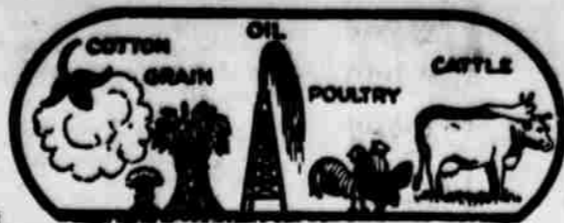


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Former Jail To Be Converted to County Office Building

Plans to convert the old county office quarters which had been used to accommodate the occupying crowded courtrooms, housed in the courthouse, has been approved by the county commissioners.

Plans for removing the brick jail building, remodeling of the second floor and re-finishing of the entire structure, were approved by the commissioners.

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J. E. Walling, Sr., 82, Businessman and Former County Official, Dies Saturday

J. E. Walling, Sr., 82, well-known Haskell businessman and former county official, died at 6:05 a. m. Saturday in the Haskell County Hospital.

He had been ill only a few days and his death came as a distinct shock to the entire community and friends throughout this section.

Funeral service for Mr. Walling was held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. M. D. Rexrode, pastor, and the Rev. Sid Davis, associate pastor.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Wallace Cox, John Crawford, Bob Herren, Jim Ferguson, Wix Currie, R. L. Burton, Dr. Floyd Taylor of Abilene and Calvin Whitley of Pampa.

Honorary pallbearers were deacons of the First Baptist Church.

Mr. Walling was born Oct. 19, 1872 in Washington County, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Creed Walling. He moved to Jones County in March, 1880, and then moved to Haskell in 1907.

He farmed near Rule until elected county tax collector in 1910. He was married March 13, 1910 to Miss Irene Watson of Rule, and they moved to Haskell the same year.

He served as county tax collector until 1914 when he returned to farming. He gave up farming when he was elected county treasurer in 1920. He served in that office until retiring in 1932.

A Baptist since youth, he was Senior Deacon and had been a Sunday School teacher in the First Baptist Church.

After retiring as county treasurer he was associated in the wholesale oil business here with his son, J. E. Walling, Jr.

Mr. Walling and his children have been prominent in Haskell business circles for the past 20 years. His son, in addition to the oil business, owns and operates a butane business here and is a member of the City Council. The son is past president of the Texas Butane Dealers Association. Two daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Felker and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lane, are owners of the Lane-Felker stores here.

Besides his wife, Mr. Walling is survived by one son, J. E., Jr.; four daughters, Mrs. Felker, Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Douglas Lee, Mrs. Harold H. Hodges, and eight grandchildren, all of Haskell.



J. E. WALLING, SR.

Lutheran Mission Church Organized in Stamford

The Christ Lutheran Mission Church has recently been named and organized in Stamford, Sunday School and Bible Class, and services are being held in the American Legion Hall every Sunday at 6:30 and 7:30 p. m. respectively.

A constitution has been adopted and Sunday, Jan. 16, the following officers were elected by the group: deacons, R. S. Lewis, Albert Knippling, and Arnold Reimer; trustees, Dan Rinn, Edwin Nauer and Al Smith; secretary, W. W. Carlton; treasurer, Dennis Wilson; financial secretary, T. W. Berry, Jr.

A Brotherhood and a Women's Missionary Society was organized.

This mission church is a project of the American Lutheran Churches of Trinity Lutheran Church of Haskell and St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Sagerton, and will later probably be supported by the American Lutheran Church Mission Board. Pastors Gaskamp of Haskell and Wendel of Sagerton are serving the mission church at the present time.

Anyone is welcome to attend the services and worship with the group at their Sunday evening services.

Attends Conference of Educators in Austin

Mrs. Luther Burkett of this city, Supervisor of Instruction in Haskell schools, attended the eighth annual conference of the Texas Association for Supervisors and Curriculum Development, held in Austin Jan. 13-15.

The theme of the conference was "Finding Better Answers to Curriculum Problems."

Consultants for the conference were Dr. Stephen McCortey, Columbia University; Dr. George W. Demerick, executive secretary of the National Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development; and Dr. J. G. Umstadt, University of Texas.

Junior High Boys, Girls Win First Four Cage Games

Junior High School boys and girls basketball teams are following the pattern set by the Junior Warriors during football season.

In the first four cage games, through Tuesday night, both teams have maintained perfect records. Coach Sammy Spratt reported.

Through Tuesday night, both teams had scored victories over Thompson, Point Creek, and Monday—taking two wins over the latter school.

John Gannaway, Jr. High Student, Exhibits Champion Steer in 4-H Show

John Gannaway, Haskell Junior High School 4-H boy, showed the Grand Champion steer in the annual county 4-H Club boys show here Saturday afternoon.

Dub Sims, Paint Creek High School 4-H club boy, showed the reserve champion. Entries of four other club boys were judged prime and were awarded ribbons and a share of the \$200 in awards given in the show by Haskell and Weibert business firms and the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

Gannaway's 1,040-pound Hereford was bred by the League Ranch of Benjamin, and Sims' reserve champion was bred by Brown & Davis Ranch. The steer weighed an even 1,000 pounds.

Baylor County Agent Roy McClung of Seymour was judge of the show, held in the Fairgrounds. Commenting on the quality of the animals entered in the Haskell show, McClung said the steers were among the best-finished animals he had seen.

In addition to the champion and reserve champion, other exhibitors and breeders are listed in the order in which they were placed:

Lester Hutchinson, Weinert 4-H Club, steer bred by Alfred Donnell of Eliasville.

Jerry King, Weinert 4-H Club, steer bred by Donnell.

Jerry Hutchinson, Weinert 4-H Club, steer bred by League Ranch.

Dub Sims, Paint Creek 4-H Club, steer bred by Brown & Davis Ranch.

County Agent F. W. Martin said that four of the 4-H club boys, Lester Hutchinson, Gannaway, Sims, and King would enter their steers in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce provided rosettes and ribbons for the show, and the following business concerns contributed to the awards and premiums for the event:

Paymaster Gin, Weinert; Farmers Co-Op Gin No. 1, Gilliam & Dean, Gilmore Implement Co., Market Poultry & Egg Co., Bill Wilson Motor Co., Dodson Motor Co., Eubanks Chevrolet Co., Production Credit Association, Haskell County Farm Bureau, Haskell National Bank, John Kimbrough, and Weinert Gin Co.

Finance Committee for the show was composed of R. E. (Bob) Hutchinson, Bill King, Maurice Gannaway.

Scientific Study Stressed in Talk By U-T Professor

Students of the Haskell Junior and Senior High Schools heard Dr. H. J. Ettlinger in an assembly program Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Dr. Ettlinger, who was introduced by Supt. C. D. Allen, is a member of the department of mathematics and astronomy at the University of Texas and is chairman of the division of mathematics of the National Research Council.

The students were told that business and industry and the nation itself are threatened by the shortage of science students in the universities and colleges of the United States and in virtually all countries outside of the Iron Curtain, while Russia and her satellites are increasing the number of young scientists.

Not only are scientifically trained graduates needed for atomic energy projects and problems, Dr. Ettlinger said, but for all kinds of research and experimentation in order to maintain the leadership of the United States in business and industry as well as military power.

In closing he urged the students to take full advantage of all the science and math courses offered in the school in order to better prepare themselves for successful living in the future.

Legion to Sponsor Benefit Dance for March of Dimes

The local post of the American Legion will sponsor a dance Monday evening, Jan. 31, in the Legion Hall, for the benefit of the March of Dimes.

Music will be provided by Arch Jefferies and His Band, popular dance orchestra from Abilene.

The dance will begin at 8:30 p. m., and the public is invited.

Wallace H. Cox, Jr., Is Named C. of C. President for 1955

Members of the executive board of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce, including five new directors elected by recent ballot of the membership, met Tuesday morning in the banquet room of the Texas Cafe to elect officers who will be installed at the annual banquet and membership meeting Feb. 4.

Elected president of the civic organization for the ensuing fiscal year was Wallace H. Cox, Jr., well known young Haskell business man and junior member of the Jones Cox & Company hardware and furniture concern in this city. He will succeed J. C. (Carl) Wheatley, C. of C. president for the past year.

Other officers elected are Bill Holter, first vice president; Myron Biard, second vice president; and W. R. (Roy) Johnson, treasurer.

Five new directors, elected by membership ballot recently, are W. R. Johnson, Wallace Cox, Jr., Mat Eubanks, Halie Chapman and W. O. (Bill) Holden. They will serve three years as directors.

Retiring from the executive board after having served three years are John Kimbrough, Buford Cox, Jety V. Clark, first vice president; Bob Sage and A. C. Flanagan.

Hold-over directors are C. O. Holt, Myron Biard, Ed Fowler,

Harold Spain to Speak at State Red Cross Meet

Harold Spain, former fund chairman of the Haskell County Red Cross Chapter, will be a speaker at a meeting of Red Cross leaders in Dallas Wednesday, Jan. 26.

Spain is one of four county leaders in Texas selected to address the gathering. He will take part in a panel discussion of "Red Cross Organization," and will tell specifically of his work with the Haskell chapter as fund chairman. Selection of the Haskell man was made on the basis of his outstanding work as fund chairman and chapter leader.

The all-day meeting will be held in the Adolphus Hotel. Highlight of the evening program will be a luncheon and address by Ben Weoten, president of the First National Bank, Dallas.

Purpose of the meeting is to plan for the annual Red Cross fund campaign which will get under way March 1.

Red Cross representatives from some 150 counties comprising the Northern half of the state are expected to attend the Dallas meeting according to Giles Boone of Olney, Red Cross field representative for this section of West Texas.

Annual Grid Banquet Friday Will Honor Players, Coaches

Football will return to the spotlight Friday night at the annual banquet sponsored by the Quarterback Club, honoring HHS coaches and their wives and all members of the Indians football squad.

The event will be held in the Elementary School auditorium beginning at 7:30 p. m., and a capacity attendance is in prospect, committees in charge of arrangements reported.

Guest speaker for the evening will be one of the Southwest's outstanding football mentors, head football coach Dewitt T. Weaver of Texas Technological College.

A program of varied entertainment will be presented by High School talent, and one of the evening's highlights will be the presentation of the Quarterback Club's annual award to the "Most Valuable and Conscientious Player" on the 1954 Indian grid squad. Identity of the recipient of this year's award will not be revealed until the presentation is made.

Program for the evening has been arranged as follows, with Q-B Club Thos. B. Roberson presiding as master of ceremonies.

Invocation—Dr. R. K. McCall, pastor First Presbyterian Church.

Welcome—Thos. B. Roberson.

Pantomime Skit, "Never Trust a Woman"—Freddie Middleton, Flute Duet, "Minuet in G"—Peggy Waldrip and Bettye Hester, with Ruth Heibert accompanist.

Tap Dance Number, "I Found a Million Dollar Baby"—Sandra Hadaway.

Cornet Solo—"Trumpeter's Lullaby"—Gary Ivy, with Sue Roberson accompanist.

Presentation of Coaches Royce Smith, Ray Overton, Jr., Tom McClung, Sammy Spratt; and introduction of players on 1954 squads.

Introduction of Guest Speakers—Supt. C. D. Allen.

Address—Coach Dewitt Weaver, Texas Technological College.

Presentation of Award to Most Valuable and Most Conscientious Player on 1954 Indian Squad—Thos. B. Roberson.

Final Group singing of HHS School Song, led by Pep Squad leaders.

HHS Head Coach Royce Smith Tenders Resignation to Board

Royce Smith, head football coach in Haskell High School for the past four years, tendered his resignation to the school board at a special meeting of the trustees Wednesday night.

The resignation, accepted by vote of the board, is effective at the end of the 1954-55 season.

A special meeting of the school trustees had been called to discuss the delay in arrival of brick needed in construction of the new gymnasium, now being built, a member of the board explained.

While the board was in session, the resignation of Coach Smith was presented, and was accepted. All members of the school board were present at the meeting.

Following the acceptance of Coach Smith's resignation, board members said that applications would be accepted immediately for a successor in the position of head football coach.

In addition to Coach Smith, other members of the coaching staff are Ray Overton, Jr., and T. O. McClung in Haskell High School, and Sammy Spratt in Junior High School.

As head coach, Smith has the distinction of piloting the HHS Indians to the highest rating they have attained in the school's football history. That was in 1952, when the Tribe advanced to regional play in IA competition. Only three times in the school's history have the Indians won the district title.

In Smith's first year as head football mentor, 1952, the Indians won 3 and lost 3 in conference play; won district and bi-district the following year; in 1953 won 4, lost one and tied one in conference play; and last year Coach Smith guided the Indians to a 5-1 district record. The Tribe's only conference loss in 1954 was to the Albany Lions, who were finalists in State IA ranks.

Smith is a 1949 graduate of McMurry College. After joining the faculty of Haskell High School he continued work toward a master's degree, and in 1953 he received his Master's Degree in Education from McMurry.

Smith said today that he had no definite plans for the future, other than that he would continue in the coaching and teaching profession.

Contract Award Due Saturday on Jail Fence Installation

Commissioners' Court will open bids at 9 a. m. Saturday for installation of a steel fence around part of the new county jail building.

The fence to be installed was removed several months ago from the old jail building on the southeast corner of the square. Virtually all of the material, including steel posts and gates, can be used, county officials said.

WILL ATTEND SEMINAR C. OF C. BANQUET

Manager Rex Felker and several officers and directors of the Haskell C. of C. plan to attend the annual Seymour C. of C. banquet in that city tonight.

DeWitt Weaver, Football Banquet Speaker, Is Believer in "Speed, Spirit and System"

Few coaches have cut as wide a swath as Texas Tech's DeWitt T. Weaver in his first four years as coach in the Border conference.

Weaver, who will be guest speaker at the Quarterback Club's annual football banquet Friday night, has directed the Red Raiders to three championships and a runner-up spot with 16 victories, one defeat, and a loss. Weaver, who had never been a head coach before going to the Lubbock, Texas, school in 1951, has also given Tech its only bowl victories—a 25-14 win over College of the Pacific in the 1952 Sun Bowl, and 35-13 triumph over Auburn in the 1954 Gator Bowl.

Tech, under Weaver, exploded its split-T to neutral scoring championship and fourth place in total offense in 1953. During the past season, the Red Raiders were third in scoring but second only to Army in total offense.

Counting post-season victories, Weaver's four-year record reads: 1951—7-4; 1952—3-7-1; 1953—11-1; 1954—7-2-1. That adds to 28 wins, 14 losses, and 2 ties.

For his successes, Weaver was (Continued on Page 10)



DEWITT WEAVER

HHS Cagers Take Victories Over Albany Teams

The Haskell Indians downed Albany Tuesday night in their fourth conference game of the season.

As the buzzer sounded it found the Indians leading 42-40. Kregger was high point man with 15, and Larned followed with 13. Other scorers in respective order on number of points were Jesselet, Dixon and Matthews for the Indians. Leading the Albany Lions in points was Allman with 14 and Knight with 8.

Since Merkel edged Throckmorton Tuesday night, the win over Albany puts the Indians back in the race as contenders in the district chase.

The Indians have lost only one game, which was to Throckmorton.

The Squaws edged past the Albany girls by a narrow one-point margin, 39-38. Bell was high point scorer with 21. Following were Scheets 10, Allen 6, and Pitman with 2 points. The Squaws have lost one district game, which was with Roby. This gives the Squaws a 3-1 record for the season to date.

Vines was Albany's high point girl with 15. Kesner followed with 12, and close behind was King with 10.

Tonight, both High School teams will journey to Roscoe for a district game.

Magician Presents Program at Lions Meeting Tuesday

To the discomfiture of his volunteer "helpers" and the entertainment of everyone else, Carter Harrison of Wichita, Kans., presented a series of sleight of hand performances at the meeting of the Lions Club Tuesday at noon.

Harrison, who is conducting a sales campaign for Warren's Booterie in this city, was guest artist on the club program. A former showman on the Orpheum Circuit, he mystified his audience and dumfounded his "assistants" with his repertoire of magic, presented in a 30-minute entertainment period.

Bill Emsoff was program chairman for the day and introduced the magician.

Two new members, Kendall Henderson and Billy Snow, principal of Haskell Elementary School, were welcomed into the Club. A visitor at Tuesday's meeting and luncheon was Roy Fought, well-known farmer of this city.

Mrs. J. A. Terrell Joins Staff of Non-Sheer Co.

Mrs. A. J. Terrell of San Angelo has been added to the personnel of the Non-Sheer Manufacturing Company in this city. She has moved to Haskell and plans to make her home here permanently.

Mrs. Terrell was formerly associated with Mrs. Opal Johnson, owner of the Non-Sheer company, when the plant was located in San Angelo. She is experienced in all phases of the plant operations, Mrs. Johnson said.

Sen. Geo. Moffett Given Important Committee Posts

State Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe, whose 12-county district includes Haskell, has been named on a number of important committees.

The lists of Senator Moffett's committee assignments just made by the Lieutenant Governor includes the following:

Agriculture, chairman; Livestock and Stockraising, vice chairman; Oil and Gas Conservation, vice chairman; Aeronautics, Constitutional Amendments, Contingent Expenses, Congressional Districts, Federal Relations.

Finance, Highways and Motor Traffic, Interstate Cooperation, Military and Veterans Affairs, Public Buildings and Grounds, Public Lands and Land Office, State Affairs and Water Rights, Irrigation and Drainage.

These committee assignments include practically all of the legislative subjects in which the people of the 23rd district are vitally interested.

Lt Raymond Medford Awarded Wings at Goodfellow AFB

First Lieutenant Raymond Medford of Haskell has been awarded his silver wings in recognition of his successful completion of basic multi-engine training at Goodfellow Air Force Base, San Angelo.

Graduation exercises were held Tuesday, Jan. 18.

The son of Mrs. R. L. Medford of Haskell, he is a graduate of Texas A&M College, where he won his commission through the AFOTC program.

Senior Class Will Sponsor "Game Night" Jan. 24

The Senior Class of Haskell High School will sponsor a "Game Night" Monday, Jan. 24, beginning at 7:00 p. m. in the Activity Building.

Refreshments of drinks and cakes will be sold. There will be all kinds of games—canasta, dominos, 24, 48, checkers and Bingo. Advance tickets for the event can be purchased from any Senior.

LANE IN HOSPITAL

Lane, Haskell farmer, is a patient in hospital in Dallas, where he is recovering from an operation.

He is reported to be making good progress.

Lane's condition is reported to be stable.

Lane is expected to be discharged soon.

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To Taxpayers

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JANUARY 31st IS ALSO THE LAST DAY TO PAY YOUR POLL TAX

Every person who will reach the age of twenty-one years after the first day of January, 1954 and before the day of a following election—shall be entitled to vote at said election and it shall not be necessary that said person shall have paid his poll tax but should obtain an exemption certificate. But if they became 21 before January first 1954 they must pay poll tax before they can vote.

Those who were 60 years of age BEFORE JAN. 1, 1954 are entitled to vote without an exemption certificate

R. A. Coburn

TAX ASSESSOR - COLLECTOR
Haskell County

Haskell County History

20 Years Ago—Jan. 17, 1935

J. M. (Mack) Martin of this city has received an appointment as assistant sergeant-at-arms in the House of Representatives at Austin. Martin's appointment was made last week and he has already assumed his duties.

Burglars secured a small quantity of dry goods Saturday night when they entered the store of J. M. Steele at Rule. The sheriff's department is investigating the theft. Steele made a check of his stock and found that the stolen merchandise included shoes, men's hats and several leather jackets.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson, aged pioneer Haskell couple, met death Thursday night, Jan. 10 when their small coupe overturned and burst into flames about eight miles southwest of Haskell. They were on their way to a farm south of Rule and the tragic mishap occurred when their car ran off a narrow bridge on the farm road near Gauntt school. Funeral rites for the accident victims were held here Friday.

The residence of Mrs. W. T. Cooley several blocks northeast of the square, was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning around 3:30 o'clock, together with practically all contents.

Officers for the ensuing year have been named by the Magazine Club. They are, president, Mrs. Server Leon; first vice president, Mrs. B. C. Chapman; second vice president, Mrs. T. R. Odell; recording secretary, Mrs. T. G. Cahill; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. G. Forgy, and counselor, Mrs. H. M. Smith.

Mrs. Barton Welsh is in Houston this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robertson.

Miss Anna Maud Taylor spent the week end here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor. She was accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Joe Vineyard of Amarillo who is also a student at Simmons University in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Ratliff have moved to Dallas where Mr. Ratliff has accepted a position with the Home Owners Loan Corporation.

30 Years Ago—Jan 16, 1925

W. L. Wheeler of O'Brien was here Wednesday. He said that his little girl, who was seriously burned last week was improving and chances were good for her recovery. She was playing around a stove when her clothing caught fire and was blazing when Mr. Wheeler saw her. He smothered out the flames, but not until she was seriously burned.

Two new business firms will open about the first of February in the new Lee Pierson buildings north of the Haskell National Bank. The north building has been rented to F. A. West of the Foster community, who will open a grocery store as soon as fixtures and shelving can be installed. I. V. Marrs has leased the south building and will open a new dry goods store there.

Many cattle are being shipped from Haskell at the present time. Friday 425 head were loaded out for shipment to feeders in the North. This bunch of steers was

from the Swenson Ranch, located in Haskell, Throckmorton and Baylor Counties.

Mrs. N. I. McCollum has as guests in her home this week her two sisters, Mrs. P. P. Blauvelt of Olympia, Wash., and Mrs. J. E. McMurray of Aledo, Texas.

Pat Murphy of Seymour was shaking hands with old friends here Saturday. He lived here for a long time before moving to Seymour.

No change was made in the personnel of the two local banks for the coming year. All directors and officers were re-elected. Officials of the Haskell National Bank for 1955 are: Mrs. M. S. Pierson, president; Hardy Grissom, vice president; O. E. Patterson, active vice president; O. B. Norman, cashier; A. C. Pierson assistant cashier; Directors are Mrs. Pierson, Grissom, J. U. Fields, John W. Pace, L. F. Taylor, G. W. Waldrop and J. W. Gholson. Officers of the Farmers State Bank are: R. C. Montgomery, president; H. S. Post, vice president; R. C. Couch, vice president; J. B. Post, cashier; John S. Rike, assistant cashier. Directors are T. C. Cahill, J. B. Post, T. E. Ballard, H. S. Post, M. H. Hancock, J. E. Grissom, R. C. Couch, R. C. Montgomery, J. C. McKinney.

50 Years Ago—January, 1905

Failure of our supply house to ship paper on time caused The Free Press to be a little late this week.

J. E. McClendennen, a prosperous citizen of Stonewall County, was here this week stocking up on some of the bargains offered by Haskell merchants. He says he has found he can buy here cheaper than at railroad towns.

J. F. Mitchell of the northwest part of the county was in town the first of the week. He says some of his neighbors are still picking cotton while others have turned their cattle into the fields to eat what is left.

R. M. Smith was in town Thursday having his plows re-

paired and getting ready to start preparing his land for this year's crop. He says there is a good season in the ground for plowing.

J. N. Ellis has been away all week on a business trip to Fannin County.

R. B. Fowler, manager of the Hughes Bros. Ranch on Paint Creek, was in town Friday. He says cattle are getting on all right and don't appear to have suffered any from the cold weather of the past two weeks.

J. C. O'Bryan killed a Duroc Jersey hog Wednesday that tipped the scales at 391 pounds. Who can beat it?

The statement of the Haskell National Bank published in The Free Press last week showed a very healthy condition of that institution. The item of nearly \$94,000 of individual deposits subject to check reveals the fact that the people hereabouts are not subjects for the poor house.

T. J. Thompson of the north side dropped in to see us yesterday. He reports the wheat up his way lived through the dry fall and since the rain looks like it may make a good crop. He thinks the farmers in his section should and will join the movement to reduce the cotton acreage this year.



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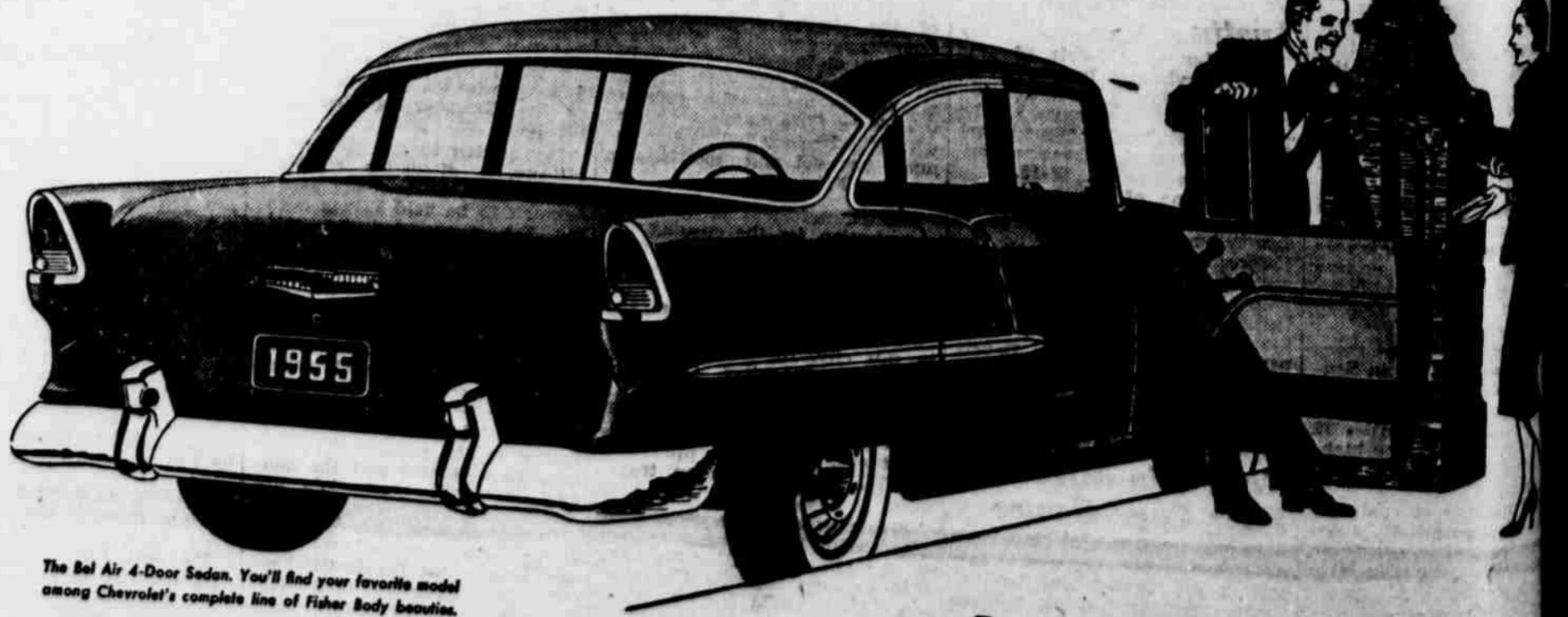
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Rep. Ed Cloud Is Named on Five Committees

State Representative E. J. (Ed) Cloud of Rule, has been named on five committees in the 54th Legislature, according to a list of appointments announced by Speaker of the House Jim Lindsey of Corsicana.

The Rule legislator was named on the following committees: Education, Banks and Banking, Military and Veterans Affairs, Municipal and Private Corporations, and School Districts.

If Gov. Shivers' proposal to base state school aid on average daily attendance rather than the school census is implemented, the Education Committee would be a vastly important panel. Also the segregation question might come under surveillance.

Another committee of which the Rule man is a member, Banks and Banking, probably will have to consider the proposal by the city banks that all Texas banks go on a five-day week.

Portrait of Haskell Man In New Austin Butane Building



J. E. WALLING, JR.

A large portrait of J. E. Walling, Jr., who heads Walling Butane Appliance Co. of Haskell will hang permanently in the new headquarters building of the Texas Butane Dealers Association in Austin. It will occupy a place in the gallery of presidents and will be fifth in the line of eleven prominent Texans who have headed the organization.

Announcement of the hanging of the portraits of past presidents of the organization was made by Wm. J. Lawson, executive secretary. The unveiling of the pictures will be part of the ceremonies dedicating the association's new building on Sunday, Jan. 23.

Mr. Walling served the association as president during the 1948-49 term and his administration was one of the most active and effective in the history of the organization. Many projects which resulted in improvement of the butane industry were planned and set in motion under his guidance. He continued to serve the organization as a member of the board of directors and has been assigned a prominent part in the approaching dedication exercises.

HOME FROM BAYLOR DURING WEEK END

Diane Clare, student in Baylor University, Waco, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jetty V. Clare.

VISITS PARENTS

Ernest Strain, student in Texas A&M College, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strain, during the week end.

Men Re-Enlisting In Navy May Retain Original Rating

It was announced today that former regular Navy enlisted men who hold certain ratings may enlist now in the regular Navy after three months but within one year of discharge and retain the rates held at the time of discharge or release to inactive duty.

Since 1942 the only regular Navy enlisted men who were permitted to re-enlist with the rate held at discharge were those who re-enlisted within three months following date of discharge.

This new program, the Navy said, will continue in effect until June 30, 1955.

Persons interested may secure full details from the Navy Recruiter at the courthouse in Haskell each Thursday.

Sagerton Corporal Named "Soldier Of Month"

Fort Buckner, Okinawa—Army Cpl. Lell Roy Nauert, son of Herman Nauert, Sagerton, recently was named Soldier of the Month for the 22nd Anti-Aircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion's Battery D at Ft. Buckner, Okinawa.

A machine gunner in the battery, he was selected for his soldierly appearance, knowledge of duties and military courtesy.

Cpl. Nauert entered the Army in October 1953 and completed basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas. He arrived overseas in June 1954.

Stamford Man With Paratroopers in Combat Exercise

Beppu, Japan—Sergeant First Class Otto S. Hambright, Jr. 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto S. Hambright, 411 E. Campbell St., Stamford, recently participated in the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team's "Operations Climax" on the Japanese island of Ryushu.

The last exercise of 1954 for the paratroopers, "Operation Climax" was held under low temperature, combat conditions.

Sergeant Hambright, an assistant platoon sergeant in Company G, has been in the Army since 1948. He is a veteran of the Korean conflict.

Barbara Merchant, student in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Merchant in this city.

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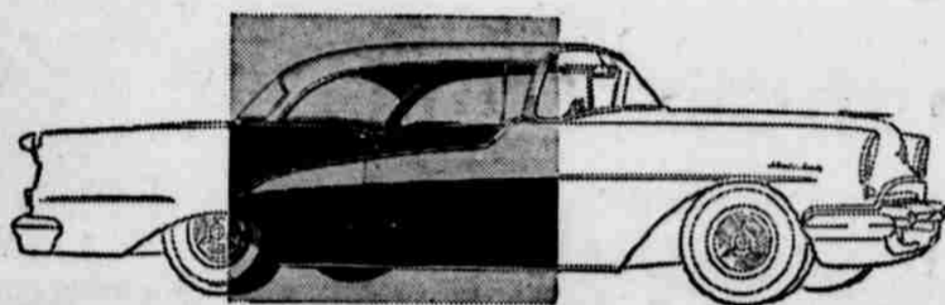
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News From Sagerton

BY MRS. DELBERT LE FEVRE

The Lutheran Women's Missionary League of the Zion Lutheran Church met in the parish hall Jan. 13. The following newly elected officers took charge: Mrs. W. F. Tredemeyer, Jr., president; Mrs. J. A. Hertel, vice-president; Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller, secretary; and Mrs. H. Raphael, treasurer. The topic of discussion centered around the charities that are to be aided by the Building for Christ program. Mrs. O. G. Neinst and Miss Lillian Neinst were hostesses. The ladies are to be in charge of the program for the monthly family night, Jan. 23. The Walter Leaguers of the Zion Lutheran Church plan to join the leaguers of the Missouri Synod in this area in canvassing the city of Breckenridge for prospective members of the Lutheran Church.

Mrs. R. O. Gibson, Sr., entertained the ladies of the Stitch and Chatter Club in her home Wednesday, Jan. 12. Mrs. Gibson served date pie topped with whipped cream and coffee to Mmes. M. Y. Benton, G. A. Leach, Cliff LeFevre, Chas. Clark, R. N. Shuid, Pete Lusk, Henry Laughlin and Ben Hess. The club will meet next in the home of Mrs. Laughlin.

C. E. Stegemoeller and his son Marvin celebrated their birthdays Sunday Jan. 16, in their home. Marvin is a student at Texas Tech and was home for the week end. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Schaake of Paint Creek, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Diers and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hertel, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeller and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipling, Dorothy Knipling and Verlene Ehlers of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tredemeyer, Jr., Mrs. F. W. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller and Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Raphael of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Raphael and sons of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and children and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schaake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Askew and Turner Askew of Olney visited in the A. C. Knipling home last week end. Dorothy Knipling of Wilson also spent the week end at home.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis of Rule visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Clark Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wofford of Irving were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lois Young the week end of Jan. 9.

A nice slow rain amounting

to approximately one-half inch fell here Friday afternoon and evening. It was the kind of rain that soaked into the already wet soft ground and made the dirt roads very bad to travel, but who cares about going to town when we get such good rain?

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis spent last week end in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Summers.

Sherry Counts entertained the members of the Tom Thumb Club in her home Jan. 14. Her mother served soda pop, cookies and sandwiches at the candle-light table. Janice Hertel presided during the business meeting. Mrs. Counts and their leader, Mrs. Delbert LeFevre helped the girls make velvetene ties decorated with sequins for themselves. Those present were Janice Hertel, Patsy Clark, Linda Gholson, Linda LeFevre, Jane Ulmer, Mary Jane and Judy Romero, and the hostess, her mother, and the leader.

Their next meeting will be in the home of Patsy Clark in February.

The Sagerton P-TA met in the school auditorium Monday evening for their monthly meeting. Mrs. F. A. Ulmer was in charge of the program and entertainment. A Family Night was enjoyed after the business meeting. Mrs. Barney Ross was refreshment chairman for the month of January.

The men of the community have been working on the school rest rooms and a work day has been set for Thursday Jan. 20. The members of the school board urge the members to come out so that the project may be completed.

W. A. Bell has returned from a business trip to California. Pat Sellers drove the school bus during his absence.

Plans are being made by the teachers of the Sagerton school to entertain teachers of Haskell County here at the school Feb. 7th.

A group of women from the Ladies Mission Circle of St. Paul's Lutheran Church plans to attend a training school for women's Missionary Societies of the Lubbock District of the Ameri-

can Lutheran Church in Haskell at the Trinity Lutheran Church Friday Jan. 21 at 9:30 a. m.

A. C. Knipling was installed as a new councilman and Carl Lunn and Herbert Rinn were installed as re-elected members of the church council of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday, Jan. 16.

Fred Spitzer celebrated his 76th birthday Friday Jan. 14 in their home east of town. Present were the honoree and his wife and several of their children and their families.

Several children in this community have been ill with chickenpox.

Oscar LeFevre of Granbury visited here with his brother, Cliff LeFevre and Mrs. LeFevre last week. The Oscar LeFevre recently moved to Granbury from a place near Stamford.

HAS SURGERY IN WICHITA FALLS HOSPITAL

Sonny Reynolds of this city was a patient in Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls last week, where he submitted to surgery. He is recovering nicely and has returned to his home here. He was accompanied to Wichita Falls by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Reynolds.

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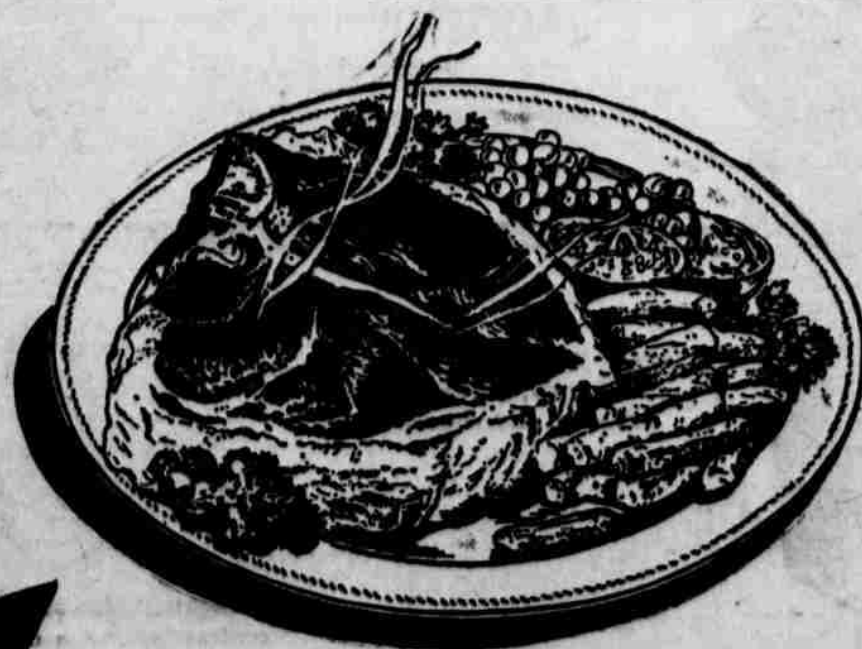
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Mrs. O. J. Curry Elected President Progressive Study Club for 1955

The Progressive Study Club held its semi-annual business meeting in the Home Economics Cottage...

Officers elected were Mrs. C. T. Jones, president; Mrs. W. A. King, vice president; Mrs. W. B. Guess, second vice president...

The program, directed by Mrs. Fred Monke, was given by Miss Eudora Hawkins and was on Conservation...

The Busy Blue Birds met in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church Jan. 18...

Others named on the new slate of officers are Mrs. V. W. Meadors, Sr., first vice president...

New Officers of Weinert Matrons Club Elected

Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday for a regular meeting and election of officers...

Officers elected were Mrs. C. T. Jones, president; Mrs. W. A. King, vice president...

The program, directed by Mrs. Fred Monke, was given by Miss Eudora Hawkins and was on Conservation...

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The club voted to send a sunshine box to the shut-ins at the Johnson Rest Home...

NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



MRS. J. F. CADENHEAD, SR.

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Sr., Is Named Harmony Club President for 1955-56

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Sr., talented musician and local music teacher, was elected president of the Harmony Club...

The new officers are to be installed during a meeting in May when the club holds the annual breakfast and concluding program...

The three B's, Bach, Beethoven and Brahms was the theme of Thursday's program...

Happy Birthday Club Meets With Mrs. Buck Bland

The Happy Birthday club met Jan. 14 at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Buck Bland...

The next meeting will be in the home of Lorene Fouts, honoring Claude Mae Bland on her birthday.

Trinity Ladies Club Adopts Theme for Year

The theme for the Trinity Ladies Club this year is "Let's Look at Our Church."

The club met Thursday afternoon Jan. 6, in the church annex for the first meeting of the year...

Those attending were Mes. Geo. Moeller, Jr., Wilton Weise, Geo. Kloze, Pat O'Keefe, T. A. Grogan, Alf Peiser, F. Kloze...

Happy Blue Birds Elect Officers At Recent Meet

The Happy Blue Birds met Tuesday Jan. 18 at the Methodist Church from 2:15 to 4 p. m.

They elected officers at the last meeting, Jan. 4. The following were elected: President, Shirley Redwine; secretary, Carolyn Fischer; reporter, Janice Burson.

Also, the leaders of the Happy Blue Bird group, Mrs. Floyd Rich and Mrs. Florene Nebhut, and a guest, Mrs. Leon Burson.

Women's Missionary Federation Meeting Scheduled Friday at Trinity Lutheran

Friday morning beginning at 9:00 o'clock the local officers and department chairmen of each missionary society in the West

Blue Bonnet H-D Club Meets With Mrs. Denson

The Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club met Jan. 17 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. A. C. Denson for their regular meeting...

Those present were Linda Bell, Janice Burson, Vickie Frierson, Lockie Foote, Tony Graham, Linda Nebhut, Shirley Redwine, Donna Renfro, Sue Rich, Donna Kaye Reynolds, Rhama Faye Trussell, Rhama Turner, and Carolyn Fischer.

Josselet HD Club Has First Meeting Of New Year

The Josselet home demonstration club met in its first meeting of the year Tuesday Jan. 11 in the club house.

The president, Mrs. Laton Robertson, called the meeting to order. After standing committees for the year were appointed and a short business session was held, the agent gave a demonstration on "Managing Your Bank Account."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. P. Perrin, Louise Merchant, Clovis Norton, J. A. Cain, C. A. Thomas, J. L. Toliver, Jr., Paul Cothron, Laton Robertson, Carl Bailey, Miss Thelma Wirges and the hostess, Mrs. J. L. Toliver, Sr. Dana Roberson was a guest.

LVN Group Meets For Monthly Social

The LVN's and members of the Haskell Hospital held their monthly social in the home of Mrs. Larned Tuesday night, 7:00 a. m.

The entertainment was decorated with pot plants of 42 and 84 were given a late hour.

Refreshments of coffee, nuts, sandwiches and served to Thelma Adams, McKelvin, Evelyn, McKelvin, Opal, Lorraine, Kingston, Erma, Wainwright, Josselet, Sarah, Wainwright, Carter, Ann Taylor and Larned.

The next meeting will be in the club house. The program will be "Our THDA" instead of the one previously planned.

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Mrs. McCurley Is Hostess for Sewing Club Meeting. On Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 18 the Sunshine Sewing club met in the home of Mrs. Lucille McCurley for their semi-monthly meeting. The club president, Clara Parks presided for the meeting. The group started the meeting by singing the club song. Mary Fouts was at the piano with Della Ashley leading the song. Mrs. Whatley led in prayer. The roll call was answered by helping hints. After a business session, the minutes were read. The club extended a welcome to a former member, Maude Jones. Mrs. Jones and her husband have recently moved back to Haskell from Abilene. Mrs. Jones was instrumental in helping to organize the Sunshine club several years ago. Dues were collected for the Birthday Fund. The club president had the first birthday of the year, which was Jan. 9. The club secretary, Ocee Cass, presented Mrs. Parks with a nice cash donation to buy her own gift, Elizabeth Whatley, the recreation leader directed a lively birthday game, honoring the president on her birthday. The group gathered around the piano to sing songs. They sang "In the Shadow of the Cross" and "Any Where is Home," and other songs. The meeting adjourned at 4 p. m. The members were invited to bring their husbands at 7 p. m. that night for an old fashioned get-together and singing, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fouts. The hostess served refreshments to the following members: Mes. Georgia Mae Fouts, Elizabeth Whatley, Ocee Cass, Mary Fouts, Trudie Wheeler, Hilah Swenson, Della Ashley, Clara Parks, Maude Jones and Lucille McCurley.

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banquet for Junior High Football Pep Club Held Friday Night

High School football pep club girls held banquet in the gymnasium Friday night.

Jimmy Don Long, Bobby Roberts, Dwayne Bland, Robby Collins, O. V. Turner, Gary Anthony, Jerry Gresham, Lewis Jones, Dwayne Carter, Eugene Mullins, Wayne Ammons, and managers Kenneth Charles Swinson and Maxey Mullins.

Junior gridiron supporter, Charles Swinson, presented gold footballs to the outstanding line-man and backfieldman. Pressy Webb, backfieldman, and Jerry Gresham, linesman, received these awards.

After the banquet the boys and girls attended a fun night in the gym under the direction of Mrs. Opal Nanny and Mrs. Mildred Byrd.

Only two countries in South America, Bolivia and Paraguay, have no sea coast.

H. J. on a tombstone stands for "hic jacet," meaning "here lies."

Jack Dempsey's full name is William Harrison Dempsey.

Camp Fire and Blue Bird Leaders Meet, Elect Officers

The Camp Fire and Blue Bird leaders and sponsors met in the home of Mrs. Walter Gresham Friday afternoon Jan. 14 at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Gresham. The following officers were elected: Chairman—Mrs. Bill Holter. Vice Chairman—Mrs. Bill Allen.

Secretary—Mrs. Clifton Cobb. Reporter—Mrs. Walter Kierpka.

Each group was given their record, song and leader books. Projects to be carried on were discussed along with the duties of the leaders and sponsors.

The meeting dates were set for 3rd Tuesday of each month at 9:30 a. m. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Jean Elliott.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Floyd Rich, Casey Nebhut, T. C. Patterson, Bob Sego, Bob Graham, Bill Lawson, T. O. McClung, Bill Allen, Jean Elliott, Bill Holter, Walter Kierpka and the hostess, Mrs. Gresham.

Mrs. J. G. Vaughter Directs Magazine Club Program

"Poetry, poems from classics and from the moderns," was the program theme for the Magazine Club meeting Friday, Jan. 14th.

Mrs. J. G. Vaughter directed the program. She discussed poetry and how it enriches one's life.

Mrs. Joe Thigpen discussed, "Poems from the Classics." She read poems from the Greeks, Romans and English authors. Mrs. Theron Cahill gave an interesting talk on, "Poems from the Moderns," commenting on our 20th century poems and authors.

Mrs. John Barry sang "Love's Old Sweet Song," "Just a Wearyin' for You" and "Beautiful Dreamer," with piano accompaniment by Miss Martha Meadors.

The club president, Mrs. C. V. Payne presided for a brief business session.

Mrs. Hill Oates was hostess for the afternoon. Members attending were Mesdames R. L. Burton, J. M. Collins, Geo. Hauser, Jr., Bill Lane, Raymond Liles, Jack Pippin, Earl Atchison, Theron Cahill, Wallace Cox, J. U. Fields, Hill Oates, C. H. Thornton, H. M. Smith, K. I. McCollum, J. G. Vaughter, N. I. McCollum, J. G. Vaughter, Fred Monke, Joe Thigpen, A. C. Pierson and John Barry; Misses Nettie McCollum and Beryl Boone. Guest was Miss Martha Meadors.

Miss Marianne Friebele, Tommy Joe Ballard Repeat Wedding Vows In Albany Church

In a ceremony solemnized in the First Baptist Church of Albany Tuesday evening, Jan. 11, at 7:30 o'clock, Miss Marianne Friebele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Friebele of Haskell became the bride of Tommy Joe Ballard, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Ballard, also of this city.

Rev. Joe Self, Baptist minister of Albany, read the double ring ceremony uniting the couple.

Mrs. Claudie Riley of Albany was matron of honor, and Mr. Riley was best man.

The bride's wedding dress was of white brocaded faille with rhinestone trim, and blue accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

The matron of honor wore a blue faille dress and carried a bouquet of white rosebuds.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ballard left on a wedding trip to Abilene and San Angelo.

For travelling, the bride wore a gray tweed suit with red accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard will make their home at 1005 North Avenue K in this city.

Mrs. Ballard is a graduate of Eldorado High School.

Mr. Ballard graduated from Haskell High School and attended John Tarleton College before entering the Army. He recently received his discharge after returning from 17 months duty in Korea. He is employed by Market Poultry & Egg Co. in this city.

Tanda Camp Fire Girls Make Plans For Council Fire

The Tanda Camp Fire Girls met in Room 2 of Junior High School for their regular meeting. The girls discussed and planned the Council Fire where they will receive their honor beads. Girls were elected to light candles at the Council Fire.

Refreshments were served by Betty Weaver and Jeanne Merchant to Kay Graham, Jan Herren, Jane Sego, Christy Royall, Janice Hattox, Marsha Burger, Tana McClung, Sarah Lees, Karen Adkins, Dorothy Rueffer, Jane Bynum, and the leaders, Mrs. Herren, Mrs. Burger, and Mrs. McClung.

Automobile Safety Inspections Lag Over State

A lot of Texas car owners are apt to be mighty unhappy three months from today.

That was the opinion expressed by Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, after a conference with George Busby, Chief of the Safety Department's Motor Vehicle Inspection Division.

A review of the motor vehicle inspection figures at the half-way point in the current inspection program showed the two officials that only 1 out of every 5 autos in the state have had their annual safety check as required by law.

"That means," Garrison said, "that a lot of Texas car owners are apt to be mighty unhappy three months from today because they won't be allowed to operate on the streets and highways without the proper approved inspection sticker."

The Public Safety Director also pointed out that the longer motorists delay, the longer will be the waiting line at the inspection stations as the April 15th deadline approaches.

A single note of encouragement was offered by Chief Busby who said that the State's nearly 4,000 inspection stations would be able to handle the inspection of some 2 1-2 million vehicles which have not yet been checked without

Hospital Notes

Relatives and friends are requested to observe the following schedule of visiting hours: 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.; evening 7 to 8 o'clock.

ADMITTED: Edgar Kelso, medical, Haskell. Dr. J. D. Smith, medical, Haskell.

Jerry Don Smith, medical, Haskell. Albert Lazano, medical, Rochester.

J. F. Cason, medical, Merkel. Mrs. Leslie Medford, surgery, Haskell.

Mrs. R. L. Thornberry, medical, Rule. Mrs. Kate Robinson, medical, Rule.

Claude Reid, medical, Weirter. Mrs. T. C. Epley, surgery, Rochester.

I. A. Cox, medical, Clairmont. Mrs. Alvin Singleton and infant son, Rule.

Mrs. A. L. Landreth and infant son, Rule. Mrs. Lynn Ford and infant son, Munday.

N. W. King, medical, Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. H. L. Chambers, medical, Rule.

C. R. Voss, medical, Haskell. Will Jeter, medical, Rule. Lewis Havmann, medical, Rule.

S. W. Greene, medical, Haskell. DISMISSED:

Celia V. Williams, Haskell; Mrs. L. L. Bean, Rochester; Mrs. R. D. Johnson, Abilene; Oralia Alvarez, Haskell; Mrs. Arlon Foster, Stamford; Mrs. J. L. Mowell, Haskell; Arthur Merchant, Haskell; Ermina Rodriguez, Rochester; Mrs. Maude Wester, Haskell; C. L. Baker, Rule; Mrs. Carl Cochran, Rochester; Mrs. Rosa Aberz, Haskell; Mrs. Monty Penman and infant girl, Rochester; Mrs. Jack Ray and infant girl, Haskell; Mrs. L. O. Green and infant son, Haskell; Mrs. Travis Hight and infant girl, Aspermont; Mrs. Carl Roberts and infant girl, Haskell; Romona Carrigan and infant son, Rule.

prolonged waiting in line provided the owners begin taking their cars in without further delay.

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Mrs. Luther Burkett Will Preside At Austin Conference

Mrs. Luther Burkett of this city, president of the Texas Association for the Improvement of Reading, will preside at a two-day reading conference in Austin Jan. 26-29.

The conference, arranged by the University of Texas and sponsored by T. A. I. R., will be held at the University Methodist Church, located just off the U. of T. campus. Registration fee for the conference is \$3.00.

Principal Billy Snow of Haskell Elementary School, secretary-treasurer of T. A. I. R., will preside at a buffet luncheon Saturday, Jan. 29, at 11:45 a. m.

Speakers during the two-day conference include Dr. Helen A. Murphy and Dr. Donald D. Durrell of Boston University; and Alice Brooks McGuire, librarian, Casis School, Austin.

Friendly Blue Birds Elect Officers

The Friendly Blue Birds met Thursday, Jan. 13 in the annex of the First Baptist Church and elected officers. They are: Dona Kay Holter, president; Sandra Huggins, vice president; Jo Jeanne Branch, reporter.

Karen Brown and Jeanne Branch served Cokes and cookies to Beth Nanny, Betty Pitman, Jo Helen Elliott, Judy Sego, Beth Vaughter, Sandra Isbell, Hazel Hodge, Ruby Kay Alvis, Judy Collins, Paula Sue Urban, Donna Kay Holter, Sandra Huggins and Mrs. Holter.

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Classes for all ages. The Lord's Supper and morning worship at 10:50 a. m. The sermon will be brought by Glen Kregger, "Life Recruit of the Church."

Radio message by the minister, KDWT, 1400 K. 1:00 to 1:15 p. m. Topic "What About the Thief on the Cross?"

Evening evangelistic service at 6:30 p. m. topic, "Should I Have My Baby Baptized?"

Wednesday 7:00 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting.

8:00 p. m. adult choir practice. The First Christian Church of Haskell takes this opportunity to invite all newcomers—all those who may be without a church home—and all those who are not satisfied in their religious life. The Bible has the answer for all of your problems. Come and learn of a people who worship, teach and live as God would, have us to do.

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We are a Bible believing—Bible teaching—and Bible living people. Why not be on the safe side? Know God's word and obey it. "Better be safe than sorry." Everyone is welcome to attend our services. John Barry, Minister.

No man should have reason to complain if he is measured by his own yardstick.

\$116,320 Spent in County by Highway Department in '54

The Texas Highway Department spent a total of \$116,320.82 in the form of salaries paid and materials and supplies used in Haskell County during the fiscal year that ended Aug. 31, 1954.

More than three-fourths of this money went for salaries of highway department employees in the county. Total salaries amounted to \$90,575.45. Expended for material and supplies was \$25,745.37.

Approximately 16 persons were employed in maintenance work by the department in Haskell County during the year. This does not include engineers who worked part of the time on projects in the county.

The total expenditures do not include any expenditures for new construction work in the county during the year.

Only a Texas Hen Could Lay an Egg Of Such Size!

LUBBOCK, (Special)—An unidentified White Rock hen in the Texas Tech poultry yard had plenty to cackle about recently—if she had the strength.

The hen early yesterday laid a five and-half ounce egg, believed here to be a world record. It is the equivalent in weight to two "large" and one "medium-sized" egg as might be purchased at any grocery store.

Circumference of the egg's long axis was nine and one-half inches; short axis, seven and one-quarter inches.

The egg, still warm, was found at 10:30 a. m. Jan. 11 by T. T. Perry, manager of the Tech poultry farm.

"When I first saw it, my eyes practically bugged right out of their sockets," Perry exclaimed. "This is the biggest egg I've ever seen in my 35 years in the poultry business."

Upon seeing the egg members of Tech's agriculture faculty quickly agreed that it was of record-breaking size, as far as they knew.

The tired mother is one of 235 hens that does her nesting in Hen House No. 1 in the Tech poultry yard. All are standard-sized hens.

Perry plans to preserve the egg by dehydrating it over a six-weeks' period.

Jimmy Mullins of Haskell Enlists In U. S. Navy

Jimmy Gene Mullins of this city enlisted in the U. S. Navy Jan. 14 at the Navy Recruiting Substation in Abilene.

Mullins was sent to Great Lakes, Ill., for recruit training. Young Mullins is a nephew of Miss Mamie Jones of this city, and was reared in Haskell.

Free-choice feeding of phenothiazine may some day help control cattle grubs but several problems regarding its use must first be solved. Cattle don't like its taste and a practical way to feed the product has not yet been found.



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Haskell and Jones Singers to Meet In Stamford

The regular monthly program of Haskell and Jones County singers will be held at the Swenson Avenue Baptist Church in Stamford, Sunday, Jan. 23.

All singers and music lovers in this area are invited to attend and take part in the program, which will begin at 2:00 p. m.

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**NOTICE TO BANKING
CORPORATIONS**

Sealed bids will be received by
the Commissioners Court of Has-
kell County at its next regular
term, which is Feb. 14, 1955
from any Banking Corporation,
association or individual being in
Haskell County that may desire
to be selected as the depository of
the School Funds of the Com-
mon School district of Haskell
County. Said bids will be re-
ceived until 10 o'clock a. m. on
the above mentioned date at the
office of the County Judge in
Haskell County, Texas, at which
time they will be opened. The
Court reserves the right to re-
ject any and all bids.

This notice is given in compli-
ance with Chapter Two, Art.
2544 Revised Civil Statutes, Tex-
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Alfred Turnbow,
County Judge, Haskell County,
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**NOTICE TO BANKING
CORPORATIONS**

Notice is hereby given to all
banking corporations in Haskell
County, Texas, that the Commis-
sioners Court of said County will
on the second Monday in Febru-
ary A. D. 1955, the same being
the 14th day of said month, re-
ceive proposals from any Bank-
ing Corporation in the county
aforesaid, that may desire to be
selected as a depository for funds
of said Haskell County, Texas,
and also as depository for the
trust funds of the District and
County Clerks of Haskell County,
Texas.

Said proposals shall be deliv-
ered to the County Judge of Has-
kell County, Texas, on or before
10 o'clock a. m. on the 14th day
of February, A. D. 1955.

All proposals must be sealed
and each proposal must state the
rate of interest that said banking
corporation offers to pay on the
funds of the county for the term
between the date of such bid and
60 days after the second Monday
in March, 1957.

Each bid shall be accompanied
by a certified check payable to
the County Judge of Haskell

County, Texas, in the sum of
\$1000.00, the same being not less
than one-half of one per cent of
the County revenue of the pre-
ceding year, as a guarantee of
good faith on the part of the bid-
der, and that if his bid shall be
accepted said banking corporation
will enter into and give the re-
quired bond. Upon the failure of
the banking corporation that may
be selected as such depository to
give the required bond the
amount of such certified check
shall go to the county as liquida-
tion damages.

The Court reserves the right
to reject any and all bids.

Done by order of the Commis-
sioners Court of Haskell County,
Texas, in regular session on this
the 11th day of January, 1955.

Alfred Turnbow,
County Judge, Haskell County,
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<p>ROSE BUSHES</p> <p>3 in Pkg. FOR 97c</p> <p>Regular 49c quality . . . Healthy 2-year old No. 3 grade bushes . . . Wrapped three in a package. A spe- cial purchase for this spe- cial occasion.</p>	<p>INFANTS DRESSES</p> <p>67c DOLLAR VALUES</p> <p>Fine quality material with white and colored ambury. Several styles to choose from, and you can't appre- ciate the value until you have seen the fine work- manship that has gone into the making of these dresses.</p>	<p>Special Purchase Beautiful JEWELRY</p> <p>2 For 69c</p>	<p>PURITAN AND GEM</p> <p>Regular 29c CROCHET THREAD in White Only</p> <p>4 FOR 98c</p>	<p>WHITE ENAMELWARE</p> <p>• Water Pails • Dish Pans • Double Bolders • Pan Sets • Tea Kettles • Covered Pots</p> <p>YOUR CHOICE 67c</p>
<p>KLEENEX TISSUES 2 For 37c</p>	<p>PERRY'S 5-10-25c STORE</p>		<p>FRINGED RUGS</p> <p>\$1.67</p> <p>Beautiful your home with these lovely Rugs . . . The colors are Hunter Green, Red, Blue, Gold, Dusty Rose and Gray . . . The roller coated Rubberized backing on these Rugs will keep them from slipping on the floor.</p>	<p>BIG 24 QUART METAL KITCHEN WASTE BASKET Assorted Colors 67c</p>

Weaver—
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voted "Southwestern of the Year," succeeding Ben Hogan in 1952, and Border Conference "Coach of the Year" in 1951.
Weaver, a slow-talking but fast-moving prematurely gray Southerner, believes in a philosophy of "Speed, Spirit, and System."
He has achieved the first two principles at Texas Tech through regular substitutions by teams and by the use of as many men as possible in each game. "System" has involved the use of the split-T, having practices thoroughly organized before the team takes the field, a minimum of scrimmage after the season got under way, and grading of the game movies to determine starters.
A firm believer in single wing fundamentals as taught by General Bob Neyland at Tennessee, Weaver became sold on the explosive quality of the split-T offense while an associate coach in charge of the line at Tulsa University.
Since Weaver went to Tech as athletic director and head football coach in February, 1951, Jones Stadium has had 11,500 seats added, its lights doubled and a Cotton Bowl-type scoreboard installed. Also, on the Tech campus, an auditorium-coliseum, seating 10,000 for basketball, is

being built by the City of Lubbock. Besides a new football practice field, a baseball diamond, and tennis courts, there is now one of the finest cinder tracks in the nation—nine lanes all the way around.
As an athletic director, Weaver oversees a program involving football, basketball, track, baseball, swimming, golf, tennis, and fencing.
Born in Nashville, Tennessee, in 1912, Weaver grew up in Jacksonville, Fla., returning to the Volunteer State to attend the University of Tennessee. In his senior year, Weaver captained the Tennessee team and made all-Southeast Conference at guard. After coaching the Tennessee freshmen in 1937, Weaver coached the Centre line three years. In the Navy from 1941 through 1945, Weaver commanded a troopship. He holds a Naval Reserve commission.
Weaver became line coach at Mississippi State in 1945, transferring to Tulsa in 1949. He and Mrs. Weaver, the former Mary Sheffield of Jacksonville, are the parents of a daughter, Kitty, 12, and a son, DeWitt, Jr., 15.
Facism was rifist developed under Benito Mussolini.
A prehinsile tail is one which can grasp or coil around an object.

Large Audience Turns Out For One-Act Plays

An appreciative audience enjoyed two amusing one-act plays presented by talented and capable casts Tuesday evening in the High School auditorium.
The presentation was sponsored by the Junior High Parent-Teacher Association, and as a result of the excellent audience attending the program, sponsors netted a sizeable sum to be used on P-TA projects.
Also, two Junior High School students, Charles Pelsue and Bryan Corley will receive expense-paid trips to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth; two other students in Junior High, Sheila Langston and Freddie Gilliam received cash awards; while pupils in Mrs. Garvin Foote's room will be given a party. All of these awards were given to winners in a contest selling advance tickets for the two plays.
Members of the cast in the first play, "New School of Wives" included Fred Custis, Mrs. R. C. Couch, Sr., Mrs. Walter Gresham, Mrs. O. J. Curry, Mrs. Raymond Davis, Mrs. Fred Gilliam,

Mrs. J. B. Gipson, Bill Gamble. Cast of the second play, "Grandma Fixes Things" was composed of Mrs. Sammy Spratt, Mrs. Shelly Royall, Mrs. Cecil Corley, Sammy Spratt, Wallace Cox, Jr., Kendell Henderson, Cecil Corley, Mrs. Bob Herren.
Mrs. James E. Johnson was director for both plays. Following the program, coffee and cookies were served to members of the cast and the director, at an informal get-together. Mrs. Johnson also was presented a gift in appreciation of her services as director.
Officers and members of the Junior P-TA also expressed their appreciation to all members of the cast and all others who helped in making the program a success.

A-2c and Mrs. Rose Are Parents of Baby Boy

A-2c and Mrs. Delbert Rose of Lake Charles, La., are the parents of a son, David Loye, born at 5:45 a. m. Jan. 18 at the Lake Charles AAFB hospital. The new arrival weighed seven lbs., 11 ounces.
Grandparents of the newcomer are Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Arnett of Rule and Mrs. Opal Rose of this city.
Airman Rose was employed in the mechanical department of The Free Press for several years prior to enlistment in the Army Air Force in January, 1953.
The distance by air from Moscow to Washington, D. C., is 4,883 miles.



CARTER HARRISON

Sales Specialist Directs Contest At Local Store

A former State Legislator in Kansas, Carter Harrison of Wichita, Kans., where he is connected with a nationally known sales promotion agency, has been in Haskell the past 10 days conducting a successful sale for Warren's Booterie.
Harrison, a former showman on the Orpheum Theatre Circuit, is an accomplished magician, and during his stay here has presented programs before the Haskell Lions Club and at Paint Creek Rural High School.
As a merchandising specialist, Harrison is directing a prize campaign in connection with the sale in progress at Warren's Booterie. Ten attractive prizes will be awarded winners Saturday, Jan. 22, in the store's first grand prize campaign.
This week, a consolation prize campaign is announced by the store, in which 10 beautiful prizes will be given winners. This contest begins Monday, Jan. 24 and ends Saturday, Jan. 29 when the awards will be made.
Full details of the consolation prize campaign will be found in the store's advertisement on Page One, Section Two in this issue of The Free Press.

Former Haskell Man and Wife Die Two Days Apart

Death came less than two days apart for a former Haskell couple, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar T. McLain, Sr., of Lamesa.
Mr. McLain, 62, died at 4 a. m. Sunday, Jan. 16, at their home in Lamesa after having been ill for some time.
His wife, Mrs. Euna May McLain, 55, died in a Lamesa hospital at 1:30 p. m. Monday afternoon.
Double funeral services were conducted for Mr. and Mrs. McLain at 2 p. m. Wednesday in Bryan Street Baptist Church in Lamesa, and burial was in Memorial Cemetery in that city.
Mr. and Mrs. McLain lived here in the early 20's, and later moved to Anson in 1926, and later moved to Lamesa where they had resided for many years.
Immediate survivors include two daughters, Mrs. H. R. Layman of Big Spring and Mrs. A. A. Mensch of Carlsbad, N. M., and one son Edgar T. McLain, Jr., of Lamesa; and a sister of Mr. McLain, Sr., Miss Ruth McLain of Haskell.
Miss McLain, accompanied by Mrs. Edith McLain and grandson Billy Carrigan, all of Haskell, and Oren and Bob McLain of Dallas went to Lamesa Tuesday after being advised of the death of their relatives.

Maj. R. C. Couch, Jr., Attending National Resources Conference

Major R. C. Couch, Jr., Army Reserve officer of this city, will return this week end from Little Rock, Ark., where he is attending a two-weeks session of the National Resources Conference.
Purpose of the National Resources Conference is to foster a better understanding of the many interrelated problems associated with national security. The two-weeks conference opened Friday, Jan. 21. Attending the program of lectures, forums, discussion periods, and films, are selected groups of both military and civilian conferees.
The Haskell Reserve officer was among 170 Reserve officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, National Guard, and Coast Guard who were designated to attend the Little Rock conference from the Southwestern area of the United States.
From four to five gallons of water pass through an oyster shell each day.



use PHILLIPS 66 agricultural

Here's top value in Nitrogen fertilizer. It's Phillips 66 Agricultural Ammonia with 82% Nitrogen. With this fertilizer you get more Nitrogen per pound than with any other type fertilizer. And because it's low in cost, you get more Nitrogen for every dollar. It has proved profitable for all types of crops. Apply it directly to the soil with tractor equipment, or meter it into irrigation water. You'll get more yield per acre, lower production costs, with Phillips 66 Agricultural Ammonia. See us for information.

AGRO FERTILIZER
Box 451 Phone 10

Is your husband a short-snorter?

Does he scoff at the fit of the shorts that you buy him? Does he long for the day of the redskin's freedom? Switch to the new Hanes GIVVIES (pronounced "give ease"). Cut on the bias with a roomy, seamless seat. Choose Boxer or Gripper-front—in white and stripes. Sanitized.

Hanes GIVVIES Shorts, \$1.00
Hanes T-Shirt, \$1.00

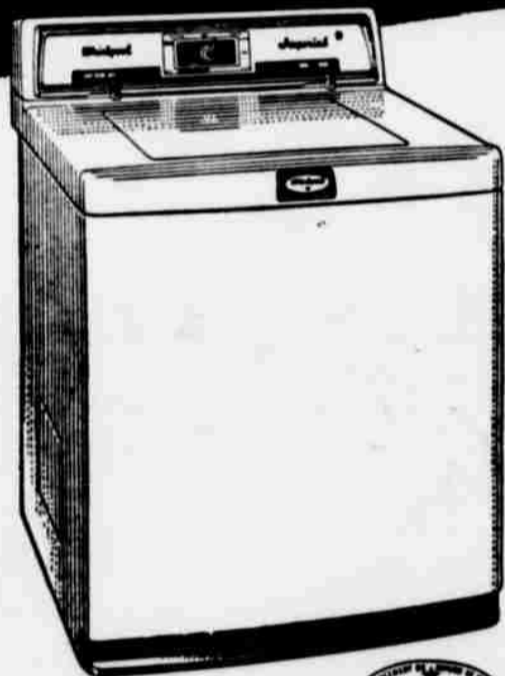
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neckband collar,
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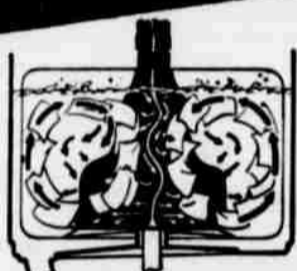
The superb new Ship'n Shore tailored convertible neckband collar that...
three-quarter cuffed sleeves that...
out of the way. Wash-lovely...
white, mild pastel, personality...
lit with pearl buttons.

See matching new woven gingham

Here's the INSIDE STORY—why Whirlpool washes clothes SO CLEAN!



IMPERIAL Model



AGIFLOW WASHING

Scientifically designed new Surgilator is balanced with size and shape of the tub... creates surging, swirling, busy-water currents that loosen and remove every speck of soil; thorough—and yet so gentle!



FREE-FLOW DRAINING

Drains water away from clothes—not through them! Water flows through 1,199 openings—most efficient draining ever devised!

SEVEN RINSES

Chase away all trace of suds and soil—yet use less water. Most thorough rinsing known—leaves clothes clean, sparkling bright!

AND SAVE ½ ON SOAP AND HOT WATER WITH EXCLUSIVE BUILT-IN, AUTOMATIC SUDS-MISER

Whirlpool

IMPERIAL Fully-Automatic All Fabric Washer

The West Texas Washer that gets the Sand and Lint without attachments. No extra pump needed, no filter to attach. When your Whirlpool stops you are through. Nothing to empty.

PLUS ALL THESE WONDERFUL WHIRLPOOL FEATURES!

- 3-Temperature water selection, Guide Lite control, Select-A-Level water control, Delicate Fabric guide, Porcelain Top and tub, Giant capacity, Germicidal lamp, Dual Cycle-Tone, 5-Year Warranty on sealed-in transmission—all the features most wanted by most women!

LIBERAL TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE
MAKES DOWN PAYMENT—EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS

BYNUM'S

PHONE 342

HASKELL

SPECIALS
FRIDAY - SATURDAY
JANUARY 21-22

- Boneless **H A M** 85c lb.
- Wright Block **CHILI** 1 lb. 39c
- Mrs. Tucker's **SHORTENING** 3 lb. can 69c
- Delite **PURE LARD** 3 lb. ctn. 51c
- Gold Medal **FLOUR** 5 lb. bag 49c
- Bespak Frozen **ORANGE JUICE** 6 cans 95c
- Frozen - Home Grown **FRYERS** 44c lb.
- Adams **ORANGE JUICE** 46 oz. can 25c
- Powdered or Brown **SUGAR** 2 boxes 25c
- Instant - for Coffee **PREAM** 4 oz. can 25c
- Grayson **OLEO** 20c lb.
- Imperial, Pure Cane **SUGAR** 10 lb. bag 79c
- We Reserve the Right to Limit
- TRICE'S** North 14th and Ave. I Where Parking is No Problem

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: 1952 model Travelite House Trailer, 24-foot. Yours for remainder of payments due. 905 North 4th St. 3p

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Bills paid. 304 South Ave. H.

PROVED in the SADDLE!



...the original cowboy overalls

For work or play, you can't buy a better, tougher, more comfortable pair of blue jeans than Levi's! Here's why—

- made of the heaviest denim loomed
- the original copper riveted cowboy points
- cut snug and trim, for lasting comfort
- guaranteed—a new pair FREE if they rip!

Why accept an imitation, when you can get the original cowboy overalls—Levi's. Look for the Red Tab on the back pocket.

Waist Size 24-26—\$3.25

27 To 29—\$3.45

30 To 34—\$3.65

Perkins-Timberlake



Baby Chick Special

100 White Leghorn Cockerels for February 1st Delivery.

White Leghorn Cockerels.....\$2.00
50 lbs. Larro Sure Chick.....\$3.00
\$5.00

Baby Chicks without Feed
\$3.50 per 100

Place Your Order Now
\$1.00 Deposit with Order

MARKET POULTRY & EGG CO.
A. T. BALLARD - MGR.
Haskell, Texas

Dr. Hubert Bratcher to Conduct Series Of Revival Services at First Methodist

Dr. Hubert Bratcher, pastor of St. John's Methodist Church, Lubbock, Texas, will preach in a special series of revival services at the First Methodist Church, beginning at the Vesper Service at 5 p. m.

Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor of the Aspermont Methodist Church, will direct the singing.

Services will be held each week day at 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. The morning service will be a breakfast service for both men and women.

Dr. Bratcher is in the seventh year of a fruitful pastorate in a fast growing church on College Avenue across the street from Texas Technological College, where he ministers to many of the students and faculty of the college. His preaching appeals to both adults and youth of our day and combines the spiritual and the everyday aspects of religion in an inspiring way.

Rev. Mauldin is a recent graduate of Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University and is a splendid director and soloist.

Rev. J. B. Thompson and the members of the church invite every one to share the ministry of these two outstanding leaders.

Haskell Telephone Man Attending Company School

E. W. Pruitt, who is plantman for General Telephone Co. of the Southwest in Haskell, is in San Angelo this week attending a company school in basic station installation and maintenance. He will be presented a Certificate of Award after completing the 40-hour course.

About 250 plant employees of the company are expected to take the course during the first 25 weeks it is taught in San Angelo.



DR. BRATCHER



REV. MAULDIN

Some men credit their business success to the fact that their wives need the money.

Officers Installed In Rebekah Lodge Monday Night

The Haskell Rebekah Lodge No. 43 installed officers Monday night, Jan. 17. Officers installed will serve from January until July 1, except for the recording secretary, financial secretary and treasurer who are to serve 12 months. Installation officers were Mrs. Callie Robison and Deputy Marshal, Mrs. Leone Pearsey. New officers are: Noble Grand, Betty Harris; vice grand, Ruth Landess; warden, Eloise Perrin; conductor, Helen Baker; right supporter to N. G., Callie Robison; left supporter to N. G., Eva Speer; right supporter to V. G., Ardonia Toller; left supporter to V. G., Emma Lee Gordon.

Lottie Shackelford, flagbearer; Bonnie Cothron, chaplain; inside guardian, Bertie Beckman; outside guardian, Ida Farrell; musician, Oleta Pennington; right supporter to chaplain, Mary Barnett; left supporter to chaplain, Elizabeth Coffield; song leader, Grace McKelvin; recording secretary, Mary Kingston; financial secretary, Ruby Weaver; treasurer, Leola Wiseman; deputy, Hazel Tyler; and team captain, Bertie Mae Dumas.

Ethel Waldrip, formerly of Haskell and now of Abilene, is retiring Noble Grand, along with her right supporter, Ethel Bird, and left supporter, Leone Pearsey. Refreshments were served to all.

GUESTS IN W. D. HELLUMS HOME RECENTLY

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hellums have had as guests in their home since Mrs. Hellums' return from Dallas, her sisters, Mrs. L. W. Jacobs of Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. C. H. Wall and Mr. Wall of Portales, N. M., and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Shreveport, La. Also Mr. and Mrs. Hellums' daughters, Mrs. G. T. Rinn of Harlingen and Miss Wynelle Hellums of Dallas.

Nationally Advertised Work Clothes



LEE RIDERS

Authentic Western Cowboy Pants. Sanforized, Long-Wearing — Snug-Fitting.

Boys' & Youths Sizes 23 to 29 at 3.25 & 3.45

Men's Sizes 30 to 44 at 3.65

Ladies' Lee Riders True western style cowboy pants Sanforized for permanent fit. 3.95

Levi Strauss & Co.—Genuine Levis. Every garment guaranteed. Sizes 23 to 42 waist. All Lengths 3.25 to 3.95

STRIPE CHAMBRAY

One lot dress chambray. All good colors. 36 inches wide.

4 yards \$1.00

QUADRIGA CLOTH

New spring patterns. Solid and print. Wide range of colors.

45c yard

Hanes Shirts & Shorts

Fig Leaf shorts. Knit shirts. Nylon reinforced. Special —

75c garment

Sweat Shirts

White and grey. Well made. Special —

\$1.19

Shoes

One lot wolverine 8 in. Pigskin with horsehide soles. 10.95 value. Fri. and Sat. —

\$8.95

Neely Dry Goods

North East Corner Square

TERRIFIC SAVINGS IN THIS GREAT

SHOE SENSATION

BOOKER SALES

OUT GOES THE ENTIRE STOCK

In Many Cases
1/2 PRICE
and much LESS

On Thousands of Pairs of Fine Shoes for Men, Women and Children We're Loaded with Smart New Shoes for Now, Spring, Summer and the Year Round!

We Are Positively Not Going Out of Business!

Bring Any Old Pair of Shoes to the Store During The Sale and Receive

\$1.00 Discount

On Any New Shoes in the Store and

5000 Free Votes

All Old Shoes Go To Local Charity. Shoes You Have Discarded Will Be Appreciated by Someone Else.

Held Over Due to Popular Demand for

CONSOLATION PRIZE CAMPAIGN!

1 WEEK — 6 DAYS!
Starts Monday, January 24
10 Prizes Awarded Sat., Jan. 29
5 p. m.

These Beautiful Prizes Given WHICH ONE DO YOU WANT?

- 1.—5-piece Breakfast Set, table and 4 chairs. Chrome Dinette Suite, 30x48.
- 2.—Starter Set Service. 25 piece Oven Proof Universal Pottery. Pastel colors.
- 3.—Canister and Cooky Jar Set. 4-Piece.
- 4.—Lacy Susan.
- 5.—Moccasins.
- 6.—House Shoes.
- 7.—4 Pair Nylon Hose.
- 8.—3 Pair Nylon Hose.
- 9.—2 Pair Nylon Hose.
- 10.—1 Pair Nylon Hose.

Other Bonuses and Free Votes at the Discretion of the Contest Manager. You do not have to be present to win.

I Want A Chance To Win One of the Beautiful Prizes

Name

Address

Phone

Carter Harrison, Nationally Known Sales Supervisor and Contest Manager Says:

So many of the 237 contestants participating in the very successful Grand prize campaign have expressed their appreciation for the loyal support of their friends and neighbors and the pleasure, fun, and fascination of competing in the contest and have said they would have won if they had been more active in the early stages of the campaign, that Mr. Willard Warren, Haskell County's outstanding quality shoe authority has decided to have a Consolation Prize Campaign with 10 more Beautiful Prizes for the first 10 winners with the largest number of total votes during the 1 week, 6 days only, Starting Monday, Jan. 24th. Prizes awarded Saturday, Jan. 29, 5 p. m.



CARTER HARRISON THE CONTEST MANAGER SAYS:

This contest offers you a chance to use your popularity and ingenuity in one of the most fascinating contests ever created. It does not cost you one cent to enter this contest.

The Official Rules of this contest are prepared by the advertising agency that created this wonderful contest. My job is strictly one of administering the details of the contest fairly and squarely.

I assure you now, if you decide to enter this contest, that the winning of a prize is not left to guess work; but is the whim of judges. If your total point score outdistances you to win, then you MUST WIN!

By filling in and bringing the coupon to me here at the store, you will receive the complete details of this amazing opportunity. It might be one of the most wonderful things you ever did for yourself in your whole lifetime.

So bring your coupon to the store today! I'll give you full details of this amazing opportunity. It might be one of the most wonderful things you ever did for yourself in your whole lifetime.

HERE'S YOUR INVITATION TO WIN A BEAUTIFUL PRIZE

HERE IS FUN... FASCINATION... EVERY CONTESTANT RECEIVES FULL FAIR OPPORTUNITY TO WIN

WOMEN'S SHOES

LABELS IN EVERY PAIR... YOU'LL SEE AMERICA'S MOST POPULAR, NATIONALLY ADVERTISED BRANDS.

WOMEN'S FAMOUS MAKE 6.95 to 10.95 DRESS SHOES, CASUALS AND OXFORDS INCLUDING FALL AND WINTER STYLES

2.88

5 Nationally advertised brands... you've seen these shoes in fashion magazines and advertised locally by fine stores. Hundreds of styles in high, low and medium heels... colors and materials galore. Sizes 4 to 10 in AAAA to C widths.

WOMEN'S HIGH FASHION, FAMOUS MAKE REGULAR 10.95 to 14.95 FALL SHOES

3.88

Less than wholesale on America's most popular make shoes... high fashion, finer shoes that you've always wanted brought down to the price you can afford. Dozens and dozens of styles for now on into Fall wear. Sizes 4 to 10, AAAA to D widths.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Mileage Day	Tall Day	Weight Day	Age Day	Flower Day	Button Day
1000 Votes for each mile traveled to the sale 30 mile limit	100 votes for each inch in height	10 votes for each pound you weigh	100 votes for each year of your age.	1000 votes for each labeled envelope of flower seed	10 votes for each button
				ALSO 1000 votes for Registration	ALSO 1000 votes for Registration

1000 Free Votes on Each \$1.00 Purchase for Your Favorite Candidate
2000 Free Votes on Each \$1.00 Paid on Account for Your Favorite Candidate
Double Votes on All Cash Sales Each Day Before Noon.

Warren's Booterie

Haskell, Texas — Phone 228-W

Pre-Inventory SALE

Bedroom Furniture

- Beautiful 18th Century Mahogany Double Dresser, Panel Bed and Nite Table, \$279.50, now **189.50**
- Two Only — 4 Piece Bed Room Suite in Modern Walnut, Vanity, Chest, Panel Bed and Bench, 109.50, now **69.50**
- 4-Piece Lined Oak Double Dresser, Book Case Bed with 2 Nite Tables 219.50, now **149.50**
- Highly styled French Provincial Bed Room Suite in a rich Fruitwood finish, Double Dresser, Book Case Bed with door compartment and one nite table, 299.50, now **229.50**
- Solid Cherry Bed Room Suite by Kling, Triple Dresser, Sworl Poster Bed, with Nite Table 346.00, now **259.50**
- One Only — Gaucho Vanity and Bench in Solid Ash, 99.50, now **59.50**
- 4-Piece Solid Ranch Oak Bed Room Suite, Vanity & Bench, Chest and Panel Bed. 209.80, now **149.50**
- Large Triple Dresser with Bar Bed and Night Table attached in Bleached Mahogany. 289.50, now **138.50**
- 18th Century Mahogany Triple Dresser, Poster Bed and Nite Table, 289.50, now **189.50**

Used Furniture

- Clean Tapestry, Mahogany Arm Sofa Bed **29.50**
- 2—Platform Rockers, each **5.00**
- Freize Covered Platform Rocker **9.95**
- Small Mahogany Dresser with Mirror **15.00**
- 5-Piece Solid Oak Dinette in Walnut finish **29.50**
- Clean Birch Baby Bed **9.95**
- 4-Piece Walnut Bed Room Suite, Vanity and Bench, Chest and Poster Bed **39.50**
- Mahogany Coffee Table, very clean **9.95**
- 3-Piece Living Room Suite, Mahogany Arm Sofa and Chairs with Wicker Back and Side, Rocker and Club Chair—good frame—poor springs and cover **12.95**
- 2-Piece Living Room Suite. Brown Wool Cover **39.50**
- Sofa Bed, Plastic Arm with Blue Velour inside. **29.50**
- Mahogany Arm Rocker **7.50**
- Mahogany Arm Rocker **5.00**

Living Room Furniture

- 2-Piece Brown nylon Frieze Hide-a-Bed with matching Club Chair. \$50 Innerspring mattress, 299.50, now **219.50**
- 2-Piece Sofa and Club Chair in Green Nubby Tweed Cover, 219.50, now **169.50**
- 2-Piece Sofa and large Matching Club Chair in Green Metallic Tweed Cover, T Cushion. 229.50, now **159.50**
- 2-Piece Sectional in a green, nubby Tweed cover, 189.50, now **139.50**
- 2-Piece Sofa Bed Living Room Suite with matching Platform Rocker. Brown tweed cover with Solid Oak Arms 129.50, now **99.50**

Living Room Chairs

- 2 Only — Red Tweed Spot Chairs, 24.95, now **12.95**
- Kroehler Red Metallic Tweed Platform Rocker in Modern Design, 59.50, now **29.50**
- Solid Mahogany Rocker, Period Design, 75.00, now **59.50**
- 2 Only — Kroehler Rose All Wool Frieze Platform Rockers, 69.50, now **39.50**
- All Wool Rose Platform Rocker, 59.50, now **29.50**
- Solid Honduras Mahogany Rocker, 79.50, now **59.50**
- Solid Honduras Mahogany Occasional Chair with Needle Point Interior, 82.50, now **59.50**
- Blonde Occasional Chair in a brown metallic tweed cover. 67.50, now **39.50**
- Occasional Chair with Lined Oak Arm, Green metallic tweed cover, 34.95, now **24.95**
- Early American Maple Rocker, slightly damaged. but repaired, 25.50, now **14.95**
- Stratolounger Reclining Chair in Chartreuse Tweed Cover with Chartreuse plastic trim and with foam rubber cushioning, 129.50, now **99.50**
- 2 — Occasional Chairs in Brown, Mahogany Arm, 32.50, now **22.50**

Cavalier Walnut Cedar Chest
69.50, now **\$39.50**

Cavalier Lined Oak Cedar Chest
59.50, now **\$39.50**

9x12 WOOL RUGS
In Assorted Patterns
\$39.95

TV Serving Cart
In attractive mahogany. 29.50,
now **\$19.50**

Large Selection of Over 50
LAMPS
All 1/2 Price

ALL PICTURES
1/2 Price

Large Group of 40
TABLES
in Blonde, Lined Oak and Mahogany
All 1/2 Price

Foam Rubber Pillows
6.95 and 7.95 values
now **\$4.95**

2 only — HASSOCKS
One blue and One Tan. 18.50, now
\$9.95 each

209 Cool 4/6
Innerspring Mattress
44.50, now
\$29.50

27"x54"
WOOL THROW RUGS
Values up to 14.95
choice **\$5.95**

Hardware Bargains

- MAGIC CHEF GAS RANGE Butane or Natural Gas, 189.50, now **139.50**
- MAGIC CHEF BUTANE APARTMENT STOVE 129.50, now **89.50**
- WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC RANGE 369.50, now **239.50**
- 4-PIECE REVERE WEAR STARTER SET 14.95, now **9.95**
- SET LIFE TIME STAINLESS KITCHEN TOOLS 14.95, now **7.95**
- WESTINGHOUSE MIXER WITH JUICER 46.50, now **31.50**
- HAND SAW, 8-point 2.25, now **1.25**
- SET STEAK KNIVES 4.95, now **2.95**
- 52-PIECE SET COMMUNITY LIFETIME SILVERWARE 69.75, now **49.50**
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Farm Bureau Meet
Monday Night Has
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A large crowd was in attendance at the Farm Bureau county meeting Monday night at the Elementary School building. An interesting program had been planned and was enjoyed by all. The Haskell Quartet, composed of Ray Lusk, Hubert Bledsoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Ash, with George Turner at the piano, rendered two numbers that were enjoyed by the group. David A. Williams from Wichita Falls spoke on the Blue Cross-Shield program which is handled through the local Farm Bureau office and explained that all members could add the polio and cancer endorsement at the next April 1 quarter. E. Glenn McNatt from Abilene addressed the group on the Social Security subject and A. B. Foster, Jr. from Abilene spoke on the new Income Tax regulations. Much interest was shown on all three topics. Fred D. Brown and Adell Thomas handled the part of the program when 25 pounds of coffee was given to the lucky winners as their names were drawn and they answered miscellaneous questions about Farm Bureau procedure, etc. It was quite amusing to learn the answer to some of the questions given by some and the members were told the correct ones by Fred Brown. The group represented every community in the county and the lady that won the prize for coming the longest distance was Mrs. Fred Buerger from Ericsdahl, some 25 miles. The program was adjourned with coffee, cocoa and doughnuts.

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VISITORS IN A. Y. CORLEY HOME
Visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Corley in this city were his nephew, Jim Capps of Ruidosa, N. M. He was accompanied by an Indian friend, Chief Big Mouth, a descendant and grandson of the famed Apache Chief Geronimo, according to Corley. While here Chief Big Mouth purchased a new pick-up from Bill Wilson Motor Co. which he will use on his farm and ranch in New Mexico.

Pfc. Royce Johnson Visits Here Before Going Overseas
Pfc. Royce Johnson, who is in the U. S. Marine Corps and has been stationed at Seattle, Wash., was here last week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Opal Johnson, owner of the Non-Sheer Manufacturing Company in this city. Pfc. Johnson left Monday for Camp Pendleton, Calif., from where he expects to go overseas, probably to Korea or Japan.

Rochester GI In Germany Likes Army, Re-Enlists
Bad Kreuznach, Germany—Pfc. Dorman T. Shindler, son of Mrs. G. M. Speck of Rochester, recently re-enlisted in Bad Kreuznach, Germany, for three years in the regular Army. Pvt. First Class Shindler, a supply clerk in Headquarters and Service Battery of the 26th Field Artillery Battalion, arrived overseas in March 1954.

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation for the deeds of kindness, words of sympathy, to those who contributed flowers, to those who prepared food and to everyone who helped in any way.—Mrs. Ruby Freeby, Mrs. Nora Barker of Dallas. 3p

CARD OF THANKS
I want to use this means to express my sincere appreciation to the doctors, nurses and all the hospital staff for your kindness and service during the time I was in the hospital. Also to everyone who contributed flowers, sent cards and to those who visited me and spoke words of consolation. Your services and kindness have been a great inspiration to me.—R. A. Black. 3p

enjoyed by all. "The meeting was one of the most enjoyable and informative we have had," declared S. M. (Shelly) Royall, president of the county Farm Bureau organization.

Filipino Student At H-SU Visitor Here Sunday
Joe Tuliao of Pangasinan, Philippines, student in Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, was a Haskell visitor during the week-end. The young student was guest soloist at the First Baptist Church during the morning services Sunday. Later he visited with several groups and related many interesting incidents of his native islands. Particularly interesting were his accounts of happenings during the Japanese occupation of the Islands during World War II. Tuliao, a senior studying government at H-SU, was the guest of Roy Don Rhoads in the home of the latter's parents in this city. Roy Don is a ministerial student at H-SU. The greatest straight-line distance one can travel and remain in the U. S. is 2,835 miles between points in Washington and Florida.

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Activities of the Haskell Elementary School

(School Reporter)

The gay atmosphere of the holiday season has been pushed aside and the children in the Elementary school are busy with a variety of activities.

The eager group in the kindergarten buzz with activity at all times. These children are working on a transportation unit.

They do much free hand drawing and modeling. During this unit, paper-tearing proved fascinating. This group consists of boys and girls who will start to public school next fall. The main object is to learn to live happily with others by sharing, working and playing together as a group. Thus a child may feel free to enter

kindergarten at any time and not feel that others would be too advanced. A rhythm band is being organized and the enthusiasm is great. Poems, songs, good manners, citizenship and games are also taught in a very informal and enjoyable way.

Some of the school children have been working on toy units which are very appropriate after the holidays. A parade was staged, and what a parade! Into every room and up and down the halls marched two hundred children carrying some treasured

toy which Santa had so recently left.

The children learned to make many simple toys from discarded materials. Some of those toys were arranged in the display window for all the boys and girls to enjoy. They also drew pictures of toys, wrote stories, learned songs and poems about toys. Games matching words and numbers to various toys were played. Some of the boys and girls have decided to work in toy stores when they grow up.

Another group has been interested in health. A set of health rules were made and the children are trying to practice using them. Many characters were made from fresh fruits and vegetables. They learned about healthful foods and even planned and prepared a good breakfast and served it in the room.

Transportation is the subject of a unit being studied in one group. Pictures and stories of the various methods have been assembled. Attractive free hand drawings were made to display various types.

Others were exploring the far north and learning the habits and customs of the Eskimos. Clay modeling of Eskimo life and habitation proved very interesting.

Great American Monuments were keeping another group interested in searching in reference books, collecting pictures, and stories pertaining to them.

Personal experiences were told by the children who had made visits to the famous landmarks. The history of Texas proved to be very fascinating to an-

other group. Texas songs were sung and many of the great state's traditions were recalled. The story of the fall of the Alamo was well illustrated in the display window. Clay was used as the media for making the soldiers and the Alamo. This unit was culminated by the showing of a film on the history of Texas.

Citizenship and courtesy are stressed every day as the vital importance of both are recognized by all. Neither is physical education forgotten for all work

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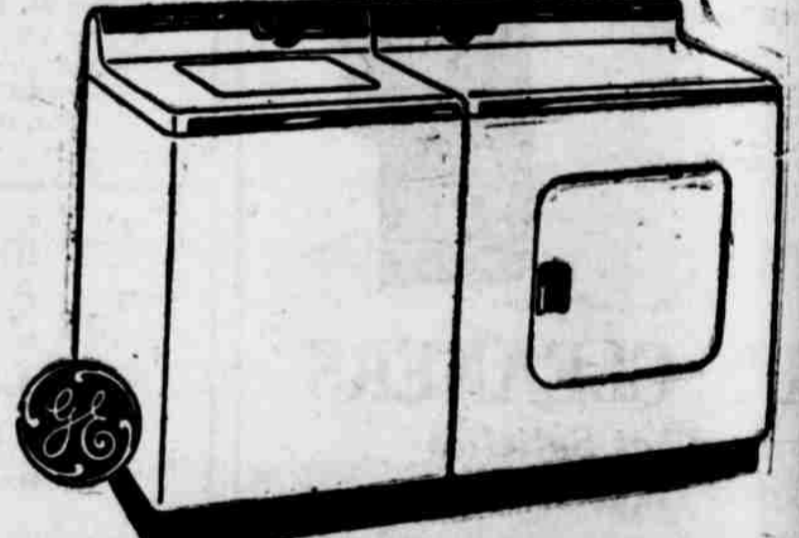
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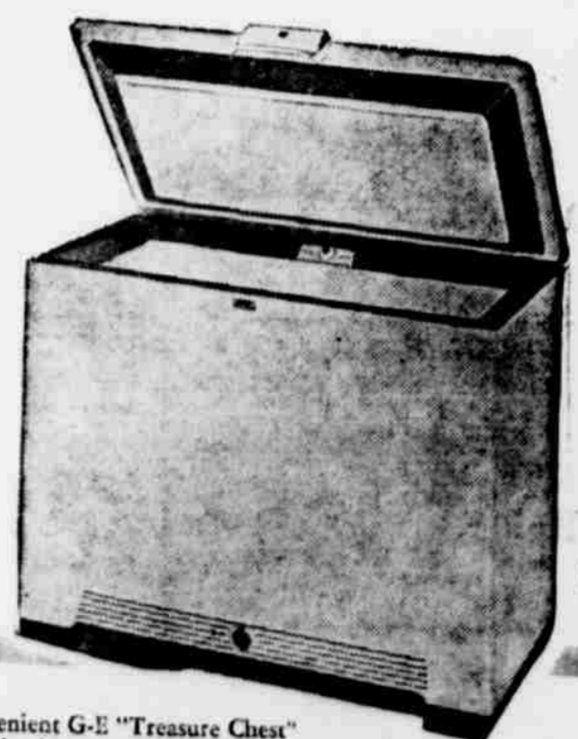
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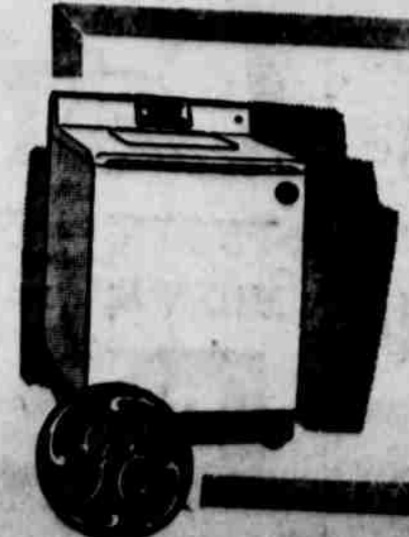
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