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## 'War Time' To Be Observed By Majority of Business Concerns

To Be Set Ahead One  
Monday, Bringing  
Closing Time

Weeks and other timepieces  
set ahead one hour after  
Sunday, to comply with  
Congress and as requested  
by President Roosevelt, it ap-  
pears that a majority of  
business houses, county  
offices would follow the  
change time—merely  
set clocks ahead one

Public Schools Change  
Daily Schedule  
to conform with the  
new "War Time"  
Breedlove an-  
nounced that begin-  
ning Feb. 9th the  
Public Schools would  
follow the following sche-  
dule:  
Morning Class Period—9:15  
to 10:15  
Recess Period—12 to  
1:00  
Afternoon Class Period—  
2:00 to 3:00 p. m.

Following their previous sche-  
dule. In other words, of  
the courthouse, business  
concerns, which formerly be-  
gan business at 8  
o'clock, will continue to open  
at that hour under the  
new "War Time".

Banking Hours  
Announced  
Beginning Monday, Feb. 9,  
Haskell banks will open  
at 9 a. m., close for one  
day on Tuesday, Feb. 10,  
and resume business at 8  
o'clock, closing  
business at 3 p. m., each  
day, except Saturday,  
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## Hearing on Proposed \$125,000 Road Bond Issue To Be Heard By Commissioners Court Feb. 9

### FOR M. H. HARRIS FOR M. H. HARRIS TO BE HELD FRIDAY

#### Well-Known Farmer Dies In Local Hospital After Long Illness

Funeral services for M. H. Har-  
ris, well-known farmer and long-  
time resident of Haskell county,  
will be held at the First Presby-  
terian church in this city Friday  
afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with the  
Rev. Clifford W. Williams, minis-  
ter of the church officiating.

#### Interment will be in Highland Cemetery, Stamford, with Holden funeral home in charge of ar- rangements. Active pallbearers will be Willie Lees, William Pen- nington, Wayne Perry, Lorell Kirby, John Crawford, Millard Melton, Bob Herren and Shelby Johnson.

Mr. Harris, 81, died in the Has-  
kell hospital Wednesday night at  
9:30 o'clock, following an illness  
of several years duration. He had  
been a patient in the hospital for  
several weeks prior to his death.  
A native of the state of Arkan-  
sas, he was born at Pine Bluff  
Dec. 24, 1860, the son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Jack Harris. He married Miss  
Dora Peyton at Hope, Ark., Janu-  
ary 22, 1885, and they made their  
home there for a time before com-  
ing to Hill county, Texas in the  
early 1900's. In 1905 Mr. and Mrs.  
Harris brought their family to this  
section from Hill county, and they  
had made their here continuously  
since that time. Mr. Harris was  
actively engaged in farming dur-  
ing his entire lifetime, until fail-  
ing health compelled his retire-  
ment. Mr. Harris had been a mem-  
ber of the Presbyterian Church  
since young manhood, and  
throughout his life took an active  
interest in the church and civic  
affairs of his section.

#### Immediate survivors include his widow, Mrs. Dora Harris of Has- kell; and five sons, J. B. and Hansford Harris of Rule, Shelby and Urban Harris of Haskell, and Frank Harris of Houston. Ten grandchildren and five great- grandchildren also survive.

#### Haskell Man Promoted

Charles K. Jones Jr., son of  
C. K. Jones, Sr. of this city and  
now stationed at Goodfellow Field  
Army Air Corps basic flying  
school at San Angelo, Texas, re-  
cently was promoted from the  
rank of corporal to the rank of  
sergeant.

#### Hospital Notes

The following persons were  
listed as patients in the Haskell  
county hospital Thursday at noon:  
Thurman Bird of Haskell for  
surgery.  
R. S. Edwards of Weinert for  
accident injuries.  
Mrs. R. H. Davis of Haskell for  
medical treatment.  
Mrs. T. C. Walker and infant  
son of Haskell.  
Mrs. J. F. Pirkle of Haskell for  
medical treatment.  
Willie Williams of Haskell,  
fracture.  
Mrs. B. B. Freeman of Haskell  
for surgery.  
Dalia Gay Corzine of Haskell for  
surgery.  
Mrs. Ella Brooks of Rochester  
for surgery.  
Mrs. W. J. Martin of Aspermont  
for surgery.  
Mrs. J. S. Hays of Haskell for  
accident injuries.  
Dennis Williams of Rule for  
surgery.  
Mrs. W. C. Hoicomb of Haskell  
for surgery.  
Mrs. J. C. Lewellen of Haskell  
for medical treatment.  
Linden Caddell of Weinert for  
medical treatment.  
Collie Caddell, Jr., of Weinert  
for surgery.  
The following patients were dis-  
missed from the hospital during  
the past week:  
Lennie Davis of Haskell, Char-  
lie Richardson of Rule, Ike Simp-  
son of Throckmorton, Ola Bell  
Kennedy of Haskell, Ruby Fay  
Rousseau of Haskell, Mrs. Jess  
Glover of Rule, Mrs. L. M. Mowell  
and infant son of Haskell, Rosa  
Agulla of Haskell, Archie Lee  
Jones of Haskell.

## CAMPAIGN HEADS IN VICTORY BOOK CAMPAIGN NAMED

### Will Collect Books For Dis- tribution to Armed Forces

Committee heads were named  
and local collection centers were  
selected this week for Haskell  
county's Victory Book Campaign,  
and the drive to secure books for  
the men serving in the armed  
forces of the nation will get under-  
way throughout the county dur-  
ing the coming week, directors of  
the campaign announced.

Designated as receiving centers  
for the books were Oates Drug  
Store, Walling Beauty Shop, Ton-  
kawa Hotel, Clover Farm Store  
and the Haskell High School.  
The American Library associa-  
tion, the Red Cross and the U. S. O.  
are sponsors for the campaign,  
which has as its national aim the  
collection of 10,000,000 books for  
soldiers, sailors and marines. The  
gift books will supplement the li-  
brary services maintained by the  
army and navy in forts, camps,  
stations and on ships, it was ex-  
plained.

## 4-H Club Boys of Texas Helping In National Defense

The local Sorting and Repairing  
Committee is composed of Emory  
Menefee, chairman; Theron Cal-  
hill, and Alfred Pierson. Mem-  
bers of the Publicity Committee  
are A. Pate, Rev. Kenneth W.  
Copeland, Dale Bartlett, and E. B.  
Harris of Rule.

## Farm Home of Ray Lancaster Burns Monday

The farm home of Mr. and  
Mrs. Ray Lancaster, located about  
seven and one-half miles north-  
east of Haskell in the Mattson  
section, was totally destroyed by  
fire early Monday morning. All  
the furniture and household goods  
of the family were also lost in the  
flames.

## Fire Destroys Barn at C. E. Smith Home Thursday Afternoon

A small barn at the home of  
C. E. Smith several blocks north  
of the square was destroyed by  
fire Thursday afternoon shortly  
after 4 o'clock. A quantity of cedar  
posts stored in the barn were also  
lost in the blaze.

## Attend Funeral of Relative In Crosbyton

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pearsey at-  
tended the funeral services in  
Crosbyton Tuesday for Zack Mc-  
Cleary, former resident of Haskell  
a number of years ago who died  
at his home in Crosbyton the first  
of the week. Mr. McCleary was an  
uncle of Mrs. Pearsey.

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office safe. Only currency and sil-  
ver was taken, Mr. Paxton said,  
the thieves leaving a number of  
checks scattered on the floor.

The burglary was the first to  
occur here in more than a year.

## Inauguration of Food Stamp Plan In County To Be Outlined Friday

### Two Seek Re-Election, While Three are Newcomers, In Politics

The names of five additional  
candidates for district, county and  
precinct offices appear in the an-  
nouncement column of The Free  
Press this week, bringing the to-  
tal number of candidates to 27 to  
date, and advance interest of vot-  
ers in the coming primaries has  
taken an upward trend throughout  
the county.

Three of the candidates announc-  
ing this week are newcomers in the  
field of politics, while two  
others are seeking re-election.  
Making formal announcement of  
their candidacies this week were  
the following:

Judge A. H. King of Throck-  
morton and long-time resident of  
West Texas, will seek re-election  
for a second term as State Repre-  
sentative from the 113th Legisla-  
tive District, composed of Haskell,  
Throckmorton and Baylor coun-  
ties.

O. L. Moore, resident of this  
city and Precinct 2 for thirteen  
years, enters the political field for  
the first time in his life as a can-  
didate for Commissioner of Precinct  
No. 2.

E. O. Chapman, well-known far-  
mer of the Mattson community,  
also announces his candidacy for  
Commissioner of Precinct 2 this  
week in his first bid for a political  
office.

Third newcomer in the political  
field is Joe Larned, well-known  
resident of Haskell for the past 30  
years, who announces his candi-  
dacy for Commissioner of Precinct  
No. 3.

W. A. Bryant, Public Weigher of  
Prec. 7, O'Brien, this week an-  
nounces his candidacy for re-  
election for a second term on the  
basis of his record as Public  
Weigher during his first term.

## THIEVES GET \$118 FROM SCHOOL TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

Burglars who gained access to  
the office of R. J. Paxton, School  
District Tax Collector, on the sec-  
ond floor of the Haskell National  
Bank building sometime Monday  
night looted the office safe of  
\$118.85 in currency and silver.

Mr. Paxton discovered the theft  
when he went to the office Tues-  
day morning and officers were  
immediately notified. Sheriff Olen  
Dotson said Thursday at noon that  
no arrests had been made in con-  
nection with the burglary, but



## Briefly Told News Items From Rochester

### Patriotic Window

Patriotism of an unusual type has been portrayed by an impressive exhibit in the show window of Happy (Reeder) Smith's Drug Store of this city.

The background of the display is the huge United States flag that was flown over Rochester during the First World War. This flag was recently sent to Rochester from Post, Texas by Mr. R. D. Travis who says the flag has never been used since it was taken down when the war was over. He was asked to keep the flag as he was then a resident of Rochester.

Against these stars and stripes are arranged the photographs of men of the community who have already entered training to serve their nation in World War No. 2 as far as possible pictures showing each man as he appears in civilian as well as military life are being displayed. Quite a few have enlisted from Rochester whose pictures we do not have in the window yet.

The ones who may be seen there now are: B. E. Bryan, Jr., 59th St., Baltimore; Paul Grinstead, U. S. Navy, San Diego, Calif.; Fred Bar, U. S. Navy, Pearl Harbor; Boyce Qualls, U. S. Navy, San Diego, Calif.; Jeff Jones, Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls; John Epley, Fort Bliss; Keel Acree, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Glen Williams, Camp Bowie; Era Paul Mansell, Camp Bowie; Cecil Paul Hudson, Pearl Harbor; O. D. Byrd, Fort Wood, Missouri; William Sheppard Field; Price Trimmer, Jr., Camp Bowie; Don and Charles Trimmer, Chanute, Ill.; Allen Lowrey, Sheppard Field; Leland Huntsman, Fort Bliss; Richard Salman, Kelly Field, San Antonio; Joe Scarborough, Marsh Field, Calif.; Tommy Greer, Camp Bowie; James Herndon, Johnston Island; Clois Henry, Fort Bliss; Wendell Poole, Fort Lewis, Washington; Elden H. Hall, Ft. Rosecrans, California; T. H. Gothard, Fort Bliss; Joe Salman, U. S. Navy, California; Aubrey Jones,

Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri; Stanley Speck, Camp Bowie; Edgar Wilhite, U. S. Navy; Nig Wilhite, U. S. Navy; Bryan Davis, Pearl Harbor; Dalton Davis, Pearl Harbor; Troy Dickson, Floyd Taylor, U. S. Navy.

### W. M. S. Meets

The Rochester W. M. S. met Monday afternoon at the church. After a short business session conducted by the president, Mrs. P. A. Mansell the pastor Rev. Aubrey Short taught two chapters in our Stewardship book, "This World's Goods."

Those present were: Meses. Knot Ballard, P. A. Mansell, G. Hicks, A. L. Lambert, J. E. Mansell, T. L. Holland, Bob Speck, L. G. Hall, Vestus Alvis, Henry Qualls, Aubrey Short, Hob Smith, W. J. Bragg, H. R. Barnett, Jack Kitchen.

### Visitor Preaches At Presbyterian Church

Rev. Clifford Williams of Haskell preached at the Presbyterian Church in Rochester Sunday evening January 25 exchanging pulpits with Rev. Frank Crown.

### Red Cross Room Busy

The Red Cross room in Rochester has been very busy this week with different groups spending the day working. Tuesday was New Mid H. D. day, Wednesday, Baptist W. M. S., Thursday, Woman's Literary Club day, Friday, Methodist Christian Service Society day and many more ladies of the town and community worked at different times. We have now finished our allotment for January.

The production chairman, Mrs. Leroy Lowrey and knitting chairman, Mrs. Vestus Alvis went to the Haskell headquarters 25 finished sweaters and 79 finished woolen garments.

Eibert Alvis has returned home from Houston where he has been working for several months.

### Visitors From New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Postur from Eagle Nest, New Mexico of Laguna Vista Lodge were in Rochester a few days this week visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Miller and Mr. Miller. They were en route to Dallas.

### Associational Sunday School To Be Held In Haskell

The Haskell Associational Baptist Sunday School will be held in Haskell February 8 at 2:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church. Bob Speck of Rochester is urging that all officers and teachers over the association be present and any others who are interested in the Sunday School work.

### New Mid H. D. Club Meets

The H. D. Club of the New Mid community met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Geo. Ballard. The main thing in the discussion was planning how best to carry out this work for the year 1942. The club decided to spend every 2nd and 4th Tuesday working in the Red Cross room.

The following are officers for 1942: Mrs. L. S. Wreyford, chairman; Mrs. Jess Pinkerton, vice-president; Mrs. Lewis Hester, council member; Mrs. Floyd Hutchens, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Willard Mitchell, reporter.

### Sunday School Banquet

The annual banquet for the officers and teachers of the Baptist Sunday School was given in the banquet hall of the educational building. The color scheme of red, white and blue was carried out in all decorations.

Miss Joyce Johnston gave several piano numbers as the crowd was gathering and also played a special number during the evening. The invocation was given by Rev. A. S. Sego.

The superintendent, Bob Speck presided at a short business meeting, stressing the importance of going forward in 1942. He called for each department superintendent to say a few words about the progress they were making and also asked them what their goal for this year was. It was decided that we have our next Study Course the fourth week in February, the book to be selected later.

The pastor of the church, Rev.

### Aubrey Short made a short talk

and introduced the visitors, Bro. Harry Hays, field worker for Hardin-Simmons University was introduced and made a short talk. Bro. Short then introduced the main speaker of the evening, Dr. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons University.

### Society of Christian Service Elects Officers

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church in their regular meeting. The Society voted to spend each Friday afternoon working in the Red Cross room.

At a recent meeting the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. W. Z. Wadzeck; Vice-President, Mrs. Allen Bell; Treasurer, Mrs. Tom Murphy; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Carl Davidson; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. H. Parsons; Study Superintendent, Mrs. N. S. Daniel; Spiritual Life, Mrs. E. A. Mitchell; Christian Social Relations, Mrs. James A. Greer; Secretary of Supplies, Publicity and Literature, Mrs. O. J. Huntsman.

### Birthday Dinner for J. F. Hanger

The friends, neighbors and children surprised Mr. J. F. Hanger Sunday Feb. 1 with a birthday dinner. Mr. Hanger was 81 years old.

Those preparing the food and enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pope and children, Lahoma, Alice Gayle, Paul and Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudson and daughter, Elva Joe, Elder and Mrs. O. B. Proctor and sons, Billie Ray and Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler Lee and children, Margaret and John Wheeler Jr., Mrs. Jeff Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dabney, Elvarine Berryhill and Hazel Lee of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Alvis.

### New Course In Homemaking

Home Economics III is being offered this semester in Rochester high school. Seven girls are enrolled. These girls are planning to make evening and afternoon dresses.

Mr. W. L. Moore of Ft. Worth spent the week end in Rochester with his mother Mrs. W. M. Crumes.

## News Items From SAGERTON

### Sunny of Sunnyside

Miss Kathleen Crawford, music teacher, will direct Sunny of Sunnyside, an operetta in two acts to be held Friday night, February 6, in the high school auditorium. Admission will be 10, 15 and 25 cents. This program has about 65 children in it taken from the elementary grades.

Margaret Wendeborn plays the leading role of Sonny; Redd, Jack Jeter will steal the show with his Mammoth show. Those with singing parts are: Billie, a tomboy, will be played by Gaida Nell Henry; Lelia, a pretty orphan, Wilda Dean Harmon; Heck, one of Reddy's gang, Leland Naurey; the twins, Leonora and Theodora, Doris and Patsy Tidwell; Tim, another of Reddy's gang, Randall Jeter; Eileen, the rich girl, Jo Ann Spiser. Other characters include the mean boy, Amos, J. D. Kupatt; Phil, the fat boy, Bobbie Joe Schwartz; Dorothy, Annie Laurie Lindley; Betty, the pet of Sunnyside, Loyd; Ma Neinst; Rosa, the gypsy, Bobbie Jean Cornelius; Nam, a helper, Effie Alice Rowan; Paul, the new boy, Johnny Lee Guinn; Horow, the bookworm, Harvey Stegemoller; Howard, one of Reddy's gang, David Lee Gibson; Harriet, a lively orphan, Doris Ray Anderson; Jimmy, the crippled orphan, Frank Adams; Antonio, the balloon seller, Randall Henry; Slim, a ne'er-do-well, C. L. Storr; Jane, very much the fine lady, Trulah Lindley.

Dancers will have on blue, pink green and yellow net dresses. The skirts are very full. Dancers are: Dorothy Pearl Knippling, Zora Bell Wafford, Maxine Stephens, Trulah Lindley.

The Rhythm Band will be dressed in army cadet suits and air line hostess dresses. Jacky Coy Taber leads the groups. He, Cale Henry, Lois Helm and Luther Meiers plays the clogs. Douglas Wayne Wienke plays the triangle; the symbol will be played by La Moine Laughlin; Marvin Glenn Herring will play the tamborine. Sticks will be played by Gloria Koehl, Sara Fae Plumlee, Lois Thames, Alvin Mathis, Evelyn Mathis, Clara Stephens and Winona Wafford will play bells. The Wood blocks will be played by Jimmy Henry and the drum by Gloria Jean Diers.

The Ma-Muth Show led by Jack Jeter includes: the monkey, Kenneth Stegemoller; the gigantic elephant, Bobby Irvin and Marie Gregory; the tight rope walker, Ruby Gaye Gibson, Lois Knippling and Joan Tidwell will be banner.

### Missionary From China Visits In Rochester

Miss Margaret Mizell who has spent 20 years in China as a missionary spoke at the evening service at the Presbyterian church Sunday. Miss Mizell was scheduled to have sailed back to China on Dec. 27, but because of the United States entry into the war was not permitted to do so. The Methodist church dismissed for the service and visited with the Presbyterians, as also did the Rule Presbyterian church.

Rev. Frank Crown introduced the speaker whose home is in Brownwood, Texas. Miss Mizell was dressed in a Chinese robe and displayed many objects of interest from China. After telling of the great influence and good that christianity is bringing to China and noting what the lack of it has done to Japan the speaker allowed the audience to ask questions concerning her life and work there. A large audience was in attendance and enjoyed the speaker's comments.

### Manual Training Teacher Resigns

Mr. L. S. Browder who has taught manual training in Rochester high school for the last four years resigned this week to take a position with the Aeronautic construction work in San Antonio.

### Homemaking Girls Sew For Red Cross

For the past week the second and third year homemaking girls have been sewing for the Red Cross. Five snow suits and four pairs of rompers were made. The girls are always glad to assist in such work when their time permits them to do so.

Gayle and Alice Pope, students in ACC spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pope. Miss Hazel Lee, roommate of Alice came home with them.

Mrs. W. P. Hooker returned to her home in Fort Stockton after an extended visit with her mother Mrs. D. W. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick Henshaw and children from Haskell spent Sunday in Rochester with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crothers.

Mrs. Addie Frazier has returned to her home here after attending the funeral of her brother-in-law Mr. J. H. Lynn at Plains, Texas.

Mrs. Otis Culpepper from Electrica came Saturday to spend a few days with her sister Mrs. J. H. Dabney and Mr. Dabney.

Miss Lillian Beiber, student in ACC, spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Beiber.

Harold Sandel and Dickie Robertson who are attending school in Dallas spent the week end in Rochester with their respective parents.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Adkins have recently moved to Wichita Falls where he is employed at Sheppard Field.

### bearers. Doris Franke will be the

fat woman followed by the tall man J. A. Bush, Patricia Kupatt will be the expert bareback rider. Hays Rowan has a trained dog that can stand on both feet when you hold his front feet up. Eudell Spitzer is in charge of the trained bear. Clyde Stephens, Mitzi Wilson will be the snake charmers. The fortune teller is Bobbie Jean Cornelius. Little Jerry Kinard will be the active clown and Eunice and Bernice are the tall giraffes from the North Pole.

### "Speed" Senior Play To Be Held Soon

The senior play, "Speed" will be held in the very near future with Miss Lillian Yates as director. Everyone is asked to watch for announcement for the exact date.

Characters include: Mrs. Emma Lambert, who runs "Barge Inn"—Cleo Pillely.

Enid Lambert, her charming daughter—Louise Jeter.

Slim Williams, who is in love with Enid—Wayne Laughlin.

Igora Evans, maid of all work at the Inn—Geraldine Mathis.

Harold Orr, a publicity man—Martin Ramm.

Madeline Orr, his wife, who is given to exaggerating—Pauline Neinst.

Miss Ivy Trask, a guest at the Inn—Frances Kupatt.

Rollo Jones, who gets into hot water and can't get out—James Darden.

Zella Flery of "The Daily Bugle"—Pearl Lehrmann.

Emory Jones, who is accustomed to having his own way—Lloyd James Schroeder.

### Women's Division of Christian Service Meets

The Women's Division of Christian Service met Monday of last week at the Methodist parsonage for a social and business meeting. Two officers were filled, Mrs. J. A. Clark was elected secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Bob Laughlin, vice-president. The devotional was given by Mrs. Frank Bilberry, president, who was also hostess for the social.

The Society decided to devote part of its meetings to sewing for the Red Cross.

### Mrs. Preston Manley Honored With Gift Party

A surprise shower was recently given in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Loyd Hamilton honoring Mrs. Preston Manley, who was before her marriage, Miss Lois Elmore. A toast to the bride was read by Miss Kathleen Crawford. Gifts were presented and refreshments were served to: Mrs. Manley, Miss Lillian Yates, Mrs. E. L. Tabor, Miss Crawford, Miss Frankie Palmer, Rev. and Mrs. Hamilton, Bobby Lou Anderson, Norma Martin, Marian Lou Martin, Odeen Newton, Marie Manske, Maurine Shannon and the hostesses, Billie Raye Martin, Ruby Lee Newton and Wilma Jean Spiser.

### Miss Marian Lou Martin Given Going Away Party

Marian Lou Martin who is moving to Rule was honored with a surprise party last week in the home of Dahlia Dean Knippling. Games were played and gifts were presented to:

Present were: Billie and Norma Martin, Odeen Newton, Billy Jean and Randall Henry, Kenneth and Harvey Stegemoller, Fred and J. D. Kupatt, Lloyd and J. C. Seaton, Wilma Jean Spiser, Betty and Bobby Anderson, Mary Katherine Batson, F. C. Pillely, Charlie Lee Gibson, Frank and Elbert Adams, Dahlia Dean Knippling, Dorothy and Lois Knippling, Betty Louise Balzer and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knippling.

### Leon Schroeder Enlists In U. S. Navy

A dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Schroeder Saturday of last week honoring their son, Leon, who has volunteered for service in the U. S. Navy. He has enlisted as a second class navy carpenter.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schroeder and sons of Truscott, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dipple and son of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schroeder of Sagerton, Miss Edna Schroeder of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schroeder and son of Lubbock, Texas.

### Bennett Hess Celebrates Birthday

Mr. Bennett Hess was with a birthday dinner last day in his home. He celebrated 71st birthday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Engleman and Mrs. John L. Tabor and Jack Coy and Billy Douglas Beulah Mae Summers.

### Floy Pillely Celebrates Birthday

A dinner was given in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pillely Sr. The occasion in honor of his 38th birthday. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Pillely and Cleo and F. C. Pillely, Mrs. J. D. Pillely and Connie Rae Abbott.

### Miss Dora Marie Kupatt Day for Abilene where she

continue her business. She has been visiting her mother, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kupatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barab Molina, Colorado, are announcing the arrival of an 8 pound boy named William born January 28th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. who are visiting in Mohave.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Shephard children of Stamford spent week end visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Alton B. children of Stamford and Mrs. J. W. Burrow.

Private Rector Guinn and Jack Quade left last week being called for immediate duty by the U. S. Government.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark son Joe visited in Nocomo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lett Mrs. Minnie Stienke and daughters, Lydia and Erna were dinner guests of Mr. and Otto Lehrmann Sunday.

### WARNING

Never cut a corn. This is not a serious infection. Do not cut, when GREAT PHEER Corn Remedy PLETELY removes corn OATES DRUG STORE.

# ADVANCE SPRING SALE

## Rayon French Crepe Frocks



Betty Clay  
GLAMOUR GIRL FASHIONS



\$2.98



You'll brighten up when you see this outstanding group of lovely new Spring prints. There's a sunny Spring freshness in the wonderful patterns and colors; and a silky luxury in the fine quality Crown-tested French Rayon crepe.

You'll smile when you see the up-to-the-minute styles in dressy and casual frocks. Styles that you'll enjoy wearing for all your Spring doings, from marketing to the movies.

But you'll jump for joy when you discover that the price of all this smartness and quality is just \$2.98.

Unusually well made, these dresses have fine dressmaker detail, novelty buttons and trimmings, plackets, pinked seams, and deep or felled hems. A real buy for budget-wise women. Sizes 12-44. \$2.98.

# Jones Dry Goods, Inc.

The Cash Store



## We're Glad To Co-Operate

We, the following Gasoline Filling Stations, Automobile Dealers, Automobile Repair Shops, Tractor Dealers and Parts Houses, hereby agree to operate with the President of the United States, and our Government HUNDRED PERCENT, during this time of emergency.

At the same time we want to co-operate with the automobile and tractor owners, and give them the best service that is within our power. The entire automobile and tractor industry has been called upon to play a very important part in the National Defense program. Tires and tubes are now on a rationing basis, automobiles are "frozen" and many other items are either tied-up in stocks or we are unable to purchase same, and we may expect many shortages in our line of business within the near future.

In co-operation with the President we would like to comply as near possible with the program of "Day Light Saving Time". Therefore we agree to close our places of business as follows:

**Week Days, Except Saturday 8 P. M.—Saturday 12 P. M.**

It is further agreed we will, for a period of three weeks, beginning Sunday, Feb. 8, not open our business houses on Sundays.

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| J. F. Kennedy Service Station  | John E. Robison, Gratex         |
| Haskell Motor Co.              | Burton-Dotson Chevrolet Company |
| C. E. Harrell                  | T. B. Wilson                    |
| C. R. Cook                     | Western Auto                    |
| Campbell Service Station       | Smitty's—Unincorporated         |
| S. P. Kuenstler                | Henry Barnes                    |
| Wilburn Greene                 | Hallie Chapman                  |
| C. A. Warner                   | Buford Cox                      |
| H. M. Stone                    | J. M. Crawford                  |
| T. C. Redwine                  | R. F. Pitman                    |
| Haskell Implement Co.          | Virgil Sonnamaker               |
| W. C. Johnston Service Station | M. C. Wilfong                   |
| Bartlett Service Station       | Patterson Gulf Station          |
|                                | C. B. Thompson                  |



**Society**  
 For Home Demonstration  
 Well

ladies, chairman, vice-  
 on, secretary and treasurer  
 of all standing commit-  
 and recreation leaders re-  
 the eleven Home Demon-  
 on clubs of the county met  
 28 at 2 o'clock in district  
 om for their annual clinic.  
 om for their annual clinic.  
 ll chairman, Mrs. T. M.  
 on presided. Each division  
 to separate groups to dis-  
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 an for each group made a  
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 al questions were asked  
 cussed on parliamentary

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 rian Miss Nora Walters,  
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**Recreation School**  
**ular Meeting**

H. D. Clubs had their, re-  
 ecting in the City Hall on  
 Feb. 2nd at 10 a. m. Five  
 ere represented. It was  
 at we have our business  
 afternoon at 1 p. m.  
 ation was furnished by all.  
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 next meeting.

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present were: Mesdames  
 Patterson, J. P. Perrin,  
 Hester, L. G. Server, L. S.  
 rd, Bill Pennington, J. A.  
 on, G. O. Ballard, C. B.  
 rry and Misses Margaret  
 and Cathryn Sands.

**Home Demonstration**  
**ets On**

oster Home Demonstration  
 et Friday Jan. 16 at the  
 of Mrs. Walker Watson.  
 ew year books were filled  
 the following standing  
 ees were appointed:  
 ce—Mrs. J. T. Sego, Mrs.  
 Sprayberry, Mrs. Watson.  
 p—Mrs. Wade, Mrs. W. H.  
 Expansion—Mrs. J. Har-  
 s. Wade, Mrs. Adams. Ex-  
 Mrs. Yarbrough, Mrs. Ser-  
 s. Sprayberry. Educational  
 Watson, Mrs. W. H. Har-  
 rs. Sego.  
 the business session our  
 oss sewing was discussed.  
 tess served a refreshment  
 Mrs. J. T. Sego, Mrs.  
 arrell, Mrs. Fletcher West,  
 E. Adams, Mrs. Jno. Ham-  
 Mrs. Wade.

**Reunion Held**  
**of Mr.**  
**s. Toliver**

in the home of Mr. and  
 L. Toliver and family over  
 k end were Mr. and Mrs.  
 Toliver from San Saba,  
 and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse  
 from Throckmorton, Tex-

g them Sunday for a  
 reunion were the follow-  
 , and Mrs. Carl Marion,  
 est Thomas, Mrs. Leroy  
 and son Roy from Los  
 Calif., Mr. and Mrs. J. P.  
 and Lynda, Mr. and Mrs.  
 oliver and family and Mr.  
 C. L. Toliver and family.  
 was served buffet style.

esses now are a handicap  
 al defense and every fire  
 ed helps speed war effort.

**'S BANISHED**  
**USCULAR PAIN,**  
**ENDED STIFFNESS**

**Man Says Hoyt's Com-**  
**Ended Muscular**  
**and Pains, Stiffness**  
**oreness, Fatigue**  
**idney Misery**

R. P. Lewis of 1208 Bluff  
 Wichita Falls, Texas, states:  
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MR. R. P. LEWIS:

y misery. My back and the  
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 ed to, feel 100% better!"  
 's Compound is recom-  
 and sold by Reid's Drug  
 nd by all leading druggists.



*Your Duty!*  
**BUY**  
**DEFENSE**  
**SAVINGS**  
**BONDS**

**REMEMBER**  
 ★ **PEARL**  
**HARBOR**

# We're Ready to Cooperate With Our Government 100 Per Cent

By Observing the New Daylight-Saving "War Time"

## Beginning Next Monday, Feb. 9th

We the undersigned business houses of Haskell are behind our Government 100 percent in every measure necessary to win an All-Out Victory!

In cooperation with the Act of Congress and the request of President Roosevelt we will observe Daylight Saving "War Time" beginning Monday, February 9th with a new schedule of business hours. We believe all patriotic Americans will take pride and pleasure in cooperating with us in observing the new schedule of War Time.

Effective Monday, Feb. 9, the following stores will open each week-day morning at the usual time, but will strictly observe the closing hour for each business group as specified below each firm name:

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|--|--|--|---|
| <b>West Texas Utilities Company</b><br>Week Days, 5 p. m.; Saturday at Noon          | <b>Harrison's Barber Shop</b><br>Week Days 6 p. m.; Saturdays 10 p. m. | <b>Cook Bros. Barber Shop</b><br>Week Days 6 p. m.; Saturdays 10 p. m. | <b>Fouts Dry Goods &amp; Variety</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m. |
| <b>Payne Drug Company</b><br>11 P. M.  | <b>Service Cleaners</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.       | <b>R. B. Spencer Lbr. Co.</b><br>Week Days and Saturday 6 p. m.        | <b>Dick's Grocery &amp; Market</b><br>7 p. m. except Saturday                 |
| <b>Wheatley's</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.                           | <b>Perkins-Timberlake Co.</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m. | <b>Reid's Drug Store</b><br>11 P. M.                                   | <b>Collier's Grocery</b><br>7 p. m. except Saturday                           |
| <b>Frank Turner, Men's Wear</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.             | <b>Perry Bros., Inc.</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.      | <b>Ben Franklin Store</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.     | <b>The Haskell Free Press</b><br>6 p. m.                                      |
| <b>Bynum Office Supply</b><br>10 p. m.   | <b>West Side Barber Shop</b><br>Week Days 6 p. m.; Saturdays 10 p. m.  | <b>Brazelton Lumber Co.</b><br>Week Days and Saturday 6 p. m.          | <b>Berry's Pharmacy</b><br>11 p. m.   |
| <b>Jones Dry Goods, Inc.</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.                | <b>McCollum Hardware</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.      | <b>R. J. Reynolds Piggly-Wiggly</b><br>7 p. m. except Saturday         | <b>Oates Drug Store</b><br>11 P. M.   |
| <b>Peoples Barber Shop</b><br>Week Days 6 p. m.; Saturdays 10 p. m.                  | <b>Lane-Felker</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.            | <b>J. D. Tyler Grocery</b><br>7 p. m. except Saturday                  | <b>W. A. Lyles, Jeweler</b><br>Week Days, 6 p. m.; Saturdays 9 p. m.          |
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# SOCIETY

## Magazine Club Has Regular Meeting Friday

Friday January 30th the Magazine club met in the club room with a good crowd of members and invited guests. The president, Mrs. J. A. Couch presided over a short business meeting after which she most graciously introduced the guest artist of the afternoon.

Rev. C. W. Williams gave a review of the "Book of Job". We are not able to give this review deserved publicity but the entire audience felt that we had been privileged to listen to one who was and is a master of this accomplishment.

With Mrs. O. E. Patterson at the piano and led by Mrs. Wallace Cox all joined in a sing-song, singing "Rock That Is Higher Than I" and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus."

Mrs. Chas. Grissom, hostess had the club room very cozy and beautifully decorated with cut flowers and potted plants.

We regret that we did not obtain the names of the guests, but we noticed a number of our teachers and were also happy to notice the presence of Rev. Whitley.

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## T. E. L. Class Has Business and Social Meeting

The TEL Sunday School Class monthly business and social meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. Sides. Mrs. B. M. Whiteker brought the Devotional from the 23rd Psalm. After a short business meeting the members tackled two quilts for the Red Cross.

Members of the group with Mrs. Sides served refreshments of sandwiches, cake and tea to the following: Mmes. B. M. Whiteker, Linna Cunningham, D. J. Pearce, Sam A. Roberts, J. A. Bailey, Jno. A. Couch, J. L. Collier, Mary Oates, W. J. Linn, J. W. Martin, C. A. Merchant, R. Y. Mobley, R. J. Paxton, K. D. Simmons, J. E. Walling and Ida Crawford.

## Mrs. Bert Welsh Is Hostess To Tuesday Bridge Club Meeting

Mrs. Bert Welsh entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club this week and named Mrs. Frank Bryant of Austin as special guest. White snapdragons and orange and white sweet peas decorated the home for the occasion.

High score prizes went to Mrs. Hugh Ratliff and Mrs. Ralph Duncan. Mrs. Bryant was presented with a gift. Refreshments were served to Mmes. A. E. McMillen, Ben Charlie Chapman, Ernest Kimbrough, Buford Cox, William Ratliff, Virgil Reynolds, Hill Oates, Theron Cahill, French Robertson, Bryant, Ratliff and Duncan.

## Canta Rata Data Club Meets In Home of Mary Lou Webb

The Canta Rata Data Club met last week in the home of Mary Lou Webb. Refreshments were served to Sarah Beth Arbuckle, Maxie Rhea Burson, Deen Bartlett, Earlene Pearse, Jimmie Lou Free, Ruby McKelvin, Lucille Zelisko, Dorothy Minick, Sue Ratliff and the hostess.

## Cecil Lancaster Circle Meets On Monday Afternoon

The Cecil Lancaster Circle of the First Baptist Church met on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. C. Couch. Mrs. I. N. Simmons taught the Bible lesson for the meeting.

The hostess served refreshments to the following members: Mmes. Jim Fouts, Mary Oates, Hugh Watson, I. N. Simmons, Sam A. Roberts, R. L. Foote and R. P. Glenn.

## Hob Nob Club Meets In Home of Mrs. Thurman Bynum

Members of the Hob Nob Club met in the home of Mrs. Thurman Bynum for their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in knitting and playing rummy.

The following members were present: Mesdames Olin Patterson, G. C. Bartlett, Eugene Lawson, Fred Gilliam Dugan Starr, Ralph Merchant, Raymond Lusk, R. T. Landess, Harold Hammond.

The club regrets the loss of one of its charter members, Mrs. Lloyd Edwell, who has moved to Baytown, where she will make her future home. Reporter

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The Harmony Club met at the usual hour on Wednesday afternoon for a business meeting and choral practice. The president presided during the business session. The Federation Collect was repeated in unison and reports were given by officers and standing committee chairmen.

It was decided to give the operetta, Beautiful Dreamer, sometime during April. The songs are by Stephen C. Foster, woven into a story of his life. Mrs. A. V. Kemletz directed the chorus practice with Mrs. Leo Duncan at the piano.

The following were present: Mesdames T. C. Cahill, Sam Chapman, Leo Duncan, R. L. Harrison, Tommye Hawkins, Calvin Henson, Ira Hester, Margaret Hill, W. A. Kimbrough, F. M. Squires, B. M. Whiteker, V. M. Wilson, A. V. Kemletz, R. L. Foote, and J. T. Ellis, Misses Jessie Vick, Betty Jo Hester, Helen Young and Elvira Miller.

## Gold Diggers Enjoy Weiner Roast Thursday

A picnic planned at a call meeting Monday night, Jan. 26 in the home of Miss Frances Chapman, was given Thursday night by the Gold-Diggers. A weiner roast was held in the park. The Gold-Diggers and guests that enjoyed this delightful evening were as follows: Billie Jack Speer, Frances Chapman, Eloise Johnson, Anna Mae Brooks, Mary Helen Crundall, Frances Bolin, Florence Hammer, Dorothy Ann Morris, J. W. Holland, Jerry Cahill, Sam Smith, Dan McClintock, Jack Ford, A. H. Wair, Jr., Roy Clay Brock and Roy Everett. Chaperons for the occasion were Mrs. Crundall, Miss Louise Brooks and George Neely.

## Pennies Do Count Up!

A few pennies by themselves do not make much of a saving, but when you multiply them by the number of grocery items needed for your table, that's worth thinking about, isn't it? Get your basket filled today at our store and see how much you save on just one day's needs—then add this to the sum of each day's needs—then add this to the sum of each day's purchase during the year and you have a worthwhile saving!

"Pay Cash and Pay Less"

## Cut-Rate Cash Grocery

J. D. TYLER, Prop.

## The Chatter Box

(By BEA GAYLER)

For years we've been warned of the terrible blow to the popularity of any person who fails to make regular use of a certain kind of soap, but we venture to say that within two months halitosis and b. o. combined won't make a dent in a person's popularity compared to the disaster it will suffer if that person tries to get an extra pound of sugar above his allotment, buys bootleg tires, or fails to run his place of business according to the new schedule of hours recommended by the government.

Most of us have not yet settled down to the business of being patriotic till it hurts, but sad to say there are some among us who have not yet settled down to the business of being patriotic at all. Our American patriotism still ranges all the way from hero to virtual traitor. At the top of the list, of course, are the Americans who are actually fighting and dying for their country; then there are those who are working diligently at less dangerous tasks for their country's welfare; then there are those who are foregoing other things in order to invest in American defense bonds; then there are those who are still going blissfully along, apparently unaware of their added responsibilities; and then, at the bottom of the list, there are—yes, we must acknowledge the fact, there really are Americans who went to town last week and bought themselves several months' supply of sugar!

The first prerequisite to successful defense gardens will necessarily be improved fences around most of the neighborhood chicken yards.

Although we're a week late about it, we'd still like to congratulate Sister Helen and her company of helpers for giving us a community party that was a real treat. That one certainly warrants an encore.

## Beas' Scrapbook



Brief News Items From **RULE**

**Harris Entertains**  
Mrs. E. B. Harris entertained with a party at her home...

**Friday Bridge Club**  
Mrs. Gay was hostess to members of her bridge club...

**Former Rule Girl To Marry**  
Mrs. Frances Hills of Denton is announcing the engagement...

**Wife of Former Rule Man Dies**  
In Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lindsey received word Sunday of the death...

**Freshman Class Party**  
Members of the freshman class of Rule high school held their annual party in the school cafeteria...

**Mack Ellis Neal Party**  
Mrs. Ellis Neal assisted by her mother Mrs. A. McCready entertained with a party Wednesday...

**Thursday Night 42 Club**  
Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Parmely entertained members of their 42 club and guests Thursday evening...

**Billie Jo Thomas Party Honoree**  
Mrs. Oscar Thomas entertained with a party Friday afternoon honoring her little daughter Billie Jo on her fifth birthday...

**Mozelle Kinman Made President of Homemaking Club**  
Mozelle Kinman was elected president of the freshman Homemaking club at a recent meeting...

**Leaves for Colorado City**  
Miss Inell Mason left Saturday for Colorado City where she has accepted a position as clerk in the Federal Loan Security office...

**Westmoreland**  
Mrs. E. B. Harris entertained with a party at her home...

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**Political Announcements**

All political announcements are accepted for publication strictly on a cash-in-advance basis.

The Free Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Haskell county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

**For State Representative, 113th Legislative District:**  
A. H. KING (Second Term).

**For District Judge, 39th Judicial District:**  
DENNIS P. RATLIFF (For Second Full Term)  
BEN CHARLIE CHAPMAN.

**For District Attorney, 39th Judicial District:**  
WALTER MURCHISON.

**For County Judge:**  
COURTNEY HUNT.  
JOHN F. IVY.

**For County Superintendent:**  
THOS. B. ROBERSON.  
MATT GRAHAM (Re-Election)

**For Sheriff:**  
OLEN DOTSON (Re-election)

**For County Clerk:**  
MRS. HETTIE WILLIAMS.  
ROY RATLIFF (Re-Election)

**For District Clerk:**  
HORACE O'NEAL.

**For County Attorney:**  
CURTIS POGUE.  
A. C. FOSTER.

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
M. R. (Murray) SMITH.  
(Second Term)

**For County Treasurer:**  
WILLIE LANE (Re-Election)

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:**  
T. L. (Terry) ROBERSON.  
(Second Term)

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:**  
ALFRED TURNBOW.  
E. O. CHAPMAN.  
O. L. MOORE.

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:**  
J. P. TRIMMER.  
W. W. "BILL" GRIFFIN.  
JOE LARNED.

**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:**  
BILL FOOTS.  
(Second Term)

**For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:**  
EARNEST MARION.  
(Second Term)

**For Constable, Prec. No. 1:**  
STERLING EDWARDS  
(Second Term)

**For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 2 (Weinert):**  
EDDIE SANDERS.  
(Second Term)

**For Public Weigher, Prec. 7 (O'Brien):**  
W. A. BRYANT (Second Term)

**Wednesday Bridge Club**  
Mrs. T. E. Simpson entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club members and guests with a party on the home of her grandmother, Mrs. R. J. Earnest, Wednesday afternoon...

**Approaching Marriage of June Lisle Announced**  
Mrs. James A. Lisle and daughter Emma Jean entertained with a breakfast Sunday morning to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter and sister Miss June Lisle to Scott M. White of Dallas...

**Entertaining Rooms were attractively decorated with red and white carnations and the patriotic color scheme was further stressed in table appointments where the two course breakfast was served at individual tables.**

**Guests included:** Jean Cooper, Margaret Mitchell, Helen Crockett, Mary Frazier, Eunice Crew, Virginia Hutchens, Uda Margaret Smith, Evelyn Morgan, Jean Whitcomb and Bennie Sellers.

**The wedding will be held in the Liles home Saturday February 14 at 10 o'clock A. M.**

**Attending Annual P. C. A. Meeting in Stamford**  
The following Rule people attended the annual Production Credit Association in Stamford Friday: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kitley, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Place, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie B. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Yarbrough, Mr. and Mrs. Lorus Hunt and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Carothers and M. E. Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Saffie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam May, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Weaver, Olen Carothers, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Kevill, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Penick, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Coe Stephens.

**Naomi Bible Class Meeting Is Held Friday**  
The Naomi Bible Class of the First Baptist Church met in the Sunday School building Friday afternoon, January 30th in a business and social meeting. Mrs. Dorsey Oliphant directed the song service and the following numbers were sung by the group. Tell It To Jesus and I Love To Tell The Story. Mrs. Virgil Brown gave the opening prayer. Mrs. P. G. Kendrick presided for the business meeting. Mrs. Dennis Wilson was elected recording secretary. Collections of coupons for the coffee urn and for the Red Cross quilt linings were taken. The group captains decided to have a Gold Star Board for each group, carrying out the six-point record system. The report of the officers concluded the business meeting. Mrs. Ed Cass gave the devotion.

**Home Makers, using scripture reading, First Timothy, chapter 5, verses 4 and 5. This number was followed by a prayer by Mrs. H. R. Whitley. A vocal solo, Farther Along, was given by Mrs. Dorsey Oliphant accompanied by Mrs. Claude Jenkins. Games were directed by Mrs. Walter Rogers and Mrs. D. A. Jones. Those attending were: Mmes. Ed Cass, V. A. Brown, D. A. Jones,**

**Walter Rogers, H. R. Whitley, Louise Merchant, Lark Jones, Joe Fouts, Raymond Davis, Dennis Wilson, Melvin Miller, Walter Adams, Claude Jenkins, J. D. Tyler, Charles Smith, Hallie Chapman and the hostesses Mrs. John McMillen, Mrs. Dorsey Oliphant and Mrs. P. G. Kendrick. Bob Lane and Sonny Tanner of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, spent the week end with relatives in Haskell.**

**O'BRIEN COMMUNITY RAISES \$17.30 FOR PARALYSIS FUND**  
The O'Brien community raised \$17.30 for the Infantile Paralysis Fund through staging a March of Dimes and a Volley Ball Tournament arranged by Mrs. V. M. Wilson, local chairman at O'Brien, who was assisted by members of the O'Brien school faculty. Members of the different classes made up the teams, and a game between All-Star teams was also played.

**CLOVER FARM STORES**

<b>CLOVER FARM</b> Made of Pure Cream Lb. 38c	<b>GRENNAN'S GOLD DIVINITY RING CAKE</b> Each 10c	<b>TEA</b> CLOVER FARM Serve Hot or Iced... Tea Peps You Up 1/4-Lb. Pkg. 24c	<b>CLOVER FARM</b> Enjoy Rich, Flavorful Coffee 1-Lb. Vacuum 31c	<b>LONGHORN</b> Light Golden Yellow, Fine Flavor Lb. 29c
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**CLOVER FARM STORES**

<b>CLOVER FARM</b> Smooth Spreading Texture... Fine Flavor <b>Margarine</b> Lb. 21c	<b>CLOVER FARM</b> White Naphtha Laundry <b>SOAP</b> 6 Giant Bars 27c GRANULATED SOAP Large 19c	<b>CLOVER FARM</b> Heavy Bodied Open Kettle <b>Syrup</b> Pure Ribbon Cane No. 10 Size 59c
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**CLOVER FARM**

<b>CORN FLAKES</b> 3 Large 25c	<b>THE WHITE NAPHTHA LAUNDRY P &amp; G SOAP</b> 5 Giant Bars 23c	<b>THE NEW, CREAMY, SMOOTH CRISCO</b> 3 Lb. Can 65c	<b>CRISP AND FLAVORFUL CRACKERS</b> 2 Lb. Box 17c	<b>CLABBER GIRL Baking Powder</b> 25-Oz. Can 19c	<b>FLOUR</b> 12 Lb. 55c 24 Lb. Sack 95c
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**DRINK 'EM MORNING, NOON, NIGHT.**

<b>TOMATO JUICE</b> 46-Oz. Can 19c	<b>ORANGE JUICE</b> 46-Oz. Can 25c	<b>GRAPEFRUIT JUICE</b> 46-Oz. Can 17c
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**Body Building Meats**

<b>CHOICE MEATS</b> Fresh Pork LOIN ROAST 3 to 3-Lb. End Cuts, Lb. 23c Tender, Delicious and Full of Essential Vitamins.	<b>Armour's Star Pure Pork Sausage Patties</b> Lb. 27c Serve Tasty Pork Sausage With Hot Biscuits and Cream Gravy.	<b>Armour's Star LIVER CHEESE</b> Lb. 27c A Choice Liver Sausage Seasoned Just Right.	<b>Lean Meaty SPARE RIBS</b> Lb. 12 1/2c You'll Enjoy a Spare Rib and Safer Kraut Dinner.	<b>Fresh Sliced BOLOGNA</b> Lb. 19c It's Good Yet So Economical...	<b>Armour's Dextro SLICED BACON</b> Lb. 15c For a Real Treat, Crisp Bacon and C. F. Hotcakes.	<b>Family Style BEEF ROAST</b> Lb. 29c Delicious Baked With Vegetables and Served With C. F. Catsup.	<b>Fresh Pork NECK BONES</b> Lb. 7 1/2c Serve With Fluffy Dumplings...
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**CLOVER FARM STORES**

<b>Macaroni-Spaghetti</b> Does Not Cook Fasty 2 8-Oz. Packages 15c	<b>APPLE BUTTER</b> 2-Lb. Jar 19c A Delightful Spread for Bread	<b>GRAPE JAM</b> 12-Oz. Jar 14c Pure, Delicious, Wholesome.
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**IVORY SOAP SALE**

Large Bar 11c	Medium Bar 7c	Guest Size 5c
<b>IVORY FLAKES</b> Large 23c	Medium 10c	

**Clover Farm**

<b>KRAUT</b> 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 23c	<b>White Swan Mince Meat</b> 2 9-Oz. Pkgs. 19c
<b>NOMINY</b> 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 19c	<b>Blood in Syrup PEACHES</b> 2 No. 1 Cans 19c
<b>Rock Crystal SALT</b> 3 24-Oz. Packages 10c	<b>Clover Farm PUMPKIN</b> 2 No. 2 Cans 19c
<b>Out Green Stringless BEANS</b> 2 No. 2 Cans 19c	<b>Mustard or Turnip GREENS</b> 2 No. 2 Cans 19c
<b>Glendale Early June PEAS</b> 2 No. 2 Cans 27c	<b>Mexican Style BEANS</b> 2 Med. Cans 19c
<b>Clover Farm Whole Grain CORN</b> 2 No. 2 Cans 25c	<b>Clover Farm Pk. &amp; Beans</b> 2 16-oz. Cans 23c

**CLOVER FARM STORES**

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So excellent personal service given to each policyholder as it occurs.

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### GEMS OF THOUGHT

Obedience is what makes government, and not the names by which it is called.  
—Burke

## Farmers Plan War Production

The machinery set up by the Department of Agriculture to control the production of farm crops is now serving the nation in its war effort by materially facilitating increased production of vitally needed products.

The AAA program has been much misunderstood by many people who have not been interested in understanding what it attempted to do. The purpose behind crop control is to regulate production to probable demands, with provision for a reasonable surplus to avoid shortages.

Now that the United States is expected to feed the United Nations, as well as to provide their armies with weapons, the Agriculture Department is taking steps to assist farmers in providing the necessary increased production.

With large stocks of wheat and cotton existing these crops remain rigidly controlled because additional production would represent a "waste of labor and supplies." Because hogs and chickens have increased, larger feed supplies will be needed and, consequently, the corn-planting goal for 1942 has been increased from 90,000,000 to 95,000,000 acres.

In addition emphasis is placed upon oil-bearing crops because of the loss of Far Eastern supplies. The acreage of peanuts, soybeans and flaxseed will be greatly increased.

Carrying out this program the acreage in peanuts has been increased from 3,500,000 to 3,000,000 acres; soybeans from 7,000,000 to 9,000,000 acres; and flaxseed, from 3,267,000 to 4,500,000 acres.

There will also be increases in the production goals of other crops, including rice, dry beans, eggs, hogs, flue-cured, burley and other types of tobacco, canned peas and canned tomatoes.

## Volunteers Fight Fire

In many communities volunteer auxiliary fire fighting forces are being trained and established. That should be done now by every town in the nation.

These groups can serve two highly important purposes. First, they will be able to render assistance to the regular fire departments. In times such as the present, fire is a real disaster. We must keep our factory wheels turning for defense. We must preserve our materials and labor for defense.

## Haskell County History

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

### 20 Years Ago—Feb. 11, 1922

County Tax Collector Chas. Conner reports that a total of 4-163 poll tax receipts and 103 exemption certificates were issued in Haskell county prior to Jan. 31. The Wichita Valley Railway has a petition pending before the State Railroad Commission for permission to discontinue two of the passenger trains now being operated between Wichita Falls and Abilene. Towns along the railroad are expected to protest granting this permission, which would leave this section with only two trains daily.

Shortly after midnight Wednesday, while George Gibbs and Andy Holler had started from town to their home in the east part of the city, they were accosted near the Wichita Valley depot by a stranger, who at the point of a pistol forced them to give him their money. The two victims phoned Sheriff Al Cousins as soon as they reached the depot, and the officer within a few minutes arrested the hi-jacker about a block from the depot, where he was believed waiting to get away on a night passenger train due at 9:25 p. m.

Fire last Saturday destroyed The Texas Garage and Filling Station, the Haskell Bottling Works, Watson's Candy Kitchen and slightly damaged the home of Mrs. Hallmark, across the street from the Texas Garage building. Total loss from the fire is estimated between twelve and fifteen thousand dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Alexander and children of Seymour visited relatives in this city this week.

Theodore Ratliff, principal of the Sagerton school, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Judge and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff.

Louis Poteet, who was injured

### 30 Years Ago—Feb. 10, 1912

The Jones and Haskell County Rural Mail Carriers Association will hold their annual meeting in Haskell February 22.

The election held Saturday on the question of issuing Road and Bridge Bonds in Precinct No. 1 was a quiet affair. The proposal failed to realize the two-thirds majority required by law, though the poll showed a good majority for the bonds, the vote being 278 for and 179 against.

Harley Grissom will leave tonight for St. Louis to purchase his spring stocks.

Will Kitley, Joe Cloud, R. M. Smith and Dick Carothers of the west side were in the city Monday.

Byron Glascock of Oklahoma is visiting his daughters, Mesdames Brooks and Dickenson of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Plants of Seymour were in the city Sunday. Mrs. Plants and her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Robertson of this city, left Sunday night to visit relatives in California. They were accompanied as far as Abilene by Mr. Plants.

Dr. Earl Morris of Spur was visiting his mother Mrs. C. P. Morris in this city the early part of the week.

Henry Johnson left Wednesday for the American Colony at Santa Luceta on the Mexican Isthmus, about 500 miles south of Mexico City. Mr. Johnson has interested a number of people in this country, among whom is B. A. Barnes of Arlington, who will join the excursion Thursday morning at Fort Worth.

Jim Ellis had a small fire at his

Shortages and priority restrictions make the replacement of burned homes and other buildings extremely difficult and, in some cases, absolutely impossible.

Second, these auxiliary fire fighting forces will be vitally needed if war from the air ever comes to this country. London was saved by volunteer fire wardens who had to learn their jobs under the most difficult conditions. History may yet tell what towns and cities in the New World were saved by fire fighters, no less than towns and cities in the Old.

There is a place in defense for everyone. And fire protection is one of the most vital of defense activities.

## Public Waste Must Be Stopped

The most telling criticism of the newly proposed Federal budget deals with projected expenditures for non-war activities. The budget calls for a cut of about \$1,000,000,000 a year in this direction. Many economists and high government officials are convinced that a reduction of at least double this amount can be made.

The taxpayers are being called upon to accept a financial burden unparalleled in our history. Last year's record-breaking income tax bill is supposed to produce an increase in tax revenue of some \$3,500,000,000 a year. This year, plans call for another bill to produce around \$9,000,000,000 additional. Every possible source of revenue will be tapped to the limit. With such a staggering sum to be raised for the nation's protection and survival, every conscientious citizen should protest the spending of a solitary tax nickel for any non-defense purpose which can be eliminated or deferred.

We are still spending hundreds of millions each year for "relief" at a time when the national income, because of the war boom, is at record levels, and an acute labor shortage is imminent. We are spending more millions for a long list of "social" projects which divert money and energies from the grim job of winning the greatest war history has known. Throughout the country waste of public funds continues.

Congress must learn that the era of "spending as usual" must come to an end.

## Air-Raid Advice

The all-important item of air-raid precaution has been given studied consideration by the Consumer Division of the Office of Price Administration. That division offers a number of valuable suggestions to civilians on what items to buy for a well-stocked medicine cabinet.

This business of preparing for a possible air-raid is not a light matter, and it is advised that the following should be kept on hand: Tannic acid jelly for burns—under no circumstances should a greasy or oily ointment be used, as it must later be removed by a physician, and its removal is dangerous and painful; a pain-reliever such as aspirin; a remedy for faintness, such as aromatic spirits of ammonia; baking soda to be used as an emetic or relief from indigestion; a mild laxative; bandages and sterile gauze in sealed packages; adhesive tape; a thermometer; scissors; and tweezers.

Those who remember the first World War remember the war gardens and the meatless days. This may give some people a faint idea of what may be ahead of us.

Every man, woman and child in Haskell County will be called upon to make some sacrifice for the nation before the present struggle is won and we mean sacrifice.

The Germans, according to Berlin, are taking advantage of the Russians, who are foolishly advancing their lines, thus making themselves susceptible to a counter-attack.

It may not be amiss to point out that the future of the nation depends upon the conduct of the young people who were worrying their elders by their behavior some years ago.

### barn Monday. It originated from

some live coals and ashes near the coal bin, which was burned. The fire was extinguished before it spread to the barn.

H. H. Newsom has moved back from Oklahoma and will make his home in Haskell again.

### 40 Years Ago—Feb. 8, 1902

G. W. Williams from Waxahatchie is opening up a general stock of groceries in the building on the east side of the square formerly occupied by Mr. Wilbourne. Several wagon-loads of goods belonging to Baker-Bryant Company of Stamford passed through Haskell this week going to Monday, where the firm is opening a branch store.

J. L. Baldwin has taken the contract to carry the Marcy mail three times weekly.

Eugene Williams and Allen Reily of Kentucky arrived here this week and are guests in the H. S. Wilson home. Mr. Reynolds is a brother of Mrs. Wilson.

T. N. Ramsey, who recently moved here and bought J. W. Meadors place in the northwest part of town, has gone into the dairy business.

Miss Maud Best of Albany, who has been visiting Miss Fannie Hudson, returned home Wednesday night.

We understand that a general store is being opened up at the Clifton schoolhouse by a Mr. Powell.

Cattle are standing the winter remarkably well, local ranchmen say. Notwithstanding the cold weather and short grass, very few cattle have died.

Lee Pierson sold two farms of 200 acre each on Wildhorse Prairie this week to J. F. Pinkerton for \$5,000.

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Haskell National Bank, all the old officers were re-elected.

Mrs. John Couch is visiting with friends at Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott left Wednesday for Austin to attend the wedding of Mr. Scott's niece, a daughter of Judge Key of the Supreme Court.

## BOY SCOUTS' RANKS GROWING



The above poster in colors, now being displayed all over the country, announces Boy Scout Week with the slogan "Strong For America." Boy Scouts everywhere in the nation have taken on and are assuming extra assignments from Uncle Sam to do their part in the defense of America. Boys 12 years of age and over who are not Scouts and who wish to share in winning the war by doing these "Good Turns" should get in touch with the nearest office of the Boy Scouts of America.

## Brief News Items From Weinert

### Methodist Young People Entertained

The young people of the Methodist church enjoyed a social Thursday evening January 29 at the Scout house.

Mrs. Ivey Palmer, sponsor for the young people, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Terrell and Rev. O. Bruce supervised the games. Weiners and marshmallows were to have been roasted and served with a drink but after a number of games the party was broken up by the rain.

Those present were: Cecil Edwin Jones, Billy Louise Jines, G. L. Walker Jr., Billy Cooley, Boyd Yandell, Juanell and Mary Frances Howard, Joyce and Royce Smith, Eugene Gary, Jimmy Medley, Clay Griffith, Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Terrell and Rev. O. Bruce.

### Attend Study Club at Munday

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Mrs. Bailey Guess, Mrs. Vern Derr, Ann Derr and Sue Guess were guests of the Study Club at Munday last Friday afternoon. Sue and Ann gave a tap number at the program with Mrs. Cadenhead at the piano.

### Weinert Matrons Club Meets Thursday

The Weinert Matrons Club met in regular session on Thursday January 29 with Mrs. P. F. Weinert as hostess.

Mrs. Fred Monke the president, presided for the business session. Mrs. P. F. Weinert was the director for a program on "Industry." She was assisted by Mrs. Payne Hattox.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Payne Hattox, Fred Monke, J. W. Liles, F. L. Wilson, G. C. Newsom and the hostess.

### Society of Christian Service Meets Monday

The Society of Christian Service met Monday February 2 at the Methodist church. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Fred Trice. Mrs. H. A. Marsh presided for the business session.

Mrs. Harry Bettis directed the program on "Stewardship." "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning" was sung after which Mrs. R. S. Edwards led in prayer. The devotional was given by Mrs. Fred Trice, Matt 19:16-31 and a few verses from Mal.

Mrs. Harry Bettis, the C. S. R. chairman discussed some of the things the committee might do. A poem was read by Mrs. E. Medley.

Mrs. Frank Ford gave an interesting article on Stewardship. Two offerings were given by Mrs. E. Griffith. "Teach Me to Love" a poem by Mrs. Jack Bettis. Mrs. P. F. Weinert read an article on Stewardship. The prayer card was read for dismissal.

We will begin our Bible study next Monday, "The Radiant Heart" and we urge all of our ladies to attend.

These were present: Mmes. E. Griffith, O. Bruce, Fred Trice, Harry Bettis, Jack Bettis, H. A. Marsh, P. F. Weinert, Paul Josselet, Everett Medley, Frank Ford R. S. Edwards.

Miss Bea Weinert returned home Thursday from Houston where she has been visiting for the past month. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Carl Jones for a visit.

### Weinert Teachers Resign

Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Cox have resigned as teachers of the Weinert school. Mr. Cox has accepted a position as teacher in the school at Shamrock. Mr. and Mrs. Cox and their daughter Tyseene will leave for their new home the last of this week.

### Baptist W. M. S. Meets Monday

The W. M. S. met Monday, Feb. 2 at the church. Mrs. G. C. Newsom, vice president presided for the business session. The meeting was opened with prayer.

Mrs. Walter Copeland, Bible Study leader taught the third lesson of the book of Genesis.

These were present: Mmes. J. F. Cadenhead, George Burkett, Vern Derr, G. C. Newsom, Walter Copeland and J. W. Liles.

### Surprise Birthday Dinner For Mr. Edd Howard

Mr. Edd Howard went to Sunday School last Sunday and when he went home he found that he had a house full of company. The table was loaded with good things to eat and in the center was a beautiful large birthday cake.

Those enjoying this happy occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Howard, Mr. Frances, Juanell, Maudelue and Sonny Boy Howard Mrs. H. C. Yandell, Boyd Lindell, James, Don and Margaret Ann Yandell of Weinert, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClaran and children, Bettie Ilene and John H. and Miss Edna Howard of Munday and the honoree, Mr. Howard.

### WEINERT LOCALS

Mrs. Pearl Brown and Mrs. W. L. Johnson were shopping in Munday Saturday.

Mrs. Orville Kim and little son of Clovis, N. M. have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Alexander and other relatives. Mr. Kim joined his wife here Friday for a visit.

Mrs. Grace Bettis, Mrs. Claude Reid and Mrs. Scotch Coggins were shopping in Haskell Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Medley of Wichita Falls spent the week end with relatives in Weinert and Munday.

Mrs. Grace Aycock made a business trip to Munday last Thursday.

Mrs. Jack Rich of Los Angeles, Calif. is visiting her mother Mrs. J. C. Lewellen of the Mattson community who is sick in the Haskell hospital and other relatives in Weinert.

Richard Medley of Brownfield, visited relatives and friends in Weinert Thursday. He is a former resident of Weinert and is the nephew of Marshall Medley.

Miss Emma Mae Smith and Miss Frances Coffman were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

## Weekly Health Letter

By Dr. Geo. W. Cox, Health Officer

Austin, Texas—Indifference and spreading form of sabotage. Doctor Cox, State Health Officer today in commenting on the necessity for cheerfulness and courage in face of our national emergency asserted that the nation must rise and meet our emergency with determination and will undimmed by the enemy acting from within. "It has been proved that a gloomy, worried state is conducive to and the President has proclaimed declaring the nation of accidental industrial to national strength," Dr. Cox stated.

"Your State Health stresses a warning that is carried to you today in commenting on the necessity for cheerfulness and courage in face of our national emergency asserted that the nation must rise and meet our emergency with determination and will undimmed by the enemy acting from within. "It has been proved that a gloomy, worried state is conducive to and the President has proclaimed declaring the nation of accidental industrial to national strength," Dr. Cox stated.

Doctor Cox pointed out that these are troubled times and that we should be concerned about national affairs. He pointed out that this concern can be converted into solving our difficulties, but worse than folly, he abandoned ourselves to a state of worry and fear.

Harboring rubbish and fire is like giving aid and comfort to the enemy. Dr. Gertrude Robb, Graduate Chiropractor, Massage and Physiotherapist, Cahill Insurance Co., Telephone 14. Residence 14. Sunday: By call or appointment.

Every person can become an active defense worker by constantly practicing fire prevention.

WHY suffer from Colds? For quick relief from cold symptoms take 666 Liquid-Tablets-Salve-Nose Drops

FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS

Now 4%, time 20 to 34 years. Land Bank Colonizers Loans now 5%, time 10 to 20 years. National Farm Loan Association W. H. McCandless, Secy-Treas. HASKELL, TEXAS

# Straight as a string

When neighbors and business men say to you —"Yes, he is as straight as a string." You have no fear for your future. Sooner or later, you will have the good things you deserve.

## This A World of Justice

On the whole, this is a world of Justice. Some "deadbeats" have their day, but it usually is a very short day. A man who does not pay his bills when due, does not get far.

## "It Never Pays"

—not to pay your bills when due, never pays. Being known as a deadbeat has never paid a dividend. It brings down the person in the end and the utter dislike of all people who he defrauds.

## The Straight Upright Man

—is the one who wins most of the prizes of life, and best of all, he is worthy to own and enjoy them. He is a man who has a happy, prosperous life, while the deadbeat will have only wretchedness, for he is a failure.

## "Pay Your Bills Promptly"

# Retail Merchants and Professional Men of Haskell

**INSURANCE**  
Was never so important as NOW...  
See  
**T. C. CAHILL AND SON**

**Dr. Arthur A. Edwards**  
Optometrist  
Eyes Tested... Glasses Fitted  
Magnetic Massage  
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# THE WARWHOOOP

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## Shop Editor, Kodak

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## Win and

ers are still keeping up pace of playing two week. Last week they rockmorton at Throck- Tuesday, and Rule at Friday. The Grey- eated our quintet, prov- elves an even better they had already prov- in a former game we m. We found Pete Stout e effective on the very showing even though win. game was certainly cting the Indians have season, and a most crowd attended—in too enthusiastic. The so close that it called extra periods with our ing five points in the to win. This last part

## Teacher To Receive Honorary Degree

The Vocational Agriculture teachers of the Abilene Jan. 21 elected Homer Neal, V. A. teacher of Haskell High School to receive the Honorary Lone Star Degree at the annual State convention next summer.

This degree is the highest that can be bestowed upon an agriculture teacher by the State F. F. A. organization. Mr. Neal was selected to receive this honor because of his outstanding work in the F. F. A. organization. He has been instrumental in securing one of the best Farm Shops in the area, and in developing an outstanding project program. He is also secretary of the C. W. T. F. of Haskell.

## New Building Is Occupied

On Monday, February 2, the wishes of practically ever student in Haskell High were fulfilled, for the school had been moved into the new building. Although the actual day for beginning classes in the new location was Monday, some were held in it on Friday. Many changes and improvements had been made, which added to the enjoyment of being in the new school building. One of the nicest things about the building were the tiled fountains which had been installed. Instead of the old study hall, a library is in its place. News to the science, biology and chemistry students is that the science laboratory has been enlarged. The teachers will appreciate the convenient ladies' lounge and the gentlemen's cloak room. Another thing which teachers and students will enjoy is the bulletin board in every class room. Mr. Pearsey was glad to know that the entrance to the basement is more conveniently located. As most people know, the building is semi-fireproof to prevent another fire accident. Although the auditorium is not finished it means a great deal to the students to get into the new school building. The only defect in the entire building is the fact that lockers could not be obtained and shelves will take their place.

## Program Has Theme of National Defense

An assembly program was presented on Friday, January 30, 1942 by the recently organized "Young Defenders of America". It was a program based on the president's birthday, and his "march of dimes" campaign for the prevention of infantile paralysis. The principal speaker on the program was the Rev. J. D. Pinkerton, of the Church of Christ. Introduction was given by Ross Lowe, who is president of the club, and the student body joined in singing the "Star Spangled Banner" led by Mr. Ramsey. Mr. Horton led the prayer, and Carolyn Williams gave a sketch of Roosevelt's life. "What Our School Can Do For National Defense" was earnestly discussed by Dan Oates, and then the guest speaker was introduced by Miss Riley. The conclusion of the program was the singing of "America" by the assembly. This program was enjoyed by everyone and Haskell High is proud of its new organization.

## Freshman Girl Is Annual Queen

Deen Bartlett, freshman candidate, was elected Annual Queen, as revealed by a count of the votes last Friday afternoon. The other class candidates, Nancy Collins, Annette Laird and Florence Hammer—representing the sophomores, juniors and seniors, respectively—gave her some strong competition, but Deen had many admirers. Besides, the fresher always back their candidates, with substantial support.

Deen's picture will appear with the favorites in the annual. The money received will be used to help defray the expense of the annual.

## Haskell FFA News

The following are some of the Ag. projects of Haskell High Aggies:

Lonnie Roy Davis—Sixty-two laying hens—good production.

Harwell Chatwell—Fifty laying hens—nice flock.

Billie Mack Perdue—Ten lambs—doing nicely.

J. W. Casey—Hereford calf.

Lynn Williamson—Dairy calf and cow.

We aggies regret that we have two sick boys in our chapter. They are Albert Holcomb and Willie Druessedow. Both are getting well fast. We will be glad when they are back with us.

## Senior Spotlight

MARY HELEN CRANDALL

Mary Helen is a very active and studious member of Haskell High School. Due to be just a junior this year, she has accumulated enough credits to be classified as a senior and expects to receive her diploma in May. She has been in the Band for two years and a member of the Gypsy Ramblers for three years. Mary Helen has received all her education from the public schools of Haskell, to whom she gives her steadfast loyalty. She is a member of the short-hand class, and is also taking typing in order to attain the foundation for a business career.

Mary Helen is interested in sports and is very regular in her attendance to basketball games. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Crandall.

JUANITA COFIELD

Juanita came to Haskell High from Gaunt during her sophomore year. Up to that time she had received all of her previous training there. She was a member of the pep squad her sophomore year, and was a member of the Home-makers Club her sophomore and junior years.

Juanita has found great delight in her hobby, which is collecting vases. She plans to become a secretary when she finishes school. Because of her pleasing personality, we know that she will succeed in her chosen career. Mr. and Mrs. H. Cofield are Juanita's parents.

FLORENCE HAMMER

That studious, yet beautiful blond girl one sees around the school campus is Florence Hammer.

Florence is one of the most popular members of the senior class. She was president of the Home Economics Club in her sophomore year, secretary-treasurer of the Junior class in 1940-41, reporter of the Freshman and Sophomore classes of 1938-39 and 1939-40, special correspondent of the Warwhoop to Abilene Reporter for the past two years, besides being on the honor roll all the time.

For three years Florence has proved herself a loyal Indian by being in the pep squad. This year she has led the Haskell High pep squad with efficiency, which has drawn much admiration from cheer leaders of rival pep squads.

After finishing school this year Florence hopes to start a career as a secretary. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hammer of this city.

Doin's of Dopes

DRIP

Say, Johnnies and Janes, how about a three-gun-salute to our love birds, Jack and Mary Helen. Every time yours truly sees them they're cooing and billing about school. Seems to me like they would run out of sweet nothings to spill in each other's shell pink ears. Any how, our school is not entirely devoid of romance. If by any chance by the time this reaches print, there has been a small earthquake, or in common terms, a bust-up, between Jack and Mary Helen, there are two other couples that might carry on the tradition for H. H. S. If this should happen, perhaps Sister and Dan, or Anna Mae and Dan (not the same one) could carry on and uphold our tradition.

Hats off, everybody, to little Queen Dean of the House of Bartlett. Looks like the blondes win again. And a very good choice everybody says, even though all precedents have been broken by the election of a freshman for Annual Queen of H. H. S. for the school year of 1941-42.

Things H. H. S. couldn't do without:

Janette Viney's obstinance.

Dorothy Minick's chatter.

Ross' attitude.

Miss Riley's talks to her fifth

period class.

Mariogene's pep.

Jerry Cahill's sneeze.

A. H. Wair's "un-huh".

Wallace Cox's corduroy hat.

Since Academy Awards are being given in Hollywood, something is in order from H. H. S. Course this isn't an official vote, but I think nearly everyone will agree when I say:

The most talkative person — Doris Minick.

The quietest—Nannie Mae Pace.

The most energetic—Mr. Ramsey.

The one with least pep—Hugh Watson.

Do you agree? They seem pretty representative to me.

Could someone please tell me? Why Annie Bess runs to Stamford every time she can. Of course we know that's the home of the "Flying Cadets" but—

Who Sam Smith will go with next? He's practically made the rounds of high school. Sam, don't you think grade school is kinda young for you?

What happened to Jack Sellers' cheek? Looks like he ran into a door—or somethin'.

If any of you can answer these questions, please address your replies to

Drip

Podunk Holler

4th Tree from right end.

Let's say goodbye to the care-free days when we could sit in one room and listen to two classes. Or be sitting so close to some one that without the slightest effort, we could have seen exactly what he had written on his paper (although we never took this privilege because we're not the types). For you see, we are moving into the new building—where we will have a room for every class! It sounds wonderful but it also fills one with nostalgia for the harum-scarum classes we all met before February 2, 1942.

January 28 was a hectic day for every one including Mr. Dixon, the cameraman from the Dixon Studios in Seymour. First one class would be interrupted with the call, "Come on, Band Members," or "All members of the Pep Squad wanted outside." Then Stinkey would stick her head in a door and give forth with a big shout, "Gypsy Ramblers, out front!" This was accompanied by a sweep of the thumb and a shrill whistle (which she has mastered to the highest degree). Finally the last bell rang, and the students were free to do as they pleased. It was a trying day for all, but just

wait until those "beautiful" pictures come out in our annuals, then will everyone be going about with their heads in the air? Well, I'll say so!

I think I will be safe in saying that Mr. Stone was the happiest of all the teachers to get into our new building. Since he had the middle classroom in the activity building, he was constantly being disturbed. Someone was always going through his room to speak with Miss Couch, or someone was carrying Warwhoop material to be proof-read by Miss Vick. During all these disturbances, Mr. Stone kept his head (and his temper) rather well. Never a cross word did the offending students hear from him. And I think all the other teachers will join with Mr. Stone in saying, "It's wonderful to have a classroom in which you can not be disturbed."

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Well, I'm here, but I don't know where my class room are. Isn't everything nice? Where is the typing room? What are you going to do if you can't find your books? I've looked everywhere for them. Gosh, this floor is slick! Where's the pencil sharpener in this room? This seems like old times doesn't it? Do you know where the study hall is? I'll have to go back over to the Activity Building to look for my books; I wasn't here last Friday. Honest, everybody is just wandering these halls, just for the novelty of it. Wonder where my locker will be? Wish I could find a pencil sharpener. Somebody tell me where to go to bookkeeping. At last I've found my English book? First period study hall will be in Mr. Kilgore's room, but where is Mr. Kilgore. Are we really going to have a bell? Wonder where I could find a pencil sharpener? I'll bet Mr. Ramsey fairly rat-

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## Service Honor Roll

Cullen Heath, a graduate of '39 is stationed at Fort D. A. Russell, at Marfa, Texas. He is in Battery F, of the 77th Field Artillery.

One of the many guarding our western coast is Robert Couch, who graduated from H. H. S. in '35. He is in Battery F of the 56th Coast Artillery at Fort Cronkhite, California.

A graduate of '37, R. V. Earles, is now a sergeant in the 547th Night Squadron of the Air Corps Gunnery School at Las Vegas, Nevada.

Sergeant Theo Moore, formerly a mechanic in the Air Corps, has now taken up pilot's training in Kelly Field at San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bryan and daughters, Barbara and Dolores left Tuesday for Vernon where they will make their future home.

Careless habits contribute to destruction of materials and property as well as the possible loss of life by fire.

Relief At Last For Your Cough

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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# Three Thrifty Americans



Washington, Lincoln and You

Abraham Lincoln knew about thrift in a log cabin on the Sangamon River in Indiana. He learned economy splitting rails, putting up fences, keeping a store in Salem. George Washington was thrifty, too, on a plantation in Virginia, through necessity, but because he was a wise manager and a good business man. You're thrifty because it's smart to be that way regardless of circumstances, because these troubled times call more than ever for the old-fashioned ways of working and saving. The Haskell National Bank is always working for these ends.

We're grateful for Democracy. We have faith in Liberty... In free enterprise... in the resources of this country... and in the ability of the American people to preserve their rights. We believe that the American dollar—like Democracy—is worth having. To these purposes we pledge our resources and energies.

Legal Holiday Feb. 12th

This bank will be closed all day Thursday, February 12 in observance of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

Haskell National Bank

Member F.D.I.C.

# Jim eats breakfast at the SUPPER table now!



IT'S a screwy schedule. Jim downs a man-sized dinner while Mom's doing the breakfast dishes, sleeps the day away, and gets breakfast at the family supper table! He's on the night shift at the power plant.

The night is bright with light when Jim goes to work. Turbines that have been humming 24 hours a day never pause as fresh men take over the all-out job of generating power for Democracy.

CONTINUOUS production makes

tremendous demands on men, machines, and on the electric service that powers practically every operation.

But the power is always there—day and night—Sundays and holidays—365 days a year.

The electric industry was ready when the crisis came—ready to serve every military need in addition to your home and business—ready to meet new needs with new construction. 1941 saw more than 2½ million extra horsepower installed—enough



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INVEST IN AMERICA! BUY Defense Bonds and Stamps!

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to light one-fourth of all the homes in the U. S. A!

America's electric companies have been able to accomplish this by good business management—by producing over 90 per cent of the nation's electric power and making it available almost anywhere, over carefully interconnected systems.

We're glad we can make this report—and glad to pledge our unending effort to supply millions of workmen with all the electric power they need to make America POWERFUL!

West Texas Utilities Company



# Care of Your Car

By Smitty

The United States Government for years has been studying the possibilities in manufacturing rubber for motor car tires and other uses. And now with the Far Eastern supply of raw rubber cut off the nation is about ready to plunge into the manufacture of substitutes. It is estimated that within 18 months a total of four hundred thousand tons of synthetic rubber can be supplied. America leads the entire world in experiments with artificial rubber and many foreign nations have tried vainly to get possession of the secrets of our chemists.

In order to keep your old bus running it is the proper thing to have it overhauled as soon as possible and you will not have to accept the synthetic parts to do the job. The real thing can be had at Smitty's at a price that will please you. We have all necessary parts and urge you to have your work done while our stocks are complete.

If when driving up a hill the car slows down to 20 miles an hour, switch to second gear. This will ease the strain on your motor.

If when driving, your car is sluggish and noisy, can't take hills in high and is in a run down condition generally switch to Smitty's and get a set of new rings—McQuay Norris, Perfect Circle, A B Chance or Economy carried in all sizes.

No satisfactory adjustment of the carburetor can be made unless the spark plugs are in good condition.

We can save you gas by selling you new plugs or an exchange carburetor. We sell AC, Champion, Southland and Gypo plugs. Our carburetors are original equipment rebuilt to exact factory specifications.

Farmers use about one third of the gasoline consumed in the United States, a survey reveals.

A survey reveals that farmers use two thirds of the parts sold by Smitty's. We sell it 'cause we got it.

Passenger car owners in the United States drive their cars an average of 8,196 miles a year, records show.

Passenger car owners who buy their car needs at Smitty's travel at less expense per mile and with less trouble than those who buy unknown brand parts.

Get down the serial numbers of your tires and keep them with your driver's license. They will come in handy in event your tires are stolen.

Make it a habit to trade at Smitty's and save on your car, truck and tractor needs—We sell oil, too.

Buy a Defense Bond Today!

McCASLAND has Concrete Sand and Gravel in stacks at pit for 40c per yard. Also real driveway material for 15c per yard.

## Judge A. H. King Asks Re-Election As Representative

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce that Judge A. H. King of Throckmorton will be a candidate for re-election to a second term as State Representative from the 113th Legislative District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. The District is composed of Haskell, Throckmorton and Baylor counties.

In authorizing announcement of his candidacy this week, Judge King stated that he would have a formal statement to the voters concerning his candidacy at a later date.

Judge King is now serving his first term as Representative from this district and his record in the office has been that of an honest, courageous public official, who has stood steadfast in his convictions on all legislative matters, supporting those measures which he believed best for the public interest and opposing all legislation which he was convinced would not serve to the best interests of the public and his constituents.

He is a firm believer in honest and economical government, from the highest State office to the smallest precinct post, and his belief is reflected in his stand on all governmental affairs during his tenure as Representative. Judge King states that he will endeavor to see as many of the voters in the 113th district as possible under existing conditions to discuss his candidacy with them personally, but in the meantime solicits the consideration and support of the voters of the three counties in the 113th district.

## W. A. Bryant For Second Term As O'Brien Weigher

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of W. A. Bryant of O'Brien for re-election to a second term as Public Weigher of Precinct No. 7. The precinct embraces O'Brien and surrounding trade territory.

Mr. Bryant is now serving his first term as public weigher at O'Brien, and is seeking a second term on the record he has made as a public official since he has been in office, believing that the experience he has gained better qualifies him to give the farmers and all others having business with the office more efficient service in the future.

We take pleasure in commending his candidacy to the voters of the O'Brien section for their careful consideration and support. In keeping with the Democratic custom of rewarding an efficient public servant with a second term, it is doubtless that Mr. Bryant will have an opponent, but regardless of this fact it goes without saying that he will appreciate any consideration and support given his candidacy.

Before the primary is held, Mr. Bryant will endeavor to see as many voters in Precinct 7 as possible and solicit their support personally, but in the meantime he asks that you consider this announcement as a personal solicitation for your consideration.

E. B. Harris of the Rule Review was a visitor in Haskell Monday.

## O. L. Moore Enters Race for Prec. No. Two Commissioner

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of O. L. Moore of this city for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Mr. Moore, farmer and resident in the precinct for the past 13 years, is well and favorably known to many of the voters in the precinct. In announcing his candidacy this week, Mr. Moore states that he will endeavor to see as many of the voters as possible as the campaign progresses, and will welcome an opportunity to discuss his claims for the office with them personally. If elected, he pledges to devote hard work, diligent effort and sound business judgment in carrying the duties of the important office of Commissioner.

In connection with his candidacy Mr. Moore issued the following statement:

"To the Voters of Precinct No. 2: I am announcing my candidacy for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2. I have been a farmer in this precinct for the past thirteen years and I know the needs of this precinct as administered through the office of County Commissioner. If elected to the office I will endeavor to do the best in every way possible.

"I have never been a candidate for public office before, but will try to see as many of the people in this precinct as possible and discuss my candidacy with you. If I don't see you personally I will certainly appreciate your support and consideration. I thank you.

Yours sincerely,  
O. L. MOORE"

## Joe Larned Is Candidate for Commissioner

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of Joe Larned, well-known resident of this city, for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Larned states that he will have a formal statement concerning his candidacy at a later date, but at this time he wished to place his name before the voters of Precinct 3 and to solicit their consideration and support in choosing their Commissioner in the coming primary.

A resident of Haskell and Precinct No. 3 for the past 30 years, Mr. Larned is acquainted with a majority of the voters and residents in the precinct, therefore needs no introduction at our hands.

A property-owner and taxpayer in the precinct for many years, Mr. Larned is 45 years old and has a family. He has never asked for public office before, but feels that his long residence in the precinct has acquainted him in a large measure with the needs of the precinct. If elected, he states that he will devote his entire time and best efforts to handling the affairs of Commissioner in an economical and business-like manner, without partiality to any section of the precinct, keeping in mind at all times the best interest of the precinct and the county as a whole.

As the campaign progresses Mr. Larned will endeavor to see as many voters as possible to discuss his candidacy with them personally. In the meantime, he respectfully solicits your careful consideration.

## E. O. Chapman To Be Candidate For Co. Commissioner

E. O. Chapman, well-known farmer of the Mattson community this week authorizes The Free Press to announce his candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

In announcing his decision to seek the office of Commissioner, Mr. Chapman stated that he would likely have a formal statement to the voters at a later date, but in the meantime takes this early opportunity to solicit the consideration of every voter in the Precinct in selecting their Commissioner.

Mr. Chapman, a successful farmer, has been a resident of Haskell county and Precinct 2 for 34 years, and therefore is thoroughly acquainted with the needs in every section of the precinct. As a property owner and taxpayer he also knows the vital interests of the taxpayers as affected in the administration of Precinct affairs. His sound and practical business experience qualifies him to fill the office of Commissioner in a manner that will serve the best interests of the precinct and county as a whole.

If elected, Mr. Chapman states that he will endeavor to conduct the affairs of the office on an economical and sound business basis at all times, keeping in mind the best interests of the precinct and the county as a whole.

As time will permit, Mr. Chapman expects to make as intensive a campaign as is practicable under existing circumstances, in order to discuss his candidacy personally with the voters. In the meantime he takes this opportunity to solicit your consideration and support.

Joe Harper, G. R. Schumann, Roy Overton, John Brock, Floy Lilly, Emma Jean Lisle and Mary Lena Wiseman were in Wichita Falls last week to attend a district AAA meeting for two days.

## MATTSON BAPTIST CHURCH BUILDING TO BE DEDICATED

Dedication and homecoming services will be held Sunday, Feb. 8, 1942. Because of bad weather the dedication was put off until this date.

The services will be held at the Mattson Baptist Church Sunday at which time the modern church, building free of debt will be dedicated in a special service. The Homecoming service will be held at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday morning and will be conducted by the district missionary, Rev. Littleton.

There will be a basket lunch. All members be sure and bring full baskets.

All former pastors have been invited and all former members are invited. The Mattson people invite everyone to join them in dedicating the new house of worship.

The dedication service will be held Sunday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. H. R. Whitley, minister of the First Baptist Church in Haskell. At the conclusion of the dedication service a history of the Mattson Baptist Church will be given. Church leaders and members of the congregation invite the public to join with them in the services Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Tidwell and children left Thursday evening for Baytown where they joined Mr. Tidwell and will make their future home.

## Wanted

WANTED—Women and Juniors shopping for new Spring apparel, Printzess and Betty Rose Coats, sizes 9 to 42, and other nationally advertised items appreciated by smart women. The Personality Shoppe, Mrs. Elma Guest owner, Tonkawa Hotel building. A21c

LISTEN FRIENDS our country needs our waste junk. Let's do all we can for it. I am doing my part by paying you top prices for all of your junk. Let's get it in now for Uncle Sam at 40c per 100. Curley Courtney. B6p

WANTED TO RENT—Small house or I would trade or sell property in Rochester for same in Haskell. Mrs. Lela B. Wilson, Haskell, Texas. B6p

SPRING SPECIAL—For a limited time we will give a regular \$3.50 Permanent for only \$2.00. This is a real bargain at a time when everything is advancing in price. Make your appointment early to be sure of getting in on this special. Three courteous operators at your service. Mrs. Woodson, Irene Woods and Geneva Thompson, Phone 186 Charmode Beauty Shop, Mrs. C. P. Woodson, owner. B6p

LOST—Pocketbook, Reward Ed A. Noret, May's Bankrupt Store. B6c

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STRAYED—Mixed color natural Muley Steer, black, white and tan. Has been missing from my place one mile south of Foster school since Jan. 29. Reward. Mrs. I. H. Harrell. B6p

## TO PATRONS OF THE TEXAS THEATRE—I am a contestant for the Bicycle to be given away February 13, and if you do not have a particular preference I will gratefully appreciate your vote each time you attend the Texas Theatre between Feb. 6 and 13th. Charles Crandall. B6c

LOST—Firestone 8.25x20 tire and wheel off Ford truck. Lost somewhere in Haskell or Knox if County January 29. Reward if returned to Lowrey & Michael, Rochester, Texas. B13p

FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment. Mrs. R. L. Dendy. B6p

FOR SALE—3 cheap houses. Can arrange terms. Also have 3 good houses and 2 farms. C. G. Gay. B6p

FOR SALE—Good white Hogs, Shoats and Pigs. G. W. Piland, 7 miles east of Haskell. B6p

DEALER WANTED in Haskell for the paint and varnish line of Peaslee - Gaubert Paint and Varnish Co. Write P. B. (Pink) Wilson, Representative, 302 Koberlin St., San Angelo, Texas. B6p

CHIROPRACTIC SERVICE with measles prevent complications and after effects. Dr. Gertrude Robinson, Haskell, Texas. Telephone 108 and 14 Calls answered day or night. 2B6c

WILL TRADE 177 1-10 acres improved land at Littlefield for land in Knox or Haskell counties. D. C. Adkins, Star Route 2, Littlefield, Texas. B6p

FOR SALE—Electric Washing Machine with 2 tubs on stand. Good condition. A bargain. E. H. Martindale, Rochester, Texas. B6p

MONEY TO LOAN at 5 percent interest for repairs and improvements. Covers both material and labor. Repay in easy monthly payments. Brazelton Lumber Co., Phone 96. t/c

FOR SALE—Books, Bibles, New Testament. Don't fail to see "The Marked Bible" the latest and greatest help for the Bible student; also "Christian Workers New Testament", Bibles 55c up, New Testament 10c up. C. Jones, pastor Fundamental Baptist Church. t/c

GET IN DEFENSE WORK before Registration time. Good pay and 7 days a week. Act at once. See or write Carl Wainwright, Box 944, Olney, Texas. B6p

IF MANAGED RIGHT you can buy 5 good tires at Kennedy Service Station. t/c

NEW SUPPLY of Ray's guaranteed Rat Killer. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Sells for 35c and 50c at Reid's Drug Store, Haskell. B6p

COUPLE WANTED—Man to do farm work, woman to keep house for two. See me 12 miles south of Rule or at Stamford. J. P. Astin. t/c

FOR SALE—My seven room house in the northeast part of Haskell. Will sell worth the money. W. F. Potterson. L19tc

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ROY ROGERS in  
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**FREE** Sporty new Western Flyer Boys Bicycle to be given away Friday, Feb. 13, to most active Boy Scout in Haskell County. Contest opens Feb. 6—every Scout in Haskell county is eligible to enter. Ask for entry blanks and full particulars at the Texas Theatre box office today!

**PINKERTON BAPTIST CHURCH**

The time is at hand when emphasis is being placed upon the Church. Materialism is trying to rule the world, but it cannot so long as God's people worship and honor Him. Therefore, it behooves every Christian to "stand in his place" at this most distressing period and be more conscious of God's leadership in his life than ever before. No better way can be found to do this than by attending and supporting the Church of the Living God. The Pinkerton Baptist Church invites you.

Plans to hear the colored preacher next Sunday night have been changed to the fourth Sunday night.

The following is the Church calendar for the month:

Every Sunday:  
10:00 A. M. Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M. Worship Hour.  
7:00 P. M. Training Union.  
8:00 P. M. Evening Service.  
Every Wednesday 2:30 P. M. W. M. S.

Saturday, Feb. 6, 7:30 P. M.—Singing at Mrs. Wilson's.  
Sat., Feb. 13, 7:30 P. M.—Young People's Social.  
Sunday night, Feb. 22, Rev. J. L. Maxwell, pastor of the Independent Baptist Church (Colored) will preach.  
Robert Barnett, Pastor

Charlie Reese left this week end for Fort Worth where he has accepted a position. Mrs. Reese and children will remain in Haskell for the present.

Frank C. Spencer, a student at NTSTC, Denton, was home for a weekend visit between terms, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Spencer.

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**SATURDAY!**

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