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FIFTIETH YEAR

COUNTY HOSPITAL PLANS APPROVED BY PHYSICIANS

Proposed County Project In Haskell Would Be One of Finest In West Texas

\$45,000 Bond Issue

Physicians of Haskell county met with the members of the Commissioners Court Saturday and discussed the plans for the proposed county hospital, which may be built through a \$45,000 bond issue and a gift from the U. S. Government through the PWA. Plans for the hospital, which were prepared by M. C. Butler, of Lubbock, were sent into the state headquarters of the PWA for approval. A few changes in the proposed plan were suggested by the physicians present, and were included in a final draft, which will call for a city hospital with about 35 beds, including single rooms and wards, operating rooms, one for emergency use only, were also included in the tentative outline of needs. The Haskell county hospital would be even better equipped than more modern than hospitals in Wichita Falls and Abilene, according to a local physician and surgeon, although the hospital proper would be smaller, and Haskell county people would secure the structure about half the cost which would normally prevail through help of the U. S. government. Access to the hospital, which is located in Haskell, which is located on a geographical center of the county, would be available to every citizen in the county, and an opportunity given to all through the board of directors. A business manager would be placed in charge.

New Theatre to Be Opened Here Friday Evening

A new theatre under construction on the west side of the square is ready for the opening Friday (tomorrow) night according to manager Leon. The new theatre will be a valuable addition to the business interests of the square, and especially to the west side of the square. The building has been remodeled inside and out and is as modern a show house as is found in this section. The opening picture tomorrow will be "The Cowboy Millionaire" starring George O'Brien, with Evelyn Rock and Edgar Kennedy. The theatre is centered around an American play—an English heiress—a mine of millions—and a rival's attack at vengeance. Leon stated that with two theatres here it would enable him to show a larger variety of pictures, thereby enabling him to better the theatre-going public, give them an opportunity to select when the two show houses the picture they desired to see. Leon extends the theatre-going public an invitation to attend the opening night tomorrow.

Local Attorney to Speak Sunday at the Baptist Church

Attorney French Robertson will give an address to the congregation at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon at the regular preaching hour. Mr. Robertson is a loyal member of the Baptist church and a student of religion as well as a man of a bright future as a lawyer in the church. Mr. Robertson is setting an example that should be followed. It should not be necessary for pastors to have speakers come from a distance to address their congregations when such talent is in them as the public is invited to attend service. Under church items in issue you will see a splendid program arranged as part of the morning service.—Contributed.

Infractions of Law Reported Here Over 4th Holiday

Arrests for violation of the many laws promulgated by the nation, county and city amounted to 14 in local courts on July 4. The charges were on either affray, drunkenness, driving an automobile while intoxicated condition. Despite the large crowd which attended the Stamford reunion, arrested those made in recent days officers say. J. L. Quinn of Santa Monica, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Daugherty.

At Weinert



THE REV. W. G. BAILEY
Pastor-Evangelist
Stamford, Texas.

The Rev. Mr. Bailey will be in charge of a revival meeting at Weinert for the Weinert Methodist Church beginning Sunday, July 28. He is pastor of St. Johns, Stamford. The Rev. Will M. Culwell, Weinert pastor, will assist in the meeting and in charge of the singing. Services will be held in a tabernacle daily at 10 o'clock A. M. and 8:45 P. M.

NEW AGRICULTURAL AGENT SLATED FOR HASKELL COUNTY

Successor to R. H. Maxwell Will Be Placed in Haskell "As Soon as Possible"

A county agricultural agent will be sent to Haskell county "just as soon as possible," according to O. G. Tomlinson, district agent, in a letter to the Commissioners Court. Former agent R. H. Maxwell was recently transferred to Jones county. Terms under which the new agent, yet to be named, will be sent here correspond with those heretofore prevailing, members of the Court say, for the duration of the year, but in December new arrangements will have to be made. Extension officials say that after this year's contract expires, the agent for Haskell county should be paid \$1200 yearly instead of the \$600 now in force, and the state will furnish \$1000, the sum which has been paid for work by the state in this county.

SOFT-BALL LEAGUE ORGANIZED LOCALLY

6 Teams Make Membership of League—Night Games Scheduled Friday

With six teams entered, the Haskell Soft-Ball league opened officially here Wednesday night, and beginning Friday night, all contests will be played under lights at Rice Springs Park. Games will be played on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week until September 2. Teams have been entered from the Haskell Relief Office, Bereans Baptist Sunday School, Courthouse, Ex-Scouts, M. System, and Henshaw Brothers. Friday night will find the Relief Office team battling with the courthouse aggregation and the Bereans team facing the "M" collection of stars.

Haskell Farmer Exhibits Pictures of Recent "Floods"

J. S. Abernathy, who lives north of Haskell, was in Haskell Friday exhibiting several pictures of the flooded condition in that section as a result of the recent hard rains. Farms were inundated, giving an appearance of a large lake. According to Mr. Abernathy, he still has about ten acres of cotton under water. The Haskell farmer, despite the dubious shaking of some other heads, planted cotton on July 3, and believes that he'll reap returns if the summer experiences reasonably dry weather.

FUTURE FARMERS WILL MEET SATURDAY

The Future Farmers of Haskell are holding their first summer meeting Saturday at 2:30 o'clock in the Fair office over the Farmers State Bank. It is important that all members be present at this meeting. A new president will be elected and plans for the district encampment and other activities will be discussed.

LOCAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN REVIVAL; DR. KEATHLEY LEADS

ACH-HEW! HERE'S A REMEDY FOR HAY FEVER SUFFERERS—IT'S GOOD!

L. Gardner Moore, of the Shoreham, in Washington, has a remedy for hay fever. So writes Walter Winchell in his daily column. Said if you wanted to be kind, then tell the world that he had just discovered the best cure yet for hay fever. Inhale horse-radish! Sounds funny, but he assures us it works. He keeps some of it in a handkerchief in his desk, and when he starts sneezing he quickly stops it with the condiment. . . . Will work for asthma sufferers, also, he said. If you publish it, countless sufferers will bless you.

NO DECISION YET ON LIGHT SURVEY

Work on Local Light and Power Plant Survey is Held in Abeyance

No decision has been rendered by Judge W. R. Chapman, 104th district court, relative to the injunction recently filed against the city officials of Haskell by V. W. Meadors which halted a survey of a municipal light and power plant here by Joe Ward of Wichita Falls. The survey, which a majority of the Haskell citizens favored in a recent special election, was proposed by city officials to determine the feasibility of applying for a government PWA loan.

Judge Chapman heard arguments from attorneys of both sides on Monday, July 1, and he informed council that he would probably make a decision about the first of this week. Other duties, however, have prevented Judge Chapman from rendering his opinion, and it will be Friday or Saturday before his decision is expected to be made known. The survey, which had begun here, was halted when the injunction was filed and no work, according to city officials, has been done since that time regardless of rumors.

July 31 Final Transfer Day For Students

The last day that pupils may be transferred from one school district to another is Wednesday, July 31, according to information from the office of the county superintendent, Matt Graham.

He urges parents and trustees to make every effort to get transferring pupils accounted for at once in order to avoid confusion and dis-appointment later. No tuition will have to be paid by a pupil changing to another school district if proper transfer is first made. When pupils are transferred, their portion of the state school fund is transferred to the district in which they enter. If their names are on the census rolls, pupils may be transferred from any district in this county to any other district in the county. They may not transfer out of the county unless the transfer is made near the county line.

Mrs. Ernest Potet and little daughter June, came in from Mercedes, Texas, Saturday for a visit. Mr. Potet is attending State University and will join them here the latter part of the week for a part of his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Potet.

No Customer In Sight But Manager of Store Smiles!

As someone may have told you, the weather has been extremely warm—and so warm that one Haskell merchant let one of his customers, at her own request, wait upon herself, because his store dressing room is not equipped with refrigerated air. Monday, a lady walked into the store and informed the proprietor that she wanted to try on a few dresses, but if he didn't mind, she wanted him to stay in the front part of the store so that she could leave the dressing room door open. The merchant was seen standing at the front door of his store with a smile upon his face, even though the weather was warm and no customer was in sight.

Noted Evangelist of Graham Comes to Haskell Highly Recommended

Closes July 21

Delving deeply into the main purposes of the Christian religion, Dr. Bryan H. Keathley, evangelist of the Fort Worth Presbytery, delivered his first message to the people of Haskell Wednesday night on the lawn of the First Presbyterian Church. The series of sermons by the noted evangelist will continue until July 21, with the Rev. Chas. A. Tucker, pastor, assisting in the work. Dr. Keathley, according to press notices from Graham, Roscoe, Monday and other Texas cities, preaches the religion of Christ as he interprets it, as his wide educational advantages gives him the authority to interpret it, and, although called an evangelist, differs widely from the accepted type of evangelist by not resorting to ballyhoo tricks in order to gain attention. His sermons, also claim the press notices, are nevertheless dynamic and bring messages of hope to a bewildered modern-day people.

Weinert OK's School Bonds

WEINERT.—Voters of the Weinert independent school district Saturday voted 55 to 9 in favor of issuance of \$18,000 in bonds to form security for a PWA loan of 55 per cent of the cost of building and equipping a new 11-room school structure with combination auditorium and gymnasium. Applications for a PWA loan and grant has been made and people of the district are confident the government will approve it. The Weinert school system, employing ten teachers with district scholastic population of 296 has become overcrowded in the present 8-room structure which was erected in 1908 and had an addition built in 1923. A small building, formerly used as a church, was purchased during the past term by school officials as an additional classroom structure. The high school has become accredited, with addition of the eleventh grade.

GOLF TOURNAMENT SLATED JULY 15-18

Haskell and Rule Players To Stage Meet—Losers Will Provide "Feed" for All

A golf tournament which will include players of Haskell and Rule has been scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, July 15-16, according to local golf club officials. Players will be split into two teams, with Roy Killingsworth and Virgil Reynolds as opposing captains, and match-play between the two forces will begin Monday. The winning team will be given golf balls as a prize, and the losing team will furnish a feed for both teams. Players wishing to enter the tournament should get in touch with either Roy Killingsworth or F. M. Robertson at once.

Seed Loan Agent In Haskell—Will Stay a Few Days

Mr. L. D. Evans, special representative of the Emergency Feed and Seed Loan office at Dallas will be in Haskell for several days, with offices in the courthouse where he will be glad to assist anyone in Haskell county with their problems with the Feed and Seed Loan office. Three hundred and thirty-four wheat loans were made to Haskell county farmers last fall and over 300 feed loans. In many cases the wheat crop has been very disappointing this year on account of the extreme dry weather early in the season followed by excessive rains during May and June, causing heavy damage to the grain in the fields.

In Hospital Mrs. K. L. Strickland of this city was removed to the Stamford Sanitarium Wednesday in an ambulance from the Kinney Funeral Home.

Mrs. H. L. Williams and son Barry left today for Archer City, after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Booth English. Mr. Williams has accepted a position as assistant County Agent there. They lived at Mertzon the past two years where he was vocational agriculture instructor.

Leads Revival



DR. BRYAN H. KEATHLEY of Graham

ROBBERS OF LOCAL EXPRESS CAPTURED

Three Men Implicated in Theft of \$1,100 in Travelers Checks

With practically all of the \$1,100 recently stolen from the local express office recovered and three men in jail, a search which became almost statewide was ended Wednesday for Sheriff Giles Kemp and J. V. Bell, special agent of Houston. Only about \$160 was not found by the officers, and all of that had been destroyed by the robbers in their attempts to fill the travelers checks out. The local office was robbed June 25.

Two school teachers, Hughie Hartley and Harold Hitt, who taught last year at Cotton Center in Hale county, are in jail here, and Floyd Pearl, Houston, who acted as a "fence," is confined at San Antonio. Hartley is under \$2500 bond and Hitt \$1500.

Both Hartley and Hitt have made statements to the officers here, in which they readily confessed their part in the daylight robbery of the express office which was almost a success from the robber's viewpoint. The crime was planned while Hitt was in Haskell trying to secure a position in the Rochester schools. Hartley was apprehended in Plainview, Texas, with over \$420 of the stolen travelers checks in his possession, and about \$75 in money which he had realized from sales. Hitt was arrested in Stamford with \$150 in his pockets. About \$230 was taken from Pearl at San Antonio. The robbery of the Haskell express office occurred at about six-thirty p. m. while Agent Pat Lewis was away from the office. Entrance to the building was gained at the rear and the day combination on the safe worked.

Reasons given for the robbery by Hartley and Hitt, according to Kemp, was that they were "broke," and the whole affair looked "easy." Both Kemp and Bell traveled throughout West Texas in their search for the robbers, who wasted no time in cashing the travelers checks. Hartley and Hitt were brought before Justice R. H. Davis here for a preliminary hearing.

ONLY FEW PERSONS PAY DELINQUENT

Loan Companies Take Advantage in Tax Savings; About \$150,000 Due

Only a few persons availed themselves of the opportunity to pay delinquent taxes, a check of the rolls show, although most loan companies took advantage of the saving. It has been estimated by officials that at least the sum of \$150,000 is on the delinquent rolls, which includes state, county and rural school assessments. About 70 per cent of the 1934 taxes were paid, records also show. Most of the taxes delinquent are centered through the years from 1930 forward, although some go as far back as 1924.

Ratliff Presides In 42nd District Court at Albany

Judge Dennis Ratliff of Haskell is presiding in the 42nd district court at Albany this week, for opening of the summer term. Civil cases were docketed for first of the week, and criminal cases were slated to be considered beginning Thursday. Judge Ratliff will sit for Judge M. S. Jones.

FARM WOMEN OF THREE COUNTIES TO CONVERGE ON HASKELL JULY 18-19

Mahon Appeals For a Hospital For Vets Soon

Congressman George Mahon appeared before the Federal Board of Hospitalization Friday, making an appeal for a Veterans' Administration Hospital for West Texas. Hearings are being held by the Hospitalization Board to determine the need for new facilities in all the country. The proposed hospital would be a general medical and surgical facility. It would include approximately 500 patient beds. Construction would be under the direction of the Veterans' Administration, but it is estimated that an expenditure of approximately \$1,000,000 would be involved.

Facts presented by Mr. Mahon at the hearing disclose that there is a larger area scattering in West Texas which does not now have access to a general medical Veterans' Administration facility than exists in any other section of the country. This area would include approximately 1,200,000 people and an estimated number of Veterans' exceeding 20,000. There are several Veterans' facilities in Texas now, but not one of them is used wholly for general medical and surgical cases. There are only 235 beds available for this type of cases in the entire State, and these serve only 29.8 per cent of the general cases arising in the State.

Mr. Mahon emphasized the need for the hospital from the standpoint of service to the Veterans in the area who need medical attention, from the standpoint of the cost of transportation and the welfare of the patient in being transported under the present system, and from the standpoint of its value in establishing definite medical records for claims with the Veterans' Administration.

Funeral Rites for Mrs. Parish Being Held Today

Funeral rites for one of Haskell's oldest residents, Mrs. E. L. Parish, 81, who died at her home here Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, will be held from the Kinney funeral chapel this afternoon at 6 o'clock. Rev. Young, Methodist minister of Stamford, will officiate. Interment will be in Willow cemetery under direction of Kinney Funeral Home.

The daughter of early-day Texas pioneers, Alice Moore was born in Rusk county, Texas, March 7, 1854. She was married to E. L. Parish on April 10, 1872, and they resided in that county until moving to Haskell in 1906. Her husband preceded her in death five years ago, shortly after the observance of their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary. Deceased had been a member of the Methodist church for 60 years, both she and her husband uniting with the church in 1875.

Immediate survivors are five children, L. C. Parish of Fort Worth; Fred Parish, Shreveport, La.; Elam Parish, W. S. Parish and Miss Halia Mae Parish, Haskell. Several grandchildren also survive. Pallbearers will be R. H. Banks, Hill Oates, J. A. Frazier, E. I. Christian, W. T. Sarrels, Raymond Lusk. Ladies who assisted with the flowers were Mrs. Hill Oates, Mrs. O. L. Johnson, Mrs. Jess Barton, Mrs. A. H. Wair, Mrs. John Rike, and Mrs. Lucy Cummins Garbo.

Miss ElRay Roberts Killed in Car Wreck Sunday at Van Horn

Miss ElRay Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roberts of Abilene, former manager of the Scott Ranch east of Haskell, was killed in an automobile accident near Van Horn Sunday. In the car with Mrs. Roberts were her aunt, Mrs. Henry Sayles and son Hal of Abilene. The party was on their way to California where they planned to spend several weeks visiting relatives. Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in Abilene. A half mile east of Van Horn on a long stretch of road with no other vehicle near the car suddenly plunged out of control, swerved from the pavement and turned over twice.

Miss Roberts was born in Throckmorton November 21, 1908. The family moved to Abilene several years ago where she attended high school. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Potest of Vernon were here with homefolks for the 4th. Miss Naomi Potest accompanied them home for several days visit.

Two-day Meet of Clubs from Stonewall, Knox, Haskell Counties Is Planned Is Annual Affair

Between 400 and 500 home demonstration club women of Stonewall, Knox and Haskell counties are expected to converge on Haskell Thursday and Friday, July 18-19 for the annual tri-county meeting. Representatives from the 20 clubs of women and girls in Haskell, 14 in Knox and 11 in Stonewall will be present. Arrangements are now being made for the encampment at the Central West Texas Fair grounds, where the visitors will stay on Thursday night. Demonstration agents, Miss Helen Burchard, of Knox county; Miss Nora Ellen Elliott, of Stonewall; and Miss Peggy Taylor, Haskell, will supervise the annual get-together of the farm club women, who use the meeting as a holiday to get away for a short time from the cares of housekeeping.

While the program to be followed is now in only a tentative stage, practically the entire two-day meet will be used by the various clubs in activities pertaining to club work. However other types of entertainment for the visitors are being arranged.

Each club will be called upon for a report of the year's work and each club will be responsible for part of the entertainment. Miss Taylor said Wednesday: "All manner of stunts and games will be sponsored. Mrs. Frank Spencer, of the Midway club, Haskell county, will be in charge of the singing, which has always held an interest for the farm women at the meetings. A welcome to Haskell is expected to be given the visitors next Thursday by Mayor A. F. Thurman and officials of the Haskell Lions Club and Haskell Fair Association.

Dry Forces of County Convene

Plans for the waging of an anti-liquor battle in Haskell county were laid Monday night when prohibition forces convened in a special meeting.

Officers for the county organization were elected as follows: Chairman, C. B. Breedlove, Haskell; C. O. Davis, Rule; W. O. Sargent, Weinert; H. G. Hammer, Howard community; Mr. Bunkley, McConnell; Mrs. J. U. Fields, Haskell, was selected as chairman of the women's division and Mrs. T. R. Odell as vice chairman. Woodrow Adcock will serve as head of the young people's work and Ira Hester, Haskell, is secretary and treasurer. Voters of Texas will vote on the repeal of the prohibition amendment August 24, and all counties of the state are being organized to combat the repeal.

Rites Held For Aged County Man

Ferdinand Carl Teichelman, 79, pioneer Haskell county farmer, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alfred Rinn, eight miles north of Stamford at 1 p. m. Saturday. He had been in failing health for about two months.

Funeral rites were held Sunday at the St. Paul's Lutheran church in Sagerton with Rev. A. H. Muehlrad, the pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Capron cemetery near Sagerton under direction of Kinney funeral home of Stamford. Teichelman, who was married to Magdalene Brulo in Giddings on June 29, 1880, celebrated a golden wedding anniversary there five years ago. His death occurred on his wife's 78th birthday. He was born in Medwitz, Brandenburg, Germany, on May 9, 1856. He came to the United States at the age of 20 and settled in Giddings. After his marriage, he moved to Williamson county and then to Haskell county in 1906. Survivors are his wife, seven daughters, Mrs. Rinn, Mrs. T. A. Schneider of Holland, Mrs. Oscar Rosenkrantz of Holland, Mrs. C. O. Mikant of Coppas Cove, Mrs. Albert Schmidt of Sagerton, Mrs. Elmer Rinn of Apache, Okla., and Mrs. Rudolph Ramm of Sagerton; and one son, C. F. Teichelman of Stamford. Thirty-two grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren also survive.

Returns From Hospital

Mrs. R. H. Darnell was returned from the Stamford Hospital Monday afternoon in the Jones, Cox & Co. ambulance. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. James Abernathy of Higgins, Texas, were guests in the Pappan home last week end.

The WOMAN'S Page

Wedding Saturday Unites Two Pioneer Families.

In a quiet home wedding which was performed Saturday night July 6, at 8 o'clock Miss Katherine Rike, daughter of Mrs. S. R. Rike became the bride of Mr. H. S. Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Post, at the home of the bride's brother, John S. Rike. Only close relatives and friends were present. The wedding united two pioneer families of Haskell.

Rev. Orion W. Carter, pastor of the Methodist Church, read the impressive ring ceremony before an improvised altar banked with clematis, surrounded with baskets of gladioluses, flanked by candelabras in which tapers burned.

As Miss Edwina Gilbert played softly the wedding music the bride entered escorted by her brother, Marvin Post served his brother as best man. Although unattended, the bride was assisted by her niece, Little Ann Katherine Rike, who held her bouquet during the ceremony.

The bride wore a simple afternoon frock of pink crepe with a corsage of gladioluses. Her traveling suit was navy blue triple sheer with harmonizing accessories.

Soon after the ceremony a tiered wedding cake and punch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Post left immediately for Austin where he will give a six weeks' lecture at State University. They will return to Haskell for a short visit before going to Madison, Wisconsin, where he is professor of Medieval History at the University of Wisconsin.

48 Club Enjoys Picnic.

The 48 Club hiked to the home of Pauline and Irene Jenkins Monday for an all day picnic.

We met at Joyce Nell's at 9 o'clock all dressed in slacks and pajamas and very impatient to get going. When we arrived we all made a dive for the swimming pool as we were very hot and tired after hopping ditches and clods until our feet ached. After an hour of swimming we decided we were all ready to eat, so we hunted a shady place and spread lunch. My! how the sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cakes and fruit did disappear and oh, yes! Mrs. Jenkins furnished us all the ice cold punch we could drink. Now maybe you think we didn't enjoy that part of the lunch hour.

Well, we were lazy for an hour or more, then decided it was time for another swim. The sun was awfully hot and raised a few blisters on our faces and backs but we knew they would get well in time and we might not get another chance to swim soon, so we stayed in until time to go home, and Oh! boy! how glad we were to see Mrs. Hambleton and Miss Velma came driving in their car. All that could climb in the car and the others hung on the sides but what did we care how we rode just to keep from walking.

We sure did thank Pauline, Irene, and Mrs. Jenkins for a very enjoyable outing.

Those present were Joyce Nell Hambleton, Betty Starr, Sue Quastelbaum, Maxine Perdue, Billie Murphy, Bobbie Cass, Anita Coburn, Natalie Brooks, Bettie Ruth Blake, Pauline and Irene Jenkins.

Wiggins-Partain.

Mrs. Leona Wiggins and Mr. J. F. Partain, both of Stamford, were quietly married Sunday, July 7, at 9:40 a. m., at the home of Dr. Josephine Morrison of Haskell, niece of the bride.

Rev. H. B. Whitley, minister of the local Baptist church, read the ceremony.

The only witnesses of the affair were Mrs. Oma Smith and Mrs. Harris, both of Stamford, Mrs. Sarah J. Owen, sister-in-law of the bride, and Dr. Morrison.

Mrs. Partain has for some time been proprietor of the Wiggins Hotel and has many friends in and around Stamford.

Mr. Partain, who formerly resided in Haskell, is well and favorably known in this section.

The couple after a brief honeymoon trip, will be at home to their friends at the Wiggins Hotel, Stamford.

Patrick-Boring.

Mr. Charlie Patrick and Miss Delia Delores Boring were married Sunday afternoon July 7 in the home of the bride's parents in the Cottonwood community with a number of relatives and friends present. Rev. J. L. Scheets of Rose performed the ceremony.

H. D. Council Meeting.

Delegates to attend A. & M. Short Course from Haskell county will have training school in Haskell Saturday the 13th. Mrs. Taylor, H. D. Agent told council members at a meeting held in the district court room Saturday.

A large number is expected to attend the Short Course from the county and a number of interesting courses in mat making, mattress making, potting flower plants, glove making, and others will be given.

Mrs. Jesse Smith and Mrs. Jack Speck will be hostess at Key Cottage from the county.

Several H. D. members are planning on improving yards for Centennial year and the Farm and Home Beautification enrollment cards may be secured from the H. D. office. These entering contest must live on designated highways, Miss Taylor said.

Plans for the Encampment have been completed and it is expected a large number of H. D. members from Knox and Stonehall counties will attend.

Songs to be used at the Encampment are: "Hail, Hail, The Gang's All Here," "The More We Get Together," "Beautiful Texas," "Home On the Range," "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," "Garry Me Back to Old Virginia," "Carolina Moon," "Silver Haired Daddy of Mine," "When It's Springtime in the Rockies," "The Old Spinning Wheel," "Dixie," "O, Suzanna."

Contract Bridge Club.

Mrs. Roy A. Sanders was hostess to members of the Contract Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. Spring flowers were used very attractively throughout the entertaining rooms where three tables were arranged for games. At the end of the games Mrs. Bert Welch was given the prize for highest score. Mrs. Sanders served a delightful refreshment plate to Mesdames Bert Welch, Earnest Yeatts, W. G. Forgy, W. H. Atkinson, Ralph Duncan, Clay Smith, Raymond Leggett, French Robertson, Virgil Reynolds, Foster Davis and Misses Kathleen Mullino and Mary Couch.

Family Reunion.

An old-fashioned reunion was enjoyed this past week by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woodson and their six children, three girls and three boys. There are four grandchildren in this family, two girls and two boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodson greeted the following children and their families upon their arrival July 2: Miller Woodson, wife and son, James, from Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Burt Trice and their two daughters, Peggy Jeane and Mary Kathryn from Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Squires from Tucson, Arizona.

In the evening they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Parks Woodson and Mr. and Mrs. William Woodson and little son, Sidney Bill, and Ruth Woodson.

All enjoyed the evening eating ice cream and reliving childhood days.

Mr. Woodson became young again on the following day and joined his boys on a fishing trip on the river. About fifty pounds of fish was caught on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Squires were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Parks Woodson and their sister, Ruth, via Carlsbad Cavern and other points of interest.

Bill Wilson of Fort Worth enjoyed the celebration with his friend James Woodson.

Mr. Woodson is enjoying good health again this year and is elated over crop prospects. He can be heard whistling in the field by his neighbors like he did thirty years ago. Although he is now seventy-nine years of age and underwent a serious operation less than one year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodson, like all grandparents, enjoyed having their grandchildren with them very much. All children enjoy going to "Grandmother's" on the farm, where there is plenty of chicken and ice cream.

Mrs. Guy Collins and children arrived Saturday night from a visit with relatives before coming here from Decatur to make their home. Mr. Collins is the new manager at Perkins-Timberlake dry goods store and came here a few weeks ago to take up his new duties.

Miss Mary Sue Murchison of Bastrop returned home this week after visiting several weeks here with her brother, Walter Murchison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sprowls and baby Francis, of Happy, accompanied by Miss Alma Sprowls were here over the week end visiting with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Foote and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Roberts of Chillicothe spent the week end here with relatives. They were accompanied home Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth for a few days visit.

Trench Mouth Healed.

Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Let's Pynchea Remedy heal worst cases if used as directed. It is sold on a money back guarantee. Oates Drug Store.

RECIPES AND MENUS

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

DENTON, Texas.—As the thermometer begins to warn us that summer weather is approaching, the appetite needs to be coaxed. Dressing the old favorites up in new ways is usually much easier for the busy housewife than to hunt up new recipes. Iced drinks and frozen desserts add a refreshing touch to the meal. Now that electric ice boxes are so plentiful, the extras are not so hard to prepare. A sprig of mint frozen in the ice cubes gives a piquancy when served with the iced tea, and there is usually an abundance of fruit juices left from canned fruits which may be served as punch. These are welcome additions to any menu and may be served with the dessert.

Menus

Breakfast: Date muffins, butter, ham omelet, cocoa.

Lunch: Cottage cheese and nut salad, whole wheat toast, gingerbread, coffee.

Dinner: Hamburg Balls wrapped in bacon, creamed onions, rolls, spinach, mousse, wafers, iced tea.

Breakfast: Stewed rhubarb, biscuit, bacon hot beverage.

Lunch: Scalloped cauliflower with eggs, chilled peach salad, mayonnaise, bran bread sandwiches, buttermilk.

Dinner: Roast leg of lamb, mashed potatoes, gravy, beet salad with mayonnaise, hot rolls, lacto, cookies.

Recipes

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The following may be used as an example:

Plain Mousse: (1 quart) 1 cup double cream, 1 tablespoon gelatin, 2 egg whites, 1-16 teaspoon salt, 1 cup rich milk, 6 tablespoons sugar or (1/4 lb. peppermint stick candy), 1/2 teaspoon vanilla (omit if peppermint is used).

Soak the gelatin until soft in a little of the milk or thin cream. Heat the remainder and pour over the gelatin. Add the sugar and stir until dissolved and put the mixture aside to chill. Whip the double cream. When the mixture containing the gelatin has thickened slightly, beat it to incorporate air. Add the vanilla and fold in the whipped cream and the well-beaten egg whites. The egg whites reduce richness, increase volume, and improve texture. These proportions will make over 4 cups before freezing; or if the egg whites are not used, about 3 cups.

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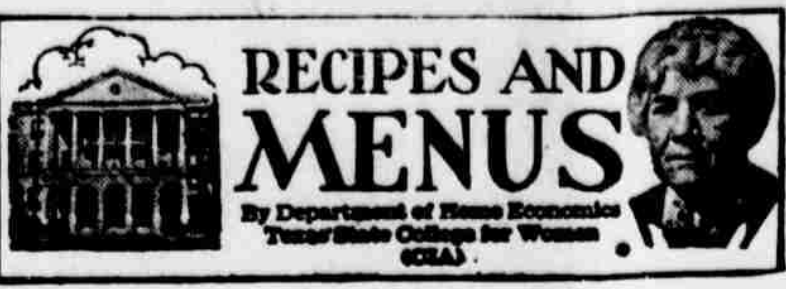
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Menus

Breakfast: Date muffins, butter, ham omelet, cocoa.

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Fried Chicken

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Chicken Terrapin

1 chicken.
Salt and red pepper.
2 blades mace.
3 hard boiled eggs.
1 cup chicken broth.
1 cup cream.
1/4 pound butter.
1 heaping tablespoon flour.
2 tablespoons currant jelly.

Boil the chicken and giblets; when tender, cool thoroughly; cut into small pieces half an inch square. Put into a saucepan with the seasonings, chopped eggs and other ingredients, rubbing the flour in the butter first. Simmer for about 10 minutes; add the jelly and serve.

Chicken Pie

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1 tablespoon of flour.
Yolk of hard boiled egg.
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1/4 pound salt pork.
Pie crust.

Prepare the chicken as for fricassee; put the giblets in cold water and stew until nearly done. Add the chicken seasoned with pepper and salt and simmer for 20 minutes. Remove with a skimmer and make a gravy of the broth by adding the flour, egg yolk and parsley. Line the sides of a deep baking pan with pie crust; place an inverted cup in

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Munday Smacks Braves Sunday

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The first-half champions grabbed the lead in the third inning when they marked up one run, but they promptly lost the advantage in the eighth when Munday crossed the plate with three clean hits, a hit plate twice on an outfield fly.

Robertson pitched steadily, swinging his curve ball at the Haskell batsmen, who, on account of the hot sun, seemed to be unable to exert the necessary pressure to gauge where the ball was headed.

About the only thrill for the fans of the afternoon occurred in the eighth inning when Buford Cox, in a desperate effort to tie the game, tried to steal home after two men were out. He flashed across the plate with spikes flying, but Umpire Dad Bradley, after making one pitch that the runner was safe, jerked his thumb skyward that Cox was out and the game was over. It was one of those decisions which made Haskell players and fans say the runner was safe—and Munday players and fans declare vehemently the opposite.

Fanny Jones hurled good ball for Haskell until the eighth inning. He seemed headed for a victory, but lethargic action on the part of his teammates with the sticks precluded any thought of a win after Munday had pushed over the two runs.

Munday players made five errors behind Robertson, which brought their total of misplays for the last two league games up to 13.

The box score:

	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Munday	5	0	0	5	1	1
Cox, 2b	4	0	1	0	3	0
A. Myers, ss	4	0	1	0	3	0
Robertson, p	5	0	1	0	1	1
J. Myers, c	5	1	2	5	2	0
McGlothlin, rf	5	1	1	2	0	1
Kuehler, lf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Rayburn, 3b	2	0	1	2	1	2
Mayes, lb	4	0	1	8	0	0
King, m	3	0	2	1	0	0

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Haskell	3	2	11	26	8	5
Adkins, 1b	4	0	1	3	0	0
Norman, 2b	4	0	0	4	2	0
Adkins, lf	4	0	0	4	3	0
B. Cox, rf	4	0	2	6	1	0
Patterson, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Chapman, 3b	2	0	0	2	1	0
E. Cox, c	3	0	0	4	1	0
Jones, p	3	1	0	0	0	0
S. Johnson	1	0	0	0	0	0

James out interference.

Abatted for Chapman in 9th.

Summary: Two-base hits—J. Myers, Robertson, Adkins. Sacrifice—King. Earned runs—Munday 2. Left on bases—Munday 9, Haskell 4. Bases on balls off—Jones 2. Hit batsmen—Rayburn, Chapman. Struck out—by Robertson 3, Jones 4. Umpires—Bradley and Henshaw. Time—1:50.

Rabbits Act
CHICAGO—The Central Conference of American Rabbits refused to approve a resolution "urging all Jews" not to bear arms in time of war. Action will be deferred until fall.

Mayor Since 1892.
DANVILLE, Va.—Mayor Harry Wdooring, 92, has held his executive office since 1892, and is recognized as being the oldest mayor in point of service, in the forty-eight states.

Sweden Among the First Business Men in World.
Sweden is one of the great nations of the world, asserts a writer in the Boston Globe. The Swedes have dwelt there for 5,000 years and were among the world's first business men. They claim to have been in America 500 years before Columbus, and it will be recalled that they settled one of our first 13 States.

They claim to have founded the Russian empire and in discovery were first through the Northeast Passage. They were the first nation to recognize the independence of the United States and there never has been any political misunderstanding between us.

Commercial men remember that the Swedish Copper Mountain Mining company at Falun is the oldest existing industrial organization in the world, as its records go back to the year 1225.

Sweden gave us John Ericsson, Alfred Nobel, Linnaeus, Scheele and many others who were first and greatest in their respective spheres.

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When you buy a Crosley Electric Refrigerator you are assured of the highest possible quality at an extremely attractive price. They are made under the highest standards of manufacturing precision, demanding accuracy to the ten-thousandth of an inch. Their long period of trouble-free service is proved by the many thousands in actual use. They are truly today's greatest refrigerator values!

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FOUTS VARIETY
West Side Square Haskell

Valley League Standing

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Goree	2	2	0	1.000
Hamlin	2	2	0	1.000
Seymour	2	1	1	.500
Munday	2	1	1	.500
Stamford	2	0	2	.000
Haskell	2	0	2	.000

Where They Play Sunday
Haskell at Stamford.
Hamlin at Seymour.
Goree at Munday.

Results Last Sunday
Munday 2, Haskell 1.
Goree 19, Seymour 0.
Hamlin 4, Stamford 3.

BATTING AVERAGES
For All Games of the Wichita Valley League (Practice Games Not Included)

	Ab	H	Pct.
Adkins, 1b	47	18	.382
H. Johnson, inf.	3	1	.333
Norman, 2b	50	16	.320
B. Cox, c	40	11	.275
Bradley, cf	46	12	.260
S. Johnson, ss	35	9	.257
Patterson, lf	48	12	.250
Chapman, 3b	43	9	.209
Jones, p	15	3	.200
Leonard, inf.	5	1	.200
Edwards, rf	34	5	.147
Hambright, p	29	3	.103
Cook, of	11	1	.090
H. Cox, c	5	0	.000

Garden Pays Profit to Girl Club Member

A garden pays a big profit according to Ruby Stodghill, 4-H club garden demonstrator from Rose. Ruby has sold the following from her garden: Onions, \$2.30; English peas, \$3.58; squash, 80c; cucumbers, 50c; snap beans, \$1.20. This makes a total of \$8.38 worth of vegetables from this year's garden, and still has plenty of vegetables to sell; besides canning 272 containers of vegetables since school closed this spring. Ruby has also sold \$1.10 worth of pepper and tomato plants from her hot bed. The only expense for this was ten cents for two packages of seed.

SWEDES AMONG THE FIRST BUSINESS MEN IN WORLD

Sweden is one of the great nations of the world, asserts a writer in the Boston Globe. The Swedes have dwelt there for 5,000 years and were among the world's first business men. They claim to have been in America 500 years before Columbus, and it will be recalled that they settled one of our first 13 States.

They claim to have founded the Russian empire and in discovery were first through the Northeast Passage. They were the first nation to recognize the independence of the United States and there never has been any political misunderstanding between us.

Commercial men remember that the Swedish Copper Mountain Mining company at Falun is the oldest existing industrial organization in the world, as its records go back to the year 1225.

Sweden gave us John Ericsson, Alfred Nobel, Linnaeus, Scheele and many others who were first and greatest in their respective spheres.

Mayor Since 1892.
DANVILLE, Va.—Mayor Harry Wdooring, 92, has held his executive office since 1892, and is recognized as being the oldest mayor in point of service, in the forty-eight states.

History From Bexar Archives

AUSTIN, Texas.—There were two rocks—the Scylla and Charybdes—against which the Spanish ship of State shattered, namely, depression and the savage and unconquerable Indian tribes, it is indicated in the official records of that government for the Department of Texas. These records known as the Bexar Archives, are now in possession of the University of Texas library, and are now being translated for the first time.

Poverty was ever present, the fear of Indians ever in the thoughts of the pioneers who formed the little civil settlement at San Antonio de Bexar. When the settlers sought to undertake improvements in their new habitat, deprivations were always in the offing. Unfenced corn crops and unherded cattle could not exist at the same time in the same place. The valleys were broad, the plains boundless, but the settlers by circumstances beyond their control were denied their use. They were hemmed up within the town and the open spaces in the immediate vicinity of San Antonio by Indian arrow and tomahawk.

The discouraging conditions are stated succinctly and dramatically in a series of documents dated 1737. A new Spanish governor, Don Joseph Antonio Fernando de Jauregui Urutia, has just taken office. He must have been appalled by the discord among the civil and military inhabitants of the settlement. The colonists were complaining that the cattle belonging to the soldiers were eating all their crops; the soldiers in turn complained that the farmers killed their animals, and declared that if they wanted their crops protected they would fence them in.

The governor determined to put a stop to such quarrels. He issued an order that the soldiers and other stock owners should keep their animals out of the fields and under guard, and that if the citizens should enclose their fields, any person breaking down the fences was to be penalized. Furthermore, instead of killing any animal found in the fields, the finder was to bring it to the corral and any damage incurred was to be settled for immediately. He urged mutual forbearance, in order to achieve the unity necessary to repel Indian depredations.

Instead of being satisfied and obeying orders, the farmers filed a piteous appeal with the governor, claiming that his ultimatum was bringing disaster upon their heads and seeking immediate redress.

"The members of the municipal council and other citizens of the Villa of San Fernando, who, by order of His Majesty, came to settle this province, appear before me in the best form known to us and declare that:

"In as much as, on the 29th day of the month of September, last, 1737, an order was published by the secretary of this said cabildo in the royal presidio of our Excellency, Bexar by order of your Excellency, requiring us to fence our fields, to keep our cattle herded and not to spear stock that are continually causing damage to our crops; and whereas, up to the present time, we have not been able to stop this nuisance, to carry the said animals to their owners, to keep them shut up for three or four days in the corrals or to go in person almost every evening to give them notice thereof, no remedy has been found.

"Therefore, since, as we have pointed out, your purpose is to avoid grave damages such as we have been suffering we can not fail to bring to your Excellency's attention to the fact that it is impossible for us to fence our fields now because the time for gathering the corn is near and there is a great deal of fence to be built. Your Excellency must remember that the soldiers of this presidio keep their stock in our territory without any herdsman at all, for one would cost them 380 pesos, the price fixed by the King, our Lord. We must live on the scant crops our fields produce. If we still permit them to keep their stock in our territory as we have been doing, then it seems that every thing will fall on us. If we have to fence our land, the burden will be greater than we can bear in our poverty. If the soldiers had no stock, then we would be excused from building the fences. As to the orders you issued forbidding us to spear the stock, it is an impossible thing to get them out of the corn without using a goad. That is why we have to keep our spears when in the fields. It has happened that when we have succeeded in getting one out even when armed with a spear we have killed our horses. It is almost impossible to get them out of the corn. We therefore beg that you will be good enough to order the soldiers not to let their stock come to our land because of the damage to our fields they cause. We are really in danger of losing our lands, our irrigation ditches as well as our levees. During the six years we have worked on our farm lands, we have not been able to keep the stock out, for, in spite of the fact that they claim there is nothing for their horses to eat in this vicinity but that they can get something in the fields, we wish to say with all due respect that the statements that there is nothing to eat but the corn is false. We are therefore impelled to beg you to issue orders forbidding any person save the owners, under any pretext whatsoever, to enter our cornfields either by day or by night, for they rob us, and we assure you that we will try to find means to defend our personal work. We have to live, and when they lay it on the Indians we are so outraged that we almost forget ourselves.

"We likewise beg of you to be good enough to order all the owners of stock to guarantee that they will pay us for the corn their stock has

aten, for up to this time they have eaten more than 400 bushels of corn. This deprives us of food and makes it impossible for us to pay the tithes we owe to the church. We therefore can not be excused of begging you to be good enough to order the soldiers of this presidio not to ride the horses we have in the herd, for we assure your Excellency that they do so so often that when we send for one it is useless when we get it, even though it has been left in the herd four or five months. Even now when they bring our horses to us, they are riding them. Therefore we beg that you will do as we have petitioned you to do. If you do not we will be forced to abandon our corn and even the settlement because we will not be able to live and will perish in this remote region. We beg you to furnish us with a copy of this, our petition for such use as we may need to make of it. Please disregard the charge made against us that we have killed the stock belonging to the soldiers of the presidio, for we assure your Excellency that when these soldiers say that we have killed any stock, they fail to state the truth, because they cannot prove that during the six years, now almost seven years we have been in the place, we have killed one single head.

"We, therefore, beg and plead with you to be good enough to grant our petition. In so doing you will render justice and kindness. We do take oath that this our petition is in due legal form and is a necessary action. Again, we beg you to accept this our petition on ordinary paper since there is no stamped paper in this province."

Certain discrepancies in the situation as presented by the farmers and as interpreted by the soldiers caused the governor to take steps to ascertain the real truth of the situation. Pining the colonists down to cold facts, he ascertained that they, contrary to their original story, had killed some of the animals—that the greater portion of the 400 bushels of corn eaten by the stock had been destroyed during the regime of his predecessor, in fact, that only some fifteen or twenty bushels had been destroyed after his pronouncement had gone into effect; and, finally that the farmers had not made written protest to the governor for aid prior to the issuing of his initial order. Increased at their inaccuracies and grieved at their unpatriotic threats to desert the colony should they not obtain relief, he issued a final order reminding them to be less hasty in the future. "I the Governor and Captain General have decided that in view of the fact that the illustrious cabildo of the Villa de San Fernando show the inadequate foundation they had for their complaint and that I have issued orders calculated to remedy the trouble, it is necessary for me to remind them that, in the future, they must proceed with the care and caution demanded by jus-

and are not to threaten to leave their homes, crops, and this city. This is just, and in order that they may be convinced that I have proceeded with justice and to furnish them with a safeguard against repetition of their mistakes, I hereby furnish them with the copy of the records in the case."

Thus, though the land stretched hundreds of miles around them, the early Texans found that land and grazing rights for their cattle was to be one of the major grounds for civil dissension.

Beans Bring Club Demonstrator \$7.20
"In my garden I have seven short rows of pinto and refugee beans on which I have made a clear profit of \$7.20 besides having beans for table use and canning," states Mrs. R. P. Barnard, farm food supply demonstrator of the O'Brien Home Demonstration Club. These bean vines are full of blooms and young beans. The seed for these beans were saved from last year's crop. They were planted Feb. 18 and were damaged so badly by the sandstorms that Mrs. Barnard thought of digging them up and replanting.

Clothes Closet Is Built for \$1.05
A clothes closet costing \$1.05 was built by Mrs. Henry Mapes of the Rose Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Mapes used lumber about the place for the frame, built the walls of corrugated boxes from the grocery store. She bought a piece of beaver board and made the door from it. Hinges and a latch were bought.

ROCKEFELLER 96 YEARS OLD; FEELING FINE
LAKEWOOD, N. J. July 7.—John D. Rockefeller, who was 96 Monday, hasn't felt better in many years, his son John D. Rockefeller, Jr. said Sunday at the close of a union service at the First Presbyterian church. The frail little man who possesses one of the world's great fortunes did not attend the service because of the heat and humidity.

The nonagenarian's son arrived Sunday at Golf House, the Rockefeller estate, and attended the service with Miss Katherine Hinsdale, librarian of the Lakewood Public Library, who later was a luncheon guest at the Rockefeller home, and Mrs. Hattie Evans, housekeeper at Golf House.

In Jail—Flag Safe
MONTICELLO, N. Y. — Victor Yaroshchuk, 41, Russian laborer, is serving ten days sentence in jail because he used an American flag for a handkerchief.

HAIL RATES ON COTTON REDUCED 40 PER CENT

Starting July 15th, hail insurance rates on cotton will be reduced 40%. You can now insure your cotton crop at a rate of \$6.00 per hundred. For information, see

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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

W. N. Sadler motored over from Seymour Sunday delivering to Mayor T. C. Cahill one of the latest types of Hupmobile cars.

J. W. McNeely who is farming on the Weaver place south of town now owned by C. D. Grisson was in town Monday. His cotton is knee high and white with blooms. He has lots of feed and has harvested his oats but has not threshed them yet.

On last Sunday night California Creek south of Stamford went on a rampage and several lengths of rails and ties and dump was washed out on the Wichita Valley line. The train due at 9 was announced indefinitely late.

30 YEARS AGO TODAY

The conversion of the Farmers Exchange Bank which was established some months since by R. C. Montgomery as a private bank into a national bank with increased capital, gives Haskell and the tributary country additional banking facilities. Haskell county farmers will be in shape to "live at home" and board at the same place for the next year. With enough feed of all kinds made to run the country for two years and ten cent cotton a pretty sure thing Haskell county farmers are in it in box car letters.

County Judge Oates has re-appointed Dr. E. E. Gilbert as county health officer.

40 YEARS AGO TODAY

We recently heard a fellow say that he sold more meat hogs in Haskell than any other place in his district. Moral: Plant more hogs and keep your money at home.

Marshall Pierson is at home from Baylor university at Waco which he attended the past term.

Judge Sanders rain gauge and thermometer gives the following record for June: Rain, 9.70 inches. Lowest temperature, 60; highest temperature, 99. The rain was well distributed during the month.

Clothing Achievement Day at Midway Home Demonstration Club

Twenty-four dresses with a foundation pattern for each dress, one pair of pajamas, one combination suit, a number of slips, and several quilts were exhibited by the co-operators of the Midway Home Demonstration Club on Clothing Achievement Day which was held at the home of Mrs. Jesse B. Smith on June 28.

Three new members were added to the club roll, namely: Mesdames M. M. Cobb, Vernon Lusk, and M. E. Welch.

After Mrs. Jesse B. Smith had given a report of her work as second year Wardrobe Demonstrator, a social hour was enjoyed, and refreshments of punch and angel food cake was served to the following: Mesdames C. O. Scott, C. V. Oates, H. E. Abbott, R. L. Dickey, Austin Coburn, Roy Brock, S. B. Lain, Chess Humphrey, Paul Frierson, C. G. Burson, C. C. Childress, Sam Scott, L. N. Lusk, Floyd Lusk, V. O. Lusk, J. S. Hayes, O. A. Adkins, Doc Lott, Virgil Bailey, Jim Reeves, Frank Spencer, M. E. Welch and M. M. Cobb, Misses Sibyl Scott, Willie Belle and Blanche Frierson, Cleo Burson, and visitors, Mrs. Virgil Weaver, Mrs. M. O. Fields, and Miss Willie John Field of the Half Moon Club, and Miss Modell Manly of Rochester.

Reporter.

Success

First Hunter—Hey, Bill. Second Hunter—Yeah. First Hunter—You all right? Second Hunter—Yeah. First Hunter—Then I've shot a bear.—West Point Pointer.

A Stroke of Genius

"How did you make your neighbor keep his hens in his own yard?" "One night I hid a half dozen eggs under a bush in my garden, and next day I let him see me gather them. I wasn't bothered after that."—Grit.

Don't Worry About Me

Bergar—Have you got enough money for a cup of coffee? Student—Oh, I'll manage somehow, thank you.—Punch Bowl.

Old Buildings Now Being Razed For Centennial

DALLAS, Texas.—With demolition of scores of old structures already well underway in Fair Park, plans moved forward rapidly today toward actual start of construction of the Texas Centennial Exposition, to open here next June 6, in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of Texas independence.

Backed by the Federal government, the state, the city and thousands of citizens throughout the country who have subscribed to a Centennial bond issue, the \$20,000,000 World's Fair will portray the glamorous romance of Texas history and the growth of the rich Southwestern empire.

The Exposition, which is expected to attract 15,000,000 visitors to Dallas, will be the climax of a statewide celebration of Centennial year, following historic pageants and events in San Antonio, Houston, Galveston, Nacogdoches, San Jacinto and other historic shrines of the nation's largest state.

Scores of workmen already are busy in Fair Park, where the State Fair of Texas has annually attracted upwards of 1,000,000 visitors in its sixteen days of operation. Old structures, which have housed State Fair exhibits are being razed to make way for the great exhibit buildings to be built for the 1936 World's Fair. Architectural plans are nearing completion and construction work on the new buildings is expected to start soon.

The state of Texas will spend \$1,200,000 on a great Hall of State. A Petroleum and Gas building will feature the largest exhibition of oil well machinery and equipment ever presented in the United States; the Electrical and Communications Building will graphically depict the modern marvels of science.

The city of Dallas will erect a \$500,000 palace to contain the art works of the old masters. The Negro Building will portray the progress in the arts, industries and sciences of the race. It will be the first Negro Building ever featured in an international exposition. Agriculture, Live Stock, Cotton, Pan American Mexico, the Medical Arts, Better Homes, Pure Foods and Transportation will have buildings of their own. Already constructed are the \$500,000 auditorium building, with its great pipe organ and the \$375,000 sports stadium, which will seat 45,000 people.

And Then She Said

Mrs. (sternly to husband arriving at 3)—What does the clock say? Mr. (genially)—It says "tick-tock," and the lil' doggies sh—"bow-wow," and the lil' pschy-cat sh—"meow-meow."—Bystander (London).

Bank Cashier—This check isn't filled in, madam. It is signed by your husband's name, but the amount isn't given. How much money do you want? Madam—Just let me have all there is.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of Mary M. Mitchell, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Mary M. Mitchell, deceased, late of Haskell County, Texas, by Chas. M. Conner, Judge of the County Court of said county on the 1st day of July A. D. 1935, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Haskell County, Texas, said residence northwest of Rule, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 6th day of July A. D. 1935.

T. M. MITCHELL, Administrator of the Estate of Mary M. Mitchell, Deceased.

Prelim Work On Industrial Survey Gets Underway

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

The children have been learning to know God during the Vacation School which has been in progress for the past two weeks. The approach has been through Nature. Many studies have been made.

Sunday morning at the Worship hour, 11 a. m., these children will have the program. It will consist of a large number of exhibits, child's worship experiences and many of their experiences during the two weeks.

About eighty children have attended this school and certainly have the right to expect a large attendance of men and women to see them put on the program Sunday morning.

The Methodists will worship with the Presbyterians in their revival Sunday night.

Orion W. Carter.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School, Sunday morning at 9:45.

Preaching at 11 o'clock and at 8:15.

The morning sermon will be, "The Great Need of the Church."

The evening sermon, "The World's Wonderful Book."

There is a splendid interest in the Friday night Bible Study. YOU are invited to attend.

There is a new class being organized in the Bible School for the young people. Mrs. Gillmore will be the teacher. There is an invitation to every young lady or man to become a member of this class.

Our revival meeting will begin the last of this month. It will be a strictly home force meeting. We solicit the prayers and co-operation of the Christian people of the community.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

More young people belong to the Christian Endeavor than any other

young people's society. Here we learn to speak before the public and are trained to be leaders. Don't miss a meeting. You need us—and we need you. Special Music. Songs: People of India—Mrs. Gillmore. Leader—Eva Jo Ratliff. Prayer—Marjorie Ratliff. Leader's Talk—Eva Jo Ratliff. Biography of Miss Sutton—Eula Fay Glass. Miss Sutton's Marriage and Work—Wynona Frances Post. Mr. and Mrs. Smith—Helen Mabel Baldwin. Talk on India—Rosellen Morrison. Benediction.

CARD OF THANKS

May we, by this method, thank our many friends and neighbors for all their deeds of kindness and words of sympathy and comfort during the sudden death of our darling wife, mother and sister. Although it is so hard to bear, you have made it easier for us through your loyal

friendship. We will always love and remember you as very dear friends. When sorrow comes to you may you find just such comforting friends in our prayer.—R. J. Maxwell and family; Coll Caddell and family; Scott Caddell and family; Luther Caddell and family; Myrtle Climmoms and family; Mrs. Tennie Patton and family.

Earl Kennedy and Miss Ola Belle Kennedy spent the day Tuesday in Wichita Falls in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson. Mrs. Watson accompanied them home for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kennedy.

Cheap

The pompous judge glared sternly over his spectacles at the tattered prisoner who had been dragged before the bar of justice on a charge of vagrancy. "Have you ever earned a dollar in your life?" he asked in scorn. "Yes, your honor" was the response. "I voted for you at the last election."—Grit.

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BLACK-DRAUGHT

Over Half-Million Bushels of Pacific Wheat Is In Texas

RELIEF FLOUR—

AUSTIN, Texas—Approximately half a million bushels of wheat from the Pacific Northwest will be converted into flour by Texas millers, according to an agreement between the millers and C. Z. Crain, head of the commodities distribution department of the Texas Relief Commission, acting as agent for the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation.

Some 20 milling houses in Texas will grind the wheat on a toll basis, receiving all the offal, irrespective of present or future prices, as payment for the work. Milled flour will be delivered to the Texas Relief Commission in 12-pound paper bags and 24-pound cotton sacks for distribution to relief families in the state.

Crain said some wheat already had been bought and that first shipments were expected to be received in Texas soon.

Emily Post Please Write

Q—On which sides of the church should the parents of the bride and bridegroom be seated?

A—On the opposite sides and as far apart as possible. A church is no place to start anything.

Q—Is it permissible to interrupt a conversation?

A—Permissible? Yes, but if the conversationalists are women try and do it.

Q—How long should one remain at a wedding reception?

A—You may duck out at any time, tho it is customary to stick around as long as there is anything to eat or drink.—Ed Scanlan in the Buffalo Evening News.

Want-Ads

FOR SALE—One two row John Deer cultivator; one two row P & O Planter Lewis Sherman. 1tc

FOR SALE or Trade—Large size Herrick refrigerator. Isham at Hardin Lumber Yard. 2tc

PEACHES for sale at my place 4 miles southeast of Funston. 75c a bushel. W. E. Shields, Avoca, Tex.

FOR SALE—House and lot on Ballow street. Good well. Priced right for quick sale. See M System. 1tc

LOST—Pair horn-rimmed glasses Saturday afternoon. Finder please return to Roy Ratliff, District Clerk, and receive reward. 1tc

WE HAVE stored near Haskell baby grand piano, small upright and a good practice piano, will sell for amount against them. For information write at once to G. H. Jackson, 1101 Elm St. Dallas. 3tc

FOR SALE—1930 Model A Ford Coupe. Will trade for cattle. W. T. Sarles. 1tc

MAN WANTED for Raleigh Route of 800 families. Write today. Raleigh, Dept. TXG-340-SA, Memphis, Tenn. 4tc

FOR SALE—Invalid's wheel chair; cane seat, adjustable back. Practically new. Price \$15. J. C. McKenney. 1tp

LOST—One red steer yearling. Weight about 350 pounds. Notify W System.

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Shortage of Meat Not to Lift In 1935

CHICAGO—After a series of deficient rainfall over much of the Corn Belt, especially that part west of the Mississippi, the subsoil is again drenched. Not for five years has the ground been so fit to support lush plant growth. The pessimists, who last year were predicting the onset of a permanent desert in Western Nebraska and the Dakotas, have been silenced.

The hint of long-time weather bureau records and of ancient tree rings that there are long cycles of wet and dry over the prairies and plains seems to be confirmed by the upward turn in the charts of precipitation.

Naturally, this has brought new life and hope to hundreds of communities that were on the edge of ruin a year ago. But recovery cannot be effected by one good crop year. The wealth of the West is largely in animals. Both drought and AAA restrictions took a terrible toll of farm animal life last year. Consumers in the great cities have felt that in rising meat prices which have provoked consumer resistance in the form of buyers' strikes on both coasts.

In Chicago the heavy losses of the animal population make employment difficult to maintain in the packing plant and the stock yards. Pigs born between Jan. 1 and June 1 this year will come to market between Oct. 1, 1935, and April 1, 1936. Preliminary estimates show that there will be from 15 to 20 per cent fewer hogs marketed in that coming season than were marketed in 1934. Another factor in restricting meat supplies is that hogs now coming to market are averaging near ten pounds less in weight than those which were marketed in 1934.

This shortage of weight is accounted for by last year's drought and by higher prices of feed grains. It is expected that 31,000,000 hogs will come to market in the hog marketing year of 1935, a 20 per cent decrease under the 41,000,000 marketed in 1934. Part of this is due to the desire on the part of many hog raisers for additional breeding stock.

From the Far West comes assurance that cattle, sheep and lambs should have plenty of forage this year. But cattle now coming to market are considerably under what was regarded as normal weight a year or so ago.

Cattlemen are also holding back stock in order to expand their operations. Reports from the Department of Agriculture indicate that there are about 35 per cent fewer head of livestock in the hands of feeders than there were a year ago.

Last year, because of the heavy slaughter of animals saved from the drought-stricken regions, meat consumption in the United States reached the per capita figure of 152.6 pounds, the highest known since comprehensive records of slaughter were kept, except in 1907, when the per capita consumption was 155.1 pounds. It probably will be a long time before any such per capita consumption is again recorded. The total eaten last year was about 19,000,000,000 pounds, of which 45 per cent was pork, 44 per cent beef, 4 per cent lamb and mutton and 7 per cent veal.

The effect of a diminished animal population on employment is indicated to some extent by the census reports on the number of wage-earners employed directly by the packing industry, 122,505 in 1929 and 113,011 in 1933. This does not take into account the large number of men engaged in marketing and the transport of animals and meat products. As the meat trade is one of the consumer's goods, employment in it is normally quite steady, but when the number of animals falls off the number of jobs drops.

Obviously

Discovering yet another mistake in his letters, the enraged employer summoned his new typist.

"You came here with good testimonials, Miss Brown," he barked, "and do you mean to tell me you don't know the King's English?"

"Of course I know it," she replied indignantly. "Otherwise he would not be King, would he?"—Birmingham Express.

Are You Getting Your Share?

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This is harvest time. Are you getting your share of the fruit?

Business is better the country over, and especially in this favored section. Are things better for you?

Does your business show the increase it should? Does it feel the impulse of that harvest like that of the others?



If you feel there is room for improvement, consult the Advertising Department of the Free Press.

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THE JULY SKY

The evening sky in July should attract attention. Several events of unusual interest will take place.

On the night of Monday, July 15th, at about a quarter after ten our readers will be able to see the first total eclipse of the moon since November, 1928. From 11:09 p. m. to 12:50 a. m. the moon will be in total eclipse, finally emerging completely uncovered at 1:45 a. m. By watching the shadow of the earth on the moon during the opening and closing hours one can know that the earth is really a sphere for no other figure would cast the circular shadow.

Four planets can be seen during this month. Venus, drawing closer to the sun, is the brightest star or planet and is low in the West. Mars is above it and further to the East is Jupiter, the second brightest planet. Saturn can be seen in the Southeast about midnight, fainter than the others. On the night of July 12th, about 9:45, the moon eclipses the star Antares. It suddenly vanishes behind the moon, demonstrating that the lunar body has no atmosphere.

THE INDEPENDENT SPIRIT

Some sort of a prize ought to be awarded to Erle P. Halliburton, president of an oil company at Duncan, Okla., for his announcement that his company will not employ anyone who has ever accepted federal relief. Mr. Halliburton believes that no man who would make a good employe would accept a dole; and he adds that "if all industry will adopt a similar policy, I believe it would break up the government's relief problem." It would do that, all right—no question about it. Unfortunately, it might also break up a great many other things—including, quite possibly, some of the prized possessions of employes who are still blind enough to think that a jobless man could go through four years of depression without calling on someone for help.

AT A JOB THAT FITS

One thing seems to be certain, in a world of uncertainties: New York City is about to get some real action in its huge work-relief program, for the simple reason that Gen. Hugh S. Johnson is going to be the administrator. Say what you will about the general—and there is a lot to be said, on both sides—he is at least a man of action. You may not always agree with the action he takes, and you may hardly ever agree with what he says—but he does make the fur fly when he tackles a job. As a policy-maker such as he was in his NRA job, the general was something less than a distinguished success. But as an administrator, pure and simple, entrusted with an executive job like this one in New York, he ought to be a whirlwind. His talents may be somewhat peculiar, but they are genuine talents, and it is good to see that they are going to be exercised in the public service.

UNITED FIGHT ON DOPE

Every state legislature could profitably give heed to President Roosevelt's appeal for a system of uniform state laws to abolish the illegal traffic in narcotic drugs. As the president points out, the federal government alone cannot wholly check this traffic. It must have full co-operation from local law enforcement units. But the great diversity of existing state laws on narcotic drugs makes such co-operation very hard to obtain. No part of the current campaign against crime is more important than the drive against the drug evil. Passage of uniform state legislation along the lines suggested by the federal authorities will help us to attack the crime problem in a most vital zone.

AFTER THE ILL WIND

Maybe this late lamented chain letter craze wasn't entirely a dead loss, after all. Postal authorities at Denver, where the whole business started, checked up on the results the other day, and discovered that the extra mail caused by the fad netted Denver postoffice workers extra pay to the extent of about \$20,000. Furthermore, Uncle Sam himself profited, Denver postoffice receipts for the two months the fad lasted running some \$50,000 above normal. It is both surprising and gratifying to learn that this, one of the silliest fads the American people ever took up, actually did someone some good. In fact, it looks as if everyone profited by it—except the suckers who mailed the dimes and the dollars.

FLIES AND TYPHOID

It may be monotonous but our advice continues to be, "kill the flies." People in Haskell county will find this job less tiresome and less expensive than attending to the first case of typhoid that hits their family. Screened houses and energetic use of a good fly swatter are health insurance policies. Typhoid is a disease that wears down the patient. It is transmitted through filth. It can be avoided in most cases by a rigorous slaughter of flies.

If, and when, we have another inflation, followed by another deflation, the air will be full of the cries of the losers, bitterly asking what the government didn't "do something about it."



We read of a man who has mounted a complete home on an automobile chassis. The motto above the door is probably "Home, Fleet Home."

They didn't call them rackets in the old days, but you can probably recall the fellow who kept raffling the same watch over and over again.

The fellow who marries on a shoestring generally finds himself barefooted in a short time.

No use telling the modern girl her hair looks like a mop; she wouldn't know what you meant.

A fool may know all the questions but only the wise know all the answers.

Under the President's tax program it will be necessary for you to remember Uncle Sam in your will.

It's said the brain works best in the morning. Until one gets to the office.

Wonder if the new social security program will include the climbers who managed to get into high society?

One thing about poverty, it keeps us from having a lot of things we are better off without.

Heard of a young fellow who calls his girl friend "Sugar" because she's so sweet and refined.

No pilot wants to show that his plane is all it's cracked up to be.

After all, the best eye-opener is a good alarm clock.

It sometimes happens that the boy who flunked geography is the one who puts his home town on the map.

A teacher wants a course in laughter introduced in the public schools. We remember how we used to get the same results from a bent pin.

VIEWES and REVIEWS

Mrs. Max Baer, wife of the former heavyweight champion: "I never want Max to be champion again—I hate fighting."

Linley V. Gordon, secretary, World Alliance for International Friendship: "The church must stop supporting wars or go under; she must get out of the war business."

John McDowell, preacher: "The day of blind religion has passed. Men will not sell out their reason to hold their faith."

James Reed, former Democratic Senator: "A tax levied for the purpose of taking money from one class of citizens for the purpose of transferring that money to another class is none the less, robbery because done under the forms of law."

James J. Braddock, Heavyweight Champion, offered \$10,000 for the use of his name in advertising: "That's a laugh. Why, a year ago if we had walked up Broadway with placards on our backs we would've been lucky to get \$3.00."

Richard P. Strong, Professor of Tropical Medicine: "Malaria is a disease that can be eradicated by sanitary measures."

Thomas Mann, German novelist: "The world is becoming communistic without being quite aware of it."

Claude A. Swanson, Secretary of the Navy: "We are hopeful that a treaty will be negotiated which will prevent a race in armaments."

Kanju Kato, Japanese trade unionist: "The imperialistic policy of the United States and the Far Eastern policy of Japan can not be reconciled."

George W. Norris, U. S. Senator from Nebraska: "The action of the House was disastrous. It shows the power trust more influential than the people."

George Huddleston, M. C. from Alabama: "We have shown that we are unwilling to submit to the dictates either of the power companies or of the Chief Executive and his minions."

Accuse Preacher

WOODBURY, N. J. — Clarence Davis, 55-year old colored preacher, is accused of stealing a church, 26 chairs, 7 Bibles, and 8 song books. His arrest followed a row with the congregation which was using a portable building 12x30 feet. The pastor insists that the property is his.

Boss Bolt Hit Bed

WASHINGTON — Mrs. Laura A. Simmons, 41, saw lightning strike her bed, leap over her, play havoc on a dresser top, and disappear. She was uninjured, but the mattress was set on fire.

-CURRENT COMMENT-

THE DOOM OF THE HORN

(Dallas Morning News)

The raucous horn of the automobile, so regularly and noisily sounded by thoughtless drivers of automobiles, is on the way out. It has become an unmitigated nuisance, especially during the hours of darkness when too many, disregarding of the sick or the sleeping, roar through residence streets, tooting vigorously on the loudest and shriekiest horns to be had. Surely, when these drivers die, they should be condemned to a place of torment where iron foundries are busy and the loudest hammers are perpetually at work on steel structures.

An article in the New York Times calls attention to the banning of the horn in the several countries of Europe. In some places horns are forbidden altogether, in others at night only, in many an indiscriminate use is not permitted, especially at the intersections of streets and highways. There is also a rather general requirement that the tone of the horn must be uniform throughout the city and be an agreeable sound.

Queerly enough, the common experience in Europe is that accidents are reduced in number, since drivers of necessity must exercise greater care. In this country too many rely on loud blasts, often rather continuous, to prevent collisions. Prohibit the horn and drivers would drive more slowly in city limits and exercise far greater care.

The United States is rather slow in the introduction of such regulations. We are a long-suffering people and endure with patience what would drive the English or French to madness. But, happily, anti-noise groups are organizing and before long a ban on the horn will develop so as to reduce the number of accidents, to make our streets more restful to sleepers and the sick, and to enable civilization to attain a higher stage of culture, where unnecessary noises are prohibited and the continual sounding of raucous horns would be an offense worthy of the firing line for the offender.



If Adam wore no clothes at all And clothing makes the man, I'd like to know who wore the pants. When the human race began.

1935 Model

Wife (reading)—It says here they have found a sheep in the Himalaya Mountains that can run forty miles an hour.

Her Hubby—Well, it would take a lamb like that to follow Mary nowadays.

"Is Joe still mopping floors at the hotel?"

"Sure, he's the same old floor flusher!"

The String Question Maybe

Government Examiner—How did you come to mark this man's paper 101 per cent? Don't you know that nothing can be more perfect than 100 per cent?

New Assistant—Yes, but this man answered one question we didn't ask!—Pathfinder.

Both

Two men who had been bachelor cronies met for the first time in five years.

"Tell me, Tom," said one, "did you marry that girl or do you still darn your own socks and do your cooking?"

"Yes," was Tom's reply.—Chicago News.

"My clothes didn't look so good this morning. The boy left them on the floor."

"Didn't he pick them up for you?"

"He couldn't. I was in them."

Qualified

Father (admiring his recently-born heir)—That fellow will be a great statesman one of these days.

Mother—Oh, Charles, dear, do you really think he will?

Father—Sure of it. Look how easily he wriggles out of everything.—Toronto Globe.

Depends Upon the Viewpoint

A London doctor touring in the provinces had difficulty in obtaining suitable lodgings in a small town.

One landlady, showing him a dingy bedroom, remarked persuasively, "As a whole, this is quite a nice room, isn't it?"

"Yes, madam," he agreed, "but as a bedroom, it's no good."—Montreal Gazette.

of doubt. "So that's where I was."—Arcanum Bulletin.

That's Different

A Negro was telling his minister that he had "got religion."

"Dat's fine, brodah, but is you sure that you is going to lay aside sin?" asked the minister.

"Yessuh, ah's done it already."

"As is you gwine to pay up all your debts?"

"Wait a minute, pahson. You ain't talking religion now—you is talking business."—The Tattler.

Real Suffering

Percy—Are you economizing on the luxuries, old chap?

Algy—No; only on the necessities—gasoline and golf balls.

Visitor—I suppose you've been in the navy so long you're accustomed to sea legs.

Sailor—Lady, I wasn't even looking.

Madam!

Madam! Do you know that its clever to be a clipper? Here's a habit you can readily cultivate, and you'll find many of your best friends following it.

To become a clipper at one clip, so to speak, just see that the shears are handy when you sit down to read your newspaper. As you spot an advertisement of something that interests you, especially some item that you want to examine when you're shopping next time... clip out the notice and take it with you.

The merchants who advertise with us are glad to have you ask for specific merchandise. And sometimes it's helpful to refer to the advertisement when you're right in the store.

At all events, a clipping pinned to your shopping list helps you to remember this particular errand. It simplifies and shortens a shopping trip so much to know what you want and where to get it!

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Wise and Otherwise

Do We?
We pay about \$5,000,000 a year to have laws made that the people evade.—Florida Times-Union.

Suppose So!
When a spy is not beheaded in Germany, we suppose that's news.—Charleston Mail.

We'll Say
The fellow who once thought he was above the law now finds he is surrounded by it.—Atlanta Constitution.

Maybe
If the outcome of Italy's projected war is as suspected, Br'er Selassie will be Haile and farewell.—Dallas Morning News.

No More
In conservative goldfish circles the saying must now be: "No more privacy than the Dionne quintts."—Norfolk Virginian Pilot.

Sure
As a neat and nifty three-letter synonym for trouble any Senator will unhesitatingly recommend N. R. A.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Just So
Jimmy Walker is thinking of returning to New York. Just so they don't return New York to Jimmy.—Wichita Eagle.

Doubtful
"Russians Get More Soap." Maybe they'll get enough to clean up their old debts.—Ohio State Journal.

Observation
The voice of Borah has the loud-er boom, but the bite of Carter Glass sinks deeper.—Cincinnati Times Star.

Explained
Minnesota professor says woman's arms are getting longer. More taking ways required a longer reach.—Buffalo Times.

Possibly
An investigator reports that in Missouri and Arkansas hillbilly crime is decreasing. Probably not decreasing—just transferred to the radio.—Providence News-Tribune.

Will Be Reviewed
Hollywood has bought the Broadway play "Valley Forge." It will need some revision, as it doesn't make clear that Norma Shearer won the Revolution.—Des Moines Register.

Kill 15,000 in 6 Months
CHICAGO—Preliminary estimates indicate that highway accidents took more than fifteen thousand lives during the first six months of 1935, just a few hundred less than during the same period of 1934.

Gone In a Cloud of Dust
Sign on a farm gate in Ohio: "Peddlers beware! We shoot every tenth peddler. The ninth one just left."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Floorwalker—You can have anything in here for a dime.
Recruit—Oke! I'll take the blip behind the counter.

Scotch Joke No. 7,991,743
And there was the Scotchman who bought only one spur. He figured that if one side of the horse went the other was sure to follow.—Annapolis Log.

Teacher in CCC Camp—When we have everything in common and your business is everybody's business, what is it called?
Student—It is usually called a sip.

Shallow Water
FT. WORTH, Texas.—Diving through an inner tube held by a group of girls, Elmer Murray, 22, suffered a crushed vertebra in his neck—the girls were sitting in shallow water.

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COUNTY BRIEFS

Sagerton

Quite a number from here attended the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford last week, enjoying the entertainment very much and especially seeing the Governor of Texas and also Will Rogers. Seeing the "Doughboys" was also a treat.

We are indeed having real summer weather for the start of July. What will it be!

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gibson are the proud parents of a fine girl born July 3rd.

Miss Frances LeFevre has been on the sick list. But is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Price and daughter Shirley Ann are at home now, after a nice pleasant vacation.

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home in the Ericdale community.

Mr. Babe Scott of Stephenville visited with relatives in this community during the Reunion.

Mr. Elbert Miller came in the 4th from Dallas for the Rodeo. Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Bennett who have been visiting in the Bunkley home returned home with him.

Mrs. George Duncan from near Wichita Falls is visiting relatives in this and the Cobb community.

Bill McLennan of Farwell, Texas, came in this week to be at the bedside of his father, who is very ill.

Mr. Elmo W. White and wife and two daughters, Billie Marie and Bobbie of Fort Worth, Texas, were here for the Rodeo and to visit with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gillespie. They returned to their home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cobb and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Cobb and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gillespie and children all attended a family reunion near Albany Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scott of Stamford spent Sunday in the T. N. Gillespie home.

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Center Point

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bristow and son and Mrs. Amos of Abilene visited our Sunday School Sunday. We welcome them, and all visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Gregory and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Darden of Gilliam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McLennan were in Stamford Sunday visiting the former's uncle, Alex McLennan who is seriously ill in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Bristow and family of Rule visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morgan and family last week end.

Mrs. M. M. Miller spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bland of Sayles.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnston of Haskell, Mr. Robert Lemond and Mrs. Mittie Gully of Loving, and Mrs. Dora Bond of Plainview, and Mr. J. T. Johnston visited T. M. Patterson and family last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Harper spent Sunday with their daughter in Littlefield.

Mrs. Jack Seymore, who has been visiting her parents at Lutbock has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Wilson and baby spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Lewis.

Mr. J. T. Johnston of Electra spent Saturday night with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Patterson.

Roberts

The people are really busy trying to get the grass out of their crops.

Mrs. Elmer Wheatley and Mr. J. A. Mapes made a trip to Anson Sunday.

Mrs. Elbert Mapes returned home from the sanitarium last Thursday.

Quite a few went to the Rodeo at Stamford last week.

Mr. Elbert Mapes and Mr. Jim Stanford went to the ball game at Haskell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dedmon of Abilene visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Buckley and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Force of Vontress Monday afternoon.

J. R. Roberts of Vontress spent Sunday with Grover Connor.

A few from here attended church at Vontress Sunday night.

Those who attended singing at Cottonwood from Roberts Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Arend, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Buckley, Horace Atchison and Preston Johnson.

Alice Atchison visited Elva Couch of Powell Sunday.

Sunday night is Roberts' singing night.

Rochester

These days we are having of late are fine growing days, especially for cotton and melons. If nothing happens cotton picking will be in progress by August. Pressure cookers are still running in high. We are preparing for the long winter months.

Mrs. A. B. Michael's sister, Mrs. Tom Mansell and son Claud Norris and daughter Irdie Marie of Munday spent last Friday here in her home.

Mrs. Gib Carothers and little daughter Joan and Mrs. A. B. Michael and children visited relatives at Rule Sunday.

"Baby" Cooper and brother Joyce returned home Sunday after a visit with relatives at Slaton and Lutbock, Texas.

Miss Ruby Davis of this city and Mr. Thea Patterson of Leuders drove to the Methodist parsonage Saturday night and were married by Rev. F. T. Johnson. They were accompanied on their happy mission by Mr. Edward Harper and Miss Una Grace Hicks. The happy couple left Sunday for a brief visit in Stamford and other points and will soon be at home in Leuders. The best

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READ	HAMLIN	HASKELL	GOREE	MUNDAY	SEYMOUR	STAMFORD
HAMLIN, at	THE	July 28	Aug. 25	June 30	July 14	Aug. 18
HASKELL, at	Aug. 11	HASKELL FREE PRESS	Aug. 18	Aug. 4	June 30	July 14
GOREE, at	Aug. 4	Sept. 1	FOR	July 14	Aug. 11	June 30
MUNDAY, at	July 21	July 7	July 28	COMPLET	Aug. 18	Aug. 11
SEYMOUR, at	Sept. 1	July 21	July 7	Aug. 25	WICHITA VALLEY LEAGUE	Aug. 4
STAMFORD, at	July 7	Aug. 25	July 21	Sept. 1	July 28	RESULTS

wishes of their friends are extended.

O. L. Finley and family of Hale Center visited relatives here last week.

Miss Irdie Gaunt returned home last week from Alpine where she spent a few weeks with her brother Hugh, and family.

The Methodist folks pounded their pastor, Rev. F. T. Johnson and wife.

Chaparral Accepted By Legislature As Texas State Bird

In keeping with the trend toward preserving and honoring the plant and animal life peculiar to the Southwest is the recent action of the Texas Legislature in making the chaparral, or as it is sometimes called, the road-runner or paisano, the official state bird of Texas.

The following resolution offered in the Legislature is reprinted below because it describes the qualities which were cited as proof of the bird's fitness for the honor.

Whereas, the road-runner, chaparral cock or paisano, is the most picturesque bird known to the Texas landscape, and like the old breed of Texans, is thoroughly individual in habit and characteristic, and is valiant, swift, cheerful, comradely of striking and attractive appearance, the friend of man and the foe of mankind's enemy, and the fact that the roadrunner, or paisano, kills rattlesnakes is a well known fact and is accepted by reputable ornithologists. Thus it is a public friend.

One of the best known story writers of the best known story writers of the Southwest, Alfred Henry Lewis, has immortalized this snake-killing proclivity in his book, entitled "Wolfville." Balladists have variously celebrated him.

Generally he feeds on lizards, insects, snails, and the like. He is accustomed in eating snails to bring the shells to a particular rock to break them; these is said to be but one other bird in the world, an English thrush, with a similar habit. That he may occasionally eat a quail's egg is possible, but if so, he pays in interest and in riddance of insect and reptilian pests for such theft. Furthermore, the fact remains that in regions Southern and Southwest of Texas where both blue quail and bobwhites most abundant, the road-runner is more prevalent than elsewhere.

Easily domesticated and, when so domesticated, living in harmony with chickens, Mexican folk of the border country not infrequently make pets of the bird. The name by which they, as well as most English-speaking residents of the border country know him, "paisano," means "fellow countryman." He is our fellow-countryman, and the Texas Folk Lore Society has already adopted him as their emblem. The Mexican folk say that he is a sign of good luck. There are stories to the effect that men lost in early days were led to trail by following the bird.

One anthropologist has advanced the theory that certain migrating Indians of centuries back were accompanied on their migrations by

the paisano. He bases his theory on the fact that the bird figures on prehistoric pottery.

He is exceedingly regular in his habits, coming for water at the exact time each day. His speed in running has become proverbial, "to run like a road-runner."

Shy, curious, clownish, serious, he undoubtedly adds more interest to almost any country drive in Texas than any other form of wild life. He has character as well as a striking physiognomy, and he without reservation deserves to be designated as the Texas State Bird and to be protected by law from molestation.

Whereas, these traits are typically Texanic and are admired by all men; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that this admirable bird, the paisano, chaparral cock or roadrunner, more celebrated in song and story than any other native in this region, be, and hereby is, designated as the State Bird of Texas.

NOTICE BY COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Notice is hereby given by the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas, sitting as a County Board of Equalization, to all firms, corporations, partnerships or individuals holding properties or interests in Haskell County, Texas, the tax value of which has been raised by said Board for 1935 taxation purposes, to be and appear before said Board at 9 o'clock A. M. on the date specified in personal notices mailed to each of said forms, cor-

porations, partnerships or individuals, the same being on either the 29th or 30th day of July, 1935, at the Courthouse in the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, on which dates said Board will then consider any evidence submitted as to the value of said property for taxation purposes. The Board on said dates, will from the evidence now before it, and such additional evidence as may be then before it, finally fix, determine and equalize the value of your property for taxation purposes for the year 1935.

By order of the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas, sitting as a Board of Equalization for Haskell County, Texas.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court on this 8th day of July, A. D. 1935.

(Seal) JASON W. SMITH,
Clerk County Court and, Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas.

Peace Likely

BUENOS AIRES—In an atmosphere of optimism, delegates of Bolivia and Paraguay are meeting to seek peace after struggling in the Chaco for three years without being able to accomplish a decision on the field of battle.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 14th Judicial District Court of Texas in and for Dallas County, on the 10th day of July, 1935, in the case of the Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank of Dallas versus J. F. Bean, et al., No. 13118-A, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 10th day of July, A. D. 1935, and will between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1935, it being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Haskell County, in the City of Haskell, Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which J. F. Bean and wife, Josephine Bean, Susie E. Williams and her husband, J. E. Williams, Roxana Petroleum Corporation, and O. G. Houston had on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1926, or at any time thereafter, of, as and to the following described property, to-wit:

All that part of the following described land situated in Haskell County, Texas: Being the Northeast corner of Section No. 11, Block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Sub. No. 264, Patent No. 407, Vol. 77, dated July 14, 1884; situated in Haskell and Shackelford Counties, Texas.

Said property being levied on as the property of said above named persons and will be sold to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$3,781.66 against J. F. Bean, together with 8% interest thereon from June 8th, 1935, in favor of the Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank of Dallas, and costs of court and the further costs of executing this writ.

Given under my hand this 10th day of July, A. D. 1935.

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

NOTICE

Certificate No. 2084. Company No. 2192.

Board of Insurance Commissioners of the State of Texas, Austin, Texas, May 23, 1935.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that Pioneer Mutual Life Insurance Company, Haskell, Texas, has according to sworn statement complied with the laws of Texas as conditions precedent to its doing business in this State, and I have issued to said Company a Certificate of Authority from this office entitling it to do business in this State for the year ending February 28, 1936.

Given under my hand and my seal of office at Austin, Texas, the date first above written.

(Seal) R. L. Daniel,
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Rev. Andrew of Haskell preached at the Baptist church Sunday. Sunday School was well attended at Lindsay Chapel.

This community was made sad Monday, when word was received that Mr. Alexander McLennan had died. He passed away at 4 o'clock Monday morning at the Stamford Sanitarium. He was 87 years of age, an old settler, and loved by all who knew him.

Mr. Raymond Williams and wife of Dallas spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of the Ericdale community.

Mr. Dave Bullock and son Edgar of Iredell attended the rodeo and visited in the home of his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Gillespie, and also visited in the Mickler

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New Courthouse In Knox County Is Dedicated

The dedication of the new Knox county courthouse at Benjamin Tuesday afternoon July 9th attracted a number of Haskell county citizens, especially the old timers. More than three thousand people attended the program, including Governor James V. Alfred, Harry Hines, chairman of the Highway Commission, State Senator Ben G. O'Neal and other state officials.

Haskell county citizens who were called upon for brief talks during the program were Judge Clyde Grisom of the Eastland Appellate Court, who introduced Governor Alfred, Judge Dennis P. Ratliff of the 39th Judicial District, F. G. Alexander, Joe Lee Ferguson, all of Haskell, and Dr. J. C. Davis of Rule, representative in the State Legislature.

Set in a carnival atmosphere, festivities opened when Mayor J. V. Jones of Benjamin extended a welcome to visitors on behalf of the city and County Attorney L. M. Williams for the county. Judge Jo A. P. Dickson of Seymour paid tribute to the pioneers of the county. Judge J. S. Kendall of Munday presented several old-timers, including W. H. Benedict of Knox City, only surviving member of the county board of commissioners that authorized the building of the original Knox county courthouse.

Presenting the modern new courthouse, which Knox county officials will occupy within 60 days, Governor Alfred described it as a monument to good government. "The building is symbolic of our government—a democracy—no better and no worse than we ourselves, make it. Solution of our government's problems lies in our hands."

The governor reviewed at length various enactments of the legislature. "Although we did not accomplish as many things as I had hoped," he said, "I trust I may be pardoned in the statement that more of my platform demands were carried out than in many preceding administrations."

Alex McLennan, Pioneer Haskell Resident, Dies

Funeral services for Alexander McLennan, 87, well known Haskell county farmer, was held in the Howard community late Monday afternoon, with Rev. C. A. Tucker, Presbyterian minister of Haskell officiating.

Mr. McLennan, who had lived in Haskell county since 1901, died at 4 a. m. Monday at a Stamford sanitarium.

Born in Scotland, May 16, 1848, Mr. McLennan came to America as a young man and settled in Montgomery, Ala. After several years residence there he moved to Missouri, and later to Texas. He was married to Miss Mary Montgomery at San Marcos. From that place the couple moved to Haskell county where the family had resided since 1901.

Surviving relatives are his wife, Mrs. Mary McLennan; three daughters, Mrs. J. F. Bean, Mrs. O. G. Houston and Miss Vera McLennan of Stamford; and four sons, William Ross McLennan of New Nata, Ark., Gladstone, Alex and Tom McLennan of Stamford. Eighteen grandchildren and one great grandchild survive.

Other relatives who were present at the funeral service were: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brooks of Waco, H. L. T. of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley and daughter Joyce, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Gene McLennan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stores, of near Hamlin.

The pallbearers were Fred Shaw, Guss Gillespie, Claude McCowan, Tony Schaeffer, J. Z. Williams and Tull Newcomb.

Strikers Pray and Sing

OKLAHOMA CITY—One hundred pickets at a packing plant greeted workers, coming out of the plant for the first time in twenty-three days, with old fashioned church hymns and prayers instead of jeers and missiles. The pickets, according to strike leaders, set a new precedent.

Funeral Services Mrs. R. J. Maxwell Held At Weinert

Funeral services for Mrs. R. J. Maxwell, of Weinert, were held from the Weinert Methodist church Friday afternoon at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Culwell conducting, assisted by Rev. Chas. Sargent. Interment was in Munday cemetery, under direction of the Kinney Funeral Home, Haskell.

Mrs. Maxwell succumbed to a heart attack Thursday July 4th. Born July 9, 1889 in Denton county, Texas, Miss Ollie Florence Caddell was married to R. J. Maxwell July 8, 1906. To this union two sons were born, Floyd and Kenneth Ray. At an early age deceased united with the Methodist church, and was an active church and Sunday school worker. At the time of her death she was a member of the Weinert Methodist church.

Surviving are her husband; sons, Floyd and Kenneth Ray Maxwell; three brothers, Scott, Colie, and Luther Caddell, all of Weinert; two sisters, Mrs. Tennie Patton, Weinert and Mrs. Myrtle Clemmons of Bowie. A grandson, Robbie Donald Maxwell, and several nieces and nephews also survive.

Pallbearers: Bill Grimley, Ben Bruton, Carlton Capps, Bill Foreight, T. J. Frost and E. C. Elliott.

Ladies who assisted with the flowers were: Lorene Frost, Pauline Foster, Allie Bell Stewart, Dortha Stewart, Christine Dailes and Inez Elliott.

PERSONALS

Miss Ruth Clough of Dallas is here to spend the summer with her cousins, Misses Hazel and Eunice Wilson.

T. J. Lemmon of Spur spent the past week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan moved to Stamford the first of the week where Mr. Duncan has accepted a position as agent for the Abilene Reporter-News.

Rev. Orion W. Carter, pastor of the Methodist Church, left Wednesday for Dumas where he will conduct a revival meeting during the next two weeks.

Rev. H. R. Whately, pastor of the Baptist Church is in Merkel this week where he is engaged in a revival meeting.

Mrs. Jim Williams returned from the Stamford Sanitarium Monday. She underwent a major operation there two weeks ago.

Billie Kemp returned home the first of the week after a visit in Graham with relatives.

Bill Holden was in Haskell a short time Wednesday from Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McBride of Trinidad, Colo., returned to their home the first of the week after a ten days visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeBard.

Miss Emily Stalcup of Big Spring spent the week end here the guest of Miss Anita Jo Simmons. She returned home Monday.

Mr. John Clifton was removed to the Knox City hospital in a Kinney ambulance last week. Birth of a seven pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton on July 4th is being announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meacham and Miss Geneva Broom of Amarillo are spending the week in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mitchell and sons of Sweetwater visited last week in the home of her aunt, Mrs. F. L. Daugherty.

Mrs. Alonzo Pate and daughters Sue and Patsy returned Wednesday from a visit with the former's sister Mrs. Bert Harrison and family at Brady, Texas. Mrs. Harrison and little daughter Shirley accompanied them to Haskell for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Norris had the following relatives visit with them the 4th of July and the week end. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Norris and daughter Lucille of Lawton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Morris of Wichita Falls, father and mother of Mr. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mulvaney, Oklahoma City, sister of Mr. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Holt Mosely and daughter Claudie Sue of Knox City, sister of Mrs. Norris, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins of Rochester, mother and father of Mrs. Norris. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Norris and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Norris spent the first of the week in Galveston.

1935 Cotton Crop 29,166,000 Acres Government Says

WASHINGTON, July 8.—A proclamation fixing the minimum 1935 wheat benefit payments at 33c a bushel was signed by Secretary Wallace Monday shortly after the Agriculture Department reported an acreage increase in another crop in which it operates a control plan—cotton.

The department reported that on July 1 cotton acreage in cultivation totaled 29,166,000 acres, an increase of 4.6 per cent over last year.

The wheat payments on this year's crop will be an increase of at least 4c a bushel over the 1934 minimum of 29c. The AAA said this should mean an additional income to producers of approximately \$14,000,000.

The AAA estimated that benefit payments to wheat farmers at the 33c rate on the 1935 crop should amount to at least \$115,000,000, compared to approximately \$100,000,000 which would have been paid at the 29c rate. The rate of payment on the first program in 1933 was 28c.

In reporting on cotton acreage the department said that the July 1 cultivated acreage was 28.6 per cent less than the five-year average from 1929-33. Increases were reported for all major states except Oklahoma, ranging from 4 per cent in North Carolina to 10 per cent in Louisiana. A decrease of 7 per cent was reported for Oklahoma, partially because of unfavorable weather and partially because of a relatively high percentage of acreage under contract for the first time.

Floes Dissecting Room

Galatz, Roumania.—Knocked out in a fight and thought to be dead, George Oedlicenu, 32, a mechanic, was sent to the dissecting room in order that the nature of his injuries could be determined. As the surgeon prepared to cut the man revealed, jumped from the table, and fled.

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Chas. S. Dodson, Railway Employee for 40 Years, Dies

STAMFORD—Charles S. Dodson, 57, railway telegraph operator for 37 years, died of a heart attack at his home at 10 o'clock Monday night. Funeral arrangements were held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Kinney Funeral chapel with Rev. W. B. Harris, Christian minister officiating. Burial was in Highland cemetery.

Mr. Dodson, telegraph operator for the Wichita Valley railway, had lived in Stamford for the past 13 years, coming here from Wichita Falls. He was born in Waxahachie Feb. 12, 1878.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, J. L., George and Bruce Allen, all of Stamford; one daughter, Mrs. Celeste Howard of Linherst, N. J., and two grandchildren; two brothers, W. H. Dodson of Custer, Okla., and Arren Dodson of Canada and three sisters, Mrs. L. E. Ratliff of Custer, Okla., Mrs. Sue Golden of Clinton, Okla., and Mrs. Claudy Windolph of Orange, Calif.

Funeral Services Held on Sunday For W. A. Brown

Funeral services for W. A. Brown, who died on Saturday, July 6 at 11:30 p. m., were held Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church, with the Rev. O. W. Carter officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of J. M. Howard, of Jones, Tex. & Co., local morticians.

Survivors are his widow; seven children, Mrs. Verdine Kregar, Mrs. Claud Thomas, Mrs. Alfred Turnbow, Richard and Frank Brown, all of Haskell, W. E. Brown, Dallas, Texas, and Henry Brown, Killeen, Texas. Thirty-one grandchildren and four great-grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Brown was born in Chickasaw county, Miss., Dec. 9, 1860, and married Miss Susie Anna Bradberry in 1880. The couple moved to Haskell county in 1910 from Bell county, Texas.

Pallbearers were L. H. Watson, Felix Josselot, Andrew Josselot, Bob Robertson, Mike B. Watson, Hutson Pittman.

Ladies assisting with flowers: Lorene Thomas, Imogene Turnbow, Ruth Josselot, Almeda Josselot, Mrs. Ed Fouts, Mrs. Marvin Medford.

Relief Funds Alloted Counties

AUSTIN, Texas—Allotments of general relief funds totaling approximately \$3,009,110 will be made to Texas counties during July, it has been announced by Texas Relief Commission officials.

Approximately half the amount will go forward at once, E. A. Baugh, assistant director of the commission said.

The budget for July operations contains items and amounts as follows: General relief, \$2,619,412; non-relief administrative payroll, \$244,898; non-relief project supervision, \$136,094; hospitalization, \$8,745.

The June budget made available \$1,025,783 to the counties, but included \$1,257,207 for capital goods and subsistence for rural clients. These items this month will be provided by the Resettlement Administration, now separated from the Relief Commission.

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CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo.—E. J. Duffy probably will go down in history as the first man ever to receive the full returns from a \$1 five-name chain letter. It netted him exactly \$16,625, it is declared.

Gar Fish Seizes Boy

ST. MARTINSVILLE, La.—John Foti, 19, swimming in Bayou Teche, was seized by a seven-foot gar fish and dragged some distance before friends rescued him.

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