

The Maskell Free Press



ED JAN. 1, 1886

Haskell, Haskell County, Texas. Friday September 15, 1944

Gets Purple Heart a Is Being Erected For Test Near Rochester

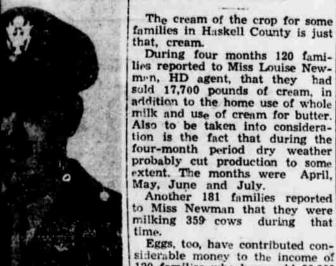
Women Cash In On Cream J. D. Hughes No. 1 During Past 4 Months

Poultry and Egg Sales

Bankrolls of Farmers

Also Add Money to

England



ard Havran of Weinert meat. an orientation England, designed to g.p betwee training and combat soldiering enemy in Germany. wan is the son of Mr. Adolph Havran of Weire he completed high entered service in Feband received his wings Army Air Field in his year, arrived in Eng-

ust 1. Before entering bross he was an inspecing year. olidated Aircraft Co., OLD GLORY MAN MADE go, California. 50 MISSIONS station will be one ch America's fighting trate on missions over

Hold Revival

Humble to Drill Deep Test With Rotary As Oil activity in Haskell County took a spurt this week with a

major company erecting rotary rig for a test in the northwest part of the county.

The test will be drilled by the Humble Oil Company as their No. The cream of the crop for some families in Haskell County is just 1 J. D. Hughes et al on a tract of acreage assembled northwest of Rochester. Location is 640 feet

out of the southeast corner of Pfc. Cleo C. Clark has arrived section 4, block 14, H&TCRR sur- in the United States and is now

About one year ago the com-pany drilled a test which was a wounds received in action in somewhere in the Pacific. duster about two miles to the France, according to work receiv-northwest of their present loca- ed in Haskell by his wife. tion. The test was carried to approximately 5,800 feet.

The new test is purported be for a depth of 5,500 feet.

Another 181 families reported Commissioners o Miss Newman that they were milking 359 cows during that Hold Regular Eggs, too, have contributed considerable money to the income of Monthly Session dozens of eggs and in addition

this same farm group have sold 10,000 pounds of poultry and Haskell County Commissioner's court held their regular monthly One hundred and twenty HD session Tuesday, with routine club women of Haskell county business matters being transacted started the year with poultry pro- and bills approved.

jects as club work. They started The session was provided over with 2.500 laying hens and 5.522 by John F. Ivy, county judge. All other chickens. Reports will be commissioner were present, Terry made on the projects until later. Robinson, Alfred Turnbow, Bill The clubs of the county adopt- Griffin and Bill Fouts.

ed as one of their projects for the year various aspects of market-ing and will continue this part of L. L. Chamberlin year various aspects of markettheir club work during the com **Dies Thursday** At Mattson Home





In Pacific Area

Mrs. Leland R. Drinnon has re- | 31-Day Period in a hospital recovering from Cpl. Leland R. Drinnon, who is

While in training Cpl. Drinnon was stationed at Camp Adair, and

Pfc. Clark arrived in New York Oregon and before going oversea September 8. He mailed to his at Camp Beal, California. Cpl

to wife the Purple Heart, which he Drinnon is the son of Mr. a recently received. Mrs. J. J. Drinnon of Weinert.



Fall Season Opens In Haskell, Ginning Starts, Merchants Well Stocked

Home On Leave

C Of C Will Box, Wrap, Tie, Address Soldier Packages Free

Free Service To Start On **Friday and Continue For**

Beginning Friday the Haskell Chamber of Commerce will wrap, tie and address all parcels for shipment to men in the service overseas, John Couch, president, announced Thursday. There will be no charge for the service.

Decision to assist people of this rade territory in boxing, wrapping and addressing of the packages was made during the directors meeting Wednesday at 10 a

The organization will provide all boxes, paper, twine and will employ one person just to assist in proper packaging of Christmas packages, so that the packages will arrive in proper condition. This service will be carried on from Friday to October 15, which is the deadline for mailing overeas packages.

During the 31-day period beginning Friday parents, wives and Willner Lee Blair, member of relatives may mail one package a the Merchant Marine with six week to relatives in the armed trips to Europe completed, has service overseas, without the rebeen sponding a leave in Haskell quest of the serviceman or wom- visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Blair.

There are several do's and He joined the Merchant Marine don'ts in mailing these packages in October, 1942 and shipped on according to postmaster J. M. a vessel that was reported sunk. this year and from all indications Diggs. First the contents should Later he met a friend who asked cotton will begin coming in good





ness he worked for other hard-

chandise, farm tools and equipment, household furniture and other needs of residents is expected to be in full swing within the next ten days. Haskell merchants are better prepared for the business than in

Maize money and cotton cash have started the fall business

The fall rush of cotton picking

and ginning and the resulting buying of fall and winter mer-

Free Flowing Dollars

Stimulate Business,

Outlook Is Good

boom in Haskell.

most towns, having large stocks on hand, so far as wartime conditions permit. In fact one lady shopping in Haskel last Friday, from a larger town and miles removed from Haskell, remarked:

"I can get better service and superior merchandise at less cost in Haskell than in any of the so-called large merchandise centers of West Texas".

While the gins of Haskell have urned out only 53 bales to date all of the farmers, ginners and cotton men expect the season to be in full swing within 10 days or two weeks.

Rochester Crops

Reports from Rochester indicate much more ginning there but the cotton was earlier than is the general rule around Haskell.

O. E. Petterson, vice-president

be packed in ong containers, him if he knew he had been something that . Il stand a long trip without coming apart. Sec-leave here he has returned to ond the packages should be wrap-ped in strong paper and tied with stout cord. The address should be written on the package and tied with stout cord. The address should they have excellent crops, in the Weinert community for example." Gins Ready



uesday At ta Falls

avis Webb, former Hasnt and father of O. E. Haskell, died in Wichi-

topital Tuesday from a morrhage. He had been th for six months. services were held at i Thursday, where his been tken overland don't ben taken overland by meral Home. The Rev. tlebaum officiated. a was born September Asbama and was mar-ary Ariminta Farns-ast Texas. He came to saty in 1918 from Frio resided here until

he moved to Brown-he moved to Brown-he lived until 1929 wei to Post. His wife im in death in 1925. are three sons. E. D. has G. F. of Haskell Webb of Brownfield.

worker.

Maybe They Made **Overnight** Trip

Now you see it and now you

ettended the picture show Fri-day night, left their car parked on the courthouse square. When they were ready to go home the car was missing. He reported the loss to the sher-liff's department, went home

iff's department, went nome and to bed Saturday morning he start-ed walking to work and on the way to town saw a familiar rer. Closer inspection revealed it was his car, nothing missing, hows in ignition. He got in the car, started it, and drove the remaining distance to work.

Auto Antics:

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pittman

in Haskell County. ly \$289-08 paid in Haskell County, while aid to dependent children

in the state averaged \$20.90, or \$459.80 paid to Haskell County dependent children.

Banker on Vacation

A. C. Pierson, cashier of the Haskell National Bank, is on vacation this week, and will spend

bert C. Neece. 2-B(H) — (deferred, defense, ware stores and helped move the ver 38)—Lark D. Jones. store to the location when it Mrs. Bowers said 464 aged per-sons were on the old-age pension rolls in Haskell County, that there were twelve blind persons on the rolls and 46 dependent children from 22 families drawing pay-ments. Average old-age assistance pay-ments throughout the state to \$21,59, according to the State Department of Public Welfare, which represents ap-proximate payments of \$10,017.76 in Haskell County. Mrs. Bowers said 464 aged per-2-B(H) — (deferred, defense, ware stores and helped move the store to the location when it is R. Gardenhire, Van R. Laugh-her husband in the store, and for a time during Mr. McCollur herself. Mr. and Mrs. McCollur will continue to make the'r home in Haskell County. Mrs. Bowers said 464 aged per-

Cooley, Harvey L. Terrell. Average state payments to the blind were \$24.09 or approximate- CPL. KENNETH BROWN

AWARDED BADGE IN ITALY

With the Fifth Army, Italy — Corporal Kenneth E. Brown of Haskell, Texas, has been cited by his regiment of the 88th Infantry Division and awarded the Com-bat Infantryman Badge for actual participation in combat with the

menty on the Fifth Army front in Italy.

McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, Texas, Sept. 14-Among

of Monday was:

state Comptroller. He and his wife and three children have liv-ed in Haskell since he came here

ed in Haskell since he came here to take charge of the Texas Com-bany agency, which he operated until three weeks ago. Quade On Furlough S-Sgt. Edgar Quade, who is stationed in New York, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. F. C. Quade, at Sugerton.

People 1s Killed In Pacific Theatre

Cpl Munroe Belknap, who for-merly lived in Haskell, has been killed in action in the Southwest Pacific according to a message received September 7.

Cpl, Belknap was a nephew of of the time prior to entering service with the Marines. His parents,

live at Seagraves Sgt. Howeth and Wife Visit In Haskell

Sgt. and Mrs. Howard W. How-

For Season Are Bright

The Haskell Indians will meet their first opponents of the foctball senson Friday night when they take on strong competition, the Spur high team, on Haske?'s field.

Coach Roberson reports that he has a squad of 27 with ten ve-turning lettermen for the term. He started twice-a-day workouts September 1 and the squad his developed rapidly. The game will be started at

8:15 p. m. John Barnett, one of the strong lettermen of last year, who Coast Roberson had hoped to have on the team this year, has been loss to a fur bigger team, the second mervices

Sgt. and Mrs. Howard W. How-eth spent two days this week vis-iting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howeth, who live five miles southwest of Haskell. Sgt. Howeth has been stationed for the last 16 and one-half months at the Abilane air base and has now been transferred to Blytheville air field in Arkansas.

Boy Tells About **Battle In France** patients arriving at McCloskey by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordy of Has-

Pfc. Cleo C. Clark of Haskell.

plane convoy from Mitchell Field kell and resided with them a part

Texas and for five years was tax

Mrs. Roy Lee Mills and son, Hawley visiting Mrs. Artie Bless-

It's Been A Real PLEASURE

To serve the people of Haskell and territory during the

TEN YEARS

that I was in the grocery and market business in Haskell. And I want to thank all of my friends and customers for the

MANY FAVORS and COURTESIES

which they showed me during that time and to impress upon them that I really did

APPRECIATE

the opportunity to serve them. I will continue to make my home in Haskell and

I'LL BE SEEING YOU!

Dick Frierson

Brief News RULE Items From

Duplicate Contest Winners Entertained

ors Friday. Mrs. Beans McCandless had as her guests last week a sister Mrs. Losers of a contest in the Du-Bill Darden and daughter, Charplicate Bridge Club entertained lotte Ann of Stamford. winners Tuesday of last the Mrs. Mark Wadzeck of Abilene

week. was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Guests met at the home of Mrs. Jack Mills at 10 o'clock on Sam Davis in Rule last week. Mrs. Edgar Ellis of Stamford, visited friends in Rule Friday. W. S. Cole transacted business in Colorado City last week. Tuesday morning and were invited for a ride, destination unknown. They motored to Stamford to the home of Mrs. Edgar Ellis Mr. and Mrs. O. J. McCain where Coca Colas were served. Sweetwater visitors last were Leavig Stamford they were tak-Saturday. en to Abilene where they enjoyed luncheon at the Chicken Shack and later attended the Mrs. R. E. Norman had as

guests recently her children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Norman of Electra and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losers who were hostesses for the party were: Mmes. John Beh- Norman of Ft. Worth. Velma McCandless left last ringer, Beans McCandless, Jess week for Lubbock where she will Place, Jack Mills, J. B. Pumph-

resume teaching in the schools rey, Edgar Ellis of Stamford. after spending the summer in Winners who were guests were: Mmes. Sam Davis, Walter Hills, Rule with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCandless. Marlin Wilson, Newt Cole, Alvin W. S. and R. W. Cole Jr. trans-

last week.

Kelley and John Herron. acted business in Abilene Wednesday of last week. Norman Martin of U. S. Navy of Davisville, Rhode Island and Maly Frances Gauntt will leave this week for San Antonio where Mrs. Martin of Providence, R. I. she will re-enter Triniity Univerare visiting relatives in Rule. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mualdin sity for the next term.

Mrs. Walter Hills and daughter. of Dallas spent the week end here Jerry and Ann and Mrs. Marlin Wilson and children, Mary and Bobby were Abilene visitors Friwith relatives.

Thursday Bridge Club

show.

Mrs. Alvin Kelley was hostess to members of the Thursday Bridge Club and guests at her home last Thursday. Fall flow-

Max Florence of Haskell was Rule visitor last week end. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cole were ers were used for room decorations Haskell visitors last Wednesday. High score award of defense stamps went to Mrs. E. B. Har-Mr. and Mrs. O. J. McCain Jr. of Cocoran, Calif., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J.

Refreshments were served to: McCain and Mr. and Mrs. Will Bland of Rule this week. Mmes. Harris, Sam Davis, Jas. E. Lindsey, W. D. Payne, C. E. Lott, John Herron, John Behringer, and Beans McCandless

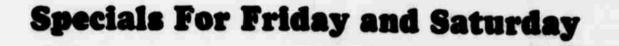
Here and There News

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Simpson of Wichita Falls were week end have had as their guests recently visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Claud a son, Lt. Tom Edd Simpson and Gordon and family. Mrs. Simpson of San Francisco, Rev. A. R. Bilberry of Jacks-boro visited his sister, Mrs. Joe Calif., and their daughter, Mrs. J. O. Price and children of St. Ragsdale and family last week. Joseph, Mo. He was accompanied to Spur by Mr. and Mrs. John Behringer his brother-in-law, Mr. Ragsdale, were Stamford visitors Saturday, to visit relatives. Mrs. Jude Smith and Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis Mrs. John Weathers were Abiand family visited in the home lene visitors Monday of last week. of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Davis of Mrs. Jessie Place of Crawford, Anson Sunday. spent last week end in Rule visit-

Sgt. James O. Henshaw from Camp Gruber has been spending Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Carothers his furlough in Haskell visiting of Anson visited relatives and with his parents and Mr. and friends in Rule last week. Mrs. D. L. Speer and family. Mrs. Joe Holcomb and Mrs.

lb. . .29c



ing relatives.



Pvt. Chester Pat Speer, who is attending L. S. U. in Baton Rouge, NOW IN ITALY

La., is home on a furlough. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Barker An Eighth Air Force Fighter of Dallas spent the week end with Station, England-A crew chief her sister and family, Mr. and in the Eighth Fighter Command, Mrs. Richard Freeby and son and Sergeant Quein B. Cogburn Mother McKinster of Haskell. Rt. 1, Throckmorton, is one Mr. and Mrs. John Fought of the men whose work contributes Weinert were visitors in their to the aerial offensive against son's home. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Germany.

Bill Germany. Assigned to a P-51 Mustang base in England, Sgt. Cogburn and his men help keep the swift Fought, also Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mother Capers is visiting her combat planes in perfect condidaugater in Fort Worth this

Master Sgt. Kermit R. How-

Sgt Howard is a member of

England-Africa shuttle bombing

of Regensbury, Germany. He is

crew chief on a B-17.

has

dition. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henshaw A graduate of the Throckmormade a business trip to Fort ton high school and a farmer by trade, he entered training in July, Mrs. Fred Kendrick and daugh-1942. He is the son of Mr. and ter, Freddie Jewel, of Haskell, Mrs. A E. Cogburn and has now been overseas for one year.

spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kendrick. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Carter and **KERMIT HOWARD CITED** Miss Ruth Carter are visiting FOR MERITORIOUS CONDUCT

their uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Carter of Alice. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kendrick

Fought.

veek

Worth this week.

ard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John isited relatives in Roby and Howard, route 1, Haskell, Sweetwater this week end. been cited by his commanding Mrs. John Wisdom has returngeneral for "exceptionally meritd from Lubbock where she has orous conduct and outstanding been with her husband, who unservice." derwent a head operation, and reports he is doing fine and will be the Third Bombardment Division nome in a few days. ited by the President for its

S. L. Coggins, Justice of the

Peace at Weinert was in Haskell Monday on business.

CARL J. MYERS GETS PROMOTION IN NAVY

> Carl J. Myers who is serving with the Navy somewhere in the boy, took two first pla South Pacific has recently received the rating of Motor Mechinest Mate 3-c.

He has been overseas for seven in the district show months and was on an L. C. I. while in the Sears-R ship when it was sunk.

Dr. E. E. Cockerell

-Rectal, Hernia, Skin and Colon Speciality

PILES - Cured Without Knife

Blind, Bleeding Protruding, no matter how long star within few days without cutting, tying, burning, slow or detention from business. Fissure, Fistula and other diseases successfully treated. See me for Colonic Treat

EXAMINATION FREE

Seymour at Seymour Hotel, Sunday Sept. 17. from 8 to 11 Munday, at Terry Hotel, Sunday Sept. 17, from 1 to ta

Haskell at Tonkawa Hotel, Sun., Sept. 17 from 4:30 to 6:10



Ewell Kittley were Anson visit-

day. Newt and W. S. Cole transact-

ed business in Cisco Tuesday of

Liberty Club News

Mr. and Mrs- Earnest Johnston

Friday Septer HAMILTON'S HOGS

AT ABILENE FAR

Ben Hamilton, Ro

one second place at

In the district show

Fair this last week with

took first place and w

show he took first plan

FLOUR 25 lbs \$1.19 RED KIDNEY BEANS 3-1 lb. cans. 25c NO. 2 1-2 CAN TOMATOES 15c DEL MONTE	RICE 36 oz. pkg 25c JACKBON'S Rod BEANS 15c	CAPESKIN SURCOAT 17.95	Polonium SPARK PLUGS 590 590 590 590 590 590 590 590 590 590	7.95 7.95 T.95
CORN Glass jar 15c HERSHEY'S COCOA 1-2 lb. pkg 13c LAUNDRY SOAP 5 giant bars 25c	HIHO Crackers, 1 lb 19c NELSON GREEN BEANS 2 No. 2 cans . 25c TURNIP GREENS No. 21-2 can 10c	Versatile Neutral Color A New ist Jacket Style	" (now!	Grade A Quality CAMELBACK! FINEST MATERIALS MANSHIP ARE USED IN
FIRM. CRISP LETTUCE head 12c TOMATOES lb 18c CALIFORNIA	CHEESE 5 oz. glass . 18c PURE PORK SAUSAGE Ib 28c SUMMER SAUSAGE Ib 28c	Suede Leather BUSH COAT	RECAPP	
ORANGES Ib 12c GRAPEFRUIT Ib 10c CRISPY FRESH CARROTS bunch 8c	HAMRELISH B 50c T-BONE STEAK B	\$19.95 Supple tanned mode, fully inded in tridescent rayon. A jecket for years of serviced We have a limited supply	of Firestone ant EARLY	i-freeze. Get you
	RIS, Owner HASKELL, TEXAS	Sturdivant Ho West Side Square		uto Suppl Haskell, Te

Friday, September 15, 1944

Maritime Service

The Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Elliott d Townsend, son of and son have moved to Sagerton Townsed of Rule, has where he is pastor of the Methomaritime service.

Move To Sagerton

C. Cahill & Son

Complete Insurance Service. RE-Casualty-Bonds. Strong Companies and quick settlements. Phone 51-J

Now Operating A . . . Watch Repair Shop

skell. My shop is now located upstairs above Drug Store.

All my work is guaranteed to satisfy.

M. D. RICHMOND

Reasonable Prices Service

ring Us...

MAIZE, HIGARI and other FARM PRODUCE for the T PRICES. We will endeavor to give you a dependable ket at all times.

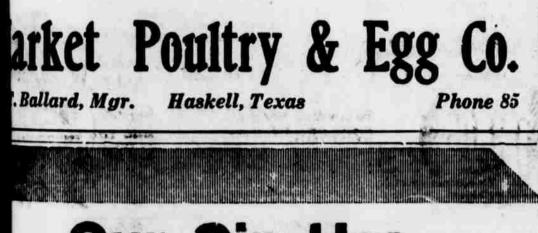
low Is The Time To Start Feeding Your Laying Flocks

Cackelo and Pepcio Laying Mash

preparation for the higher egg market this winter.

Ve Pay Top Prices for Poultry, Eggs and Cream

You'll benefit if you see us before you sell-or buy.





Tuesday with the club president, Pennington and visitors present

Mrs. Ted Jetton, in charge A demonstration on applying wall finishes was given by Louise Newman, HD agent. Included Misses Mary and Leta Curry, Elaine Pennington, Louise Newman and the hostess, Mrs. Frank Jeter.

HD Agent Gives Suggestions For Overseas Gift Packages

Many Haskell County residents) with sons, husbands and relatives overseas, are now doing Christmas shoppig for the boys who'll spend the holidays on the far-flung battlefronts of the world. Perishable foods are being plac-ed in gift boxes and Miss Louise Newman, county HD agent, makes they will arrive in edible condition.

Any food prepared for ship-ment should be protected against grease, water, rats, insects, and odors of all kinds. To cooperate with instructions issued by the Post Office, do not pack glass jars in the boxes for overseas shipment. Tin cans makes the processed here so that they pro-tect the food for the entire trip. Fruit cake, pickles, relishes, jellies, preserves and the usual cookies and candies may be ship-ped in this way. Barberued chick-en, beef, tamales and chili as well as canned chicken are the meats easiest to ship. This is also the ideal way to ship black-eved the ideal way to ship black-eyed peas, beans, etc. which some of the boys miss so much. It is not advisable to ship chocolate fudge, home canned potato salad or eggs. The commercially canned potato

Blue Bonnet HD Club Members of the Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club met in

the home of Mrs. Oscar Knipling last Friday. Miss Louise Newman Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on making bags the following suggestions for pre-paring some of the foods so that leather leather.

Citab pr sident, Mrs. Joe Hol-comb presided for the business meeting. New officers were elect-Officers elected are: President, Mrs. Lonnie Martin; Vice-President, Mrs. Festus Hunt; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Guy Young. Miss Nora Walters gave an inshipment. The cans makes the teresting talk on Marketing, and ideal container for perishable foods, for they may be sealed and processed here so that they pro-the club encampment held in Knox County recently. Next meeting will be Thursday

week in the home of Mrs. Joe Holcomb. Those present were: Mmes.

Bill Henry, Tom Rowan, O. J. son, Joe Holcomb, Less Lewis, Through Temple Clinic McCain, Weldon McCain, Guy Arthur Williams, R. V. Hagle, Nound C. H. Young Los Corner, Miss Louise Newman and Mrs. M. lius, Jennings, Corbet Lytle, Ver-non Allison, Edd Conner, Miss Nora Walters, Macon, Filling, Lee Corne-Were guests. Walters, Macon, Festus Lonnie Martin, Albert

returned from Temple where Mr.

BUY WAR BONDS Swartz, Frank Seltz, A. C. Den-

Marrs went for examination at one of the clinics there. They were accompanied to Temple by Mrs. Vanna Lee Whatley.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Marrs have

Back-to-School Now... 12 Years Later

Twelve years from now the little tyke that tottles to Kindergarten under the watchful eye of a proud mother will have completed high school. Twelve years mean reaching manhood and womanhood. If, during this time, you have sincerely and earnestly planned for your child's future you will be financially able to see him through college, the most important step of all.

Your child deserves your consideration for his future security. This security and education are going to be more necessary than ever before with rapidly changing conditions and need for quick adjustment.

This bank was founded on the theory of thrift and the help it brings those who practice it. The various members of the bank are here to help you plan for the future.





140

Our Gim Has Been Completely Overhauled

For The Best

AMPLE ____ - TURNOUT - AND MORE LINT

We have completely overhauled our gin and can assure that it is ready to gin your cotton in first class condi-

YEARS OF GINNING EXPERIENCE are back of the CAN GIN COMPANY and we are confident that you be more than pleased with the results when you gin . #

addition you will continue to receive all of the perlized service this gin has given through the years it has ed, both during and after the ginning season.

^I you want to put your cotton in the loan we will be in a ion to help you do this. This is just one of the many serwe offer and why our customers find it more profitable here.

PUNCAN GIN

W. A. DUNCAN, Mgr.

このないであるとなってあるとないであるというで、などである

salad may be shipped if it is obtainable

Easy To Prepare One of the easiest foods prepare for shipment is fruit cake. Use any favorite recipe. After mixing the ingredients in the usual way pack the mixture to within 1 1-2 inches of the top of R-enamel or plain No. 2 tin cans which have been lined with ciled butter paper cut to fit the can. Seal the first roll on the can. To steam in the pressure cooker leave the petcock open and let steam escape in a gentle stream for 75 minutes. Complete the seal and process immediately for 30 minutes at 10 pounds pressure. Plum puddings are prepared in the same manner as fruit cake, but are processed at 10 pounds for 15 minutes

Pickles or relishes should not be left in tin more than 2 or 3 months. Using any of your fevorite pickles, pack t' m into Renamel cans and hent the criteris of the can to 17 degrees F before sealing. This thally takes about 20 minutes in a No. 2 can in the hot wrtes both. At the ned of the stearing time heal the cans, thoroug ly to provent any heal the brine on the outside from causing corrosion. In canning a fresh-ly made relish, pour it into the can while it is boiling, seal and cool; then it is ready for mailing.

Ing. Preparing Preserves In preparing preserves, pour the hot preserves into "R" ena-mel cans leaving no headspace, invert the cans and let cool in cold water. Preserves already made could be re-heated and packed in the same manner. Jelly should be made and pour-ed directly into the cans. Once it

ed directly into the cans. Once it is placed in the water to cool, do not move until it is set.

Honey cookies, molasses butterscotch cookies keep butterscotch cookies keep well. Pack between layers of waxed paper and fill in the extra space with tissue paper. Some like to fill this space with popped corn. Peanut brittle, fruit-nut candies taffy and crystallized fruits are the best keeping candies. The fat in chocolate breaks down easily when subjected to high temperawell. then subjected to high tempera-ures and long storage, so choco-

> T.F. RAINEY Plumbing Phone: 53-W

Haskell and Cotton Ginning

TIME AT THE

F. T. Sanders & Son Gin

F. T. SANDERS

ROY A. SANDERS

OUR GIN IS READY

and, as usual, you'll find the BEST OF SERVICE, coupled with excellent turnouts that will please YOU!

During this harvest season when help may be limited and you are busy on the farm, send your cotton in by your wife or your children, they'll receive the same efficient and courteous service that we have always given.

Modern Machinery

Experienced Operators

· Large Cotton Houses · Long Staple Cotton Our Specialty

There Is No Substitute For Experience!

Abilene Girl Become ide Haskell Man

Ladelle Welch, daughter of their home in Haskell and he will Marvin E. Welch of Abilene be- operate a grocery store in the came the bride of Milbert Opitz. Irby community. son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Opitz of Weinert Saturday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Hardin Cofield. Rev. Grady Hammer read the Worth Sunday

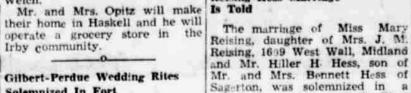
single ring ceremony. Ailene Coald Welch of Haskell were read the ceremony, After a short groomsmen.

The bride wore a street length dress made of white wool jersey home with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations. For and was in charge of the welfare something old she wore a gold work in Haskell county for this bracelet which belonged to her area grandmother. The maid of honor Mr. Gilbert is a well known wore a street length orchid dress and prominent business man of with black accessories. Her cor- Nocona. The Free Press joins sage was of white carnations.

were ushered into a room decorated with ivy and zennias by Ver- Two Sons In Service lean Klose of Weinert who wore a benutiful blue lace evening

Immediately following the cere-mony a three-tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride and groom and all the guests were served. Friends and relatives attend-, Clifton.

ing the wedding were Mr. and Billy has been attending Geor-Mrs. E. Opitz, Mr. and Mrs. Har- gia Tech until eight weeks ago Tommy Cathey Is Honored din Cofield, Mrs. G. W. Mullins, when he went to San Diego for With Party Mrs. J. W. Mullins, Mrs. E. W. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Penn- He was accompanied to Haskell ington, Mrs. T. B. Roberson and by a friend, Pfc. Tom Cole, who twins, Mrs. Claud Ashley, Ailene is also in boot camp in San Diego. Lt. Clifton has been in the and Wilma John Cofield, Emmie Opitz, Verleam Klose. Hubert Navy for over three years and is Gerald now stationed at Atlanta, Georgia Klose, Carl Opitz and



Solemnized In Fort

Welch.

Baptist Church in San Francisco, California on September 2 at 5:30 On Sunday afternoon, Septem-John Cofield and Emmie Opitz ber 3 at 5:30 o'clock, the marri-were the bride's other attendants age of Mrs. Kate Perdue and A. Heibert Klose of Sagerton was S. Gilbert was solemnized at the side two large backets of white best man. Seaman 2-c Carl Opitz Birchman Avenue Baptist Church side two large baskets of white of Oceanside, California, and Ger- in Fort Worth, Rev. Aubrey Short gladioluses with large white tapers forming the background. Mrs. Hess wore a blue gray semi-taltrip, the couple returned to Noored suit with all brown accescona, where they will make their sories. The only attendants were Mrs Flora Haywood, 465 Mt. Dea-

Mrs. Gilbert formerly lived here bolo, San Meato, California and Mrs. Adele Prescott, 1201 Mills Avenue, Burlingame, California, The bride, a Rochester High Mr. Gilbert is a well known School graduate, has been em-

their many friends in wishing for Friends and relatives present them happiness and success.

Visit Parents Here

The groom is employed with the Lt. (jg) T. L. Clifton and Pfc. Western Pipe and Steel Company to, California.

boot training in the Marine corps. Wednesday, Sept. 6, Mrs. Bu-ford Cathey honored her son, Tommy with a lovely birthday

party. Games were played and pictures taken and then the beautiful green and yellow birthday cake was cut and served with punch and candy with miniature flags as favors to fourteen children. Those sending gifts were Mrs. Tipton Carr of Pyote, an aunt of the honoree; Mrs. Lon Mc-

Millin, Mrs S. T. Buford and the honoree's father, Buford Ca-

they who is serving in the U.S.

Navy somewhere in the South

Archie Lee Jones son of Mr.

has written his parents from

and Mrs. D. A. Jones of Haskell,

Sardina that he has been promoted to Technical Sergeant. He entered service two years

ago in August and has been over-

seas one year. An engineer-gun-

ner on a B-26, he has completed

his flight missions and wrote his parents that he hoped to be home

Jones, 22-years-old, has flown

on more than 60 combat missions,

some of the more recent ones

over France. Prior to entering ser-

vice he was an employee of Per-

Miss Florene Marshall of Haw-

ley, Texas, spent the week-end

in Haskell visiting Onella Moore

and other friends here.

on furlough soon.

kins-Timberlake.

Pacific

NOTICE! All Motorists

I have opened a tire repair shop in Haskell and am now ready to serve you. . . Bling us your

> Tractor, Truck and Passenger TIRE TROUBLES

> > Located at

Greene Wrecking Company On Wichita Highway in North Haskell

A. L. BLAIR & SON



Reising-Hess Marriage

couble ring ceremony at the First

ployed as sub-clerk in the Midland Post Office for the last year and a half. Before entering the

postal service she was employed

as saleslady for the Wilson Dry

Goods Company in Midland for

several years.

Lane-Felker

THE HASKELL FREE PRESS



A Winter Wonder

This dress has a head start on superlatives because Carlye is the proud possessor of all wool jersey. They fashioned it in a simple coat style ... made it beautiful as well as

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT ... floorline

Cheerful Workers Class of First Baptist Church Has Social

The Cheerful Workers class of the First Baptist Sunday School met Friday at 6:30 at the church and went in a group out to the LeClair farm, where Mrs. Le-Clair and Anna Myrle had every thing in order for one of the most enjoyable social hours the class has had this year.

Gamse, stunts and a contest were followed by a weiner roast and iced melons. Those attending were: Mary Ann Nunley, Patsy Toliver, Gayla

Holland, Charline Williams, Mary Beth Payne, Nancy Burton, Vir-ginia Frierson, Mrs. Quattlebaum and the hostesses, Mrs. LeClair and Anna Myrl.

We were very glad to have one mother, Mrs. Lynn Toliver with us. The class was extended a very special invitation to return which the class is looking forward to.

Mr. and Mrs Thomas **Give Lawn Party**

A lawn party was given by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas on the evening of September 6, honoring Imogene Driggers and Marie Thomas on their birthday.

After enjoying many games the gifts were presented to the honorees.

The highlight of the evening was the cutting of the birthday cake which was served with ice cream to Misses Joyce and Opal Faye Turnbow, Sue Hall, Geneva Drinnon, Joyce Reding, Thelma Copeland, Jocie Mae Brown, Tiny Driggers, Earline Earp, Marie Thomas-

Mr. Max Copeland, Clifford, Lewis, Clois and Clyde Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reding, Alfred Turnbow, John Thomas and Christine, Larry Bass, and chil-dren, C. A. Thomas and Mrs. Roy Lee Mills and Ronnie. Junior-Senior Magazine

Club Holds Picnie



Daughter Born To Haskell Couple Mr. and Mrs. George Gates are the parents of a daughter born at 12:30 Tuesday at the Haskell hospital. Mother and daughter are doing fine.

Mrs. I. W. Neill Jr. and Miss Faye Neill of Hamlin, Texas, spent the week end in Haskel visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Wilson and other fri-



Mrs. J. Sides accompanied

Haskell in about six weeks.

her daughter, Mrs. Paul B. Hunt-er and children to Houston last week. Mrs. Sides will return to they will be students

of Dover IRENE DUNNE A CLARENCE BROWN PRODUCTION

and with ALAN MARSHAL RODDY MCDOWALL : FRANK MORGAN Van Johnson . C. Aubrey Smith Deme May Whitty - Gladys Cooper



NOTE: Due to extreme length and magnitude of t duction there will be no added units other news reel.

LADIES' NEW FALL HAT

Lovely shapes in all the leading colors and materials. Styles



Friday September 15, 194

Marigene Sellers and



pretty good but there has been skell County farmer reno picking yet. sturday that his cotton

In County 39 Years over knee high, fin-I've ever seen-but its' S. L. Medford, southeast thing-you know about Haskell, said Monday that nt of those stalks don't ingle boll on them." cotton was not too good year due to the long dry spell or whole if the producer desires in the summer which also cut to use or sell some of the grain

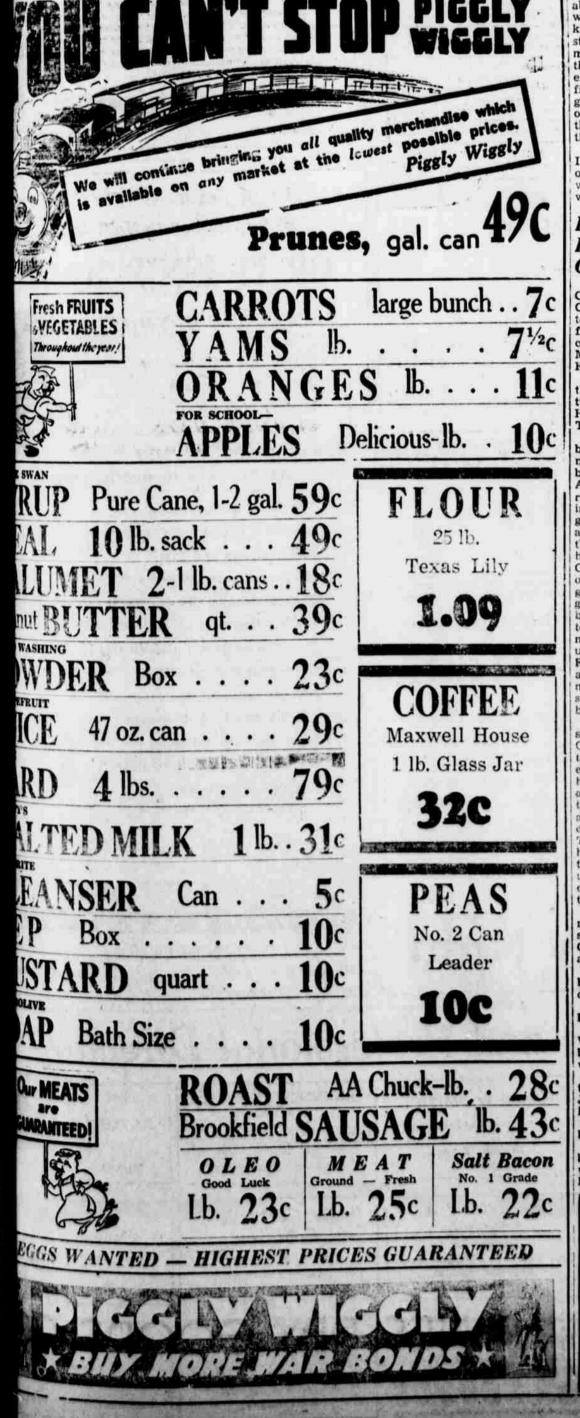
production of his combine maize Doves Are Few Haynes. Paint Creek crop to around 600 pounds to reports there are not too the acre. Medford has lived in Haskell county 39 years "practi-cally all of my life," he added "and quail ves, there due to the recent dry did the same thing

There were plenty of but before the sen- Grain Sorghum they all left." Loans Obtainable Sagerion Crops Newton says combine his community produced to 1,500 pounds to the Through Triple A

the late feed being ter than that planted Due to the recent decline

quests in regard to the 1944 loan, according to Bob Crocker, AAA secretary. The loan is approxi-mately 20 to 30 cents per hundred. grain sorghum prices the County years ago. has lived on the same miles southeast of Sag- quests in regard to the 1944 loan, so good this year alpurchased and planted supposed to be pedipounds above present market with the Ninth Air Force over but he got a stand of prices.

A producer can obtain a farm ceived his aerial gunner's feed. the community looks stored grain sorghum loan by fil- 'at Fort Meyers, Florida.



THE HASKELL FREE PRESS

ing his application with his AAA Wounded (Continued from Page One)

stored not less than 30 days; it must be free of smut and not time. The enemy had us complete-

met. The grain must have been

surance is carried by the Commo-

The loan can be liquidated in part

at his base in Tennessee. Sgt. Lee

was born in Haskell and moved

his additional cost to the producers.

during the time of the loan.

Former Haskell Man

Gets Army Promotion

this

after all charges are deducted. In- we went on ahead and captured ter that date through September a small town in which we found 30, blue tokens will be accepted dity Credit Corporation at no paratroopers and infantrymen. ten. Boy, were they a happy bunch!" H

A producer that plans to store Thursday that Howard was at because of the removal of prac-Loan Program should determine that his storage structure is elicondition was not serious. gible and will meet requirements.

Howard . . .

(Continued from Page One) Robert E. Lee Jr., grandson of Mrs. M. S. Jones of Haskell, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant States for hospitalization. Sgt. Howard was wour has been returned to the United Sgt. Howard was wounded in action in Italy and by a coinci-dence his doctor in the hospital

in with his parents to Odessa several overseas was also from Haskell, Captain Floyd Taylor who is a son of Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor of Haskell.

Mrs. Howard has received letter this past week from Pfc. Ralph B. Nash of Odessa who who served with her son in Italy and the continent of Europe. He rewas also wounded in artion and wings

is now in a hospital at Longview. In his letter Nash said of Sgt. Howard: "please don't worry about your fine son, because I was around him long enough to know that he has one of the strongest hearts and that helps so much. It was encouraging to hear that Howard had everthing necessary to lead us. He was the first to get to me and see that I got first aid, as well as the rest of the boys. Howard has earned the respect of all the officers and the rest of the non-coms too." "We talk a lot about home and I know that Howard is as proud of his family as I am. That is what keeps most of us going when we are discouraged."

Former Haskell Man

Receives Army **Citation Recently**

Technician Fifth Grade Willard C. Melton, who is now on New Caledonia with the Quartermas-ter Corps, has received a citation from his commanding officer, ac-cording to a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Melton of Haskell. They will spend the rest of his 16 day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Manley, for-merly of Rochester who now live in Cleburne, Texas. S-Sgt. Manley will see overseas duty in the near future. He has been in the army for 3 years, two years ago from Rising Star. He landed overseas June 8, 1943.

The citation follows. During the period from Decem-ber 1942 to 15 May 1944, Tech-nician Fifth Grade Melton has been a typical American Soldier. Although 42 years of age, he carried on through all phases of the intensive military training prowere a guia. and inspiration to members of this command, many who were half his age-Technician Fifth Grade Melton faithfully carried out all assignments which he was given with a smile and will to get the job done. He has always been among the first to volunteer for any additional assignments. The younger men of the unit have come to Technician Fifth Grade Melton for advice and guidance. The unit having no chaplain, he set about giving spiritual guidance to the members of this command. Since his arrival at this oversens station, Technician Fifth Grade Melton has carried on in the same traditional fashion ho exhibited back in the States. He has been operating his truck on a 10-hour shift, alternating be tween the day and night shift cn seven-day week for the pa The actions of eleven months. Technician Fifth Grade Melto. have helped greatly in the maintaining of high morals in this unit so as to carry out the task of this battalion in its operations of hauling supplies. 2. Since the act on which the recommendation is based the service of Technician Fifth Grade Melton has been honord the Fifth able-

All Blue Ration **Tokens Must Be Used Before 17th**

Housewives were reminded b have a moisture content in excess of 13 per cent. The 1944 loan rate is 95c per finally got word back to the com-Board, that if they do not want bushel on No. 2 grain sorghum pany commander and he sent up to lose the point value of their or approximately \$1.68 per hun- reinforcements. We broke through blue tokens they should use them blue tokens they should use them and captured 70 prisoners. Then before September 17, because af-

> a hospital filled with American by the grocer only in groups o He pointed out that the use o Clark is the son of Mrs. Cal- 1-point blue tokens in the prodonia Clark of Haskell, Texas. cessed food rationing program will His mother received word on be discontinued on that date,

grain on the farm under the 1944 Brooks General hospital at Fort tically all canned and bottled Sam Houston, Texas, and that his vegetables from rationing effective on September 17. After Ser

tember 16, points will still be required for canned fruits, canned juices, canned tomatoes and chili sauce, he said.

Reed said the following points should be kept in mind by con-sumers in making use of the blue tokens they have on hand:

From September 17 through September 30, shoppers will be only in groups of ten.

able to spend their blue tokens Housewives should be sure to use all their blue tokens by Sep-tember 30 because after that date they cannot use them.

Two Sons Home On Furlough at Same Time

Mrs. W. E. Brock had the pleasure of both sons, Pvt. Joe and Edwin McElroy, visiting her the past few days.

Joe was home on a week-end pass from Randolph Field at San Antonio; Edwin spent the past ten days on his way from Las Veges. Nev., to Tampa, Florida. He is an engineer-gunner on a B-17 and received his wings at Las Vegas He will be on patrol duty somewhere on the Gulf coast. Relatives also visiting Mrs. Brock were Mr. and Mrs. Menard Fields of South Plains, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McElroy of Sweetwater and Mrs. M. O. Field of Floydada, Texas.

> Sgt. Manley and Family Spend Furlough Here

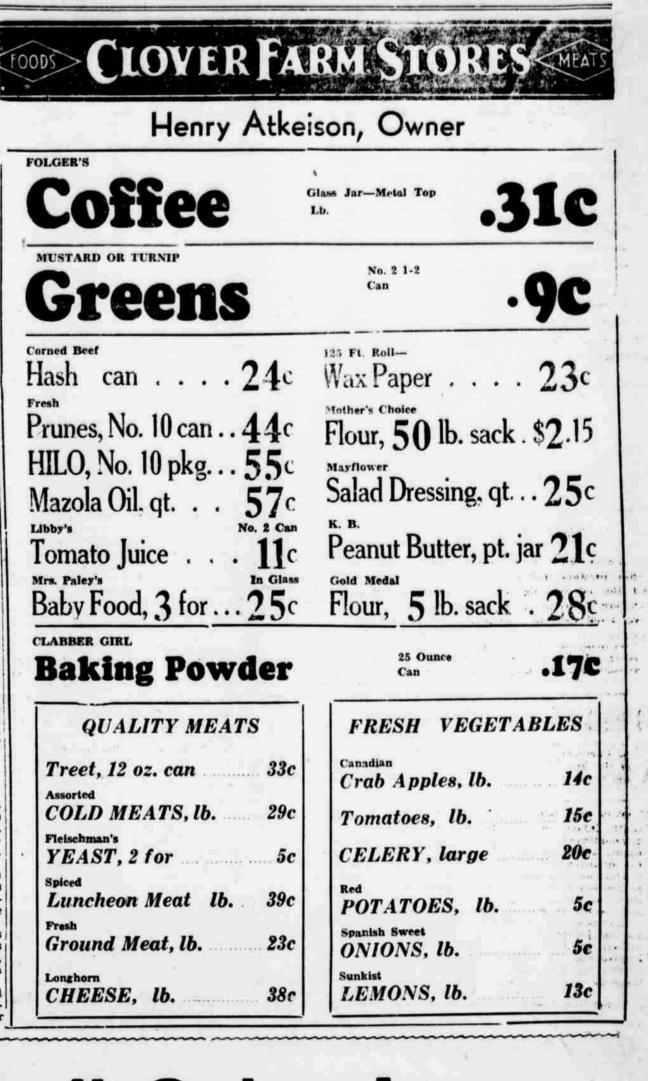
S-Sgt. and Mrs. Preston R. Manley and daughter, Patricia Sue, formerly of Peteluma, Calif. visited in the home of Mrs. Man-

ley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Elmore of O'Brien last week.

been in the army for 3 years, Melton lived in Haskell for three years and entered service serving 10 months in the Panama two years ago from Rising Star. He landed overseas June 8, 1943. Mrs. Manley and baby will

Carles The

make their home in Cleburne during the absence of their father and husband.



3. This recommendation based on the personal knowledge of the recommending officer.

Back From Fort Worth Mrs. Wesley Liles and Mrs Vanna Lee Whatley accompanied Mrs. Aleatha Liles to Fort Worth where she will teach this fall. They were accompanied back to Haskell by Mrs. Whatley's son Jimmy, who has been visi Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Medkief visitin

Licenses to Marry Only license to marry issued by the county clerk this past week was to Johnnie Busby and Stella Faye Smith, both of Haskell.

Babyland

We have handmade sets for Infants. Also hand - made Dresses and Gowns

Schools паѕкен

At a mass meeting held in Haskell High Sch ool building a few weeks ago, and to which all citizens were invited, a committee was appointed to present to all interested people certain facts pertaining to Haskell Public Schools. The committee has chosen this means of bringing the matter under consideration to your attention.

In 1936 fire completely destroyed the Haskell High School building. Some insurance was collected and Federal Aid was secured to construct a new building. When it was completed there was an unpaid portion of a few thousand dollars. In 1940 the new building was burned. Insurance, Federal Aid, and a \$15,000 bond issue which was voted at that time were sufficient to construct the same type building. However, many citizens insisted that the School Board make the new structure fireproof. This was done at an additional cost of approximately \$15,000.

Opportunity also arose to secure a large amount of Federal help in erecting the Homemaking building, the Activity building and the Vocational Farm Shop building, at a cost to the District of about \$15,000. After advising with numerous citizens in the community the Board decided to erect these buildings.

The Board planned to pay this indebtedness at a rate of approximately \$5,000 per year. By 1942 the debt had been reduced to \$20,000. In 1942-43, because of a change made in Rural Aid laws by the legislature, the Haskell Schools failed to receive from the State Rural Aid funds more than \$5,000 which was anticipated in connection with rural schools contracted to Haskell. The same situation prevaled for the year 1943-44. Because of the unexpected failure to collect these funds the debt has not been reduced during the past two years.

The public meeting of citizens mentioned above discussed the matter very thoroughly. The rural schools which formerly were contracted now have been annexed to the Haskell Independent School District and taxes on property in those districts have been increased to correspond with those in the original district. The increase in size of the district makes it possible for the Haskell Schools to participate in Rural Aid and to increase teachers' salaries which the Board found necessary to secure enough teachers for the school.

In participating in Rural Aid the district must first apply one half of all local taxes assessed to the current maintenance budget and the State pays the balance. Under these conditions, if the district should attempt to pay the indebtedness by increasing taxable values and collecting additional taxes, one half of the increased assessment would first be applied to the current budget and thus reduce the State's portion by an equal amount. That means that of every two dollars thus assessed only one could be used to reduce the debt while the other would replace one which otherwise could be received from the State. For this reason, the group of citizens decided the logical thing to do is to collect the \$20,000 by subscription.

Each citizen of the district will be solicited by a committee. In order to lessen the work of the committees each person is requested to leave a check at the banks in Haskell. No check will be cashed until at least \$15,000 has been collected. The committee requests all to be as liberal as possible so no special burden will be placed on any one person or small group of people. You are urged to make your contribution as soon as possible.

This Space Bought and Paid for by Interested

Citizens of Haskell

The Haskell Free Press

Established January 1, 1886 Published Every Friday

SAM A. ROBERTS, Publisher G. D. TRIPLETT, Editor

intered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Hashell, Texas, under the act of March 3, 1870.

Subscription Rates

One year elsewhere in Texas \$2.00 One year outside of Texas

MOTICE TO THE PUBLIC-Any erroneous re-Section upon the character, reputation or standing of any firm, individual or corporation will be gladly sorrected upon being called to the attention of the sublishers



All in Same Boat

How to avoid unemployment after the war is a grim question that is foremost in everyone's mind. But job-creating industry and its problems. which are determining factors in the lives of all of us, is not receiving the public consideration it deserves

Too many people still look upon industry as on entity unto itself. They feel that tax and legis-lative measures offecting industry are things for



30 Years Ago-Sept. 12, 1914 tract with the government to Jas. D. Odom, city health of- carry mail from the postoffice to ficer, complained of unsanitary the train says that the mail clerks conditions in Haskell in an arti- on the train are objecting to him mailing so many letters on the ele in the paper.

Farmers and businessmen met train and asked people to quit at the courthouse Tuesday and re- giving him letters to mail. solved to organize a grmp y red J. A. Couch made a business build a cotton warehouse in Hac- trip to Wichita Falls Thursday. kell, said company to be incor- School will begin Monday and porated for \$2,000.

Hunt Bros. has informed us that full blast. Elmer Wall has been promoted to There were probably a thouthe business of Fields & Hunt at sand people at the Hemphill tank wagon, 4 good milch cows, 5 good warmed the hearts of all those who

Rule. W. D. Joiner who has the con-of some forty men, women, boys



that when a corporation gets slapped in the face with crippling legislation or taxation, eventually the effect is reflected in its capacity to produce, and the little guy as well as the big guy gets hit between the eyes by loss of employment. or restricted output-

For example, when you take an aspirin, you are using a derivative of coal. Thus, although you may live thousand: of miles from the Virginia coal fields, you are dependent on the coal industry. In fact, the bathroom cabinet would be swept nearly bare if the coal industry should fold up and quit. In addition to aspirin, bituminous coal derivatives are used in making laxatives, rubber goods, and perfumes, to say nothing of the life-saving sulfa drugs. These things are incidental to the more

the "big guys" to worry about. They don't realize

primary uses of coal which maintain the war ef-fort, heat and light our homes and drive our trains and make steel.

Coal is typical of many industries employing millions of American workmen. In common with other industries, it is meeting its problems aggres-sively and resourcefuly with two objectives in view-more production and more jobs.

American Enterprise Scores Again

After two years of research, the announcement is made that the oil industry is ready to produce at the command of the military forces, a new super-fuel for aviation so much more powerful than 100-octane gasoline that it will permit maximum bombing of the Japanese mainland on a "subur-ban service schedule." While the chemical de-bring it into a place of honor and tails of the new product are withheld, the Petroleum War Council has disclosed that this juel, have, but He does not shower it called "100-octane plus," is expected to surpass Il other gasolines in the world in volatility and nacouent performace.

William R Boyd. Jr., Chairman of the Counmaid that the product was designed to "draw

tom the lethal B-29 Superfortresses and the futuristic B-32 Bombers and the most modern fighter escort planes, their originally intended maximums in sustained speed, short take-offs, combat radius and load-carrying capabilities."

It should be stated that this is just another accomplishment of private enterprise in the United States which again surpasses anything the dietators and their totalitarian governments have ever accomplished.

Sams, of the First Baptist Churchthe Methodist pastor, Rev. W. P. Faryin, baptised by immersion we find in II Samuel 1. Then by the Lord's leading he went four people. A large number were baptised at the Christian church Hebron, the national capital of the people.

and poses only, to be named Haskell was the first step and in the right direction.

ing that the Philistines had killed excellent strate ty, but at the same a time it was the natural expression

He that would have friends must a And why not? The friendly and open-hearted kindness of some for pupils of the sixth and seventh to Christ than the brilliant dis-

This Is A Free

SUNDAY Country ... International SCHOOL and you can say what you please

unless you are talking to your wife or the OPA, and what's more cool weather we have started making chili. We think it's pretty you can get it printed for next to nothing. That's why I can praise Van William's steaks and sandwiches in this paper each week, and no one can dispute it, at least in print, 'till next week. Well, I can't say too much in ing my place a "chilli joint" but he doesn't know how thick-skin-

their favor. I kept reading my ned I am. own ads about the steaks until strange urge came over me and I ate one of them myself, and Boy was I surprised! They're every mised to save a package of cigarettes for, our regrets and apowas I surprised lacyte every bit as good as I have been claim-ing all this time. Remember, if you are going to mail a package to that boy over-seas, the Postoffice says it must

be in the mail by Oct. 15th. We have a large assortment of candy, but many kinds, including NUT candies, are not suitable for shipping so far. However, we have many varities which you can choose from including fudges, brittles, chocolate bars, fruit drops, candy corn, mints, licorice, eppermint stick, etc.



Frank C. Scott. M. D. SPECIALIST

Diseases & Surgery of the Eve. Ear, Nose, Throat - Fitting of Glasses, Fitting of Zenith hearing aids ,and complete test for Allergic Conditions.

Office South's Clinic Haskell Texas

DO YOU WANT THE BEST FOR THE LEAST?

When you're buying food let our

THRIFTY PRICES

and our reputation for quality be your guide to the most and best for your money.

Pay Cash - Pay Less - Get More



a HASKELL YOUTH AWARDED out of it? If you don't have recipe we'll be glad to give you COMBAT INFANTRY AWARD one. It's good stuff, and especially good eaten off the dasher.

To the many people we pro-

LIFE'S Little TROUBLES

-CAN'T SLEEP

No meed to lie in bed-tone-warry and fret because CON-STIPATION or GAS PRES-SURE won't let you sleep. Be smalble get up-take a dash of ADLER-I-KA

ADLER-I-KA as directed, so relieves the pressure of large intertines on nerves and organs of the directive fract. Ad-herika assess old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the disconforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you fabling clean — refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Allerika fram size draget today.

OATES DEUG STORE

-Van Williams

Cpl. R. Lee Gannaway of Haskell has been awarded the Com-Since we have had a little

bat Infantryman Badge by the commanding officer of the 112th Cavalry, for exemplary conduct

Walter Hadley, who Cavalry, for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy on New Britain island, according to word received here by his father. good, and if we knew of any better anywhere we wouldn't tell you about it. John Tubbs came in and tried to insult me by call-

FEDERAL LAND BAN LOANS

Friday September

Hadley Enters N

R. C. Gannaway.

Cpl. Gannaway had

been awarded the Silve

Now 4%, time 20 to 34 years. Land Bank Comsioners Loans now 5%, time 10 to 20 years.

National Farm Loan Association Off W. H. McCandless, Secty-Treas. HASKELL, TEXAS

BE SURE YOU ARE FULLY PROTECTED

Home Saboteurs...

Fire, Wind, Flood-Let Insurance Be

Your Home Guard Against Loss

No one can predict when or where one of these de home saboteurs will strike. They play no favorites and p turn may be next. The only way to protect your investment your home and property is through insurance in proper amon against all existing hazards. Get our full covernge policy all includes predection, against fire, wind and flood damage. In delay—tomerrow may be too late.



-If It's In Texas-SMITTY Has It-If Not In Texas He'll Get It OR IT ISN'T MADE! -WE NOW HAVE IN STOCK-Sealed Beam Headlamps Air Pressure Gauges

Single and Double Horns Complete MOTOR OVERHAUL Parts for Ford, Chevrolet and Plymouth

WE STOCK AND RECOMMEND:

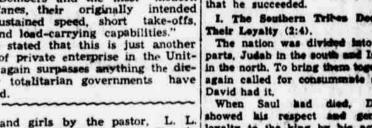
Thermoid Brake Lining Lockheed Brake Fluid and Parts

Sunday evening by Rev. J. D. White the pastor. 40 Years Ago-Sept. 10, 1904 An election was announced for Haskell for October 1 for an incorporation for free school pur-

An advertisement listed the following items northeast of Haskell Being Friendly (2:5-7). for \$2,500: 240 acres fine black land, including two-room house,

tools and household furniture. The executive committee of

proposed two-day street fair to of a kind heart. be held in Haskell were endea-Miss May Murfee opened school Monday in rooms at the



Their declaration for David was

respected him. He had shown himself to be their friend (I Sam. 30:26) now they made him king. It was the first step and a long one

II. The King Makes Friends by

The men of Jabesh-gilead, hearthe hard work of the boys and 40 acres of cotton, 10 acres of corn Saul, went for his body and gave Courtney Hunt of the firm of girls for the fall term will be in cut and shocked, 11 acres maize, it suitable burial. This gave David acres in sorghum and some late occasion to show his fine spirit feed, span of good mules and of appreciation, which naturally Sunday to witness the baptising mares, 3 fine hogs, all farming had loved and followed Saul. It was

Position and power are important to a king, but of even greater importance is the winning of the hearts of his people. Only as he has them with him can he build a great nation David was the Lord's anointed. The kingdom was his. But God expected him to make the necessary

THE HASKELL FREE PRESS

* LESSON *

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for September 17

Lesson subjects and Scripture texts se-lected and copyrighted by International Council of Religious Education: used by

THE KINGDOM STRONGLY

ESTABLISHED

LESSON TEXT-II Samuel 2:4-7;

1-10. GOLDEN TEXT-They that trust in

the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be moved, but abideth forever.--Psalm 125:1.

Improved

Uniform

usefulness. God gives us all we down on us: we must go out and possess it.

Note in the three verses that precede our lesson (vv. 1-3) that David moved forward only after prayer and divine guidance. Little wonder that he succeeded.

I. The Southern Tribes Declare

The nation was divided into two parts, Judah in the south and Israel in the north. To bring them together again called for consummate skill.

When Saul had died, David showed his respect and genuine loyalty to the king by his actions and by his song of lament which

Judah, and there awaited the will of

not long in coming. They knew and

oring to raise funds for the fair. show himself friendly (Prov. 18:24). residence of Mr. J. E. Fitzgerald Christians does more to win others

Speaking of pepermint stick have you tried making ice cream

WE HAVE A PURINA CHOW TO FIT YOUR FEEDING NEED!



askell, Texas Phone 297

courses of some cold, exclusive Several parties are preparing Christian worker. Most of the Lord's to make shipments of beef cattle work is done by ordinary people next week. with warm hearts. Is there any Messrs. W. H. and M. C. Sherreason why we cannot all be winman bought of Mr. J. F Pinkersome and attractive in Christ? ton this week 300 acres of land III. The Northern Tribes Recogsituated near the Foster school The price was \$10 per nize Their King (5:1-5). house.

A period of seven years elapsed The excavations for the basebefore this took place. The house of ment and foundations for the Saul was not willing to yield its new school building have been supposed rights to the throne, and completed and the foundation there was fighting and struggle. In cellar walls are being laid. it all David showed himself to be The Snyder Light paper was upright and considerate. uoted as bragging on a farmer

There is value in gradual developbringing in a 47 pound waterment and in the struggle for the melon and the editor of the Free right. Had David found immediate Press retorted editorially: "You success one wonders whether he ought to come over to Haskell would have gained the strength he ounty and see a watermelon. needed for the future Our champion melon grower has m up to 96 pounds and there

Then came the day when Israel, the tribes of the north country, of complished if there hadn't been their own accord chose to put themselves under David. Note that it From the Marcy community was because of their regard for him

(vv. 1, 2) that they came to him (v. 3). That was great gain.

A united people! How important that is in the affairs of the nations. Nothing is more disturbing or a

greater hindrance than internal friction. We ought to deal quickly and decisively with any group or force in the life of our nation which is clearly divisive or disloyal.

Think, then, how important it is Pvt. Marion C. Piland of Camp that God's people in the Christian Church stand together in undivided Rupert, Idaho, has been spending 20-day furlough here with his loyalty to Christ, our King, and in wife, the former Freida Mapes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G W loving devotion to one another. IV. The King Established a Na-

Piland, and other relatives. tional Capital (5:6-10).

ON LEAVE AFTER 14 MONTHS IN PACIFIC

s no telling what he would have

Texas people don't believe much

in walking and these "prophets"

Spends 20-Day Furlough With Wife In Haskell

claim to walk everywhere

"The Mormons are here

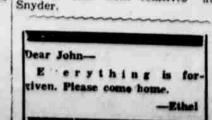
drouth on

lews:

Petty Officer Elmer T. Hilliard, who has spent the last 14 months in the Southwest Pacific, has returned to the States and is spending a 30 day leave with his folks. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hilliard and family of Haskell.



Mr. and Mrs Elmer C. Tarbet of Wilson, Oklahoma, visited their aunt, Josephine Tarbet in Haskell Friday. They were en route home from a visit with relatives at



J. D. TYLER, Prop.

Take Your Milo and Other Grains to **Courtney Hunt**

for Top Prices-for Good Dry Grain

Some farmers have cut their Milo too green, causing it to heat and sour. As most of our Milo go north, we can ship only good dry grain-therefore, we will be forced to refuse to buy wet grain Milo, or take at such discount of 25c to 50c per hundred - where it will not pay for you to market too green.

A-P Mufflers and Pipes McQuay-Norris Motor Parts McQuay-Norris Chassis Parts Fram Filters and Lines **Penn-Power Motor Oils** Gates Fan Belts and Hose Neihoff Ignition Service **Timken and Pratt Bearings** Libby-Owens-Ford Glass **DuPont Polish and Chemicals Hollingshead Chemicals** Perfect Circle Piston Rings

Your Can Always Do BETTER at



	and the second			
United Fidelity Life Insurance Company W. Q. CASEY (Local Representative) 	JASON W. SMITH Abstrac's—Title Insurance Haskell, Texas	BARTLETT SERVICE STATION Fisk Tires Complete Service for Your Car Humble Gas and Oils Washing and Greasing	Dennis P. Ratliff W. P. R RATLIFF & RATLIF Attorneys-at-Law Haskell, Texa	
TOM DAVIS Lawyer Office over Oates Drug Store	Dr. Arthur A. Edwards Optometrist Eyes Tested Glasses Fitted Magnetic Masseur HASKELL, TEXAS	Dr. Gertrude Robinson Licensed Chiropractor Cahill Building Haskell Texas	T. R. ODELL Attorney at Law Office Upstairs Over Fai Bank Phone No. 342	
VIRGIL A. BROWN Beal Estate Office over Piggly-Wiggly Farms and City Property	They keep fighting- You keep buying WAR BONDS	Starr Blacksmith & Machine Shop We Do All Kinds of Repair Work, Welding and Blacksmithing	CALVIN HENSON Lawyer Haskell Test	

Jerusalem, which was to be the "city of David," and which figures so orominently not only in history but in prophecy, had to be wrested from the hands of the heathen

Jebusites, and be established as the sacred city and the capital of the Jewish nation. Note that the kind and considerate

king was not a weakling. He knew bow to fight and to win. Verse 8 is difficult to interpret, but evidently does not mean that David was cruel. The Jebusites taunted him by saying that their blind and cripples could hold the wall against David's men. Then they doubtless put their pest soldiers on the wall, and David

said to his men, "Let us take these cripples." We see in verses 9 and 10 that David was not only a fighter, but also a builder. He began then the development of Jerusalem, the great city of which we are yet to wondrous things.

READ THE WANT ADS

September 10, 1944

The Pirate Log

Dale Middlebrooks A new cypress tank on a new Edwin Lee Terrell iron foundation has been secured Jack Medford for the school and we hope that it will help out our water situa-

Home Economics News

The second year girls are going to study home beautification, food

preservation and dinners. They

Johnnie Raye Davis tion. Betty Jean Blackwell

rter Evelyn Shanafelt "School days, school days Reporter Dear old golden rule days-" Mary Lou Kuenstler Well here it is another school

year whether we like it or not, Probut I think the Home Making ford. James Ross Mickler ing Representative girls are saying "We like it". Margie Lea Jackson We have only two classes this year, Home Making II and III. Mrs. Underwood

Improvements

teacher has been addhope to take a few trips to see daff Mrs Sparkman of some well planned homes. The third year girls are going is in the primary dend we are delighted to to study economics of the home,

management, child nutrition, food may Howard has been preservation, meal planning and this year. keep H. S. study halls home nursing. We are going to

ming and help in the do some experimental work with department in the after-are also glad to have The girls are looking formation The girls are looking forward of our ex teachers, Sgt. John M. clerical job in Fort Worth.

Platform Rockers

in order to reduce our large stock of PLATFORM ROCKERS, we offer limited time:

75 Platform Rockers	•		•			1	\$32.75
95 Platform Rockers	•	•	•	•	•	•	\$28.75
.50 Platform Rockers	•				•	•	\$21.95
95 Platform Rockers	•	•				•	\$14.95
50 Platform Rockers		•		٠			\$11.95
.95 Platform Rockers	•	•	•	•		•	\$10.75

These rockers are shown in a variety of colors in Velour Tapestry covers.

to decorating and making cur- Ivy is home on furlough. He has after spending two years at Rule. friends in Cisco during the weekseen service in Africa, Sicily and Italy tains and drapes for the new cottage as soon as it is completed. The new cottage will contain a living room, a breakfast nock, two purpose laboratory, fitting rooms, and a lavatory. Plenty of storage space will be in the built-in cother teachers are Sgt. T. E. Fambrough who is stationed in England and Capt. W. B. Cowan Sgt. Lavida Ivy, sister of Sgt. Freshman News

Secretary-Frank Sims.

well.

Treasurer-Wayne Wells.

Historian-Edwin Lee Terrell.

Parliamentarian-Boyd Davis-

Song Leader-Leroy Medford.

Our Exes

Watch Dog-Bobby Gene Tid-

Sgt. Lavida Ivy, sister of Sgt. J. M. Ivy and another teacher is in cabinets for food and clothing. Cook stoves are to be electric a member of the Woman's Marine

Corps and is stationed some where in North Carolina. and heating will be butane. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boyd are

V. A. News Friday, Sept. 8, the V. A. boys organized and elected the followliving in Austin. Mr. Boyd is chosen as class song and Louise working for the State Department ing officers for their club-President-Raymond Ray Med-

Vice-President - Gerald Han-Mrs. V. P. Terrell is teaching at Weinert, Mrs. Robert Fitz-gerald at Haskell. Mrs. J. C. Colemand and Mrs. Lesley Jeter at Stamford and Miss Frances Wor-Reporter-James Ross Mickler

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin are

den at Ranger.

chosen as class song and Louise

V. A. Party

Friday night Sept. 9 the members of the Paint Creek F F A enjoyed a weiner roast. There lin has been visiting for several were about twenty boys there living in Haskell and he is Counand some of them went swim- Millin last week.

ty Agent. Mrs. Martin is not ming. It was a nice party but Song Leader-Leroy medicub They hope to have a good club Mrs. T. E. Fambrough is living Woodson didn't last long enough to suit some of them. with her mother in Woodson.

while her husband is in service Personals We are proud to report that one and Miss Lucy Bohannon has a M-Sgt. R. V. Earles from Ros-well, N. M., is spending his fur-

Other former teachers are Miss lough visiting with relatives and Catherine Tice who is teaching in friends. Jacksonville, Texas and Mr. Rob

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Overton and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Overton at-tended the graduating exercises Simmons who is ranching at Spur. Senior News

of Ray Overton Jr. at Williams The Senior class had charge of Field advanced flying school in The senior class had charge of the first chapel program of the year Friday morning. We had a program based on the Dr. Pep-per radio show "Darts for Dough". The contestants were chosen by

> NEW KELD RADIO TIME ... Each Thursday afternoon at 5:15 is the new time for Lone Star's Modern Homemaking Program. Listen for the latest food and nutrition information and house-

passing slips of paper with numbers on them to the members of the Freshman, Sophomore and Junior classes. Questions were asked them and if they answered correctly they were given three darts to throw and rewarded accordingly with pieces of candy If they missed their questions that had to do "silly situations" The program was enjoyed by all-We were glad to have Mrs. Palmer, our county superintendent, as visitor.

The staff of the Pirate Log was presented to the audience, then Mr. Underwood made announcements and issued lockers.

The Seniors have started this year off in a fine way. There have been fourteen to enroll so We were glad to have a new member, Betty Jo Toliver from

Rule, however, Betty Jo is an exmember of our class. We hated to lose two of our students. Virginia Mae Cox to Haskell and Leroy McDonnald to Kerrville-

Some visitors in our class this week were: Mary Lou Webb, Frances Free, Virginia Mae Cox, Lucille and Margie Covey.

Junior News

1 *

We were glad to welcome Vir-ginia Shaw back to our class af-ter spending the summer in Los Angeles.

Marjorie Gelenian; ap eximum-

Returns To Louisiana Pvt. Chester Pat Speer return-Mary Jo Keeling from Haskell end. ed to Baton Rouge, La., Sunday ly have returned to Pittsburgh is a new member that we wel-Rev. Fred Moreland of Leuders where he is stationed with the Pennsylvania, after an extended preached at the Paint Creek Baptist Church Sunday, Sept. 10. ASTRP at Louisiana State Uni- visit in Haskell with relatives and versity, after visiting in Haskell. friends. Mrs. R. L. Foote was elected

To Attend Tech

Doris Lowe and Bettye Jane Isbell left for Lubbock Tuesday The Freshman class elected for its sponsors Mrs. D. R. Livenmorning where they will attend good and Miss Myrtle Commons. Texas Tech. This is the second "You're A Grand Old Flag" was year in Tech for Bettye and the first year for Doris.

ment. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bigony are in Quinlan. He is H. S. principal and bus driver but she doesn't Glenna Faye Toliver, Mary Fran-ces Mickler and Lewis Hampton. Wilson and Mr. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McMillin returned the first of the week from Ponca City and other points in Oklahoma where Mrs. McMilweeks and was joined by Mr. Mc-



Thanks

To our friends and customers that it has been our privilege to serve during the past years.

WE HAVE THOROUGHLY **ENJOYED**

Every minute of our association with Haskell people and will continue to make our home here.

S. E. Lanier has purchased our store and will

continue to operate the business.





Leaves For Pittsburgh

Dr. Richard Sherrill and fami-

Eyes

While their bodies are growing and their sight is strengthening, see that they have good light to read by. Don't let them strain their eyes as they sit down to read their favorite books . . . light for reading should be well diffused, clear and non-glaring. Make a check on the lighting in your rooms. Keep lighting equipment clean.



THE HASKELL FREE PRESS

CONVENIENT TERMS IF YOU DESIRE





ual SURVEYS show these items are prites with the men ERSEAS.

Bulova Watches Waterproof Watches Watches top the list with the man overseas . . . See our new arrivals.



g Kits

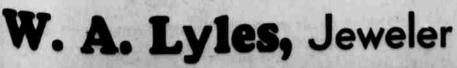
ing Rings

er Picture Frames

Bands

THER ITEMS THAT HE WANTS - AND NEEDS

allets	Sewing
antification Bracelets	Wedd
ather Writing Kits ^{g Tag} Chains	Watch
lfolds	Leath



YOUR PACKAGES WRAPPED FOR OVERSEAS MAILING

We're Fixed for Winter, too_Our Gas Air Conditioner Heats as well as Cools

Those who were fortunate enough to secure pre-war installation of the All-Year Air Conditioner are headed for another winter of perfect comfort. For this magic-like piece of gas equipment heats as well as cools. But it does more. The gas-operated air conditioning unit assures a uniform warmth in every room of the house with live, fresh air, and without drafts. It removes dust, dirt and pollen from the air stream to give relief to nose and throat irritations and to keep furnishings clean longer. It balances the air with the right amount of moisture for more healthful living conditions. When the war is over and the peace is won these magic-like units will again be available. Save for one. Buy Bonds.

lan

Before the postwar building rush, why not select your architect, sit down with him and work out the plans for that new home built around allyear gas air conditioning. He can give you unhurried attention right now. And having your plans ready when materials and equipment are made available you will be in a good position to secure some of the first deliveries.

