.

Some European nations express fear that the talkies will make all the world talk English. Not the talkies we've heard.

A scientist declares that men consume more food than women. Wonder if he ever took a girl to a night club.

If this consolidation movement keeps up it won't be long until all businesses will be either merged or submerged.

"What is more refreshing than a cold bath in the morning?" asks a writer. The answer: No cold bath in the morning.

Some people are born suckers, others try to get something for nothing, and some go gaga when told the down payment is only \$2.

Nowadays, when Opportunity knocks at a man's door he's likely to be out on the golf links.

An Ohio burglar stole a bathtub and got away with it. Police expect him to come clean.

"KEPT HUSBANDS" COMING TO TEXAS

"Kept Husbands," which is coming to the Texas Theatre, Thursday of next week, offers the modern solution to a problem that faces a large number of married couples who are drifting apart.

And it illustrates in a simple, practical way, how a rich woman and a poor man can compromise the difference in social positions and weld their lives into wedded happiness.

Young people who are contemplating marriage would do well to see this enlightening drama, and those who are already married can profit from its lesson.

The story about a young woman, the daughter of a multi-millionaire steel man, who falls in love with, and later marries one of her father's employees who earns \$45 a week.

By keeping cool heads on their shoulders they work out their problem to a satisfactory conclusion in a way that is replete with interest and entertainment.

The story is taken from life by Louis Sahecky and features Dorothy Mackaill and Joel McCrea under the direction of Lloyd Bacon.

Other members of the cast include such stellar artists as Clara Kimball Young, Bryant Washburn, Mary Carr, Robert McWade, Ned Sparks, Florence Roberts, Freeman Wood and Lita Chevret.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradley and little Don Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith and Sam Hugh went to Abilene Sunday to see Tom Donahoo who is a patient at Alexander Sanitarium.

Mrs. Richard Sherrill and her son from Pittsburg, Pa. are visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherrill and other relatives here.

The vogue of reducing might be worth while if it also applied to heavy artillery.

Dr. B. F. Ammons DENTIST

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"Home Of Perfect Sound"

Program For Week of June 8 to 13

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

HARRY CAREY, EDWINA BOOTH and Others in

"TRADER HORN"

(The Mightiest of All Adventure Pictures)

Thursday

DOROTHY MACKAILL and JOEL MCCREA in

"KEPT HUSBANDS"

Friday and Saturday

BOB STEELE in

"NEAR THE RAINBOW'S END"

Read what Harrison, premier reviewer, has to say about TRADER HORN elsewhere in this paper. Undoubtedly it is the greatest picture of its kind ever made. KEPT HUSBANDS is a pleasing picture, revolving around the marriage of a poor Yale graduate with the daughter of an extremely wealthy man. The action conveys a good moral lesson in that the young hero is shown as a real man, whom wealth cannot spoil. NEAR THE RAINBOW'S END is a typical Bob Steele action picture.

Prices: Due to the extreme high cost to us of TRADER HORN, we will be forced to charge 50c for adults. After seeing it, you will realize its actual worth and be glad that you saw it. No advance in admission for children. Admission prices for other pictures this week remain the same as heretofore.

Old-Fashioned "Ironing Day" Has Been Eliminated

The back-breaking, time-consuming agony of old-fashioned "ironing day"—made more intense by a frantic desire to get through—is but an unhappy memory to progressive Home-managers who have profited by the purchase of a modern and efficient Electric Ironer.



Comfortably seated before a table-height ironer, merely guiding the pieces through smooth-running rollers, these wise housewives complete their ironing in but one-third the time and with but a fraction of the work and nervous strain required by old-fashioned methods. Offering these important time and labor-saving advantages, don't you think a modern Fedelco Ironer a wise investment—especially when the finished work is far superior?



Ask a salesman to arrange a demonstration for you in your own home. The purchase price is unusually low, and operating costs amount to but a few pennies a week! Call him today!

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NEWS FROM OVER WEST TEXAS

Army Worms Damage Grain Crops in McCulloch County.

From the Daily Standard.

The army worm has done considerable damage to small grain over West Texas during the past week or ten days, and recently the situation in McCulloch county has become somewhat alarming, according to County Agent J. D. Prewitt, who is now busy combatting the insect. The army worm hatches out of the ground in the field when conditions reach a certain stage, and they eat the leaves off the straw of wheat, oats and barley, and then the grain from the head is cut off, Prewitt said.

When grain begins to ripen, the worms will do little damage, become too dry and tough. Oats have suffered the most damage, it is stated.

Fire At Postex Mills Damage to Merchandise.

From the Post Dispatch.

Damages amounting from \$15,000 to \$20,000 was done Sunday afternoon when the bleachery and finishing departments of the Postex cotton mills caught fire.

The watchman and helpers managed in curbing the spread of the fire before the Post volunteer department arrived to answer the alarm.

Repairs were made the first of the week. Only minor repairs were necessary to be made, as the greater part of the damage loss was smoked merchandise.

Begin Harvest of Grain Crops in Baylor County.

From Baylor County Banner.

The past week has been an open one in this section, with much work being done toward starting of spring crops. Cotton and feed have been very slow in getting off, with a small per cent of cotton up. Most of the remainder has been planted and will come under favorable conditions. These would include a nice rain, but not the washing variety. It has been threatening the past few days, and favorable clouds are hanging over today.

Harvest has begun in a small way, with oats and barley. Most of the wheat will be ready later, and some of it, with other grain crops, would be much better with another rain.

Army worms have given some concern here, with no extensive damage thus far. The hot, dry weather has evidently checked their operations. It is believed these originated where rank grain fell over after the late freeze, the stalks sprouting out for a later crop.

Shoots Father 4 Times At Quannah Tuesday; Is Released \$2,000 Bond.

From Chickadee Valley News.

E. C. Goree prominent Hardeman county farmer, is in a Quannah hospital with dangerous gunshot wounds, and his daughter, Mrs. Inez Tinker, 23, is under a \$2,000 bond charged with assault with intent to kill, following a shooting affair at the east steps of the court house Tuesday morning about 10:30.

Mr. Goree, who is about 55 years old, was shot four times with a small automatic. Bullets took effect in the hip, arm and leg. His injuries are not believed to be serious unless complications set in.

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Herb Extract hits right at the source of malicious conditions and promptly relieves the agony and discomfort of indigestion, constipation, kidney, bladder and liver troubles. This amazing medicine helps bring back beauty, vigor, health, in nature's own way. It is not a violent purgative. A combination of aromatic dissolved in a natural herb juice promotes normal elimination

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FOR SALE—3 and 4 weeks old Chicks as cheap as 10c each. W. P. Trice.

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Plymouth Rock Eggs, 2c Each. W. W. Johnson.

LOST—Boys black and sand Oxford, size one, Saturday night. Finder please return to the Free Press.

LOST—Log chain about 20 feet long with hook on each end. Dropped out of my wagon in front of old Cunningham place north of town. Return to Walter Wheeler.

FOR SALE—New Two Row Horse Drawn Cultivators at Bargain Prices. Jones Cox & Co. 3tc.

FOR SALE — Recleaned Kasch Cotton Seed, second year seed, \$1.00 per bushel. Ferris Ranch Co., Wainwright, Texas. R. A. Burdett, Manager. 4tp.

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Roger Babson says that farmers can make money raising spinach. Yes, but what farmer would want that on his conscience?

An American woman in Paris has had her face lifted five times. She ought to try putting in a draw string so she could tie the slack up over her ears occasionally.

"Husbands should share the house work with their wives," says a woman's paper. Shame on those selfish husbands who want to do it all themselves.

Those college professors appointed to study prohibition probably won't lose any time in putting it to a test.



Half and Half Cotton

The variety for late planting. I have a few hundred bushels of choice seed left for sale, all machine culled and sacked in new bags at \$1.00 per bushel at seed house in O'Brien. Mr. Farmer, it is now getting late to plant cotton. Therefore plant an early maturing cotton to be safe.

S. N. Reed
O'BRIEN, TEXAS

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D. H. Perrin, City Secretary. 3tc

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To lend on farm and ranch lands located in Haskell, Knox or Stonewall Counties, by the Rule National Farm Loan Association. Rate 5 1/2 per cent. Time 3 1/2 years. Liberal Options; Why Pay More. For full information see—

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SHE—who inspires our mode of living, our social conduct and contacts, our amusements and our travels.

SHE—who is an inveterate and detailed reader of advertising and a practiced discriminator of values.

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PETER VAN STEEDEN



Illustration of a man in a suit dancing with a woman in a dress. The man is wearing a tuxedo and the woman is wearing a dress with a hat. They are in a social setting, possibly a dance floor.

Peter Von Steeden, of New York's 400 Leads Famous Orchestra

New York City.—The real New Yorker wants sweet, soft music. So says Peter Van Steeden, original New Yorker on Broadway. Van Steeden is of Dutch ancestry and represents Father Knickerbocker in New York's night life, being musical director at Whyte's Restaurant, a famous old Wall Street eating house that has recently moved to upper Fifth Avenue.

"The desire for quiet music is a reaction from the noise and the hustle and bustle around us," says the leader. "Most other cities like brass, New York prefers its music muted. This preference for quiet, sweet music has probably been the

salvation of our popular music. If it had persisted in its blatant, early state, it could never have kept its hold on the dancers of the universe.

"While its throb and tempo keeps abreast with the speed at which we are going, its tone does a lot to soothe the tired business man.

"The simpler the song, the better the New Yorker likes it. Small towners adore elaborate arrangements and tricky and intricate rhythms. But 'The Song Without a Name,' simplest popular song since 'Three O'Clock in the Morning,' is the ideal New Yorker song. This melody is easy, the words are simple and straight forward."

Van Steeden belongs to New York's famous four hundred but prefers a strenuous life as musical director, to society.

drama of the jungles. Harry Carey, hero of "Trail of '98," "Silent Sanderson" and many other hits, plays the trader and Edwina Booth, pretty blonde of "Manhattan Cocktail," who volunteered for the arduous trip, is seen as Tina T. Duncan Renaldo, on "Bridge of San Luis Rey" fame, Oliver Golden, former Western star, and Mutia, giant Swahili warrior, who plays Renchero, are among the cast.

Thousands of natives appear, as well as thousands of wild animals of every conceivable variety. The strange African pygmies, who hide in the jungles and fight enemies with poisoned arrows, are also seen in the picture. W. S. Van Dyke, who directed the vivid film, is noted for photoplays made in wild places, such as "The Pagan" and "White Shadows of the South Seas."

The dramatic highlights of the picture include the chase of the dread juju priests of the Isorgi, the barbaric dance of the blood-thirsty tribesmen to doom the white traders, Horn's promise to the missionary and her dramatic death, his sacrifice to save the life and loves of the two young people, the conflict between himself and Peru over the love of the girl, the death of Mutia, and Horn's terrific feat of swinging through the snapping jaws of huge crocodiles in the escape sequence.

Delicate human touches, such as the wild white girl's first glimpse into the mirror and her experience with the trader's watch, are handled with deft skill in Van Dyke's direction.

Animal thrills are many and remarkable: the charge of the wild elephants, the race over the plain of the savage wild dogs, the hartebeest, giraffe, wart hog, antelope and other herds in the trackless jungle, the thrilling battles of lions and leopards, the escape from the crocodiles, the hippopotamus charging the boat, all were filmed and recorded in their natural locales.

The picture took two years in the making. Usually the cavalcade progressed from location to location with an army of native laborers building the road ahead of them. Sometimes all had to walk and help shove the trucks through rivers or over impassable spots. The safari was insured for \$2,500,000 on the trip. Its contact with civilization was a small radio, such as is used in the Marine Corps, which was trucked with the party. The caravan was composed of a hundred trucks and autos. One contained the power plant. Another housed a complete sound-recording outfit and a third was used as a laboratory for handling film. One truck was a composite machine, blacksmith, carpenter and "prop" shop. Two more carried storage, refrigerator and kitchen equipment.

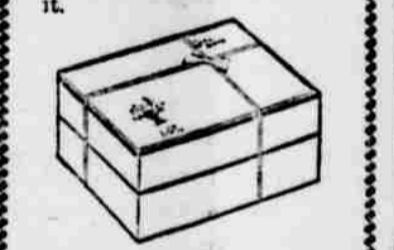
Modern measure: Two pints make one quart.

League Notes.
I'll say we had a good time at League Sunday night because we had a very interesting talk from Mr. Lance Webb. Also during the church hour we had the installation of officers. The officers are:
Wilda Pippen—President.
John Oates—Vice President.
Elizabeth Gilbert—Secretary.
Howard Wilson—Treasurer.
1st. Dept. Supt.—Madge Ham-belton.
2nd. Dept. Supt.—R. P. Chamber-lain.
3rd. Dept. Supt.—Ed Hester.
4th. Dept. Supt.—Lillian Kaigler.
Corresponding Secy.—Margaret Richey.
Era Agent—Aetha Fay Davis.
Pianist—Edith Foote.
Reporter—Jerene Kinnison.
The new officers are going to start the League off with a bang. But before we do it, we must have at least seventy-five or a hundred young people at League every Sunday night. Come and be on time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Maloy spent the week-end in Commerce visiting Mr. Maloy's father. Mr. Maloy returned home Monday. Mrs. Maloy will enter State Teachers College there during Summer School.

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Crazy Water Hotel Company MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS

"TRADER HORN" COMES TO TALKING SCREEN

"Trader Horn," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's sensational filmization of the famous book of African adventure, will open Monday at the Texas Theatre, as the biggest undertaking in the filming of adventure films in history. With a motorcade and safari of a hundred trucks and autos, the troupe pressed into jungles in Africa never before traversed by white men.

They carried the first and only sound recording apparatus ever brought to Africa's jungles, and filmed and recorded the drama, with wild beasts, savage native dances and ceremonies and other details right on the ground.

They covered British East Africa, the Belgian Congo, and invaded the dreaded Murchison Falls "sleeping sickness" country, in the 25,000-mile location trip.

The story, as adapted from the famous book by Alfred Aloysius

Horn and Ethelreda Lewis, deals with the trader and his protege, Peru, who promises a woman missionary to find the "White Goddess" of the savage Isorgi, whom she believes to be her daughter, lost in a raid as a baby.

How they brave terrors of the jungle and the savage head hunters, find the girl, escape, both fall in love with her, and Trader Horn's dramatic sacrifice at the end to send the two younger people to safety are among the elements of the tale. It binds together wild elephant charges, fights between horns and leopards, thrills among crocodiles, the charge of a savage rhinoceros, and other terrific natural



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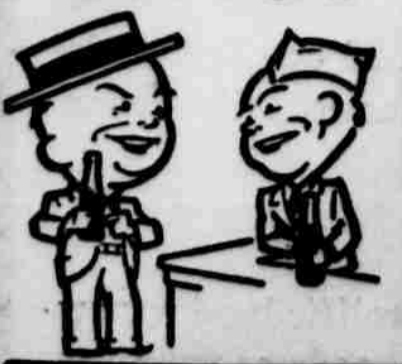
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Hominy	2 1-2 lb. Cans	10c
Salt Pork	Very Best Grade, Lb. Not Shoulders, Not Squares	12c
Veal Loaf	Libbys Can	22c
Hofstra Insect Liquid	Guaranteed To Do the Work 7c Size For 39c	
Corn	Fresh, Tender Roasting Ears	3 for 10c
Tomatoes	5 lb. Basket	40c
Red Cabbage	Lb.	5c
Florida ORANGES	Doz.	40c
Squash	lb.	5c
Cucumbers	lb.	4c
Sugar	Pure Cane Limit 10-Pound Cloth Bags	51c

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