

SOIL CONSERVATION PAYMENTS IN COUNTY NOW TOTAL \$200,000

Haskell County Farmers Expected to Receive Total of \$465,938

With the receipt of 313 checks this week at the county agent's office, total soil conservation payments to Haskell county farmers for their cooperation in the 1939 farm program amount to approximately \$200,000, representing about 40 per cent of the total amount which it is estimated has been earned by Haskell county landowners and farmers in all, it is estimated that the sum of \$465,938 in soil conservation checks will be disbursed to Haskell county for co-operating in the current year's program.

Total amount of the checks received this week was \$53,254.95, and notices of their receipt have been mailed to all recipients.

FINAL RITES HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON FOR MRS. ADDRESS

Resident of Haskell County For Thirty Years Died Friday Morning

Mrs. Lily Rose Address, resident of Haskell county for more than thirty years, died at the family home in this city Friday morning, Dec. 8, after a lengthy illness, complicated by advancing age. She was 64 years old.

Deceased was born March 30, 1875 in Comanche county, Texas. She became the wife of James D. Address Oct. 13, 1895, and the couple made their home in Comanche county until 1908 when they moved to this section with their family and were actively identified with the early agricultural development of Haskell county.

Mrs. Address was converted and united with the Baptist Church in young womanhood and her lifetime was consecrated to her family and church.

Surviving are her husband, James D. Address of Haskell; six sons, John, Beno, D. and J. T. Address of Haskell, Albert Address of Rochester and Cecil Address of Odessa; a daughter, Mrs. Jack Bouldin of Miami, Ariz.; a sister, Mrs. John McGregor of Haskell, and two brothers, John T. and Pearl Howard of Haskell. Nineteen grandchildren also survive.

Funeral service for Mrs. Address was held at the First Baptist Church in this city Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. T. Priddy, Baptist minister. Interment was in Willow cemetery with arrangements in charge of Holden Funeral Home.

Palbearers were: P. D. Boddy, Doyle Andrews, Clarence Oldham, Bill Fought, E. R. Templeton, Arthur Montgomery, Ladies assisting with floral offerings were Mrs. P. D. Boddy, Mrs. W. D. Dake, Mrs. E. Anderson, Mrs. Lynn Toliver.

Christmas Pageant Will Be Observed at Presbyterian Church

"His Christmas Star", a song and story program for Christmas will be presented by the choir of the First Presbyterian Church in Haskell on Sunday, December 17 at the regular morning worship hour, eleven o'clock. The program will include solos, duets and quartets besides the regular choir numbers. While the music is being sung, the story will be shown in pantomime form against a background of old Judea at the time of the birth of Christ.

The following is the program: His Christmas Star—Choir. At The Time Appointed—Quartet, Mmes. Ira Hester, B. C. Chapman and Messrs. Ira Hester and Felix Frierson.

Tell Me The Beautiful Story—Duet, Velma Frierson and Lottie Mae Thompson.

Beautiful Stars (solo and chorus)—Mrs. R. L. Mansell and Choir.

Glory to God—Choir. The Shepherd's Vision (solo and chorus)—Mrs. H. S. Wilson and Choir.

Gift For The King—Girl's two-part chorus. The Glory of Christmas—Choir. Those in the pantomime are: Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Blake, E. E. Sherrill and Ross Lowe.

Pioneer Honored



Mrs. J. S. Rike, one of Haskell's oldest and best-loved pioneer who came to this section a half century ago, observed her 88th birthday Sunday, December 10th. Women of the Methodist Missionary Society sponsored a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Rike in the home of a neighbor, Mrs. P. D. Sanders. (See story on page one, second section).

Rochester To Be Scene of County Singers Meeting

The Haskell County Singing Convention will meet in Rochester Sunday December 17th, for an afternoon's program of singing and a business session during which officers for the ensuing year will be elected and other business transacted. The convention will be called to order promptly at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Arrangement of the singing program will be in keeping with the holiday season, and is expected to be one of the best of the year. A large attendance is expected, including well-known singers from other sections of the state who have been invited. A welcome is extended to all singers and music-lovers to attend.

COTTON QUOTAS GIVEN MAJORITY VOTE SATURDAY

Total of 1104 Votes Cast By Haskell County Farmers

Texas and Haskell county joined the rest of the cotton South Saturday by voting a top-heavy majority to continue the cotton marketing quota next year.

Haskell county farmers favored the program 842 to 262, the majority representing 78.3 per cent of the farmers voting in the referendum. A total of 1104 ballots was polled in the county.

Texas supported the plan 128,864 to 28,940, with 213 out of the 230 cotton-growing counties reporting. With two thirds of the votes counted, the nineteen cotton states gave 640,815 for quotas and 58,515 against.

Under the quota system, growers receive marketing shares from the Agricultural Department. Cotton sold in excess of the marketing share is subject to a penalty tax of 3c a pound. Likewise, only those who produce and market within their allotments are eligible for government loans on surplus cotton and maximum farm benefit payments.

Mrs. N. P. Martin of Waxahatchie, a delegate to the state women's club meeting in Wichita Falls visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. T. M. Poteat at the conclusion of the convention.

Mmes. Virgil Reynolds, William Ratliff, French Robertson, Theron Cahill and Hill Oata were in Abilene Thursday.

Mrs. Jim Fouts is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harold Spain and Mr. Spain of Weston this week.

COOPERATORS IN AAA PROGRAM TO HOLD ELECTIONS

Will Name Committeemen to Direct Farm Program During 1940

Texas farmers and ranchmen cooperating in the AAA program will gather in community meetings in all parts of the state Monday, December 18, to elect local committeemen to administer the program, George Slaughter, chairman of the state Agricultural Conservation Association committee, has announced.

J. E. Thomson, secretary of the Haskell county A. C. A. announced this week that five district meetings will be held in Haskell county for the purpose of electing community committeemen. These meetings will be held at the following places: O'Brien, Rule, Plainview, Paint Creek and Weinert. Time for the meetings has been set at 7:30 p. m.

In the same meetings the co-operating producers will elect delegates to county conventions who will, in turn, elect county committeemen. Conventions in most counties will meet the day following the community meetings, Slaughter declared.

Committeemen elected, both local and county, will serve for one year, Slaughter said, and must be cooperating with the program to qualify for office.

"The basis of the entire program is the community and county committee set-up," the chairman explained. "The members of these committees are administrators who must make important decisions on policy and administration. They are part of the democratic organization of the AAA which is turning more and more to farmer-control of the program."

Slaughter advised the producers participating in the elections to remember that they were "electing administrators, not performance reporters."

"The committees can hire good performance reporters when needed but the committeemen are elected for their ability to properly administer the program," Slaughter pointed out.

The farmer-chairman urged the producers to follow the Association regulations for holding elections so as to avoid any questions as to legality. The date and place must be advertised prior to the election, he pointed out.

"If the folks in the program will just realize that these men they elect will be settling problems vital to the interest of every farmer and ranchman in the county, then they'll be extra careful about their selections," Slaughter declared.

Pie Supper Will Be Staged Friday Night at Mattson

An old-fashioned Pie Supper will be staged at the Mattson high school auditorium Friday night, Dec. 15, sponsored by the Mattson Parent-Teacher Association. All proceeds from the affair will go to the organization's Christmas fund. Pies and cakes to be sold will be furnished by women of the community. Mike B. Watson, tax assessor-collector, will act as auctioneer during the evening.

The affair will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock and a program of music will be given by the Mattson Band. Plenty of entertainment is assured all who attend, and sponsors of the affair invited all in Mattson and surrounding communities to join in making the sale a success.

White Christmas Program at First Christian Church

Sunday morning at ten o'clock the Christian Church will have its customary White Christmas. As has been the custom for the past ten years, the church will be decorated in white and at that time stories of Christmas will be told and Christmas carols will be sung. Gifts for the orphan's home are presented in this program.

Everyone is invited to attend this service and the hour has been arranged so that it will not conflict with other special Christmas programs.

Mrs. Paul Pruitt of Goree visited Mrs. Bonnie Cathey Monday. Mrs. Pruitt and Miss Cathey were roommates while in training at Baylor hospital.

Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard, pioneer residents of Haskell county observed their Golden Wedding anniversary Tuesday, December 12th, when they were hosts to a score of

friends and relatives at their home in this city. Both Mr. Ballard, early-day rancher, and his wife came to Haskell before the present county was organized. (See story on page four).

Firemen to Make Final Round-Up of Discarded Toys During Next Week

Final "round-up" of discarded or broken toys which can be repaired will be made early in the week by the Fire Department in a campaign sponsored jointly by the Welfare Board and volunteer firemen to provide an ample supply of toys for distribution to underprivileged children of Haskell on Christmas Eve.

A large number of toys have already been made ready for distribution, through cooperation of a local NYA project and the Dave Persons chapter of FFA boys.

All children who wish to donate discarded toys of any kind to be used in making some less fortunate child happy on Christmas Day, are requested to bring or send the toys to the City Hall or notify any member of the fire department and the articles will be called for. Firemen will also see that the toys are repaired and distributed by Santa Claus.

DISTRICT MEETING OF FFA YOUTHS WILL BE HELD DEC. 20TH

Leadership Contest of Haskell Federation Will Be Held Here

Annual Leadership Contest of the Haskell federation, Future Farmers of America, will be held at the Haskell High School Wednesday December 20th in an all day meeting of representatives from seven FFA chapters in Haskell and Stonewall counties.

One or more teams will compete in each of the following divisions: Public Speaking, Senior and Junior Chapter Conducting, News Writing, Senior and Junior Shop Demonstration.

The federation is composed of FFA chapters in Haskell, Weinert, Paint Creek, Rule, Aspermont, Swenson and Peacock.

Christmas Tree December 22 For Colored Children

Annual Christmas Tree program for the colored children of Haskell will be held at the colored North Church Friday afternoon, Dec. 22 at 5 o'clock, sponsor of the annual event announced this week. An appropriate program will be rendered in connection with the distribution of gifts from the tree.

All colored children who want Santa Claus to remember them on this occasion should send their names to Mrs. S. P. Herrin, Sr., at once in order to avoid any disappointment.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robinson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Nichols of Throckmorton Thanksgiving day. A sister of Mrs. Robinson's, Vida Lee Nichols returned to Haskell with them for the week end.

Mrs. French Robertson and daughter, Marinda visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowe of De Leon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Collins and children visited his parents and other relatives in Olney Sunday.

HEART ATTACK IS FATAL TO PIONEER HASKELL MERCHANT

R. D. C. Stephens, 73, Died Sunday Afternoon at Home Here

A sudden heart attack Sunday afternoon ended the long and useful career of a pioneer Haskell merchant, Rile David C. Stephens, 73, civic and business leader in this city for over half a century. Mr. Stephens died at the family home in West Haskell Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, a few minutes after he was stricken with a heart attack.

Owner and proprietor of the Stephens Grocery, Mr. Stephens had gone about his customary duties in the store Saturday, and his sudden death came as a distinct shock not only to relatives but to the entire community.

A native Kentuckian, born Oct. 11, 1866 in Logan county, he came to Texas as a youth and in July, 1899 came to the small community of Haskell and had made his home here continuously since that time. Shortly after coming to this section Mr. Stephens engaged in business as a retail grocer, a profession which he followed thirty years. Mr. Stephens also served four years as Treasurer of Haskell county, and was actively identified with the upbuilding and development of this section over a span of fifty years.

A member of the Christian Church since childhood, Mr. Stephens was an elder in the First Christian Church in this city at the time of his death. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge and had held a number of offices of trust in the organization.

On March 19, 1893, Mr. Stephens was married to Miss Temple P. Pearsey, member of a pioneer Haskell family and the couple were the parents of four daughters.

Immediate survivors include his widow, daughter, Mrs. Lynn Pace, Mrs. Carl Maples and Mrs. Claude Menefee, all of Haskell and Mrs. Fritz Taylor of Wichita Falls; five brothers, Frank Stephens, Wiley and Charles Stephens of Dickens, Aggie Stephens of Abilene, John C. Stephens of Perrin, Texas; and three sisters, Mrs. John Ballard of McDermitt, Nevada, Mrs. James Potter of Dalhart and Mrs. Charles Potter of Kenton, Okla. Nine grandchildren also survive.

Funeral service for Mr. Stephens was held at the First Christian Church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock with the Rev. G. R. For-

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Christmas Cantata Will Be Presented Sunday Evening

In keeping with an established custom of the Christmas season, the Harmony Club of Haskell will present its annual Christmas Cantata Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program will be presented at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Veola Warren Short will direct the cantata, "Night of Holy Memories" by Ira B. Wilson, with Mrs. M. H. Post giving the piano accompaniment.

The program: Professional—Mrs. M. H. Post. Silent Night—Harmony Club. Scripture Reading—Rev. H. R. Whately.

Come and Worship (chorus and solo obligato) Mrs. Mary Lee Koonce and Club.

While Shepherds Watched—Harmony Club. Chime on Sweet Bells (solo and chorus)—Mrs. J. M. Littlefield and Club.

There's A Song In The Air—Club. Hark, Hark My Soul, by Shelby Smith. Mrs. Veola Short and Lewis Smith.

There Come Three Kings—Club. The Song of Sols (solo and chorus)—Mrs. Bert Welsh and club.

Arise and Shine—Club. Come Let Us Adore Him (chorus and soprano obligato)—Mary Lee Koonce and Club. Benediction—Rev. H. R. Whately.

Those taking part in the club choruses are: Sopranos, Mmes. F. C. Cook, Tommy B. Hawkins, J. M. Littlefield, T. C. Cahill, Bert Welsh, Mary Lee Koonce, W. A. Kimbrough, B. M. Whitaker, F. M. Squires, W. P. Ratliff, H. R. Whately, Leo Duncan, R. L. Harrison, John A. Willoughby, Ira Hester and Miss Ola Bell Kenney; Alto, Mmes. C. L. Lewis, D. Scott, Carl Arbuckle, Carl Power, Calvin Henson and Dr. Gertrude Robertson.

FREE PICTURE SHOW FOR CHILDREN WILL BE GIVEN SATURDAY

Methodist Pastor



Rev. G. C. French, new minister of the First Methodist Church in this city, comes to Haskell from McKinney where he was pastor of the First Methodist Church for the past year. He served four years as Presiding Elder of the Sherman district, and has spent thirty-five years in the ministry.

Rev. G. C. French Is Guest Speaker at Lions Meeting

The Rev. G. C. French, recently assigned to the pastorate of the First Methodist Church in this city was the principal speaker at the weekly meeting of the Lions Club Tuesday, held at the Tonkawa Coffee Shop. Discussing current events, Rev. French voiced a warning against being misled by propaganda during a time of world-wide stress. Brief talks were also made by E. B. Harris, editor of the Rule Review, Orman L. Kimbrough, local NYA executive, and County Judge J. C. Davis, Jr. A. C. Pierson gave a report of the Wichita Falls Junior Chamber of Commerce banquet. Honor guests of the club were Bob Cousins and Wayne Laird, outstanding members of the HHS Indians squad, who were introduced by Coach Perry Mason, a member of the Club.

17,697 BALES OF COTTON GINNED TO DEC. 1 IN COUNTY

Decline of 13,000 Bales From 1938 Total Is Indicated

A decline of more than 13,000 bales in Haskell county's cotton production from the crop of 1939 as compared with the yield in 1938 was indicated in the ginning report made public Monday by the U. S. Department of Commerce.

The census report, made by W. P. Trice, special agent shows that 17,697 bales of cotton were ginned in the county from the crop of 1939 prior to December 1 as compared with 31,124 bales for the crop of 1938.

Haskell ranked second in this section of West Texas in total bales ginned from the 1939 crop. Jones county leading with 23,087 bales. Figures for other counties: Knox 14,981, Stonewall 4,494, Throckmorton 553, Dickens 10-162, Scurry 17,251, Fisher 17,302.

Perkins-Timberlake Will Give Christmas Bonus To Employees

Announcement was made today by R. M. Tittle, general manager of Perkins-Timberlake Company, that all regular employees who have been with their store for one year or more will receive a Christmas check for one week's salary, and those who have been in their employ for six months and less than a year will receive one-half week's pay.

This Christmas bonus is given in addition to the regular gifts that all employees will receive.

Haskell Merchants Sponsoring Annual Film Show As Holiday Treat

As their annual holiday "treat" to the children of Haskell county, merchants and business men of this city are sponsoring a free picture show at the Texas Theatre Saturday morning, December 16th, from 9 until 12 o'clock.

All children high school age are invited to be guests of Haskell merchants at the show. No tickets will be necessary—doors of the theatre will be thrown open promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday morning for free admittance of the children. A full-length film program will be shown throughout the morning for as many performances as time will permit.

Feature attraction will be "The Girl From Mexico", RGO production featuring Lupe Valez and Donald Woods. Rounding out the program will be a comedy and a short.

Invitations to the free show were posted in all schools of the county this week, and attendance at the annual event is expected to set a record mark, sponsors said in completing final arrangements for the free show.

BRIEF ILLNESS IS FATAL TO MRS. J. WILLIAMSON, 73

Death Occurred Sunday Afternoon at Family Home Near Haskell

Critically ill for seven days following an attack of paralysis, Mrs. Lou Emma Williamson, 73, died at the family home northeast of Haskell Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Williamson with her husband and family came to Haskell in 1930 from Wise county and had made their home here since that time.

Deceased was a native of Texas, born June 20, 1866 in Wise county, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gentry. She was married to J. Williamson November 2, 1884, and they reared a family of ten devoted children, a daughter and nine sons. Mrs. Williamson had been a member of the Methodist Church for forty-seven years.

Members of the immediate family surviving are the husband, J. Williamson of Haskell; daughter, Mrs. Mattie King, Hedrick, Okla.; sons, C. L. Williamson, Amarillo; J. H. Williamson, Silverton; J. C. Williamson, Lubbock; Elmer Williamson, Greenwood; Luther Williamson, Ardmore; C. W. Williamson, Ft. Worth; I. D. Williamson, Fort Warren, Wyo.; Alvis M. and S. D. Williamson of Haskell; two brothers, J. P. and J. E. Gentry, Guthrie, Okla. Thirty-five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren also survive.

Final rites for Mrs. Williamson were held in Wise county Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Rev. C. S. Wilhite, Methodist minister of Leonard, Texas, officiating. Burial was in the Cottonwood Cemetery, with Holden Funeral Home of this city in charge of arrangements, with sons of Mrs. Williamson acting as pallbearers. Floral offerings were handled by Mrs. Willie Johnston, Mrs. H. M. Bledsoe, Mrs. Mrs. Giles Kemp, Mrs. Paul Frierson, Mrs. A. C. Roberts, Misses Mildred Norton of Haskell, Elizabeth Ferguson and Mada Walker of Deatur.

Five Patients Are Admitted to County Hospital This Week

Five patients were admitted to the Haskell county hospital this week, two for surgery, two for X-ray examination and one for medical treatment. Mrs. Verna Harwell, superintendent reported Thursday. Three patients were discharged during this period.

New patients admitted this week were: R. W. Nash of Haskell for medical treatment; Albert Martin, Haskell, for surgery; and Hulon Evans for surgery; Frank Martin, Haskell, and Mrs. B. H. Hunt of Rule for X-ray.

Patients discharged were: T. A. Payne, Albert Martin and Ernest Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Watson visited in Celina and other East Texas cities this past week.

Brief News Items From **RULE**

Philadelphian Club Notes

The Philadelphian Club met Thursday at the club house in their regular meeting with Mrs. Robert Sollock as hostess. Mrs. Walter McCandless directed the lesson on Alaska, and was question leader for the meeting. Mrs. A. C. Foster told of her trip to Alaska several summers ago. Music was by Mrs. Wilbur Arrington. The annual club Christmas party will be given on Tuesday evening. Mrs. J. B. Pumpfrey will give a review of "Redlander."

Mrs. Tom Edd Simpson Entertains

Mrs. Tom Edd Simpson entertained for her husband on his birthday last Wednesday with a wicker roast at their ranch home west of Rule. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cypert, Mr. and Mrs. Edd McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sollock and Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley.

Mrs. Britton Entertains

Mrs. Hyman Britton entertained her bridge club and several friends with a luncheon Tuesday of last week. A lighted Christmas tree and fall flowers were used for decorations. The Christmas motif was further stressed at the foursome tables, centered with red tapers in silver holders where a four course turkey lunch was served. In games of bridge following the luncheon, Mrs. J. B. Pumpfrey won high score prize. Guest prize was awarded Mrs. J. B. Tillitson.

Club members attending were: Mmes. S. M. Davis, J. B. Pumpfrey, W. D. Payne, J. J. Moch, M. P. Wilson, J. E. Lindsey, Jack Mills, A. L. Foster, E. B. Harris and Leslie Weinkle. Guests were: Mmes. J. B. Tillitson and Cash Wilmon of Stamford, Mmes. LeaRoy Denton and Robert Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Verner Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Verner entertained Friday evening with a dinner party in their home west of town. The entertaining rooms were decorated with marigolds and roses where four tables of progressive 42 were enjoyed. A three course dinner was served buffet style to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Rose, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Arrington, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Neal.

Skating In Rule Gym

The gymnasium of Rule school has been opened for skating on Friday and Saturday nights. Seventy five pair of skates have been purchased and proceeds from the skating will go to the athletic fund.

The school is also organizing a band under the direction of Mr. Martin of Childress.

Thursday Bridge Club

The Thursday Bridge Club entertained Friday of last week with a luncheon at the Whortel Hotel. A Christmas theme was noted in decorations in the home of Mrs. Walter McCandless where bridge was enjoyed after the luncheon. High score prize was awarded Mrs. John Behringer. Members present were: Mmes. Bill Kittle, Jess Place, Corrie Lott, Newt Cole, John Behringer, Walter McCandless, Alvin Kelly and John Herron.

HERE AND THERE NEWS

G. W. Wilson transacted business in Stamford Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lott were Stamford visitors on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Wilson and daughters, Mrs. O. Cooper and Mrs. Claude Norman attended the parade in Haskell Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Kitley and Mrs. Raymond Denson visited relatives in Stamford Wednesday. Mrs. Walter McCandless, Mrs. John Behringer and Mrs. Jess Place were Haskell visitors on Wednesday.

Louie Hill of Stamford transacted business in Rule Thursday. Mrs. Earnest Lewis and sons and Miss Lois Baker were Haskell and Stamford visitors Wednesday.

John May of Knox City transacted business in Rule Thursday. Mrs. F. A. Gaunt and daughters and Wanda Nelle McCain were Haskell visitors Wednesday. Miss Kathryn Norman stopped in Haskell Thursday.

Joe Rose and Ernest Westmorland transacted business in Haskell Thursday. Misses Lois Baker and Pauline Yarbrough were Haskell visitors Thursday.

Miss Norene Spurlin and Adilee Hayes of Haskell were the guests of Miss Spurlin's sister Mrs. Joe Smith Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Place and Mrs. Ruth Davis were Rochester visitors Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mason were Haskell visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Ruth Davis and Mrs. C. E. Lott visited friends in the Stamford Hospital Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Nort Cole of Haskell visited relatives in Rule Friday. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery of Throckmorton were Rule visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Paul Mercer and sister Miss Reba Stahl stopped in Abilene Thursday. Walker McCandless transacted business in Abilene Wednesday.

Mrs. Floyd King and little daughter Alice Jane of near Stamford spent Thursday with their sister and aunt Mrs. Walter McCandless.

Newt Cole transacted business in Haskell Wednesday. John Behringer transacted business in Haskell and Stamford Thursday.

R. W. Cole and sons Newt and Oswald attended the ball game in Stamford Friday.

Miss Kate Whorten shopped in Abilene Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John Behringer were Haskell visitors Saturday. Tom Bridges transacted business in Haskell Saturday.

Mrs. Newt Cole visited relatives in Haskell Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ellis of Altus, Okla. spent last week end in Rule.

Virgil Meadors of Haskell was a Rule visitor Saturday. Earl Sweatman of Abilene spent last week end in Rule with his family.

Mrs. Dave Stahl of Anson visited her daughters Mrs. Paul Mercer and Mrs. Reba Stahl last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cole visited relatives in Spur last week. Mrs. J. B. West returned last week from Lawton, Oklahoma where she has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Robert Suther for the past two months.

Jess Place, Corrie Lott and Paul Mercer attended the football game in Stamford Friday. Joel Johnson of Leuders transacted business in Rule Saturday.

C. L. Beets of Houston is spending the Christmas holidays in Rule with his mother Mrs. J. M. Beets.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Denson and family spent Sunday in Guthrie with Mr. Denson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Denson.

C. E. Lott transacted business in Odessa Monday. Mrs. Oscar Thomas and little daughter of Fort Worth are visiting their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jackson.

Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Herbert Hines were Abilene visitors Friday. Mrs. Addie Bradley of Abilene is the house guest of Mrs. S. L. McDonald this week.

Mrs. Dock Rose accompanied by Mrs. Alvis Hamm and little daughter Zana of Knox City were the guests of Mrs. Rose's daughter Mrs. Thurman Bostick of Dallas last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McDonald visited relatives in Abilene Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hill in Stamford Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Wilson and Mrs. S. L. McDonald shopped in Haskell Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edd Simpson visited relatives in Dallas last week end.

Mrs. Newt Cole and Mrs. R. W. Cole shopped in Abilene Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John Behringer were Abilene visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. McCandless and Mrs. Walter McCandless were Abilene shoppers Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley had as their Sunday guests: Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cole, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Westmorland of Anson.

Mrs. C. E. Lott, Mrs. Jess Place, Mrs. Ruth Davis and Misses Margaret Davis and Margaret Mitchell were Abilene visitors Tuesday.

Corrie Lott transacted business in Stamford Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Hines and sons were Abilene visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Davis and Mrs. M. V. Davis were Haskell visitors Tuesday.

Paul Mercer transacted business in Anson Wednesday. Mrs. Mattie Lott visited her daughter Annie Lou who is in the Stamford hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Tom Milstead shopped in Abilene Tuesday. Mrs. Kate Whorten and son Elbie were Dallas visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mart Clifton of Haskell transacted business in Rule Saturday. Weldon McCain of Leuders spent last week end in Rule with home folks.

Miss Nora Walters attended a 4-H club meeting in Haskell Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Simpson of Levelland attended the funeral of Mr. Simpson's grandmother Mrs. J. M. Ivey Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spurlin of Sagerton visited Mr. and Mrs. O. J. McCain Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ivey and little daughter of Haskell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailiff Friday evening.

Mrs. Floyd King of near Sagerton spent last Tuesday with Mrs. O. J. McCain. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailiff were Haskell visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcomb and Mr. Mrs. Ewell Kitley were Stamford visitors Wednesday. Mrs. Louise Crew and little daughter of Levelland are spending the Christmas holidays in Rule with their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCaul.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcomb were Haskell visitors Thursday. We wish to thank each merchant and business firms of Haskell who made it possible for us through their ads, to get new song books for the church.

A community Christmas tree and program has been planned for Saturday night, Dec. 23rd. Everybody is invited to come and see Santa Claus and enjoy it with us.

There will be singing here on Sunday night. All who love to sing or hear singing come. Sunday School will be held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Those who do not attend Sunday School elsewhere come to Curry Chapel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcomb were Haskell visitors Thursday. We wish to thank each merchant and business firms of Haskell who made it possible for us through their ads, to get new song books for the church.

A community Christmas tree and program has been planned for Saturday night, Dec. 23rd. Everybody is invited to come and see Santa Claus and enjoy it with us.

There will be singing here on Sunday night. All who love to sing or hear singing come. Sunday School will be held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Those who do not attend Sunday School elsewhere come to Curry Chapel.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Killingsworth Announce Engagement of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Killingsworth of Detroit, Michigan have announced the engagement of their daughter Margaret Ann to Howard M. Crusey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crusey of Sandusky, Ohio. The wedding will take place in Detroit on December 26th. Miss Killingsworth is a granddaughter of the late I. D. Killingsworth and has visited many times in Haskell. She attended S. M. U. in Dallas, being a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and later studied at Goucher College and Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore, Md., graduating from the latter two years ago. Mr. Crusey is a graduate of Ohio State University.

The couple will reside in Los Angeles, California.

Rainbow Sewing Club Has Meeting December 5

The Rainbow Sewing Club met December 5th in the home of Mrs. Harold Kirkpatrick with Mrs. J. T. Jackson as hostess. Nine members and two visitors were present.

The president presided over a short business session. Members drew for their Christmas pairs. Mrs. Walter Adams had charge of the games for recreation. Refreshments were served and sewing was enjoyed.

Those attending were: Messdames Tom Stewart, Walter Adams, Taylor Alvis, Jesse Jossellet, Walter Rogers, Doyle Andrews, J. E. Robinson, Harold Kirkpatrick and two visitors, Mother Sadler and Mrs. Jacks, and the hostess, Mrs. J. T. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and children visited relatives in Waco recently.

Pre-Christmas Party Is Held Thursday Night

Mr. and Mrs. Server Leon and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bradford entertained friends with a pre-Christmas party Thursday night. Guests were invited to the Leon home which had roses and coral berries for decorations.

After all guests had arrived, partners for the evening were chosen in a unique manner and the hostesses announced that all should get their wraps in preparation for a trip to nearby towns. Busses had been provided for transportation but instead of going out of town ended in a hilarious ride at the picture show for a theatre party. In keeping with the theme of the circus picture, pop corn and whistles were presented each guest.

Guests repaired to the Leon home after the show for further amusement. Games of various kinds were played. A refreshment plate of Christmas dainties was served to:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richey, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pace, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wair, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. French Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Willoughby, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Kimbrough, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Charlie Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bagwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Trice, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murchison, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Ratliff, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. John Rike, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couch, Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reid, Mrs. Wallace Cox, C. V. Payne, Virgil Meadors, Roy Killingsworth, R. L. Lemmon, Misses Madalin Hunt and Nettie McCollum, Emory Menefee; from Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pumphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hills, Mrs. Marlin Wilson; from Munday, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Roberts; from Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Starnes.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMillen Entertain With Supper

Members of the Rainbow Sewing Club and their husbands were entertained with a Thanksgiving supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McMillen last Thursday night. Cut flowers were used as house decorations.

Upon arriving each guest drew numbers for partners and were invited into the dining room where the table was set for couples to eat helpy salty style. After supper was served each lady was invited into the bedroom for revealing their pals, each one receiving a beautiful gift. Forty two was enjoyed until a late hour and each left declaring an enjoyable afternoon.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Alvis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. W. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, Mrs. Lester Fore, Mrs. J. T. Jackson and the host and hostess.

MARY ELEANOR DIGGS IS ON COMMITTEE FOR LOAN FUND SALE, TEXAS TECH

LUBBOCK, Texas.—Mary Eleanor Diggs, junior home economics student, is a member of the arrangement committee of the Margaret W. Weeks Loan Fund sale being conducted by the home economics division at Texas Technological college. The sale began Dec. 8 and will continue through Dec. 19.

Miss Diggs is the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. J. M. Diggs of Haskell. The first loan fund sale was held in 1925, and one has been held each year since. Pottery, Guatemalan linens, Christmas cards, luncheon sets of Russian linen, Moroccan leather boxes, bedspreads, candles and brass candlesticks are being sold this year.

The Margaret W. Weeks Loan Fund is for the purpose of assisting home economics students. Forty-five loans have been made to thirty-one persons during the past two years. "It is seldom that we ever make a bad loan," Miss Weeks, dean of home economics, said. "Most girls are able to pay off their loans very readily."

Velma Hambleton Is Honoree For Gift Shower Friday

Velma Hambleton was named honoree for a gift shower at a tea in the home of Mrs. Irene Ballard Friday with Meses. Scott W. Greene Jr., W. M. Murphy, Guy Mays, George V. Wimbish and Miss Lucy P. Pool assisting as hostesses. Miss Hambleton, a teacher in the Haskell Public Schools for the past eleven years has accepted a position as assistant county agent of Smith county with headquarters in Tyler and left for that city Saturday morning.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the Ballard home that was lighted entirely by candles in red and green. Mrs. H. J. Hambleton mother of the honoree and a sister, Joyce Nell received the guests with the hostesses. Sue Quattlebaum and Maxine Perdue were also members of the house party.

Mrs. George V. Wimbish presided over the tea table from which refreshments were served. A miniature scene of Santa Claus and reindeers placed on a reflector were used as center table decorations. Gifts were displayed in an attractive arrangement.

Guest list included: Meses. Ben Charlie Chapman, Leon Pearsey, Irene Pearsey, C. Jones, D. T. Dotson, Carl Arbuckle, Hill Oates, Myrtle Crow, Ralph Duncan, C. Ramsey, S. E. Rike, Cretin Brooks, Ruth Taylor, H. Dobbins, O. L. Miller, C. B. Breedlove, Charlie Quattlebaum, J. L. Tubbs, J. H. Stovall, Charles Conner, Hillery Stone, W. A. Kimbrough, T. M. Poteet, Clarence Oldham, G. W. Flippen, John Fouts, D. H. Persons, Otta Johnson, Andrew Jossellet, J. G. Vaughter, Cecil Jetton, Jim Crawford, Clay Smith, O. E. Oates, Wallace Ruff, Ora Stovall, A. Pate, Lula Decker, F. L. Wilson and Misses Mildred Vaughan, Ruby Fitzgerald, May Fields, Arvola Server, Sybil Scott, Jessie Vick, Ethel Frierson, Mattie Letha Phippen, Maide Beth Johnson, Blanche Hambleton, Madalin Hunt and Madelin Breedlove.

Officers for 1940 Are Elected At Jossellet H. D. Club Meeting

"Our club could improve if each member would cooperate with the chairman," stated Mrs. Jesse Jossellet when the Jossellet H. D. Club met at the club house November 28.

"When we are elected to fill an office in club work, we should consider it an honor, and fill the office the best we can," continued Mrs. Jossellet in answer to the roll call.

The following officers were elected for 1940: Chairman, Mrs. E. B. Calloway; Vice Chairman, Mrs. Ray Cothron; Secretary, Mrs. Gene Lancaster; Reporter, Mrs. Louise Merchant; Treasurer, Mrs. J. L. Tolver; Council Delegate, Mrs. S. G. Perrin; Kitchen Demonstrator, Mrs. W. C. Norton; Food Supply Demonstrator, Mrs. Ray Cothron.

Refreshments were served to the following twelve members: Meses. Jesse Jossellet, J. L. Tolver, E. B. Calloway, C. A. Thomas, S. G. Perrin, Gene Lancaster, L. M. Bass, J. P. Perrin, W. C. Norton, J. L. Grindstaff, Frank Spencer, Miss Margaret Tolver and two visitors, Grandmother Lancaster and Mrs. Grindstaff.

Midway H. D. Club To Have Christmas Party

The Midway H. D. Club invites the community to our annual Christmas party December 19 at 7 p. m. in the gymnasium. Come, bring your families with either package candy, nuts or fruit. We will try to have plenty of entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Poteet had as their Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Poteet and son of Vernon, Misses Naomi Poteet and Gossett of Wichita Falls and Ernest Poteet of Mercedes. Ernest remained in Haskell over the week end.

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Magazine Club Meets In Patterson Home Friday

Because the Club House is in the process of remodeling, recent meetings of the Magazine Club of Haskell have been held in the homes of members.

Last Friday's meet was in the lovely home of Mrs. O. E. Patterson with Mrs. Patterson in charge of the program and Mrs. H. S. Wilson acting as hostess.

During the business session with the president, Mrs. J. U. Fields, in the chair, plans were announced by Mrs. Wallace Cox, chairman of the entertainment committee for a covered dish luncheon to be held on Friday, December 15th in the basement of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. R. J. Reynolds reported that Mrs. Frank Estes of Baird had consented to come to Haskell with her famous collection of dolls on Tuesday, December 12th and give two lectures. The morning lecture to be on the American dolls and the afternoon talk on the foreign collection. There are hundreds of dolls in this collection representing by their composition and dress different periods in the history of our country, different methods of manufacture as well as the customs and history of our country, different methods of manufacture as well as the customs and history of the various foreign countries represented.

Mrs. John Rike, chairman of the library committee stated there had been a notable increase in the use of the library in recent weeks. She reported that during the month of November last year 345 books were checked out, while during the same month this year 919 books were read, near three times the former number.

Mrs. Virgil Reynolds for the ways and means committee reported the success of rummage sales held down town the past two weeks.

First vice president, Mrs. C. L. Lewis presided while the president read in full the contract for work now being done on the club house. Following this the club voted to empower the president to sign all necessary papers in that connection.

The program on "Jewelry" was high lighted by a lecture on costume jewelry by Mrs. Roy Shook of Abilene, a former member of the Magazine Club who demonstrated her points with a large and varied collection from the jewelry department of the Ernest Grissom Store of that city.

The director, Mrs. Patterson exhibited detailed drawings in color of the many Crown Jewels of the British Empire, explaining the State Occasions on which they were worn.

Interesting collections and individual pieces of jewelry belonging to the hostess, the president and others were inspected and admired by those present.

Mrs. Matt Graham's topic, "Gems Can Talk" was illustrated with apt incidents and anecdotes.

Mrs. C. V. Payne's vocal solo, "Beautiful Lady" and the piano number by Miss Martha Post, a guest, were much appreciated by the listeners.

An ice course, passed by the hostesses made more enjoyable a short social period following adjournment.

Entertains County Council H. D. Club With Supper Friday

The Haskell County Home Demonstration Club Council closed their year work on Friday December 8th, with a supper party in the basement of the Christian Church, honoring the members' husbands, the Commissioners Court and the Press of the County.

Supper was served to about 30 members and invited guests, which was followed by a short business session in which the new chairman of the different committees were introduced, and brief reports of the accomplishments of the past year's work given.

Following the business session numerous games were enjoyed, during the evening. Among those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames, Floyd McGuire, Otis Matthews, Jesse B. Smith, Ollie McCain, Less Lewis, A. C. Denison, J. P. Perrin, Tony Patterson, John Rike, Sam A. Roberts, G. R. Schumann, Miss Nora Walters, Mrs. S. G. Perrin, Mrs. Jess Jossel, Miss Mildred Vaughan, J. C. Davis and E. B. Harris.

Eula Mae Watson of Lubbock Is Honored For Six O'clock Dinner

Jane Holt named her house guest, Eula Mae Watson of Lubbock honored for a six o'clock dinner recently. The dinner was served in the home of her mother Mrs. W. A. Holt. Autumn leaves were table decorations for the turkey dinner.

Guests for the evening were: Emma Pearl Graham, Wanda Dulancy, Jean Conner, Marie Mobley, Jerry Akins, the honoree and hostess.

Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority Meets Saturday

The Delta Kappa Gamma sorority met Saturday in the meeting for December with Mrs. Irene Ballard, Mrs. R. L. Lyle and Mattie Letha Phippen as hostesses. Beginning the meeting at the noon hour with a luncheon arranged by Madelin Breedlove assisted by the home making girls, Mrs. Courtney Hunt and Mrs. J. B. Smith, a regular Christmas party was given. The main decoration was a lighted Christmas tree where gifts of the members were exchanged. For the table decorations red candles in gold holders with names in gold letters, the colors of the sorority were used to identify places for the three course luncheon. Christmas flowers were also used to center the tables.

In the program for the afternoon, Mrs. W. D. Hinson was the director. Mrs. R. O. Pearson gave a Christmas story. Carols were sung led by Madelin Hunt with Mrs. Ellis Warren of Knox City accompanying at the piano. A business meeting concluded the program.

Those attending were: Mmes. Scott W. Greene Jr., W. D. Hinson, A. W. Weaver, George V. Wimshis, Iva Palmer, C. E. Cooner, Reynolds Wilson, R. O. Pearson, Ellis Warren, E. F. Branton, Misses Madalin Hunt, Ruby Fitzgerald, Lucille Harris, Mary Emma Whitaker and the hostesses.

Mrs. J. M. Diggs Hostess For Pre-Christmas Parties

Mrs. J. M. Diggs was party hostess Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons with two of the most colorful pre-Christmas parties in Haskell. Her home was beautifully decorated with holly wreaths, fall leaves and attractive Christmas suggestions for games of bridge, the form of entertainment for the afternoons. Further carrying out her seasonal theme, lighted tiny red candles in candies were used on her refreshment plate.

Prizes for high cut for the afternoons were given to Mmes. William Ratliff, Ernest Kimbrough, A. C. Pierson, Matt Graham, Clay Smith, Marvin Bryan, R. C. Couch, Fred Sanders, Ben Bagwell, John A. Couch, Maria Wilson and Joe A. Jones. Winners for the high score prizes were Mrs. Jno. A. Willoughby and Mrs. J. U. Fields.

Those attending were: Mmes. John A. Willoughby, Buford Cox, William Ratliff, Virgil Reynolds, A. C. Pierson, A. E. McMillan, Clay Smith, John Rike, Ernest Kimbrough, T. W. Williams, Gordon Phillips, J. G. Vaughter, Ben Charlie Chapman, Theron Cahill, Roy Ratliff, Carl Power, Marvin Bryan, Bert Welsh, Matt Graham, Charles Grissom, Walter Marchison, Hill Oates, Jack Mickie, Dennis Ratliff, Ben Bagwell, W. P. Trice, C. V. Payne, Tom Davis, John C. V. Payne, R. C. Couch, R. J. Reynolds, J. V. Hudson, H. S. Wilson, Fred Sanders, Elizabeth Martin, O. E. Patterson, K. H. Thornton, W. O. Pelphrey, D. H. Persons, H. M. Smith, Wallace Cox, John W. Pace, Joe A. Jones, J. U. Fields, John A. Couch, A. A. Bradford, Virgil Meadors and Marlin Wilson of Rule.

Mrs. R. R. Jones Is Honored at Birthday Dinner

Substituting the date of November 28 for the birthday of Mrs. H. R. Jones on December 24, Mrs. J. M. Littlefield named her as honoree at a dinner on that date. Friends of Mrs. Jones' for a number of years were present for this surprise birthday party.

Games of eighty-four were the diversions of the evening. A booby prize was presented Mrs. Jones in a flowery speech by Mrs. R. C. Montgomery. Mrs. Montgomery said that since the president saw fit to change dates, that the guests had followed his example in changing her birthday. Afterward, Mary Lois Littlefield presented presents from the guests to the honoree.

Those present were: Mmes. R. J. Reynolds, John A. Couch, D. Scott, Tommy B. Hawkins, R. C. Montgomery, Wiley Reid, H. S. Wilson, Willie Mae Counts and the hostess.

H. H. S. Parent-Teacher's Association Meets Thursday

The Haskell High School Parent-Teacher's Association met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clay Smith with Mrs. C. B. Breedlove director of the program. Bobby Neal Smith gave two readings, Growing Up and My Choice. Ann Katherine Rike read Shopping Tour.

Mrs. Wallace Cox reviewed For The Want Of A Nail. Mrs. Clay Smith and Mrs. T. R. Odell gave reports on their trip to the state convention of Parent-Teachers held in Galveston recently. C. B. Breedlove dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

Mrs. Smith served refreshments to the group.

Dancers at Anson's "Cowboy's Christmas Ball"



Anson.—If there is one single literary composition that is a West Texas Classic it doubtless is Larry Chittenden's poem, "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball." Every year this famous old ball, which began in the 80's at Christmas time, is re-enacted in Anson and the dates this year are December 31, 22 and 23rd.

Many old time ranch hands who attended one of the original Balls will be back this year for the re-enactment which attracts people from all over the State. Everybody attending comes attired like the old time cowhands and their ladies of the 80's lending to these old time dances and the grand march the proper atmosphere.

A Brief Greeting To The Good People of Haskell And Community

Just a moment of your time and a measure of your interest I am asking for this message:

"I am among you as He that serveth," coming "not to be ministered to but to minister."

In addition to all the public services of the church, the personal problems of the people of Haskell and community shall have a large place in my mind and heart. It is my sincere desire to render every possible service of comfort, of good cheer, of correction and genuine helpfulness, to everyone who may need and will accept such service.

My time is at the command of all such, day or night, and I shall deem it a favor if you will feel free to call me, either for yourself or for others, should you feel that my visit would be a benefit.

Please make the best use of my office and ministry that you possibly can—so shall our cooperation be complete and our association mutually helpful.

With best wishes for a happy Christmas for one and all, I am yours in Christian service.

GEO. C. FRENCH.
P. S. My good wife joins me in all that I have said above.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard, pioneer residents of Haskell county, observed their Golden Wedding anniversary Tuesday, December 12 at their home in this city, with a host of friends and relatives calling during the afternoon to congratulate the couple on the anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard have a large acquaintance and numerous friends throughout the State, especially with the stockmen of West Texas, as he was engaged in ranching in Haskell and other sections of the state for many years. He established and operated the Ballard Ranch, one of the largest ranching properties in the county until a few years ago when he disposed of his ranching interests.

Mr. Ballard came to Haskell from Granbury in 1884, the year before the county was organized. His parents Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ballard and their family came to Texas from Coffman county, Mo., in 1882 to make their home in Granbury.

In Haskell Mr. Ballard met and married Miss Emily Post, who also with her parents were early pioneers of Texas, having come from Union Parish, La. Officiating for their wedding fifty years ago was the late Judge P. D. Sanders, early-day jurist of West Texas.

Among the out-of-town guests for the anniversary observance were their daughter, Mrs. E. H. Huebsch of Topeka, Kans., and Mrs. R. D. Holt of Wheeler, Texas. Scores of letters and messages from friends and relatives were received throughout the day.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Geo. C. French, Pastor

Sunday, December 17. All regular Sunday School services at usual hours.

11 a. m.—Preaching services. All members of the congregation are invited to join with other churches of the city in attending the annual Christmas Cantata program at the First Baptist Church.

F. L. Peavy returned to Plains, Texas Monday after spending the week end with his family and friends.

At these times, just as in bygone days:

"The room was tugged out gorgeous — with mistletoe and shawls. And the candles flickered frescos 'round the airy walls.

The women folks looked lovely, the boys looked kinda tired.

'Till their leader commenced yellin', "Whoa, fellers. Let's stampe!"

And the ratapan of the Cowboy boots mingles with the swish and swirl of flowing skirts as the

cowhand swings their partners through the Virginia Reel, Square Heel and Toe, Waltz and Schottische and other old time dances at the annual Cowboy's Christmas Ball at Anson.

The grand march, too, starts the Ball, just as it did in the 80's and to get the lads and lassies acquainted there is always the Paul Jones. Every year the thousands who attend, like Larry Chittenden, say:

"That whirl at Anson City just takes the cake with me. I'm sick of lady shufflin', of them I've had my fill, Give me a frontier breakdown, backed up by Windy Bill."

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK

of Haskell, Texas, will be held in the offices of said bank in the city of Haskell, State of Texas, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the second Tuesday in January A. D. 1940, the same being the 9th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said bank and the transaction of such other business that may properly come before said meeting.

A. M. Turner, Active Vice-Pres.

LET'S TALK TURKEY

— how to make Fresh Hot Dishes from cold left-over turkey

By Dorothy Greig

IT is the third and fourth days in the progress of a roast turkey that begin to be a bit of a problem. The noble bird has been reduced pretty much to scraps.



Turkey and Noodle Scallop is one way to make delicious use of cold left-over turkey.

There's lots of meat still left, but not enough to make a real show. Besides, by that time the family needs a little variation. Here are two ways to do it:

First, we can make a most delicious Turkey and Noodle Scallop. This Scallop brings that cold turkey to the table as a fresh hot dish, savory, satisfying and full of goodness.

Turkey and Noodle Scallop
1 package (6 ounces) noodles
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
1 cup milk
4 ounces Swiss cheese
1/2 teaspoon salt
pinch pepper
4 tablespoons chopped green pepper, cooked
2 tablespoons chopped pimiento
2 cups cooked turkey (diced)
4 tablespoons buttered corn flakes (rolled)

Cook the noodles in boiling salted water until tender, about nine minutes. Put the cream of mushroom soup in a saucepan and stir well. Then add the milk and heat, but do not boil. Stir the cheese (sliced) into the mushroom sauce and heat until the cheese melts. Remove from fire and add the seasonings, chopped green pepper, (which has been cooked 8-10 minutes in boiling water) chopped pimiento and diced turkey. Turn the mixture into a buttered casserole and sprinkle with rolled buttered corn flakes. Bake in a moderate (350°F.) oven for about 30 minutes. Serves 8.

Another thing we can do is make Individual Turkey and Mushroom Pie—or one big pie, if you wish. But it's fun to make up individual ones in those shallow brown pottery bowls. Fresh from the oven,

Individual Turkey and Mushroom Pie
1 cup cooked turkey (cut in 1/4 in. squares)
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
1/4 cup milk
1/2 cup green peas, cooked
12 cubes of potato (cut 1/4 in. square)
4 small whole onions, cooked

Mix the cream of mushroom soup until creamy. Then add the milk, turkey, and green peas.
Place 3 cubes of cooked potato and 1 cooked onion in individual casseroles or pie dish. Put turkey and mushroom mixture over the vegetables. Then cover with biscuit crust. Makes four pies.

Biscuit Crust for Pie
1 cup flour, sifted
1/4 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup milk (approximately)

Sift flour with baking powder and salt. Add butter and cut into flour until mixture is fine like cornmeal. Add milk and mix until a medium soft dough is formed. Knead lightly on a floured board then roll about 1/4 inch thickness. Cut in shapes the same size as the individual pie dish. Place biscuit cover over turkey pie mixture and press down on edge of dish. Cut perforations in top crust so that steam may escape. Bake in a hot (450°F.) oven for 15-20 minutes.

Pioneer Dies—

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rest of Brenham, former pastor of the church, officiating. As a tribute of respect all Haskell business houses were closed for the service.

Interment was in Willow Cemetery with arrangements in charge of Holden funeral home.

Active pallbearers were Manley Branch, George B. Fields, Courtney Hunt, Jesse B. Smith, M. H. Post, T. A. Pinkerton, Roy Ratliff and G. T. Odell of Abilene.

Assisting with the floral offerings were the following granddaughters of the deceased: Misses Mary Beth Menefee, Janice Pace, Jean Menefee, Florine Maples, Mrs. Fred Owens, Mrs. Lynn Pace, Jr., Mrs. Carl Maples, Jr.

Named as honorary pallbearers were: Dr. D. L. Cummins, T. E. Ballard, T. W. Flenniken, W. N. Huckabee, M. S. Shook, F. G. Alexander, R. V. Robertson, J. W. Gholson, B. C. McMillin, H. S. Post, J. B. Post, L. D. Ratliff, M.

Stockholders Meeting

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A. C. Pierson, Cashier

FOR SALE — Regular Farmall Tractor, with equipment, at a bargain. See J. L. Daugherty, Rule, Texas, Rt. 2.

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Serve yourself from our smiling aisles loaded with economically priced quality merchandise -- your "one-stop" complete food store that saves you time, trouble, money.

All Prices Quoted Good Until January 1st

- Del Monte FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 1 tall cans. 13c
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Packed in Heavy Syrup
- Genuine Jello In All Six Flavors JELLO Box 4 1/2c
- Almeda Brand CATSUP, 14 oz. bottle 10c
- PICKLES, Cut Sour, full qt. 12 1/2c
- Heinz RIPE OLIVES pt. can 24c
- Magic Circle Brand OLIVES, Extra large, qt. jar 44c
- Del Monte PINEAPPLE JUICE, 46 oz. can 25c
- MY-T-FINE DESSERT, All Flavors . 4c
- Top Test Sliced PINEAPPLE, flat cans, 3 for 25c
- Chase & Sanborn Dated COFFEE 1 pound 25c
- Plymouth Made In Our Own Factory 3 1-2 lb. tin PEANUT BUTTER 39c 25c
- Plymouth—Our Own Brand MUSTARD full quart 10c
- Sold Only at Piggly Wiggly Stores OATS Sunset Gold, 3 lb. box . 18c
- Everybody Eats Peas At This Price PEAS Puremaid, Tall can 4c
- True American MATCHES, 6 box carton 18c

"Blended for Taste Appeal"

PLYMOUTH COFFEE

Yes, it's "Blended for Taste Appeal" because THE TASTE TELLS THE STORY! — So if you want grand coffee that will thrill your sense of taste — AND YOUR POCKET BOOK — PLYMOUTH is the PURCHASE!

1 lb. 15c

XMAS CANDY SPECIALS

Chocolate Cherries, 1 lb. box 19c

Quality Asst. MILK CHOCOLATES, 50c lb. Candy 25c

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100 Varieties, Pound 10c and up

CANDY BARS

All 5c Bars—35 kinds 3 for 10c

Miniature Chocolates 80 Pieces To The Pound

1 lb. Box 29c 3 lb. Box 69c

Brown's Soft and Fresh Marshmallows, lb. 15c

Wrigley's Assorted Flavors Chewing Gum, 3 for 10c

SUGAR

PURE CANE In Kraft Bags, 10 Lbs. (Limit) 49c

Cranberry Sauce

OCEAN SPRAY, 17 oz. tin 12c

Mince Meat

Pecan Valley—The Old Fashioned Kind With The Old Fashioned Flavor . . . 3 pkgs. 21c

Compound Flour

Armour's Vegetole . . . Preferred To The Costliest Shortenings. 4 Lb. Carton 37c

The Perfect Flour EVERLITE 6 Lb. Bag 25c 12 Lb. Bag 45c 24 Lb. Bag 75c

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Red Pitted—Royal Brand With That Fresh From The Orchard Flavor. Large Can 9 1/2c

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Calumet . . . Bake With New Confidence. 1 lb. can 20c

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NUTS

SHELLED PECANS
Ellis Pecans . . . New Crop

1-4 lb. Pkg. 15c 1-2 lb. Pkg. 29c

WALNUTS
No. 1 Blue Diamond Pound Cello Bag 18c

BRAZILS
King Cole, 1 lb. cello bag 15c

ALMONDS
No. 1 Peerless 1 lb. cello bag 17c

DATES

Pitted Soft Fresh 1 lb.-10 oz. cello bag 25c

PUDDINGS

Heinz Fig, Date, Plum, Can 39c

Date Nut Bread Dromedary's Can 14c

Belmont MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 3 pkgs. 10c

Family Style TUNA, flat cans 12 1/2c

Gulf King Cut Green Beans, No. 2 can 7c

Black Knight—Packed in Heavy Syrup PEARS, No. 2 1-2 can 19c

Ful-Valu Vanilla Extract, lg. 8 oz. bottle . . 9c

Brown or Powdered Sugar, 1 lb. box or cello bag 6c

Hershey's Baking Chocolate, 1-4 lb. box 5c

Baker's Dot Chocolate, 8 oz. pkg. 27c

Royal Brand Makes Puddings, Pastries Pies or Preserves Peaches, gallon can 40c

Lady Alice Beauty Shop— Sold only at Piggly Wiggly Soap, 3 bars 13c

Kraft's American Cheese, 2 lb. Family Style box 45c

Fancy Long Shreds Coconut, 1 lb. cello pkg. 17c

A New Miraculous Creaminess Spry 3 lb. pail 49c 6 lb. pail 98c

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COCOANUTS, Your choice, each . 5c

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Apples are exceptionally low priced this year. Get our bushel and box prices on Apples before you buy.

PIGGLY WIGGLY QUALITY MEATS

Plymouth—Mild Sugar Cure SLICED BACON, lb. 25c

Christmas—Hormels, Armour's or Swifts HAMS, Half or Whole, lb. 23c

Chespeak Bay SELECT OYSTERS, pint 31c

Extra Fancy Fed Beef STEAKS, Loin or T-Bone, lb. 25c

Armour's New Canned Meat TREET, Bowl Free!, can 29c

Beautiful Glassware Free With The Purchase of 2 Pkgs. DURKEE'S OLEO, 2 pkgs. 42c

Young, Tender, Well Fleshed, First Quality TURKEYS! Give us your Order Early

Everlite Cream Meal, 5 lb. bag 15c 10 lb. 25c

Concentrated Super Suds, Blue Box 21c

Your Soap Coupons Are Still Good At Piggly Wiggly

Dromedary Fruit Cakes, 1 lb. vacuum packed . 43c

Mission Fancy Country Gentleman Corn, No. 2 can 12 1/2c

Full Flavor Berries, No. 2 can 25c

Boyeson Berries, Logan Berries, Youngberry, Raspberries, Gooseberries, Strawberries—All Packed In Syrup.

Wapco Oysters, 5 oz. can 12 1/2c

Pure Ribbon Cane Syrup, gallon 49c

Saxet Fresh and Crispy Crackers, 2 lb. box 15c

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It's double whipped with the ingredients originally blended — THEN it's slowly processed through a masher with a mesh finer than the finest silk! That's why Plymouth is sweeter, richer, EXTRA SMOOTH! And it's as you more for your money. Save today the Piggly Wiggly Way!

QUART 19c

PLYMOUTH Salad Dressing

Briefly Told News Items From SAGERTON

Basketball Teams Play Knox City
The junior and senior basketball boys went to Knox City Wednesday night. Score for the senior boys was 25-16 in favor of Knox City. The girls volleyball team also played, having lost two games.

P. T. A. Meets Tuesday Night
The P. T. A. met Tuesday night for its regular session. The following program was given: Spiritual Graces, Rev. Muehlrad; Musical Arrangement, Luther and Emory Muehlrad. After the program and business meeting refreshments were served to many.

Homecoming To Be Held At Baptist Church
Everyone is cordially invited to the homecoming Sunday Dec. 17 at the Baptist Church. The church will be dedicated and many ex-members will be present. Dinner will be served on the ground.

Mrs. Roy Wienke, Mrs. Fred Ebbing and Mrs. Willie Schroeder shopped in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith observed their golden wedding anniversary Sunday Dec. 10 at their home in Sagerton. They were married in 1889 at Rising Star, Eastland County.

Relatives from four towns joined in the family party, along with many old friends of Sagerton and other towns. Four sons and one daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Smith are M. D. Smith, Stamford, Texas, Roy Smith, Monahans, Texas, Floyd Smith, Abilene, Texas, Claud Smith, Sagerton, and Mrs. Frank Smith of Sagerton.

Mr. Smith, better known as "Uncle Joe" owns the Clover Farm Store, Smith Cash Grocery in Sagerton. He has been the mail messenger for 16 years having lived in Sagerton for 24 years. There were 86 for lunch and between the hours of 2:00 o'clock and 5:00 o'clock barbecue, pickles, bread, and cookies were presented to 214 friends.

Many lovely gifts were presented to the bride and groom in

making the happy occasion more complete. Mr. Smith was born February 28, 1869 and Mrs. Smith April 18, 1866.

Those who registered were: Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Tune, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hastings, Ladain Laughlin, Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGlothlin, Mr. and Mrs. Hart Shoemaker, Della Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spitzer, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pilley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White, Mrs. Essie Anderson, Mrs. Carl Sims, Olen Dotson, J. C. Denson, T. A. Clark, Velda Carter, Mrs. J. A. Clark, J. A. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gibson, G. H. Zachary, Marvin Doss, P. E. Pearson, O. E. Bowman, Mrs. W. P. Caudle, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Mischer, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. John Franke, Mrs. F. Franke, Carl Sims, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gray, Mrs. K. A. Balzer, Mrs. Will Stegemoller, Mrs. B. H. Martin, Mrs. Cecil Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luck, Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Spiser, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kunatt, W. H. Littlefield, Mrs. Bill Martin, Will Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knippling, E. L. Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. B. Britton, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark, T. C. Clark, G. A. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Martin, J. D. Pilley, Cecil C. Schroeder, Fred Spiser, Mrs. J. H. Mustain, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrow, Mrs. Aug. Balzer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Ebbing, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schroeder, E. O. Mischer, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Conner, Miss Ruth Treadwell, Miss Hazel Woods, L. H. Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stegemoller, E. B. Littlefield Sr., Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell A. Sanderfer, E. B. Martin, H. C. Neinst, Mrs. G. A. Lambert, Edd S. Wilson, Ott Denson, Marian Lou Martin, Billie Ray Martin, Dona Jean Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Diers, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rife, Mrs. Cretia Brooks, Mrs. Polly Leath, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin, Ruby Smith, Mr. and G. L. English, Mrs. W. P. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Russell and Tommie, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gill, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Betty Jo Summers, Mozelle Parsons, Dorothea Paul Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Edd S. Wilson, Edd Wil-

Stage Attraction at The Texas



Special stage attraction at The Texas Theatre in addition to the regular film program Sunday and Monday will be "The Liphim Tumblers" who will present their complete repertoire of acrobatic stunts.

In our High School library we have a very favorable report to make. Our aim to stimulate reading has increased circulation 20 per cent in the last six weeks. The gift book drive during Book Week was partly responsible. The library is a laboratory in our school, so let us better it in every way possible. By helping the library you help yourself.

son Jr., J. N. Wilson, Mary Jo Reynolds, Mitzi Wilson, Fannie Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Darden, Morris Denson, Eunice Denson, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Clark, Sylvia Neinst, Margaret Denson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Quinn, Alf Denson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. Mike B. Watson, M. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Batson, Mary Katherine Batson, Sonny Boy Batson, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wienke, Miss Beulah M. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spurlin, Mr. and Mrs. Tullie Herring, Mrs. M. L. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Herring of Centerville, have been visiting in the home of Mrs. H. F. Lammert, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis. H. L. Meier and son, Ernest of Fonda, Iowa have been the guests of H. L. Meiers' mother, Mrs. Henry Hagemester. Mrs. Hagemester had not seen her son in twenty two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tidwell and family moved to Avoca Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wafford were shopping in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts of Haskell were the guests of J. J. Wafford and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stegemoller and daughter, Joyce shopped in Stamford Monday.

Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and daughter, Gwendolyn, with Miss Anna Belle Tabor were in Sagerton Monday. Miss Tabor will remain a short time.

Mr. Paul Pfeiffer of Lawton, Oklahoma made a business trip to Sagerton Wednesday.

Mr. R. E. Mathis who is still in the hospital in Legion, Texas is very much improved.

An eight pound, eight ounce boy was born to Mrs. John L. Tabor on December 10. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

The school bus carried the boys and girls to Stamford Friday, where they witnessed the Stamford vs. Burk Burnett football game. Score was 26-0 in favor of Burk Burnett.

Miss Lucy Ann Cowan, supervisor of the library project contacted the unit in Sagerton recently. She reported our library in excellent condition.

Mrs. Jimmie Vasek, Mrs. H. F. Lammert, and Mrs. Tullie Herring shopped in Stamford Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lee Laughlin and children accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis were in Stamford Saturday.

Last week the school bus took the Grammar School children to see Old Santa in Haskell. Every one enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Neinst and daughters, Sylvia and Pauline, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walling Jr. in Haskell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Holt and son John, visited in Graham last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Martin and daughter, Marian Lou, shopped in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Quinn, and son Johnny Lee, Donald and Elizabeth Holt and Mrs. Spurlin shopped in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. B. Hess, Mrs. W. P. Caudle and Miss Fannie Kay shopped in Stamford Monday.

The Sophomores, sponsored by Mrs. Reynolds and Mr. Bowen, enjoyed a theatre party last week. Each student invited some one. Over 30 attended.

Mrs. Gilbert Wilson of Brownwood visited Mrs. Roy Tidwell and family last week. Mrs. Wilson is Mrs. Tidwell's sister.

Mrs. Will Spiser and children visited Stamford Monday. Mrs. Floyd King and children shopped in Stamford Monday. Mr. D. J. Turner and son, Carroll, visited in Haskell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Kupatt and children shopped in Stamford on Saturday.

Recently the St. Paul's Lutheran church gave away a lovely quilt to the lucky person whose name was drawn. Mrs. K. A. Balzer was the lucky one.

Marcus Mathis visited in Rule Monday.

Mrs. Finis Fulbright and children visited in Haskell Monday.

Mrs. Roy Tidwell and Travis visited in Stamford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Denson and children visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Walter McCandless of Rule Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gray visited in Stamford Saturday night.

Mrs. Neil Beene of Circle Back is visiting Mr. W. R. Beene and family.

Mrs. V. E. Newton, Mrs. W. Newton, Mrs. M. Morgan, Ida and Mildred Green shopped in Abilene Thursday.

Miss Beulah Mae Summers attended a library meeting in Haskell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Steins visited in Sagerton Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking our friend for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother. Especially do we thank the people of the Jossel community who were so faithful. The lovely floral offering will always be remembered by all—The children and grandchildren of Mrs. A. B. Adkins.

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Brief News Items From

Weinert

42 Party Given by Sunday School Class

The young married couples class of the Methodist Sunday School sponsored a 42 party in the high school auditorium on Tuesday night, December 5. Eleven tables of players were served hot coffee and pie.

Those present were: Mrs. Hettie Williams, Mrs. Freeman and Mr. Julian Perrin, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Josselot of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monke, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Cowen, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lises, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralls Loe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huchison, Mr. and Mrs. Bill King, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bettis, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Guess, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor, Misses La Verne Burgess, Nina Newberry, Leona Ford, Vera McGuire, Messrs. Loyd Hefner and G. C. Newsom, Mrs. Iva Palmer and Mrs. Elmo Cure.

Sponsors were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bird, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weinert, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bettis, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Josselot, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKennon, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Griffith.

This party was a decided success from a social and financial point.

Faculty Entertains School Board and Their Families

On Saturday night, December 9 the teachers of the Weinert school entertained with a forty two party at the Home Economics cottage. There were 9 tables of players. The refreshment plate, with miniature Santa Clauses made by the grade art class were very pretty. Coffee, cookies and wafers were served.

P. T. A. Presents Play

A very amusing play was put on at the school auditorium on Friday night December 8, called "Hillbillies." A record crowd was present and a neat sum of money was realized for the Parent-Teachers Association treasury. Music was by the Clod-Hoppers band of Goree.

Baptist W. M. U. Meets

The W. M. U. met at the Baptist Church Monday, December 11. After a business session a Stewardship program was directed by Mrs. Morris Myrick.

Study Club Has Program

On Thursday, December 7, at 3:00 p. m. the Weinert Matron's Study Club met in the home of Mrs. H. F. Monke with Mrs. Vern Derr hostess. Mrs. Fred Monke, vice president, presided for the business session. Mrs. H. F. Monke gave a review of Kipling's "They" and Mrs. Vern Derr, read the poem "If." Mrs. Henry Smith talked on short stories.

A refreshment plate was served to the following: Visitors, Mrs. R. L. Foote, Miss Winnie Julia Siddens, Mmes. G. C. Newsom, R. H. Jones, Sam Bird Jr., Bailey Guess, H. T. Sullivan, Clyde Taylor, Fred Monke, Henry Smith, Vern Derr, H. F. Monke, Misses La Verne Burgess and Beatrice Weinert. The Christmas social will be given at the Home Ec cottage on December 19 when the husbands will be entertained.

Attend Christmas Social

Mmes. W. D. Hinson, Raymond Lises, Iva Palmer and Arlos Weaver attended the Christmas social Saturday night, which was given by the Beta Chi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma sorority in Haskell.

W. M. S. Meets At Methodist Church

On Monday December 11, the women of the Methodist Church met at 3:00 o'clock. Mrs. D. A. Ross led in prayer, after which a business session was conducted with the vice president presiding. Discussion on plans for a Christmas tree at the church on December 18 resulted in the committee deciding that this be done and all who drew names for the last quarter are urged to come and bring a gift. Reports were made out by the executive committee and sent to the conference officers, all giving a verbal report to the leader.

Mrs. Ernest Griffith directed the yearbook program with Mrs. Frank West at the piano. The song, "Have Thine Own Way" was sung. Mrs. E. Medley gave the devotional which was 1 Corinthians 3:21-23, 1 John 4:9-4. Mrs. Griffith gave some very wonderful thoughts about the goodness of God and the new understanding and broadening of our work the past year. The missionary topics were given by Mmes. Frank Ford, Milton Walker and Matt Cooley. Mrs. P. F. Weinert gave the meditation, "Jesus Calls Us" was sung by the assembly.

Those present were: Mmes. J. W. Medley, Everett Medley, P. F. Weinert, W. R. Weinert, G. L. Walker, M. Walker, D. A. Ross, H. A. Marsh, A. D. Bennett, Louis Bennett, Frank West, Matt Cooley, Ernest Griffith, Frank Ford, H. Weinert.

J. F. Cadenhead, freshman in H.-S. U. Abilene, and Mr. Loda Rogers of Chicago, Ill., also a freshman of H.-S. U. were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Cadenhead for the week end.

Gift Shower for Mrs. Bennett

Mrs. J. K. Kane and Mrs. W. L. Johnson were hostesses for a gift party in the home of Mrs. Kane Friday, honoring Mrs. J. B. Bennett, a recent bride. Hot chocolate and cookies were served.

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead sang, "To You", and "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life".

The following were present to enjoy a pleasant social hour and admire the lovely gifts: Mmes. Louis Bennett, A. D. Bennett, J. W. Williams, J. E. Williams, Cecil Jones, R. H. Jones, J. W. Medley, Matt Cooley, Frank Ford, M. L. Raynes, Pete Raynes, P. F. Weinert, Jim McKinnon, G. C. Newsom, J. W. Pickering, Ernest McGuire, J. F. Cadenhead, Jack Merchant, H. W. Johnston, J. D. Boone, Leroy Lane, George Burkett, John Cooper, Elmo Fennigan, E. A. McBeth, Sam Bird Jr., Bailey Guess, Vern Derr, R. R. Wooster, Misses La Verne Burgess, Bettie Wooster, Vera McGuire, Eula Florence Newsom.

Those sending gifts were: Mmes. J. R. Reeves, H. T. Sullivan, Richard Weinert, H. Weinert, J. H. Sosebee, Raymond Lises, Pearl Brown, H. C. Yandell, Frank West, Everett Medley, M. F. Medley, Louis Williams of Benjamin, Theo Jones, Arlos Weaver, Claud Reid, Irvin Coggins, Henry Monke, H. A. Marsh, D. M. Baird, C. C. Garrett, Fred Ford, Ernest Griffith, I. J. Duff, W. D. Hinson, Misses Jew Williams, Leona Ford, Ima Alexander, Roselle Jones, Mr. I. N. Furr and Thomas Bennett.

Attend Funeral at Whitesboro

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Josselot were called to Whitesboro Thursday after hearing of the sudden death of a ten year old nephew of Mrs. Josselot, who died in a Sherman hospital. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rogers, former residents of Haskell County. Mrs. Cook and Mr. Walter Rogers of Haskell, grandmother and uncle of the child accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Josselot. Mr. Josselot and Mr. Rogers returned Saturday and Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Rogers remained for a longer visit.

Attend Harvest Day Program

Those from Weinert and Union Chapel who attended the Harvest Day program of the Northwest Texas Missionary Conference, Stamford district in Stamford on Thursday, December 7 were: Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Ross, Messrs. Josselot and Walker, Mmes. Ernest Griffith, H. Weinert, J. W. Medley, P. F. Weinert and P. J. Josselot. From Union Chapel: Messrs. Sargeant and Frey, Mmes. Ernest Lowe, E. B. Lowe, W. M. Ford, Frey, Bob Edwards, Gil Wyatt and Freeland.

Mrs. S. L. Coggins is on an extended visit to her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Clay Coggins of Rotan, Texas.

Mr. Ernest Griffith and Raymond Lyles were in Lubbock on Friday to see the football game between Electra and Lubbock. Mr. Arthur Ford of the Medley Pharmacy at Santa Rosa, New Mexico who has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford, accompanied them as far as Lubbock on his return.

Mrs. Della Hamlin of Hamlin was in Weinert Thursday.

Mrs. Morris Myrick visited her mother at Santa Anna last week. Mrs. Elmo Cure and son Elvin visited her parents Judge J. D. Barker of Sweetwater this week.

Mr. Bill Holden of Haskell was in Weinert Thursday afternoon.

Miss Vera Jane Grimsley of Wichita Falls is visiting her sister Mrs. Hallmark of the Lightfoot farm.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Medley, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie B. Teaff visited over the week end in Cook county.

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY on your Shoes at J. M. Martin's, Weinert, Texas. 4tp

Rochester News

"Believe it or not" Billie Darden ran over a wolf on the highway between Rochester and Rule Saturday night and killed it. He brought it in home as proof of his skill. It furnished the neighbor children a bunch of thrills, some of them having never seen a wolf before.

Henry Perry attended his brother's funeral at Waco last week, T. E. Perry who died suddenly.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dabney had in their home Sunday as guests from Dickens City his sister and niece Mrs. G. C. Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. George Pierle.

Joe Qualls of Benjamin is visiting his sister here, Mrs. Alvis Bryan and Mr. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bryan visited friends at Knox City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dabney visited their little nephew at Knox City Hospital Monday. He was born to Mrs. Billy Tabor December 9th, of Sagerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Darden and their nephew Billie Darden, visited relatives at Sagerton Sunday.

Bruce McLeroy of Haskell visited relatives here Sunday. Santa Claus is very much in evidence in Rochester. It is a little early but we thought it best to get in line as tomorrow may be Christmas.

BIGGEST SAVINGS on CHRISTMAS FOODS



Fruits and Vegetables

- Lettuce, head 5c
Celery, Stalk 12c
Oranges, dozen 29c
Oranges, dozen 15c
APPLES, dozen 19c
APPLES, dozen 23c
YAMS, pound 3c
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SLICED BACON, lb. 33c
CHEESE, lb. 23c
DRY SALT BACON, lb. . . 12c
PORK CHOPS lb. 17c

- Chocolate Covered Cherries, box 23c
Salad Dressing, White Swan, qt. 29c
Coffee 27c
Sugar 10 Lb. 55c
Mixed Nuts 1lb. 22c
Crisco 3 Lbs. 55c
Cranberry Sauce 2 17 oz. Cans 25c

- OYSTERS 5 oz. can. . . 12c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, No. 2 can. 9c
LUNCHEON PEAS, No. 2 can. 19c
PRESERVES 1 lb. jar . 23c
Spiced Apricots, No. 2 1-2 can. 23c
PICKLED PEACHES, No. 2 1-2 can. 23c
TOMATO JUICE, 14 oz. can . . . 9c
MARSHMALLOWS, 1 lb. cello. 14c
PITTED DATES . . . 12 1/2c
RED CHERRIES, 5 oz. bottle . . 17c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 1 tall. 15c
ASPARAGUS No. 1 tall. 17c
De Luxe Peaches, No. 2 1-2 can 19c
Golden PUMPKIN, No. 2 can . . . 9c

Fancy — Plump Red Berries Cranberries Lb. . . . 15c

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John Kimbrough Is Named On Associated Press "All-America" Eleven For 1939

HASKELL YOUTH IS RANKED WITH BEST IN ENTIRE NATION

Former HHS Star, Junior Member of A&M Squad, Wins National Acclaim

Highest honors accorded football players in the nation—a berth on the All-American team—this week was unreservedly awarded to a native son of Haskell and this city's gridiron idol, John A. Kimbrough (Big John) of the Haskell Indians during his high school days, and pace-setter of the champion Texas Aggies in their march to an undefeated record in 1939 in the Southwest Conference.

Kimbrough, fullback on the 1939 Aggies squad and leading scorer in the Southwest Conference this year, after being bulwarked with his selection on six nation-wide All-American teams announced by press service organizations announced as the 1939 football season neared its close, Saturday was selected by The Associated Press, world's largest news service organization, for a first-string berth on the 15th annual Associated Press All-American team.

Maintaining a consistent record throughout his football career in both High School and college, "Big John" was the mainstay of the Haskell Indians during the period from 1934-36, and after enrolling at A. & M. in 1937 continued the steady plugging gait to earn a first-place berth on the Aggies eleven last year as a foundation for the sensational performance as a Junior regular.

Making up the Associated Press All-American eleven for 1939 were six juniors against five seniors in the nation-wide poll, while a notable feature was the emergence of the South as a challenger of the Middle West for highest football honors. This is told in the Associated Press release announcement of the All-American team for 1939 as follows: "Two backfield posts fall to the Big Ten with the selection of Nile Clarke Kinnick of Iowa and Thomas Dudley Harmon of Michigan. Rounding out the backfield are James Banks McFadden, sparkplug of Clemson's study Tigers, and John Alec Kimbrough, battering fullback of the Texas Aggies.

The line, averaging 206 pounds, is made up of Paul Vincent Severin of North Carolina and William Howard (Bud) Kerr, of Notre Dame at the ends; Harley Ray McCollum of Tulane and Nicholas Drahos of Cornell at the



Nicholas Drahos CORNELL TACKLE



Ed Molinski TENNESSEE GUARD



Harry Smith SO. CALIFORNIA GUARD



Harley McCollum TULANE TACKLE



John Kimbrough TEXAS A & M BACK



Bill Kerr NOTRE DAME END



Tom Harmon MICHIGAN BACK



Banks McFadden CLEMSON BACK



John Schiechl SANTA CLARA CENTER



Paul Severin NORTH CAROLINA END

Cattle Testing Program Will Be Theme of Meet

An important meeting of Haskell county livestock owners, especially dairy cattle owners, will be held in this city on December 18, in the District Courtroom, at 2:30 P. M. Dr. L. R. Noyes, Assistant Inspector in Charge, Bureau of Animal Industry, Fort Worth, Texas will be principal speaker at this meeting.

Dr. Noyes will discuss the Bang's Disease (Infectious Abortion) testing program which is being sponsored by the Federal Government. Many cattle in this county have this disease, according to G. R. Schumann, County Agent. Where a herd of cattle infected with this disease, a serious loss to the owner results therefrom due to the loss of the calf crop. Also, this disease in cattle is of constant danger to human beings as people drinking milk from animals may get Undulant Fever. Last year, a number of cases of Undulant Fever in human being were reported in Haskell and adjoining counties.

All farmers and livestock owners are urged to come to the meeting and hear the Bang's testing program explained and learn how they can have their cattle tested. There is no charge for having your cattle tested for this disease when the work is done by the bureau of Animal Industry.

Local Boy Initiated Into National Honorary Fraternity

Ralph Johnson, son of Mrs. W. E. Johnson of this city, a junior in the engineering school at Texas Tech in Lubbock was initiated recently into Alpha Chi national honorary fraternity. Eligibility in this fraternity is based on character and scholarship ability and is only open to juniors and seniors. A student must be one of the upper ten per cent scholastically to be a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Sadler and Mrs. Massengale of Sweetwater visited in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt Tuesday.

Virginia Williams is spending the week with relatives in Abilene.

Burford Cox visited relatives in Lamesa this week end.

tackles; Harry Burdette Smith of Southern California and Edward Michael Molinski of Tennessee at the guards, and John George Schiechl of Sanata Clara at center.

"Rival coaches agreed Kimbrough, sparkplug of Texas A. and M.'s great team, had no weakness as a fullback. Exceptionally fast for so big a man, he was used not only as a line plunger and blocker but also on sweeps. Big and rugged, this 210-pounder from Haskell, Texas, also had more than his share of football brains and was a tower of strength in the Aggies' tough defense.

"In the Southwest, Kimbrough was tops in a field that also included Jack Crain, Texas' sensational sophomore; Kay Eakin of Arkansas; Jack Wilson of Baylor;

Olie Cordill of Rice; Preston Johnston of Southern Methodist and Jim Thomason, Texas A. and M.'s fine blocker.

Dr. Robertson Enlarges Office Quarters

Dr. Gertrude Robertson has enlarged her office space by the addition of a large waiting room and an extra adjusting room which will enable her to care for her clients with more privacy and less delay.

Mae Pouns of Olney spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Carrie McAnulty and Mrs. S. P. Kinnison.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballew of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Skipworth.

SOCIETY and Club

Women's Missionary Society Sponsors Surprise Birthday Party

On Dec. 10th the women of the Methodist Missionary Society sponsored a surprise birthday party for one of Haskell's oldest and best loved pioneers, Mrs. J. S. Rike. Or as she is affectionately known to a large circle of friends "Mammy" Rike. The occasion was in celebration of her 88th birthday.

Promptly at 3 p. m. a large group gathered in the home and Mrs. P. D. Sanders, herself a pioneer and old time friend and neighbor told of the love and appreciation in which the honoree is held.

Not only is Mammy Rike a pioneer of Haskell, but the Methodist Church has long been proud to call her "one of our pillars". We never forget that it was largely due to the generosity of Mammy and her son H. M. (better known as Bud) that we have in our church the beautiful organ of which we are so very proud.

The large three tiered birthday cake, provided by Mrs. O. E. Patterson was presented by little Miss Ann Katherine Rike, a great granddaughter.

Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, a daughter served, in addition to the cake, candied orange peel, pickled gherkins and hot punch. Another daughter, Mrs. Morrison of Graham, was prevented from being present by illness in her home.

Rev. French offered a prayer after which "Happy Birthday To You" was sung.

The subject of this sketch is indeed a pioneer, having come to this county in 1880, and has watched, with interest, the development of this great western empire, but now in the evening of life she grows retrospective and speaks often of the happy days that are gone.

All honors are due those brave pioneer women who for the most part left loved ones and the comforts of an older civilization to journey to the far west. Dear pioneer, we salute you and wish for you all the pleasure and happiness that life has to give. More than 100 guests called to wish "Mammy" many more happy birthdays. Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobs and children visited relatives in Cisco this week end.

County Council of H. D. Clubs Sets 1940 Goals

The Home Demonstration Council fixed their goals for the coming year in their regular meeting Saturday Dec. 2 in the office of Miss Mildred Vaughan, county Home Demonstration Agent. There were 18 members present.

The goals are as follows: 1. To sponsor yearbook; 2. To sponsor expense of three delegates to district convention; 3. Send winner of 4-H girl in bedroom work to Short Course.

The following committees were appointed by our new chairman, Mrs. A. C. Denson, educational committee; Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Mrs. Earl Blair and Mrs. G. F. Williams, expansion committee. Mrs. Buck Callaway and Mrs. A. L. Lambert, yearbook committee; Mrs. Ed Hester, Mrs. Floyd McGire and Mr. S. G. Perrin, fair committee; Nora Walters, Mrs. Terry Robertson and Mrs. Fred Monke, budget committee; Mrs. Louise Merchant, Mrs. O. J. McCain and Tony Patterson, recreation committee; Mrs. N. Y. Martin, Mrs. Otis Matthews and Mrs. Ben Oliver; 4-H sponsor, Mrs. Less Lewis; Parliamentarian, Mrs. J. B. Smith. Reporter

Rajah Hassen Celebrates Ninth Birthday Thursday

Friends of Rajah Hassen's were invited to his home last Thursday afternoon to join him in celebrating his ninth birthday. Football on the lawn was the entertainment of the afternoon. At a late hour, the honoree's mother, Mrs. S. Hassen served a birthday cake with hot chocolate and gave balloons as favors to the following: Billy Bob Welsh, James Strain, Irvin Frismon, Charles Smith, James Dodson, Marvin Hancock, Nabela and Rajah Hassen.

Mrs. T. R. Odell and son, T. R. Jr., Theron Cahill, Curtis Fogue, Jim Ferguson, Wallace Sanders and Ralph E. Duncan were in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Roberts went to Byers Saturday and spent the week end with their mother in that city.

Mrs. S. P. Herren returned home Sunday after a visit of several weeks with her daughter and family of San Francisco, Calif.

CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Clifford W. Williams, Pastor

9:45 Sunday School. Ira Hester Superintendent. Come and study the Bible with your friends during this hour.

11:00 Morning Worship. "His Christmas Star", a Song and Story Program for Christmas—with Pantomime, under the direction of the Choir.

3:00 Chapel Sunday School. Ira Hester, Superintendent. 6:45 Pioneer and Young People's League. Come and bring your friends for an interesting and worthwhile program.

There will be no evening worship at this church, as the church is invited to the Cantata presented by the Harmony Club.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

C. Jones, Pastor

C. W. Marion, Sunday School Supt.

Sunday, Dec. 17, 1939 1. A. M. Sunday School BIBLE Study. Lesson, Matthew 12th chapter. Bring your BIBLES and a New Member with you Sunday morning. We are counting on a record attendance.

11 A. M. Sermon. "Sweetening The Bitter Waters."

7 P. M. Song and prayer service.

7:30 P. M. Baptizing.

8 P. M. Sermon.

Owing to an unavoidable delay in securing our water heater the baptizing was postponed last Sunday night. All will be ready Sunday. Come, we will look for you.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Rev. H. N. Mize, Pastor

Young People's Service Saturday night.

Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Regular Services 11 o'clock. Evangelistic Service Sunday night at seven o'clock.

Prayer services Wednesday night.

Everyone welcome. Come and bring your friends.

Mrs. R. T. Adams and sons, Allen and Doc went to Thrall Friday to the bedside of her son, Ben Brundidge who is seriously ill.

August Buchtien, a farmer near Rule transacted business in Haskell Tuesday.

Mrs. Lon Gardner of Albuquerque is visiting relatives here.

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

It is a law of God, that virtue only is firm and cannot be shaken by tempest. —Pythagoras

The Sales Tax?

The Fort Worth Press

Most people are under the impression that Texas does not now have a sales tax, an impression encouraged by politicians who want to add to this tax.

That Texas already has a sales tax and a whopping big one, is shown in the articles Dick Vaughan, our Austin correspondent, is now writing for The Press.

Politicians favoring the sales tax propose it as if it were a tax to tap an entirely undeveloped field of state revenue.

"What we need is a tax with a broad base; a tax that will permit every citizen to contribute toward the cost of his government," politicians say. "The sales tax falls on the man who is not already paying taxes."

Next time you hear a politician orating along this line, you can make his face as red as a holly berry with a few of these questions:

Did you know that last year Texas citizens paid the state almost \$57,000,000 in sales taxes?

Did you know that last year the sales tax brought in to the state more than all other taxes put together?

Did you know that every man who bought a gallon of gasoline, a package of cigarettes, a glass of beer, a bottle of wine or a pint of whiskey paid a state sales tax?

Did you know that last year sales taxes brought in to the state almost three times as much as oil, gas, sulphur and other natural resource taxes combined?

Did you know that sales taxes totaled almost four times as much as all ad valorem taxes?

Did you know that sales taxes were 35 times as great as taxes charged corporations for the privilege of doing business in Texas?

Did you know that sales taxes paid all the state's share of old age pension, much of the cost of public education and all the cost of state highway building.

If he doesn't know these things, he doesn't know much about taxes.

But don't have pity on him.

The man who tries to sell you on a sales tax for Texas is playing you for a sucker.

Protest Trade Pacts

Protests against the reciprocal trade policies of our State Department are becoming more numerous and may have an important influence on the next session of Congress. The National Grange, representing nearly a million farmers, has just voiced its unalterable opposition to any curtailment of excise rates on commodities of which the United States has surplus.

A national cooperative association of 350,000 dairy farmers has filed formal arguments against a proposed trade agreement with Argentina. Labor, through its international union of mine, mill and smelter workers, has added its protest against State Department generosity to cheap foreign competition.

Attacking a proposed reduction in the four-cent copper excise tax now protecting the American mining industry, the mine workers contend that the only result of a reduction in the amount of the tax would be to reduce the price of copper and to reduce wages and employment in domestic copper mines, wages being geared to the price of copper.

It is charged that zinc, cattle, lumber and petroleum have been "traded," and that copper and other domestic items which are competitive against foreign production are threatened.

As one recent writer puts it: Charity begins at home—and here we have millions of unemployed and million in need. Opening our trade gates to foreign dumping will not make jobs for American labor."

Mine Story Doubted

American military experts are inclined to scoff at the story which has been going about to the effect that Germany has a magical "magnetic" sea mine which is attracted to its target by the steel hull of a ship.

It is pointed out that the "pull" of a magnet decreases very rapidly as distance from the attracted object increases; also that magnetic impulses are not readily transmitted through water.

They recall that during the World War a government board of experts, headed by the late Thomas A. Edison, to study ideas for new weapons, explored the magnetic mine theory and pronounced it impracticable.

Even if some such mine could be made to work it would almost certainly endanger a vessel that attempted to plant it, as well as those which might come along later.

Most navies do have types of electric mines, however, which are equipped with long "feelers" or antennae attached, so that the bottom of a vessel brushing against them will automatically set off the explosive. The Germans may have an improved type of this sort of mine.

The greatest barrage of sea mines ever planted consisted of 70,000 laid in the North Sea by the British and American navies during the World War. Less than one-half of them were recovered after the war.

Mary and Dorothy Zimmer, Indianapolis sisters, were married the same day—but 4,000 miles apart. Mary was wed to John M. Cusk in Indianapolis, and her sister was married to Dr. Nickolas Bergel in Paris.

Workmen remodeling Walker Inman's home in Augusta, Ga., found a family of mice snugly bedded down in a nest of much-chewed dollar bills.

Robert MacGlow, an Illinois man who was born in Scotland paid \$208 in legal fees to recover 12 cents which a store had overcharged him.

Above-Standard Youths Must Have Their Chance

A SCHOOL without any buildings, any name, any endowment and any faculty with the exception of one man is, to the average citizen, a new departure in education. Yet there has been in existence for twenty years, such a school. And it has the proud boast that not one of its graduates has failed in life, no matter in what branch of living he has found his niche.

A weak link in our educational system is the fact that the average student is the one for whom everything is planned. Above standard youngsters are apt to be penalized simply because they are above standard. Many intelligent, high-spirited boys, for example, have been dismissed from schools simply because they lacked an outlet for the qualities of leadership, superabundant energy or other characteristics that go to make up leaders of men. The school without a name is one man's answer to that problem. Rex



Life a Community Affair



DR. GEORGE I. BALDWIN

Beach tells the story in the January Cosmopolitan of George I. Baldwin, who gave up an easy life on his father's ranch to become an Episcopalian clergyman and to devote his life to giving boys a chance in life which they might otherwise have missed. It is a conviction of Doctor Baldwin

win that society needs nothing so much as men of character and integrity who have the ability to influence those among whom they live. His school is a family affair, a partnership with a community fund to which every member contributes according to his ability and from which he draws what he needs. In periods when the going was rough, older boys withdrew from college to aid the Doctor in keeping younger boys there. One of the few requirements for entry in the school, which is now in Philadelphia, is that the boy be too poor to get along without some assistance. Far more candidates have been turned down than have been admitted. The other boys must approve of the new candidate; he must have what it takes to be a leader in his community.

The cow-boy preacher says he isn't much good in a pulpit. But a record of twenty failureless years of breathing life into the Soul of Youth should be as enduring and eloquent as any sermon that any minister could preach.

are interested in. For the reasons herein set-out I cast my vote against the proposition.

First: Granting you that it is an economic benefit to the producer, which I believe to be the opposite, the liberty you are surrendering to secure that very small "mess of pottage" is too great. If it were a cooperative movement among the producers as it is operated, it is not a cooperative movement in any sense whatever. It is nothing except bureaucracy centralized in the strictest sense. The producer has no say whatever in regard to the operation of the program. The rules and regulations come direct from the Department of Agriculture to be enforced as the Department sees fit. The regulations interpreted by those pedagogical economist dominating the Department makes the producer nothing more than a slave; you have to sign the dotted line they make for you in order that you may draw the few promised pal-

try dollars. You have no liberty whatever in the matter. In the second place the entire program is unfair to this section of the cotton belt. This immediate country is subject to dry years in which we make very little, such as the present year. If I understand the method of making allowances for the pounds per acre they take the last four or five years and arrive at the per acre basis, which gives this part of the cotton belt the smallest average in America. We know that this country is a come and go section as far as production is concerned in that we have failures and bumper crop years. To overcome the lean years it is necessary to have acreage during the good years, that is if the producer remains in the production business. This, the program will not permit, you must plant the same acreage regardless of conditions.

Then the program penalizes the farmer that is hit hardest and needs assistance the most. Many good substantial farmers through

not a fact that every dollar paid, borrowed money that the consumer will eventually have to pay. The present policy must be changed, the longer the delay the greater the crisis will be. When I voted I thought not of self-interest but of the damage done and the danger lying there-in, if the policy is continued, you receive is not a gift, only an American home and American institutions. A. C. CHAMBERLAIN

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Haskell County.....

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

40 Years Ago—Dec. 16, 1899

In view of the high price and great demand for iron it is reasonable to suppose that the immense iron field penetrated by Haskell's proposed railroad, The Colorado & Texas-Mexican, will have considerable influence in accelerating the building of the road.

R. E. Sherrill went to Waco this week on a business trip.

C. M. Taylor of Stonewall county was doing business in our city this week.

W. A. Huntsman, postmaster at Aspermont, visited Haskell this week.

Some of the young folks enjoyed a social "hop" at the Meadows Hotel Wednesday night.

Messrs. J. C. Keller and T. N. Field started to Callahan county Thursday to bring up a lot of cattle recently purchased.

We are glad to see so many of our stockmen receiving fine-blooded animals for improving their herds. J. L. Jones received this week two fine looking young Herefords, which he says are thoroughbreds.

A pretty sharp cold wave came Wednesday night and a good many

of our citizens took advantage of the seasonable weather to slay their porkers.

Enrollment in our public school has now passed the 200 mark, necessitating the purchase of additional desks, which arrived this week.

Mr. Ellison of Farmersville, Collin county and a brother-in-law of Dr. Lindsey, came in this week with about 30 head of horses from his ranch in Jones county which he placed on pasture here. We understand that he desires to secure and stock a permanent ranch in this county.

Cattle Inspector T. J. Lemmon got in Thursday night from a inspection trip along the line.

30 Years Ago—Dec. 11, 1909

Dr. Chalmers McPherson of Fort Worth will preach at the Christian Church Sunday Dec. 19th.

The Commissioners Court is having the Courthouse repaired. This is a very commendable step as the hail last June did great damage to the cupola and roof of the building, with resultant damage by later rains to the various office spaces.

Judge Phelps of Belton attended our district court this week.

Bob Robertson, a drummer of Seymour and son of our townsman S. L. Robertson, was in Haskell Tuesday.

Deputy M. S. Edwards reports that the jail is empty again, he having discharged the last inmate Wednesday.

Editor Thomas of the Weinert Enterprise was in Haskell Monday.

A. D. English returned the first of the week from El Paso county, where he has been for the past week or ten days looking after mining interests in that section.

M. O. Fields of Rule was a business transactor in Haskell the first of the week.

Fred Wankans left Wednesday for Dexter, Texas, where he and his parents will spend the holidays.

The first Sunday in December being set apart by the Elks Grand Lodge for the annual Memorial Service of the Order, an impressive service was held by the Haskell Lodge in the Methodist Church in this city December 5th at 11 o'clock a. m.

Lloyd & Co. have purchased the drug business of Munsey Cogdell. The business will be conducted in the future by L. N. Lipscomb and H. H. Langford.

Jasper Boone of the Choate community reports that one of his best work horses ran into a barbed wire fence this week and was cut badly.

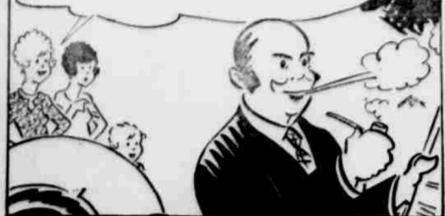
LETTERS

From Our Readers

WHY I VOTED AGAINST COTTON ACREAGE CONTROL

There was a momentous question voted upon by the cotton producing farmers of America on the 8th day of December. None except those really producing cotton were allowed to vote upon the issue submitted. The question was, shall all cotton producing farmers be compelled to plant only the acreage allotted to each individual farm by the Department of Agriculture, or pay the penalty per pound assessed. This acreage and poundage allotted is material to most of the farmers of this section. Since the amount of money paid to the farmer is derived from the amount of lint average for a period of years it becomes important to the extent that it works a severe hardship upon many producers. The same holds true to this immediate section, and it is this section that we

YOUR FATHER IS MAKING UP HIS MIND TO BUY SOMETHING. HE'S BEEN READING AN AD OF SMITTY'S



Says Ann MacThrift, "I know that look. It's plain — just like an open book. When Sandy smiles and puffs like that He'll soon be reaching for his hat. That thrifty look comes in his eye, When he's made up his mind to buy."

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Here is the greatest newspaper bargain in this territory... Think of getting a big standard size newspaper filled with the things you want to know, for less than Two Cents per week... Where else can you get such a value for so little money... If you live in Haskell or adjoining counties you can get the paper either as a new subscriber, or if you already get the paper your date will be set ahead one full year for only \$1.00.

But you are advised to act at once as this offer is for a limited time only, after which the regular subscription price will be charged.

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 Wanda Dulaney
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 Mary Lou Johnson
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Who's Who In The Senior Class

ISABELLA BRUEGGEMAN
 Although she hasn't attended H. H. S. regularly for four years Isabella is considered a Senior of the highest rank. She is popular among the lower-classes as among the Seniors. Wherever you may see her, her face is wreathed in smiles and she has a cheerful greeting for everyone.

It goes without saying, Isabella, that everyone in H. H. S. is "rooting" for you, and everyone will be ready to help when the going gets to be tough.

ANITA COBURN

Another outstanding Senior of the class of '40 is "Skeeter" Coburn. She is sometimes known as the "red flash" because of a certain red coat she happens to own. Everyone's spirit takes an uplift when they hear that peculiar laughter of hers coming from somewhere nearby. Her sense of humor is something she can be proud of. She has attended Haskell High School for four years and has made good grades all four of them. Anita has enriched the Gypsy Rambler Club much by just being a member of the organization.

We all hope, Anita, that whatever you plan to do after leaving high school may fulfill your heart's desire, and that all your dreams concerning it come true.

Future Homemakers Go To Sunset

The Future Homemakers gathered at the Haskell High School Saturday morning at nine o'clock to go to Sunset for a District Rally.

We got to Sunset about ten o'clock. All registered and then the ones that wanted to see their



Helpful HINT

The business of our service stations is to sell petroleum products—and we'd like to see them sell more. If you were in our shoes, so would you . . . To accomplish that laudable aim, we've provided them with a leaded gasoline for every car at prices for every gasoline budget—Thrifone, a good gasoline at thrifty prices; Humble Motor Fuel, a better gasoline at regular prices; and Esco, which is the best motor fuel you can buy . . . But you get more than a tankful of a proven performance, guaranteed gasoline when you fill up with Humble: You get Humble service with every gallon you buy . . . And that's some'nal . . . Humble service is a real help to you. It's rendered by men who know automobiles, who know what your car needs to keep it running right and looking good. It's rendered in a station that's clean, neat, completely equipped . . . So here's that helpful hint—fill up with one of Humble's three leaded gasolines; you get helpful service, too.

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school building were shown through the building by home economics girls.

The program was very good. The Knox City orchestra furnished the music. The Sunset club gave all the numbers during the morning program.

At noon we went to Munday for lunch.

The afternoon program was given by the different schools in the district.

The Haskell chapter gave a skit on "Making Friends", which was well received by the group.

We were glad to have Mrs. John Willoughby accompany us and we were sorry Miss Breedlove could not go.

The ones that went to Sunset were as follows: Jean Menefee, Annie Bess Gilliam, Pauline Wheeler, Inez Parags, Betty Jane Isbell, Mary Elizabeth Womble, Virginia Smith, Elvina Miller, Connie Jo Norton, Charlene Leech, Annette Laird, Sue Pate, Fannie Mae Sellers, Sammy Holland, Shirley White, Dale Bartlett, Eloise Koonce, Ruth Skipworth, Mary Frances Perdue, Anita Mayes, Patsy Pearsey, Mary Helen Crandall, Lucille Banks, Florence Hammer, Betty Billingsley, Maudeen Barnes, Frances Chapman, Betty Jo Hester and Doris Hammer.

Patches

Embarrassed: Roy Frierson was so disturbed after his adventure with the mistletoe in typing class that he no longer takes that subject.

Commended: Wearing two masculine looking rings, one on each hand, Catherine Wimberly appears to be a successful campaigner.

Harmonized: In a skirt of deep orchid with a plaid jacket of varying shades of purple, and a sweater to match, Billie Jack Spear makes a pleasing study in color harmony.

Classified: J. E. Reeves says, "That's what the women say, but what about us men?"

Puzzled: Not long ago at a Christmas program, Bradley Buford could not tolerate the actions of a little girl, so he turned to her and said, "Hey, girly, I think your mother is calling you."

She quickly replied, "My mother's in the country, thank you, ma'am."

Bradley still says he doesn't resemble a lady.

Disappointed: Clifford Rhoades was very sad when he discovered his best girl friend had married someone else.

Judy

P. S. I'm gonna help Santa Claus out next week and find out what the little H. H. S. students want him to bring them for Christmas.

Brainless Babblin's

Criticism: An amateur string quartet played Brahms here last evening. Brahms lost.

Buster G. and Hassel H. were seated together in a crowded street car. Hassel noticed that Buster had his eyes closed.

"Whatsamatter, Buster," Hassel asked, "Feeling sick?"

"I'm all right," answered Buster, "but I can't bear to see ladies standing."

Miss Breedlove: Now Eloise, make a sentence using the following words: Defeat, deduct, defense and deceit.

Eloise K. (after short trance)—Defeat of deduct went over defense before deceit.

Wayne Dunn: May I have the last dance with you?

Charlene Leach: Big boy, you just had it.

Cute, eh?—As the hook said to the eye on the fat lady's dress, "I don't get the connection."

From Reader's Digest: A man had been discovered dead, and the jury was puzzled as to what caused his death. Finally, they stated: "It was an act of God under very suspicious circumstances."

Jean: He drank three pints and didn't even stagger.

Gerry: Didn't even stagger!

Jean: No, he couldn't even move.

A kiss is just like hope, faith and charity. To a young girl, they're hope. To a married woman, they're faith. To an old maid, they're charity.

Heaven deliver me from these silly girls who giggle and act like fools when they get a note from a boy.

Yours,
Slightly Sappy

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

Joe Lee Ferguson, No. 10730-A vs. A. M. Ferguson.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Taylor County, Texas on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 3rd day of June 1939 in favor of Joe Lee Ferguson and against A. M. Ferguson in the above entitled and numbered Cause I did on the 6th day of December 1939 at 4 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts or parcels of land situated in Haskell County, Texas, to-wit:

First Tract: 400 acres of land out of the John Giboney Survey No. 165 Abstract No. 145 described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the S. E. corner of the M. Willoughby Survey for the S. W. corner of this tract. Thence East 1214 varas to the S. E. corner of this tract and S. W. corner of Subdivision No. 1. Thence North 1928 varas to the N. E. corner of this tract. Thence West along the S. B. line of Subdivision Number Two 1153 varas to W. B. line of this Survey. Thence S. 1-50 degrees W. 1928 varas to the beginning and being known as the Jog Pasture.

Second Tract: Being all of the Benjamin Lanier Survey and Labor of Land, No. 125 Abstract No.

308 containing 185 acres of land more or less.

Third Tract: Being all of the M. Bird Survey No. 124 Abstract No. 13 containing 186 acres of land more or less.

Fourth Tract: Being 180 acres of land and being subdivision No. 25 of Swenson's subdivision of the Jane Wilson Survey Abstract No. 413 as shown by plat of said Subdivision recorded in Volume 44 page 25 Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas.

And that on the 2nd day of January 1940 same being the First Tuesday in January 1940 between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day at the Court House door of said Haskell County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at Public Auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said A. M. Ferguson in and to said property.

Dated at Haskell, Texas, this 6th day of December 1939.

OLEN DOTSON,
Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County;

GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to

summon Otis Alston, Conia Alston and E. K. Sampley, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court Haskell County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Haskell on the First Monday in January, 1940, the same being the first day of January, 1940, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1939, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5457, wherein the Rollinsford Savings Bank Inc., is Plaintiff, and Otis Alston and his wife, Conia Alston, and E. K. Sampley, are Defendants, the substance of Plaintiff's demand being:

A suit in Trespass to Try Title to 175 acres of land, situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being out of the Northeast part of Section No. 7, and the Northwest part of Section No. 8, in Block No. 3 of the H. & T. C. R. Co. Survey, Cert. No. 591, Patent No.

411, Vol. 77, and Cert. No. 562, Patent No. 310, Vol. 47;

Alleging that Plaintiff and Defendants claim title under a common source, and under a Deed dated January 16th, 1924, and now of record in Vol. 98, at page 1, of the Deed Records of Haskell County Texas, and praying for Judgment for title to and possession of said land, for writ of restitution, costs of suit and rents and damages, and general and special relief, in law and in equity.

HEREIN fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed same.

READ THE WANT ADS!

Witness Mrs. Hettie Williams Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas;

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the city of Haskell, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1939.

MRS. HETTIE WILLIAMS
Clerk of District Court of Haskell County, Texas.

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BREAK!



"Huddling" is the unhealthy practice of living in one or two rooms during the winter season. "Huddling" invites colds that are forerunners of many serious winter illnesses. If you "huddle", with part of the house blocked off in a shivering quarantine, sudden body chilling temperatures are unavoidable every time a member of the family leaves a heated room to go to some other part of the unheated home.

Fight the dangerous common cold this winter with these simple rules: (1) Don't "huddle" but provide comfortable temperatures in every room so that quick body-chilling changes will be avoided at all times; (2) Introduce sufficient oxygen-laden air into the home through adequate ventilation; (3) Keep connecting doors open so that a natural circulation of warm air prevails from one room to another; (4) If you should "catch cold" consult your family doctor before it has an opportunity to undermine your health.

Lone Star Gas System

READ THE WANT ADS!

The Bulldog Growl

Official Newspaper of Weimer Public Schools



STAFF

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News Editor Aletha Liles

HONOR ROLL

These students made 90 or above on all subjects the second six weeks.

Freshman class: Bruce Edwards, Vonnie Bess Williamson, LaVerne Linvell.

Junior class: David Sanders. Senior class: Jeanette Weimer, R. S. Sanders, Aletha Liles, Elizabeth Medley, Maurine McBeth.

GIRLS WIN VOLLEY BALL AT VERA

The Weimer girls went to Vera to return their visit to Weimer last week. The Weimer girls won two games out of three.

GIVING

The true spirit of Christmas is giving. Giving with the expectation of receiving has resulted in commercializing the sacred season. When one person seeks to outdo his friend in giving lavish gifts, there is created a sense of dissatisfaction, and the greatest cheer goes to the shop keeper who profits by the sale of gifts. If we would have real joy and give real joy we should remember some individual who may be overlooked and give him something that will bring him comfort and pleasure instead of swapping gifts with those who have plenty.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

Weimer High School, Dec. 12 Dear Santa: I am a teacher of Weimer High School, and I have been a very good little boy. I should like to have a little red wagon, a kiddycar, a pair of roller skates and lots of nuts and candy. Your little friend, W. D. (Billy) Hinson

P. S. Don't forget the fur coat for my little wife. Weimer High School, Dec. 12 Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl in the senior class. I have been studying very hard so please bring me a "wubba dolly", Cracker Jacks, a pop gun and a package of Double Bubble. As ever yours, Little Wanda Dakan

SOPHOMORES HAVE NEW STUDENT

The Sophomores are very happy to announce that they have a new pupil in their class. He is Elton Kelsay from Oklahoma. We are very glad to have you with us, Elton. We will do everything in our power to make you like our school.

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Bye-bye. Mrs. A. V. Brannon P. S. Bring me a rolling pin.

WHAT DO YOU DISLIKE IN GIRLS?

Clay—For girls to "run after" a boy and flirt with everybody they see.

Herman—For girls not to be friendly to everyone.

R. S.—For girls to always be in bad humor.

Pete—For girls to expect a boy to come to see them every night of the week when they know the boy is supposed to keep in training.

W. T.—For girls to be two-faced.

Jimmy—For girls to pretend they like a boy when they don't.

Billy—For girls to wear short dresses.

Wilburn—For girls to always be talking about someone they have gone with when they are on a date.

Sidney Lee—For some girls to think they are so much better than anyone else.

Leo—For girls to break a promise.

Burnard—For girls to chew gum vigorously and to use too much lip stick.

Cornelius—For girls to wear their hair short and their finger nails long.

LAUGHS

B. L.—Honey, I've bought something for the one I love best. Guess what?

Louise—A box of cigars.

Accidents All The Time

Lois—Have you noticed where deer have caused several automobile accidents lately?

Bernard—That's nothing—deers are causing such accidents all the time.

R. S.—Have you seen a reindeer?

Jewel—Oh yes, honey, I've seen a blizzard.

At Texas and Rita Theatres



DEAR DIARY

(This was found in the study hall)

Dear Diary: "What's New?" "I'm So Sorry For Myself." "Last Night" while dancing "Back To Back" "The Little Man Who Wasn't There" climbed the "Stairway To The Stars" and went on "Over The Rainbow." Then he was "Off To See The Wizard of Oz" who fed him a "Sentimental Sandwich" and "Clarinet Marmalade" "In The Garden of the Moon".

"My Little Piggie Wiggle Woo" here is the "Key To My Heart". Now you can "Watch Over Me". Don't say "Maybe". "Do, Do, Do". They'll give us "Moonlight Serenade" while we're "Kissing In The Dark." Then we'll have "Sunrise Serenade" and it will be "Good Morning" "Chatterbox." Then there'll be a "Wedding Day In—" "Day In, Day Out". "I Must Have One More Kiss", my "Blue Orchid." We'll take a honeymoon in "Honolulu" by means of the "South American Way".

"Cinderella, Stay In My Arms" and "Hold Tight" "cause "Especially For You" here "Comes Love". "Well, Count Me Out of Your Dreams" if you don't believe me.

You know, you've heard of "A Man and His Dreams", honey. "That's My Dream".

It's been a "Great Day", but now I "Gotta Get Some Shut-Eye." "Goody Good Bye."

Scatterbrains.

Methodist Missionary Society Enjoys Christmas Program

On Monday, December 11th the women of the W. M. S. met for the presentation of the annual Christmas program with Mrs. R. C. Montgomery as director. Prefatory to the program Mrs. O. E. Patterson entertained the group with a medley of Christmas numbers, which was concluded by all joining in the singing of "Joy To The World".

Mrs. Ruth Cox next gave "The Portrait Gallery" which was a most beautiful interpretation of the birth of the Christ Child as was told by Luke.

Mrs. Littlefield added much to the program by giving as a solo, "There's a Story To Tell."

Mrs. C. M. Kaigler told a modern Christmas story which was entitled "A Wayfarers Candle." The group appreciated this number very much and hopes to have Mrs. Kaigler on our program often.

The meeting was dismissed with a prayer by Mrs. B. Cox. For the afternoon's entertainment the church had been beautifully and artistically decorated with evergreens and red candles which made a very suitable setting for this holiday program.

The members of the W. M. S. join with the reporter in wishing for all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Reporter South Ward P. T. A. To Meet On Dec. 19th

The South Ward Parent-Teacher's Association announces a change in meeting from Thursday December 14 to Tuesday December 19. The time is to be 7:30 p. m. The place is the High School auditorium.

The First, Second and Third grades are giving an operetta called "A Mischievous Mouse In Toyland."

The public is invited to see this program which is given for your entertainment. In other words no admission.

Hutto Home Demonstration Club Meets With Mrs. G. F. Williams

The Hutto Home Demonstration Club met Friday, December 8 in the home of Mrs. G. F. Williams with six members present. The meeting was a call meeting for the discussion and planning of the Christmas party. The party is to be at Mrs. Ennis Carter's, Friday night, Dec. 15. The members present were: Mmes. Lucy Day, Jane Williams, J. W. Herndon, Ben Oliver, Clyde Williams and G. F. Williams. The club adjourned to meet in the home of Mrs. Lucy Day Friday, January 12.

MRS. R. C. MONTGOMERY

announces she has opened a book shop in her residence and invites the public to see her line of Christmas books. 1tp

FOR SALE: FARM near town with or without mineral rights. Bargain if sold at once. See S. D. Williamson, Route 1, on place, or write C. W. Williamson, 408 U. S. Court House, Fort Worth, Texas. 4tc

WHY WORRY? Don't let a dead battery, broken fan belt or flat tire delay your holiday trips, just call us. Why drive a dirty and squeaky car during the holidays—bring it here for a thorough wash and grease job. Give us a ring—we know how and will appreciate your business. Panhandle Garage, phone 50. 2tp

FOR SALE — Regular Farmall Tractor, with equipment, at a bargain. See J. L. Daugherty, Rule, Texas, Rt. 2. 2tp

FOR SALE—Two matched teams of colts, ready to work. Will sell one or all four at a bargain. B. E. Terry, 6 miles southeast of Munday. 4tp

RAMBOUILLET RAMS

for sale or will trade for ewes. Martin Rueffer, 3 miles north of Mattison. 3tp

FOR SALE—Still have plenty of clean Seed Wheat, priced at 90c per bushel. August Rueffer. 3tpx

FOR RENT — Good five room house to long term tenant at \$20.00 per month. Fine place for cow and chickens. Good piano and single Murphy bed for sale. Phone 42 or see J. B. Post. 3tp

USED TIRES For Sale. Any make, any size, any price. Also we will lubricate your car for 50c. Henry Barnes Station on Rule Highway. 1tc

FOR SALE—Several head registered Jersey Cows, spring heifers and young bulls. C. A. Thomas, Weimer, Texas. 3tp

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the HASKELL NATIONAL BANK of Haskell, Texas, will be held in the offices of said bank in the city of Haskell, State of Texas, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the second Tuesday in January A. D. 1940, the same being the 9th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said bank and the transaction of such other business that may properly come before said meeting. A. C. Pierson, Cashier 4tc

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK of Haskell, Texas, will be held in the offices of said bank in the city of Haskell, State of Texas, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the second Tuesday in January A. D. 1940, the same being the 9th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said bank and the transaction of such other business that may properly come before said meeting. A. M. Turner, Active Vice-Pres. 4tc

The "Dead End Kids" with Ann Sheridan in "Angels Wash Their Faces", billed for Saturday midnight show at 11 o'clock at The Texas, and then moved to the Rita Theatre or a 3-day showing Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS

May we take this means of expressing our most grateful appreciation to each and every one of our friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful and kind during the recent illness and death of our dear wife, mother and grandmother. May you have the same love and kindness should such hour of sorrow come your way.—Mr. Jerry Williamson and family. 1tc

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We take this means of publicly expressing our appreciation of the many friends who sent flowers, cards or called during our stay at the hospital. We wish to especially thank the hospital staff and Drs. Ernest Kimbrough and Gordon Phillips for their expert attention. We feel that we could have had no better attention at any hospital anywhere. The county is indeed fortunate to have such an institution. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Woodson

Wanted

WANT THREE PASSENGERS to Jackson, Miss., leaving Haskell December 23, returning December 26. Mrs. Lula Decker, Haskell, Texas. 1tp

WANT TO TRADE—Gas range in good shape and electric washing machine with twin tubs, for chickens, hogs or cattle. See P. J. White at Haskell Implement Co. 2tc

FOR SALE—Booth's AAA Barred Rock Cockerels, about nine months old. M. O. Satterwhite, 6 miles northwest of Weimer. 2tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two and three room apartments, frigidaire, hot and cold water. Adjoining baths. Telephone 297. Mrs. Joe Meacham. 1tp

FOR SALE—Bundle Cane, Baled Johnson Grass Hay, Sudan Hay. Haskell Implement Co. 3tc

FOR SALE—Two new quilt boxes and kitchen table. Ideal gifts for the home. See A. Tonn, Haskell, Texas. 1tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1 used Philco Windcharger with 20 ft. tower and wire. Several good used 2 volt and 6 volt Philco Battery Sets, traded in on new electric sets on the R. E. A. line. These sets are in perfect shape and guaranteed like new. I would trade for killing hogs. Woodson Battery & Radio Shop. 2tc

FOR SALE—Seed Oats 40c bu., Bundle Feed, 2 1-2c bundle, and Wood, if sold in the next few days. I. V. Marrs. 1tp

LEON GILLIAM NEWS & MAGAZINE AGENCY What is better for Xmas than a year's subscription to Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal, or Country Gentleman. New low prices for Santa Claus. See LEON GILLIAM

NEWS-MAGAZINES — Any daily paper. Any magazine, lowest bargain prices. See or Phone No. 262. Leon Gilliam. 2tc

Breath Bad, Logy?

To disregard those frequent signs of constipation such as headaches, biliousness, or bad breath, may invite a host of other discomforts due to lazy bowels: sour stomach, belching, no appetite. See how much better you feel the day after taking spicy, all vegetable BLACK-DRAUGHT. This intestinal tonic-laxative tones lazy bowels; by simple directions, acts gently, promptly, thoroughly. Try it!

Grand GIFTS For Everyone

We have made a special effort to cooperate with old Santa this year and we believe that we have something appropriate for every member of the family. And you'll find each item priced economically.

MIXERS

There's nothing mother would enjoy more than one of these mixers and it would be a gift that would lighten her burden in the kitchen for years to come. You can't go wrong in buying this gift.

WAFFLE IRONS

Here's a gift the whole family will enjoy... Hot waffles for breakfast... and you'll remember old "Santa" and Christmas of 1939 for years to come. And it's inexpensive, too.

Bicycles

Here's just the wheel Junior wants for Christmas and sister will enjoy it too... We have several models priced right... You will surely want to look them over before buying the gift for the boy or girl.

We also have a sidewalk bike that will captivate any boy or girl.

RADIOS

We have a model suitable for every purse... and there are few gifts that will be appreciated more than a new radio. Be sure to see these radios before you buy a new one.

WHEEL GOODS

We have used great care in selecting our stock of wheel goods. You'll find just what you are looking for in this line and they are all priced economically.

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