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FIFTIETH YEAR

STRICT SCHOOLS OF COUNTY CLOSING; YEAR'S WORK GOOD

Locally All of Schools Closed Eight Month Term During the Past Year

"Red" On Books

The second successive year, the schools of Haskell county through the various terms in the condition, and only six out of 44 failed to go through the month. However, all but in the eight-month class with over seven months of completing their con-

the administration of Matt am, county superintendent, the case with his predecessor Miss Ellis, expenses of the district schools were kept the budget and efforts made the moral of the teaching a high plane.

schools, O'Brien and Sagerton advanced into the ranks of the schools for the first time, given the required number of teachers recently. Haskell, Rochester and Weinert have

regulating library, which was only last year under the of Miss Ellis, who is now ham's assistant, leaped into favor during the past term 500 volumes were added, the total number of vol-

the library to well over 900. schools of Vernon, Marcy, Cobb, Flat Top, Myers, and Ferris Ranch have failed the library.

the system in use, it is estimated only about four books charged off as lost from the library, and both teachers and students have cooperated the county superintendent's keeping books in good con-

orm Garden Products Raised

raising of a more uniform product is being done on a scale than ever this year out the county by the various demonstration club wording at Miss Peggy Tay-

garden vegetables raised by bers are being selected to specifications furnished state extension service, and over the county are now

vegetables, such as the New spinach, Swiss chard, cabbages and turnips, are being prepared for home con-

of tile for irrigation pur- county gardens has spread th members, and it is be- the local agent that at 0 feet of tile has been pre- non-club members, equal- amount in 1934.

ally all of the tile prepar- year, so Miss Taylor says, done through the sole ini- of the club members, who turn, helped non-club mem-

storage water tanks have d by most members to irri- gers, but a number of gar- have hauled water and ased it through the tiling.

ing School Be Held Here by Ray Crowell

ements for the holding of y cooking school in June, the direction of the Norge are now being made by Jewellery, local dealers of products.

of the plans are, as yet, only tentative, Ray Cro- Director of the store, says, representative of the company and soon to complete all de- sining to the school.

FOUR-LEGGED CHICKEN MAKES APPEARANCE IN HASKELL DURING WEEK

A chicken with four legs. Such a freak of nature is being exhibited by C. P. Comegys, who lives in the south part of town.

The chicken appears perfectly normal in other respects, and is keeping pace with its brothers and sisters in the matter of eating, although it does not use its extra dirt scratchers, which are kept raised and close to the chicken's body.

DONKEY BASEBALL GAME IS TONIGHT

Lions Club Members Will Start the Fireworks, and Firemen Try to Quench

What is said by promoters to be one of the most amusing baseball contests ever witnessed here, "A Donkey Baseball Game" is booked at the Fair Park grounds this afternoon between teams from the Fire Department and the Lions Club.

Two games have been booked between the two teams, the second to be played Tuesday afternoon. Game will start at 6 o'clock. Players for the Lions will be chosen from the following: Hollis Atkinson, Server Leon, Courtney Hunt, John Couch, Roy Sanders, Dr. J. G. Vaughtner, J. D. Montgomery, Gene Hunter, Clyde Railey, Matt Graham, R. H. Maxwell, French Robertson.

Available players for the Fireman team include: Clay Smith, Dad Bradley, Carl Maples, Sackem Edwards, Garner Mays, Shady Layne, Hut Pittman, Dick Dulaney, Bob Harrison, Wilton Kennedy, George Fields, R. A. Hays, Gene Tonn and Rae Eastland.

Seventh Grade In Commencement

The Seventh Grade Commencement Exercises will be held Friday night, May 24, at the First Christian Church at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. M. Gilmore will give the address "Vision and Life."

The public is cordially invited. Program: Professional—Class. Invocation—Supt. C. B. Breedlove. Chorus—"While We're Young" (Haven Gillespie)—Class. Piano Duet "Over Hill and Dale" (H. Englemann)—Wynona Frances Post, Eva Jo Ratliff.

Address, "Vision and Life"—Rev. H. M. Gilmore. Instrumental Trio "Bells of St. Mary's" (A. E. Adams)—Joe Maples Jr., Paul Roberts, Jack Simmons. Violin Duet "Alice Where Art Thou?" (M. Greenwald)—Louise Pierson, Frances M. Edwards, Juanita Poil, Frances.

Presentation of Diplomas—Supt. C. B. Breedlove. Honor Roll—Miss Madalin Hunt. Chorus—"The Mountain Stream" (Ira B. Wilson)—Class. Benediction—Rev. H. M. Gilmore.

\$1,818.75 Baby Bonds Purchased

Patrons of the Haskell postoffice have purchased \$1,818.75 worth of the new United States savings bonds, popularly known as "baby bonds" according to J. M. Diggs, postmaster. The bonds were placed on sale March 1st of this year. Instead of paying interest semi-annually, the government adds all of the interest to the principal and pays the entire sum at the end of ten years. The \$1,818.75 worth of bonds purchased will amount to one-third more or \$2,425.75 at the end of the ten year period.

The following denominations have been purchased here: 2 maturity values of..... \$ 25.00 2 maturity values of..... 50.00 12 maturity values of..... 100.00 2 maturity values of..... 500.00 2 maturity values of..... \$2,425.75 Total maturity value..... \$2,425.75 The bonds are not transferable, and they cannot appreciate in value.

Dr. Davis to Address the Friendly Fellows Class Sunday

Dr. J. C. Davis, representative, and member of the committee on Penitentiary Investigation, will address the Friendly Fellows Sunday School Class Sunday morning at 9:45. All men of the city who are not otherwise attending Sunday School will consider this an urgent invitation.

Baccalaureate



REV. CHAS. A. TUCKER
Who will preach the baccalaureate sermon here next Sunday night at the First Christian Church. The Rev. Tucker is pastor of the Haskell First Presbyterian Church.

SHELTERBELT FORMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

Haskell County Will Form Eastern End of Tree Belt In This State

W. P. Trice, who accepted a position with the U. S. Forestry Service as assistant to Jno. D. Jones, the first of this month was in the city Wednesday in the interest of the Government's plan for planting a shelter belt of trees from the Canadian border through six states, including Texas.

Mr. Trice stated that it was the plan of the Forestry Service to plant strips of land 10 rods wide, 165 feet, and totaling 50 miles in length in Haskell county. One-half of this amount will probably be planted during the coming year.

Application blanks for shelterbelt planting may be secured at the office of R. H. Maxwell, County Agent, Mr. Trice said.

According to Mr. Trice, Haskell county will form the eastern boundary of the shelter belt through this section of the state, and will extend westward as far as Scurry county. The plans that are being formulated by the Forestry Service is to plant trees on a strip of land 10 rods wide and a mile in length where possible. This land will be purchased by the Federal Government or leased for a period of years with an option to buy later. The land will be fenced by the government and someone will be employed to cultivate the plantings, probably the owner of the land if possible, Mr. Trice said.

Trees adapted to the particular locality will be used in the planting of the shelter belts. The Forestry News Digest gives a list of 26 species of trees and shrubs adapted to this section including elm, hackberry, cottonwood, locust, pecan, post oak, red cedar and others.

"In order to distribute the benefits of tree planting equitably, a standard has been adopted that provides for one mile of shelter belt in every square mile of land. The exact location and final distribution of these shelter belts will have to be decided in accordance with wind direction, topography, existing improvements and other conditions as they exist on the ground; the planted area will occupy about 20 acres of land on each section of 640 acres."

The idea of the shelter belt of trees is to reduce the destructive effect of the wind, thus conserving moisture, stabilizing the productivity of the land, developing game and recreational resources, and making the communities a better place in which to live.

HASKELL BRAVES TO PLAY MUNDAY

After winning their games Sunday, to keep the top position of the Wichita Valley league tied, the Haskell Braves and Munday Moguls will decide the leader in a regularly scheduled game next Sunday at Munday. The teams have played only once which Munday copped 2 to 1.

Another grudge battle is expected between the two teams, although starting pitchers have not been announced. Lefty Hambricht and Tanny Jones, of the Braves, and Archie Pittman and Lefty Robertson, of the Moguls, are anxious to be the starting nominees.

Hambricht hurled for Munday last season and Pittman chored for Haskell, and both pitchers are eager to "pour it on" their former mates.

A large delegation of fans from Haskell is expected to attend the game.

HASKELL COUNTY FARM DELEGATES RETURN FROM TRIP

Visit Washington With Over 4000 Other Farmers and Hear President's Talk

Mahon Greet Them

First hand information regarding the plans and purposes of the National government's Agricultural Adjustment Act was secured by over 4,000 of the Nation's farmers recently when they converged on Washington in a spontaneous movement. Jessie B. Smith, B. Walters, D. M. Guinn and Elmer Turner represented Haskell county and heard President Roosevelt give his "front door" speech.

Slightly over 800 farmers went to the capital city from Texas. The Haskell farmers returned to their respective homes late Sunday afternoon, after detouring at Abilene. Their itinerary took them into several states, and allowed them to visit several places of historic interest. While in Washington the farmers went through the Smithsonian Institute, where, if a person would spend only two minutes in inspecting the various curios it would take him over 300 years to get around; the United States mint, where they saw money being made; heard the Hon. Huey P. Long addressing the Senate; and visited other government buildings.

B. Walters gave a short address to the Texas delegation during the banquet at the Mayflower hotel. The Hon. George Mahon, Colorado, representative from this district, met the farmers from Texas when they arrived in Washington and personally escorted them, with other state representatives, over the city. Senators Connally and Sheppard, and Representative Mahon were all on the program at the Mayflower banquet.

President Roosevelt expressed his appreciation to the 4,000 "dirt farmers" for their visit and spoke literally from the shoulder regarding the aims of the AAA.

In speaking of the trip Mr. Smith stated that they had hoped to see the president while there, but "we really didn't expect him to make us a speech. He did, however, and in no uncertain terms. We were gratified to hear the president himself express the views we had come to Washington to express ourselves."

The farmers' trip to Washington which was really conceived by J. E. Day of Plainview, chairman of the Texas county, was not to seek something they had not received, but to let the president and Congress know they wanted to keep what they already had," Mr. Smith said.

"We told our congressman we wanted only an even break, other industries have had the protection of the tariff for a long time. The processing taxes are giving the farmers in some measure the protection he has needed so long."

Sympathetic Audiences

Traveling many hundreds of miles, just to express their appreciation for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and its benefit payments on wheat, tobacco, corn-cobs, and cotton, the farmers formed the most sympathetic audience the President has had in many a day.

Continuation of the government's AAA program was the chief point of support for the farmers who went to Washington in helpful humor from 25 farm states.

Explaining the purpose of the trek to Washington, C. H. Day of Plainview, an advance man for the delegation of farmers, said Sunday: "We've been hearing back home a lot of noise from a small percentage

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New Judge



DENNIS P. RATLIFF
Who was appointed to the 39th judicial court bench by Governor Alfred Ratliff succeeds Judge Clyde Grissom, who was appointed a judge of the Civil Court of Appeals at Eastland.

ROCHESTER SCHOOLS FINISH GREAT YEAR

Rapid Strides Made In All Branches of Work During Past School Year

Commencement exercises of the Rochester High School will be held Friday night, May 24, with Judge Clyde Grissom speaking to the fifteen seniors, according to D. Ligon, superintendent.

Graduates of the Rochester High School are Temple Lee Bell, Ruby Davis, Margaret Greenwald, Lucy Tom Hicks, Margaret Sue Kay, Mary Frances Miller, Modell Manley, Dahlia Dean Wadzcek, Ruby Cornelius.

Carl Ray Alsbrook, Cecil Anderson, Bill Bagwell, Herbert Durst, Carlton Mooney, Floyd Taylor. Outstanding work has been accomplished by the Rochester schools during the past year. Credit has been obtained in English 4 typing, bringing the total of credits in the school to 18-1-2. Several new courses will be added in the next term.

The high school building has been remodeled, and a new gymnasium and auditorium have been added, with space left for a home economics club room.

First place was captured by the Rochester schools in class "B" literary, field and track events in 1935. Plans have been formulated which call for the use of two buses in rural districts for the transportation of high school students.

Mr. Ligon has been re-elected superintendent of the Rochester school system, after serving seven years, and is enthusiastic over the prospects of the Rochester schools next term.

Teachers who will be identified with the Rochester high school during the next term are L. L. Gogere, principal and coach; Mrs. Dewey Buser, Miss Leone Cockerell and Harold Hitt. Mr. Hitt is a new teacher in the Rochester school.

Ward teachers are J. F. Dickson, principal; Miss Agnes Walden, Orville Hamilton, Miss Olga Bowman, Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart, Miss Violet Atchison and Mrs. J. H. Burdette. Mr. Dickson is also a new teacher in the Rochester school system.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Tidwell of Houston are here visiting their mother, Mrs. W. E. Tidwell and family. Hon. Bruce W. Bryant of Austin is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Bryant and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reynolds and son.

JUDGE GRISSOM MADE JUSTICE APPEAL COURT; RATLIFF IS SUCCESSOR

"WHAT'S HAPPENED TO MARRIAGE BUSINESS?" ASKS JUSTICE OF PEACE

What has happened to Cupid—that precious young one who is supposed to generate love between the sexes?

Marriages have been few and far between in the past month in Haskell.

Judge R. H. Davis, who was inducted into the justice of peace office about one month ago has not performed a single ceremony in that time, and is asking the reason for the scarcity of weddings.

"They may think that I'll include the word 'obey' in the ceremony," was one reason ventured by Judge Davis, "but they need not worry—I'll marry them as quickly as anyone; and if they like a short and sweet ceremony they can secure it at my office."

There's an honor awaiting some couple. It is possible for them to be the first couple married by the local justice.

METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE PLAN RALLY

Knox City to Be Scene of Stamford District Meet; Is Two-Day Affair

Methodist Young People of the Stamford District will hold a Pre-Assembly Rally at Knox City, May 25-26, for the purpose of closing out the work of the assembly year, and completing plans for attending the Nineteenth Annual Northwest Texas Conference Young People's Summer Assembly, which is to be held at McMurry College, Abilene, Texas, June 3-7.

Under the leadership of the district staff, plans have been made for an Auto-Cade to run from Stamford to Abilene on June 3, carrying between fifty and seventy-five young people from this district.

The program for the Knox City meet will be under the direction of the new district director, Frank Cockerell, and built around the theme "Forward With Christ." Registration for the expected two hundred delegates will begin at five o'clock Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist Church.

Henry A. Bland Funeral Sunday

Funeral services for Henry A. Bland, 20, of Earth, Texas, were held from the First Baptist Church in this city Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with the Rev. H. G. Hammer conducting, assisted by the Rev. H. R. Whitley, pastor. Interment was in Willow Cemetery, under direction of J. H. Kinney of the Kinney Funeral Home.

Mr. Bland died at his home near Earth, Lamb county, Thursday morning following an illness of several days with pneumonia. Born in Haskell county, son of the late J. C. Bland, deceased had resided here until moving to Lamb county a few years ago. Survivors include his widow, the former Miss Earnestine McCain, to whom he was married Dec. 24, 1934.

Other near relatives surviving include his mother, Mrs. J. C. Bland, Earth, Texas; sisters, Mrs. B. F. Brandenburg, Rolston, Okla.; Mrs. Mamie Woodard, Rolston, Okla.; Mrs. H. F. Harwell, Haskell; and brothers, M. E. Bland, Independence, Kans.; C. B. Bland, Haskell; Vester A. and Elton K. Bland, of Earth, Texas.

Pallbearers were Leslie Jeter, Betty Faye Mowell, Oneita McClellan, Evelyn Simpson, Kathryn Gregory, Pearl Patterson, Hazel Patterson, Oleta Gregory.

Black Warriors to Play Oklahoma Team On May 28-29

In a two-day session, the Haskell Black Warriors, local colored baseball team, will play the Chickasha (Okla.) Black Panthers here Tuesday and Wednesday, May 28 and 29. Claude Glover, manager.

The Warriors ran rampant over the Seymour team about two weeks ago 18 to 5, and defeated the Sweetwater colored aggregation Sunday by a score of 6 to 2.

Popular District Judge Is Named By Governor For Important Post

Now Effective

District Judge Clyde Grissom of the 39th Judicial District has been appointed by Governor Alfred to a place on the Appeals Court at Eastland and Dennis P. Ratliff, local attorney of this city, was appointed District Judge to succeed Grissom.

The promotion for the two Haskell men came about by the appointment of Judge W. P. Leslie, a member of the Appeals Court at Eastland to the vacancy created by the appointment of Chief Justice Hickman to a place on the Supreme Court; Commission of Appeals.

Judge Grissom received a wire Wednesday afternoon from Governor James V. Alfred, asking him to come to Austin for a conference. Judge Grissom left immediately in his car.

Judge Grissom was born in Alford, Texas, 38 years ago, but has been a citizen of Haskell ever since he was three years old. He is a graduate of the Haskell High School and received his university training in Texas Christian University and the University of Texas. On graduation from the Texas University he practiced law for a short time and was then elected County Attorney of Haskell county, a position he held for four years. On retirement from the county attorney's office he entered private practice in Wichita Falls for a short time. In 1927 Governor Moody appointed him District Attorney of this, the 39th Judicial District. In 1931 he became District Judge of the court on Moody's appointment, succeeding Hon. Bruce W. Bryant who had been made Assistant Attorney General. Last November he was elected to a full four year term.

Dennis P. Ratliff is 35 years old, born in Cooke county and reared in Wise. He moved to Haskell 14 years ago and opened a law office with his father, L. D. Ratliff, practicing under the firm name of Ratliff & Ratliff. Four years ago he was practically drafted by citizens of Throckmorton, Haskell and Baylor counties to make the race for Representative of this district and was elected by a substantial majority. He served the district in both the forty-second and forty-third legislatures. He was not a candidate for the position last year.

Mr. Sullivan, vocational agriculture teacher and two vocational agriculture students gave interesting program on "Quality Cream" to the Haskell County Home Demonstration Council at a meeting held in the district courtroom Saturday.

The students gave dialogue showing the kind of milk buckets, strainers and container to be used and telling how off-flavors in cream may be produced by using improper methods of caring for separator, and milk containers.

After the boys finished with the dialogue Mr. Sullivan discussed "Quality Cream and How It Could Be Obtained."

Mr. Sullivan said fresh cream should be cooled before mixing with other cream and that cream should be stirred often and the best grade cream test should be from 30 to 40.

The following committees were appointed by Mrs. Verdie Oates to help complete plans for the Encampment. Place committee: Mrs. Fred Monke, Miss Nora Walters, Mrs. Jesse Smith, Song committee, Mrs. Jesse Wright, Frank Spencer, Jesse Jossellett. Recreation committee, Mrs. C. Childress, Hines, Barnard, Landress. Registration committee, Mrs. Date Anderson, W. Johnson, Will Pope, E. Stodghill. Place for Stunts, Mrs. Allen Adams, V. Bailey, E. Carothers.

Miss Taylor, H. D. agent, gave an interesting talk on "America Must Choose," and how we as American people must study the situation to get a square deal.

The following were present: Messdames Date Anderson, H. H. Hines, R. T. Penn, W. E. Johnson, J. O. Merchant, Louise Merchant, Wiley Bean, B. F. Selts, J. B. Smith, Fred Monke, J. P. West, E. L. Stodghill, T. M. Patterson, Jesse Jossellett, W. E. Penick, C. V. Oates, Lester Teague, C. A. Lowellen, Misses Maude Newberry, Lovice Blair, Mae Hamilton, Nora Walters.

Mr. S. A. Hughes returned the first of the week from Dallas, Holland and Temple where he had been visiting with relatives. He was accompanied home by his son, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hughes of Las Vegas, N. M., who spent only a short time in Haskell leaving for their home.

The WOMAN'S Page

North Ward P. T. A. Summer Round-Up Clinic.

First session of the North Ward Round-Up Clinic for 6 year old children will be held Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, May 29 in the home economics laboratory at the High School building.

All parents are ambitious for their children. The future achievements of the nation depend upon how successful we are in the fulfillment of these ambitions. There are two great gifts which it is within our power as parents to pass on to our children. The first of these is good health, and the most precious thing which any individual can possess. The second is home education. A pleasant, happy, wholesome well rounded home and social life will enable the child in later life to gain a proper idea of the mental, moral, religious, and material issues of life and to live happily with his fellow-men.

The handicapped child works under a definite disadvantage. Today when there is a premium on efficiency, it is particularly necessary that all remedial handicaps should be removed. The present child health campaign is an opportunity which the parents should gladly avail themselves of, to remove physical handicaps from their greatest asset, their children.

No child, or adult either can do his best work when health and strength are below par. Most defects discovered in routine physical examinations can be corrected.

The Parent-Teachers Association recognizes the importance of sending children to the entering grades of school in good physical and mental condition. The Summer Round-Up of the children is the major health project of the Parent-Teachers Association.

The free clinic will be supervised by local doctors, nurses, and the Summer Round-Up committee.

Mr. M. E. Park Celebrates His 80th Birthday With Elaborate Dinner

On last Sunday when those of us who were privileged to enjoy the day with our venerable father, Mr. M. E. Park first looked on the festive board a table that nearly a half a century ago, was used in Waco by Grandmother Knowles, we felt that we were very near holy ground. When we took our places at the table, "Papa Park" blew out the eighty candles that were symbols of the milestones of his life up to the present time. He then called on his son-in-law, T. A. Pinkerton, to return thanks, and then the hostess, Mrs. M. E. Park, began her gracious serving and urged that every one partake of every dish that she had prepared—turkey with all accessories, salads and fruits, we didn't miss any that the West Texas market affords—vegetables from her own garden—two kinds of ice cream and a half dozen kinds of cakes—it reminded one, who is old enough to remember, of the "Old inlaid dinners" when there was a wedding. The afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation, and "Papa Park" discussed at some length his version of many chapters of the Bible, the book that he reads more than any other—so it was easy for this writer to believe a Haskell business man, some time in the past when he said of "Papa Park": "Your father was one of the best and cleanest men I ever knew in the early days out here, when it was easy for a man to throw in with the wrong crowd." Before it is too late, "Papa Park" may see your children hand you this flower now! We are deeply grateful to you for the life you have lived before us.

Special guests were relatives of

Mrs. Wm. G. Forgy Luncheon Hostess Honoring Visitors

Honoring four out of state guests, Mrs. William G. Forgy entertained with a prettily appointed one o'clock luncheon in her home Wednesday.

The honored guests were Mrs. Jack J. Diamond, Mrs. W. L. Scott, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Nowlin and Mrs. J. W. Townsley, all of Sulphur, Okla.

Spring flowers were used throughout the rooms and a pink and green theme was used in the table appointments and later in the bridge accessories.

In the contract games prizes were given Mrs. Jack J. Diamond, Mrs. John Townsley, Mrs. B. C. Chapman and Mrs. Troy V. Post.

The guests in addition to the out of state guests were Mrs. S. W. Gounds of Stamford, Mrs. Gordon Thompson of Rule, Mrs. B. C. Chapman, Mrs. Barton Welsh, Mrs. Roy A. Sanders, Mrs. Clay Smith, and Mrs. Troy V. Post.

Contract Bridge Club.

Mrs. Foster Davis entertained members of the Contract Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon at the regular time. After the usual games Mrs. French Robertson was given the prize for the highest score. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames T. V. Post, W. G. Forgy, French Robertson, Virgil Reynolds, Barton Welsh, B. C. Chapman, Clay Smith, Matt Graham, Rae Eastland, Geo. Goetze, W. H. Atkinson and J. L. Odell, Jr.

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A short business session of importance will be held and all parents and teachers are urged to be present.

Mrs. D. H. Persons, Pres.

Celebrates 82nd Birthday.

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At the noon hour a bountiful dinner was served to the following: Clarence Dallom, Claude Jenkins and family, H. B. Jenkins and family, Joe Jenkins and family, Lee Jenkins and family, Carl Jenkins, R. C. Ketrion and family, Jess Adams and family, Jimmie Jenkins and Henry Alexander.

Forgot Bank Account

MIAMI, Fla.—Threatened with eviction from her home, Mrs. Mary A. Peelen, 99, was made happy and contented when her banker, reading a newspaper account of her plight, recalled a long-dormant credit for her in his bank. The account of her late husband had slipped her mind but the \$1,015 means a lot to her now.

Manly Branch and family spent the past week end in Wichita Falls visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Park's; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hargroves and daughter Mrs. W. F. Bailes and little son, Tommie, of Throckmorton; and the children and grandchildren and great grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kaigler; Louise, Thomas, Frances and Patsy Doris Kaigler; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pinkerton and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Koonce, Eloise, John Wayne and Carolyn Koonce, Mrs. Louise Merchant and little daughter, Jane Merchant.

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Methodist Missionary Society.

On Monday May 20th the women of the M. E. Missionary Society assembled and listened to one of the very best programs of the year. With Mrs. O. E. Patterson at the organ, all joined in singing the opening hymn, Mrs. C. L. Lewis, who was director for the afternoon, gave a most comprehensive introduction to the program. The subject of the program was "The Supremacy of Human Values" and for her scripture reading Isaiah 58:6-10 and Matt. 6:19-21-24 was chosen. The scripture reading was followed with a prayer by Mrs. Sowell. Mrs. Wilson read articles from the May Missionary Bulletin.

Mrs. P. T. Sanders told of the great good accomplished by William Capers, in his work among the slaves.

Mr. Capers entered this work when only 18 years of age, and is known as the "Founder of Missions for Slaves." He was made a Bishop in 1845.

Mrs. Bartram gave a very interesting account of the "Pioneers of the Womens Board of Home Missions." These women were among the first to become interested in the education of the Negro and in 1901 pledged \$1,000 for the building of a dormitory at Paine's College which is located at Augusta, Ga.

Mrs. Elizabeth Martin told of the "Womens Missionary Council Pioneers." The foremost of these being our late lamented Belle Bennett, who for so many years, served as President.

The director next gave a most forceful talk on "Our Personal Obligations" and urged that we each strive to follow the example set by "Our Pioneers."

We were delightfully entertained by Miss Ruth Josselt, who in her sweet charming manner read "Calvary." We thank Ruth and hope she reads for us again.

Mrs. Sowell told of the district meeting held at Throckmorton on May 6th. During this talk we learned that the speaker will, this week, leave for an extended visit in California. We wish for her a happy summer, and a safe and sure return home.

Mrs. P. D. Sanders offered the closing prayer, which was concluded by the reciting, in unison, of the Lord's Prayer.

We meet on next Monday at 3 P. M. and the Mary Alexander Circle will have charge of the program.

Meacham School of Music Will Present Pupils in Recital

The Meacham School of Music will give a recital presenting primary and intermediate pupils at the First Baptist Church on Wednesday May 29th at 3:30 p. m.

The Meacham School of Music has had the largest enrollment since it began in Haskell eight years ago. The total enrollment for the year just closing is 80 pupils on piano, violin and band and orchestral instruments. The older intermediate and advanced pupils will be presented in recital at the High School auditorium on Thursday night May 30th at 8:15 p. m.

Miss Velda K. and Jim Dan Kiersey of Durant, Okla., are visiting with their aunt, Mrs. A. W. Cox.

RECIPES AND MENUS

By Department of Home Economics
Texas State College for Women
(CMA)

DENTON, Texas.—Because such level stable decorations are available and because there are so many fresh spring things in the market making the menu easy to plan, it is really a temptation to find an excuse for giving a luncheon in May. Entertaining for the June bride-to-be is now in order.

A soup or cocktail, sometimes fish or eggs or an entree, amain course with rolls, a salad that will answer for a dessert, or both salad and dessert, with coffee, nuts, olives, and candies make a suitable menu for the most particular hostess.

Menus

1. Fresh Strawberry and Pineapple Au Naturel; Roast Leg of Lamb with Caper Sauce; Small Potato Balls with New Green Peas; Candied Carrots; Hot Rolls; Butter Balls; Lady Windermere Salad; May Rose Dessert; Pastel Mints; Olives.

2. Frosted Apricots; Half Barbecued Spring Chicken; Buttered Hearts of Celery; Green String Beans; Currant Jelly; Rolls; Butter; Strawberry Shortcake with Ginger Sauce; Iced Tea.

Recipes

Fresh Strawberry and Pineapple Au Naturel: Wash the strawberries well, and let them drain thoroughly, but do not remove the hulls. Remove wedge shaped pieces from pineapple, leaving outer covering on each piece. Allow about three wedges of pineapple and six strawberries to each person, arranging them symmetrically near the flange of the plate, a mound of powdered sugar being placed in the center of each plate. The fruits are dipped into the powdered sugar and eaten with the fingers.

Lady Windermere Salad: On a leaf of lettuce, shaped like a fan,

place equal quantities of shredded cucumbers, celery, chopped tomatoes, all mixed or marinated in Thousand Island Dressing. Garnish with fine spears of asparagus in a sort of fork shape with the ends together with the tips radiating outward toward the opposite end. Through a pastry tube or bag pipe thinned cream or cottage cheese lengthwise along the top of the asparagus tips. Garnish alternate tips with thin strips of pimento and green pepper. Put a black olive or tiny bit at border end.

Frosted Apricots: Use brightly colored, firm fruits, either fresh or canned. Between two halves place a dessert spoonful of apricot ice. Place on lettuce leaf and garnish with sprigs of mint.

Half Barbecued Spring Chicken: Braise small spring chickens cut in half. Place in pan and pour over them a sauce made of the following ingredients: 1-4 pound of butter, 1-2 cup vinegar, 1-2 teaspoon dry mustard, 1 tablespoon chopped onion, 2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce, 1 tablespoon Chile Sauce, juice of 1-2 lemon, 2 tablespoons brown sugar, and paprika. Put into oven and let cook until chicken is exceedingly tender. Baste from time to time.

Butter Hearts of Celery: Use only hearts of celery and do not separate stems but allow to remain intact. The tender leaves at the tips may be left on. Steam, season with butter, salt, pepper.

May Rose Dessert: Pluck the center out of a full blown, rather large rose. Refill with a pink ice cream such as peppermint of a delicate flavor or a mixed fruit sherbert. At the side garnish with a sprig of larkspur.

Let's Talk About Clothes

YOUNG-MODERN TEXAS STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

DENTON, Texas.—Street frocks that will be seen in the gay promenade of young graduates seem to be the chief topic of thought this month. Together with frivolous organdies, mousselines and laces, for the gay whirl of social activities, will be the most "substantial frocks" for class day exercises, baccalaureate sermons, and theatre parties. Texas State College for Women (CIA) girls give suggestions for these frocks.

First of all, your class day program will lead for something becoming and individual in a dress. Frocks with bulky tops are all the rage this season. One can be smartly shirred along the shoulders at the back and down the center of the sleeve, to give your whole dress a new appearance. In this particular dress, use a tiny Peter Pan collar of contrasting material and let it come just to the front of the shoulders—for the rest of the way use "string" ties with gay metal balls on their ends. A simple skirt will finish your costume.

Monk dresses are proving more fashionable for the sub-deb set. Showing the new "monk" collar that is crushed in the front and swirled toward the back, this dress also features the big full sleeves made into the waist of the dress, and finished with a turned back cuff. The skirt boasts a slight ripple. This dress will be popular at baccalaureate sermons.

For the afternoon theatre party, select a dress with short inflated sleeves. They're so good this season. Make the dress youthful looking with a small round collar at the neck, ending with a vertical placket to hold the tiny glass buttons. The four goad skirt should be flared.

4 Days On Running Board

WAYCROSS, Ga. — After four sleepless nights and as many days of searching, W. C. Brown came to the conclusion that the \$115 which had slipped out of his pocket was gone. Driving into a service station a negro attendant called his attention to a roll of greenbacks on his runningboard. It was the \$115. The money stayed on through a rainstorm and four days of driving about town.

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"Watch therefore, for we know neither the day nor the hour when the Son of Man cometh" (Matt. 25:13). We had a short business session in which we voted to send a Margaret Friend Student at Simmons University a pair of hose and gloves from our Missionary Society and have an all day meeting at the church next Monday and send a donation to the Old Minister's Relief Fund.

Our Society is really doing great things and we would like to have other ladies come and enjoy our work and hospitality with us and help send the Gospel around the world and also help the ones at your door, and maybe soon our Lord will say unto us: "Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." (Matt. 25:23)

No Good Home

NEW LONDON, Wis.—Bernard Prasher makes his living climbing poles for the Wisconsin Telephone Company. However, when requested by his wife to remove the storm shutters from their home, Prasher fell out of a window and broke both legs.

Mrs. Jack J. Diamond, Mrs. W. L. Scott, Jr., Mrs. Jack Nowlin and Mrs. John W. Townsley of Sulphur, Oklahoma, and Mrs. S. W. Gounds of Stamford were guests of Mrs. William G. Forgy Wednesday.

The New Mid Club.

The New Mid Club met Wednesday May 15, at the school house, with a program in honor of Mother. Having the room decorated with red and white crepe paper, bouquet of roses and larkspur.

House called to order by chairman, giving a welcome address to visitors. Then the two older mothers, Mrs. W. I. Hester and Mrs. Mattie Evans, were asked to take the honor guest chairs, the club saluting the honor guests. As the roll was called each presented their first picture and gave a reading in tribute to mother.

Quartet, "There's An Old and Faded Picture on the Wall," by Mrs. W. R. Bean, Mrs. S. W. Hutchens, Mrs. R. L. Hester, Mrs. F. M. Hutchens.

Prayer by Mrs. A. A. Gauntt.

"Things We Can Do For Our Mothers" by Mrs. F. M. Hutchens.

"What a Problem I Was to Mother."—Mrs. W. R. Bean.

Readings by Misses Mardell White, Frances Hutchens, Laverne Hester, Song, "Tell Mother I'll Be There" by the club.

Sandwiches, cake and ice tea were served to the following: Mesdames W. I. Hester, Mattie Evans, O. A. Riddles, E. A. Hutchens, A. A. Gauntt, B. F. Scruggs, G. O. Ballard, C. H. White, S. W. Hutchens, R. L. Hester, E. E. Griffin, L. M. Mayo, F. M. Hutchens, Frank Scruggs, W. R. Bean, Misses Lunelle Smith, Eileen Cox, Mardell White, Frances Hutchens and Laverne Hester.

Home From School

Floyd Taylor, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Taylor returned to Haskell from Dallas Tuesday where he had been in Baylor Medical School. He made a remarkable record this year and was exempted from all his next months here and return to Haskell next fall to resume his work.

Play at Baller School

Come and see "The Prairie Boy" sponsored by the Josselt Home Demonstration Club. Be at the new school house Saturday night May 25 at 8 o'clock. There will be a very small admission charge.

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WHO PUT THE "HIGH" IN HIGH SCHOOL?

We can all remember, or else we've "heard tell," that just a few years ago it was nothing unusual for a high school student to stop school for a lack of interest, or perhaps, or because he got tired, or maybe he just "stopped." Whatever the cause, it frequently would happen, and it must have been more or less a matter of course. But now, however, it is a different story. We are sure that there is a tendency to use other students to become disinterested and question the use of studying any more.

But how times have changed! In our high school, at least. Take our present Senior Class for example: of the fifty-two members enrolled in the year, forty-eight are still in regular attendance at the close of the term. We were heartily congratulated by Mr. Junell, one of the Haskell-Simmons faculty, who told us that we have almost twice as many seniors as a certain nearby town about the size of Haskell. Only one of our number have withdrawn for any cause whatever, and in these cases it seems that not one would be charged to lack of interest. Moreover, there are those who have kept steadily on, even when they knew they couldn't quite meet the requirements of graduation. What keeps students like that from dropping out, discouraged? It just isn't one, that's all.

It is true, of course, that from the student body as a whole, there have been quite a few withdrawals this year. But the number is surprisingly small, and in almost every case it has been because of moving from the community or because of economic difficulties. Nor has a single student been dismissed, or permanently expelled, because of one cause or another. The fact

desirable attitude or conduct. Furthermore, we can easily call to mind several undergraduates who have re-entered school this year after having missed a year or maybe two years—that any student has the interest to re-enter school is significant.

And we point with pride to the fact that many of our former seniors are making very favorable records in college. Quite frequently notices are sent back to our school from this college or that, stating that certain ones of our ex-seniors have made the honor roll, or have received some recognition of excellent scholarship, or have accomplished something outstanding and worthwhile. We are proud of their records, and proud of our own record this year. After all, our record is our school's record—and what high school has a better one?

"VALEDICTORY"

The time now draws near for the parting that is always sad to the ones departing—graduation. We suppose you little fish (I beg your pardon, freshmen) think that we feel like the only important fish in the ocean—meaning high school—but we don't. The fact is we feel so small because we are about to face this big world that all our graduation gowns may have to be taken up! We have enjoyed every little detail of high school (even the detention slips that were so numerous) and we are regretting that we have to leave such a worthy institution. Years from now we probably will laugh at the incidents that have occurred during our high school days that weren't so "laughable" at the time.

We know that our places will be filled with a class just as good but still we don't think Haskell High School will ever be the same when we are gone, although the teachers

may be somewhat relieved. We, the seniors, who have gone gaily through four years of study, play and detention, are feeling "sorta down in the dumps"; so everyone please put up with our tender feelings for a few more days. Although we feel sad, we are also proud of some of our outstanding members and their achievements during their senior year—and we trust that other senior classes will leave a record just as fine. Now remember we are sad to leave dear old Haskell High, but we are also glad because it is the beginning of the realization of some of our dreams.

COMMENCEMENT CALENDAR

Seventh Grade Commencement—Friday May 24, 8:30 p. m., First Christian Church.
 Baccalaureate Service—Sunday May 26, 11 a. m., First Christian Church.
 Commencement Ceremony—Monday May 27, 8:30 p. m., First Christian Church.
 Seniors' Farewell Party—Monday May 27, following graduation ceremony, at Fred Sander's home.

PERSONALS

Mary Ben Chapman spent three days in Rochester the latter part of last week.
 J. D. Tidwell of Abilene visited friends and relatives in Haskell the latter part of last week.
 Dr. Morrison, typing and shorthand instructor, is now in Oklahoma City taking a Post Graduate course.
 Several high school students went to Abilene the past week end.
 We wish to express our deepest sympathy to Carl Maples and other members of his family during the illness and death of his grandfather.
 Louise McNulty and Howard Whatley attended the funeral of Mr. Maples that was held at Munday.

WHERE OTHER CREDIT IS DUE

Another name which has possibly never been mentioned is Mr. Roberts. Mr. Roberts has not only offered our column a place in his paper but has encouraged and complimented the work of our paper until we could not afford to fall under such encouragement. And we wish to express our thanks for his kindness and interest.

To the many names on the Staff we would like to express our pleasure of having worked with you and of your having cooperated with us in every way.

To next year's Staff—may your paper be a grand success.
 Ex-Editor-in-Chief,
 Ex-Associate Editor.

G. R.'s ELEGANT OFFICERS

As the school year draws to a close, the Gypsy Ramblers begin to think about electing officers for the next year. When a person is elected to fill one of these offices it should be considered a great honor as well as a heavy responsibility. Of course, the girls that were elected are not the only Gypsy Ramblers who could efficiently hold office, but the nominating committee felt that it was only right that honors and responsibilities should be divided among the members. Scholarship, ability to work with others, and loyalty as club members were considered in the nomination and election of these girls:

President—Mary Eleanor Diggs.
 Vice-president—Helen Mable Baldwin.
 Secretary—Helen Ballard.
 Treasurer—Sara Lee Walling.
 Reporter—Geraldine Conner.
 Sergeant at Arms—Blanche Davis.
 Mrs. George Wimbish is our sponsor for another year and Miss Jessie Vick is co-sponsor.

Each year just after school closes the Gypsy Ramblers have a picnic-camping trip to Leuders. We have set May 30-31 as our date to go this year.

LITTLE OBSERVATIONS

If Elsie can't talk to Winston when she calls him up, she talks to his dad.

Virgil Meadors is one of our future pianists and candy makers. To give candy a touch of romance he adds rose petals that were plucked from a rose given him by his dearest beloved.

It seems that Catherine W. is rather anxious to find out if Winston dances. I wonder why?

Had you ever noticed Sidney Cook's steel blue eyes?

From the looks of Doyle Easterling's fingernails he is a pretty dangerous man. So "Beware, girls."

I wonder who it is that keeps Lyndell Anderson up so late. He seems to enjoy the back of a seat as a pillow in the 3rd period study hall.

Does Billy W. ever get tired of talking to girls? It seems he enjoys himself very much at this occupation.

WHOOPS

When we were needing all of those rains during the past few years why didn't someone suggest a High School class picnic? Then watch her pour!

Several exciting things happened at the Junior picnic. One of these things was brought about because Bob's car persisted in stopping in front of his former competitor's

(Harvey's) car. The result was a mild bump which, in turn, was nearly the cause of a few fistic maneuvers between the owners. However, nothing serious results.

By the way, who is it over that two H. H. S. girls are counting the hours until he arrives from the coast for a summer stay here? Let's see if Gerry C. and Marjorie can answer this.

Did you ever see a mermaid walking? We did. Miss Davis went wading at the Junior picnic.

It seems that Ginger Williams and Lorene W. think about 65 miles of two Abilene boys—and from the last report Smitty and James think just as much of them.

JUST JOKING

Hazel Foote—Have you ever heard of the three Wisemen?
 Wilma W.—Yes, they live out south of town.

Mr. Wimbish was delivering the last lecture of the term.
 "The examination papers are in the hands of the printer," he said. "Now are there any questions?" Silence, then Bidgie piped up. "Who is the printer?"

Mr. Mason—"Now, Robert, what are you doing—learning something?"
 Robert—"No, sir, I'm listening to you."

Sleepy M.—Engaged to four girls at once! How do you explain such shameless conduct?
 John E.—I don't know unless Cupid shot me with a machine gun.

Jerry Conner—I don't see how football players ever get clean.
 Mary E.—Silly! What do you suppose the scrub teams are for?

Mr. Richey wrote LXXX on the blackboard and asked Gerry Hunt what it means. "Love and kisses," Gerry promptly replied.

Milam Diggs—Say, I went to college, Stupid.
 Mary E.—Yes, and you came back stupid.

George S.—Mickey, how about a kiss?
 Mickey—Piggly Wiggly.
 George—What does that mean?
 Mickey—Help your Selfy.

Mr. Wimbish was explaining something about atoms knocking together in the air, and Crockett, who didn't seem to understand, replied: "Well, if that's the case, why don't they wear out?"

Covell—What makes every boy like a pretty girl?
 Crockett—I don't know, I never saw one—much.

Texan's Bows and Arrows In Demand Over Entire World

Floyd Pope of Wodville makes bows and arrows that kill big game in the United States and foreign countries. They are much in demand in England and Australia. Until recently most of his bows, the wood of which is seasoned three years before manufactured into bows, was made of bois d'arc which in Indian means "wood of the bow." At present Mr. Pope is fashioning his bows from the fir timbers of Seattle's first school house, built in 1840. When the school house was razed the Texan laid in a supply of its seasoned wood. The arrows tipped with steels are feathered mostly from Tyler county turkeys, although wild turkey feathers are preferred for this purpose. In Mr. Pope's workshop is a picture from the New York Times rotogravure section showing At Young, the celebrated American archer, squatted beside a slain moose, killed with bow and arrow made in Mr. Pope's workshop. Pope says Young has killed three Rocky Mountain grizzlies, two polar bears, a walrus, an eland (largest species of antelope), three lions and many deer with bows and arrows. Sir Phillips Middleton of London is one of Mr. Pope's best customers. He has other customers in Sydney, Melbourne, and Copenhagen. When Stewart Edward White, the well-known archer, went big game hunting in Africa, he was accompanied by Mr. Young. In its jungles the two bagged several lions with Texas-made bows and arrows.—Odessa News-Times.

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We desire to express our heartfelt appreciation to our friends for their kindness in our recent bereavement and for the beautiful floral offering.

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Business Opportunities

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COUNTY BRIEFS

Rose

The health of this community is good at this writing.

Everyone was glad to see the big rain that fell last week.

The graduation exercises and the negro minstrel was a great success and everyone who attended reported a nice time.

Miss Bessie Patterson is spending a few days with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Argin Carrigan of Hall Moss.

Miss Omah Faye Watson of Post spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Eal Treadwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Alvis of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Argin Carrigan of Hall Moss spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Patterson.

Miss Ouida Treadwell spent a few days last week with her aunt, Miss Omah Faye Watson of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kendrick attended church here Sunday night.

Edward Newton, Clyde Crume and Curtis Overman of Cottonwood were in our community Saturday night.

School was out Friday May 17 and everyone regretted to see our teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry and Miss Gladys Crume leave for their homes.

Quite a few from here attended the funeral of Henry Bland Sunday afternoon at Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Patterson spent a few days last week with the latter's father, Will Jeter of Center Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Chapman of Haskell called on the latter's sister, Mrs. Mapes, Sunday afternoon.

Roberts

The people are hoping it won't rain any more for a few days.

We had a real singing Sunday night. There were several from other communities there to help us sing. We invite them back any time they can come and be with us.

Joy Cobb spent Friday night with Henrietta Mapes of Rose.

Mrs. L. W. Carter and daughter, Bernice, of Hot Wells, Texas, are here visiting relatives.

Budd, Juanita and Delilah Mapes and Bob Callaway visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner of Weinert Sunday.

Elva Couch of Powell spent Sunday with Alice Atchison of this community.

Lois Buckley and children spent Thursday with Mrs. Leonard Force of Vontress.

Quite a few from here attended the ball game at Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

Perry Force spent Friday night with his grandfather, Mr. J. P. Wheatley of Haskell.

Mrs. Elbert Mapes visited her mother, Mrs. T. L. Atchison of Haskell Wednesday.

Preston Johnson spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Albert Arend of Vontress.

Gerald Atchison spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Atchison of Haskell.

Jack Chapman and Rufus Campbell spent Friday night with Lawrence Mapes of Rose.

Next Sunday is Rev. Hammer's day to preach at Roberts. Everyone come who can. The Lord's Supper will be observed at one of the services.

Rochester

Must tell you at the beginning another fine rain fell in our part of the county fast Friday. We are so thankful for the fine season we have. The rains have fallen so slow without any storm, of which we are also thankful.

We have the best early gardens we have had in a long, long time. Planting is going on in a big way. There's some early stuff which looks fine.

Miss Margaret Esherman, the Speech Art teacher of Abilene Christian College, gave a lecture on foreign mission work, at the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon which was indeed interesting.

Miss Alma Morgan of Abilene spent the week end here with friends.

J. H. Parsons and family had business in Knox City Saturday.

The Baccalaureate Sermon and Commencement was held Sunday at 11 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Program:

Processional—Annie Sue Reeves.
Invocation—Otis Gatewood, Abilene.
Song—Melody Club.
Baccalaureate Sermon—Bro. J. L. Ponder.
Song—Melody Club.
Announcements—Mr. Ligon.
Song—Doxology—Audience.
Benediction—Bro. F. T. Johnson.

Mrs. Warren took several of her piano pupils to Abilene to compete in the annual Music Contest. Her pupils received ratings that make everyone proud. Annie Sue Reeves received state honors, while Marjorie Sue Kay, Lahoma Pope and Maxine Lambert all won district honors. Miss Evelyn Shaver lacked just a few points of winning district hon-

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ors. We are proud of Mrs. Warren's work here.

Joe Aycock resigned as manager of Atkinson's Store last week and moved to Weinert, where he has opened a Red & White grocery store. Mr. Aycock has been manager of the Atkinson Food Store here for the past two years, and he and his family will be missed. Their many friends good wishes go with them. We commend them very highly to the good people of that community.

May 24th will mark the close of the 1934-35 school term and will mean that fifteen seniors will be finishing their school career. These students are applicants for graduation: Tempie Lee Bell, Ruby Davis, Margaret Greenwade, Lucy Tom Hicks, Marjorie Sue Kay, Modell Marley, Mary Frances Melton, Dahlia Dean Wadrock, Carl Ray Alsobrook, Cecil Anderson, Bill Bagwell, Hubert Darrst, Carlton Mooney and Floyd Taylor. On Monday night they attended a theatre party given in their honor. On Tuesday evening Mrs. Bill Carothers entertained the class with a party at her lovely home. A swimming party Wednesday evening, Friday evening May 24th the class will be given their diplomas of graduation. Judge Clyde Grissom of Haskell will give the address on this program. We are proud of our school work this year.

Tommie Greer who is majoring in violin at McMurry College, a pupil of Miss Ruth Lesley, head of the violin department at McMurry, presented a program at the high school auditorium Monday evening. He was assisted in the program by Weldon Bryant, Miss Craig and Jack Burford. Tommie is one of Rochester's graduates of last year. The entertainment was a joy from start to finish. We are very proud of Tommie.

Mr. Harrell and family visited relatives in Anson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow King of Pampa, Texas, spent Mothers' Day here with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Reeves.

J. P. Fields and family of Abilene spent a few days here last week with relatives.

Curry Chapel

People of this community are rejoicing over the good rains that fell last week. Most of the farmers have fed up, and some have cotton planted.

Rev. Hammer filled his regular appointment here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Had one conversion Sunday night. Each sermon was enjoyed by all present.

The Myers school closed a very successful 8 months term Friday. On account of the rain the play was postponed until Monday night, and was attended by a large crowd. The program was very interesting, and each one played their part well. We have the same teachers for our next term of school.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Ed Kregger sick again. Hope she will soon be up and well.

Frank Spencer is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Ed Kregger's father of Denton county visited with her last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother in Weinert.

Mr. Carlos Plemister of Cooke county is visiting in our community.

There will be singing here Sunday night. We are ordering some new song books and invite everyone out to help in singing.

Will have Sunday School Sunday morning.

Vontress

The health of this community is good at present.

The farmers are all in a hurry to get to work in their fields now after the good rains.

Quite a large crowd from this community attended the play at Irby Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Anderson and children of Irby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Arend and son of Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bruggeman Sunday.

Several people of this community attended the ball game Sunday afternoon at Cottonwood.

Miss Connie Hoval spent Sunday night with Miss Blanche Anderson of Irby.

Mr. W. L. Johnson and Hix Hinkle of Roberts and Mr. John Oldham spent the week end at Lake Kemp fishing. Very little luck was reported.

Rockdale

This community has received about five inches of rain this past week.

Rev. Young from Abilene preached at the Baptist Church Sunday. There was also Sunday School at Lindsay Chapel.

John Ivy spent Thursday night in Luaders visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Williams and children spent the day Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King of Ericsdale community.

Mrs. V. P. Bunkley spent the day Thursday with Mrs. Gus Gillespie.

T. N. Gillespie and E. D. Williams made a business trip to Haskell Monday.

Miss Joe Fox spent a few days this week in the Cobb community visiting her aunt Mrs. Vaughn Cobb. Miss Edith and Rubynell Fox spent Saturday night in the B. H. Bunkley home.

Ermon Williams and family spent the day Sunday with his father and

mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of the Ericsdale community.

Leveda Ivy who is attending high school in Stamford spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Gillespie and son Dovie visited with J. D. Gillespie in Stamford Sunday afternoon. J. D. has a job working at the Gulf station.

What Becomes of Hundreds of Bills In the Legislature

What becomes of the bills that fail to pass at a session of the State Legislature is a mystery to many.

More than two-thirds of the proposals are "born to blush unseen and waste their fragrance on the desert air."

The typed paper that forms the physical make-up of a "bill" is taken at the end of a session by the chief clerk of the House or the secretary of the state, neatly labeled, indexed, and then delivered to the secretary of state.

There is where the separation takes place between bills that have graduated into "acts" and those that did not make the grade. The lost ones are stored in a dusty vault.

The "acts" are carefully preserved in filing cases.

In filing cases are few when either an act or a dead bill is taken physically from its abiding place in the office of the secretary of state.

Printed copies of the acts are accepted and used in most court proceedings. Occasionally there is a call for a "certified" copy. Then the act is taken out, transcribed, the copy double checked and a notation made under oath that the copy is true and correct.

Employees of the office do not recall any specific requests to produce unpassed bills. Such requests have been made, however, usually by some one planning to draft a new bill on the same topic.

Only the official bill goes to the office of the secretary of state. Beside it there are 300 printed copies, if the bill has hurdled its first obstacle and won a favorable committee report. Some local bills escape printing and a few general bills get by with mimeographing to save time.

The usual bill is printed. It is printed on standard size paper. Each line is numbered. Copies are given to every member. The line numbers are for convenience in proposing changes. Rule require that the amendment specify the page, section and line.

The printed bills are junked at the end of a session.

The bills that finally pass are triple checked to secure accuracy. Sometimes a mistake occurs despite that precaution. The chances for errors are numerous. Few go through the House and Senate without any amendment. The amendment are designated by the Journal clerks.

Upon passage, the bill with the amendment is engrossed. Then, after it has passed both branches of the Legislature it is enrolled in the branch where it originated. A committee gives it the "O. K."

Signature of the lieutenant governor and speaker, certified by the chief clerk of the House and the secretary of the Senate, then are inscribed.

The signing must be done publicly while the House and Senate are in session. The governor's signature, attested by the secretary of state, makes the bill finally a law.

Before a bill takes effect, it must wait 90 days after the close of the session at which it was enacted.

This wait can be avoided by an emergency clause citing the need of immediate action. The clause is valueless on the bill unless it receives two-thirds of the House vote and two-thirds of the Senate vote.

Fires 50 Buildings

CHICAGO.—Police are studying the 3,000-page diary of H. Carle Peterson, 32-year-old fiction writer, who has admitted setting fire to fifty buildings in nine years. In one of the fires, a woman was burned to death.

Enrolls in Business School

Paul Leclair, son of R. L. Leclair of Haskell, enrolled May 19, in the Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe, Mo., for the course in Commercial, typing, and machine bookkeeping training.

To Fight Grasshopper

FARGO, N. D.—Approximately 16,450 tons of poison bait will be used in the fight against North Dakota's outstanding agricultural pest—the grasshopper. Nearly 3,323,340 acres must be poisoned for the pest. Of the total amount of poison used, counties will furnish 5,335 tons, the rest to be furnished by the Federal Government.

Stripped and Robbed

NEW YORK.—A clerk and two customers were not only robbed of their money but they were greatly embarrassed when robbers forced them to remove their clothing and turn over \$600 to them. The robbery took place in the offices of the Transcontinental & Western Airways across the street from the Grand Central Station.

The fellow who keeps repeating mistakes shows a woeful lack of originality.

Play at Roberts

There will be a play entitled "Deacon Dubbs" at Roberts school house Friday night, May 24th. The public is cordially invited. No admission to be charged.

J. N. PORTER DIES AT HOME IN STAMFORD

J. N. Porter, 79, retired roadmaster for the Wichita Valley Railway, died at his home in Stamford last Friday afternoon. He was stricken with paralysis two weeks ago. He became roadmaster of the Wichita Valley in 1907 and served in that capacity for 21 years, retiring in 1908. He was well known in Haskell and had many friends in this section.

Survivors include his widow and four daughters.

Cripple Arrested

WALTHAM, Mass. — David T. Dickinson, crippled by infantile paralysis for the last fourteen years, was recently haled into court, charged with driving an unlicensed and uninsured vehicle—his three-wheeled chair which is propelled by means of two large storage batteries and steered by a device on the left arm of the chair. By this means, Dickinson is able to travel fifteen miles an hour.

Fireman Shot

CHICAGO.—A fireman, seeking a blaze answering an alarm, knocked on the door to a Chinese laundry. In reply, he received a load of bullets in his abdomen. The Chinaman explained that he thought the fireman was a robber as several attempts had been made recently to rob his place.

Miss Louise Kaigler was in Wichita Falls Tuesday where she made arrangements to study piano under Charles Kiker for the summer.

Why Bald Eagle Used As National Emblem

The eagle was called in ancient mythology the bird of Jove, and it was believed that it bore the souls of the dying to their abode on Mount Olympus. The bird was also sacred to Vishnu in the mythology of India and is the bird of wisdom in the mythology of the Scandinavians.

The ancient Etruscans first took the eagle as a symbol of royal power and bore its image upon their standards. The Romans adopted the same symbol in the year 87 before Christ, the second year of the consul Marius. A silver eagle, with expanded wings, poised on the top of a spear, with a thunderbolt held in its claws, was adopted as the military standard to be borne at the head of the legions. This image was made of silver until the time of Hadrian, after which it was made of gold. The standard adopted by the Byzantine emperors was a two-headed eagle, as a symbol of their control of both the East and the West. From those early standards come all the eagles in the standards of modern nations.

The emblem used in the United States is the large, bald-headed eagle. Its use, which dates to the beginnings of the republic, was partly inspired by its connection with the Romans, but, of course, also by the bird itself, which has always occupied a position in human esteem similar to that of the lion. It suggests power and commands respect and acknowledges no creature as its superior.

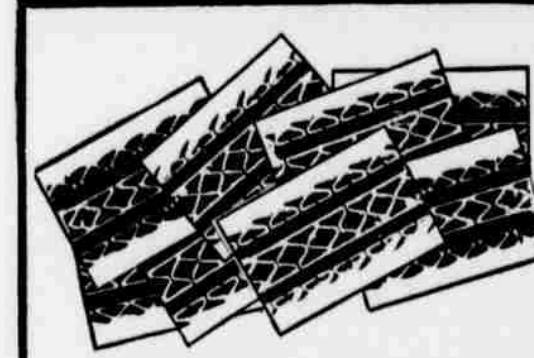
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Haskell County History

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

20 YEARS AGO TODAY

Fred Sanders ginned 15 bales of cotton Saturday and Monday. This is the first time gins ever did any work in May.

Mr. I. A. Brooks of Corpus Christi and Miss Donna Bell Rosser of Belton were married Tuesday May 18th here at the Baptist parsonage with Rev. Groom officiating.

Mr. Richard Kretschmer and Miss Martha Steinath were united in marriage Monday in the Irby community at a quiet home wedding with Rev. F. A. Breacher of Wichita Falls performing the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton and Miss Nevada Baker left the first of the week for San Francisco to visit the Panama Exposition.

30 YEARS AGO TODAY

Early last Wednesday morning Messrs. G. W. Pille, A. H. Storrs, J. S. Potts, F. G. Alexander, A. T. Crews, G. T. Buford and A. Fuller were seen in a wagon with fishing poles sticking out of it going in an easterly direction. They must have had some shotguns also as a number of shots were heard in the direction they took.

Considerable cotton has lain in the weigher's yard this winter since it was ginned last spring. Several wagon loads were sold the past week.

The Cemetery Association has succeeded in settling the title composing the Haskell cemetery and states that persons desiring private lots can secure them satisfactorily now.

40 YEARS AGO TODAY

Mr. Edd Robertson left for Dallas where he will take a course in telegraphy.

C. M. Brown got one of his shoulders badly hurt the other day by a fall from a horse.

The following gentlemen as far as we have heard constitute the Haskell county delegation to the ex-Confederate Reunion at Houston, to-wit: Capt. W. W. Fields, B. F. McCollum, E. P. Morgan, Witt Springer and Jim Fields from town, and Messrs. C. W. Lucas, J. S. Post, J. M. Perry and J. E. Maxwell from the country.

The following named persons were named to hold elections for school trustees of the several school districts: S. W. Scott, S. L. Robertson, and W. E. Johnson in District No. 1; T. A. Mayes, J. F. Albin and T. A. Green in District No. 2; J. A. King, L. W. Roberts and E. Bivins in District No. 3; D. R. Livengood, A. R. Davis and J. E. Davis in District No. 4; G. W. Tanner, Walter Smith and J. E. Carter in District No. 5.

H. J. R. No. 19

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an Amendment to Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adopting a new Section to be known as Section 51-b, which shall provide that the Legislature shall have the power to provide, under such limitations and restriction as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for old-age assistance and for payment of same not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month each to actual bona fide citizens of Texas over the age of sixty-five (65) years, who are not habitual criminals nor habitual drunkards, nor inmates in any State supported institution; and providing that the requirements for length of time of actual residence in Texas shall never be less than five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for old-age assistance and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application; and providing that the Legislature shall have the

authority to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old-age assistance; providing for the necessary proclamation and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of proclamation, publication and election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a Section to be known as Section 51-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51-b. The Legislature shall have the power by general laws to provide, under such limitations and restrictions and regulations as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for old-age assistance and for the payment of same not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month each to actual bona fide citizens of Texas who are over the age of sixty-five (65) years; provided that no habitual criminal, and no habitual drunkard while such habitual drunkard, and no inmate of any State supported institution, while such inmate, shall be eligible for such old-age assistance; provided further that the requirements for length of time of actual residence in Texas shall never be less than five (5) years during the nine (9) years immediately preceding the application for old-age assistance and continuously for one (1) year immediately preceding such application.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States such financial aid for old-age assistance as that Government may offer not inconsistent with the restrictions hereinbefore provided."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday of August, 1935, at which election there shall be printed on such ballot the following clause:

"For the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide a System of Old-Age Assistance not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month per person and to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old-age assistance."

"Against the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide a System of Old-Age Assistance not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per person per month; and to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old-age assistance."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same printed as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

GERALD C. MANN, Secretary of State.

Doomed Man Wants a Divorce

ATLANTA, Ga.—Marvin Honea, condemned to death for a murder during a holdup, has asked for speedy action on his divorce proceedings against his wife, Mrs. Bessie Honea, his bride of less than a year.

FOR SALE—2 foot Grain Binder. For sale or trade. E. C. Wilson, Sagerton, Texas. 1tp

NICE LINE of Refrigerators, like new, at real bargains. Let us do your repairing and refinishing. Will buy your used furniture. Stanton & Nollner. 1tz

WANTED TO BUY — Wrecked cars of any make. See Mack Perdue at C. R. Cook Filling Station across street for South Ward school. 1tc

FOR SALE—Several head good work mules, horses and mares. Also few farming implements. See Lewis (Shorty) Sherman, Haskell, Tex. 1tc

WANTED—Man with car. Route experience preferred but not necessary. Rawleigh, Dept. TXE-340-M, Memphis, Tenn. 3tp

BERRIES FOR SALE—At J. W. B. Johnson's 7 1/2 miles southeast of Anson. Will pick every day except Sunday beginning May 23. Twenty cents per gallon and purchaser pick them. 4tp

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Want-Ads

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash. modern 5 room house 3 blocks of square. for \$750. Also a nice little 4-room house and three lots in the edge of Haskell for \$400. See me for bargains. Virgil A. Brown. 1p

LOST—Wedding band ring, set with seven small diamonds. Lost between Texas Cafe and McNeill apartment house. Owner will pay reward to finder. Notify Haskell Free Press. 1tp

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write today. Rawleigh, Dept. TXE-340-SA, Memphis, Tenn. 2tc

FOR SALE—Good milk cow. J. S. Grand. 2tp

BERRIES! BERRIES! First load of berries will be here about May 20th. Price will be \$1.25 or less per 3-gallon crate. If interested leave your order at the Hardin Lumber Yard. Phone 164. L. J. Isham.

WANTED TO BUY — Your fat cattle. A. W. Cox, Haskell, Texas.

WEST TEXAS HALF & HALF planting seed for sale. \$1.50 per bushel, seedhouse O'Brien. Have 125 bushels of 1933 seed, all machine culled and sacked in new three bushel bags. Have been growing and selling this variety of seed 14 years. Will be glad to supply you. S. N. Reed, O'Brien, Tex. 4tp

DON'T SCRATCH! Get Paracide Ointment, the guaranteed Itch Remedy. Guaranteed to relieve any form of Itch or Itching Piles within 48 hours or money refunded. Large jar 50c at Oates Drug Store, Haskell. 4tp

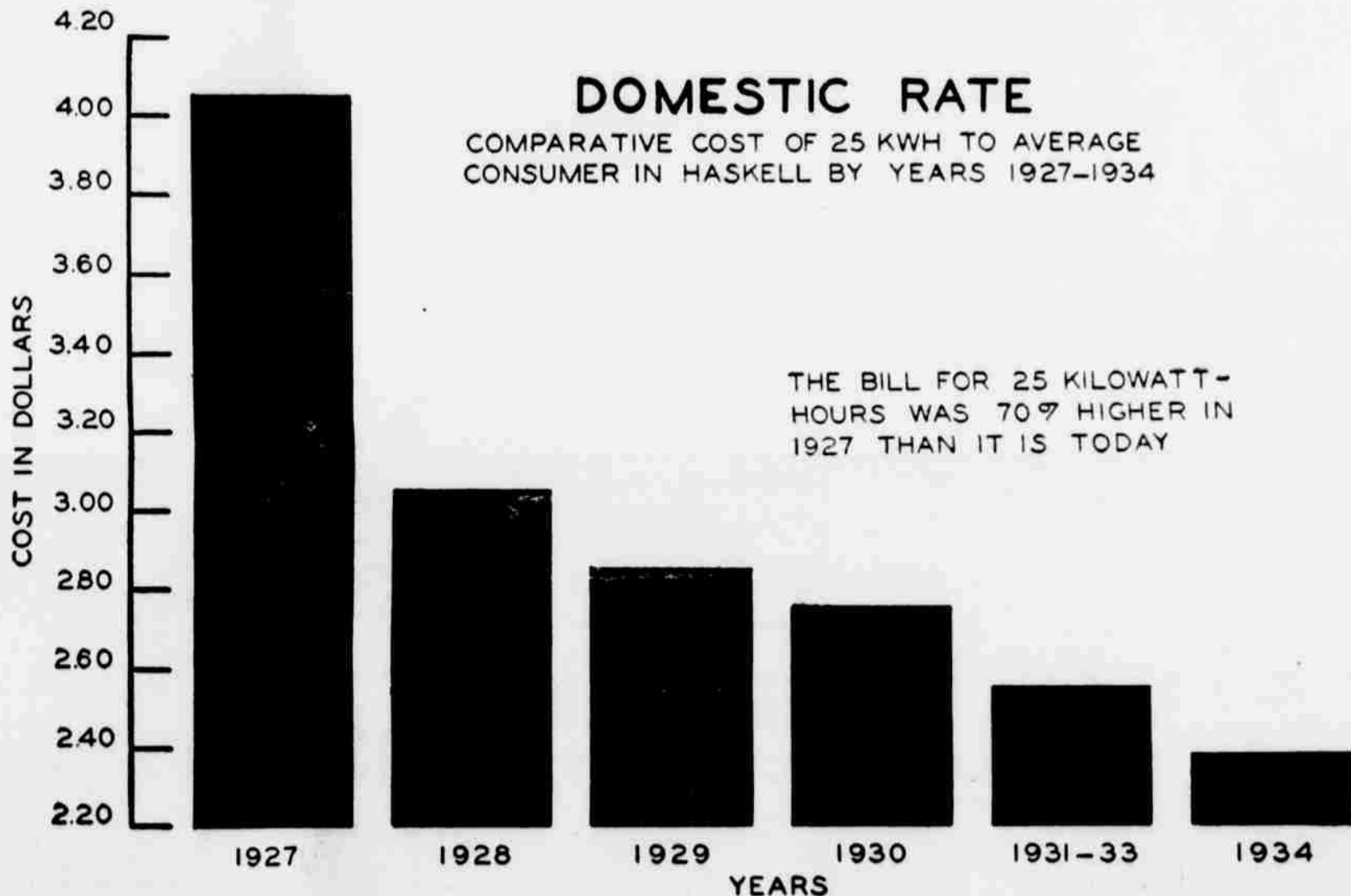


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The above chart is only one example of accomplishments in the past, showing this Company's never ending efforts to provide better service at lower cost to the consumer. Past records like these should demonstrate to the citizens of Haskell that the West Texas Utilities Company will continue in its endeavors to render dependable service to this community at constantly reduced rates. This Company has maintained its rate reduction policies even in times like these when other costs including taxes are on the increase.

Did you know that a mere 4 per cent reduction in taxes would mean more to the country and amount to more money than a 50 per cent reduction in domestic electric rates to all users in the entire country. Government statistics show that private utilities pay out in taxes considerably more money than the nation's total household electric service bill.

This Company is serving 159 communities in West Texas and asserts flatly that its electric rates are below the average for the State of Texas, considerably below the average of all municipal plants in this or any other state, and that it is rendering the highest grade of service. We challenge the ability of municipal plant promoters to sell electricity at our prices. These are no vague promises but a record of actual accomplishments of service to the people in marked contrast to the evasive concealment which marks the outside municipal plant promoter's representations.

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The good will created by advertising is an intangible asset that is just as valuable to a merchant in Haskell as to the manufacturer of any of the thousands of things that have made fortunes for their owners because they have been well advertised.

It is often hard for a merchant in a place the size of Haskell to realize that advertising has an effect, even if all the people in the community know already that he is in business and that he wants them to buy what he has to sell.

FARMERS AMAZE WASHINGTON

The nation's capital was amazed last week when nearly five thousand farmers, from a score or more States, flocked into Washington to express approval of the AAA and to give form to a spirit of appreciation.

Washington has had many gatherings, such as the bonus army, the big business conclaves and other meetings, intent upon taking the hide off of some proposition or official but rarely has it seen the sight to equal that of these farmers, in unofficial convention, praising the record.

Some mystery attached to the simultaneous eruption of tillers of the soil in widely scattered areas. Political observers thought that maybe AAA officials in the counties "suggested" the visit but anything like official support was vigorously denied.

SCHOOLS OUT.

Vacation is near for hundreds of school children, college students, and teachers. After a strenuous session of work a little period of rest and recuperation is deserved and appreciated by all.

Sooner or later in the progress of the world more leisure will be available for the working men and women in every sphere of life. What will be done with the spare time. Are we teaching ourselves to enjoy leisure in a healthful and helpful way?

In the meantime, here's good luck and enjoyment to those fortunate enough to have a period of relaxation and recuperation. May the summer vacation be enjoyed and may the next year's work be better than ever before.

STUDENTS AT WORK

The young man who works his way through college is apt to be a much better student than the one whose parents pay his way. This is the conclusion to be drawn from a survey just completed at the University of Southern California by Dr. Frank C. Touton, the university's vice president.

'INSANITY' ON A SANE BASIS

It is surprising how injection of a little plain common sense into the involved framework of criminal law can look like a startling innovation. Oklahoma has just passed a new law to cover the "insanity defense" in murder cases. It provides that if a defendant in a murder trial be acquitted on the ground of insanity, he shall be confined in a lunatic asylum as a dangerous and irresponsible person.

WORTHWHILE

There are some people in Haskell County who appreciate to the fullest extent the worth of the Boy Scout movement. There are others who, because they know nothing about it, simply pass it by as a boy's camping and fishing club.

If the people who are this ignorant will take the trouble to secure what is known as the Boy's Handbook they will soon learn that their judgment is entirely unwarranted, and that the movement possesses vast educational possibilities.



Mary had a party dress, A dainty thing and airy; It didn't show the dirt a bit, But Gosh, how it showed Mary!

Begins to look as though the blue eagle will survive, but he's going to lose some of his tail feathers.

The worm that turns with the least warning is always driving the car just ahead.

Hearing a knock at the door late the other night, a Haskell woman is said to have yelled out: "Just dump him on the hall settee."

A London man simplified matters by leaving his estate to his lawyers in the first place.

A lot of people when speaking in public don't know what to do with their hands. Some bridge players seem to be that way, too.

Golf is recommended as an excellent form of exercise, but the better game you play the less exercise you get.

A card authority says a game resembling bridge was played a thousand years ago. And it still is.

A woman may love every hair on her husband's head but she feels differently about the one she finds on his shoulder.

When asked to donate something to the Old Ladies' Home a generous citizen offered to give his mother-in-law.

Applicants for a job generally stress their steadiness. In fact, some of them are so steady as to be almost motionless.

If, as some assert, fish is brain food, we have in mind an acquaintance or two for whom we would prescribe a couple of whales.

Mother Eve didn't know anything about bookkeeping but she was responsible for the loose leaf idea.

In answer to a reader who wants to know if a man should keep anything from his wife, we'd suggest that it would be all right to hold out enough for cigarettes and a soda now and then.

When a young man told his sweetheart she was the eighth wonder of the world she told him he'd better not let her catch him fooling around with any of the other seven.

IEWS and REVIEWS

Jonah J. Goldstein, magistrate: "Whether we like it or not, the public concept of decency has changed."

Myrna Loy, screen actress: "I'm really not sophisticated at all."

Arthur H. Vandenberg, U. S. Senator from Michigan: "This is jubilee year for Santa Claus astride a mule."

Henry I. Harrison, former president, U. S. Chamber of Commerce: "The New Deal has attempted much that is good, but it has tried to do too much in too short a time."

Marriner S. Eccles, governor, Federal Reserve Board: "There is in the world today no central banking institution which is not subject to control of government."

Hugh S. Johnson, former NRA chief: "Business does not go now because it says it sees bogey-men behind every door."

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilmer, alias Dorothy Dix: "Everything had been written about women except the truth and I decided to write the truth."

Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor: "Everyone seems to agree what is wrong (with the textile mills) but none know what medicine to prescribe for the patient."

Joseph Stalin, Soviet Dictator: "It is time to understand that the most valuable of all capital in the world is the people."

E. D. Smith, U. S. Senator from South Carolina: "Some holding companies are essential and have done a vast amount of good."

Ruby Keeler, (Mrs. Al Tolson), after adopting a baby: "The baby can't say 'Mummy' yet, but he cries beautifully."

Hiram Johnson, U. S. Senator from California: "We can keep out of war by minding our own business."

Advertisement for Oates Drug Store featuring 'Non-Skid Spot Pad Trusses' and 'Oates Drug Store' with address 'Haskell, Texas'.

-CURRENT COMMENT-

JOB'S LOOKING FOR WORKERS

Not long ago the following advertisement was printed in the Rural New Yorker.

Clean American boy, twenty, German descent, strong; drive car, horses; willing to work for a good home and \$10 per month.

More than 300 replies were received. They came from 14 states. All of them offered board and room and \$10 per month. Many of them promised advancement.

The advertiser, a resident of New Jersey, gave the letters defining other job opportunities to relief agencies.

None of the agencies he approached, he says, were able to convince unemployed persons that earning a living was better than living off the public funds.

"The whole truth," as this citizen sees it, is that there is now no stigma to accepting relief. Some of the best people are doing it—people who used to be wage earners, people who once earned their own living; who owned their own homes, who had responsible positions in the community.

Easy enough for the cynic to say that people who are living comfortably, having their rents paid, and getting food and amusement at public expense cannot be expected to take jobs which may pay out badly.

What is to immunize the productive relievers from the contagious passivity of the relievees' state of mind is a problem which is asserting itself with increasing pressure.

Being a brother's keeper will work only as long as the keeper can keep himself.

Wise and Otherwise

Ought To Be Little Gloria, we see, has been awarded \$48,000 for her upkeep this year, which ought to be plenty, if she goes without a hat.—Macon Telegraph.

None! Why shouldn't Detroit have a horse show? What other city has contributed so much toward making the horse a curiosity?—San Antonio Evening News.

We Wonder We have no doubt that Doctor Townsend is sincere—but hasn't he something cheaper—say in a two or three billion fantasy?—Detroit News.

A Misprint It is a safe conjecture that when you see a million dollars mentioned in the newspapers nowadays it is a misprint for a billion dollars.—New York Times.

Alternative Many a man finds it easy to forget his own personal unbalanced budget problem if he worries enough over the government debt.—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Where, Oh! Where? A Californian says the Townsend plan will be a major issue in 1936. By the way, what became of that fellow who started technocracy?—Flint, (Mich.) Journal.

Ought To Be Europe now has new hope for peace. It was time. The old one was worn out.—Indianapolis News.

He Is Hitler is going to have peace in Germany if he has to kill every German to get it.—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Stream-lined The speed with which it may be spent is a reminder that it is a stream-lined dollar, whether old or new.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Imagine It Business has picked up to such an extent that numbers of firms are again ordering two bottles of black ink at a time.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Where? Young people should not hesitate to marry on an income of \$100 a month, says an educator. The young people say they're willing, but where would they get the \$100?—St. Joseph News-Press.

Subject to Change If anybody is getting out an edition of Who's Who in Germany at this time, it should be issued in looseleaf form.—Indianapolis News.

Family Dog Is Exempt From Sale Under New Law

The family dog becomes a part of the property necessary to the life of a family by legislative enactment, being included among personal property exempt from attachment or execution for debt by terms of House bill 166 a copy of which was received in Dallas Saturday.

The bill has been signed by Governor James V. Alfred and already is in effect. It is designed to reserve to every family certain specified personal property to be exempt from attachment or execution and every other species of forced sale for the payment of debt.

Economic Conditions Recognized Section 2 of the bill sets out that many upright citizens have suffered unforeseen calamities are being unduly pressed by creditors who are seizing their personal property creates an emergency. The bill also sets out that in some instances the heads of families in Texas are having their wearing apparel taken away from them by creditors, and that in many instances the goats, chickens, turkeys, ducks, geese and swans of these unfortunate people are being seized and sold at forced sales.

The law adds a list of twenty-four kinds of properties to those already exempt under the family exemption law, which can not be seized and sold for debt. The list follows: The homestead of the family, all household and kitchen furniture, any lot or lots in a cemetery held for the purpose of sepulture, all implements of husbandry, all tools, apparatus and books belonging to any trade or profession, the family library and all family portraits and pictures.

Property Exempted Five milk cows and their calves, two mules, two horses and one wagon, one carriage or buggy, one gun, twenty hogs, twenty head of sheep, all saddles, bridles and necessary harness for the use of the family, all provisions and forage on hand for home consumption, all current wages for personal services, all wearing apparel.

Twenty head of goats, fifty head of chickens, thirty head of turkeys, thirty head of ducks, thirty head of geese, thirty head of guineas. One dog.—Dallas News.

Sells Doped Cigarettes ROANOKE, Va.—Albert St. Clair, of this city, received the maximum sentence possible, one year in jail and \$1,000 fine, when convicted of the manufacture and sale of druged cigarettes to high school students and others ranging from 15 to 21 years of age.

He was identified by the students as the man who had sold or given them the doped "reefers" that cause a cheap drunk, insanity and eventually death.

Advertisement for Jones Cox & Co. Funeral Directors, featuring 'Pride' and 'Prompt Ambulance Service' with contact information for W. O. Holden in charge.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas by striking out Section 20a to Section 20e, both inclusive; prohibiting the open saloon and vesting in the Legislature the power to define and enact laws against such; vesting in the Legislature the power to regulate the manufacture, sale transportation and possession of intoxicating liquors.

including the power to provide for a State Monopoly on the sale of distilled liquors; providing that intoxicating liquors shall not be manufactured, sold, bartered or exchanged in any county, justice's precinct or incorporated city or town wherein the sale of intoxicating liquors had been prohibited by local option election held under the laws in force at the date of the taking effect of Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, until a majority of the qualified voters of such county or political subdivision shall determine such to be lawful at an election held for that purpose; providing that such shall not prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages containing less than 32 per cent alcohol by weight in cities, counties or political subdivisions in which the qualified voters have voted to legalize such sale under the provisions of Chapter 116, Acts of the Regular Session of the 43d Legislature; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such Amendment; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication of such by the Governor and making an appropriation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas be amended by striking out Section 20a to Section 20e, both inclusive, and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

"ARTICLE XVI. Section 20. (a) The open saloon shall be and is hereby prohibited. The Legislature shall have the power, and it shall be its duty to define the term 'open saloon' and enact laws against such.

Subject to the foregoing, the Legislature shall have the power to regulate the manufacture, sale, possession and transportation of intoxicating liquors, including the power to establish a State Monopoly on the sale of distilled liquors. (b) The Legislature shall enact a law or laws whereby the qualified voters of any county, justice's precinct or incorporated town or city, may, by a majority vote of those voting, determine from time to time whether the sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes shall be prohibited or legalized within the prescribed limits; and such laws shall contain provisions for voting on the sale of intoxicating liquors of various types and various alcoholic content.

(c) In all counties, justice's precincts or incorporated towns or cities wherein the sale of intoxicating liquors had been prohibited by local option elections held under the laws of the State of Texas and in force at the time of the taking effect of Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, it shall continue to be unlawful to manufacture, sell, barter or exchange in any such county, justice's precinct or incorporated town or city, any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication or any other intoxicants whatsoever, for beverage purposes, unless and until a majority of the qualified voters in such county or political subdivision thereof voting in an election held for such purpose shall determine such to be lawful.

And those voters opposed to said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "AGAINST the amendment to the State Constitution repealing State-wide prohibition, prohibiting the open saloon and providing for local option."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution. Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election, and shall have the same published and such election held as provided by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand and (\$8,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy. GERALD C. MANN, Secretary of State.

Advertisement for Dr. J. G. Vaughter, Dentist, located over Haskell National Bank.

Advertisement for T. R. ODELL, Attorney at Law, office in Haskell National Bank Building.

Advertisement for T. C. CAHILL & SON, Insurance - Surety Bonds, Real Estate and Rentals.

Advertisement for Dr. Gertrude Robinson, Graduate Chiropractor, Cahill Insurance Bldg.

Advertisement for Dr. Josephine Morrison, Chiropractor, for your good health, office hours 8-12 a. m., 1-4 p. m., Sundays, 3 to 5 p. m. or by appointment.

Advertisement for FLOUR BEWLEY'S BEST LIGHT CRUST, listing prices for 48 lbs, 24 lbs, 12 lbs, and 6 lbs.

Advertisement for ODELL Feed & Seed Company, Phone 221.

Large advertisement for Haskell National Bank, 'SERVICE is a word with two meanings', 'There is more to service than just the number of facilities a bank has. Equally important is the way these facilities are made convenient, helpful, and pleasant for you to use.'

Wichita Valley League Standing

Table with 5 columns: Team, P, W, L, Pct. Rows include Haskell, Munday, Stamford, Hamlin, Seymour, Goree.

Braves Down Pipers 3 to 2

Smashing one of other Wood's offerings into deep center field for a clean double while Cecil Bradley was on third base, Roy Norman, Haskell second sacker, broke up a close ten-inning baseball game here Sunday afternoon and caused the local aggregation of Redskins to defeat the Hamlin Pied Pipers by a score of 3 to 2.



Friday Night and Sat. Matinee

"Dog of Flanders"

with FRANKIE THOMAS What a Boy! What a Dog! What a Story!

Saturday, 7 to 11 P. M.

Advertisement for 'The Case of the Curious Bride' featuring Warren William and a woman's portrait.

Sat. 11 P. M., Sun. and Mon.

Advertisement for 'HITS A NEW HIGH NOTE IN HILARITY!' featuring George Raft and Ben Bernie.

Advertisement for 'SMITTY'S' featuring a woman's portrait and product list.

Tuesday Only Matinee 2 P. M. 175 reasons why you should be here.

Advertisement for 'THEY KEEP YOU IN CONVULSIONS!' featuring a woman's portrait and product list.

Wednesday, Thursday "The Good Fairy" Margaret Sullivan

County Has Large Group Attending Stamford H.D. Meet

Haskell County Home Demonstration Clubs had the largest representation of any county attending the demonstration given by Mrs. Dora Barnes in Stamford May 18.

Rural Schools

(Continued from First Page) checked against the national medium to measure the progress being actually made here.

Teachers in the various schools during the 1934-35 term were: Ballew—Hope E. Haynes, Mrs. Ralph Duncan.

The Box Score table with columns: Hamlin, Ensey, Halums, Coffee, Rowland, Jones, Anderson, Weaver, Helms, Wood.

Summary: Runs—Hallums, Anderson, Bradley, Norman, Patterson, Errors—Ensey, Wood, Bradley, Norman, Johnson, Leonard. Two base hits—Weaver, Jones, Bradley, Norman (2), Patterson. Sacrifice hits—Wood, Johnson. Bases on balls off Wood 2, Hambricht 1. Struck out by Wood 9, Hambricht 9. Wild pitches—Hambricht (2). Hit batsman—Helms (by Hambricht). Double plays—Coffee to Ensey to Rowland, Hallums to Ensey to Rowland, Coffee to Ensey to Rowland, Leonard to Norman to Adkins. Left on bases—Hamlin 5, Haskell 3. Earned runs—Hamlin 1, Haskell 2. Umpires—Dad Bradley and Poe. Time: 2:15.

Wrecked Car Holds Victims 3 Days

HOULTON, Me.—Concealed for 3 days in the wreckage of the car in which they were riding, the bodies of two young men and two young women, all Canadians, were discovered. The car had left the road and plunged down a steep 10-foot embankment, crushing the occupants within.

Smitty's

This is just a few of our Special Prices You always save at SMITTY'S Peroxide, 5 ounces... 10c 12 in. Adhesive Tape, 15 ft... 10c Aspirin, bottles of 100... 29c Bayer's Aspirin, bottles of 100... 65c Mineral Crystals, large size... 79c Mineral Oil, 16 oz... 31c

YEAST TABLETS, made of pure Fleischmann's yeast, rich in Vitamin B. Very effective as a body and nerve builder. Two tablets equivalent to one cake of yeast. Bottles of 50... 25c

Dr. Hinkle's Pills, 100 in bottle... 22c Epsom Salts, 16 oz... 10c Vicks Vapo-Rub... 25c Cardui, \$1.00 size... 89c

To My Patrons and Friends I have just returned from Oklahoma City where I spent a most profitable six days of intensive Class and Clinic work in the Carver Chiropractic College. I feel that my efficiency has been improved by this splendid course and you will benefit by it. Come in and let me tell you about it. Yours for health, DR. J. MORRISON Tonkawa Hotel Bldg. Phone 188

Club Women Finds Flowers An Aid to Attractive Meals

Attractiveness is as essential to a meal as the food itself, thinks Mrs. J. P. West, cooperator in the O'Brien Home Demonstration Club. By careful management Mrs. West is able to keep fresh flowers on her dining room table all the year around. Yard flowers, wild flowers, and pot plants are utilized as they come in season.

Farmers Trip

(Continued from First Page) of farmers who didn't like the AAA. We just got a little tired of this and we hadn't said anything. So we decided the time had come for those of us who approve the AAA to do a little talking.

President Roosevelt's address followed an all-day colorful mass meeting. The President referred to "crocodile tears shed by professional mourners of an old and obsolete order over the slaughter of little pigs" and defended the present high cost of meat as a result of the drought and not of the AAA program.

New Small Engine

WASHINGTON.—The Bureau of Aircraft Commerce has ordered an aircraft engine only 20 inches in diameter but which will develop 90 horsepower, as a means of furthering the development of small, air-worthy planes for the novice pilot. The engine, which is a radial, six-cylinder plant, will not exceed two pounds per horsepower in weight.

Slaps Bull; Arrested

PULLMAN, Wash.—Apparently "feeling himself", J. L. Blalock, of Moscow, Idaho, strode up to a full-grown bull and knocked the animal groggy with a right to the jaw at a livestock auction here. He was arrested by police, charged with disorderly conduct.

\$2,500,000 Fire Destroys Oregon Capitol

SALEM, Ore.—Fire which destroyed the 60-year-old capitol building caused damage estimated at \$2,500,000 and cost the life of one fireman.

"Dead" Walks In Court

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—Fred Sauter, of Chicago, upset court today when he refused to be declared "dead." Sauter's appearance in court caused dismissal of suits brought by the family to collect insurance policies, following his disappearance in 1923.

Frightened To Death

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—The fright brought about when he discovered a burglar in his bedroom caused the death of John W. Thompson, 65, fifteen minutes later of a heart attack.

Loses Life For \$2

ROME, Ga.—Offered \$2 to recover a pocketbook which had been dropped by a woman into the Etowah River, Alfonso Summerville jumped in, swam to where it floated and started back but sank before he reached the bank.

H. J. R. No. 46

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to authorize Courts having original criminal jurisdiction to suspend the imposition or execution of sentence and to place the defendant on probation and to reimpose such sentence, under such conditions as the Legislature may prescribe; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such Amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation thereof; and prescribing the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE

LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Section 1. That Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto, between Sections 11 and 12 a new Section to be known as Section 11A, to read as follows: "Section 11A. The Courts of the State of Texas having original jurisdiction of criminal actions shall have the power, after conviction, to suspend the imposition or execution of sentence and to place the defendant upon probation and to reimpose such sentence, under such conditions as the Legislature may prescribe."

Section 2

Such proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas, on the fourth Saturday in August, 1935, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment, shall write, or have printed on their ballots the words: "FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution authorizing the Courts to place defendants on probation."

Section 3

The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election, and shall have the same published and such election held as provided by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 4

The sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

GERALD C. MANN, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 48

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section 1, of Article XVII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Constitutional Amendments may be submitted by the Legislature at Special Sessions under certain conditions; providing for an election on the question of the adoption of such amendment and providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; describing the form of ballot, and making an appropriation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1, of Article XVII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: "Section 1. How the Constitution is to be amended. The Legislature, at any biennium session, by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each House, to be entered by year and name on the Journals, may propose Amendments to the Constitution, to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature, which proposed Amendments shall be duly published once a week for four (4) weeks, commencing at least three (3) months before an election, the time of which shall be specified by the Legislature, in one weekly newspaper of each county, in which such newspaper may be published; and it shall be the duty of the several returning officers of said election, to open a poll for, and make returns of the number of legal votes cast at said election for and against said Amendments; and if more than one be proposed, then the number of votes cast for and against each of them; and if it shall appear from votes cast, that a majority of the votes cast, have been cast in favor of any Amendment, the said Amendment so receiving a majority of the votes cast, shall become a part of this Constitution, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof, provided however

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that in cases of extraordinary emergency affecting the State as a whole, Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed in the manner hereinabove set out upon the submission of the proposed Amendment by the Governor at any Special Session.

Section 2. The foregoing Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State who are qualified to vote on proposed Constitutional Amendments at an election to be held on the 24th day of August A. D. 1935, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon for those favoring the Amendment the words: "FOR the Amendment to Section 1, Article XVII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed at Special Sessions of the Legislature under certain conditions." And those against the Amendment shall have printed the words: "AGAINST the Amendment to Section 1, Article XVII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed at Special Sessions of the Legislature under certain conditions." Each voter shall strike out with pen or pencil the clause which does not indicate his desire regarding the above proposed Amendment.

Section 3. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and to have the above proposed Amendment published in the manner and for the time required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

GERALD C. MANN, Secretary of State.

"Brief Biographies" Correction

In last week's advertisement several mistakes were made.

\$1.00 Will be paid to the person furnishing us with correct data pertaining to the historical person named and writing the best reason why some form of insurance should be carried by all people.

F. L. Daugherty The Insurance Man

Advertisement for USED CARS with list of models and prices, and COX-MITCHELL MOTOR CO. logo.

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Advertisement for F. L. Daugherty The Insurance Man, including a car image and contact information.

Advertisement for KINNEY FUNERAL HOME, featuring a car image and text: "A NEW AMBULANCE And you are assured of getting the best. 'Go Anywhere, Anytime' At reasonable prices. Phone 10 Day or Night KINNEY FUNERAL HOME"

Advertisement for FEDERAL TIRES, featuring a tire image and text: "FEDERAL Extra Service TIRES Do not become discouraged—it is not always the fault of your car. Try Conoco Bronze Gas, Conoco Germ-Processed Motor Oils. We also handle Quaker State, Penn Seal, and Diamond Oils. Moutray High-Test Clear Gas and Kerosene, wholesale and retail. FEDERAL TIRES The Tire You Will Buy When You See Them! They are fully guaranteed and the price will surprise you. We make a liberal allowance on your old casing. Closing out our Goodrich for you. For the last 10 years we have had the same highly efficient service man—Mr. Viars Felker, to greet and serve our station trade. JONES & SON 'The Place For Everything'"