

SCHOOL OFFICIALS SEEK PWA AID IN REBUILDING HASKELL HIGH SCHOOL

County Interscholastic League Meet Will Be Held Here Friday and Saturday

LITERARY, TRACK AND FIELD EVENTS ON CARD

Events Will Be Held Here Friday; Many Expected

Will be held this week-end two-day interscholastic meet for Class A of the county, including all literary and field events outstanding in the state.

Over three hundred from schools at Mesquite, Rule, O'Brien, Haskell are expected to participate in the two-day meet which will begin Friday morning.

March 28th track and field events will be held at the direction of R. C. Couch, principal of the Rule school. The literary competition will be held at the Haskell school and contestants who wish to represent their school.

HALF OF COUNTY'S AUTOMOBILES YET TO BE REGISTERED

Only Four Days Remain In Which to Secure 1936 License Plates

Although registration of cars and trucks to date is considerably ahead of the same date last year, over one-half of the cars owned by Haskell county residents are yet to be registered before April 1st, Mike B. Watson, assessor-collector, stated today.

Mr. Watson urges all automobile and truck owners to secure their license tags just as early as possible in order to avoid a last-minute rush and possible penalty and inconvenience if new tags are not secured by April 1st.

Car registrations totalled 1,521 Thursday morning, and 77 trucks had been registered. Operator's license had been issued to 5,350 persons.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD HERE MONDAY FOR J. M. WOODSON

Death Occured Early Sunday in Hospital at Knox City

Last rites for J. M. Woodson, 78, prominent Haskell farmer and dairyman, were held at the First Methodist Church in this city Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. R. N. Huchabee, Methodist pastor.

Interment was in Willow cemetery, under direction of W. O. Holden of Jones, Cox & Co.

Mr. Woodson, who had been in ill health for some two years, died Sunday morning at 6:25 o'clock in the Knox City Hospital, where he had been undergoing treatment for the past sixteen days.

Born April 23, 1857, in Saline county, Missouri, Mr. Woodson moved to Texas in 1883, settling in Jones county, where on April 14, 1897 he was married to Miss Florence E. Morris. They were the parents of eight children, six of whom survive.

Moving to Haskell county in 1907, Mr. Woodson engaged in farming and later entered the dairy business, which he has operated for something like twenty years in connection with his farming operations.

He had been a member of the Methodist church for many years, and was a faithful church worker as long as health would permit.

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BACK AND MEET HELD SATURDAY

13 County
Part In
Affair

Over three hundred students from schools participated in the interscholastic meet held at Haskell Saturday.

The principal of Haskell, R. C. Couch, was in charge of the meet.

The meet was a success and attracted a large number of spectators.

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MOVING OF WATER TOWER STARTS SOON

Water Tower
Mains
Laid

Contract for the steel water tower was awarded the Pittsburgh Des Moines Steel Co., of Des Moines, Iowa, with Vedder Construction Company of Childersburg holding the contract for water mains and other improvements.

Work will likely be started on the project between April 1st and 10th, officials state, although this will depend upon contractors and engineers.

The large elevated tower, together with the concrete storage reservoir and pump houses, chlorinator plant, etc., will be located on city lots just south of the square, adjacent to two city wells which furnish bulk of the town's water supply.

Completion of the project will assure ample water to care for the city's needs for year to come and will likewise affect a saving in fire insurance rates.

Martyr of Goliad



Colonel James Walker Fannin, leader of the Texas revolutionary force at Goliad 100 years ago, shared the martyrdom of 390 followers who were massacred by the enemy near historic Mission La Bahia on Palm Sunday, March 27, 1836. The mission will be the scene Friday March 27, of a commemorative observance which will be one of the outstanding events of the Texas Centennial year.

Supt. Breedlove Asks Cooperation Of All Citizens

Our community has sustained a severe blow in the burning of our high school building. At best, our school for the remainder of the year must be seriously handicapped. This is an emergency in which we must call upon each and every patron and student, as well as other citizens of the community for full cooperation in our efforts to close school with the best results possible.

The crisis goes still farther than this. We are faced with the necessity of erecting a new building. We must not forget that we shall probably be building a new home which shall house the high school students for at least the next thirty years.

The responsibility will be upon the members of our school board. It is a tremendous responsibility which they are bearing for the community. They need our encouragement and our support. Let each and everyone of us rally to the challenge and properly meet this gigantic task. Other communities have heroically met similar situations. We can do likewise if we cooperate with those who are leading us.

C. B. Breedlove, Superintendent

LURE OF POLITICS FADES THIS WEEK; ONE NEW ASPIRANT

M. O. Field Enters Race for County Commissioner in Precinct No. 3

Pranks of aspirants for office in Haskell county this week were swelled by one new recruit—M. O. Field making his formal announcement as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3.

Entry of Mr. Field as a candidate for this office rounds out a quartet of candidates from which voters of the precinct may choose their Commissioner. Others in the race are P. G. Kendrick, incumbent, H. G. Hammer and R. W. Clanton.

Mr. Field has resided in Haskell county and the precinct for many years, and is well and favorably known as a good business man and farmer.

RILEY LEWELLEN NOW WITH McCOLLUM HWY.

Riley Lewellen, former deputy sheriff, is now connected with McCollum Hardware of this city as tractor and implement salesman.

He will devote full time to this branch of the store's business, and will be glad to demonstrate tractors or implements or discuss them with his many friends.

Mrs. Ida Doster who lives near Hutto in the northwest part of the county, was shopping in Haskell Saturday.

HIGH SCHOOL WORK TO BE RESUMED MONDAY

Classes Will Be Held in First Christian and Methodist Church Buildings

The 1935-36 term of Haskell High School, interrupted during the current week following destruction of the High School building by fire last Thursday night, will be resumed Monday morning with regularly scheduled classes, according to announcement made today by Principal George V. Wimblish.

Three hundred pupils comprising the student body will attend classes in the First Christian and First Methodist Churches, these buildings having been tendered for use of the school board.

Auditorium of the Christian Church will be used as a study hall, Mr. Wimblish stated.

High School students are asked to bring all textbooks which were in their possession at the time of the fire, and additional necessary books will be issued Monday. Invoices were received Tuesday and Wednesday by local school officials covering shipments of books requisitioned from the State Department of Education to replace those destroyed last week, and these books will be on hand Monday.

Although the fire seemingly dealt a paralyzing blow to high school work, Mr. Wimblish and Supt. Breedlove, together with other members of the faculty

have through their untiring efforts of the past few days worked out an emergency plan of operation which will carry the current school term through to a successful culmination in every respect.

Faculty of the Haskell High School includes the following: Principal George V. Wimblish, math and science; W. L. Richey, math and science; Perry Mason, history; Mrs. George V. Wimblish, history and math; Miss Willie Riley, history and Spanish; Miss Jessie Vick, English; Miss Donna Davis, English; Miss Helen Camp, Home Economics; H. T. Sullivan, agriculture.

No Interference With League Training

Training has continued throughout this week of all High School students who will take part in Literary events during the County Interscholastic League Meet to be held here Friday and Saturday, Mr. Wimblish also stated. These students are requested to get in touch with him not later than Thursday night in order to learn where they should report for the various events Friday morning.

Those students who are scheduled to take part in field and track events should likewise communicate with Mr. Richey.

VALLEY BASEBALL LEAGUE OF FOUR CLUBS IS PROSPECT

Haskell, Hamlin, Munday, Anson Players and Fans Favor Organization

Definite action will be taken tonight on reorganization of the Wichita Valley Baseball League, into a four-member organization when representatives from Anson, Hamlin, Munday and Haskell will meet at the City Hall.

Assurance that the League would be revived this year was given at a meeting held Sunday, when it was decided to limit league membership to four clubs, as outlined above.

Managership of this year's team will probably be in the hands of O. W. (Mack) Maloy, who piloted the Braves last year to a pennant victory. Although Mr. Maloy has not accepted the post, players and fans alike are urging his acceptance.

Haskell's team can be maintained this year at very little expense, fans point out, because uniforms and equipment, purchased last year at a cost of several hundred dollars will not have to be bought this year.

Work-Out Sunday

First work-out of the teams will be held Sunday afternoon at the Fair Park, and all players and others interested are urged to report promptly at 2 o'clock.

The Braves, winner of the league pennant last year when they defeated the strong Hamlin team, have a wealth of material from which to build a winning team again this year, fans believe.

Eugene Tonn, Haskell alderman will remain as president of the League, with Hill Oates, also of Haskell, as secretary.

Installation Service At First Christian Church Next Sunday

Announcement was made this week that the installation of the elders and deacons recently selected by the congregation of the Christian Church of this city, will take place next Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock. Judge Chas. E. Coombes of Stamford, Texas, who has the reputation of being a forceful and eloquent speaker will deliver the installation address. The public is given a cordial invitation to attend this service.

CITY BUDGET FOR ENSUING YEAR IS SET AT \$35,736.00

Sum Is \$1,246.80 Less Than Amount Required For Year Now Ending

Anticipated cost of operating the City of Haskell for the fiscal year beginning April 1st, has been set at \$35,736.00, this sum being set in the 1936-37 budget approved Monday by city officials.

Of this amount, the sum of \$10,112.50 will be required for the interest and sinking fund to retire outstanding bonds maturing this year, along with accumulated interest on city indebtedness.

The budget as adopted anticipates a reduction of \$1,246.80 under operating expenses for the year just ending, when expenditures totaled \$36,982.80.

Financial condition of the city is shown to be decidedly better than at this time last year, according to City Secretary Rufus Banks. All interest payments and matured bonds have been retired as they became due. Tax collections for the fiscal year totalled \$19,576.77, records show, and remainder of the funds expended last year came from operation of the municipal water and sewer system.

Recapitulation of the adopted budget for 1936-37 as apportioned in the various funds, together with last year's expenditures, is given:

	1935-36	1936-37
General	\$ 5,109.33	\$ 7,476.00
Water	9,255.40	8,195.00
Street	2,961.15	2,790.00
Fire	2,579.69	1,897.50
Sewer	5,372.71	4,915.00
Library	360.00	360.00
Int. Sinking	11,344.52	10,112.50
	\$36,982.80	\$35,736.00

DETENTION RECORDS OF HASKELL HIGH SAVED

It might be of interest to the high school students to know that all detention records were saved from the fire last Thursday night. Mr. George V. Wimblish, principal states that the records were brought from the burning building by some of the high school boys through "accident."

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Jenkins of Rochester were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Collins of Olney, are here today visiting their son, Guy Collins and family.

To Oklahoma Church



Rev. C. A. Tucker, minister of the First Presbyterian Church for the past four years, who will assume pastorate of the Cordell, Okla., Presbyterian Church on April 1st. Rev. Tucker tendered his resignation here March 1st. Prior to coming to Haskell, he was pastor of the Rule church for three years.

Season Pass to Texas Theatre for Alert Movie Fan

Movie fans who keep close check on current release dates of motion picture productions, are afforded a chance to secure a season's pass to the Texas Theatre in a guessing contest this week.

Server Leon, manager, announces that this award will be given the first person sending in the correct title for the attraction at the Texas on Wednesday, April 1st. It might be "The Country Doctor" or any one of a dozen other outstanding pictures—but the only hint Mr. Leon advances is that the production was first shown in Texas on March 20th.

Mail your guesses, signed with your name and address to Contest Editor, Free Press, Haskell, not later than March 31st—and the first correct guess receives the award.

SPEAKING DATES COMING CAMPAIGN SET BY CANDIDATES

All Towns of County Are Included; Box and Pie Suppers Are "Out"

In a mass meeting of the district and county candidates held in the district court room on March 24th, the following speaking dates were unanimously agreed on:

O'Brien—Friday night, June 12th.
Sagerton—Friday night, June 19th.
Weinert—Friday night, June 26th.
Rochester—Friday night, July 10th.
Rule—Friday night, July 17th.
Haskell—Friday night, July 24th.

It was also unanimously agreed by all candidates that no more speaking dates except the dates mentioned above would be had. And it was also voted that candidates would not attend the box suppers and pie suppers being held at the various communities over the county.

While they appreciate, very much, the invitations given them by the various communities in Haskell county to attend box and pie suppers, the candidates find that it is impossible to attend them all. Furthermore, they feel that it would be unfair and unjust to attend one, or any number of these suppers without attending all of them. For the reasons, as stated above, the candidates are declining all such invitations as much as they regret to do so.

The various candidates went on record at the meeting as being appreciative of all that had been done for them to date and expressed the hope that the citizens of the county would appreciate their position in this matter.

PWA GRANT OF \$14,450 ASSURED LOCAL SCHOOL

H-S U CHORAL CLUB IN PROGRAM HERE MONDAY MARCH 30

University Group Coming Here Under Joint Sponsorship

The Hardin-Simmons Choral and Glee Club will present a program consisting of musical numbers and burlesque opera at the First Christian Church here on Monday evening, March 30th.

The program is being sponsored jointly by the Gypsy Ramblers Club and the Haskell High School P. T. A.

The Hardin-Simmons Choral and Glee Club, presented a concert here last year that was enjoyed by everyone who had the privilege to hear them and the coming entertainment is said to be even better than the one given last year. A small admission charge will be made according to the sponsors of the entertainment.

Application For Additional Amount Awaits Approval of Washington

The possibility that a loan and grant may be secured from the Public Works Administration to rebuild Haskell's high school building, burned last week, was expressed Wednesday by school officials.

With the probability that collectible insurance on the burned building will amount to something like \$32,500, school officials and the board of trustees are faced with the grave problem of financing probably that much more—it being estimated that to replace the building will require at the very lowest something in the neighborhood of \$65,000.

\$15,000 Grant Assured

Assurance that PWA funds in the amount of \$14,450 which had already been allotted Haskell would be forthcoming was given Supt. Breedlove by Julian Montgomery, State PWA director at Fort Worth Saturday. This sum was a portion of the grant and loan made for construction of the North Ward grammar school, but was returned because the Haskell district could not match the full grant of approximately \$36,450.

Application for an additional grant of \$15,000 was filed with state headquarters by Mr. Breedlove for the school district, and he was assured that the application would be recommended by Texas PWA officials to Washington for immediate consideration.

Letters were also sent by school trustees and officials to Congressman George Mahon and Senators Connally and Sheppard, urging their support in obtaining early consideration of the Haskell application as an emergency measure.

Nothing definite can be done toward carrying on plans for rebuilding the High School until action on the application is had, officials state.

FIRE DESTROYS HASKELL HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Loss of \$60,000 Sustained in Disastrous Blaze Last Friday Morning

Dealing a paralyzing blow to the current term of Haskell high school, fire destroyed this city's \$60,000 high school plant last Thursday night when flames gutted the handsome brick structure erected in 1922 at a cost of \$60,000.

Original cause of the fire is yet undetermined, according to school officials and Fire Marshal Clay Smith.

Starting in the Home Economics rooms on the second floor, northeast corner, this section of the building was ablaze when the alarm was turned in.

Firemen soon on the scene with all apparatus of the local department, despite heroic efforts were unable to check the flames, the fire spreading throughout the structure between the metal ceiling and wooden flooring on each floor section.

Loss on the building, estimated at \$60,000 is partially covered by insurance, policies totalling \$36,450 being in effect, according to school officials. Equipment in the various departments housed in the building, which included 13 classrooms, laboratories, offices, etc., was also destroyed—swelling the loss by several thousand dollars.

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INSTALLATION OF STREET LIGHTS TO BE STARTED SOON

Forty Additional Lights To Be Added to Present Lighting System

Preliminary work is now underway in connection with the proposed installation of forty additional street lights in the business and residential section of Haskell.

Contract for the installation and approval of locations was recently entered into between city officials and the West Texas Utilities Company.

The lights, of the pole bracket type, will be controlled by an

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SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY HERE WELL ATTENDED

Several Hundred Attend; Number of Adjoining Towns Represented

The Haskell County Centennial Bible School Rally, at the First Christian Church, Wednesday evening, March 25, was the biggest and best thing of its kind ever staged in this part of the country.

There were three hundred or more present including groups from many surrounding towns, and a fine spirit of cooperation and good fellowship marked the entire program.

A splendid banquet was provided by the ladies of the various churches of Haskell, and Rev. R. N. Huchabee, townmaster, presented the following program:

Three songs by the sixth grade Choral Club, under the direction of Miss Madeline Hunt.

Two songs by the Haskell High School quartet.

Talk on "How We Did It" by R. C. Couch of the Men's Bible

Calas of the Baptist Church of Haskell.

The next feature was two songs by the entire group directed by Rev. W. M. Caldwell of Weinert.

Reading, "Titanic Texas" by Beverly Gilbert.

The invader of Texas—Judge L. D. Ratliff.

How We May Stop the Invader—Rev. H. R. Whitley.

Solo, "Song of the Prodigal"—Rev. W. M. Caldwell.

How We Are To Fight In "Haskell County"—Judge Dennis P. Ratliff.

At this point the townmaster appointed a committee comprised of Dennis P. Ratliff, C. B. Breedlove and A. C. Pierson, to promote similar meetings in the future.

A resolution, endorsing the action of the mayor of Dallas, in his effort to stamp out various vices in connection with the Texas Centennial Celebration, was offered by Mr. R. E. Merrill and adopted by the entire body.

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Funeral Rites for Frank Lee Martin at Moran Sunday

Funeral services for Frank Lee Martin, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin of this city, who died shortly after midnight Thursday in the Stamford Hospital, were held at the graveside in Moran, Texas, cemetery Sunday afternoon March 22 at 4:30 o'clock. Rev. Crawford, Methodist minister of Moran, was assisted by Rev. Nix, pastor of the Moran Baptist Church.

Ill for five days, Frank Lee was carried to the hospital Wednesday suffering with appendicitis, and his death was attributed to a ruptured appendix.

Born July 10, 1926, Frank Lee was a student in the third grade of Haskell Grammar School.

Immediate survivors are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, six sisters, Mrs. Belle Watson, Pioneer, Texas; Mrs. Emma Lee Ivey, Roswell, N. M.; Mrs. Ruth Scott, Anson, Texas; Miss Georgia Pearl Martin, Roswell, N. M.; Miss Lillie Maude and Francis Lou Martin, Haskell; two brothers, Thomas Aaron Martin, Fort Bliss, Texas; and Doyle Martin, Haskell. Frank Lee and Francis Lou Martin were twins.

Pallbearers were: Jim Ferguson and Virgil Brown of Haskell; W. M. Freeman and William Dossier of Moran.

Funeral arrangements were directed by Kinney Funeral Home.

George Best a good farmer of the Foster community, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Perry of McConnell were trading here Saturday. Wayne says that grain although needing rain, is looking fair.

Locals

Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Gillmore and sons Mark and John will spend the week end with relatives in Fort Worth.

Mrs. I. N. Simmons and son Jack are spending the week with her parents in Grayson county.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Johnson of Arlington spent the week end with the latter's brother and family, J. M. Glass.

Mrs. R. L. Lemmons of the Free Press force, who has been confined to her home with influenza, is much improved at this writing.

W. O. McDonald who is in Dallas in school was home over the week end.

Cecil Reeves of Texas Tech visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Reeves and family over the week-end.

Mrs. John Oates and son John Jr., of Dallas spent the week-end with relatives here.

S. A. Hughes, who is spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. H. K. McWhirter of Dallas, is visiting this week with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Hallmark and daughters Billie Lou and Olive, spent Sunday in Haskell with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Collier.

J. O. Jackson returned from the Coast Monday and reports that he had a good time all winter enjoying the warm climate. He has lived in the Pinkerton community for a number of years and is well known over the county.

G. O. Cozart of the Gratrix Refining Company of Graham was in the city Wednesday looking after business matters.

Mrs. Felix Frierson and her two daughters Misses Alice and

Velma were Stamford visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hill of the Myers community were in the city Wednesday selling produce from the farm and buying their needs.

E. B. Lusk of the Midway community was in the city Monday. He says that some of the folks have started planting corn and other feed crops. But most of them are waiting a few days hoping that it will come a good rain before they plant the bulk of their feed crops.

Floyd Prince and family of Shamrock are here this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gertrude Williamson of Brushy was in the city shopping Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wright of Cottonwood were in the city Monday marketing produce. They report Mr. Gary, teacher of the Cottonwood school, ill with the flu.

W. H. Littlefield of Anson, secretary of the Ideal Security Life Insurance Company, was in the city Tuesday.

R. L. and Jim Lee Grace of this city attended the Sacred Harp singing at Rule Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ray of Jud were in the city Saturday greeting friends.

Beeman Karr of Jud was a Haskell visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith were in Fort Worth over the week-end attending the Fat Stock Show. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Barton Welsh, who for the past two weeks has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Robertson of Houston. Lelta reported her mother very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid and son Allen spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith.

Mrs. Roy Sadners returned to her home Sunday, after spending the past week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pendleton in Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Townsend are the proud parents of a daughter, who arrived in their home, Monday night, March 23rd.

other guests will remain through the week.

Ann Taylor, student in H-S U. visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor, over the week-end. She was accompanied by her room-mate, Miss Georgana Hawkins.

Mrs. Sam Chapman is in Breckenridge visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood. She will remain through the week with her mother, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chapman went on from Breckenridge to Dallas on business.

J. F. Simpson of Pinkerton, was in the city Saturday. A resident of Haskell county for many years, Mr. Simpson is a substantial farmer of the Pinkerton section.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howeth of this city are announcing the arrival of a daughter Monday night, March 23rd. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. A. J. Josselt of this city, is reported to be suffering with an attack of the flu. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

H. M. Cooner of O'Brien "blew in" to Haskell Monday along with the sandstorm and while here attended to business affairs. He called at our office to renew his subscription for a year, and also had us send the Free Press to his two sons, James M. Cooner of Dallas and C. E. Cooner of Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith attended the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth over the week-end.

Mrs. Hudson Pitman was in Dallas over the week-end visiting with friends and relatives.

Alton Newsome has returned from Toga, Texas, where he spent the winter with his grandfather, W. T. Newsome.

J. S. Grand of Howard states that farmers in this section are fairly well up with their work and would welcome a good rain.

J. R. Tidwell and family of Center Point were trading with Haskell merchants Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Townsend are the proud parents of a daughter, who arrived in their home, Monday night, March 23rd.

Wish to thank our friends of Munday and Haskell for their kindness and sympathy during the death of our husband and father. We hope that when sorrow enters their home that they will have the same kindness shown to them, is our prayers. We also thank you for the beautiful floral offerings.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HASKELL:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, on the 11th day of March 1936, by Roy Ratliff, Clerk of said District Court of Haskell County, Texas, for the sum of One thousand, three hundred, fifty-six and 68-1000 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgement, in favor of Charles McGregor in a certain cause in said Court No. 4535 and styled Charles McGregor, Plaintiff, vs. John S. Rike, and H. M. Rike, Defendants, placed in my hands for service, I, Giles Kemp as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 11th day of March 1936, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: Being a part of Sub. 4 of the N.23 of the Joel Low Survey No. 34 certificate No. 2241-2342 Abstract No. 309, patent No. 29 Vol. 15 and described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point in the E. B. line of the said Joel Low Survey and 1334 1-2 varas South from the N. E. corner of the same for the N. E. corner of the same. THENCE S. along the East line of said Low Survey 1157 1-2 vrs. to the S. E. cor. of this tract, and the S. E. corner of the N. 2-3 of said Low survey.

THENCE W. along the south boundary line of said N. 2-3 of said Low survey 755.7 varas to the S. W. corner of this tract and the S. E. corner of Sub. No. 3 of said N. 2-3 of said Low survey.

THENCE N. 1157 1-2 varas to the N. W. corner of this tract. THENCE E. 755.7 varas to the place of beginning, and containing 155 acres of land, more or less, and levied upon as the property of H. M. Rike and that on the first Tuesday in April 1936, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. M. Rike.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper published in Haskell County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of March 1936.

GILES KEMP, Sheriff Haskell County, Texas By Hettie Williams Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HASKELL. TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF HASKELL COUNTY, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon John A. Thomason and wife, Mrs. John A. Thomason, Mrs. Laura Bryant, J. M. Sollie and wife, Mrs. J. M. Sollie, J. M. Sallie and wife, Mrs. J. M. Sallie, Robert Thompson and wife, Mrs. Robert Thompson, J. J. Cooke and wife, Mrs. Sarah W. Cooke, and the heirs of each of said named persons, whose names are unknown, and the legal representatives of each of said named persons whose names are unknown, and the unknown claimants or owners of the property hereinafter described, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Haskell County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof in the town of Haskell on the 3rd Monday in April, A. D. 1936, same being the 20th day of April, 1936.

Constipation

If constipation causes you Gas, Indigestion, Headache, Flatulency, Pimples, Itching, get quick relief with ADLERIKA. Thorough in action yet entirely gentle and safe.

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No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with anything less than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble to aid nature to soothe and heal the inflamed membranes as the germ laden phlegm is loosened and expelled. Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, your druggist is authorized to guarantee Creomulsion and to refund your money if you are not satisfied with results from the very first bottle. Get Creomulsion right now. (Adv.)

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Offices at Haskell, Texas

then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of March, 1936, in a cause numbered 4621 on the docket of said court, wherein E. R. Wilson is plaintiff and John A. Thomason and wife, Mrs. John A. Thomason, Mrs. Laura Bryant, J. M. Sollie, J. M. Sollie and wife, Mrs. Sallie, Robert Thompson and wife, Mrs. Robert Thompson, J. J. Cooke and wife, Mrs. Sarah W. Cooke and the unknown heirs of each of said named parties and the legal representatives of each of said named parties, whose names are unknown, and also the unknown claimants or owners of the property hereinafter described are defendants. The cause of action being as follows:

Trespass to try title concerning the land hereinafter described, and plaintiff alleges that he is the owner in fee simple title of the following described land, situated in Haskell County, Texas: Being lots No. 1 and 8 in Block No. 9 in the College Heights Addition to the Town of Haskell in Haskell County, Texas.

That on December 1st, 1935, he was in possession of said land, and was then and at all times subsequent, and is now entitled to the possession of the same; that plaintiff, or those through whom he claims title, have held peaceable and adverse possession and title of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying the taxes thereon currently as and when due and before delinquency and claiming under deed or deed duly registered for a period of five years or more next after cause of action accrued to any of defendants, and pleads the statute of five years limitation; plaintiff pleads statute of ten years limitation as barring any claim to said land upon the part of the defendants; plaintiff pleads the statute of twenty-five years limitation as barring any claim to said land upon the part of the defendants; plaintiff alleges that on or about January 1st, 1936, the defendant entered upon the land described in said petition and dispossessed the plaintiff of such premises, and have at all times withheld and now unlawfully withhold from him the possession of said land. Plaintiff prays that on final hearing of said cause, he have judgement for title and possession of said described land, and have general relief.

You are hereby commanded to so summon the defendants, and to serve this citation by making publication of such citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in said county,

then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness ROY RATLIFF, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas.

By ALBERTA ORR, Deputy.

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Round Ball Tournament Held Rose Saturday

Team losses to In Finals; Henshaw Bros. Win

Round ball tournament at Rose Saturday, and seemed to have been by all team participants. High winds were a nuisance to all players, but were good games. Girls and Midway girls in finals, Foster losing to Henshaw brothers. The Henshaw boys played the Roberts boys losing the game, Roberts losing to Henshaw brothers. We take pleasure to thank each one present, invite them again soon. The Rose sold hamburgers, candies and chewing gum. Mrs. Henry Russell, assisted by Mrs. Hunt and Mmie Smith made a trip to Wichita Falls.

Mrs. W. J. Kendrick, of Haskell, and Mrs. Alford Bland of Haskell with re- Chaplain of Haskell, Maggie Lee Piland this Scott made a business report Mrs. Harve Kendrick and Mrs.

Fred Kendrick visited Mrs. Buck Kendrick of Haskell Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stark visited their daughter Mrs. Bill Oliphant of Haskell Monday.

The club 42 and 84 party given in the home of Mrs. H. G. Scott Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Remember next Sunday is preaching day at Rose Chapel.

The Rose H. D. Club met with Mrs. Fred Kendrick March 17th. Mrs. Harry Barber led a round table discussion on "Taxation" and some of the benefits each citizen receives from being taxed.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. P. G. Kendrick April 7th. All members are urged to be present. Refreshments were served to seven members. Visitors are always welcome.

News of the Week In Jud Community

The health of this community is improving rapidly. Most everyone attended the ball game Friday. The Jud boys and girls played New Mid. The girls won although the boys lost.

Miss Virginia Hutchens spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Esty Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Holcomb and daughter left Saturday afternoon for Wichita Falls where they will visit Mrs. Holcomb's sister, Mrs. Ruth Green.

Saturday was the day for the track meet. All the Jud boys lost in everything except Melvin won second place in the rural Pentathlon.

There was a large crowd at

Sunday School Sunday and at singing Sunday night.

There was an enjoyable party given by Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ivey Friday night. Everyone attended and had a very nice time.

Everyone be sure and remember that the fifth Sunday meeting begins Friday night. They will have dinner on the ground 2 days Saturday and Sunday. Everyone is invited to come.

Work Delayed On Sagerton Baptist Church Building

Sagerton School Superintendent Resigns and Will Move To San Antonio

We are having real March sand storms here. Everyone is hoping it will bring rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Pilley's son, F. C. is in the Stamford Sanitarium for treatment.

He was operated on last Friday, but slight improvement is shown. Their many friends hope a speedy recovery for him.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Price and daughter, Shirley Ann returned from San Antonio last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Price are planning to move there sometime this week.

Mr. Price has been assigned to State school supply work. We wish him success. We hate to lose this good family from our town.

The work on the new Baptist Church has been delayed some, but all hope everything will soon be ready for a speedy finish of the building.

The many friends here of Dr.

and Mrs. J. O. Davis Sr. are indeed glad to learn that their son was able to return home from the Sanitarium and hope he will be restored to normal health.

Miss Mary Ross and Vivian Crabtree were in Stamford Sunday evening.

Miss Florise Massia, and Miss Ladaun Laughlin were in Stamford Sunday evening.

Mr. Grady Adcock of Post community attended Church at the Methodist Church here Sunday night.

Mr. G. C. Crowder is visiting his daughter Miss Lois Crowder in Fort Worth. He also will visit Mrs. Lee in Houston, another daughter, before returning here.

The pastor of the Methodist church announced there will be an Easter service here. There will be preaching Friday night and Saturday night, before Easter Sunday. Then on Sunday there will be two services, morning and night by the Pastor, Rev. Woodrow Adcock.

Come to these services. They will help you. The Baptist will have preaching here Sunday by Pastor Rev. W. Kirk. You are invited to come.

Mr. Billy Tabor who has been principal here in our school for six years, has been appointed superintendent, to fill out the term of school, as Mr. T. K. Price resigned. Mr. Tabor is a good school man.

Mrs. G. A. Lambert and Lois visited in Stamford Sunday.

Mr. Winford Pilley and Miss Grace Davidson visited at the Stamford Sanitarium Sunday night with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Henry Laughlin has been on the sick list the past few days. The ladies met in regular Bible study in the home of Mrs. Cliff LeFevre Monday evening.

Rockdale News Items of Interest

Rev. Nottingham of Abilene, preached Sunday morning to a large crowd at Lindsay Chapel Church of Christ and Bro. Embree preached Sunday night. Mr. Blackwell of A. C. C. accompanied them here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cobb visited relatives near Lueders Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Middleton and family had visiting them last week Mr. Middleton's two brothers and wives from O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bunkley of Stamford, spent the day Sunday with Mr. Bunkley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bunkley and family.

Mr. Tam Cunningham left Monday of last week for Oklahoma to be at the bedside of his wife who is ill at her mother's. John M. Ivy is teaching at Ericdale during Mr. Cunningham's absence.

Mrs. T. N. Gillespie spent the day Friday in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scott of Ericdale community.

Miller Bunkley who attends

Stamford High School was sick with the flu this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. West of Post Community, visited with relatives and friends here and in Cobb community last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Middleton and children of Cobb Community, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo McKeever, and children of Berryhill Community were dinner guests in the Tull Newcomb home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Gillespie and son, Doyle, visited a while Saturday night with Mrs. Gillespie's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mickler of Ericdale. We are sorry to report Mr. Mickler still on the sick list. His many friends here wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Williams and children Juanel and Delton, Martha Helen, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Ericdale.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ivy entertained in their home Friday night with a party.

Miss Ruth Edwards spent Saturday night with Mrs. Bill Linam of Cobb community.

Mr. T. N. Gillespie and Glen Cobb attended court in Haskell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nugent Gillespie and son, Doyle were guests Sunday of Mrs. Gillespie's sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ivy of Berryhill.

Mrs. Bill Kuenstler and sons, Edward and Billie Jay, returned to McCombe, Texas, Saturday after visiting. Mrs. Kuenstler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Bunkley were in Stamford Sunday afternoon.

Lone Star PTA Hears Speakers

Mrs. T. R. Odell of Haskell and Supt. Bass of Munday Address Group

The P. T. A. met last Wednesday night and a very large crowd was present when Mrs. Odell of Haskell and Mr. Bass of Munday, were the principal speakers of the evening. Also Mr. Odell gave an interesting climax to the other talks. Delegates were elected to the district P. T. A. meet in Olney April 14th and 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hasty are announcing the arrival of a new son. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Taylor and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Taylor of Meyers.

Mrs. J. D. Smith of Rochester, spent the week with Mrs. Elbert Owens, her daughter, who is very ill.

A group of friends from Weibert and Miss Vera Mae Hasty, spent Sunday with Misses Lois and Anabel Hawes.

The pupils of Lone Star school are proud of the fact that they placed in every event, except the fifty-yard dash that they entered in at the Haskell Track Meet Saturday.

J. H. Townsend Burial Rites Held At Rule

Last rites for J. H. Townsend, 70, well-known Haskell county farmer who died at his home several miles east of Rule Wednesday, March 18, were held at the graveside in Rule cemetery Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. I. N. Alvis of Haskell conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Roy Shahan of Rule. Deceased had been a member of the Baptist Church for many years.

Mr. Townsend had been ill with pneumonia for several days.

A native Texan, born July 13, 1865, Mr. Townsend had resided in Haskell county since 1907.

Funeral arrangements were directed by the Guantt Funeral Home, Rule.

Nine children survive. They are: Mrs. Susie Anderson, Haskell; Mrs. J. L. Chenault, Aspermont; Mrs. Jasper Cole, Spur; Mrs. E. P. Lewis, Clovis, N. M.; F. O. Townsend, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. Warren Henry, Plainview; Mrs. C. O. Phillips, Gorman; Mrs. Jim Linville, Columbia, Texas; A. B. Townsend, Rule.

Pallbearers were: L. C. Baker, Carl Morgan, Robert Henry, Earnest Henry, Dutch Hager and J. W. Driskill.

Flowers were handled by Mrs. J. W. Driskill, Mrs. Walter Smith, Mrs. Claude Ashley, Mrs. John Yarbrough, Mrs. Dutch Hager and Mrs. Earnest Henry.

Home Demonstration Agent's office, which makes available to club members the findings of research experiments conducted by the State Extension Service in every phase of farm life improvement and beautification.

HD Club Woman Uses Native Tree For Transplanting

Use of native transplanting of salt cedar, which grows abundantly in this section, has been utilized by Miss Nora Walters of the Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club in planting a screen hedge around the front yard of her farm home, and which will also serve as a windbreak for other plantings in the yard.

The salt cedars were transplanted on the north and west sides of the yard, direction of prevailing winds, and should prove of much value in the cultivation of flower and shrub plantings.

Miss Walters is an enthusiastic believer in the extension work being directed through the County

Clay Kimbrough, well known farmer and resident of Haskell county for 29 years, called in Tuesday to renew his subscription for another year. Incidentally, Clay mentioned the fact that he had been reading the Free Press for 29 years—and is now entering his 30th year on our subscription list.

Judge and Mrs. W. G. Poteet of Vernon, Miss Naomi Poteet, of Wichita Falls were here for the week-end celebrating their fathers' 72nd birthday.

GOOD DRY WOOD FOR SALE—Delivered \$5.00 truck load 6x9x5, practically two cords, \$5.50 within 10 miles. Green wood seen.—S. C. Andrews. Leave orders at Free Press. 2tp.

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Nothing equals a good mop and instant relief is afforded by Anathasia-Mop, the wonderful new sore throat remedy. Positive relief guaranteed or purchase price refunded by Payne Drug Co. 1-25-38.

THIS BEAUTIFUL Cup and Saucer



FREE * WITH EACH BIG * 25 CENT CAN

Delicious Medium Size APPLES, doz. 15c

California ORANGES, doz. 15c

Super Bread Mix 22c

Jungle Pies 5c

Best Food Mix, pkg. 25c

Syrup, Cane, gallon 49c

CRACKLES Fancy Sour 1-2 gallon jar **29c**

Peas, can 5c

Peaches, can 10c

Sugar Wafers 15c

Cocktail Crackers 10c Pound 17c

Hard Candy, lb. 10c

Bel Dine Oats, with Premium 19c

COFFEE FOLGER'S 1 lb. **29c**

Last chance to buy at this price 2 lbs. 58c

Tea, 4 oz. 21c

Peas, can 5c

Juice, gal. 49c (Saturday Only)

Peaches, can 10c

SUGAR 52c

COMPOUND 52c Pounds 99c

INTRODUCTORY OFFER! SALAD DRESSING

1000 Island Relish Spread

Quart Size 25c



Atkeison's FOOD STORES "M" system

CHEESE 19c

Official Statement of Financial Condition of the FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

at Haskell, State of Texas at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1936, published in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper printed and published at Haskell, State of Texas on the 26th day of March, 1936.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$ 86,378.72
Overdrafts	272.70
United State Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	15,196.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	55,183.94
Banking house, \$15,000.00. Furniture and fixtures, \$5,000.00	20,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	39,131.64
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	178,692.23
Other assets	803.32
Total Assets	\$95,658.55
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$288,447.51
State, county, and municipal deposits	47,055.31
Secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$29,048.87
Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$306,453.95
Total Deposits	\$335,502.82
Class A preferred stock, 250 shares, par \$100.00. Common stock 250 shares, par \$100.00 per share	\$50,000.00
Surplus	\$5,000.00
Undivided profits—net	\$4,155.73
Preferred stock retirement fund \$1,000.00	
Total Capital Account	60,155.73
Total Liabilities	\$395,658.55
MEMORANDUM	
Loans and investments Pledged to secure Liabilities.	
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	\$ 18,599.47
Total Pledged (excluding rediscounts)	18,599.47
Against County, State and Municipal deposits	18,599.47
State of Texas, County of Haskell.	
I, A. C. Pierson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
A. C. PIERSON, Cashier.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of March, 1936.	
ALONZO PATE, Notary Public.	
Correct—Attest:	
J. U. FIELDS.	
O. E. PATTERSON.	
G. W. WALDRON. Directors.	

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Loans and discounts	\$ 52,419.34
Loans secured by real estate	15,875.00
Overdrafts	17.69
Securities of U. S. any State or political subdivision thereof	1,884.48
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	100.00
Banking House	8,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	2,541.78
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	116,442.69
Stock and/or assessment Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.	280.94
Other Resources	23,325.39
Total	\$222,967.31
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock, \$25,000	
Income	
Debitures sold, \$20,000	45,000.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	5,451.06
Individual Deposits, subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	171,773.82
Cashier's Checks outstanding	542.43
Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping	100.00
Total	\$222,967.31

State of Texas, County of Haskell. We, J. T. Hester, as President, and Joe L. Cooper, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. T. Hester, President
Joe L. Cooper, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, A. D. 1936.

Mary Pearsey,
Notary Public, Haskell County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
W. M. Reid.
T. C. Cahill.
Ira Hester.
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

First Notes of Spring and Summer Styles by MARCY LEE

Now you may enjoy the cool comfort of crisp cottons with the assurance that your wash frocks have the fashion leadership usually found only at much higher prices.

No. 970
An ingeniously pointed collar and unusual buttons give an air of distinction to this youthful model in linkerchief. Colors: Maize, Pink, Aqua and Copen. 14 to 20. \$1.95.

No. 959
Crisp, cool Chalef Swiss background with clever prints in red, brown or green. Notice the sailor collar and tie. Sizes 14 to 20. \$1.95.

No. 963
A pleated ruffle, single pocket and crystal buttons are fashion notes of this ripple chiffon frock. Colors: Navy, Copen, Orchid, Rose, Aqua. Sizes 14 to 20. \$1.95.

No. 968
Two-bly muslin print with puffed sleeves and set in shirred bands. Hello, tan, copen, rose. Sizes 14 to 20. \$2.95.

No. 952
Shirred style of self dot Alhambra swiss, Pearl ball trim. Colors: Brown, Navy, aqua, pink, bittersweet and maize. Sizes 14 to 20. \$1.95.



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STORM MUSIC

By Dornford Yates

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Six days had gone by, and my precious secret was safe. This was hardly surprising. Only two beings knew that I had approached the castle that terrible night; and of those one was a dog and the other was dead. I had not used Barley's pistol; I had cleaned my cousin's knife; my filthy garments lay hid in the Plumage woods. Nobody knew that in my notepad was Helena's master key. But another secret was safe.

On the Sunday night Pharaoh, Dewdrop and Bush had been laid in a common grave, not far from the mouth of the tunnel that ran from the moat.

Though nobody knew it but I, Bugle had set to appear. For some unaccountable reason the moat still withheld its dead.

My cousin was painting Plumage. Twice a day he visited York; but I was not invited and would not go up unasked. Neither would I go to Plumage—although I longed to see her—because I was sure that Helena sat with my cousin

and watched him at work. I had made up my mind to leave Annabel and to go and stay at Innsbruck which was a city I knew. My cousin was to follow with Barley in four days' time.

And so I was sitting at Annabel, cursing life and regarding my half-packed trunks with a listless stare, when the host of the inn came bustling with a note in his hand.

Dear John: Your cousin tells me that you are leaving tonight. Before you go, will you be so good as to show me where young Florin lies? I would not ask you this favor, but I was fond of young Florin, and you are the only being who knows the site of his grave. I cannot believe you will refuse me, and so, if it will suit you, I will call for you today at a quarter to three. Please will you tell the bearer "yes" or "no."

HELENA
I went down to the door of The Reaping Hook to speak to the groom.

"Tell her ladyship 'yes,'" I said.

As the coupe stole into the forecourt, I descended the steps of the inn.

Helena smiled and nodded and I took off my hat.

"Will you drive, please?"

With a pounding heart, I took my seat by her side, perceived the glow of her presence, discovered her faint perfume.

The spot to which we were going lay 12 miles off, and, after leaving the car, we must walk half a mile through the forest to come to the dell. Be sure, I drove slowly enough. . . . But though half an hour went by before we left the coupe, in all that time we never exchanged one word.

Again and again I sought to make some remark, but I feared that my voice would tremble and so betray an emotion I did not wish her to see. To sit thus by her side as I had sat so often, was stirring the depths of my being, as though with a sword. Though I kept my gaze fast on the road, with the tail of my eye I could see her peerless features and the gentle, steadfast look on her lovely face. She was neither grave nor smiling, but something betwixt the two; her air was the air of one whose day is over, who has of choice withdrawn from the lists of life and is now content to sit and watch the tourney in which she will ride no more. I had never seen her like this and at first I could not discover what it was that I found unfamiliar in the beauty I knew so well; and then I saw the eagerness was out of her face.

When I brought the car to rest, Helena was out in the road before I could open the door. Then we entered the forest together, as we seemed to have done so often in other days.

In silence we came to the glade where Geoffrey had been painting when I first set eyes on the thieves, and in silence we passed to the covert which might have been planted on purpose to keep the dell. And there at last we came out—not quite as I had intended, above the bluff, but lower down, between the bluff and the water at the edge of a sloping lawn.

Helena caught her breath.

"Oh, John, how lovely," she said. Though I knew the spot was handsome, when I had seen it before I had been too much distracted to consider the features that went to make it so rare.

"It's finer than I thought," I said quietly. "I never saw it from here."

For a moment we stood together, looking down on young Florin's grave.

"I must bring old Florin," said Helena. "I think it would help him a little."

Helena sat herself down with her back to the rippling brook.

"I'd like to stay friends," she said. "I know you're going away, and I think you're right. But I'd like to think that though our—our moments are over, we still were friends."

"If you please," said I dully, and I sat down a little apart. "I've so much to thank you for."

"I don't know that you have. But that's neither here nor there. We've peered at big things together—you and I. We've eaten of strange, sweet fruits—like two children, hand in hand. And now we're back where we were—where we were when you came to Plumage and I told you about the gold. We can go farther back; perhaps we have. But I'd like to stop there, if you can. I mean, one can always be friends."

"I can stop there," I said thickly.

"That's right," said Helena gently. "I thought you could."

For a moment she looked at the palms of her little hands, as though to consult those pretty pages before proceeding with a discourse that was making my heart cold.

Then—

"When I say friends, I mean it. I'll always have a feeling that I can depend upon you. I shan't attempt to, you know. But I shall be very glad of the feeling. You know. When things go wrong, it makes a world of difference if you can say to yourself, 'If so-and-so were here, they would understand.'"

I nodded.

"You can count on me," I said. "You let me come to know you as—as I'll never know anyone else."

(To be continued)

Want-Ads

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write today. Rawleigh, Dept. TXC-340-SA, Memphis, Tenn. 4tp.

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FOR TRADE—Good Model A Ford and two good residence lots, well located for 1933 or 1934 car. Will give good trade for right kind of car. Virgil A. Brown. 1tc.

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MOTORCYCLE—Twin Harley-Davidson "74" for sale at a bargain. Cox-Henshaw Motor Co. 1tc.

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FARMS FOR SALE—I have some real bargains in farms. All sizes, with small cash payment, balance on long, easy terms. See me if interested. A. D. English, office Room 9, Sherrill bldg. 2tp.

FOR SALE, one large, fire-proof safe, with storage capacity sufficient to take care of all books and valuable papers of most any business firm. Lyves Jewelry Store. 1tc.

FOR SALE—First class service station, tourist camp, and residence in Haskell. Also service station in Rochester. J. F. Kennedy. ttc.

Gilmer Davis Home From Hospital

Gilmer Davis, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis of Rule, who has been undergoing treatment in the Stamford Hospital for several months, had recovered sufficiently to be returned to his home in Rule Sunday in a Kinney ambulance.

Ed Welsh Returns From Hospital

Ed Welsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Welsh of Midway, was returned to his home today in an ambulance from Jones, Cox & Co. The youth, who was stricken with an attack of appendicitis several weeks ago, underwent an operation at the West Texas Baptist Sanitarium at Abilene.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking our many friends who were so thoughtful and expressed sympathy in the death of our darling baby. Our prayer is that youth shall have the same true friends in any hour of sorrow. We especially thank you for the beautiful flowers.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodgkin.

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EMERGENCY CROP LOAN APPLICATIONS NOW BEING TAKEN

C. Hogan, Field Supervisor, Has Offices in Haskell Courthouse

Application for emergency crop loans for 1936 are now being received at Haskell by C. Hogan, field supervisor of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Section of the Farm Credit Administration.

The emergency crop loans will be made only to farmers who cannot obtain credit from any other source, as provided by regulations issued by the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration. The money loaned will be limited to the farmer's immediate and actual cash needs for growing his 1936 crops and in no instance may exceed \$200 to one farmer.

Farmers are not eligible for emergency crop loans if they can borrow from an individual, production credit association, bank, or other concern. Farmers who have an application pending with the Resettlement Administration, have received assistance from that organization this year or are indebted to the Resettlement Administration for an unpaid loan.

As in the past, the security for an emergency crop loan will consist of a first lien on the crop financed. Landlord or other having an interest in the crop to be financed will be required to waive their claims in favor of a lien to the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration until the emergency crop loan is repaid.

Checks in payment of approved loans will be issued by the Regional Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Dallas, Texas.

Series of Services At Vontress Church

Beginning on Friday night, March 27th a series of revival services will be held at Vontress, concluding Sunday night, March 29th.

Rev. Brooks, an evangelist of the Church of the Assembly of God will do the preaching, and his sister, well known as "The Girl with the Guitar" will bring her message in song at each service.

On Sunday night Miss Alice Hunt and her Rhythm Band of youngsters from the Lake Creek community will have a part in the evening devotionals. Miss Hunt is a teacher in the Lake Creek school and has appeared before the public several times with these children. So you who miss these services will miss a few of the many blessings God has in store for you. Be present. Reporter.

Fred Bishop, Hurt In Wreck, Recovers

Confined in the Stamford hospital since March 13th, suffering from serious injuries sustained in an accident which brought fatal injuries to three fellow-workers, Fred Bishop of this city had recovered sufficiently yesterday to be removed to his home here in an ambulance from the Jones Cox & Co. Funeral Home.

Bishop, employed on road work southwest of town, with eight other employees on the project, was returning to Haskell when their truck overturned, fatally injuring Alonzo Dunn, Jessie T. Cook and J. B. Tucker. Bishop's injuries were at first believed critical, but he is now well on the road to recovery.

Frank B. Reynolds Home From Hospital

Frank B. Reynolds of Haskell, severely injured in a truck wreck recently which claimed the lives of three men, was returned to his home here Wednesday. Jones Cox & Company ambulance from the Stamford Hospital, where he has been confined since the accident, which occurred on March 13th.

Reynolds sustained painful cuts about the head, a wrenched back and injuries to his right shoulder, but is recovering rapidly, hospital attendants stated.

M. O. Field Enters Commissioners Race In Precinct No. 3

M. O. Field has authorized the Free Press to make his announcement as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Field has been a citizen of Haskell County for the past 23 years and is well and favorably known by most of the voters in the Precinct. He has been engaged in farming most of his life, but he is a man who has always taken an active interest in political and business affairs of his community and county. He understands the needs of the precinct and believes in an economical administration of the county affairs.

In making his announcement, Mr. Field says that he has no formal statement to make regarding his campaign, other than he believes he is qualified to fill the position of Commissioner and will do his best to so conduct the affairs of the precinct and County if elected, in an efficient manner as possible. He will endeavor to see each and everyone personally between now and election day. He asks that you give his candidacy your serious consideration and will always be grateful.

Big Rabbit Drive Will Be Staged At Cottonwood April 1

What is planned to be one of the largest Rabbit Drives of the season will be held in the Cottonwood community on Wednesday April 1st according to sponsors.

Rabbits are reported plentiful, assuring plenty of sport for all who take part. A barbecue dinner will be served at noon.

Hunters are requested to meet at the Cottonwood schoolhouse at 9 o'clock a. m., to organize the drive.

Cottonwood schoolhouse is located about 17 miles northeast of Haskell.

Will Inaugurate Community Sale Here Saturday

First of a series of Community Sales in Haskell will be inaugurated Saturday, March 28th, by Floyd Banks of this city, who recently returned here from Oklahoma.

The sales will be held at the Banks Tourist Camp just south of the square.

The novel sales method, which has been proven successful in many towns in this section, affords direct contact between buyer and seller, and a large list of articles and livestock will be offered in the first sale Saturday.

Frank Brown—Most of his life Frank Brown has lived in and around Haskell. He is now out on the Throckmorton road where he is farming. He

News of Farmers

(BY W. M. FREE)

We learned first hand that W. P. Trice is putting two more big incubators in his hatchery. He says that the two incubators he had would not serve his customers. He further stated that he never saw anything like the baby chicks that are being hatched and sold this year. It meets our approval for we sure do like fried chicken.

Clyde Gordon of the Rose Chapel community says that his new tractor is blind as a bat. It ran through the fence with him the other day. But he still likes the thing.

We noticed a pile of corn shucks the other day beside the road to stop a wash. Last year they would have been good feed for all livestock.

The most optimistic scene we have witnessed was a rooster crowing in the back of a cafe with his neck in two foot of the ax. We are wondering if he really knew his fate or just like some folks, did not give doggone.

We passed near the home of C. V. Baker of Howard and saw him following a walking buster for exercise. The man who persists in walking with the many devices to ride on while he farms has plenty of energy and should receive the applause of his neighbors.

W. H. Oneal says that the depression has learned the farmers many things and one is that he must produce his living at home or do without it. He says that no farmer can buy his living in paper sacks anymore and keep on farming.

Will Harrell of Foster says that all his children have married off and he and his wife are back where they started. He says they do not have as good teeth as they once had, but have better grub.

The Howard community had a good shower a week or so ago and the grain is looking fine, far better than it does where they did not get the rain. Howard is always a lucky spot for rain. They must pay the preacher.

It is always a pleasure to see prosperity among our people and when we take a look each week at the cream cans filled with sweet and sour cream sold and shipped we know that our farmers are on the right road. These checks coming in regularly each week are a big asset to the prosperity to the city and the county.

T. J. Howeth of Rose with many years experience on the farm says that every farmer should keep hogs, chickens and cows to help him make the living for the family. He stresses the point that the living must be made before a farmer can talk prosperity.

More corn is being planted by our farmers than is usually planted. Everyone realizes that corn is good feed, but it does not always make in this section. But the fellow who plants is the only one who has a chance to make corn.

W. D. Davis southwest of town is another farmer who walks and plows. Walter says that he can eat and sleep contented after walking behind a buster, knowing that he has not wronged anyone out of anything, and he further knows that he is earning his bread by the sweat of his face. The farmers do not go in droves who are willing to argue with a walking

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Ben Bridges of Weinert is putting in tiling for the purpose of irrigating a garden. He has plenty of water and good soil and he believes that he will produce plenty of good eats. Henry W. Smith now of the Weinert section but formerly of Haskell says that everything with the farmer in his section is going good thus far. Rain is beginning to be needed, but he thinks it will come in time. Henry is cultivating a large farm.

The high winds for the past few days have everyone wondering what is going to happen, but those of us who have been here a number of years see the like most every spring and it generally turns out all O. K. and good crops are made, and we soon forget the windy days. There is no need in worrying. We never know what is best even after it happens.

W. H. Oneal—
The ground is getting dry said our friend, W. H. Oneal the other day. We need rain on the small grain. He planted some corn two weeks ago, but thought it would come up and grow right off nicely but he is expecting rain to help the growing. Mr. Oneal sells each week 5 or more gallons of cream and about a case of eggs, so the living is produced from the farm aside from the regular field crops.

L. E. Marr—
In the home of L. E. Marr is found the unity of two of the pioneer families of this section. They live a few miles east of town where the family are engaged in farming. The Marrs came here in 1888 and the Caruthers in 1889. Mrs. Marr has a large flock of various birds. She believes that the mixed chickens are healthier. They sell eggs and cream.

Eal Treadwell—
The home of Eal Treadwell shows thrift and progression. He is a good farmer and he uses teams for his farm power. Eal likes to trade horses too good to ever get rid of his teams. He has a large family all in good health. Mrs. Treadwell has about 90 laying hens with cream and eggs sold each week makes the pay check help out with expenses.

E. C. Daniels—
With some corn planted E. C. Daniels is looking forward to planting other row crops within the next few days. He was busy brooding ground the past week. He is a young farmer and is progressing nicely. He raises hogs for meat and sells some cream, and has his heart set on making the living from the farm.

Frank Brown—
Most of his life Frank Brown has lived in and around Haskell. He is now out on the Throckmorton road where he is farming. He

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uses teams and plans to use enough butter and eggs to his needs. Frank has learned the best way is keep out of it and make the farm make itself.

T. J. Howeth—
Since the year of 1923 Howeth has lived in the country. He and Mrs. Howeth have had a ripe old age and a happy and encouraging old man know them. They have some red chickens and enjoy the ducks of these fine birds. daughter, Mrs. Thompson, came to their home to live with them.

W. J. Clawson—
Starting out this year with his hand raising chickens. He not have to own a large flock of hens to raise poultry. You can begin with a small bunch and a nice flock. Others have heard of their wonderful success just a few hens to start with.

W. J. Kendrick—
We are needing rain says Kendrick to bring up the crop but he was not alarmed there is plenty of time yet for farmers of Haskell County to make a bumper crop. It never rains anywhere or any place to our liking, and Bro. Kendrick was not worrying. He has here many years and knows the country. He was building a fence to keep his own stock pasture and his neighbors. Good fences always keep with neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Starfield family were here from Rose Saturday.

WHY ARGUE!

David Crockett, American soldier of fortune and explorer and a valiant Texas hero fell at the Alamo, is recognized for his many daring exploits. A man who never argued was keyed for action. Crockett and his heroic companions will be especially remembered and honored by Texans during Centennial.

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Political Announcements

The following announcements for office are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1936.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Dennis P. Ratliff,
H. F. Grindstaff.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, 113th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT:
J. C. Davis.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:
Vernon D. Adeock,
Ben Charlie Chapman,
French M. Robertson.

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Roy Ratliff.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
O. L. (Jim) Darden,
Joe A. Jones,
Chas. M. Conner.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Jason W. Smith,
Herman K. Henry.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
W. H. Marchison,
J. H. (Johnnie) Banks.

FOR SHERIFF:
W. T. Correll,
W. T. Kemp,
J. V. (Jake) Jenkins.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:
Mike B. Watson.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
J. E. Walling, Sr.,
Byron Wright.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1:
Ab Hutchens.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2:
I. A. Leonard,
T. M. (Tom) Mapes,
C. T. Jones,
J. R. (Bob) Mitchell.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3:
P. G. (Buck) Kendrick,
H. G. Hammer,
R. W. Clanton,
M. O. Field.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4:
B. M. Gregory,
F. C. (Floy) Pilley,
P. H. Martin,
R. H. (Bill) Rife,
W. F. Bosse,
D. M. Guinn,
L. C. (Cleve) Phillips,
F. B. (Frank) Reynolds,
C. R. Cook.

FOR JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE PRECINCT NO. 1:
Bruce T. Clift.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1:
R. L. (Spot) Lemmon,
W. F. (Frank) Patterson,
A. M. (Alvis) Williamson.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 2:
R. H. Jones,
M. F. Medley.

FOR CONSTABLE, PREC. No. 1:
R. P. (Bob) Glenn,
J. H. Ivey.

City Election

The following announcements for office are made subject to the action of the voters in the City Election to be held in April:

FOR MAYOR:
F. G. Alexander,
A. F. Thurman.

FOR CITY MARSHAL:
Wilton Kennedy,
Sebo Britton,
Al Cousins,
R. L. (Bob) Harrison,
H. K. (Bud) Thompson.

FOR CITY SECRETARY:
R. H. (Rufus) Banks,
R. A. (Austin) Coburn,
M. H. Hancock.

Dollar Day

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- Friday-Saturday and Monday for only
- Crinkled Bedsreads, 80x90 size, 2 \$1.00
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 - Six for \$1.00
 - Fast Color Print, 36 inches, 12 Yards for \$1.00
 - New Spring Crash Material, Reg. 29c Value, 5 yds. \$1.00
 - Solid Color Seersucker, 3 yds. for \$1.00

- Real Dollar Day Money Saver
- Solid Color Piques, 4 yds. for \$1.00
 - Bed-Ticking, 6 ounce weight, Good Quality, 6 yds. \$1.00
 - Lace Cloth, All New Spring Shades, 2 yds. for \$1.00
 - Printed Dimity or Batiste, 36 inch 6 Yards \$1.00
 - Ladies Silk Slips, lace trimmed, \$1.00 Value, 2 of them \$1.00

- Consider this Dollar Day Special
- One counter of Ladie's and Children's Slippers, broken sizes, Various Colors 2 pair for only \$1.00
 - Printed Rayon, new Spring Shades 5 yds. \$1.00
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The WOMAN'S Page



Magazine Club
C. L. Lewis directed a program on "The Black Novel," Friday, March 20, 1936. Mrs. Ben Bagwell, The Negro Becomes a Little Character," telling of the life of the negro in literature. Mrs. Courtney Hunt talked of "The Black Novel," giving an outstanding book and written by negroes. Disappointed Achievement Recognized, given by Mrs. R. N. Bee, who mentioned some outstanding negroes. Mrs. J. M. Glass gave a short sketch of "Two Negroes" giving of the lives, and two selections from each work.

Junior Christian Endeavor
The Juniors and High School Endeavors were beaten by the Intermediates. The Juniors had a very interesting program on "Be Kind To One Another." Carolyn Williams gave an appropriate reading: "How Gyp Solved The Mystery." The Juniors will meet at four o'clock with Mrs. Morrison as supervisor.

L. E. Marr Home Scene Of Surprise Homecoming
The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marr was the scene of a surprise homecoming of all their children except two, on last week-end. The event had been arranged by the children in the nature of a surprise "family reunion" honoring their parents.

High School Christian Endeavor Social
The High School Endeavor met at the parsonage for the monthly social.

South Ward P. T. A. Meets Officers
The president, Mrs. Wayne Koonce called the house to order to a well filled room of mothers last Thursday and the following program was rendered:

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Ruth Bible Class Entertained
On Friday afternoon March 20, Mrs. Tommie Hawkins and Mrs. M. H. Post were co-hostesses, in the Post home, for a lovely pre-Easter party for members of the Ruth Bible Class of First Christian Church.

Laura Fields Circle
The Laura Fields Circle met in the home of Mary Lee Koonce with Ethel Pickett joint hostess. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Tommie Hawkins led the devotional and Rev. Gillmore presented the lesson, the Book of Matthew.

"Beta Chi" Luncheon
The two circles of First Christian Church served a four course luncheon in the Courtney Hunt home to members of the Beta Chi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society. Red roses, the chapter flower, were centerpieces, where covers were laid at small tables for twelve members.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor
The Sun Goes down. The moon comes up. But the Intermediates did outshine the High School and Junior Endeavors. They put over a most interesting program too.

Tuesday Bridge Club
Meeting the 24th in the home of Mrs. Wallace Cox, members of the Tuesday Bridge Club were entertained.

Farewell Party Honoring Miss Louise Warren
Wednesday night, March 18th, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp, Miss Lena Belle Kemp entertained friends of Miss Louise Warren. A color scheme of green and white was predominate in decorations and refreshments.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
H. M. Gillmore, Minister
Bible School 9:45 a. m. Installation service and Communion 11:00 a. m. Junior Endeavor 4:00 p. m. Intermediate Endeavor 5:00 p. m. High School Endeavor 6:15 p. m. Bible Study Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Honoree At Party On Fifth Birthday
Miss Ann Smith gave her little sister Margaret, a party celebrating her 5th birthday, March 24th at their home. A number of her little friends were invited and each brought the little girl a gift which she enjoyed so much. After a number of games were played by the little folks, refreshments of sandwiches, punch and birthday cake, in pink and white were served to the following guests: Jacqueline and Vangie Theis, Joe Ann Berry, Marie McClintock, Jane Richey, Anna Bess Gilliam and Katherine Davis and Mary Beth Payne sent gifts. Favors were small Easter chicks.

Teachers Banquet To Be Held
The Teachers' Banquet will be held April 2nd at 8:00 p. m. at the Tonkawa Hotel. Dr. Surface of Abilene will be the speaker, and an orchestra has been arranged for. This banquet is the last in a series of teachers meetings. Every rural school teacher is invited to come and bring wife, husband or friend. The banquet is to be unformal.

Half Moon Home Demonstration Club
The Home Demonstration Club party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Goodwin last Thursday night was enjoyed by all present. Game of "42" were played and music was enjoyed by all, which was given by Mr. J. M. Davis and George Field. After the music and games of "42" had been enjoyed, candy was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Jessie B. Smith, M. O. Field and son, J. M. Davis and family, Buster Viney, J. P. Davis and baby, Earl Daniels and son, Mrs. Lulu Decker, Misses Bessie Patterson, Mary Bell and Eloise Edwards, Ruby, Janice and Janette Viney, Britly Lois and Lucille Mullins, Freeman Mullins, Thomas Britte, Roger Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Goodwin. All reported a nice time.

Mmes. John Couch and Oscar Oates Entertain
Pink snapdragons and other Spring flowers adorned rooms of the home of Mrs. John Couch, March 19th, when she and Mrs. Oscar Oates entertained to compliment Mrs. T. W. Williams, a recent bride. A pink and green theme was carried out in the lovely refreshment plate consisting of molded ice cream roses, angel food squares and flower corsages.

High School Christian Endeavor
The High School Endeavor meets at 8:15. Miss Vick, supervisor. Subject: How Jesus Gave Himself For Us. Leader—Eva Jo Ratliff. Scriptures Isa. 53:3; First Pet. 2:21-25.

O'Brien Methodist Young People's Division
The subject for Sunday night March 27, 1936 will be "How To Use the Sabbath to Promote Spiritual Values." The program follows:

Tom Britte, farmer living south of town, made his customary visit to Haskell last week-end. Although farmers would welcome a good rain, there's no need to begin "hollering" yet, Tom says.

Circle One
Circle I met in the home of Mrs. R. B. Fields Monday with 13 members. Mrs. J. M. Glass Circle leader led the devotional. Mrs. H. S. Post presented a splendid lesson from Luke, 2nd chapter. The remaining period of meeting was spent in sewing.

"Cake Walk" at Ballew Night of April 3rd
The Josselyn Home Demonstration Club will sponsor a "Cake Walk" at the Ballew school house on Friday night April 3rd, with proceeds of the evening's entertainment to be used in the club's program.

Bunker Hill Home Demonstration Club
The Bunker Hill Home Demonstration Club met March 20, 1936 in the home of Mrs. Earl Roddy.

The Harmony Club
The Harmony Club met March 25th 1936 with Mrs. Kenneth Thornton, president, in charge of business. Mrs. J. A. Shriver as hostess arranged the table decorations to give us a background typical of the open range days. Mrs. Tommie B. Hawkins directed an interesting program. This is the third and last program on music in the Southwest using Texas composers.

Lottie Mae Thompson, Blanche Davis, Frances Kaigler, Geraldine Norris.
Sacred Harp Singers Will Meet In Abilene
The Fifth Sunday Sacred Harp singing convention will meet in the Taylor county courthouse at Abilene next Sunday, March 25, according to T. L. Grace of this city, president of the organization. All singers of this section are invited. Lunch will be prepared for all who attend.

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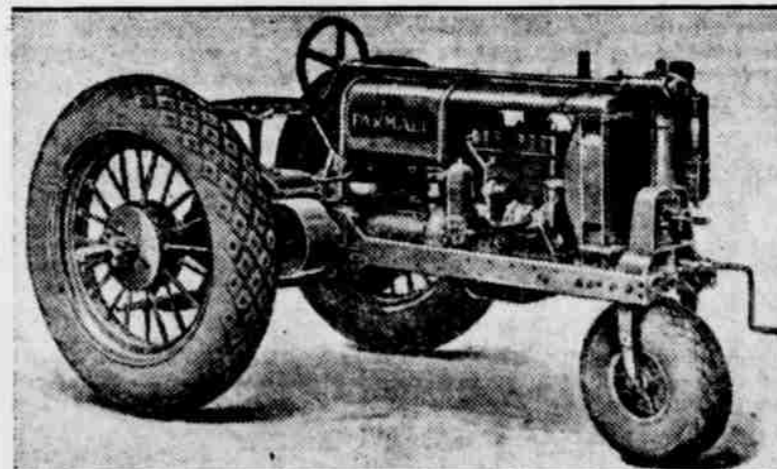
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WATCH THE WHEAT MARKET

Many Americans have wondered during the past week or so whether or not Europe was going to have another war. Most of them realize that little dependence could be put upon the published statements of the leaders of governments. However, we will tell you one fairly accurate method of gauging the proximity of war.

While it is not an unflinching index the price of wheat is a fairly reliable barometer of the possibility of war. About the middle of the week it went up a cent and one-half a bushel as Canada reported considerable purchases from Europe, indicating the nations were getting ready to feed armies in the field. On Saturday, however, the price dropped five to eleven-eighths of a cent as the consensus of opinion felt peace reasonably assured.

The stock market of Wall street is another barometer which can be read by the skillful although the big traders have their nervous moments just like anybody else. The prices of stocks went down as owners feared the effects of a war. They could also go down if foreign nations began selling the holdings of their citizens in order to create a gold war fund in America. However, after several days stocks swung back upward one to eight points as the traders felt that war would not come at this time. The prices of foreign bonds also gave the same possibility of discovering what the average opinion is of the probability of peace or war.

ARMY'S POWER IN JAPAN

Americans find it difficult to understand how the militaristic leaders of the Japanese army can exert so much influence upon the political course of affairs of the nation. Very often a cabinet fails to be successfully formed because of the opposition of the Japanese generals.

The answer is found in the peculiar provision in Japan that the Minister of War has to be a general. The generals usually stick closely together and no general loyal to the military caste will accept a post in any cabinet unless the other army leaders are satisfied with the probable course of the ministry in its conduct of governmental affairs.

Likewise, the Minister of the Navy has to be an admiral but it seems that the sea dogs are not as much inclined to dabble in politics as are their land associates.

POSTMASTERS TO THE TEST

The test of how Congress really feels about patronage is now before that body. It is contained in the administration-endorsed measure to place first, second, and third-class postmasterhips under civil service. For years all other postal employes have been selected through the merit system. The plan has worked well. Yet the most important position in the postoffice personnel has been left open as patronage bait in every town and city in the country.

MORE COPS, LESS CRIME

There is a thought for every city in the suggestion of J. Edgar Hoover, director of the federal Bureau of Investigation, that more policemen mean less crime. Hoover recently cited figures to show that cities with the largest number of policemen in proportion to the population generally have lower crime rates. Of 92 cities surveyed, Hoover revealed, 24 of them with an average of 2.4 police employes per 1,000 inhabitants had four murders in 1934 for each 100,000 population. On the other hand, 24 cities having an average of only one policeman per 1,000 inhabitants had more than 10 murders for each 100,000 population.

THE NEW FRONTIER

In these days of sharp condemnation of technological processes which are accused of increasing unemployment, it is interesting to analyze the demise of a leading research expert, Charles F. Kettering. Mr. Kettering, recently named the outstanding research engineer in the United States, disagrees with the critics who feel technological advances and research are used mainly to reduce man-hours of labor. Instead, he points out, technological processes have developed new products, new projects, and new types of industry which go far toward putting idle men and women to work. He cites, for example, the automobile industry, which he asserts has employed many more persons than it has deprived of work. Technological advance is our "frontier" now. The nation cannot afford to miss that fact.

Mr. Hoover tells us that inflation is causing the stock market boom. In view of the fact that Herbie didn't have the remotest idea of what made it go down in 1929 we're glad to hear he at least knows what makes it go up.

Walter Johnson duplicated George Washington's feat of throwing a dollar across the Rappahannock. Suppose the Republicans will belittle the achievement with the claim that the dollar contained only 59 cents.

The most sensitive nerve in the human body leads to the pocketbook.

American Federation of Labor survey: "When production outstrips buying power, sooner or later the increased production must stop for want of market."

Douglass Southall Freeman, editor: "There are today, but three forces that have international potency; Fascism, Socialism, and Christianity."

Barney Oldfield, veteran auto racer: "Accidents are caused by people who say to themselves, 'Yep, it happened to those people, but it can't happen to me.'"

Florella La Guardia, Mayor of New York: "Peace cannot be brought about by admirals or generals or gence conferences of politicians."

CURRENT COMMENT

EXPANDED USES FOR COTTON

All signs point to increased cotton acreage in the South this season and Texas will be no exception. Many farmers of this state have waited for the day when artificial restrictions will be removed. Of course there will be thousands who will co-operate with the Federal Government's soil improvement program and will gladly accept cash in return for every acre removed from the cotton or other soil-depleting crops to plant legumes. A reasonable acreage increase is not likely to greatly disturb the cotton market because everywhere on the business horizon are signs of stimulated consumption of the great Texas and Southern lint crop.

Doubtless the correct approach to the cotton problem should be along the path to expanded uses. Research chemists, Federal, State and private, will help to shape the destiny of cotton. The increased demand for fibers and protein in the new and important field of plastics has opened new doors to cotton, although it will be hard pressed by the soybean. The fact is that cotton research in recent years has slumped greatly. For a time, ending about 1929, the new uses for cotton expanded rapidly; then came a halt and cotton, along with most other basic agricultural products, sank into the doldrums. The Federal Government stepped into the breach and saved the cotton farmer from complete ruin, but the Supreme Court destroyed the AAA and the cotton farmer again finds himself on his own. He must choose what road he will travel.

It would be unwise to plant the fence corners to cotton or any other crop. The middle course is always safest. There is still a sufficient surplus to depress the cotton market, if it be added to the coming crop. Texas farmers might better raise lots of feed, even if there be no immediate use for it. It can be stacked in the open or put in the barn for future use against periods of shortage. The cotton acreage should be held in check.—Farm News.

IEWS AND REVIEWS

Grace Moore, opera singer: "I don't mind milking a cow or two in the course of a day."

Lewis H. Schwellenbach, U. S. Senator from Washington: "This committee has shown that \$3,500,000 was spent by the utility interests in an effort to defeat just one piece of legislation."

Harold Ickes, Secretary of the Interior: "We find an America containing a small but very rich class and a disproportionately larger, but very poor class."

Charl Ormond Williams, President Business Women's Club: "Pity the struggles of a man executive without his faithful secretary."

Lady Cavendish, the former Adele Astaire: "I doubt if I will ever dance properly again."

Sonja Henie, Norwegian skater, world's champion: "Sure, I'd like to be another Greta Garbo, but who wouldn't?"

John H. Jouett, former U. S. officer who established an aviation school in China: "Chinese youth compare favorably with American boys as far as flying ability is concerned."

Charles R. Gay, President New York Stock Exchange: "Business men need not be told that because a stock or bond is quoted in a relatively small number of dollars, it is necessarily cheap."

WISE AND OTHERWISE

Jean Harlow has gone from platinum to brown hair, and we can't say that we blame her, especially if she burns coal.—Ohio State Journal.

We don't believe in lie detectors. Yet we feel more comfortable when one isn't near.—Atchison Globe.

Tests show that a person has the most native intelligence at the age of 17. After that, he goes to college.—The San Francisco Chronicle.

It has been decided that the "flu" is both affirmative and negative. Sometimes the ayes have it and sometimes the nays.—Mokulele, U. S. Fleet Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

It develops that the oldest war on which our government is still giving pensions is that of 1812. How much the pension is paid for.—Atlanta Constitution.

Chicago Woman, suing for divorce, charges her husband, liked the radio better than he did her. Well, you can't dial out a wife.—Buffalo Times.

A New York judge was so pleased by the book reviews of a juvenile delinquent, the lad was released. Maybe he omitted the word "provocative."—Detroit News.

London reports a perpetual-motion clock that has run without winding since November, 1916. It keeps time but it will not put the cat out at night.—Minneapolis Journal.

A gossip is one who talks to you about others; a bore is one who talks to you about himself, and a brilliant conversationalist is one who talks to you about yourself.—Galt (Canada) Reporter.

Washington has suddenly discovered that the Vice-President has never had a special flag. If this curiosity persists unchecked somebody will discover the Vice-President.—New York Sun.

SNAP SHOTS

It may be hard to understand a girl before you marry her, but it's impossible afterward.

We wonder why those shipboard pictures of actresses always show them posing on a steamer trunk with their legs crossed.

Immigrants used to regard America as "the promised land," but politics has made it the much-promised land.

Considering how much better business is today than three years ago all this propaganda about how the New Deal retarded business sounds a wee bit silly.

Pluck is one of the attributes of success, but it doesn't include plucking the other fellow.

When a fellow is satisfied with himself it's a pretty good bet that nobody else is.

Sunday School HENRY-LESSON RADCLIFFE

EXPLAINING THE KINGDOM

International Sunday School Lesson for March 29, 1936

Golden Text: "They shall come from the east and west, and from the north and south and shall sit down in the kingdom of God."—Luke 13:29.

(Lesson Text: Luke 13:18-30)

Jesus realized that he would have only a few years of active life to establish the kingdom of God. He did not expect its immediate and universal success but endeavored to present it to mankind so that its nature and methods could be understood and appreciated. He had sufficient faith in the ultimate response of men that he could give his life in order to illustrate more perfectly his mission and purpose. As he preached and taught during his three active years of ministry he was constantly seeking to explain and make more comprehensive the kingdom.

The thirteenth chapter of Luke's gospel begins with telling us how Jesus exposed the prejudices and errors of some Jewish critics. They wanted to know if some Galileans who had been slain by Pilate had been punished for their individual sin. The reply of Jesus showed that disaster should not always be considered a direct and positive retribution for wrongdoing. We have never been able to understand how anyone could think that a God of love would be so vindictive as to inflict terrible suffering. We do not believe these things come through the direct interposition of divine authority. They result from error and sin, not necessarily always by the injured parties, but certainly as a result of violating God's law somewhere and sometime.

Jesus illustrated the obligation of the Christian to live positively for God by the parable of the fruitless fig tree. When the tree gave no fruit it should be cut down to prevent its taking up space on the earth needlessly. Jesus "seeks at this moment to communicate to all who know their failure the values of his own death and life," says G. Campbell Morgan.

An afflicted woman came into the synagogue on the Sabbath Day whereupon Jesus healed her. The hypocritical ruler of the synagogue became indignant because, according to strict Jewish law, even this work of healing was profaning the Sabbath. Jesus revealed the strictness of their hypocritical stupidity by pointing out that even according to their law animals might be led to secure food. How much more should this woman, a true Jewess, be relieved from the anguish of her suffering? To the strict Jewish churchmen regularity in following religious rules, was essential, whereas to

Jesus serving humanity was of extremely greater importance. The parables of the Mustard Seed and Leaven were spoken in order to illustrate the growth of the kingdom; at least, that is the parables, although there are some who translate them otherwise. The latter think that the abnormal growth of the Mustard Seed until the birds, symbolic of evil, find shelter and power of the church, in fact, even its adversaries, hypocritically claim shelter. To these also, the leaven is a symbol of corrupting influences, working secretly in the true doctrine, constituting a warning that we must be on our guard lest these evil influences contaminate our conception of the truth. However, we are rather inclined to the traditional interpretation of these parables.

"Jesus made the kingdom thoroughly moral, a life of filial fellowship with God and fraternal relations between men," says Harry Emerson Fosdick. "Moreover, he emphasized inward preparation for the kingdom's coming. Purity, self-forgetting love, sincerity—such are the attributes of life in the coming kingdom, and a man should repent and seeking inward cleansing and renewal when he hears that the Day of God is coming. More important still, the Master made no gulf between the present and the future ages. In his thought the kingdom of God already was throwing foregleams of the new day into the life of man. Finally, the Master denationalized the kingdom. It was to be no triumph of the Jews over their enemies, but the gift of God over all mankind, and when he lifted up the eyes of his faith he saw men coming into the kingdom from east, west, north and south. Thus the Master took a current category in which all his people phrase their hope of God's victory on earth and transformed it. In his hands its fantastic features were stripped away, its deep spiritual requirements were exalted, its present meanings were put to the front and its narrow national boundaries were broken down."

"Deep down, buried out of sight, may be the master-passion which sways the life, the basal motive on which the character is built," says Hugh Black. "Men may make sacrifices for the kingdom of God, may be lavish of their time and their means, may even suffer for their faith, may stand first for their abundant labors; and yet before the great Searcher of hearts may be last. The words come to us with solemn warning that we may not deceive ourselves. We must not judge either ourselves nor others according to rank, or position, or ability, or zeal, or honor in the Church, or any outside quality. There is another judgment, according to intrinsic spiritual worth, and that will be the final judgement of all."

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HASKELL To the Resident Property Taxpaying Voters of Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 11th day of April, 1936, within Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, to determine if said district shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners' Court on the 9th day of March, 1936, which is as follows:

Order of The Commissioners' Court on Road Bond Petition THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HASKELL

On this 9th day of March, 1936, the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas, convened in special session at the regular meeting place thereof in the court house of Haskell, Texas, all members of the court, to-wit:

Chas. M. Conner, County Judge, A. H. Hutchins, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; T. M. Mapes, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; P. G. Kendrick, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; O. L. Darden, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

being present, came on to be heard and considered the petition of I. J. Duff, each more than fifty other persons praying that an election be ordered in said Commissioners Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, for the purpose of determining the following proposition: To determine whether or not Commissioners Road District No. 2 of said county shall issue bonds in the amount of \$10,000.00 bearing interest at the rate of 5 percent per annum, and maturing \$1,000.00 on April 1st, 1937, and \$1,000.00 on the first day of April each year thereafter interest payable annually, said bonds not to exceed ten years from the date thereof, for the purpose of supplementing Federal and State funds in the construction, maintenance and operation of graveled or caliche roads, or in aid thereof, notice of said hearing having been given as required by law.

And it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty resident property taxpaying voters of said Commissioners Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, who had duly rendered their property for taxation, said Commissioners Road District No. 2 having been established by order of the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County,

ly, Texas, on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1911, and recorded in Book No. 3 on page 180, 181 and 182 of the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas, within the following metes and bounds to-wit:

Beginning at the center of Block No. 18 in the Town of Haskell, Texas; Thence North through the center of Block No. 19 and to the center of Standefer street; Thence west about 122 vrs to the center of Clark Street; Thence North along the center of Clark Street and along the Haskell and Benjamin road to the north boundary line of the Peter Allen survey and at the north end of said Clark street; Thence east along the said north boundary line of the said Peter Allen survey to the north east corner of said Peter Allen survey and the southeast corner of section No. 85 Block No. 1, H. & T. C. R. Co.

Thence north along the east boundary lines of section No. 35 and 36 of Block No. 1, H. & T. C. R. Co. to the north east corner of said section No. 36.

Thence west along the north boundary line of said section No. 36, 854 vrs. to a point in the said north boundary line of section No. 36.

Thence north through the W. H. Covey pre-emption passing the north east corner of the J. K. P. Smith survey continuing north on the east boundary lines of the Richard Finch, Daniel Parker, Chas. Calliott, and Jane Wilson surveys and to the north west corner of the Jos. H. Bond survey. Thence in a northerly direction (about N-6-W) to the south west corner of section No. 180, Block 45, H. & T. C. R. Co.

Thence north along the west boundary line of section No. 180, 181, 182 and 183 in Block No. 45, H. & T. C. R. Co. and to where the North boundary line of Haskell County intersects the west boundary line of said section No. 183.

Thence east along the north boundary line of Haskell County to the north east corner of the same.

Thence south along the east boundary of said Haskell County, Texas, to point in said east boundary of said Haskell County 1206 vrs. south of the north boundary line of section No. 27, B. B. & C. R. Co. Abstract No. 51.

Thence south to the southwest corner of the A. J. Messer pre-empt. Thence north to the south boundary of the Jas. Scott 177 acre tract.

Thence west along the south boundary of said Jas. Scott survey and the south boundary of the W. H. Smith survey and continue west

Haskell County History

29 YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Mayor T. C. Cahill had proclaimed the week of March 25th as Clean-Up week in Haskell.

The large residence of F. G. Alexander in the west part of town was totally destroyed by fire, at a loss of \$6,000.

Dewey Courtney, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Courtney, died in an Abilene Hospital, and was buried in Willow Cemetery here.

A. F. Woods of Grapevine, Texas, moved to Haskell and announced that he would open an optical and jewelry store here.

Clyde Grissom won first place in prohibition oratorical contest at Texas Christian University. Mr. Grissom's subject was "The Tyrant." First place honors carried an award of \$15.00.

C. F. McCall of Waco, will open a studio in the Elks building this week. Mr. McCall comes to Haskell highly recommended as an experienced photographer.

On March 7, 1916, Haskell's two banks had combined resources of \$545,380.10. Combined deposits totaled \$365,417.34.

A shipment of new fire hose was received by the Fire Department, giving them a total of 2,000 feet of usable hose.

Henry Stogner had closed a contract with the business men to operate a war-sprinkling wagon on the main business streets during the spring and summer.

Prof. Royster, head of the English department of the University of Texas, gave a lecture at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon, March 20th, and also talked before members of the Magazine Club Monday morning.

30 YEARS AGO TO-DAY

It now appears that quite a good percentage of the fruit escaped the freeze last week and is now safe. F. G. Alexander went to Sweetwater Thursday on a business matter.

The grading force on the Wichita Valley has reached a point about ten miles north of town.

Among those who sold cotton in Haskell March 31, 1906 were Messrs. L. M. Hamilton and S. B. Wright of Pinkerton; W. J. Smith of Marcy and C. R. Lynch of the Ample neighborhood.

Mr. Nathan Hickman of Stamford, who has the contract to clear the right-of-way for the railway being built from Abilene by way of Anson to Stamford, was here Thursday trying to get hands to work on the right-of-way. Clearing has progressed ten miles north of Abilene, he states.

Quite a crowd witnessed on Monday morning the laying of the cornerstone of Judge McConnell's large building on the northwest corner of the square. It was really

through the Sarah Smith survey to the east boundary line of the Samuel Callison 320 acre survey. Thence north to the northeast corner of said 320 acre tract.

Thence west along the north boundary line of said Callison 320 acre tract and through the Sarah Smith, Norwell Haggard, Dolores Casanova, Thos. G. Box and Moses Butler surveys and the Jas. M. Cass and L. Willoughby surveys and intersect the Throckmorton road at the west boundary line of said Willoughby survey 5225 feet north of the south west corner of said Willoughby survey.

Thence west down the said Haskell and Throckmorton road to point due north of the north west corner of Block on lot No. 72 in the Brown and Roberts Addition to the Town of Haskell, Texas.

Thence south along the west boundary of said lot No. 72 to the point in Standefer Street thirty-seven and one-half feet north of the north east corner of lot No. 57 of said Brown and Roberts Addition to Haskell, Texas.

Thence west down Standefer Street to intersect Lomax Street; Thence south down said Lomax Street and to intersect Walton Street;

Thence west down said Walton Street and to intersect Fannin Street.

Thence south down said Fannin Street to the center or middle line running east and west through Block No. 11, Haskell, Texas.

Thence west through said Block No. 11 and to the center of Block No. 18 the place of beginning.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the Commissioners Court that an election be held in said Commissioners Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, on the 11th day of April, 1936, which is not less than thirty days from the date of the bonds of said Commissioners Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, shall be issue in the amount of \$10,000, with interest at the rate of 5 percent per annum, being serial bonds and maturing one bond of \$1,000.00 each year as follows: Bond No. 1 maturing on April 1st, 1937, and one bond of \$1,000.00 on the 1st day of April of each year thereafter until the ten bonds have matured, not to exceed ten years from their date, and whether a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Commissioners Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in the County of Haskell for four successive weeks

a matter of public interest, marking the beginning of an extensive building campaign in Haskell.

Mr. J. S. Fox is building a new 30x76 foot shop on the block northeast of the square. He will add more machinery for working lumber and will put in a corn mill and feed chopper.

Mr. S. L. Robertson's store is being pushed south off of his lot to make room for his new concrete stone building, construction of which will be started at once.

A string of seven teams was driven through Haskell Monday. Four of them were of four horses, each pulling two wagons in a trail and three single teams and wagons. They were loaded with cotton and the count showed 57 bales.

Mr. F. M. Todd of Stamford moved to Haskell and will engage in the real estate business.

40 YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Order for a Democratic primary election to be held on Saturday June 6, 1896, was issued by W. W. Fields, chairman of the county executive committee.

Total expense of the county for district court, for jurors, bailiffs, etc., beginning with the April term, 1893 and ending with the April term, 1894, was \$1,639.00. The sheriff's account during the same time amounts to \$7,025.18.

Thirty-three candidates for office are announced in the Baylor county papers.

Mark Whitman who received an accidental gunshot wound in his right hand last week is getting along all right, and doctors say his hand will not be permanently crippled.

The youngsters had a party at the residence of W. T. Hudson Monday night.

Tom Owens and family have moved back to Haskell from Seymour, having arrived on Thursday.

The prairies are getting quite green now, with here and there a bunch of wild flowers showing their heads.

There is a plan on foot among the several schools of the county to have a joint picnic of all the schools on San Jacinto Day, April 21st.

The ladies of the cemetery committee say that they now have on hand all the material for fencing the cemetery except the posts, and are urging those who can to donate this material. Their fencing is woven wire and straight mesquite posts are desired.

Mr. J. F. Pinkerton and a Mr. Lowe of Thorp Springs are here looking over our country with a view of locating here. Mr. Pinkerton already has extensive interests

before the date of said election and in addition thereto, there shall be posted notices of such election at three places placed in said Commissioners Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, and in addition thereto a notice of such election shall be posted at the court house door of said Haskell County, Texas, for three weeks prior to said election.

Said election shall be held at the following voting boxes: Haskell Voting Box No. 2, and R. C. Whitmire is hereby appointed manager of said election at said voting box No. 2, West Voting Box No. 10, Ernest Griffith is hereby appointed presiding officer to hold said election in voting box No. 10, Brushy Voting Box No. 11, W. O. Sargent is hereby appointed presiding officer to hold said election in said voting box No. 11, Cottonwood Voting Box No. 12, J. L. Wright is hereby appointed presiding officer to hold said election in said voting box No. 12, Hogg Voting Box No. 13, Ed Choss is hereby appointed presiding officer to hold said election in said voting box No. 13.

Notice of said election is hereby given by publication of this order in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper published by the County and Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, four successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto, there shall be other copies of this order published in the Road District No. 2 of Haskell County, Texas, of which shall be at the house door, for three weeks to said election.

The county judge is directed to cause said notice published and posted, as above directed, and further are reserved until the date of said election are made by authorized election officers received by this court.

Given under my hand and seal of the Commissioners' Court affixed this 9th day of 1936.

CHAS. M. CONNER County Judge.

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Work To Continue Monday

The present week ad are rapidly being made the class work next week Christian and Methodist Present plans are to re- school on Monday, March on the Christian Church serving as the study of the two churches serv- class rooms. Temporary will be installed to foods and clothing Invoices have already for some of the text and all others are expected

ate Glimpses of Teachers

Jessie Vick. To succeed students increased ap- of good literature. The Warwhoop. Radio Program—Ed- Hugh. Song—La Golondrina. Food—Fruit Cake. Flower—Sweet Peas. season—Fall. Color—Yellow. Sport—horseback rid- Magazine—Reader's Actress—Claudette Actor—Frederic March type of student—One Blunt pencils; stu- ging wrong books to the pastime—Reading.

ing Tab On Our Exes

a great year in the his- and, we feel especi- gashed that one of our aduates is to have a part gram that will help cele- Texas Centennial. Crawford, now a student of Texas Tech of that institution, re- before a very able of New York, and if favorable impression. of her perfect rendition a critic she was selected in the Texas Centennial in Dallas on June 17. tion to this special honor. to mention too, that was on the honor roll at the last term. Kathleen mber of the class of '34.

SENIOR ENROLLS

withdrawals from the had reduced our less than fifty, but with ment of Myrth Jean at week the Senior class again reached fifty. an is transferring from ford High School, and to welcome her to our to the Senior Class. Norris visited sever- week in Knox City.

This Week's Warwhoop "Chief"

One of our most popular and efficient county officials has been elected as Warwhoop "Chief" this week—Mr. Roy Ratliff, District Clerk, former H. F. S. student and member of a prominent Haskell family.



ROY RATLIFF
wise a booster for our High School activities.

Born in Wise county, Mr. Ratliff moved with his family to Haskell in 1921. Attending our High School, he was a member of the Indian's football squad during 1921-22, with our present coach, Bill Richey.

Mr. Ratliff later attended Randolph College at Cisco, returning to Haskell to engage in the sale of automobiles.

Entering the field of politics in 1934 as a candidate for District Clerk, Mr. Ratliff was elected to this office by a handsome majority—and has been "on the job" in an efficient and accommodating manner since assuming his duties. This year he is seeking his second term, and likely will have no opposition.

Member of the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Ratliff also takes an active interest in church and Sunday School work, and is like-

Additional Losses From The Fire

In addition to the loss of building, text books, and furniture, there were many things burned that cannot be easily replaced. Following is a partial list of valuable equipment and personal property that was lost. Little of it, if anything, was covered with insurance.

Program clock.
Library valued at \$1,000.
Minutes of school band.
Mr. Breedlove's professional library—except one book.

Professional books of other teachers.
New English cabinet.
Science laboratory equipment, \$1,200.
Home Economics Equipment, \$1,200.

Gypsy Rambler Stage Curtain.
Gypsy Rambler Stage Furni- ture.

Girls' Dressing room and furniture installed by Gypsy Ramblers.
High School Trophy Case in- stalled by Gypsy Ramblers.

One hundred "Sociability" song books presented by Gypsy Ramblers.
Gypsy Rambler record book.

Two or three dozen silk dresses made by Home Ec. girls.
All football equipment except helmets.

Basketball and Volley ball suits.
All pictures in building.
Numerous individually owned text-books.

Four typewriters, including one owned by Vada Thomas.
Fifty caps and gowns.
Picnic cups and cans presented by Senior class of 1935.

White wool sweater belonging to Miss Camp.
English scrap-book.
New dictionaries in several class rooms.

Tennis nets and balls belonging to individuals.
Notebooks, recipe files, fountain pens, and other personal effects in student's lockers.
Large American flag.

Gypsy Ramblers Plan Program Monday Night

The Gypsy Rambler Club met at the Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon to make plans for the program which they are sponsoring with the High School Parent-Teacher Association to be given by the Hardin-Simmons University Choral Club next Monday night. Committees were appointed to sell tickets, put out posters, and arrange for the entertainers to be taken to the homes in which they are to stay. A committee to meet with the Parent-Teacher Association Thursday was also appointed.

DRAMATIC CLUB LOSES CLAUDE WARREN, JR.

Claude Warren Jr., who moved with his parents to Lawton, Okla. last week, has been first place winner in the Declamation contest in the Interscholastic League for four consecutive years, two years as a Junior grade pupil and two years as a high school Junior. He had won first place in the Senior Declamation Contest this year—two weeks before the County Meet. We do not like to give Claude up.

Claude Warren Jr., a Sophomore student, withdrew from school last week and moved with his family to Lawton, Oklahoma. We regret that he is leaving.

Miss Vick spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. John Draper of Abilene, and while there visited English classes in the Abilene High School on Monday.

Choral Club Work Carried on Despite Destructive Blaze

Although many school activities have been at a standstill this week, the Choral Club has continued its work. We are planning to go to Hardin-Simmons this coming Saturday to enter a choral singing contest, sponsored by that university.

The club has been working on two beautiful numbers—Brahm's "Lullaby," which is compulsory, and "Chinese Lullaby." All of the Choral Clubs entering the contest will be the guests of Hardin-Simmons throughout the day.

Pisen Arrow

Now don't any of you blame me for anything that goes in here, because you see between a little blackmailing and nothing to write much—well, you understand, don't you?

Between you and me and the gatepost, Bob Wheatley is a fast worker. On one Saturday he expressed a desire to meet the leading lady in the Rule Senior play, and a week later he had gone with her—oh, ever so many times.

Have you counted the times that someone has asked you "Why aren't you in school?" No? Well, don't try to count 'em, on account of your couldn't.

Lottie Mae and Maurine seem to both see a lot in the same boy. Now, why can't they pick on two boys, instead of one?

The next time any of you seniors say "Isn't she the silliest thing you ever saw (speaking of a lower classman) just remember that you haven't always been the wise body that you are now.

Miss Davis says a little failure isn't a dangerous thing! (Just a little philosophy from the wise).

WARNING you Seventh Grade Boys!!! Artie, according to tradition, will soon be looking over the girls in your class to see who would be an ideal object of his affection.

Y'know it's nice to know scandal on people, 'cause they'll just buy you anything not to print it.

You didn't know that Helen B. and Helen Mabel had gone into business, did you? They just had one day of it.

And now we find out that Joe Maples Jr. has been praying all his life for the school house to burn down. Once ought to do you, Joe.

Personals

Jack Kimbrough is spending the week in Abilene, visiting relatives.

Miss Davis attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth the past week-end.

We wish to extend to Lilly Maude Martin our deepest regrets because of the loss of her brother.

Edgar Welsh, a graduate of our school, who has been dangerously ill in the Baptist Sanitarium in Abilene, is improving favorably.

Our sincerest sympathy is extended to Ruth Woodson, whose father passed away last Sunday.

Marvina Post visited in Fort Worth the past week-end.

Mr. Breedlove made a hasty trip to Fort Worth on Friday afternoon following the fire, in the interest of school affairs.

Misses Annabel Stanton and Audra Gayle Roberts spent Wednesday in Wichita Falls, sight-seeing.

Cottonwood Box Supper
The box supper given at Cottonwood, March 19, 1936, by the Home Demonstration Club of Cottonwood was well attended.

For the 22 pairs of sox sold, we received \$34.01.
We, the home demonstration club, wish to express our sincere appreciation to the candidates present for their support and good attendance. We wish especially to thank Mr. Mike Watson for auctioning the sox for us. Also to thank the people of the community for their loyal support.

Reporter.
Gilliam Four-square Church
Beginning next Wednesday April 1st, a revival will be held, conducted by Rev. Slater Neal of Dallas. Preaching every night at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School 10 a. m. A class for everyone.
Sunday morning 11 a. m. Morning worship.

Sunday Night—7 p. m. Crusader Service conducted by the young people, "The Seven Devils of the Devil."
Sunday night 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic Service. An illustrated sermon "Death in the Pot." Everybody Welcome.

"Magnificent Obsession"

After you see it you will never be quite the same again.

News of Haskell County Boys In C. C. C. Camp

The health of the camp is good at this writing. A few colds and sore throats.

We are sorry to report that Clarence Chitwood is on the sick list at this time.

Many of the boys are talking about the expiration of their terms. Some are going to stay and some are going home. It is probably the most discussed subject of the camp at this time.

A large number of the boys had the pleasure of visiting the Southwestern Cement Co., at El Paso, Texas Saturday afternoon. They reported an interesting time, and made many amusing remarks about the procedure gone through with. The Southwestern are the makers of the famous El Toro cement.

The usual trip was made to El Paso and Old Mexico by the winning barracks Saturday afternoon. Barracks three was the winning barracks Saturday. The boys reported a thrilling time.

A number of boys attended the Young People's Christian forum Sunday morning. It was held by the young people of the various churches of Las Cruces. Usually in the home of one of the members. The services were held at sunrise.

The camp was the winner of a fast game of baseball Thursday afternoon. The bureau of Reclamation can't seem to realize that we haven't the best team.

Work on the various projects is progressing nicely. The Pichacho Arroyo dam is going up by leaps and bounds. One of the boys suffered the humility of having a rock dropped on his head. The boy came out fine but the other boys were put to the trouble to bring up another rock.

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in Haskell County. No experience or capital needed. Write today, McNESS Co., Dept. S, Freeport, Illinois.

SOME THROAT—TONSILLITIS! Instant relief is afforded by Anathesia-Mop, the wonderful new sore-throat mop. Relieves pain and kills infection. Relief guaranteed or purchase price refunded by PAYNE DRUG COMPANY. 3-19-36.

We Will Buy Your OLD GOLD Rings, Watch Cases, Bracelets, and other jewelry. Highest prices. LYLES JEWELRY STORE

Henry Drusedow who lives in the Roberts community was trading in Haskell Saturday. Henry has always been able to make a good living on his farm through good years and bad and is one of the county's substantial citizens. Dave Guinn of Sagerton was here Saturday on business.

Friday **FREE** Saturday

MOTOR BOAT—For big boat races in the Bath Tub.

Great Fun—Great Sport—Simple—Harmless

One FREE with each 25c Child's Tooth Brush

Bridge Tables

Plain black fibre top, Square Corners, round edges, good construction. Top reinforced with wood cross piece, steel locking device.

Friday and Saturday Special

95c

Payne Drug Company



Jack Harris, Annie Baldwin, Muri Lancaster, Beverly Gilbert, Mayre Lena Tubbs, Winnie Darnell, T. J. Wimbish, Clovis Ketrin, Cath- erine Wair, Lottie Mae Thompson, Geraldine Conner, Mary Francis Allen, Lilly Maude Martin. 3rd Row—Grace Rose, Kathryn Kinney, Elva Couch, Albert Barnett, Audrey Lee Guinn, Golda Wood, Mary Lou Smith, Lowell Shelton, Billy Vogelsang. 4th Row—Ruby Stodghill, Ruby Strickland, Ruth Woodson, Nancy Patterson, Lou Etta Stanford, Marie Rhoads, Margaret Breed-

Dinner's all ready!

The Automatic Electric Range Is the Answer!

Every member of the family appreciates wholesome, well-cooked food. It's necessary to health! However, few people realize, except the housewife, the toil and drudgery necessary to prepare three meals a day. Just think of preparing over a thousand meals a year beside the many other laborious duties of a housewife.

Many West Texas homemakers have found a happy solution in the elimination of unnecessary toil in the kitchen. Today, the modern mother can place an entire meal in the oven of her range, set the oven control and time control and return home hours later to find a "piping hot" meal ready to serve. This is the marvel of automatic electric cookery!

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NEW LOW PRICE
 Men's Wichita Brand Overall. Sanforized Boys Sizes, 79c **98c**

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 In light and dark colors. Fast color and sanforized. **79c, 98c**
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Saturday Only
 Ladies full fashioned Pure Silk Hose. Values to 79c—**48c**

munities adjacent to Haskell were afforded transportation to the local high school—bringing the enrollment to the highest point in the history of the Haskell schools. Immediately following the disastrous blaze—in fact, shortly after destruction—Supt. Breedlove and members of the Board of Trustees had set in motion emergency plans for continuing High School studies for the 1935-36 term. School work for the week was discontinued, but is to be resumed next Monday morning. Office quarters for Supt. Breedlove were established upstairs over the Haskell National Bank, and will be maintained there indefinitely, it was announced.

Rural Tract—
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 Lack of space prevents listing of individual contestants and winners in each event, but total points won by the various schools are given below. The full League schedule of track and field events was carried out, in three divisions—Senior Boys and Girls, Junior Boys and Girls above Seventh Grade, and Junior Boys and Girls of Grade Schools.

Total points won by schools:
 Senior Boys: Howard, 46 1-2 points; Tonk Creek 13 1-2; Post 43; Guantt 3 points.
 Senior Girls: Midway 15 1-3; Howard 17 5-6; Guantt 13; Tonk Creek 26 1-2; Roberts 5; Jud 1; Howard 4 1-2.
 Junior Girls, above seventh grade: Midway 19; Roberts 15; Tonk Creek 7; Howard 22; Post, 5; Foster 7; Guantt 1.
 Junior Boys, grade schools: Center Point 41; Idella 6; Lone Star 7.
 Junior Girls, grade schools: Idella 18; Center Point 40; Lone Star 16.
 Rural Pentathlon: Howeth of Guantt 25 points; McFannin of Jud 12; Mapes of Roberts 11; Hunt of Tonk Creek 6 points.

Woodson Rites—
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 and also took an active interest in community and civic affairs. Surviving are his widow and the following children: Miller Woodson, Fort Worth; C. P. Woodson and William E. Woodson of Haskell, Texas; Mrs. Burt Trice Big Spring, Texas; Mrs. Ferrell Squyres, Tucson, Ariz.; Miss Ruth Woodson, Haskell, Texas.
 Active pallbearers were H. S. Gibson, Frank Curry, Owen Cox, Jim Curry, Floyd Self, Mike B. Watson, J. E. Leflar and Hope Haynes.
 Honorary pallbearers were J. M. Cass, O. A. Akins, L. D. Ratliff, Sr., R. E. Reeves, R. P. Simmons, Clarence Norton, C. E. Curry, R. L. Bruton, F. G. Alexander, W. H. O'Neal, Bob Barnett, Tobe Trice, Chas. Conner, P. M. Mullins, T. M. Poteet, C. B. Breedlove, R. L. Foote, A. H. Wair, Jno. W. Pace, Burwell Cox, M. A. Clifton, F. T. Sanders.
 The floral offerings were handled

TWO CONVICTED IN DISTRICT COURT TO PENITENTIARY

State Officer Tranfers Gray and Webb to Institution at Huntsville

Two men, Charlie Webb and W. L. (Danger) Gray, convicted during the January term of District Court and given penitentiary sentences aggregating six years each on three separate indictments charging theft of property valued at more than \$50, were taken into custody Tuesday by penitentiary officials. The two men who have been in the Haskell county jail since their conviction, were released to Penitentiary Agent Crane this week by Sheriff Giles Kemp. Crane was to transport them to Huntsville where they will be confined in the state institution.

ed by Misses Margaret Breedlove, Addie Lee Hayes, Mary Lena Tubbs, Mary Eleanor Diggs, Elsie Ghelson and Geraldine Conner.

S. S. Rally—

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 The ladies were assisted in serving the banquet by twelve or fifteen high school girls. The following towns and communities outside of Haskell were represented: Weinert, Munday, Knox City, Rule, Rochester, Sagerton, Foster Community, Stamford, Wichita Falls, Beaumont, Seymour, and Winters.
 Rev. Gilmore of the First Christian Church pronounced the benediction.

League Meet—

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 East Ward, 1 p. m. Friday.
 Music Memory—Room 7-A, East Ward, 1 p. m.
 Picture Memory—Room 5, East Ward, 3 p. m.
 Declaration
 High School Juniors Declaration—First Christian Church, 2 p. m. Friday.
 Rural School Juniors Declaration—Methodist Church, 2 p. m. Friday.
 Ward Schools Junior Declaration—First Christian Church, 2 p. m. Friday.
 Story-Telling—First Presbyterian Church, 2 p. m. Friday.
 High School Seniors—First Christian Church, 3 p. m. Friday.
 School Seniors—Methodist Church, 3 p. m. Friday.
 Extempore Speaking—First Baptist Church, 3 p. m. Friday.
 Friday Night
 Debate: First Baptist Church, 7:30 p. m.
 Track and Field Events
 Track and Field events for Seniors, as outlined in the League bulletin, will be:
 120 yard high hurdles, 100 yard dash, 880 yard run, 270 low hurdles, 440 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 1-mile run, 1-mile relay. Field events: Pole vault, running broad jump, discus throw, 12-pound shot put, javelin throw.
 Junior events with the order in which they will be conducted follow:
 50 yard dash, 100 yard dash, 440 yard relay, pull-up, running high jump, running broad jump.
 Directors of Events
 Supt. D. L. Ligon of Rochester, director general for Haskell county, has announced the following directors for the various events on the Interscholastic League calendar:
 Miss Mabel Jones, Declaration; Mrs. R. T. Penn, Spelling; Miss Anyce Dalton, Essay writing; W. T. Carter, Extempore Speaking; C. B. Ramsey, Rural schools; R. G. DeBerry, Athletics; Mrs. Jim Wyatt, Music Memory; Mrs. Irene Ballard, Choral Singing; Mrs. George V. Wimlich, Debate; Miss Madalyn Hunt, Rhythm Band; Elmer C. Watson, Arithmetic; Virgil Casle, Three-R's; Miss Margaret McCollum, Picture Memory; Mrs. Robbie Burdette, Story-Telling.

Free Picture Show Will Be Given By Jones, Cox & Co.

"The Evolution of Power Farming" will be the theme of a free picture show at the Jones, Cox & Company new Farmall House, beginning Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and will run until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The pictures were made by the International Harvester Company and will be shown here, as special feature on the opening of Jones, Cox & Company's new implement store. The pictures will show the progress which has been made in power farm machinery during the past few years, with special attention given to the Farmall tractor and International trucks.

Opening of the new Implement store by Jones, Cox & Company along with their modern repair department will be of valuable service to Farmall owners of Haskell County. Expert mechanics are being placed in charge of the work shop and it will be possible to rebuild a tractor on short notice according to Wallace Cox, manager of the new Farmall house.

Everyone in Haskell County who is interested in Power farming is invited to attend the Free Show Saturday.

Home Talent Play Will Be Given at Pleasant Valley

A home talent play entitled "Minnie Yonson's Yob" will be given at the Pleasant Valley school in the near future. The cast of this screamingly funny comedy comprises 10 or 12 persons, and rehearsals have been under way for several days. Patrons of the school are staging the play.

For the play has not been set but will be announced possibly in next week's issue of the Free Press.

Miss Edith Williams and Miss Reta Mae Guess are teachers of the Pleasant Valley school.

Hutto H. D. Club Members Skilled Mattress-Makers

Members of the Hutto Home Demonstration Club are rapidly becoming more skilled in mattress making, according to Miss Maude Newberry, a member of the club.

"The club members helped me make a mattress last week, and it is the prettiest, fluffiest mattress imaginable, with a straight, firm roll," she reported to Miss Peggy Taylor, county home demonstration agent.

Members of this club have recently taken up studies in approved mattress making furnished through the county agent's office, and several fifty-pound mattresses have been made by members of the Hutto club—who have undertaken this work on a cooperative basis—members spending a day in a selected home and making a mattress.

The mattresses, made in accordance with instructions furnished by the Extension Service, compare favorably with manufactured products.

Rites Wednesday For Darnell Infant

Funeral services for Martha Ann Darnell, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Darnell were held at the family residence in this city Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. H. R. Whaley, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Interment was in Willow Cemetery, with W. O. Holden of arrangements.
 Only eight days old—Martha Ann was born March 17, 1936—death occurred at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Surviving in addition to the parents, are two sisters, Dorcas and Eunice, and one brother, Floyd Darnell; grandmother, Mrs. J. F. Pirkle, and paternal grandfather, R. H. Darnell, all of Haskell.

Boys, Girls Softball Tournament Stated At Roberts April 11

An invitation softball tournament for individual teams, both boys and girls will be held at Roberts schoolhouse Saturday, April 11th, and teams of the entire county are urged to enter.

A baseball and bat will be given winner in each division, according to Elmer C. Watson, principal of the Roberts school, who is sponsoring the meet.

Those desiring to enter should communicate with Mr. Watson, writing him at Haskell.

County's Production of Cotton Last Year Totals 41,717 Bales

Final report on cotton ginnings for Haskell county, as compiled by the U. S. Department of Commerce, and announced this week by W. P. Trice, special representative, reveals that 41,717 bales were produced and ginned in the county from the crop of 1935, as compared with 11,921 bales ginned from the crop of 1934.

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING HELD HERE SATURDAY

To Award Short Course Trip For Best Bedroom Improvement

A trip to the Short Course at College Station the last week in July will be offered the first place winners in the women's bedroom work and in the girls' 4-H bedroom contest and a mattress will be given to the woman and to the girl doing outstanding work as cooperators in their classes respectively.

This was decided upon in a called meeting of the H. D. Council in Haskell Saturday, March 21st, Miss Nora Walters, Council Chairman presiding.

Reports on agricultural meetings in Haskell County were given by delegates from the communities where the meetings were held according to reported attendance a lively interest is shown by the farm people.

A Reporter's Council was organized with Mrs. R. P. Barnard as chairman. Regular meetings will be held once a month on the first Saturday in each month at 2:00 o'clock in the council room at Haskell County court house. The council will train women in reporter's work. Miss Nora Walters will be in charge of the program for the meeting Saturday, April 4th at 2:00 o'clock. All reporters are urged to attend.
 Miss Taylor County Demonstrator stressed the importance of checking the council and individual clubs to see if they were coming up to the standard. These checked reports will be sent to College Station at the close of the year. Outstanding clubs and councils in the District and in the state will be chosen.
 There were 29 women at the meeting representing 11 clubs of Haskell County.
 Clubs represented were: Blue Bonnet, Half Moon, Cottonwood, Center Point, Foster, Midway, Jossell, O'Brien, New Cook, Hutto and New Mid.
 Jossell Club had the largest representation.

Former Haskell Resident Boosted For State Honors

Walter N. Glenn, born and reared in Haskell, who is now manager of the Longview, Texas, office of the Postal Telegraph company, is being boosted by his fellow townsmen for the position of state secretary of Junior Chamber of Commerce Clubs in Texas.

Members of the Longview organization, of which he is secretary, are to push him for the state honor in the September convention in Corpus Christi.

He will be remembered in Haskell as the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glass Glenn, residents here for many years, who are now living in Big Spring. He is a graduate of the Haskell High School.

Rochester Man's Car Stolen Sunday Night

Theft of a 1935 V-8 automobile, belonging to T. B. Bagwell of Rochester, was reported to Haskell officers Monday.

The car, driven by Bagwell's brother, was stolen from in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson in the north part of town, during early Sunday night. Young Bagwell, visiting in the Wilson home during the evening, had left ignition keys in the car.

Barn In West Part Of Town Is Burned

A small barn and shed at the home of E. E. Williams in the west part of town was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning about 10 o'clock. A small quantity of feed stored in the barn was also lost.

Sparks from a burning trash pile nearby, whipped by a light wind, ignited the flimsy structure, which burned before fire apparatus could be summoned.

FAYNE DRUG COMPANY MAKES ATTRACTIVE OFFER TO HASKELL KIDDIES

Of special interest to kiddies this week is the offer of a free toy speedboat Friday and Saturday by Payne Drug Store with a 25c purchase of certain merchandise.

Only a limited number of the miniature speedboats will be available for distribution, according to their advertisement in this issue.

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 Largest Used Car Dealer in The West
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The opening of Optical Office by J. D. Kithley, Optometrist of Munday.

AT LYLE JEWELRY STORE

Two days each week, Tuesday and Friday. Eyes examined for glasses by the latest approved methods.

Opening Day Tuesday, March 31

Street Lights—
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 automatic switch at the local utilities plant, and present street lights will be incorporated in the completed system.
 Majority of the new street lights will be located on Highway 30 north from the square, and the four streets west of the highway, covering the main residence section.

Fire Destroys—
 Three hundred students were accommodated in the building, records saved by Supt. Breedlove from his office reveal. This year, also, students from rural communities adjacent to Haskell were afforded transportation to the local high school—bringing the enrollment to the highest point in the history of the Haskell schools.



HOW MANY TIMES . . .

Have you found yourself saying "I wish I could buy meats fit to eat". If you have been unable to secure the kind of meat you want, try us next time and see the difference.

Many bargains can also be found in our Grocery Department.

Dick's Grocery and Market
 DICK FRIERSON
 EAST SIDE

SOMETHING NEW IN HASKELL!

A Community Sale

WILL BE HELD AT THE BANKS TOURIST CAMP EVERY SATURDAY BEGINNING PROMPTLY AT 1 O'CLOCK The First Sale Will Be Held Saturday Afternoon

March 28th

You Will Benefit By Attending This Sale—You Will Do Your Friends a Favor By Telling Them About It.

IF YOU HAVE—Chickens, Horses, Cows, Pigs, livestock of any kind, Automobiles, Furniture, Radios, Sewing Machines, Washing Machines, Stoves, Wire, Pests, Farm Implements of any kind—in fact anything that you have which you don't need—or want to sell—bring them to the Auction Yard at Banks Tourist Camp. **WHAT YOU HAVE TO SELL MUST BE AT THE YARD AND LISTED BY 11:30 A. M.**, as the Sale starts promptly at 1 o'clock.

WE NOW HAVE listed for our first Sale: Pigs, Harness, Electric Washing Machine, Singer Sewing Machine, Brides, Collar, and other things that you may want. Let us sell what you don't want or need—then you can buy what you want and need at this Community Sale.

You Will Get More For What You Sell Here Because the Buyers Will Be Here

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PHONE 264.

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Use Love Brothers Time Payment Painting Plan—an improved way to pay the cost of painting on a time basis.

No Down Payment. Eighteen Months to Pay. Low Government Interest Rate. NO DELAY NO RED TAPE

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