

The Haskell Free Press

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20th Deadline Material For Book

July 20, is the final deadline for the material for the Haskell County Veterans' Service Book. The Haskell County Veterans' Service Book is a book which will be published by the Haskell County Veterans' Association. The book is a record of the service of the Haskell County veterans during the World War. It is a book which will be of great interest to the veterans and their families. The book is a record of the service of the Haskell County veterans during the World War. It is a book which will be of great interest to the veterans and their families. The book is a record of the service of the Haskell County veterans during the World War. It is a book which will be of great interest to the veterans and their families.

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Local Groceryman Buys Hamlin Store

Ed Duncan, who has been an employee of the local Piggy-Wigly Grocery since his return from the army a few months back, last week assumed duties as new proprietor of a Hamlin grocery which he has bought. The young groceryman and his wife and little son had many friends in Haskell the short time they had been here and are receiving the best wishes of local people in their new business. Mrs. Duncan and the boy will move to Hamlin soon.

Rest Mounts In Ball Games

A ball game of considerable interest to the fans of Haskell will be staged at Indian Field Thursday night, July 11, at 8:15. The teams clashing are the Mustangs and Brown's Bombers. The Brown's Bombers, who in the Haskell league. The Mustangs have lost one or two games but seem to be a strong team. The game is expected to be one of the hottest contests in some time. The game is expected to be one of the hottest contests in some time. The game is expected to be one of the hottest contests in some time.

Water Magician

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Former Residents In Reunion Here

An "Old Neighbors Reunion" was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Bland on the night of July 5th honoring the Haralson family who were having a reunion at Lueders, Texas. The Haralson family lived here some 20-odd years ago. An old family circle was formed in the back yard and most of the time was spent visiting and spinning yarns of yesteryear. Each neighbor brought either a frozen or home made ice cream or a cake, and the refreshments were enjoyed by all. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Atley Haralson of El Paso, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Haralson and sons of Lorraine, Texas. Mrs. Bernice Wiggins and daughter Stanice of Galveston, Texas. Mrs. Jessie Davis and Mrs. Joy Davis Jones of Rule, Mrs. Opal Ellis of Houston, Mrs. Ethel Bland Martin and sons of San Angelo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kendrick, Mrs. Eva Spear, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jeter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Guinn, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Jeter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fouts and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hunt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bland, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bland and son, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bland and family, and the host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bland and son.

TYLER NEWSPAPERMAN VISITS IN HASKELL

W. H. Wilson, Sr., father of Bill Wilson of Haskell was here this week visiting his son and Mrs. Wilson. The elder Wilson is an editorial writer on a Tyler newspaper and also visited the Free Press office while in Haskell.

Please People, Pass Papers for June 27

We've done it again! Not long ago the Free Press force let all copies of a certain issue get away and had to appeal to subscribers for assistance in locating a dozen or so. Now we've let the same thing happen to our files of June 27. Our readers were mighty nice in bringing in copies of the last issue we called for and we hope they'll do it again. We need about 25 copies of the last issue in June (the one picturing the oil well) for tear sheets and for our files, and we'll pay 10 cents per copy for the first 25 copies brought in.

Haskell Girls Lose Close One to Roby

The strong Haskell girls' softball outfit suffered its first defeat in several games Tuesday night when a Roby team defeated them at Roby 3-2. Although the Haskell nine garnered three hits to two for the Fisher County girls they committed four errors that proved costly. A return game with the squad that defeated them Tuesday night has been set for Haskell Indian Field Wednesday night, July 17 at 8:30 o'clock. In this week's games Haskell Pitcher Opal Dunnam gave up only three hits, struck out 11 and was particularly effective when runners were on base.

The line-ups: Haskell—Zelisko, cf.; Reeves, ss.; Dean, c.; Dunnam, p.; Peren, 1b.; Kuenstler, rf.; Kersh, 2b.; Free, 3b.; Toliver, lf.; Roby—Plint, 1b.; Coker, 3b.; Hanna, p.; Moore, 2b.; Lee, c.; Head, cf.; Sledge, lf.; Gusties, rf.; Whitworth, ss.; Walker, lf.

Health Officer Cites Rats as Menace to Industry, Commerce

Because of the economic losses they cause to industry and commerce and the annoyance they create in homes, rats have been considered a serious menace to mankind since long before their role as vectors of disease was understood. Today at least six diseases which are transmitted by the rat are known to medical science, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. These diseases include the dread plague, typhus, trichinosis, a form of jaundice, tapeworm, and food poisoning. The whole history of the role rats play in the transmission of disease remains as yet unknown. "It is necessary to public health," Dr. Cox said, "that a continuous rat control program be maintained in every urban and rural area throughout Texas. This is of special importance on farms where rats may flourish by feeding on grain and other farm products."

School Lunchrooms Given Federal Aid

The School Lunch Act was recently signed by the president, making government aid permanent for the operation of school lunchrooms. The governor has designated the State Department of Education to disburse school lunch funds, and Mrs. Iva Palmer, county superintendent, has been notified of the change. For the lunchrooms for the coming school year, 1946-47, Mrs. Palmer reports that she has received the first shipment of commodities this week, consisting of sixty cases or 360 gallons of canned green beans. She is expecting 38 cases of canned pineapple in the near future. There are eight lunchrooms in the white schools and one in the colored school.

Farmer Has Early Blooming Cotton

Earliest cotton blooms of the current growing season are reported from the farm of Dick Therwanger who lives northwest of Weintert. He found a number of red cotton blooms in his field June 29th, and since that time a good part of his cotton acreage has bloomed out. Mr. and Mrs. Therwanger are typical of Haskell County's more progressive farm families and have a modern six-room home with all conveniences, including gas and electricity.

Revival Meeting At Plainview Church

A revival meeting will be held at the Plainview Baptist Church 12 miles southwest of Haskell beginning Friday night July 12 and continuing through July 21st. The evangelist will be Rev. R. L. Jones of Nocona, Texas, formerly of Stamford. The music and singing will be under direction of the church choir and pastor, Rev. H. G. Hammer. Everyone is invited to attend.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mowell and children, Margene and Eddie of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mowell of Haskell during the weekend.

J. M. Crawford Is Named C. of C. President

In a meeting of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening July 9, the group elected the following officers for the coming year: John Crawford, president; J. B. Claiborne, first vice president; and C. E. Phelps, second vice president. A resolution was passed at the meeting for recognition for the chamber's war-time officers, who served their offices well and with many obstacles in their way brought on by the war. Officers given special recognition were: W. O. Holden, president, and J. A. Bird, first vice president. The group also laid out a plan of work, which will be on a committee basis, thus not overworking a few. The working schedule will include the projects which need immediate attention as well as some long range projects that the group plans to work on. The chamber voted to give the Central West Texas Fair Association its whole-hearted support, and ask that all citizens of Haskell do the same.

Simms Tries Plowing On Haskell Square

Tuesday morning Paul Simms of Morris Food Store could hardly wait to get to work. In fact he was in such a hurry that he didn't bother to stop the Morris delivery car out in front, but drove right in. It seems Groceryman Simms and the prune delivery wagon had brake troubles and it took more than the curb out in front to stop them. But after going through a plate glass and upsetting a window display the boisterous buggy and sauntering Simms decided to stop. A few hard-to-get pieces of lumber put the store front back in shape for business until a plate glass could be secured, and Paul seemed none the worse for the ordeal.

17 Marriage License; 7 Divorce Decrees During June

The marriage license business definitely held a lead over divorces during the month of June. During the month there were seventeen marriage licenses issued and only seven divorces granted. This is an increase in both cases over May. Those issued marriage license were: Fred H. Johnson and Addie Simpkins. Billy Dave Kitley and Thelma Erickson. Matthew J. Givens and Mrs. Eva Givens. L. D. Vaughan and Olivia Imogene Diagra. Lloyd Allen and Leah Mitchell. Donald K. Speers and Thelma Fay Hines. Wesley F. Hood and Mrs. Gertrude Dixie Williams. C. D. Seaberry and Mrs. Areat Sedberry. Lynn Davidson and Velma Grace Cornett. Donald M. Wreyford and Lillian Annette Stanford. Chester Graves and Willie Fay Foster. Joe Clark and Dorothy Baitz. Arthur Richard Henderson and Martha Evelyn Rousseau. James M. Millorn and Sylvia Adams. Ellis Weatherston and Cora Sanders. Willard Cox and Mrs. Leola Bounds. Alvin E. Stuevert and Ruby Lillian Howard. Those granted divorces during the month were: Howard B. Wilson vs. Christyne Wilson. Lillie Surratt vs. J. D. Surratt. Virginia Butler vs. Charles Newman Butler. E. O. Kinman vs. Berthie Kinman. Weldon E. Smith vs. Evelyn Lois Smith. Mrs. Irene Moore vs. Randall Moore. Louelle Beckley vs. Lester A. Beckley.

Leaders in Community Organizations

Directing activities for Haskell projects during the next several months are the four men pictured above. Upper left is Bill Wilson, who recently was named president of the Haskell Junior Chamber of Commerce. Upper right is J. M. Crawford, who was named president of Haskell Chamber of Commerce Tuesday afternoon. Lower left, J. Cleo Scott, who was in the president's chair for Haskell Lions Club for the first time Tuesday noon. Courtney Hunt, lower right, is Central West Texas Fair Association president and is directing plans for the fair October 7-12.

Courtney Hunt Will Head CWT Fair Association

In a meeting of the Central West Texas Fair Association of Haskell July 9, Courtney Hunt was elected to lead the association for the coming year as its president. Heads of each department for the fair were elected and will be published at a later date. Plans are under way to stage the fair during the week of October 7th. A complete carnival will open Monday the 7th and continue through the week with the fair being held Wednesday through Saturday. A rodeo is also planned for the occasion but dates that it will be held are not known at this time. The parade this year will not feature competitive floats or anything fancy. It will be just a plain western parade including the High School Band. A children's day, veteran's day, and old settlers day is included in the program, with plenty of good barbecue.

Hop Halsey Will Speak Here July 18

Hop Halsey of Lubbock, candidate for Congress from the 19th district will speak in Haskell Thursday evening July 18th. It was announced this week by local supporters and friends of the Lubbock man. Time for the speaking has been tentatively set for 7:30 p. m., on the courthouse lawn.

4-H Girl Leaders Attend Camp

Laura Thornton of the Mattson Junior 4-H Club and Marilyn Smith of the Weintert Junior 4-H Club represented Haskell County 4-H girls at a district training camp for 4-H girls from District III at Decatur July 10-11. They will also assist with the Haskell County 4-H Encampment which probably will be held the first week in August at Lueders. In making the selection, achievement, leadership ability, and interest in 4-H Club work were the most important factors, Louise Newman, County Home Demonstration Agent, stated. Marilyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith of Knox City, received the highest number of points in the county for the 1945-46 club year by attending club meetings, completing the monthly goals, and assisting with a team demonstration for other members of the Weintert Club. Laura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Thornton of Weintert. She is president of the Mattson Junior 4-H Club and attained a high score for work completed during the year. Mrs. Ford Waldrup, sponsor of the O'Brien Club and Miss Newman also attended the encampment.

What Will The Weather Be?

In my early prediction it was shown we would have more rain during the last five months of this year than the first seven months. Thus the phrase was used: "Some rain for April and May"—meaning it would be light. The epoch through which we have just passed represents a cycle of unusual weather. Now, beginning about August 1 we will have a cycle of normal rainfall plus. Two rains between August 1 and 20, with favorable temperatures in July for growing crops. Some north winds. July will be dry. It is my plan not only to forecast the rainfall but the temperature months in advance with uniformity. The local rain previously predicted for June 20th came on June 19. There is belief that the dust bowl will return soon, or a drought in that region. A tree was felled and every 10 and a fraction years there was a thin layer growth representing a dry year. The tree was about 100 years old and the thin rings appeared regularly at the stated time. Yes, the old tree had a story to tell. There is reason to believe a dust storm will visit this area the last of November. However, it will not be dry here. At least strong southwest wind is due then. Quite a few people have asked how I find out about the weather. Some of it came accidentally. Since I do not believe in accidents the best answer can be found in Proverbs 20:24. It is the result of years of study. Z. D. Jefferson.

List of Casualties Not Near Complete

In last week's issue of The Free Press was printed a partial list of Haskell County casualties published by the War Department. It has been called to the attention of the publisher that there were a number of men from Haskell County who gave their lives in the war whose names were not included in the list. Some of these men served in other branches of the service than the army, and some of them even served in the army and were not included. It certainly was not the purpose of The Free Press to overlook the sacrifices made by any man or his family, and we wish to state that the list was not complete even by the War Department. Because of final statistics being essential before publishing the list, some names of people who are known dead. These will be published at a later date, as will casualties for other branches of the service. We did overlook the last name in the list sent us by the War Department and we hasten to make apologies. That was the name of Billy C. Yarborough. If Haskell County people are interested in seeing the official list of this or any other Texas county we shall be happy to show it at The Free Press office.

Rev. Whatley Speaks At Lions Meeting

Rev. H. R. Whatley, pastor of the First Baptist Church spoke to the Lions Club members and guests Tuesday at noon. The local preacher's talk was on George Washington Carver, Negro scientist who contributed more to food science than any other man and who gave God the credit for his many discoveries. Lion J. Cleo Scott was serving his first term as Lions president, as were other new officers. The new president stressed the role of the club as a service institution and declared if members failed to serve they had missed their purpose as Lions. New yearbooks for the club were distributed and President Scott cited committees and program chairmen for the ensuing year as named in the books. Visitors were Rev. Whatley and Pete Huntsman of Rochester.

Boxing Show At Stamford July 21

Boxing of this section will be staged in seven-bout, 21-round card at the softball field near the municipal swimming pool in Stamford Saturday night, July 13, beginning at 8 o'clock. This 21-round marathon, promoted by the Army recruiting service and sponsored by the Stamford post of the American Legion, is the first of a series of boxing programs to be held in Stamford. Strictly amateur, these bouts will bring together some of the top-notch Golden Glove boys of the state, and a bang-up glove-fest is promised the cash customers. Plenty of parking space is available and men will be on hand to help you with your parking worries. There are only 300 ringside seats, however, plenty of comfortable seating will be available.

Manley Branch To Preach Sunday

Announcement was made this week that Manley Branch of Millford, Texas, will occupy the pulpit of the Christian Church next Sunday morning in the absence of the regular minister, D. M. Overton, who is assisting in a meeting at Rule. Mr. Branch is a former resident of Haskell, and was an elder in the local congregation. His subject will be "These Things." The general public is cordially invited to hear Mr. Branch.

Agent Advises Check On Insect Pests

Home gardeners and landscapers need to check arborvitae, cedar and evergreen cypress for red spiders and cedar bagworms, Louise Newman, County Home Demonstration Agent, advises. Red spiders, so small that a hand lens is needed for finding them, cause the trees to apparently die from the center of the plant. Leaves first turn gray and then brown. Cotton dusting sulphur or a strong stream of water sprayed on the trees twice a week will control the spiders. Cedar bagworms camouflages its home with bits of leaves and twigs. Older bagworms are not easily poisoned so hand picking and burning is the best treatment. A spray of two or three level teaspoons of lead arsenate to a gallon of water will usually poison the younger bagworms, less than one inch long. Rose gardens which suffer from black spot and mildew should be dusted each week with copper sulphur dust. The same treatment will also discourage the carpenter bee which cuts circular pieces from the edges of rose leaves. The pest which partially eats rose buds before they open is a large brown beetle. These are more easily caught at night while they are feeding. Copies of the following bulletins from the Department of Agriculture are available from Miss Newman's office: Roses for the Home, Care of Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, and Grafting Annual Flowering Plants.

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Fourth Producer Is Added in Lawson Pool Extension

Continued spread of the Lawson pool east of Haskell was indicated Wednesday with the bringing in of Thos. D. Humphreys No. 2 Anthony as a potential 2,000 barrel producer in the western extension of the pool. The well, estimated by operators as the heaviest producer yet developed in the field, cleaned itself after cement plug was drilled and gushed oil for a distance of more than fifty feet before being shut in. Storage prepared for the well was filled and overflowed while tubing was being run Wednesday evening. The well is a 530-foot north offset to Humphreys No. 1 Anthony, gauged last week as a 900-barrel producer on Railroad Commission test. Verdict is due this week on Edw. C. Lawson No. 5-1A Rose, south offset to Humphreys extension discovery well, No. 1 M. A. Smith. Casing was cemented in 5-1A Rose Tuesday and Lawson has moved rotary rig to location for an offset to Humphreys No. 2 Smith. Following completion of the No. 2 Anthony, rig was moved to location for the Dallas operator's fifth well, No. 1 J. Z. Miller, 330 feet from the south and east lines of the 528 acre Miller tract in L. Willoughby Survey.

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RETURN FROM COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts returned home Saturday after spending several months at Aransas Pass.

The drivers vision was obscured in one out of every five fatal accidents in 1944.

KILL RED ANTS! You can easily rid your premises of Red Ant Beds with Durham's Extreme Ant Balls at a cost of less than 5c per dozen. Six Balls 30c and 12 Balls 60c at your druggist or at PAYNE DRUG CO.

WEINERT NEWS

Miss Leona Ford of Wichita Falls spent the weekend in Weinert visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ford and other relatives. Miss Gracie Thompson of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson during the 4th of July holidays. Mrs. Ernest Griffith is at Mount Sequoia, attending a meeting of Womens Society of Christian Service. Mrs. G. C. Newsom and daughter Mrs. J. B. King and Linda Gayle were visiting friends in

Weinert Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Styles and daughter of Red Springs spent the weekend with Mrs. Styles' parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Forehand. Mrs. Dorene Allen and son Edward left for California last week where they will make their future home. Connor Horton has returned from Greenville. Mrs. Horton and sons Larry and Tom remained for a longer visit with Mrs. Horton's parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Tackett of Philadelphia, Penna. are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford had as their guest, Mrs. Ford's grandmother, Mrs. Oia Simms of Overton, Texas, recently. Dr. J. Frank Cadenhead, Jr., and Mrs. Cadenhead of San Angelo are visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Cadenhead this week. Miss Mary Frances Howard of Munday spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Howard. Mrs. Annie Mae Medley of Haskell visited her sister, Mrs. Wesley Lyles Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford are the proud parents of a daughter born at the Haskell County hospital July 1. The little girl has been named Carol. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson. Miss Freida Mae Schwartz of Wichita Falls was visiting in Weinert during the 4th of July. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baldwin visited Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Brewer of Abilene several days this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. Marsh have as their guests, Mr. Marsh's sisters, Mrs. Margaret Orr and Mrs. Dora Powell of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barnes of Munday were visitors in Weinert Friday. John H. Banks was a business visitor in Weinert Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Young of Haskell were Weinert visitors Saturday afternoon. Miss Beulah Bartell of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bartell during the Fourth of July holidays. Mrs. Wyatt and daughter Lola and Bob Jones of Wichita Falls visited Bob's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones Monday.

VISIT PARENTS Mr. and Mrs. Billy Kemp spent the 4th of July holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp in this city. Billy is a student in Kansas City Dental College. They were accompanied home by Mrs. W. D. Kemp who will spend several days in Kansas City and visit relatives in Windsor and Sedalia, Mo., before returning home. **VISIT IN BOONE HOME** Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Morgan of Weslaco visited in the home of Mrs. J. S. Boone and family the past week before going to Lubbock to visit Dell Morgan. **RETURNS HOME** Mrs. Anna Lee Holcomb of this city has returned from Anson where she has been visiting Mrs. Rex Jackson.



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BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF TEXAS
B. Casey, Defendant.

Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1946, in this cause numbered 2421 on the docket of said court and styled Jas. E. Lindsey, Plaintiff, vs. Nona M. Casey, and T. B. Casey, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This is a suit on certain promissory notes and an open account, aggregating the sum of \$432.30 which amount is past due and unpaid, and defendants, though often requested to pay same, have

refused to pay said sum of money or any part thereof, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this 17th day of June, A. D. 1946. Attest: (Seal) Hettie Williams, Clerk, County Court, Haskell County, Texas. 4g11c

a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 29th day of July, A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 7396 on the docket of said court and styled H. B. Atkinson, Plaintiff, vs. W. L. Spencer and the heirs of W. L. Spencer, Defendants. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Being an action in trespass to try title to the following described tract or parcel of land situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows: Being out of and a part of the Peter Allen Survey No. 140, and being known as all of lots Number Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), and Ten (10), in Block Seven (7), of the Bond Addition to the town of Haskell, and also being described as a part

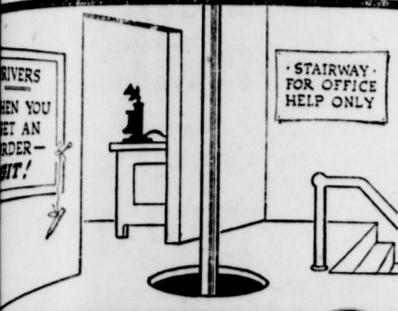
of Block 96, of the Peter Allen Survey, meted and bounded as follows: BEGINNING at a point 375 feet East and 139 feet North of the S. W. Corner of said Block 96, Peter Allen Survey; THENCE East 140 feet; THENCE North 200 feet; THENCE West 140 feet; THENCE South 200 feet to the place of beginning. Plaintiff alleging that on or about January 31, 1946 he was lawfully possessed and seized of the above described property, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, and that on said day and year the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof. Aligned a rental value of \$50 per annum, and praying for his rents, and the title and possession thereof, as well as his damages, and is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1946. Attest: HORACE ONEAL, Clerk, District Court, Haskell County, Texas. (SEAL)

RALPH DUNCAN TO ATTEND SCHOOL FOR CHAMBER COMMERCE MANAGERS. Ralph Duncan, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, will be in Dallas next week from July 14 to the 20th attending the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce Institute. This school is operated in order that C. of C. managers may take advantages of its opportunities and learn how to successfully manage a Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Ralph Duncan will be in the C. of C. office during Mr. Duncan's absence.

RETURN FROM VACATION. Mr. and Mrs. Doss Fuller returned Saturday from a two weeks vacation trip to points in Kentucky and Tennessee. They were accompanied by a niece, Miss Donna Gayle Harris of Hamlin.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS To: W. L. Spencer, and the heirs of W. L. Spencer, defendant. Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County at the place of this citation, same being the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock

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BIRDS OF A FEATHER FLOCK AT 10, 2 & 4. Adam and Eve, prima donnas of the Los Angeles Ostrich Farm, remind their trainer, Clarence Sweet, that it's time to drink a bite to eat. The scene is from one of the new Dr. Pepper "Hollywood Mini-Tour" color films. Gosh, what a break! With those long necks they can enjoy Dr. Pepper all the way down. No wonder these birds of a feather flock together at 10, 2 and 4! You, too, will find that a luscious liquid bite to eat... icy-cold, raste-thrilling Dr. Pepper... helps a heap at 10, 2 and 4, or any time you're Hungry, Thirsty or Tired! Still 5c. at 10, 2 & 4 o'Clock DRINK A BITE TO EAT!

LEGAL NOTICE No. 1245. Guardianship of George Truitt Reeves, Et Al, Minors. In the County Court of Haskell County, Texas.

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Gas 'n Air. By BOB and PAUL. Howdy, Folks: A farmer on the edge of town has trouble with his roosters. They refuse to crow on standard time since daylight saving was abolished. He should raise more hens. He could set them. And over in Stamford a farmer is reported to have fed his cows bird seed so he could sell sheep milk. They report, also, he has a helper so clumsy he's always setting in the whey. If our conscience would allow us, we might even tell you about the duck that got smaller and smaller. He grew down. You can go right down the line and you'll never find a better buy for the money than the products we sell. Try it and see for yourself. Graham-Roberts Texaco Station

described as follows: Beginning 2470.3 vrs. W. of SE cor. James Scott Survey; Thence N. 472.6 vrs. to NE cor. Subd. 36; Thence W. 1501 vrs. to SW Cor. Subd. 19; Thence N. 462.1 vrs. to NW cor. Subd. 19; Thence E. 550 1-3 vrs. to NE cor. Subd. 19; Thence N. 892.3 vrs. to NW cor. Subd. 33; Thence E. 2596 vrs. to NE cor. this tract; Thence S. 1827 vrs. to beginning and being all of Subds. 19, 22, 33, 34, 35, 37, S 2-3 of 38 and part of S 2-3 of 41 and 42 and being same land described in Deed from J. B. Post to R. E. Reeves, recorded in Vol. 78, page 471, Deed Records, Haskell County, Texas. That John F. Ivy, Judge of the County Court of Haskell County, Texas, on the 2nd day of July, 1946, duly entered his order designating the 20th day of July, 1946, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the County Court room in the Court-house of such County as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place. Sarah Emma Reeves Cox, Guardian of the Estates of George Truitt Reeves and Mary Emma Reeves.

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Maybelle Circle Has Bible Lesson

The Maybelle Circle met July 8 in the Naomi Bible Class room at 4 o'clock for a Bible lesson. With Mrs. John Fouts, Circle leader in charge, the meeting opened by singing "Showers of Blessings." Prayer was given by Mrs. Carl Scoggins.

held and these ladies are to furnish refreshments for the Sunbeam Band on these dates: Mrs. Jess Josselet, July 8; Mrs. Carl Scoggins, July 15; Mrs. Jno. Fouts, July 29. Mrs. Edd Cass taught a very interesting lesson from Acts, 5th Chapter, on the theme "The fear of the Lord was upon them." All enjoyed the round table discussion. Prayer of dismissal was given by Mrs. Jess Josselet.

Naomi Bible Class Meets June 28

The Naomi Bible Class met Friday June 28 in the annex building at 3 o'clock for a business and social meeting with the A's acting as hostesses. The class room was decorated with roses and verbenias. Hostesses serving were Mesdames W. E. Adkins, Claud Ashley and Senia Ammons.

With the president in charge the meeting opened by singing two hymns led by Louise Merchant with Mrs. John Fouts at the piano. Mrs. E. B. Calloway gave the devotional from the 33rd Psalms, taking as her subject "Blessed is the Nation." Prayer was given by Mrs. Josselet. After the business meeting the social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. John Fouts and Mrs. Josselet had charge of the entertainment.

The hostesses served a refreshment plate consisting of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, cake and grape punch. Plate favors used were scrolls of daily resolutions made by Mrs. Ashley. Those present were Mesdames Calvin Wheeler, Paul Coltrone, Jim Tyler, E. B. Calloway, Louise Merchant, John Fouts, W. E. Adkins, John E. Robison, Claud Ashley, Hamp Harris, Jess Josselet, Senia Ammons, Larry Wheeler and Clarence Calloway.

Joyce Horner Bride Of Stanley Smith

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Miss Joyce Horner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Horner, to Stanley Smith of Lubbock, Tex.



The wedding ceremony was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Horner on July 10. Rev. Homer Akers, Presbyterian minister, read a double ring ceremony. Pink and white gladioli were used to decorate. Mrs. Trix Karr, pianist, played wedding music.

A. Y. Corley's Have Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Corley had a family reunion at their home in Haskell July 4th. Present for the occasion were Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Beach and children Bert Beverly, Jo Ray and Colett of Bern, Switzerland; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Corley and son Bryan Edwards, of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hamilton and girls, Lujan and Selda Lynn of Tait, Mrs. R. E. Corley and children Mary and Jimmy of Evansville, Ind.

Three of their children could not come at this time but will visit their parents later. They are R. E. of Evansville, Ind., Bob of Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Attie Lou Terrell of Iowa Park. Other relatives attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Chambers of Mart, Texas; Mike Corley, Weatherford; Mrs. Janie Halverson of Lincoln, Neb.; Mrs. Roy Scott and son Jimmy of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Karr of Spur; L. O. Miller and son Bobbie of Oceanside, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Croy and children of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chandler, Vander Corley and children Omie Ruth and Vander Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Corley, all of Stamford; Mrs. A. L. Capps and daughter Patsie Sue of Avoca.

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Liberty Club Has Picnic Supper

Regular monthly social of the Liberty Club was held in the form of an outdoor picnic supper and game period, with members and their families and guests enjoying a thoroughly delightful evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Collins and Jerry and Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wisdom, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kehavick, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Beddy, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Collins, Mrs. Maudie Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis, Mrs. Johnnie Ray Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tidwell, Mrs. L. V. Collins, Robbie and Sharon, Mrs. Fred Ray, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Leclair, Ed Freeby, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freeby, Connie and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Collins and Barbara.

Among the young folks were Freida and Pat Taylor, Billy Jack, Max and L. Ray, Juanelle, Lois and Bobby Tidwell, Boyd, Terry Davis, Mary Sue, my Gordon, Clarence Carl Pasternak, Dorcas, Nancy Freeby from Kansas, Collins, Don Boddy, and the host and hostess, Mrs. Mrs. R. G. Freeby.

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In this peppermint-sweet, peppermint-striped sun dress. Drop shoulders with a froth of white eyelet embroidered ruffles foaming up above a figure-denning basque waist. Full, full skirt with checker-board effect arrangement of the stripes... made of cool, porous wear cotton in blue, pink or lime striped with white. Sizes 7 to 15.

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Thursday, July 18th

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LOST—
REWARD for the return of a billfold lost Saturday afternoon in Haskell. Contains important papers, check, and money. Return to Clifton L. Cox, Tonkawa Hotel. 1p
STRAYED—From my farm three miles east of Sagerton, one six months old, half Jersey calf with whiteface marking. F. M. Seby, Haskell, Texas, Route 3. 2g11p

FARM MACHINERY—
FOR SALE—Four wheel trailer. Fair tires. See Ballard at Market Poultry & Egg.
FOR SALE—Farmall H Tractor with planter and cultivator; Tandem disc, 16 hole grain drill. See Ralph Weaver, 15 miles east of town. 3g25p
FOR SALE—Two MM Combines; one new 1946 model and one '38 model. Also Farmall tractor. Edd S. Wilson, Dimmitt, Texas. g11c
FOR SALE—A windcharger and a battery radio. W. C. Porter, Rule, Texas. 2g11p
FOR SALE—Four row John Deere cultivator. Aubrey Shaver, Rt. 2, Rule, Texas. 2g25c
FOR SALE—Farm stock trailer. Good condition and good rubber. J. A. Carrigan, east part of town. 2g25p
FOR SALE—H-C Combine; Letz feed mill, like new; and 16-foot feeder. See Alex Green at Horner Courts. f20tfc

MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—1-4 H. P. electric motor with 16-inch fan blade. Good condition. See Emmett Clark. 1tp
FOR SALE—Helpy-Selfy laundry. For details call 12, Haskell, Texas. 1p
FOR SALE—Fryers. The cheapest meat that can be bought today. Nice size, 75c each. Trice Hatchery. g18p
FOR SALE: Peaches and plums. See Dennis Williams, 1-2 mile south of Foster School house. 8G11p
FOR SALE—My Little Tot Shop, north Oates Drug Store. Will have some nice bargains the next few days. Mrs. Dora Cook. 211c
FOR SALE—Elks Cafe. Good location; good business; 24 hour service. See Kelsey Nelson. 1c
PEACHES—All summer in orchard 7 miles northwest of Wellert. Adolph Havran, Rt. 1, Knox City, Texas. 6g25p
HOES—We have a good 8-inch Hoe that sells for \$1.19 while they last. Trice Hatchery. g18p

LIVESTOCK—
FOR SALE—One gentle 4-year-old saddle pony. Call at Smitly's. 1p
BABY CHICKS—Rapid feathering White Rocks for July, August and September delivery. 100, \$11; 50, \$6; 25, \$3.25 post-paid. Place your orders now. Curtis Martin Poultry Farm, Rt. 1, Hamlin, Texas. 6h16
FOR SALE—Eleven fine sheep for sale. See Walter Copeland, at Weinert, Texas. 2g11p
WANTED—Fat calves and yearlings. Will pay top Ft. Worth quotations. Haskell Livestock Exchange. tfe

USED CARS—
WANT TO BUY—Several used Fords, Chevrolets, Plymouths. Drive by and get our prices. If we don't buy it we will make it cost the next fellow more money. See Woodley Davis at Smitly's Annex. e9tfc
FOR SALE—1940 Ford De Luxe Coach. F. A. Karr, third house west of Tonkawa Hotel. 1p
FOR SALE—1941 de Luxe Plymouth coupe. 16,000 actual miles. J. B. Thompson, care of Texan Theatre, Throckmorton, Texas. 1p

WANTED—
WANTED—150 or 200 lb. Coolerator. See King Perduc at Cut-Rate Cash Grocery. 1p
WANTED—Job driving truck, full semi, semi-trailer or bob-tail. Qualified operator with experience. Contact Bill Shelton, Gen. Del., Haskell, Texas. 3g25p
WANTED—My Mommy, Daddy and I want to move to Haskell for my Daddy wants to sell Stran Steel buildings. We would like a furnished house or apartment. I am six years old

FURNITURE FOR SALE—
FOR SALE—Button hole attachments for Singer machines. Call or write C. C. Allen, 111 W. McHarg St., P. O. Box 308, telephone 475-W, Stamford, Tex. 1p
FOR SALE—Good sewing machine at my home 3 blocks north, 2 west of North Ward School. Mrs. Dora Cook. g11c
FOR SALE—Two 18-inch glass French doors. Size 2'-8"x6'-8". Complete with hardware and frames. H. M. Smith. 2g18c
ATTIC FANS—We have a few 36 inch attic fans, with or without motors. Woodson Radio and Electric. 2tc
FURNITURE—We have a good stock of both new and used furniture. Come in and look around. Boggs & Johnson. 4g18c

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AT
IRBY HALL
JULY 13, 1946
Music by the Melody Boys
From Seymour.
EVERYONE IS INVITED

GOLD WAVE
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The New Charm-Kurl SUPREME COLD WAVE
Each kit contains 3 full ounces of Salicylic acid, 60 Curiers, 60 end tissues, cotton applicator, deodorizer and complete instructions.
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BUT—We can do the next best thing, and that is to place your present car in practically new shape in performance and in looks. Skilled mechanics in our well-equipped repair department can be depended upon to give you first-class workmanship on any type of repair your car needs, from a minor adjustment to a new motor.
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New articles are arriving daily nad we invite the public in to look over our stock.
We are the dealer for Leonard Refrigerators, Stewart-Warner Radios, and Gillette Tires and Tubes.
Tune in to KWFT each day at 12:30 to hear the MAN ON THE STREET.
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"Your Money Buys More When You Call 394"

Citizens Urged to Keep Haskell Clean
The public is dumping all kinds of trash, cans and filth within the City Limits near the old Oil Mill and in the west part of town, and it has become so bad that something has to be done about it.
This is notice to the public that it MUST BE STOPPED. A heavy fine will be imposed upon anyone caught dumping anything within the City Limits in the future. Polio is rampant over the country again and we must guard the public health.
We also want to notify the public that everything in the form of trash, old cars, cans, dead hogs, chickens or dogs must be hauled to the City Dump Ground east of Haskell — and don't stop on the edge of the Dump Ground, for if you do, passage will soon be stopped and it will be impossible to enter the Dump Ground at all.
We are going to try and clean the City of garbage of all kinds and we MUST NOT permit the dumping of any more within the City Limits.
CITY OF HASKELL
JOHN A. COUCH, Mayor
Councilmen:
J. M. Crawford, Hallie C. Chapman, George Neely
J. A. Bynum, W. L. Richey

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"War With Russia Now Accepted As Inevitable"

If you are not ready for a distinguished international commentator to blow your complacency to smithereens, do not read the following summary by Charles A. Wells in "Between the Lines."

"War! An unpleasant but hard fact is that war with Russia is accepted now in official circles as inevitable. It will come in eight to twelve years, when the present fantastic evolution of military weapons has reached a point of stabilization.

"The war will be strictly United States vs. the Soviet. Neither the United States nor Russian military are concerned much about what Britain, France, Spain and others can contribute. For all her magnificent courage, all Britain had in the last war was a fleet, an island air base off Europe and a relatively small fighting force. All this is obsolete for World War III—an inter-continental war which will be fought through the air over vast distances.

"Yet this coming United States-Soviet war will ACTUALLY be over Britain and British interests, with the rich imperial holdings of the French and Dutch thrown in. Little of this is allowed to reach the American public. Our entire financial and industrial structure—banking, shipping, steel, oil, tin, chemicals, rubber, etc.—at every place you touch it, is inseparably bound up and interwoven with the London, Dutch and French interests. That is the world capitalistic system in one sentence.

"This world capitalistic system is not a bad thing in itself. There is more of enlightenment, justice, human rights and democratic freedom under this system than under the state collectivism of the Soviet. Yet, on the other hand, there is still so much exploitation under the Wall Street-London-Dutch-French world capitalism that the Moscow political tyranny, with its absolute racial equality and economic socialization, has tremendous appeal to the yellow, brown and black men of the earth.

"The weakness of the capitalistic position is that, while we possess democratic freedom at our home bases in the United States, England, Holland and France, when we go beyond the home base our democracy becomes an increasing sham."

Mr. Wells, whose christian approach to the news of the world proved correct in its analysis at practically every turn during the war, proceeds to see a hopeful side of the picture—a side that presents a great challenge to the Christian layman's mind.

"All are aware," he points out, "that another war will end with Russia, Europe and America devastated, that little of our democratic civilization will survive. Hence there is a realization that no one will benefit from a war, although business made great profits in World War II and will make big profits no doubt in preparing for World War III. But all gains, all good things will be wiped out once another war starts. This clear knowledge of war's awful deception and futility is a new thing in national consciousness. While men lay plans for war, they are also earnestly casting about for an alternate path leading away from destruction. . . . It is this which is rapidly forcing new viewpoints, new attitudes upon men in the democratic world—attitudes which will, we can pray, bring change quickly enough that the moral force of the world will be on our side, as it is not now and cannot be until these changes come.

"In other words, if our capitalistic system becomes Christian enough in its attitudes and practices, and becomes Christian soon enough, we can draw the whole world of little people and minor nations into sympathetic association with us. . . .

"Our choice, then, is this: Will we allow ourselves to be coerced into a war with Russia, hurling twenty millions of our youth into a widening cauldron of blood and destruction, or will we be strong, patient, understanding, watchful—giving the great common people of Russia a chance, giving history a chance, giving God a chance?"

There, as briefly as it can be condensed, is a thinker's conception of the fate of the world in this atomic age. Agree violently? Disagree

The Free Press invites letters from its readers about this most important of all 1946 problems.

"... Next to Godliness"

If the old saying, "Cleanliness Is Next to Godliness" is correct, we're afraid Haskell is rather ungodly. Those who are paid to keep the city clean are not at fault; with their equipment and their pay they do an outstanding piece of work. But their equipment and those men are "too little and too few."

Keeping a city of 4,000 population clean is a Herculean task, and it takes more than one truck and two or three men to get the job done. A new City Commission was recently elected, new Senior and Junior Chamber of Commerce officers are taking office, new Lions Club leaders are taking over, and soon new and renamed officers in the courthouse will be selected. A major objective and a good one for all these public servants could well be to see that Haskell loses its reputation as an untidy town and put it on the map as one of West Texas' cleanest.

Political Announcements

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

FOR CONGRESS:
George Mahon. (Re-election.)
Hop Halsey

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 113th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT:
Chas. M. Conner. (Second term.)
Robert Jones

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Ben Charlie Chapman. (Second term.)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Fred Stockdale. (Re-election.)
J. H. (Johnnie) Banks.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
Virgil Reynolds.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Horace Oneal.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
Curtis F. Pogue.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:
R. A. (Austin) Coburn.
Mrs. Gladys (Wright) Mundy

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Doyle Eastland.

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Jesse B. Smith.

FOR SHERIFF:
Mart Clifton. (Second term.)
R. M. (Bob) Cousins.

FOR COUNTY SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:
Mrs. Iva Palmer. (Second term.)
E. L. Tabor.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 1:
Ira Blair. (Second term.)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 2:
Alfred Turnbow. (Re-election.)
W. R. Edwards.
Joy R. Cypert.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 3:
J. H. Montgomery. (First elective term.)
M. B. Cobb.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4:
C. L. (Roy) Clark.
Ben F. Roberts.

FOR PUBLIC WEAVER, PRECINCT NO. 1:
F. J. (Frank) McCurley.

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, PREC. NO. 1:
Joe E. Pace. (Second term.)
C. K. Jones.

FOR CONSTABLE, PREC. NO. 1:
Sterling Edwards. (Re-election.)
George Yancey.



E. L. Tabor Asks Office of County Superintendent
Age 35, has wife and two children.
Graduate of Texas Technological College.

There Never Was A Woman Like:



HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—July 1, 1926

J. R. Dinsmore of the Howard community was displaying a gold watch this week which he found a few days ago in his field where he lost it two years ago. He declares the timepiece still runs almost perfect, although he has not had it cleaned or adjusted since it was found.

J. F. Pinkerton reports he is getting a yield of 20 bushels of wheat per acre on his farm west of town where threshing was begun last week.

S. A. Moser of the Midway community was in town Saturday exhibiting the first cotton blooms of the season, which he said were taken from a good stand of cotton planted early on terrace land. Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hudson and baby of Fort Worth are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cameron.

W. F. Burt, carrier of the Star route between the Haskell post-office and Rochester for the past eight years, has retired. His successor will be E. M. (Ed) Thornton of Haskell, who has been operating a service car in this section for several years.

10 Years Ago—July 7, 1936

A meeting of citizens was held Saturday night to consider further plans for securing location of the Methodist College at this place. A committee was appointed to solicit funds to promote the project.

Roy Cummings left Wednesday for El Paso County, where he has contracted to buy eight sections of school land. Judge H. G. McConnell and G. W. Thomason attended district court in Anson this week.

T. C. Cahill made a trip to the central part of the state this week to contact prospective settlers in Haskell County. Our old citizen and former sheriff, W. B. Anthony of Austin, was here this week visiting friends. He is connected with the General Land Office in Austin.

Miss Una Foster arrived home Saturday from Boston, to spend a summer vacation with her parents. She is attending an art school in the Massachusetts city.

Work on erection of the Farmers National Bank Building will be started within a few days, we were informed this week. Foundation for the building and vault have been laid and remainder of the construction work can be done rapidly, contractors said.

We learned yesterday that the

IS GETTING UP NIGHTS GETTING YOU DOWN?

Thousands say famous doctor's discovery gives blessed relief from irritation of the bladder caused by excess acidity in the urine

Why suffer needlessly from backaches, redness, itching from excess acidity in the urine? Just try Dr. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT, the renowned herbal medicine. SWAMP ROOT acts fast on the kidneys to promote the flow of urine and relieves troublesome excess acidity. Originally created by a practicing physician, Dr. Kilmer's is a carefully blended combination of 16 herbs, roots, vegetables, balsams. Absolutely nothing harsh or habit-forming in this pure, scientific preparation. Just good ingredients that quickly act on the kidneys to increase the flow of urine and ease discomforts of bladder irritation. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

Dr. J. G. Vaughter DENTIST

Office Over Haskell National Bank
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50 Years Ago—July 11, 1896

M. S. Person and son Will came home Tuesday from a visit in East Texas.

Jim Baldwin has a brother and other friends from Fannin County visiting him this week.

Miss Fannie Tandy returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives at Ft. Worth.

A. C. Foster is off on a business trip to Fort Worth. He went on his bicycle.

S. W. Scott came in Sunday from a trip to Austin and San Antonio.

Dan Couch arrived last Saturday from Austin where he has been attending the University.

Capt. Fields took his mother to Seymour Tuesday, where she took the train for Sherman on her way home.

M. A. Clifton made his announcement for the office of County Treasurer last week, but it came too late for publication and will be found in this week's issue of the paper.

Shortly before this edition of The Free Press was put on the press a good rain began falling, and during the first 30 minutes it was estimated that almost an inch had been received.

Tom Lanier and wife of Rayner came over Thursday to bring their small child for treatment by a Haskell physician. The little fellow has been ill for several days.

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A-H-H FLIES AND MOSQUITOES GONE!

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- Holds its Gloss and does not yellow or 'gray' from atmospheric conditions.
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NEW BEAUTY WITH PATTERSON-SARGENT PAINTS

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POSSUM FLATS . . . "GOOD BISCUITS SAVE THE DAY!"

LOOK! THE CONSTABLE CAUGHT A HOUSE-BREAKER IN HANK'S HOUSE!

YOU LOOK, AND TELL ME ABOUT IT LATER. THERE'S GLADIOLA BISCUITS ON OUR TABLE AND I'M GONE!

I'D 'A GOT CLEAN AWAY IF I HADN'T STOPPED FOR THEM GLADIOLA BISCUITS ON THE TABLE. — BUT BROTHER, IT WAS WORTH IT!

BE RIGHT BACK, FOLKS. I WANT TO FINISH TH' BISCUITS THIS BIRD LEFT!

WHY MA'LL BE GLAD TO BAKE YOU A FRESH BATCH, CONSTABLE!

CAN'T SAY AS I BLAME HIM, — YOU SHOULD SEE TH' WAY MY FAMILY GO FOR MY BISCUITS WITH THIS NEW GLADIOLA FLOUR!

TO BRIGHTEN EVERY BAKING YOU JUST BAKE WITH GLADIOLA FLOUR!

LAND SAKES! A MAN JUST CAN'T PASS UP BISCUITS FROM THIS GLADIOLA "EMERGENCY" FLOUR! SO LIGHT, SO TENDER AND FLAKY, AND SO CREAMY-WHITE!

SEE, MA — HOW IT PAYS TO ALWAYS HAVE PLENTY OF GLADIOLA BISCUITS!

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CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible Study 9:45 a. m.
Preaching and Worship 10:45 to 12:00.
Preaching 3:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
We invite you to attend these services and to compare what we teach and practice with the Bible. We will be judged by it, so why not do what it teaches us to do?
A. F. Waller.

Do "Plate-S" Bother You?
If your "GUMS" cause you discomfort will return money if title of "LETOS" Payne Drug Co.

ALL KINDS REPAIR
It costs more to neglect your car or truck it needs repair. Our staff of trained mechanics fully equipped shop will assure you of an job. And our prices are always reasonable.

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HASKELL, TEXAS

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Can finance purchase of farm or stock farm home Haskell and adjoining counties up to 100 per cent appraised value costing up to \$10,000.00, exceptional cases up to \$20,000.00 to one veteran.
Finance good homes of five rooms or more, well located Haskell or similar towns.
Twenty years to repay farm loans and ten years on town property, 4% interest. Annual payments on farms, monthly town property.

CALVIN HENSON, Abstracter
Haskell, Texas

By **GRAHAM HUNTER**

July 11, 1946.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION of the BANKERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

Texas at the close of business on the 29 day of June 1946 as called for by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES	
Accounts including overdrafts	\$ 228,550.05
Government Obligations, direct and	372,500.00
States and political subdivisions	3,152.94
Cash and other banks, including reserve and cash items in process of collection and cash items in process of clearing (including exchange for clearing house)	766,242.58
Real estate and improvements	4,500.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	4,219.80
Total Resources	\$1,379,165.37
LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
Reserves	5,000.00
Undivided Profits	16,000.00
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	16,712.61
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	1,192,721.21
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	2,005.00
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	112,443.96
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	5,000.00
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	4,282.50
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	1,316,452.76
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	1,379,165.37

W. Q. CASEY,
Notary Public,
Haskell County, Texas

Rochester News

Bill Kinman returned here Friday to join his family, who have been living here since he went overseas a year ago. His wife met him in Oklahoma City Friday where he received his discharge from the service.

Joyce Cooper, who is attending ACC in Abilene, spent the week end here with his mother Mrs. J. H. Cooper and sister, Mrs. Maxie Gooch.

Miss Joyce Lee returned home last week from Fort Worth, where she completed a course in beauty work.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 11.024 miles of Grading, Soil Asp. Base & Seal Coat from Rochester to Weibert on Highway No. FM 617, covered by S 640 (7) in Haskell County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., July 23, 1946, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provision herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall not pay less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each craft or type of "Laborer," "Workman," or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of J. C. Roberts, Resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual right reserved.

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ALLAN SHIVERS CITES PLATFORM

Senator Allan Shivers' platform for lieutenant governor briefly includes: Real assistance to Texas war veterans, increased salaries for teachers, a first-class university for the colored, better highways and farm-to-market roads, redistricting, full payment of old-age pensions, reorganization of the legislature with 60-day sessions each year, an expanded public health program, reorganization of the pardon and parole system, equal responsibility from both labor and management, economy in state government.



work.

Mrs. Len Savage of Hugo, Oklahoma, spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee and grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Lee.

Congressman George Mahon spoke here Saturday night to a large crowd.

Pfc. Wilbur Adkins arrived home Monday with his discharge after 14 months of military service, eight months of which time was spent overseas. His family met him at San Antonio and accompanied him home.

Rev. and Mrs. Taylor of Dumont were guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Jackson Friday night.

Leroy Lowery and daughter Miss Ernestine of Ruidoso, N. M., spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Michael.

Mrs. Joe Rogers was honored with a gift tea Saturday June 22 at the lovely new home of Mrs. J. W. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Turpin had as guests in their home Sunday their sons and families from near Dallas, Homer Davis and wife and Preston Davis and wife.

Pete Huntsman and sons Pete and Jimmie spent the weekend at Lubbock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huntsman.

"Pugdy" Alvis, Jack Carothers, Bill Shaver and Darwin Davidson spent last week end fishing in New Mexico.

Ocie McGuire and family visited their son Ocie Jr., and wife at Muleshoe the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pace and daughter of Crandall, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hester during the week end.

Mrs. E. P. Seigler of Dallas spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Whitesides and other relatives.

Troy Wadzeck, who is attending McMurry College in Abilene, spent Sunday here with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hicks and son Don of Tahoka spent the week-end here with their mother, Mrs. J. M. Hicks.

Bozz Adams and family of Muleshoe spent a few days here last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Miss Anna Pearl Carothers attended the wedding of a girl friend at Sweetwater last week.

Mrs. Pete Stoker of Dallas spent last week here with her mother Mrs. B. H. Chamberlain and sister Mrs. Bess Porter.

REPRESENTATIVE OF STEEL BUILDING CO. MOVES HEADQUARTERS HERE

Roy C. Dunn, sales representative of the Frazier Steel Building Company of Abilene, has this week moved his headquarters to Haskell and is now contacting the people of this and surrounding counties in regards to the steel buildings his company offers.

Mr. Dunn plans to move his wife and little daughter to Haskell as soon as he can secure living quarters. Dunn is a veteran of the Army with many months in the South Pacific.

VISITOR IN FLOYD RICH HOME THIS WEEK

Miss Mary Francis Hawkins of Randlett, Okla., sister of Mrs. Floyd Rich is visiting in Haskell this week. She expects to return home next week.

VISITORS IN J. B. MARTIN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Etchieson of Albany spent the first part of this week visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Martin.

VISITING IN SEYMOUR

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robertson are visiting in Seymour with Mrs. Robertson's mother, Mrs. Galen S. Plants who is ill.

Charter No. 14149 Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 29, 1946. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$1,554.47 overdrafts) and guaranteed	\$ 262,240.52
United States Government obligations, direct and	421,760.63
Corporate stocks (including \$1,800.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	58,096.79
Cash, balances with other banks including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,800.00
Bank premises owned \$11,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$5,700.00	1,062,233.12
Total Assets	\$1,823,831.06

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,634,636.61
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	80,390.19
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	31,814.58
Total Deposits	\$1,746,841.38
Total Liabilities	\$1,746,841.38

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital stock:	
Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	11,000.00
Undivided profits	14,489.68
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	1,500.00
Total Capital Accounts	76,989.68
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	1,823,831.06

MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	169,100.00
Total	169,100.00
Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	111,334.39
Total	\$ 111,334.39

State of Texas, County of Haskell, ss:
I, A. C. Pierson, vice president and cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. PIERSON, Vice-President and Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of July, 1946.
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VISIT IN LAMESA AND CARLSBAD, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mowell and son L. L. and family visited J. N. Mowell of Lamesa Monday. Accompanied by Bob McClennan of Fort Worth they went from Lamesa to Carlsbad, N. M., where they went through the Cavern.

PIGGY-WIGGLY INSTALLS NEW BUTTER SERVICE CASE

J. B. Claiborne of Piggy-Wiggly Grocery was busy first of the week having a new butter service case installed adjacent to the store's meat market. The new case is a Piggy-Wiggly innovation and will add considerably to the convenience of customers who can serve themselves when they need butter, yeast cakes, boxed cheese, packaged and bottled dairy products and other items, according to Claiborne.

Dennis Chapel Club Meets July 5

The Dennis Chapel H. D. Club met July 5 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Cecil Hutchinson with eight club members and our County Agent present.

Mrs. C. C. Childress gave some hints on how to choose your make-up.
 Miss Newman gave a demonstration on canning and storing fruits and vegetables. Old and new business was transacted and plans were made for the club play to be given at the encampment.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Durward White on July 19.

Members present were Mesdames Durward White, R. E. Hutchinson, Jack Walker, Clyde Walker, Guy Marshall, C. C. Childress, W. L. Woodward, County H. D. Agent Miss Louise Newman, and two visitors, Eunice Hutchinson and Wilma Woodward.

EASTERN STAR WILL HAVE INITIATION SERVICES AT NEXT MEETING

The Haskell Chapter, order of the Eastern Star, will have initiation services at its next meeting Friday, July 12, at 8:30 p. m.

It is requested that all members be present for this meeting as it is an important one.
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Program on 'Youth' Given by W.M.U.

The W. M. U. Royal Service met July 1 in the Baptist Annex with Mrs. Thurmond Bynum in charge. The program given was on Youth. A song, 'We've A Story to Tell,' was sung and prayer was given by Mrs. R. C. Couch, Jr., followed with the program.
 Calling All Youths—Mrs. Carl Wheatley.
 Organized for Missionary Education—Mrs. Emmett Starr.
 Special Training for Our Youth—Mrs. Thomas Watson.
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7:30 Junior Song Service and Bible Drill in Sunday School Building.

7:45 Special Song Service by Choir in Church Auditorium

8:30 P. M. Evening Message.

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Non-Swimmers: 10 a. m. (Ages 10-?), Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.

Life Saving: 9 a. m. (Junior and Senior) Wednesday and Friday.

Daily Activity Period: 10 a. m. to 12 a. m., (Ages 5-12).

Archery: 2 p. m.-4 p. m., Monday and Thursday.

Basketball, Tennis, Badminton: 2 p. m. - 4 p. m., Tuesday and Friday (At Gymnasium)

Volley Ball, Croquet: 2-4 p. m., Wednesday.

Night Activity Program: 7-9 p. m. (Competitive Games) Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday.

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