

BUILD... HASKELL

"Haskell Dollar"

ing is believing; tasting is con-; facts are facts; yet, doubt in the minds of some.

week of March 22 to 27 is to be ved as Texas Industrial week. It-Made-In-Texas" is to be the

ness houses in Haskell are to be to display and put on sale such ets as are carried in their stock, made and Texas produced wares. connection "Try-To-Buy-It-In-Has-ell" is to be encouraged. Build accordingly but try to build all first.

demonstrate the value of a dol- in Haskell, Kept in Haskell. NOT mailed out of Haskell for purpose. The Board of City Devel- opment will issue a check for One dollar payable to Mayor Grissom, who art it on its way by spending it

for the proper number of endorse- on the back of this Dollar are-filled in and the check has thru as many local cash accounts as is honored by the bank and a made by the Board of City opment, giving as near as possi- amount of profit gained as it along and in as detailed a man- would appeal to all this his- and the value of the Haskell Dol- presented Haskell folks later on, the dollar has completed its y from the Manager's office of ank.

seems as simple, impressive and ve a plan as might be presented ublic. We suggest each stop of eck be carefully noted by the spending it and just a thought, on what it might have paid YOU hat this Haskell Dollar has earn- every one and did not leave o do it.

just for your own information, out just how much of that Dol- U would have enjoyed as a pre- it HAD BEEN MAILED OUT OWN; and, stop and think what ave deprived your neighbor of ar town of when YOU mailed dollars out of town—then think it would meant if everybody and, spent their dollars in Haskell, little method of convincing ing "Thomas" you'll admit, for the Haskell Dollar, keep it and as it rolls, let it gather its earnings for You and Me.

Dollar will start on its rounds eek of February 22-27th; this ve it ample time to return for discussion so that the story of evels might be published before Industrial Week, Marh 22-27; this will be a lesson of details iting to the merchant that "Buy ide In Texas" would mean much e State, and while encouraging Buying and the Texas Buying also mean as much to that chan- and while Haskell builds, so will

Why? Gentle Reader, should Has- build streets and build giant in- les beyond the state's borders, or WHY? Build cities within the e borders, by handing our Has- Dollars to the outside merchants manufacturers, when, if you will e the Haskell Dollar results, so -benefit, revenue, good, decided can accrue of Haskell, and to state, Grand Old Texas?

Why not build Haskell for those to after us? Why not build Texas, e same reason? Why build Illi- New York, and other manufactur- and jobbing centers, and let Has- and Texas, stand still, from a de- ment standpoint? Ask yourself? e the new houses being erected in all etday; the many that have completed during the past 2 e was that money sent here other states and towns for the e? Among those building here, e they from other towns? Far be in so.

right, if this much development e carried out locally under the at plan, why not more develop- if we watch our Haskell Dollars and keep them at home, in Has- and in Texas? Think this over. en, folks, before you decide to that money order to an out of business house for ANYTHING, iber, your Dollar will earn the as the Haskell Dollar, that has e the rounds, and before you mail e dollar out of town, Try-To-Buy- Haskell-First, and, see if you can't ed, supplied, equipped, is wares in Texas. It is YOUR dollar, a fact, but—it is also HAS- B'S DOLLAR you are spending.

Why not have a snickers intent or de- Haskell grow and wish to en- your boys and girls to live in and be near to you in your

SIMMONS COWBOY BAND HERE FRIDAY

The original and only Cowboy Band in the world, the famous Simmons University Band, will appear in concert here Friday night, February 19th. The concert will be given at the High School Auditorium. It is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock.

The program is an unusually interesting one. Marches, overtures and popular selections will be played by the band; a snappy saxophone quartet will be featured and the Cowboy Quartet, a superlative male quartet, will render some numbers. Other novelty acts will be presented. The whole program is well balanced and a varied one, and will appeal to all classes of music lovers.

The Cowboy Band comes recommended as one of the best college bands in the United States. It has made quite a name for itself throughout the south, where it has attended every kind of convention, with its typical Western uniform, its pep and life, and its snappy and well-played music, the Cowboy Band has never failed to attract favorable criticism.

D. O. Wiley, director of the organization, is one of the most competent and best known band directors in this part of the state. He has directed the Cowboys for several years and spent last summer in Chicago taking special work along this line. He is well able to conduct his band through any grade of music.

The Simmons Band has always represented its school in the very best way. Moreover, the organization has accompanied the Abilene Chamber of Commerce on all its trade trips. The Cowboy Band is the official band of the Texas Division United Confederate Veterans, and will attend the national convention at Birmingham next May. The band is also making de- licate arrangements to play on a chautau- que circuit this summer.

A rare musical treat is assured those who attend the concert to be given here. The Cowboys have real ability and they never fail to show it.

SAM CONNER INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Sam Conner a former Haskell county man was painfully injured last Friday night on the highway between San Angelo and Ballenger when the Ford touring car he was driving overturned pinning him and two other occupants under the car. One of the men in the car was able to get out and soon the car was lifted off the others. Mr. Conner was found to be very painfully injured having both of his legs lacerated and two ribs broken. He was hurried to the Sanitarium at Ballenger where he received first aid treatment and later on was brought to his home in Abilene. He is a brother of Chas. M. Conner Tax Collector of Haskell County and was reared in Haskell. His mother Mrs. H. B. Conner who lives here left Tuesday morning for Abilene where she is now at his bedside. Mr. Conner is a traveling salesman for an Abilene Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable company and was away on his run when the accident occurred. On last report he was getting along nicely.

E. F. (ED) FOUTS ANNOUNCES FOR TAX COLLECTOR

E. F. (Ed) Fouts makes his announcement this week as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Haskell County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Fouts has lived in Haskell County practically all his life and is well and favorably known throughout the county. He served four years as deputy Tax Collector a few years ago and thoroughly understands the duties of the office. Since retiring from the position of Deputy Tax Collector he has been employed as book-keeper in one of our local business institutions.

Mr. Fouts promises if elected to endeavor to render the very best service possible and with his former experience he believes that he can fill the position in a creditable way to himself and to Haskell County.

Mr. Fouts states that he expects to see each and every voter in the county before election time and he will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming campaign.

old age, build accordingly. Think not of so much self gain or a few cents, but figure out boys and girls are worth MILLIONS against the copper you might save now.

Make Haskell, make Texas, the town and the state, other folks are building their respective towns and states to become, and without the least loss or deprivation, lend a hand to BUILD HASKELL.

George Washington of Today



BABY CHICKS SHOULD BE ORDERED SOON

Now is the time to order baby chicks. Many chicks were ordered through the County Agent the past year and those desiring to do the same this year should place their order with him at an early date. As a rule better chicks can be obtained at a cheaper price when several orders are placed together.

His orders are placed with the Poultry Department of the Agricultural and Mechanical College if the parties do not care to obtain their stock from some local party.

GATHERS IRISH POTATOES FROM FALL PLANTING

Paul Solomon was showing some fine Irish Potatoes from a fall planting which he has cared for through the winter, covering the vines with dirt when the cold spells came. He says that he pulled up about 70 pounds from the vines of which the sample came that he was exhibiting in town last Saturday. We are unable to give in details the plans he used in growing these potatoes but we believe if a man can grow 70 pounds of potatoes from a few vines, more can be grown by the same method. We have the greatest country on the face of the wide, wide world if our bountiful resources were only developed.

BUILDING ACTIVITY STILL ON INCREASE

Buildings are going up so rapidly in the city that it is impossible for the Free Press to keep trace of this progression and give the names of those who are building and planning to build at this time. More than 20 new homes are going up in the resident section of the city and others are planning to begin laying foundations at an early date. John Decker is erecting a nice little bungalow just across the street from the Norton Hotel north of the square. Virgil A. Brown is planning another building one block to the north of the Decker building and work is due to begin. The New Presbyterian Church building will soon break dirt and begin construction as soon as the plans can be completed. The old building has already been moved from the ground. The new modern hotel now under construction is making rapid progress during the good weather, the foundation is all down and the steel supports are being set up, and the wood work is going up very rapidly. A few more months and this modern building will be ready for the furnishings. When you think of Haskell you are thinking of a city progressive.

GOOD SEED TO BE PLANTED THIS YEAR

More pure seed will be planted in Haskell County during 1926 than ever before in the history of the county. The County Agent has placed orders with several Experiment Stations for several hundred pounds of pure line bred dwarf milo and feterita for farmers in the county.

According to the County Agent he is able to obtain the seed at 5 Cents per pound F. O. B. the station. We are always glad to see the good planting seed come into the county for we know that the yield per acre will be increased thereby. We believe that in a matter of a few years the farmers in each community will be united and will grow only standard products, especially should this be true with cotton for by so doing a community can soon build a reputation that will mean dollars and cents for their standard product.

SUCCESSFUL FARMER WILL MOVE TO CHILDRESS SOON

J. F. Marchbanks of the Weaver community, who has lived in that section for a number of years and has been engaged in farming has recently purchased a fine farm near Childress and will move to that section within a few days. He believes that he has a good farm out there and the young boys of the family will go with him and help him farm the place while his married son will live on the home place and farm it. The many friends of Mr. Marchbanks wish he and his family health and happiness in their new location.

NEW POULTRY PLANT FOR THIS SECTION

J. F. (Ferris) Morrison is now erecting a new poultry plant for this city on a forty-five acre tract of land in the Tandy edition in the western part of the city of Haskell. He will build a number of brooder houses in which he expects to house and care for 5,000 baby chicks which he has ordered from M. Johnson of Bowie to be delivered later. He is building the house now for the poultry man and the other buildings will be erected as soon as the material can be placed on the ground. He has made one order for a number of Johnson's very best birds and has already made arrangements to place a pen at the A. & M. from this brood.

Mr. Morrison is a graduate from the A. & M. and made poultry a study while in the college. He is elated over the project and expects to make a success of it. He will put in a large Hatchery later when his business demands it.

POST SCHOOL BUILDS NEW BOYS WORKSHOP

A 14x28 ft. work shop has just been completed at the Post Rural School ten miles south of Haskell for the use of the manual training class. There are ten boys in this class who are making wonderful progress. Prof. Elmer C. Watson who has been the principal of this school for a number of years was first to introduce this department in the rural schools of this section of the state two years ago and it has been a success. Beginning the class in a little room in the corner of the school building it has developed so rapidly and so successfully that the trustees of this school have erected the building mentioned above and the fixtures and tools will be installed this week and more progress is expected from the opportunity afforded by the new building. The boys did most of the work at their usual work hours in constructing the building only one carpenter was kept to superintend the work and the boys were on the job and the building show marks of good carpentry. The school also has a terracing machine and a number of terraces have been laid by the boys of this school for the neighboring farms which has been of considerable assistance to County Agent Trice if his rush calls for terracing by the farmers all over the county. The boys thoroughly understand this machine and their work is up to all requirements. The Post school has three teachers and a large enrollment. Misses Lois Killingsworth of Haskell and Roberta Gullett are assisting Mr. Watson in this school.

This school has a small Laboratory for the study of science and last week about \$80.00 worth of equipment was added for further advancement of the classes.

CHESTER JACKSON FOR COMMISSIONER No. 1

In our announcement Column this week will be found the name of Chester Jackson, who resides near rule, as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Jackson has lived in Haskell County for the past 11 years and is well and favorably known in the Rule community.

He has had ten years experience in road work. He worked on the roads in Haskell County under former Commissioner B. L. Jackson.

Mr. Jackson expects to make a thorough canvass of the County between now and election. He will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming campaign.

L. M. (MONROE) HOWARD FOR COMMISSIONER No. 3

L. M. (Monroe) Howard, makes his announcement this week as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3 subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Howard has been a citizen of Haskell County for the past 20 years and thoroughly understands the needs of the county. He has been strongly solicited to make the race by many of the citizens of the precinct. He has had considerable experience in road work and is thoroughly qualified to make a good commissioner if elected. Mr. Howard has never made a race for public office before.

Mr. Howard promises if elected to do his very best to make the county a good commissioner. He will endeavor to see each and every voter in the precinct between now and election time. He will appreciate your vote and influence.

W. H. Atkinson Sr. of the "M" team of Monday spent several hours in the city with his son of the "M" team this city Thursday.

TERRACING SCHOOLS PLAN OF COUNTY AGT.

According to County Agent Trice the value of terracing has been sold to the farmers of Haskell County. Some who have had their farms terraced for the past year or so value their terraces worth thousands of dollars while others state it has increased their yield of cotton and grain by one-third. The demands for the work has increased with such surprising rapidity that it is impossible for any one person or any ten to meet the demands being made by farmers to have their fields terraced according to the County Agent.

During the coming winter it is the aim of the County Agent to conduct 24 two day terracing schools throughout the county to train men how to operate the Bostrom Farm Level that they may purchase the machine and terrace their own farms. If possible for him to do so he will conduct six of these schools in each Commissioner's Precinct and divide the work over the county. It is his aim to train 100 men and place 50 farm levels in the county during the coming year, at which rate figuring that 5 farms were terraced with each level it would take 10 years to terrace the farms in Haskell County.

Since the real value of terracing the farming land can be seen and it is impossible for any one person to ever make a showing doing individual work it has become necessary according to the county agent that he work only through schools where men are taught how to terrace their own farms. As to the places where these schools are to be held this winter depend on the interest shown by the farmers in purchasing their own levels and the number to attend the schools. The farm level can be purchased for \$22 and will be worth that price many times over in running terraces lines, fence rows, etc.

According to county agent there are 1600 farms in Haskell County that need terracing and many others that would be greatly benefitted by having the work done on them, and if it were possible for one man to terrace 50 farms each year it would take 32 years to complete the 1600 farms. The terracing school is the only solution to the problem to keep Haskell County dirt in place and out of the Brazos River where it is slowly moving toward the Gulf.

H. D. GAMMILL FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 1

In our announcement column will be found the name of H. D. Gammill who is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Gammill decided a few weeks ago not to make the race, but he has met with so much encouragement during the past few days from his friends who insist that he make the race he authorizes us this week to make his formal announcement.

Mr. Gammill is a farmer, owning his own home in the Foster community. He came to Haskell county three years ago from Eastland. He is well qualified to fill the position to which he aspires and would make the county a good commissioner if elected. He will endeavor to see each voter in the precinct before the election. He will appreciate your vote and influence.

FIELD MAN OF FARM BUREAU VISITS HASKELL

J. D. Coghlan, Special Field Service man, visited Haskell last Tuesday and in company with local field man H. A. Davidson made this office a very pleasant call. Mr. Coghlan has headquarters at Dallas, but his home is in Ellis county near the city of Ennis, where he owns some good farming lands. He is a practical farmer and knows every phase of farm life and marketing. Making a success with farming, he was chosen for the work he is doing because of his experience as a successful farmer. Mr. Davidson believes that the visit of Mr. Coghlan will be of vital interest to the institution here because of his helpful instructions to the members.

LAUNDRY PUTS ON NEW DELIVERY CAR

Uncle Tom Lemmons is spreading sunshine this week because of the fact that he is driving a new delivery car for the Haskell Laundry. Uncle Tom is a familiar figure on the streets of Haskell and has been for the past 25 years, but he now looks his best and his smiles are broader than he is used to at the steering wheel in the car.



HON. R. O. LEE
Mr. Lee who is president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will address the business men and farmers of this section today (Thursday) at 1:30 p. m. in the courthouse. All business houses of the city will be closed during the time of his address, according to plans now under way.

CENTER POINT

(By Ethel Bland) We are glad to report that the sick of this community are much better this week, and with the exception of a few cold everybody is o. k.

VERNON

(By Ruth Davis) The farmers of this community have certainly been busy the past week turning the soil, and this pretty weather they can work so fine.

PLEASANT VIEW

(By Veda Edwards) The health of this community is not very good at this writing. Miss Eunice Edwards is on the sick list.

PLEASANT VALLEY

(By Alma Cavitt) Quite a number of this community were at the singing at Roberts Sunday.

SCHOOL NEWS

The Cowboy Band of Simmons University will give a varied program of musical and novelty numbers in the Haskell High School Auditorium, Friday night, February 19th.

MIDWAY

(By Velma Frierson) The health of this community is bad at this writing.

NEW MID

(Mrs. Mary A. Hinkley) Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Speck, Rev. Frazer and family of Rochester visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ballard.

WEAVER

(By Alice Robison) Mrs. George Green is on the sick list this week.

MARLIN HOT WELLS

Where Life Giving Waters Flow Come to Marlin, the year-round health resort, for rheumatism, neuritis, stomach trouble and all chronic diseases.

\$1,000,000 To Lend Through the Rule National Farm Loan Association

of Rule, Texas, by the Federal Land Bank of Houston, on Land located in Haskell, Kans, and Several Counties. Rate, 5 1/2 per cent. Time, On or before 24 1/2 years.

The Rule National Farm Loan Association W. H. McCANDLESS, Secretary-Treasurer. Loans \$140,000.00

SUNSET POULTRY FARM

Largest and best equipped poultry farm in this part of the State. Devoted exclusively to Single Comb White Leghorns.

SUNSET POULTRY FARM

RULE TEXAS



Terraces Ditches Grades

The most wonderful little machine on the market. See me for Demonstration. Will Chastain Haskell, Texas.

One Man-One Team

Stop Night Cough This New Way

Quick Relief Through Simple Treatment

Thousands who have been unable to sleep nights due to irritating night coughing can now obtain practically instant relief and sleep soundly the very first night—through a simple but wonderfully effective treatment.

This treatment is based on the prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You take just one teaspoonful at bed-time and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children as well as grown-ups—no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for



Vast Expansion and Advanced Equipment make New Prices Possible

The history of Dodge Brothers drastic price reductions is simple and brief.

A better and better product followed by greater and greater demand.

To meet that demand, an expansion of buildings and equipment involving an expenditure of more than \$10,000,000.

Output vastly increased, with consequent reduction in the cost of materials and production.

Installation of advanced labor-saving and quality-increasing equipment. For instance, one giant steel-body press costing \$10,000 replaces ten former presses costing \$7,500 each, and does the work more efficiently.

Result: The finest line of vehicles in Dodge Brothers history at prices that seem incredible in view of Dodge Brothers traditional quality—

That seem more incredible still when considered in connection with improvements that include—

- Rich and attractive new colors. Smart and stylish new body lines. Four dependable cylinders. Absolute smoothness of engine operation. Greater power, snap and elasticity.

And advanced steel body and windshield construction that afford exceptional driving vision at a time when clear vision and safety are paramount in the mind of every motorist.

Table listing car models and prices: Touring Car \$795, Roadster \$795, Coupe \$845, Sedan \$895.

F. O. B. FACTORY J. F. KENNEDY HASKELL, TEXAS

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CARS

SOCIETY and Club

any Club in Costume

ed in the year book of the Har- Club for the second week in ary is "Valentines of Many" with Mrs. H. D. Neff director planning the program it was d to have it in costume and that member could invite a guest, they did last Wednesday after- at three o'clock, the regular time. The Magazine Club recep- tion was rosette with Valentine. Windows and doors were fe- with both small and large red the two pianos carried four sil- andstick, with lighted tapers pleasing contrast the library was centered with a growing us and over all a soft glow was by shading the lights with red. tector, Mrs. H. D. Neff, welcom- at the entrance and then intro- them to the president of the ay Club, Mrs. C. L. Lewis, and er side of the colonade leading library were little Misses Mary Neff and Jessie Rose Wallace rovided each guest with a pro- They were shown to their seats reception room by Mrs. M. L. Mrs. C. L. Lewis, clad as an gro mammy, represented Ameri- "Songs of the South," then Mrs. W. Pace in French costume, with the flag of that country, a piano interpretation of "Old Songs"—Saint Saens; next Mrs. read James Whitcomb Riley's sweetheart of mine" and respond- the encore with a charming sa- the "Faithful Young Husband." Wayne Koonce in Spanish cos- sang of that far away land in usual clear soprano voice; next Scotland Folk Dance by Misses Sherrill, Mary Couch, Anita Gris- and Marjorie Rogers. In conclu- H. D. Neff gave rollicking folk- melody of Ireland, "Molly On The", clad in an appropriate dress. ishment plate with valentine fan- was served each guest by Little Mary Helen Neff and Jessie Wallace; they were: Mesdames M. Murchison, C. P. Petty, Cecil ce, Marvin Post, Hardy Grissom, Reynolds, H. S. Wilson, D. Scott, W. Pace, J. L. Odell, H. S. Post, Smith, Ward Boyce, Jim Bailey, Morrison, O. E. Patterson, M. L. H. D. Neff, Roy Shook, R. C. comery, D. L. Cummins, Ethel Bruce W. Bryant, J. G. Mulkay, Wair, W. A. Kimbrough, Mike atson, B. M. Whiteker, J. L. ern, S. R. Rike, J. F. Morrison, Pinkerton, C. V. Payne, W. A. ce, Wayne Koonce, E. E. Sherrill, Kaigler and Misses Fannie Jack Mabel Baldwin, Aura Lee Tucker, e Huckabee, Ella D. Koonce, Grissom, Marjorie Rogers, Kath- Rike, Mary Couch and Mary ill.

vely Parsonage Party.

of the loveliest parties of the n, covering a period of February and the 22nd inclusive, in com- oration of St. Valentine and the or of our country, George Washing- was enjoyed by the women of the ionary Society of the Methodist ch last Monday afternoon at three y o'clock at the Methodist par- ge. Twenty-seven ladies were pre- and were met at the door by am Valentine (Mrs. Hill Oates) in ntriguing costume, who presented a to the president of the society, S. R. Rike, head of the receiving composed of the elderly ladies of society, Mesdames Vaughan, T. J. mon, Little Miss Ethel Irby, who ty represented her grandmother, F. G. Alexander, who could not resent; P. D. Sanders, C. D. Long, J. Jones; then a living picture was result of wall and columns draped flags, outlined with streamers of w pierced hearts, underneath which d among the guests, George Wash- (Mrs. Elmer Irwin) Mrs. George ington (Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant), y Rosa (Mrs. R. C. Montgomery), y Madison (Mrs. Clarence Lewis) y the ladies on the program clad in nial costumes, or Valentine gowns; Saint Valentine Story, Mrs. Hill us; Piano Number, Minuet by Pad- raki, Mrs. O. E. Patterson; Reading

"Home," and a delightful negro dialect encore, Mrs. Boyce; Vocal Duet, "Sil- ver Threads Among the Gold," Mrs. C. L. Lewis and Mrs. Hill Oates; Reading, "Long Ago," and "Adown the Lanes of Memory," Miss Louise Kaigler; Chorus, "When You and I Were Young, Mag- gie," Mesdames Elmer Irwin, T. A. Wil- liams, C. L. Lewis, H. M. Smith, R. C. Montgomery, Bruce W. Bryant, Ethel Irby.

At a dainty tea table in the dining room Mrs. Hugh Smith and Mrs. T. A. Williams poured tea behind the light of five tapers set in a silver candelabra and served with it a delicious plate lunch.

Little Hazel Williams Celebrates Birthday.

Mrs. Oliver Williams made all of those preparations, so dear to little hearts, decorated room for party, birthday cake with the required number of candles, which in this case was nine, on last Monday afternoon and entertained a number of little Miss Hazel's friends, whose birthday it was. As the day was a fore runner of the spring days to come, many games were played out of doors. Ice cream cones in abundance were eaten and then the nine candles were lighted, just to be blown out again, the cake cut and enjoyed with a cup of hot chocolate; the little guests were: Mary Helen Neff, Mildred Williams, Mary Sue Couch, Magie Beth Key, Mary Frances Collier, Odell Williams, Edna Kuenstler, Corville Collier and Mary and T. A. Williams.

Radio Party.

Misses Ruby Fay Glenn and Effie Moser entertained with a radio party last Saturday night at the home of the sister of the former, Mrs. Ed Fouts. Besides listening to the radio program in-door games were played and a delicious plate luncheon of sandwiches, olives, tea with candy hearts for favors. The guests were: Misses Vannie Lee Marra, Christine Ballard, Mary Emma Whiteker, Verna Gilstrap, Bessie Bee Kaigler, Velma Tuck, Ola Bell Kennedy, Gladys Connor, Vera Bradley, Vernon Stoker, Rankin Gammell, Joe Bryant, Jim Ferguson, Willie Stoker and Clyde Edwards.

Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary Have Special Meeting.

On Monday afternoon February the eighth, members of the Woman's Aux- iliary of the Presbyterian church, gave an interesting program at the manse. As this was loyalty week, the auxiliary had issued invitations to all of the women of the church and a good representation was present and enjoyed the program and special privileges. The object of the meeting was to present the needs of the different benevo- lent causes of the church and to give a chance for an offering for them.

A liberal sum was realized by the Auxiliary. A social hour followed when a delectable plate luncheon of sandwiches, potato chips, cake squares and hot chocolate was served each guest, and later valentine candies were passed.

Owens-Gullet.

Miss Roberta Gullet and Mr. Marvin Owens were married at Haskell Sun- day evening February 14 at 8 o'clock, the Methodist pastor officiating.

The bride is the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gullet, formerly of the McConnell community, but who now reside at Arlington, Texas. She is primary teacher in the Post school, and a very promising young lady. Mr. Owens is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Owens of Stamford, where he has lived a number of years and is well and favorably known. Their many friends wish for them great happiness.

Morgan-Bland.

Mr. Tommy Morgan and Miss Verlie Bland, both of the Center Point com- munity were happily married in Has- kell Monday evening. They are both well known in Haskell county and their many friends wish for them a happy life. They are at home with his parents in the Center Point community.

Valentine Party.

One of the loveliest affairs of the season was when Miss Jessie Johnson Vernon school teacher gave a lovely valentine party, last Friday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated with red hearts and pink and white paper. Red and yellow hearts were drawn on the black board. Also a picture of Abraham Lincoln, by Miss Johnson. Little Misses Dylia Mae Mc-Crea and Lula Morgan met the guests at the door and pinned a bright red heart on each guest. Libbie Davis called the names of the Valentines while Pauline Simpson and Dylia Mae Mc-Crea passed them out.

Several readings were given by: Everett Simpson, Lula Morgan, Pauline Simpson and Adie Crow. Then refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served. They departed at a late hour and all say that Miss Johnson is a real entertainer.

Magazine Club.

The Magazine Club met Friday afternoon with the first vice president, Mrs. Meadors, presiding.

After the business session Mrs. H. M. Smith directed the lesson on "Texas in Art." Mrs. Smith in her usual efficient way had given a great deal of thought to the subject. The following ladies had interesting parts of program: Mesdames Oates, English, Long and Hunt. Mrs. Baldwin, hostess. Mrs. Ross Woodall was a guest for the afternoon.

Berean Supper.

The Berean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church was entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pierson, with a splendid supper. Several interesting talks were made by J. H. Flewharty, teacher, and A. C. Pierson, superintendent, followed with short talks by members of the class.

Those present were: Frank Clift, Roy Killingsworth, Robert Whitman, Travis Everett, Jack Chamberlain, Willie Chapman, William Young, T. B. Bagwell, Cecil Bradley, Glenn Marrs, Milton Simmons, Lonnie Spurlock, J. H. Flewharty, teacher, and A. C. Pierson, superintendent.

Attends District Meeting B. W. M. U. at Abilje.

Mrs. B. M. Whiteker attended the Executive Board Meeting of the Abilene District B. W. M. U., held in that city on Tuesday. Mrs. C. M. Caldwell, District President, opened her lovely home to the board members on this occasion, the sessions being held there from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. At noon the hostess served a delicious luncheon to those present.

Thirty-five representative women were in attendance from over this district, which includes eighteen counties. Visitors were: Mrs. P. S. Davis, State President, Dallas; Mrs. E. G. Townsend of Baylor College, Belton; and Mrs. R. Q. Lee, Cisco.

Valentine Party at Home of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Clifford.

On last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Clifford opened their home to the young people who are members of the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian Church, and they enjoyed a Valentine frolic. The hostess had heightened the atmosphere of the season by festooning the living rooms with ropes of hearts from center light fixtures to the corners of the rooms, with large hearts in the door ways. Interesting in-door games, "stunts" and contests were enjoyed until a late hour when Mrs. Clifford passed beautiful plates, covered with red paper and white paper doilies, of sandwiches, potato chips, heart shaped cakes frosted in red, hot chocolate and red mints to: Mary Pearsey, Addie May Whiteker, Velta May McKnight, Mary Frazier, Iola Taylor, Virginia Whitman, Venita Larned, Elma Kinnard and Frank Simmons, J. E. McDonald, Louis Pearsey, David, Travis and Johnny Solomon, Myrton L. McDonald, Bill Clifford, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Baker and the host, Mr. F. N. Clifford.

Notice! New Books at Library!!

The Proffersors House—By Willa Cather.
A Fountain Sealed—By Annie Sid- gewick.
Arrowsmith—By Sinclair Lewis.
The Mystery of the Singing Walls—The White Monkey—By Galsworthy.

Wild Geese—By Martha Ostenro.
The Ship of Souls—By Emerson Hough.
The Ancient Highway—By Curwood
We Must March—By Honore Wil- son.

The Wind—By Dorothy Scarborough
The Perennial Bachelor—By Annie Parrish.
Something like fifty good-books were given by Mrs. Montgomery. 12 or 15 good detective or mystery books
Books by Grace Richmond and other Authors just as good. Be a patron of the Library and thus help Haskell.

Christian Church Missionary Society

The Missionary Society of the Christian Church observed their "Guest" day program Monday February 15th with the president Mrs. Hunt as hostess.

After a short devotional period, the following program was rendered.
Reading, "Home" by Mrs. Boyce.
Duet; "Dear to the Heart of the Shepherd" by Mesdames T. A. Pinkerton and J. F. Morrison.

Mrs. Hunt had offered \$5.00 as a prize for the best poster of our mis- sions in the different countries where we as a people are working. Two women were assigned to each poster, also specified country. At this time the posters were shown by the following women, dressed as a woman of the country she represented.
Africa—Mrs. Cummins.
India—Mrs. T. A. Pinkerton.
Tibet—Mrs. Forrester.
Philippine Islands—Mrs. G. Glenn.
South America—Mrs. Press Baldwin.
Japan—Mrs. Bailey Post.
China—Miss Dulin Fields.
America—Mrs. Duncan.
Mexico and Canada were not repre- sented.
Out of town people were the Judges.

1st prize went to Mrs. G. H. Morrison, 2nd. to Miss Fields and 3rd. to Mrs. Barron. After the Missionary Bene- diction for diversion, paper and pencil were passed and we were asked how much we knew about the Bible. In the contest Mesdames Cummins and H. S. Post tied for first place.

In a word contest Miss Fannie Jack Baldwin was the fortunate winner. Quite a number of our church women were welcome guests at the splendid meeting, enjoying both program and the delicious refreshments served by the hostess. In as far as was possible the colors of our country were used and little U. S. silk flags were the fav- ors.

Mothers! Fathers! Help your daugh- ters in their work, by coming to hear Simmons University Cowboy Band, at High School Auditorium 8 p. m. Fri- day the 19th. Sponsored by H. E. girls.

Post W. M. U.
The Post Women's Missionary Soci- ety met with Mrs. H. Owens Monday

afternoon.
Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook the president, led the devotional service and the bible study. At a brief business meeting they elected Mrs. G. V. Middlebrook as secretary-treasurer to fulfill Mrs. Henry Terrell's term, since Mrs. Terrell has moved away.

Calico Cats Give Party.
Last Friday, February 12, at the Howard school, the Calico Cats Society entertained the Gingham Dogs Society with a valentine party. The house was called to order, followed by valentine games which lasted for about thirty minutes. After the games were over, the valentines were distributed. Then refreshments were enjoyed by both societies and visitors.

Grandma Hardeman and grand- daughter Ruth and Mrs. Johnson Ivey of Sayles visited Mrs. W. E. Bland last Tuesday.

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An exchange says "e" is the most un-
fortunate letter in the alphabet, "be-
cause it is never in cash, always in
debt, and never out of danger." An-
other exchange comes to the defense of
"e" by saying it is never in war but
always in peace; is the beginning of
existence, the commencement of ease
and the end of trouble.

A college education, according to an
expert statistician, is worth \$72,000.
This being true, we advise some of the
people we know who have college edu-
cations to sell out and buy a log school
house education, which at the same
ratio of prices for learning, could be
had for about \$4. The men in mind
are not going to use any kind of an
education, and \$72,000 would pay
many bills.

LAST WORDS OF GREAT MEN.
By D. K. Barber.

Washington—"It is well."
J. Q. Adams—"It is the last of
earth."
Byron—"I must sleep now."
Cromwell—"Then I am safe."
Goethe—"Let the light enter."
Sam'l Johnson—"I am about to die."
John Adams—"Independence for
ever."
Jefferson—"I resign my soul to God-
my daughter to my country."
Edward VI—"Lord, take my spirit."
Lord Nelson—"I thank God I have
done my duty."
Lawrence—"Don't give up the ship."
Walter Scott—"I feel as if I were
myself again."
John Wesley—"The best of all, God
is with us."
Voltaire—"I am taking a fearful leap
into the dark."
Schiller—"Many things are becoming
clearer to me."
John Keats—"I feel the daisies
growing over me."
Mirabeau—"Let me die to the sounds
of delicious music."
Mozart—"Let me hear those notes so
long my solace and delight."
Philip Sydney—"I would not change
my joy for the empires of the world."
Sir Humphrey Gilbert—"We are as
near heaven by sea as by land."
Stonewall Jackson—"Let us cross
over the river and rest under the shade
of the trees."
Raleigh—"It matters little how the
head lieth."
Stephen—"Lord, lay not this sin to
their charge."
Paul—"Grace be with you. Amen."
Jesus Christ—"It is finished."
Illinois Baptist.

PRESIDING ELDER PREACHES
AT M. E. CHURCH SUNDAY

Presiding Elder, A. L. Moore of the
Stamford District, held quarterly meet-
ing at the Methodist church in Haskell
last Sunday afternoon and preached a
splendid sermon Sunday night at 7:30
on Strong Manhood. A large audience
heard this good sermon and one not-
able and appreciable feature was the
large number of high school boys and
girls in attendance. The right hand
tier was almost filled, and there were
only ten adults, by actual count, the
others being boys and girls.

Hunter Home Almost Complete

The new five room bungalow of
Eugene Hunter's now under construction
is almost completed. Mr. Hunter
has been here several years and is con-
nected with the Grissom Store. He
has lived here several years and is wil-
ling to become a better contented citi-
zen and will be when he is occupying
this beautiful new home in the north
western part of the city.

E. B. Harrison of Stamford who is
connected with the Harrison Spurlock
Gin here and his brother W. L. Har-
rison who is an extensive farmer near
Stamford were here Friday on business.

An Essay on Geese.

The following composition on geese
was written, according to Capper's
Weekly, by a schoolboy in St. Louis:
"Geese is a heavy-set bird with a
head on one side and a tail on the
other. His feet is set so far back on
his running gear that they nearly miss
his body. Some geese is ganders and
has a curl on their tail. Ganders
don't lay or set. They just eat, loaf,
and go swimming. If I had to be a
geese I would rather be a gander.
Geese do not give milk, but give eggs,
but for me give me liberty or give me
death."

Preparedness.

"I'll take that touring car, and I
want you to send up another one in
about two weeks."
"In two weeks?"
"Yes. My wife has made up her
mind that she is going to learn to drive

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(Taken from the files of the Free
Press of February 17, 1906.)

Mrs. J. J. Sharp of the West side was
in the city this week.

Judge Taylor of Gatesville has moved
to Haskell.

Mrs. Earnest Southerlin entertained
the young folks Thursday night.

W. W. Fields and brother have bought
Mr. J. T. Lawley's interest in their
business.

Mr. A. J. Glassgow of Benjamin visited
the family of J. W. Johnson this
week.

A. C. Foster and Henry Alexander
attended the Masonic Chapter meeting
at Munday Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ellis visited Rule
the Early part of the week.

A party of the little folks enjoyed
themselves at the home of Oscar Mar-
tin Thursday night.

Miss Mamie Draper entertained a
large party of friends at her home
Thursday night.

Mr. J. L. Jones was in from Rule the
other day and reported the Embryo
city on a boom.

Mr. Jack Simmons left Tuesday for
Waco, he has employment on the T. C.
Railway.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCreary have
come back to Haskell to reside after
an absence of about three years spent
in Abilene. Mr. McCreary has accepted
a place with Sherill Bros. & Co.

Miss Dannie Barnett a teacher in the
Haskell School was called to her home
at Kilgore last Saturday on account of
the illness of her mother.

H. F. Monke of Illinois was here this
week looking into the Haskell situa-
tion.

J. E. Carter came in the other day
and said the recent rain put a fine
season in the ground. He lives south
west of town.

Mrs. J. S. Rike gave the young folks
a Valentine party Wednesday night
which was highly enjoyed.

The rain the early part of the week
after the snow has put a good season
in the ground.

We are informed that the three main
piers of the Wichita Valley Bridge
across the Brazos at Seymour have
been completed and that two others
are nearing completion. Also that
the grading which has been retarded by
the rain and snow is almost completed
to Munday.

G. W. Thomason has gone to Dallas
to argue a case in the Court of Criminal
appeals.

Miss Annis Fields spent several days
visiting the family of D. W. Fields near
Marcy.

Tax Collector J. W. Collins reports
collections of State and County Taxes
to be \$26,000 during January.

J. T. Barlow who purchased the
Storrs farm was in town buying im-
plements with which to begin farming
operations.

E. F. Springer arrived home yester-
day from the South Western part of
the State where he had been establish-
ing a ranch.

We are informed that the townsie
managers on the line of the Orient
Railroad have entered into a contract
with A. B. Corothers to locate a town
on his land in the north west part of
the County. The new town is to be
called Rochester and the site is about
8 miles north of Rule and 5 1-2 miles
south of Carney and 8 miles south of
Knox City. All on the same road. It
is in a fine part of the country. If it's
proximity to the other towns does not
affect its growth, it ought to make a
good town.

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ters in their work, by coming to hear
Simmons University Cowboy Band, at
High School Auditorium 8 p. m. Fri-
day the 19th. Sponsored by H. E.
girls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sims of the
Gauvntt community motored to the cap-
ital city Saturday.

J. A. Cook, a progressive farmer of
Weinert was in the city Saturday on
business.

Earl Bishop and family spent several
days in this section with relatives and
friends here, but he received a phone
message Saturday that a nephew whom
he had left at their home near Crosby-
ton had become ill and they left for
their home last Saturday afternoon,
expecting to drive through that night.

John Mansell of Rochester was in the
city Wednesday of last week. Mr.
Mansell is a successful business man in
the hardware business of his home
town.

J. J. Smith of Los Angeles, Calif.,
brother of our local contractor, H. W.
Smith, arrived here this week to visit
his brother. They left for Quanah
Monday where they will visit relatives
for a few days.

Chas. and John Sparks of Wise county
were shaking hands with their
many acquaintances who have moved
from that section to Haskell county.
Sparks Brothers are singers and music
teachers.

Will Piland and daughter Marie of
Amhears are here this week visiting
relatives and friends. Mr. Piland moved
to Amhears last fall and he says
that every thing is getting along nicely
in his new home section.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Neal attended
the elimination ball games at Cen-
ter View last Friday afternoon and re-
port some good games and a very en-
joyable trip.

Political
Announcements

The following announcements are
made subject to the action of the
Democratic Primary in July, 1926:

For District Clerk:
MISS ESTELLE TENNYSON.

For County Judge:
JESSE G. FOSTER.

For County Clerk:
EMORY MENEFFEE.

For Tax Assessor:
MIKE B. WATSON.

For County Treasurer:
J. E. WALLING.

For Tax Collector:
CHAS. M. CONNER.
E. F. (Ed) FOUTS

For County Superintendent:
A. A. HEATHINGTON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
J. S. ABARNATHA.
J. A. ROSE
F. A. WEST
H. D. GAMMILL
CHESTER JACKSON

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
CLYDE GORDON
L. M. (Monroe) HOWARD

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:
MART CLIFTON.
G. B. (George) FIELDS.

"DESERT'S PRICE"
FULL OF DRAMA

Those who ask for real dramatic
action along with thrills should not fail
to see "The Desert's Price," the Wil-
liam Fox production starring Buck
Jones which comes for one day to the
Haskell Theatre beginning Saturday
February 20th.

In this picture Jones is seen at his
best in the character of the handsome
young owner of a large cattle ranch
who returns from the East to find his
property under a cloud of suspicion.
After some clever detective work he
establishes the guilt of the real cul-
prits and brings the story to its thrill-
ing climax.

He is well supported by a cast which
includes Florence Gilbert, Edna Marion
Earnest Butterworth, Arthur House-
man, and Montague Love.

The Bashful Mr. Bobbs

The fourth play directed by Miss
Lois Wear this year was given by her
pupils at the High School Friday eve-
ning. "The Bashful Mr. Bobbs" was a
farce comedy was thoroughly enjoyed
if laughter is any token. Lewis Sher-
man almost convinced the audience
that he was bashful though we knew
better. Frances Grissom played the
part of a young married woman
and as usual received much praise for
the acting. Orville Graham and Nella
V. Wheatley gave the audience many
hearty laughs. Brucille Bryant as the
leading girl, Veta Humphreys and
Mary Kimbrough as her friends, Ches-
ter Strickland, debonair now of the
world, Leo Duncan the henpecked hus-
band, Christine Ballard of the movies
and Jesse Maud Hays the little French
maid all contributed their part to the
success of the play.

As a part of their Senior work Bru-
cille Bryant and Frances Grissom were
given charge of the directing of the
play. It is noticeable that where two
weeks at least is usually spent in pre-
paration of a play only five days were
spent on this play with only two full
rehearsals.

Spend A Night on the Creek
Mr. Sid Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Ed-
mund Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie
Gilleland spent Friday night on the
creek. They reported a good time but
not much luck.

Called to Bedside of Brother
Mrs. Jas. P. Kinnard was called to
the bedside of her brother W. S. Farley
of San Antonio who under went a ser-
ious operation recently. She left Mon-
day night. The home folks have not
had any report of his condition since
Mrs. Kinnard arrived but it is believed
that he is getting along nicely at this
time or they would have made it
known to them by wire.

Ill With Pneumonia.
Miss Bessie Singleton of the Post
community has been real sick with the
pneumonia but is doing nicely now it
is thought.

Don't forget the Simmons University
Cowboy Band at High School Auditor-
ium, Friday night, February 19th at 8
o'clock. Proceeds for H. E. Depart-
ment. Sponsored by H. E. Club.

Celebrates Eighty-Second Birthday
Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Singleton of the
Post community planned a surprise
birthday party last Wednesday eve-
ning honoring Mr. Singleton's mother,
Cora Singleton, on her eighty-second
birthday. A delicious chicken dinner,
with the birthday cake was served to
forty relatives and friends of the fam-
ily.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Carney of O'Brien
local representative of the Oakland and
Pontiac Six Automobiles in Haskell
County left yesterday for Dallas where
he was called to attend a meeting of
the representatives and officials of the
Company. Mr. and Mrs. Carney will
return the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and baby
Marylin returned to their home in
Chillicothe Tuesday after a several
days visit with relatives and friends
here.

FARMER REBUSTING LAND
HE IS CULTIVATING

One of our good farmers P. M. Mul-
lins living south of town was in the
city Wednesday morning and called to
see us, renewing for the Free Press
while visiting with us. Mr. Mullins
stated that he has busted his land of
more than 200 acres which he is farm-
ing this year and was now busily en-
gaged re-busting the ground. He be-
lieves that to thoroughly pulverize the
soil in the spring will give him more
moisture in the summer months dur-
ing crop making time. He only likes
a few days work of being over his land
the second time with the plow.

JUST WHAT IS THE
TROUBLE WITH WIVES?

Does every man have trouble with
his wife? Or is this just an exagger-
ated condition of affairs pictured by
newspaper columnists and cartoonists?
Is there such a thing as an ideal mar-
riage, and, if so, what are its essen-
tials?

These are some of the questions dealt
with in the Paramount picture, "The
Trouble With Wives," which will be
shown next Friday at the Haskell
Theatre. The story is a screen original
by Sada Cowan and Howard Higgin.
Malcolm St. Clair, who turned out a
real picture in "Are Parents People?,"
directed. Featured in the leading roles
are Florence Vidor, Tom Moore, Esther
Ralston and Ford Sterling.

Miss Vidor, as Grace Hyatt, is a per-
fectly loving and lovable wife and de-
sires nothing more than to be alone
with her husband, a wealthy shoe store
proprietor. But always there is some-
one popping in on them. When the
picture opens this third party happens
to be Ford Sterling, cast as Al Hen-
nessy, an old college chum of Moore.
He gets to talking about old times and
almost ruins the Hyatt's happy home
life right then and there by telling
what a cut-up the husband used to be.
And all manner of signalling by Moore
cannot shut him up. It's a great scene
all done in pantomime—by that we
mean not a subtitle to describe the ac-
tion—but you can't tell every word the
blundering Al is saying. It's a scream!

"42" Party.
Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Medford en-
tertained a number of young folks with
a "Forty-Two" party Thursday night.
After playing several games the guests
departed, all reported having a good
time.

RETURNS FROM BEDSIDE
OF SON AT COLLEGE

Mr. and Mrs. N. I. McCollum re-
turned early in the week from College
Station where they had been at the
bedside of their son John L. who is
attending school at that place and was
operated on a few days ago. On last
report he was getting along nicely.

Center Point Teacher Burns Arm.

Miss Virgie Johnson, primary teach-
er of Center Point has been suffering
very painfully with her left arm which
she burned on a stove pipe. She says
it is not very funny to have a sore on
both arms, as she, as well as the rest
of the school have been vaccinated
against the small pox.

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NOTICE—Collections of water and
sewer rents will be handled in the City
Tax Collector's office beginning March
the first. Statements will be mailed on
the first of the month and payment
must be made by the 10th to avoid
having water cut off. The same meth-
od used by the Telephone Co. and
Light Co. will be adopted by the city
in handling water and sewer rents. Pay
your water rent at the City Tax Col-
lector's Office over Payne Drug Store,
City of Haskell Water Department.

STOP COUGHING!

Waxahachie, Texas—"I had catarrh
in my head for years. Last year I had
a very bad cough that lasted for three
months and I could not get any relief
until I took Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pel-
lets, and used Dr. Sage's Catarrh
Remedy. I feel bet-
ter now than I
have felt for years.
I can recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines
to anybody."—Mrs. R. E. Saukey.
Your neighborhood dealer carries a
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Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids'
Hotel, in Buffalo, N. Y., for free
advice. Send 10c if you desire a trial
pkg. of any of Dr. Pierce's remedies.



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special matings of the American White
Leghorn Show Birds and The Imper-
ial matings. Eggs from either of these
pens \$2.00 for setting of 15 eggs.

Send in your order at once. J. O.
Jackson, Rule Route One.

HATCHING EGGS—From my fam-
ous Buff Wyandottes the greatest
utility birds known to the poultry
kingdom today. Start in the poultry
business to win with setting eggs from
these wonderful layers. Why not be-
gin with the best. Send your orders
early. Price at the house \$2.00 per 15
eggs. W. Applegate, Haskell Texas.

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We have just received a new shipment of Spring Footwear in all
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We have the New Bronze Kid in both strap and pump—also
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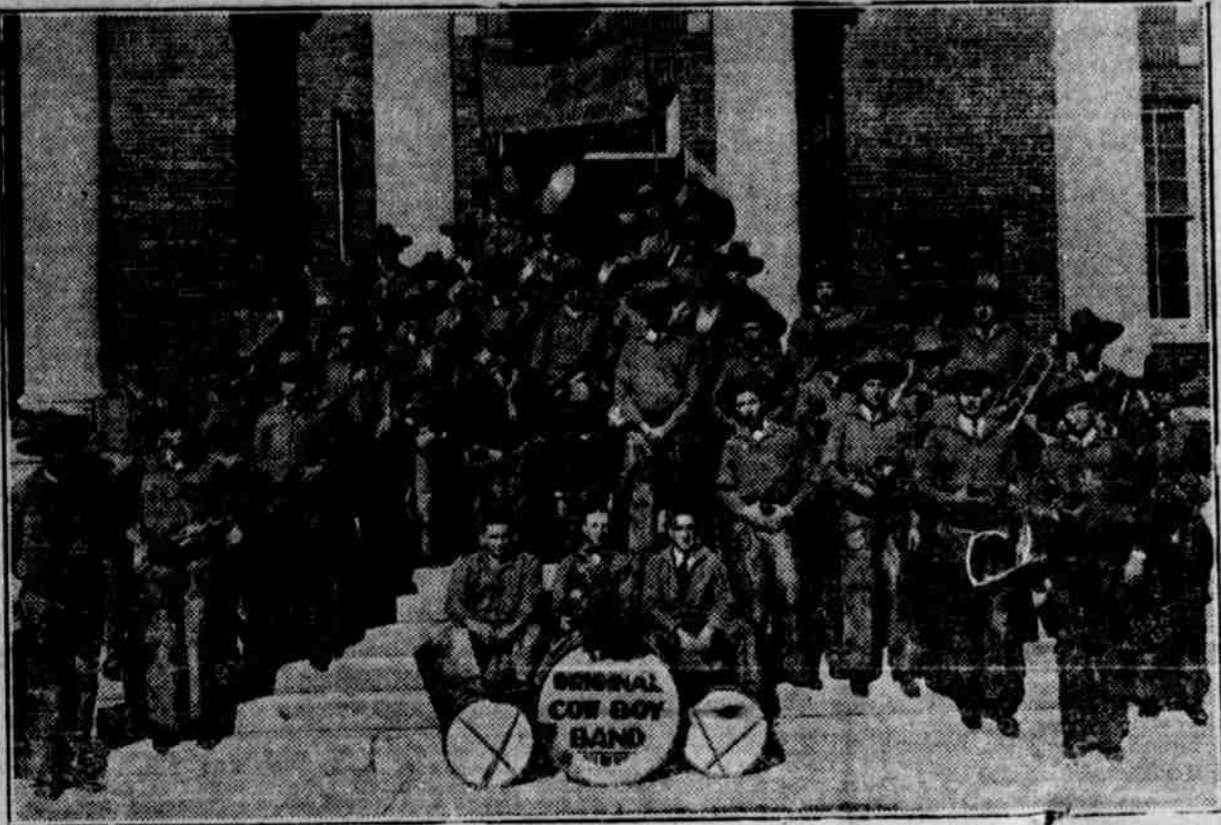
On February 22 the people of the United States of America will ob-
serve with fitting ceremony the 194th anniversary of the birth of Geo.
Washington. Reverently and with thankful hearts a hundred million
people will bow their heads in memory of a very great man whose un-
selfish devotion to an ideal made possible the building of this, the
world's greatest nation.

As is common in the history of all great nations and all great world
figures, there has been built up around the name of this great man a
fabric of tradition. How much of it is strictly true and how much the
product of the historian's embellishment, probably we will never know
with certainty. Recently a writer of national prominence has attacked
what he is pleased to call the Washington myth. The cherry tree story,
George Washington was far from being the faultless character he is
pictured. And he offers historical documents in proof thereof.

What matter? Even if these things are proven—and it is not ad-
mitted that they are—the fact remains that George Washington was
one of the world's noblest figures. That he was human; that he had
faults; that he made mistakes, as all men have done—these things are
certain. That he was unwavering in the high attributes of courage, of
honesty, of patriotism and of unflinching devotion to the unselfish
principles for which he stood—these are the things whereof were com-
pounded his immortal claim to the tribute of the ages. These are the
things that endure.

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SIMMONS UNIVERSITY COWBOY BAND APPEARING IN CONCERT FRIDAY NIGHT



This is the famous Cowboy Band of Simmons University, which will appear in concert here Friday Feb. 19th. This band has won quite a name for itself throughout the south, and is one of

the best college bands to be found anywhere. The band will present a program of varied musical numbers and novelty acts. A real treat is assured for all who hear the Cowboys.

MEYERS DEFEATS ANSON WRESTLER FRIDAY NIGHT

Lee Meyers, the Houston wrestler who defeated Buzukos in a match at the Elks Club last week, added more laurels to his reputation with Haskell sport fans when he defeated Joe Ackerman in his second appearance here last Friday night. Ackerman had a number of supporters in the audience, and the men were evenly matched. However, Meyers proved the best man, with as much science as the veteran wrestler, and after twenty-three minutes secured the first fall with an arm bar hold which Ackerman could not break. The second fall was also gained by Meyers in something like ten minutes, giving him the decision. Mr. Oshel of Knox City officiated as referee.

The match was one of the best exhibitions of scientific wrestling that has been staged here, there being no roughing at all. Both men worked hard for every hold and advantage that was gained.

In the preliminaries the bout between two local colored boys proved the most entertaining, providing plenty of laughs with their skill (?) in handling the gloves.

On Saturday night of this week the Elks are offering Mr. Meyers in another match, this time with Mr. Oshel of Knox City, a young wrestler who is said to have beaten some good men on the mat. He is the same weight as Mr. Meyers, and fans are expecting a good match.

Don't forget the Simmons University Cowboy Band at High School Auditorium, Friday night, February 19th at 8 o'clock. Proceeds for H. E. Department. Sponsored by H. E. Club.

Judge Jas. P. Kinnard has been confined to his room for the past two weeks with the flu but was able to come to town for a short while Tuesday.

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a result, there is more or less stomach disturbance. **WORMS' TASTE!** So call **TONIC** given regularly two or three times will enrich the blood, improve the digestion and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. **Worms to take. 50c per bottle.**

30TH ANNIVERSARY OF WHITE SWAN COFFEE

Can you remember when you had your first cup of White Swan coffee? Some folks in the Southwest can go back thirty years in reminiscing this delightful experience, because the Waples-Platter Grocer Company, roasters of White Swan Coffee, first placed this better coffee on the market exactly thirty years ago this season. The Waples-Platter name had then been known for nearly a quarter of a century as this Company was founded in 1872. The Company today is fifty-four years old; has twenty-two wholesale branch houses in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico; 115 traveling salesmen represent this great institution and its services to the people of the Southwest almost reach to the vast proportions of feeding the entire land.

There are more than 100 quality food products which bear the well known White Swan Label, but probably the best known product of all is White Swan Coffee, which is now enjoying its thirtieth year of successful manufacture and sale. Celebrating this anniversary the Waples-Platter Company is specializing on the sale of White Swan Coffee this season. Extensive advertising is being done here and all over the Southwest featuring the qualities of this fine coffee. Nearly every grocery store in this territory is featuring this brand of coffee in window displays and other ways to make its sale greater this year than ever. J. W. Shugart, salesmanager at Fort Worth, says regarding this special campaign: "White Swan Coffee is a practically perfect blend of the finest coffees that money can buy. Our great plants roast it with extreme care, testing each roasting expertly and minutely. It is roasted fresh daily and delivered quickly in small quantities to dealers who pass it on to discriminating homes with its absolute freshness. White Swan Coffee by actual test goes one-fourth farther than most other coffees, making it a very economical product."

R. C. Couch was back at his place in the Farmers State Bank Monday after a three weeks absence caused by an attack of appendicitis for which he underwent a successful operation. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is able to be back at his post.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Couch of this city and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Couch Jr. of Weinert left Monday morning for the Lower Rio Grande Valley in Mr. Couch's Studebaker Sedan. Mr. Couch will visit his brother Ed at Weslaco and tour the valley before his return.

UTILITIES COMPANY HOLDS OPEN HOUSE WEDNESDAY

On last Wednesday evening the West Texas Utilities held open house in the spacious rooms of the Elk's Club and entertained their many visitors with a four reel picture "West Texas Electrified," showing all properties of the company.

The whole party was one of those informal affairs staged in the good old Texas style where you all get acquainted. Representative citizens and officials were there from Rule, Rochester, Knox City, Benjamin, Crowell, Paducah and Munday, to say nothing of a large number of local citizens, including the high mayor and the city dads.

Mr. Grady Kinsolving, Traffic Manager of the West Texas Utilities Company, assumed the role of Toastmaster par-excellence. Mr. Kinsolving briefly outlined the picture showing twelve million dollars invested in West Texas serving 52 cities and towns with continuous electric service.

Mayor Hardy Grissom was introduced and delivered a short address of welcome in behalf of the city. The

mayor touched on the importance of the utilities industry to the development and progress of any community. "No city can develop or grow without this essential service so necessary to industrial, commercial and manufacturing enterprises," said Mr. Grissom. "We are proud of the West Texas Utilities Company here in Haskell and feel sure that our neighbors have the same attitude."

The entire four reels were put together in a very pleasing manner, with appropriate "catch leads" which kept the audience amused until the very last scene.

Immediately after the picture, refreshments were served by the employees of the West Texas Utilities Company and a very pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

Roy Ketron Here From Colorado.

Roy Ketron is here from Colorado Springs visiting relatives. He formerly lived in the Post community until some twenty-five years ago when he moved to Colorado and has only been here twice since.

ALEXANDER RETURNS FROM ST. LOUIS MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander returned the first of the week from St. Louis where they purchased the new spring line of merchandise for the F. G. Alexander & Sons store. Mr. Alexander states that they will have one of the most complete lines this spring they have ever shown and he anticipates a big business during the coming months.

R. V. ROBERTSON IN DALLAS MARKET THIS WEEK

R. V. Robertson left Sunday night for Dallas where he will purchase a new spring line of merchandise for R. V. Robertson Co. Mrs. Robertson accompanied him and will visit friends and relatives in Dallas and other points. They expect to return to Haskell about the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Long of Altus, Okla., were here this week visiting relatives and friends.



D. O. WILEY

Mr. Wiley is director of the Simmons University Cowboy Band, who will conduct the Cowboys in a concert here Friday night, February 19th. He has studied band conducting in Chicago, and has developed the Cowboy Band to a high state of musical efficiency.

C. A. Eiland president of the First National Bank of Munday was a Haskell visitor early last week.

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CARS WASHED AND GREASED.
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"SERVICE TO SWEAR BY—NOT AT"

Just WHY is OAKLAND

WINNING and HOLDING GOOD WILL?

Why are so many motorists everywhere so genuinely enthusiastic over this car? Why are they favoring it above all others?

Is it because the Oakland Six is more beautiful—because it possesses more advanced features, including Air Cleaner, Oil Filter, Full Pressure Oiling System, Four-Wheel Brakes and The Harmonic Balancer? Or because it reveals greater speed, power, acceleration and smoothness of performance?

Each of these features plays its part; but there is an even stronger reason for Oakland Six popularity.

Oakland combines—not just one or two of these advantages but all them—at prices surprisingly low.

OAKLAND SIX \$975 to \$1295—Pontiac Six \$825, Coupe or Coupe

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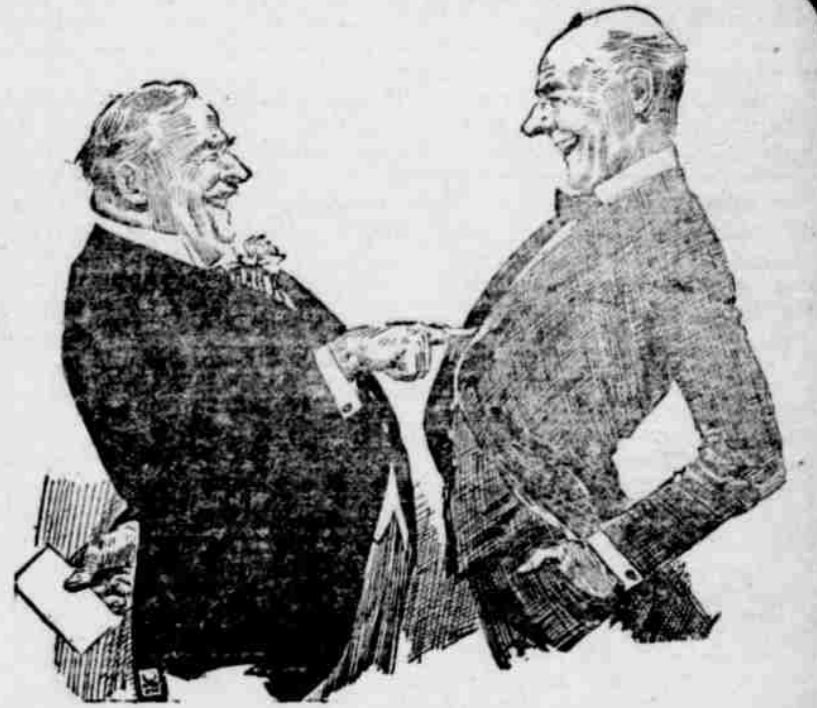
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OAKLAND SIX
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PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

WE ARE TICKLED PINK

Over the splendid business we have enjoyed since opening our store in Haskell. Our volume of business has been much larger than we expected. We appreciate the reception that has been given us by the people of Haskell County. Our low prices on groceries and our system of doing business will always be found satisfactory to the thrifty buyers.



Specials For Friday and Saturday

Bacon WILSON Sliced. 1 Lb. Boxes 43c
One to Customer. EACH.....

COFFEE White Swan, 3 lb. Bucket \$1.73
lb. Can..... 59c
(None to Merchants)

Fig Bar Cakes 1 lb. to Customer. 15c
PER POUND.....

Blackberries One to Customer. 67c
GALLON.....

MILK Armour's or White Swan. 5c
Small Size. Each.....
No limit. None to merchants.

Macaroni Spaghetti, Vermicelli, Egg Noodles. EACH 7c
No limit. None to merchants.

Just received Mushrooms, Brussels Sprouts, Plum Pudding.

We Sell Fleischmann's Yeast at 4c Each

Atkeison's Haskell



Store No. 397 Phone 332

"M" SAVES FOR THE PEOPLE IT SERVES

The reason we limit the items is to keep our competitors from buying them.

Pains Very Severe

"I suffered from womanly troubles which grew worse and worse as the months went by," says Mrs. L. H. Cantrell, of R. F. D. 3, Gainesville, Georgia.
"I frequently had very severe pains. These were so bad that I was forced to go to bed and stay there. It seemed to me my back would come in two."

CARDUI For Female Troubles

"I taught school for a while, but my health was so bad I would have to stay out sometimes. This went on till I got so bad I didn't know what to do.
"One day I read about the merits of Cardui, and as I had some friends who had been helped by it, I thought I would try it. I began to get better after I had taken half a bottle. I decided to keep on and give it a thorough trial and I did. I took in all about 12 bottles and now I am perfectly well. I do not suffer any pain and can do all my housework."
At All Drugstores

Wants

Hear Simmons University Cowboy Band, Friday night, February 19th at 8 o'clock in High School Auditorium.

FOR TRADE—First Class Brick Hotel and furniture, 22 bed rooms, 3 store rooms, office rooms, situated in good town in Central Texas on Santa Fe railroad, on Bankhead highway, price \$35,000.00, will trade for good land in Haskell county or Northwest Texas. Come and see me or write me what you have to trade. P. D. Sanders, Haskell Texas. tfc.

STOLEN—1 Firestone balloon casing off of 1925 Ford, \$10.00 reward for returning same. R. S. Johnson, care of Pinkerton Tin Shop. 1tc.

We will pay \$35.00 per ton delivered our warehouse in Haskell for prime cotton seed and will buy snapped and balle seed according to grade. R. H. Davis, Manager, for Rule-Jayton Cotton Oil Mill Company Haskell, Phone 32. Residence Phone 331. tfc.

WE REPRESENT the best loan in America. A favorable loan at 6 per cent. No stock to buy. See Leflar & Brown. tfc.

BUFF ORPINGTON'S good stock baby chicks to hatch Feb. 22, 26, Mar. 7. 15c each. Mrs. Y. L. Thomason, 1p.

ABSTRACTS
We will make you first class abstracts of land titles on the day we get your order or as soon as the abstracts can be made, will accommodate you as soon as possible.
SANDERS & WILSON tfc.

I will deliver milk in the city each day as usual to all my customers and would appreciate the patronage of all who would like to have milk delivered to their home from a select herd of excellent cows now running on wheat pasture and well fed and cared for. Try our milk and service. J. F. Pinkerton Phone 105 or 143. tfc.

FOR LEASE—About 90 acres of land with 8 acres grubbed out, the remainder to be grubbed. A 4-room house and barn on place. See Emory Anderson, T. L. Atchison farm. 1p.

FOR RENT—Five room house, well located. See Pinkerton & Koonce. tfc.

FOR TRADE—168 acres of land 5 miles west of Ballenger to trade for Haskell property. See T. G. Carney O'Brien Texas. tfc.

MUNDAY HATCHERY—Munday Texas. Custom Hatching, Baby Chicks, Poultry Feed and Supplies. W. C. Bevers Manager. tfc.

NEW FORD TOURING—For Sale never been run, see us at once. Tonn Oates Company. tfc.

Custom Hatching.
I am now operating my mammoth incubator and will take eggs each Monday through hatching season. \$3.00 per hundred. See me for dates. Opposite East Ward school building. Phone 287. Crawford Hatchery, Haskell. 5 tfc.

FOR SALE—2 mules, wagon, harness, and implements for \$300.00. See G. D. Payne. tfc.

FOR SALE—Bundle Higarra and sorghum. Price right. R. A. Bradley McKnight farm. tfc.

LOTS FOR SALE!
Desirable building lots for sale. V. W. Meadors. 6-3p.

NOTICE TO TRAPPERS.
I take this means of notifying those who are trapping for furs in this and adjoining counties that the trapping season closes February 15th.
A. J. LEWIS, Game Warden. 6-3p.

WELL CURB—I am still making concrete well curbing. I have a big supply on hand. N. R. Turpin, Rochester, Texas. 5-4p.

FOR SALE—Cheap lots for sale in west part of town. See R. F. Pittman. 7-4tp.

FOR SALE—Two Buckeye Brooder stoves complete ready for use, 1500 chick capacity. Roy W. Neal. 7-2tc.

FOR SALE—Bright haled oats. See Chas. Parsons at English Motor Co. Haskell. 7-2tp.

FOR SALE—My residence three and one-half blocks northeast of square. Will sell cheap, take a good Ford car in as part payment. See me at R. V. Robertson Co. G. M. Williams. 7-2c.

DARK CORNISH EGGS—From my prize winners. Pen no. 1 \$3.50 per 15. Pen no. 2 \$2.50 per 15. From the yard flock \$1.50 per 15. Breed for meat and quality instead of fuss and feathers. Two-third hatch guaranteed. Write me your wants. Joe F. Hadspeth, Rochester Texas. 8-4tc.

Miniature Roses, 15 cents. Mrs. Crawford, Florist. 1tc.

FOR SALE—Overland Car for sale good condition, good tires. Would consider good trade. W. B. Vaughn. 2tc.

WANTED—Plain sewing to do. Mrs. Ned Roberts. 1p.

POST

(By Mrs. W. W. Griffin)

The health of the community is not so good at this writing.

Miss Bessie Singleton is real sick with pneumonia at this writing.

Misses Ethel and Clara Childress and their brother Charlie of Midway visited in the W. T. West home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Overton and baby Ervin are in San Angelo visiting Mrs. Overton's sister, Mrs. Otta Wilson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Middlebrooks and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Griffin visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Middlebrook of west of Stamford Sunday afternoon.

Several attended the basket ball games played at Center Point Friday afternoon from this community. Post girls played Plainview girls and won, but the Post boys lost to the Sayles boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Middlebrook of Stamford attended church at this place Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brimberry entertained the young folks with a party Friday evening. Quite a few were present and reported a jolly good time.

Rev. Sam Malone preached here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. The Women's Missionary Society met with Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop and family are here from Crosbyton visiting Mrs. Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Davis. Mr. Bishop formerly lived in the Howard community until recently moved to Crosbyton.

McCONNELL

(By Valentine Bland)

There was a large crowd at Sunday School Sunday afternoon. Rev. Malone of Abilene brought a wonderful message. Also Rev. Jenkins, pastor of the Center View church. Rev. Tucker pastor of Post church and Rev. Read, our county missionary were there. We invite everyone to come next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson of the Sayles community attended Sunday School and church here Sunday afternoon. We invite them back again.

Miss Golda Mae Chapman who is working in Abilene spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones of Stamford spent Sunday afternoon with the latter's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Simon and family.

Mr. Tim Kingston with his family left Tuesday for Cross Cut near Brownwood where they will make their home. Mr. M. L. Jones and family moved to the place formerly occupied by Mr. Kingston.

NOTICE—Please see and examine the beautiful Yellow Cab Truck we have just sold to Mr. G. B. Fields of Haskell. Of course you know the General Motors Co. has bought the entire factories and business of the Yellow Cab Co. Therefore we are now in a position to sell you anything in used trucks from a \$175 Ford and most any other make and the Yellow Cab or G. M. C. Truck from \$1,000 to above \$5,000 and since we have added the Pontiac Six to our Oakland line we are in a position to deliver you on short notice, the best automobile for the money you can buy today. Carney Motor Co. Agents. 1tc.

FORD TOURING CAR—For sale never been run, balloon tires. Same car you would buy from dealer. Will sell \$25.00 under list price. See Free Press.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish we had words to express our appreciation for the many deeds of kindness shown us, during the illness and death of our precious daughter and sister Winnie Mae, and for the beautiful flowers, and the words of consolation. May the God of heaven bless them all as we never will be able to express our appreciation as fully as we would love to.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen and family

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF TRADE MARK

The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

Know All Men By These Presents: That I, J. M. Woodson, engaged in the dairying business, and in the distribution and sale of milk, requiring the use of bottles, have filed in the office of the County Clerk of Haskell County, Texas, in which county I expect to conduct said business, the following fac-simile and description of my trade mark, name, and design used by me in my said business for advertising purposes, as required by law, to-wit:



Moulded or stamped on the bottle. And I hereby cause this notice to be published in the Haskell Free Press, a public newspaper, published in said Haskell county for three successive weeks; and to protect my rights in the above trade mark, I shall take such steps as the law directs to prevent the unlawful use of such trade mark, or bottles bearing the same.

Witness my hand at Haskell, Texas, this 1st day of February, A. D. 1926.
J. M. Woodson, Proprietor Haskell Jersey Dairy.

HOWARD

(By Mrs. Ollie Gilleland)

The farmers are still busy putting up their land, and some are sowing grain.

The health of this community is very good at this writing.

The party given by Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Medford Thursday night was enjoyed by all who were present.

The Valentine party which was given at the school house by the Calico Cats Society Friday afternoon was enjoyed by both societies, and the visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Covey, teachers of the Howard school, visited in the Midway community Thursday night.

Mrs. John Anderson of the Post community visited in the home of Mrs. Sid Medford Thursday.

Hear Simmons University Cowboy Band, Friday night, February 19th at 8 o'clock in High School Auditorium.

No. 3530 Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, on the 5th day of February 1926, by Estelle Tennyson Clerk of said Court against W. E. Fly and Florence Tilman Fly for the sum of one hundred thirty-seven and 50/100 dollars (\$137.50) and cost of suit, in cause No. 3530 in said Court styled Weirnet Independent School District versus W. E. Fly and Florence Tilman Fly and placed in my hands for service, I, J. C. Turnbow as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did, on the 11th day of February 1926 levy on certain real estate, situated in Haskell County, described as follows, to-wit: 317 acres a part of Sur. 141, Abst. 374, Cert. 28-1999 out blk. 45 of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land located in Haskell County, Texas, and being the same land owned by the defendants at the time of said judgement and levied upon as the property of said W. E. Fly and Florence Tilman Fly and on Tuesday the 6th day of April 1926 at the Court House door of Haskell Co., in the city of Haskell, Tex., between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said land at public venue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. E. Fly and Florence Tilman Fly by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Haskell Free Press a newspaper published in Haskell County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of February 1926.
J. C. TURNBOW, Sheriff Haskell, County Texas.

No. 3627 Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, on the 5th day of February 1926, by Estelle Tennyson Clerk of said Court against Jim Speck for the sum of Forty-eight and 89/100 dollars, (\$48.89) and costs of suit, in cause No. 3627 in

said Court, styled Rochester Independent School District versus Jim Speck and placed in my hands for service, I, J. C. Turnbow as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 11th day of February 1926 levy on certain real estate, situated in Haskell County, described as follows, to-wit: 160 acres of land known as subdivision 27 out of survey 78 of the Wise County School land in Haskell County, Texas and levied as the property of said Jim Speck and on Tuesday, the 6th day of April 1926, at the court house door of Haskell County, in the city of Haskell Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said land at public venue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Jim Speck by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Haskell Free Press a newspaper published in Haskell County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of February 1926.
J. C. TURNBOW, Sheriff Haskell, County Texas.

Citation on Application for Probate of Will—Writ

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Haskell County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas To all persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Roberts deceased, J. H. Roberts has filed in the County Court of Haskell County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Mary E. Roberts deceased filed with said application, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in March A. D. 1926, the same being the 1st day of March A. D. 1926 at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court in Haskell Texas, this 3rd day of February A. D. 1926. (Seal) Emory Mensefe, Clerk County Court Haskell County Texas.

No. 3665 Notice of Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Haskell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, of the 23rd day of January 1926, by Estelle Tennyson, Clerk of said Court for the sum of \$851.81 and costs of suit under a judgment in favor of H. E. Fields in a certain cause in said court No. 3665 and styled H. E. Fields

vs. J. D. Kinnison and S. A. Kinnison placed in my hands for service, I, J. C. Turnbow as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 23rd day of January 1926 levy on certain real estate situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land in Haskell County, Texas, being the S. E. 1/4 of a 20 acre tract known as subdivision No. 32 of Section 20 of H. & T. C. R. R. Co. survey, containing 5 acres of land and being the same land described in Volume 32 at page 51 of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas, same being a deed from B. O. Baker to J. D. Kinnison as shown by the record of said deed and levied upon as the property of J. D. Kinnison and S. A. Kinnison, and that

on the first Tuesday in March, 1926, the same being the 2nd. day of said month at the court house door of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy, and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described real estate at public venue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of J. D. Kinnison and S. A. Kinnison.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper published in Haskell county. Witness my hand this 23rd day of January, 1926.
J. C. TURNBOW, Sheriff Haskell Co., Texas. 5-4c

FARM LOANS

LAND OWNERS who have land-loans maturing or who need farm loans for any purpose should consult me for full information about the plan I am offering.

I MAKE 6 PER CENT LOANS AT 6 INTEREST

I am in position to have inspections of land made promptly and to close loans quickly, without red tape or troublesome delays. AMPLE FUNDS ON HAND. NO COMMISSION CHARGED. Information and assistance given without charge or obligation.

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Jas. P. Kinnard

Attorney-At-Law Office in Pierson Building Haskell, Texas

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JONES & SON

Pumps, Windmills, etc. and Eight Foot Wheels, also repairs ordered. Tanks, Stock Tubs, Gutter for your house. See us, we will take care of your water problem.

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HASKELL NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION

Marvin H. Post, Secy.-Treas. Over Payne Drug Store



BUY THE BEST SEEDS FOR BETTER PRODUCE

It's worth more money to you to pay for the best Seeds in February and March than to find out your mistake too late in August.

In this store you will find the best grades of Seeds for gardens at reasonable prices. Quality is a certainty here.

Lessen your labor this year with new and efficient garden equipment. This store carries a wide variety of good tools and machinery. Come in and look us over.

McCOLLUM ELLIS & COUCH



"Well, George, here it is -!"

EVERY TOWN needs more folks like the George Middletons. Surely they have learned the secret of contentment! And their plan is so sensible and easily adopted that very few words will make it yours—

First, the Middletons operate their household on a budget. They have a definite sum of money for each department of expense.

Secondly, [and this is more important], they invest their funds carefully and wisely. Mrs. Middleton is buyer for the firm — and a mighty good one.

Mrs. Middleton is a good buyer because she knows what to buy, when to buy and where to buy. There is never any doubt in her mind.

Perhaps you have guessed the reason: Mrs. Middleton reads the ads in the newspaper, and does her weekly buying according to their advice.

That's why she so often finds opportunity to greet George with a new dress, or another piece of furniture, or a substantial deposit for their savings account.

Because she studies the ads, this lady makes their income buy more happiness. YOU can do the same with yours!

B. G. D. ENDORSES CITY HALL AND BOY SCOUT MOVEMENTS

The regular meeting of the Board of City Development, held Thursday evening, the 11th, disposed of many committee matters and took up new business of value.

The Schools and Colleges Committee, H. D. Neff, Chairman, reported inspection of schools by a representative from the State Fire Marshall's Department, Austin. Compliments were accorded the schools for their teaching of Fire Prevention and the fire drill in practice. This committee will meet again soon and discuss details looking to vital local development in connection with city schools and their needs.

The Industrial Committee, W. O. Wallace, chairman, reported some interest being found in the oil mill project. It is felt that this undertaking is not to be considered impossible and every channel will be followed suggesting interesting some one in the plant or erection of a new one.

Conventions and Entertainments committee, C. V. Payne, Chairman; reported details for the entertainment and presentation of the address to be delivered here by Hon. R. Q. Lee, President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, February 18th, at 1:30 o'clock were given. The Lee party and a few local representatives will lunch with Haskell's guests, at noon, then meet with Rural and town folks at the court house to hear Mr. Lee. A committee composed of M. H. Post and Hill Oates will discuss with the business men the plan of closing their places of business from 1:30 until Mr. Lee concludes his address, about one hour, in order to permit business men and their assistants attending the speaking.

Roads and Highway Committee; O. E. Patterson, chairman; reported details looking to the taking over of Highway 107 by the Texas Highway Commission, well in hand and a favorable report looked forward to by the District Engineer following his inspection at an early date.

In this connection, the body voted to extend to Mr. Wayne Perry, County Road Supervisor for the Texas Highway Commission their thanks and due appreciation for the work he was doing on the highways leading into Haskell. Manager Clifford was instructed to advise Mr. Perry accordingly. City Secretary M. H. Post presented a plan in connection with the proposed City Hall and Fire Station program, asking the Board of City Development to amend their original plan of building a Fire Station only. It is proposed, according to Mr. Post, to vote a bond issue when the municipal election is held in April. Enough bonds to be voted to take care of the building of a Fire Station and City Hall. This to extend the debt but not cause any increase in the tax rate nor advance in valuations.

The need of the fire station was stressed by board members. The body discussed the plan carefully, then voted their endorsement of the amended program to include a City Hall with the Fire Station plan and get behind the election and see it thru on election day. It is thought the housing of the fire department would secure a reduction in the Fire Insurance Key rate. This would be presented the State Fire Insurance Commissioner for a ruling.

Chairman O. E. Patterson, of the Boy Scout Council reported on the meeting held recently with other representatives at Stamford and Abilene, and asked an expression from the body in co-operation with the local Executive Committee for the Council, in establish the Boy Scout movement here.

A motion prevailed extending hearty co-operation and assuring Mr. Patterson he could expect the co-operation of the organization.

Chairman O. E. Patterson, of the Roads and Highway Committee supplemented his former report on the subject by reporting his committee at work on a program to locate a road from Haskell into the Cobb community. He expected to be in position to make a report in the near future suggesting the plan was assured. He will meet with the Commissioners Court at a later date and complete details now in hand, he stated.

The Manager's report included an endorsement of Industrial week to be observed March 22 to 27th; a program would be given local merchants in due time with the view of securing their co-operation.

Reporting for the Band Committee Manager Clifford gave a brief report stating the band had organized and had the suggestion presented by Chairman Sanders, under advisement and would report back to the Band Committee after their weekly meeting to be held Monday February 15th.

For the Rural Activities Committee it was reported County Agent W. P. Trice, a member of the committee was now making a survey among rural folks soliciting their co-operation in connection with a Hog Importing Campaign. This action was taken following a conference with Col. C. C. French Industrial Agent for the Fort Worth Stock Yards Co., Mr. Trice and Manager Clifford.

The Manager's office reported 22 photographs of Haskell properties and scenes furnished Messrs Douglas & Mitchell of Wichita Falls, contractors under the present sewer plan, for their use in disposing of the warrants of the City of Haskell when offering it to bond buyers, substantiating the value, etc.

Manager Clifford reported another session of the Committee and temporary chairman from the business men looking to an organization of the Haskell Merchants Assn. having been held and details being completed for an early completion of that committee.

tion here. The Public Relations Department was shown as having served two auto owners in connection with the return of Automobile License Plates: No. 258-279 was traced to Dickens County. The owner was found to be Mrs. R. D. Boughman. Mrs. Boughman was adviser and plate mailed to her. Later it was found that Mrs. Boughman was a resident of Haskell. She thanked the Board of City Development for the kindness and courtesy and stated she was just getting ready to apply to the Tax Collector for a new license plate. License plate No. 447,173 was also returned, the owner being R. J. Reynolds, Haskell.

Both plates were found in the street in Haskell and would have been damaged and thrown aside but for the request made recently by the Public Relations Service Department of the Board of City Development to deliver to that office or advise where the license plate or plates might be called for by a representative from the department.

"Service with a Smile" prevails in the Public Relations Service Department, stated Manager Clifford, also, he said, "No Trouble to Answer Questions" prevails in the Information Department. It was also reported that 500 invitations had been issued rural citizens and their families in connection with the address of Hon. R. Q. Lee, President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, through the mailing of 500 booklets sent out by the Payne Drug Co., monthly, inclosing the invitation and furnishing the labor necessary. The Payne Drug Co. furnishing postage and booklet and the Manager's office furnishing the invitation. A saving of approximately \$20.00 for the Board of City Development, it was shown.

It was reported that business men were co-operating with the Manager's office in checking peddlers and solicitors and handling of charity cases. Several matters in this connection were reported carried out and satisfactory disposal thereof experienced. Adjournment was taken at a late hour, subject to the call of the proper officer, until next regular session February 25th.

DEATHS

The Death of Rev. J. M. Warnick
The hearts of our people go out in tenderest sympathy to Mrs. J. M. Warnick and children in the Routon community who mourn the death of their husband and father and grandfather who was 68 years and 29 days old when the end came. He had been ill for several weeks after being thrown from a plow while plowing and later took pneumonia. He was born in Warrensburg Johnson Co. Mo. on Jan. 3, 1858 and died Feb. 11, 1926 at his home in the Routon community.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at 3:30 Thursday afternoon by Rev. Pickens of Weiner and Bro. Ewing of Brushy after which the remains were laid to rest in the Routon cemetery.

Bro. Warnick was a faithful member of the Methodist church, and he began preaching at the age of 23 years and has been found at his post of duty in leading lost souls to Christ. He is survived by wife and seven children who were at his bedside when the end came.

He was loved by all who knew him

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and will be missed very much at home and helping in church work he was always preaching to the lost and trying to win souls instead of leading them astray.

May he who alone can pour happiness into wounded hearts sustain the stricken loved ones in their dark hour of sorrow.

Baby Dies

The little infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hise of the Howard community died Wednesday February the 10th at 6 a. m. The little one only came for a short stay with its fond parents but like a lovely flower which blooms and fades all-too soon, but leaves the sweet fragrance of its being in the minds and hearts of those who love it so dearly. It was only a baby's face that plays it quiet music on the heart strings, but will live in sweet memory to bless the lives of those who knew it so briefly, but loved it so dearly. The funeral was held at the residence that afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. W. H. Albertson pastor of the First Baptist church of this city after which its little form was carried to Howard Cemetery and given burial. The bereaved loved ones have the loving sympathy of all their friends and neighbors.

Midway On a Boom

Midway one of the widest awake communities of Haskell County, has been enjoying a big boom. Although the illness in the community has slacken the field of activity to a certain extent, the spirit still prevails.

In the first place the Parent Teachers Association is a live active organization that helps to boost the community. The meetings are held twice a month, in which programs are alternated between business and social meetings. On the last program, which was a musical program, Rule Band furnished some excellent music in addition to that furnished by our local talent. Refreshments were served to about seventy-five people.

Then the rivalry between the Cannon Ball and Snapshot Literary societies is the keenest that the pupils have ever

known. One or the other is continually challenging for various things. Last week the girls of the Cannon-Balls played the girls of the Snapshot in basket ball and won with a score of 12 to 7. Also the contests among the grades are very inspiring. Miss Leon's and Miss Hobson's rooms are staging a contest for cleanliness in their health classes. Miss Welsh's room has just ended a contest for cleanliness among the two grades.

A very pretty social affair was the dinner party given by Mrs. Virgil Bailey honoring the teachers. The house was artistically decorated with hyacinths and narcissus. After a chicken dinner a few friends came in and games were played until a late hour. The teachers declared it a most enjoyable evening.

The next meeting of the Parent Teachers Association will be Monday evening, February 22, and a Washington program will be rendered.

Valentine Party a Success

Midway was a scene of great merry making Friday night of last week, when the Snapshot Literary society entertained the Cannon Balls with a valentine party. The color scheme of red and white was artistically carried out in both decorations and refreshments. The draped crepe paper with the cleverly arranged hearts cast the spirit of valentine.

Many different games and contests were enjoyed by all, prizes being

awarded to the winning sides. After a promenade, which started from the main entrance and led about the surrounding vicinity, the guests were greeted at a side entrance by the valentine maids who presented a delicious ice course accompanied by favors of cupid's darts.

At a late hour the guest departed expressing their gratitude to the Snapshots for their royal entertainments.

Cannon-Balls Defeat Snapshots

On last Wednesday evening the Cannon-Ball girls and Snapshot girls played a real interesting ball game. The Cannon-Balls defeated them by a score of 12 to 7. The Snapshots took it with pleasure as the Cannon-Balls gave their yell.

Basket Ball Teams Meet at Center Point.

The following rural schools were represented at Center Point Friday afternoon: Post, Sayles, Plainview, and McConnell, where several games of in-

teresting basket ball were played. First, Sayles and Post boys played in a game ending in the Sayles boys' favor. Next Plainview and Center Point boys played, the score being in Center Point's favor. Then while the Sayles and Center Point boys rested for the final game Post girls defeated

Plainview by a large score, and last but not least Center Point won over the Sayles boys by a good score. All the games were refereed by Mr. J. Luther Watson of Rule.

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We regret very much that some few of our correspondents have not fully understood our directions regarding the sending in of neighbors visiting other neighbors in the same community. This kind of news is not published by the Free Press any more and when you find an article left out of your letter it is believed by the editor to be one neighbor visiting another in the same community. If we published every visit where neighbors visit neighbors with but large number of correspondents writing for us we would not have room for the real news items that are worth while. We are aware that some papers publish this class of news, but the Free Press wants better class of news and most of our correspondents have learned this and their item of news are well written and never have to be changed or one item cut out. Watch this carefully and mention every time the community in which the folks live that you are sending in their names. Do not write a local of "Mrs. John Doe spent the evening with Mrs. Jones" in the same community. But if any one from another community, town or state visits your section that is a news item, and give the name, place of residence and whom they are visiting. Help us make the Free Press the paper that you will appreciate with a

good letter well written each week. Send your letters early, not later than Monday, if possible. Thank you for your faithful services and the good letters you are sending in.

HASKELL DENTIST RETURNS FROM CLINIC AT DALLAS

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith of this city returned Friday from Dallas where the doctor attended the clinic of the Dallas County Dental Society which was held the first three days of last week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. He reports a splendid meeting, and many vital things to the profession were discussed during the meeting. They drove to and from Dallas in their Hupmobile, reporting a delightful trip and fine weather.

ADOLPHUS FILLING STATION UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Fouts & Dotson have sold their lease on the Adolphus Filling Station west of the square to Sorrell & Neatherton, who took charge of the place last Wednesday February 10th, and will continue the business with the same courtesy and good service which the public have always received from this station.

T. J. Reid and two sons of Weinert were Haskell visitors Friday morning.

Church and Sunday School

Methodist Church Sunday
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
There is a class to suit every one and you are welcome.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
The subject for the morning will be "God's Diploma" or the G. M. degree.
At the evening hour the subject will be "The Golden Age."
Senior League will be at 6:45 p. m.
We will be glad to see you at all these services.

W. B. Vaughn, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday February 21, 1926.
Sunday School begins at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service will begin at eleven o'clock; sermon by the past pastor.

The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 p. m.
The evening services will begin at 7:30.

The public is cordially invited to attend all services at this church.

First Baptist Church

All services next Sunday will be at the usual hours. The sermon subject for Sunday morning will be, The Fourth Commandment Remember the Sabbath Day, To Keep It Holy. The evening subject will be, The Climax of Love. Both of these discussions will deal with religion in its relation to modern life.

Sunday morning Miss Mae Free will sing a solo, "Jesus is All I Need." She has a good voice and knows how to bring a message in song. Sunday evening the Male Quartet will sing. Both of these special numbers will be worth hearing, and will bring a blessing. You are always welcome.

Remember the Cowboy Band at the High School Auditorium Friday night at Eight o'clock.

W. H. Albertson, Pastor.

All Day Services at Roberts Sunday

We are requested to announce all day services at Roberts Baptist church next Sunday February 21, in which the dedication of the church will take place and a suitable program will be arranged. A good service is expected and all are invited to come.

Christian Endeavor Program

Topic—Transformed Lives.
Leader—Johnnie Solomon.
Scripture reading—Acts 9:1-20.
Song Service—Numbers, 143, 125 and 147.
Leader's talk.
Transformed lives as seen in John, Zacchaeus, Peter, Paul—Rachel Solomon.
Prayer.
Result of transformation: Weakness becomes strength—Bill Clifford.
2. Worry becomes peace—Lewis Pearsey.
3. Sorrow becomes joy—Minnie Linville.
Special music—Mary Sue Hester.
Business.
Song.
Mizpah.

DAUGHTER OF W. C. ALLEN BURIED AT JUD SUNDAY

The funeral of Miss Winnie Allen was held at the First Baptist church in this city Sunday at 1:30 p. m. by Rev. I. N. Alvis assisted by the pastor Rev. W. H. Albertson, after which her remains were carried to the Jud cemetery and laid to rest in the family lot beside her mother who had preceded her in death a number of years. This lovely young woman passed away at the home of her Father Crawford Allen at Abilene Saturday afternoon February 13th at 1 o'clock after a lingering illness of more than two years, during which every thing was done for her that Medical skill and human hand could do, but to no avail and her sweet young life went from earth to the home beyond this veil of tears where parting will be known no more.

She was in her 19th year when the end came. She was converted five years ago and united with the Baptist Church and has lived a beautiful Christian life since the day of her glorious conversion. She was born and reared in Haskell County and had only lived in Abilene a few months. She was gentle and sweet in her disposition and was a favorite with all who knew her and many hearts are made sad because of her passing. She is survived by her father and a number of brothers and sisters and other relatives. To these bereaved one our people give their tenderest sympathy.

HASKELL LADY UNDERGOES OPERATION AT FORT WORTH

Mrs. H. B. Lancaster of this city underwent an operation at the Harris Sanitarium at Fort Worth last Saturday February 13th and on last report she was doing nicely. Her many friends will be glad when she is able to return home.

To Stop a Cough Quick take HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup. The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough. Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 50c. Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

SCREEN PLAY IS BASED ON NOVEL THEME

Struggles of Small Town Pastor to provide subject for Fox Drama February 25th and 26th.

No matter what the individual opinion may be regarding the philosophy of "Thank You," the John Ford production of John Golden's play hit by Winchell Smith and Tom Cushing, which opens at the Haskell Theatre February 25th. The novel and sympathetic presentation of the theme makes a powerful appeal to head and heart. Through the compelling force of artistic excellence the William Fox cast and producer have given us a photoplay that enlists the support of the thinking public.

It is only fair to say that "Thank You" will rank among the best pictures that come to the screen this season. The story deals with unequal struggles of Rev. David Lee, pastor of a village congregation, whose sacrifices for his flock are repaid with ingratitude.

In lieu of the clergyman's appeal for the bread of a living wage, he is given a stone in the form of contributions of

food from the parishioners. His cross is made heavier through the complications of a love affair of his niece, who returns from Paris to make a home for him, and the wayward son of an aristocratic family.

Gossip circulates slanderous tales about the niece and her worldly lover which culminates in a demand for the minister's resignation when he refuses to turn the girl from his door.

The shock of the inhuman attitude of his fellow Christians nearly breaks the minister's heart. He is stricken in the pulpit while praying alone for forgiveness for his misguided persecutors.

Meanwhile the charm and courage of his niece has won the support of her lover's father, who champions the cause of the minister. He routs the opposition in a stormy interview with the vestrymen and forces common sense and tolerance to return to its proper place in human affairs. Love also celebrates its triumph in its peculiar way.

George O'Brien the leading man, gives a finished performance as Kenneth Jamieson, the wayward son, and Jacqueline Logan's charm was never shown to better advantage than as

Diane, the minister's niece. J. Farrell MacDonald gets all the humor out of the character of Andy, the village reformed drunkard, while the virile acting of George Fawcett as the wealthy champion of the minister's cause injects a striking note of action.

Alec Francis portrays the abused minister with sympathetic tenderness and a convincing appeal to the practical charity of all professors of Christianity. Others in the cast deserving of commendation for their clean cut portrayal of characters indigenous to every community are Marion Harlan, Cyril Chadwick, Francis Powers, Vivian Ogden, Mark Fenton and Frankie Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Duncan of this city returned from an extended tour of the south plains recently. Mr. Duncan reports meeting with some old time friends on the trip and enjoyed the visit to the plains very much.

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RULE MAN CALLING ON BUSINESS MEN FOR COLD CHECKS

J. L. Smith of Rule was in the city Tuesday calling on the merchants for all the bad checks they had saved up from their bad check artists. He is making that his business and according to his statement he is making a success. His method is first to give them a chance and then if they fail to heed it he uses the arm of the law to bring them to time. According to his report he was loading for bear from the Haskell business men and we are listening for the report of his cannon in a short time.

BUILDS NEW HOME IN WEST PART OF TOWN

Tommie Holland of the Gholson Grocery is now erecting a new home a few blocks west of the square and it is being rushed to completion as rapidly as possible. It will be a modern bungalow 5 rooms and bath with porch furnishings beautifully designed.

Dorsey Rogers of Lamesa is visiting his brother Joe Rogers of the M. store this week.

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