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A Few Days Left

and our sale passes on as the greatest sale ever held in this or any other section of the country.

If you have not been to this sale, you had better come now, if you have been COME AGAIN AND AGAIN, and we will show you some new bargains ever time you do come.

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SENIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Leader—Ernest Brewer.
Subject—Mission Study Rally Day.
Scripture Lesson—John 14 12, Acts 1 8.
Opening—Song and Prayer.
Psalm for responsive reading, 119 1-32.
Paper—Modern Progress of Missions; Miss Lochie Sprowls.
Where do we Need Missions Most?—Mr. Hester.
Solo—Miss Lola Wallis.
Paper—What Can the League do for Missions?—Miss Lorenz Graham.
Reading—What Then is Our Need?—Harlan Hester.
Open discussion of lesson.
Song and benediction.

SLIGHTLY COLDER WITH SNOW.

When you see that kind of a weather forecast you know that rheumatism weather is at hand. Get ready for it now by getting a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing made for rheumatism, chilblains, frost bite, sore and stiff joints and muscles, all aches and pains. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Sold by Terrells Drug Store.

Mr. N. L. Newsom of Munday was in Haskell Tuesday. He is one of the oldest settlers in this section, having been in the country where Munday now is for the past twenty years.

Mr. W. E. Baker of Stamford visited our city Tuesday.

CONFIDENCE AND POWER

Come to the man who carries a bank account in the Farmers National Bank.

Confidence, because he knows two things, first that his balance enables him to face all the ordinary vicissitudes of life without humiliating experiences, and second, that if for any reason he needs additional funds, that same balance will have insured him the most favorable possible consideration of his needs by the bank.

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HASKELL, - TEXAS.

CITATION.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon James Lake and the unknown heirs of James Lake deceased, whose names are unknown by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell county, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, on the 4th Monday in November, A. D., 1907, the same being the 25th day of November, A. D., 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 12th day of September, A. D., 1907, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 44, wherein Una L. Foster and S. J. Murray are plaintiffs, and James Lake and the unknown heirs of James Lake deceased, whose names are unknown, are defendants, and said petition alleging "that on the first day of January, 1907, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of a certain tract of land hereinafter described situated in the county of Haskell holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid, Defendants, James Lake and the unknown heirs of James Lake deceased, whose names are unknown, entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and wrongfully withhold from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damages eight thousand dollars.

That the premises so entered upon and wrongfully withheld by defendants from plaintiffs are bounded and described as follows—all that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Haskell county, Texas, and being 200 acres of land known as subdivision No. 4 of the Edward W. Taylor 1280 acre survey No. 54, abstract No. 393, certificate No. 9172 and patented to Joseph Kopman assignee of said Taylor on December 5, 1857 by patent No. 408, Vol. 8, said subdivision No. 4 of said Taylor survey described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit: Beginning at S W corner of subdivision No. 3, on the S B line of said Ed W. Taylor survey 1023; vrs. West of its original S E corner for S E corner of this 200 acre tract. Thence north 1250 vrs. to a stake for N E corner, thence W. 903 vrs. to a stake for N W corner on E B line of sub. No. 1 of this E. W. Taylor survey and S W corner of sub. No. 2. Thence south 1250 vrs. to a stake for S. W. Cor. on E. B. line of original E. W. Taylor survey and S E corner of said sub. No. 1. Thence east 903 vrs. to the place of beginning.

And plaintiffs further shows that the annual rent of said premises is of the value five hundred dollars.

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited to answer this petition, and that they have judgment for the restitution of the above described premises; for their damages, for costs of this suit and for general relief in the premises.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. W. Meadors, Clerk of

the District court of Haskell county. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 12th day of September, A. D., 1907.

J. W. MEADORS, Clerk,
District Court, Haskell County.



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JUNIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Leader—Fowler Perry.
Subject—The Sabbath Day; Ex. 20 8-11.

Key Text—Blessed is the Man That Keepeth the Sabbath From Profaning it.

Opening—Song and Prayer.
Psalm for responsive reading, 119 33-43.

1st Topic—Frankie Alexander.
2nd Topic—Doreas Fox.
Solo—Harlan Hester.

Recitation—Nina Morris.
Reading—Zelma Ferguson.
3rd Topic—Ola Sprowles.
4th Topic—Ruby Smith.

Duet—Jessie Martin and Carrie Morrison.

Recitation—A Little Pilgrim; Ruth Hester.

Lesson Story—Guy Brewer.
Bible questions, song and benediction.

The Baptist ladies will give a Goose Party in connection with their luncheon during the fair. All the children are invited to bring a nickle and see the Goose swallow it and give them a present.

FIRE IN HASKELL

THREE BUSINESS HOUSES BURNED
Insurance Makes Loss Comparatively Light.

Tuesday night about 11 o'clock fire was discovered in the dry goods store of T. B. Morgan on the east side of the square. The alarm was given by several lusty voices and the firing of guns and a number of citizens and members of the W. O. W. lodge, which was just adjourning at the time, were promptly on the scene, but were without buckets or a convenient supply of water and could do but little toward fighting the fire and it gained headway rapidly. Soon however, the two fire companies with their chemical engines arrived, but the fire had gained so strong a hold on the building that it was useless to turn the engines on it and they confined their efforts to trying to save the wooden buildings on either side, separated from it the width of a 30 ft lot in each case. This however, they were unable to do and both were consumed. When emptied, the engines were quickly recharged and again ready for service and they did a good part in saving Simmons Bros. livery stable toward which the wind was blowing an on which a shower of burning shingles was constantly falling igniting the roof of the stable twice. Had this stable burned the fire would have become more serious, as then the head office, Haskell Land Co.'s and the Lindell Hotel, McNeill Smith Hardware Co.'s big house and several other buildings on that block would have been destroyed.

The brick building occupiable McNeill & Smith Hardware all, was separated from one of burning houses by the space only one vacant lot and especially injury, except that the roof perhaps blistered in place to do burning shingles, but men on the roof kept it equalled and the burning ceased as swept off.

The losses and insurance to as follows:
T. B. Morgan, stock goods valued at \$8000, nothing removed from building, insured for \$5750. The building owned by Cason, Cox & Co., insured at \$1000 and insured for \$1000. Wm. Wells, new and second hand furniture, stock about \$1500, insured for \$600. Building valued about \$500, insured for \$400. considerable portion of Well stock was saved from the fire.
C. C. Frost, small building occupied as a restaurant by B. Williams and Tom Brooks. Building fully covered by insurance. Williams & Brooks had no insurance and their fixtures, etc., were a total loss.

A Certain Cure for Croup—Used for Ten Years Without a Failure.

Mr. W. C. Bott, a Star City, Ind hardware merchant, is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past ten years, and though they much feared the croup his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup, but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequalled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by Terrells Drug Store.

Mrs. Fred Collier of Stephenville is visiting her parents at this place, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collier.

"The Store With the Goods"

THE FAMOUS QUEEN QUALITY FLOUR.

If you appreciate the best. If you appreciate the highest attainment in the art of flour making, try a sack of this famous queen quality flour.

Take a sack of this flour, try it by the side of the best you have ever used and watch the result. Take a spoon of this flour, compare it with the kind you are using now, and notice how much

WHITER and PURER it looks. EVERY SACK IS GUARANTEED

to give satisfaction. If it does not, return it and get your money back. The price is only

\$2.60 per 100 lbs.

Surely you will show your appreciation of the best, by trying a sack of this silk finish flour. For sale only by

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THE STORE WITH THE GOODS

SOCIETY COLUMN.

On Wednesday evening the 26th ult., the doors of the palatial residence of Mrs. Wright were thrown open to the young society people of the town. All were so fortunate as to be invited availed themselves of the opportunity and 'twas quite a merry crowd that enjoyed the pleasures of the evening. Dancing and games were the features of amusement and it was in the wee small hours of the morning before the last guests bade good-bye to the gracious hostess, who was so charmingly assisted by Mrs. Thos. Sowell and Miss Alice F.

By the entire society set Miss Hazle Hudson has been voted a most royal hostess. It was on Saturday evening, the 29th ult., that her home was a scene of enjoyment. Assisted by her sister, Mrs. L. T. Cunningham of Stamford, Miss Hudson entertained the crowd in a novel and skillful manner. The game of Post-office was first announced and, from the laughter it provoked, Miss Hudson must have been assured that the guests appreciated her efforts. Hunting deer was another game and to Mr. Will Northcutt was presented a pretty little riding whip for capturing the greatest number of deer (dears). Other games proved to be interesting and enjoyable. Delicious refreshments were served, after which the guests departed, thanking Miss Hudson for such a pleasant evening.

The young people Haskell know how to plan for and indulge in pleasures. The wagonette party on Christmas eve was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the week. After visiting the different Xmas trees and getting a view of Santa Claus, a crowd of fun-loving young folks boarded a wagonette, which was drawn by two beautiful white horses, and proceeded to view the city. The thoughtful young men had bountifully provided Roman candles and fireworks and, driving around the square, the gay young crowd proceeded to illuminate the heavens, much to the amazement of the onlookers. Later on they serenaded Mode, who most royally and wholesomely treated.

Those in the party were, Mr. Jack Simmons and Miss Lydia Hughes, Mr. Craig and Miss Sibyl Collins, Mr. Gilliam and Miss Alice Poole, Mr. Henderson and Miss Bell, Dr. Roasberry and Miss Terrell, Mr. English and Miss Irby, Mr. Ira Ellis and Miss Morris, Mr. Cahill and Miss Houston.

On New Year's Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Curran Hunt entertained a number of their friends with an old time jolly masquerade party. It was a merry crowd that assembled in the Hunt cottage and many were the characters represented. Jolly old Santa Claus was there and seemed perfectly at ease associating with the monks, dukes, Puritan maids, flower girls, nuns, Irish women, cowboys and girls, grandmothers, Red Riding Hoods and waitresses. "Night" and "Morning" were interesting characters—in fact all of the disguises were good. Some of the young married men were so daintily dressed in feminine array that they proved more charming as ladies than in ordinary life. Old fashioned games were indulged in until about eleven o'clock, when a dainty two course repast was served, after which the guests very reluctantly bade good night to their host and hostess.

Fields entertained on last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Ada Monday. As the game excitement of professional

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL

Coupled with the wish that an abundant prosperity may crown your worthy efforts this year, is our sincere greeting to our friends and customers as we turn the page of 1907 and enter upon its affairs.

And in this connection, permit us to express to all who have given us their patronage during the past year our hearty thanks for the favor.

As to the future, we beg to assure you that constant improvement is our purpose and aim, and we propose to keep abreast with the times by providing for our customers the best and purest in the drug line as developed by medical and scientific research.

Our general stock of sundries, toilet articles, paints, oils, etc., will be kept up to the top notch, and we hope by fair dealing and courteous attention to merit a continuation of your patronage and an extension of our business.

RESPECTFULLY,

COLLIER-ANDRUSS CO.

Marriages and Personals

When you want to go to the depot building No. 25 for Simmons' Wagonette Mrs. Clay Park came up from Georgetown and spent Christmas with her father, Judge P. D. Sanders, and Haskell friends.

Take your jewelry to Craig, the jeweler, for repairs. North side of square.

When you want a well, cistern or a house dug, see Alfred Leavitt, 11, Texas.

R. H. Knowles and daughter, of Waco visited his parents and other relatives in Haskell during Christmas week.

Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock is the regular monthly conference of the Baptist church, and as some important business to it is desired that all the members of the church be in attendance. J. T. Nicholson, Pastor.

Mr. E. E. Eastland who bought the place about two and a half miles northwest of town arrived Tuesday from Bell county with car loads of household goods and plug implements and now occupies his new home.

Mr. J. S. Grant, who resided near Chester and had been a citizen of the county for about five years, died Dec. 22 of typhoid pneumonia after a short illness. Mr. Grant's remains were taken to his old home near Bedford and entered in the old burial ground where his father rests in repose. Mr. Grant was a bachelor about forty years of age and was highly respected as a man of exemplary character.

Miss Olive Leaman McClintock of Waco gave an excellent elocutionary entertainment to an appreciative audience at the court house Thursday evening.

New wagon scales at my front on the south side. J. N. Ellis. (2t)

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Price of the northeast part of the county were doing some trading in town Wednesday.

Mr. J. B. Stockard of Lewisville was in Haskell this week looking after his land interest in this county.

Miss Vivian McWhirter left this week for Fort Worth, where she will attend the Polytechnic institute.

Hon. J. F. Cunningham of Abilene was in Haskell Monday.

Both Senator Bailey and Judge Eckrell, who were billed to speak here this week cancelled their appointments. We understand, however, that Senator Bailey will speak on the 9th inst.

W. S. Fouts of the south side of town Wednesday arranging to telephone him to his place.

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SCHOOL MONDAY.

The Teachers' Institute concluded its work this week and the public schools will open again Monday. Prof. Morrow of the Haskell public school requests that all pupils be on hand promptly at the usual hour Monday morning.

The elocutionary entertainment given by Miss Ella Day on Thursday evening of last week, assisted by Mrs. W. E. Sherrill and Miss Army Houston, proved to be one of the best events of the season. Her selections covered a wide range of human emotions, from the grave and serious to the gay and frivolous and she seemed equally at ease in giving them a natural interpretation and that she was eminently successful in doing so was clearly shown by the appreciative demonstrations of the audience. The singing by Mrs. Sherrill and piano selections by Miss Houston were of equally high merit and elicited a hearty appreciation from their hearers.

Bring me all repairing on saddles, harness, buggy tops and shoes. W. J. Evers, Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cunningham were up from Stamford and visited Haskell relatives and friends during Christmas week.

Mr. J. L. Jones has sold his residence in Haskell and will move his family to Rule.

Misses Tommie Boone and Wm. a Bevers and Mrs. John B. Baker left Thursday to attend the Christian Endeavor convention at Colorado City.

Mr. Ira Draper of Alabama, who spent the holidays visiting his brothers in this county, left yesterday on his return home. He was accompanied by Mr. J. R. Bennett.

We still have plenty of money to loan at 8 per cent on land and to buy Vendor's Lien notes. Sanders & Wilson.

I have taken the front chair in the Haskell Barber Shop, where I will be pleased to meet my old friends and customers. C. R. Peters.

R. M. Craig, practical watchmaker, North side of square.

Mr. W. L. Hills of the Alexander Mercantile Co at Rule, visited Haskell Tuesday.

Mr. C. Martin and wife of Atlanta, Ga. spent the holidays with his son, the junior editor, and his daughter Mrs. J. L. Jones.

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D. B. Keeler, vice president; D. T. Bomar, general attorney; F. Cotte, W. A. Sterley, general agent; W. E. Bevers, president of the Fort Worth and Col. Morgan Johnson, general manager of the Haskell

ded to the zest and interest and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present.

One of the most delightful evenings spent during the holidays by the young people was on Friday when Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dale opened the doors of their beautiful new home for their entertainment. After a six miles drive they arrived at their destination, a little tired, but a happy lot, especially when the thoughtful hostess immediately prepared a most tempting lunch consisting of of salads, hot chocolate, cakes, nuts, fruits etc., and the crowd proceeded to show their appreciation. Afterwards a most pleasant evening was spent in all kinds of games, music, etc. At a late hour the guests departed, each declaring to their charming host and hostess that they had spent a delightful evening. After a few break downs, run-a-ways and several other would be catastrophes, they arrived at home.

Those who attended were, Misses Frankie Terrell, Bertha Irby, Dannie Phillips, Annie Lida Hughes, Vera Neathery, Neathery, and Lucile Hughes, Messrs Chas. Irby, Moore, Ellis, Hibbitts, Hendersen, Harry Brewer and Byron Wright.

LITTLE FOLKS ENTERTAINED.

We were unable to write up in detail all of the social affairs during the holidays, especially the little folks' parties. But the following are at least some of the places where they were entertained.

Christmas eve night at Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wyche's. Christmas night at Mrs. J. G. Waldon's. Music class rendered interesting program on Friday night.

W. Tharp's.

New Year's night at Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lemmon's.

Wednesday night at Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Cummings'.

Thursday night at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sutherland's.

Friday night at Mr. and Mrs. Wat Fitzgerald.

CARRIE NATION

certainly smashed a hole in the barrooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horebound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for coughs, Bronchitis, Influenza and all Pulmonary diseases. T. C. H., Hoston, Kansas, writes: "I have never found a medicine that would cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horebound Syrup. I have used it for years." Sold by Terrell's Drug Store.

Steam Laundry Coming.

We learned Thursday from the West Texas Development Co. that they were just in receipt of a letter from Mr. John T. Bryson of Okmulgee, I. T., dated Jan. 1, stating that he was that day loading on the cars for shipment to Haskell a first-class steam laundry outfit. He requested that they secure for him at once a room for the laundry 25 by 50 feet, or larger, if possible, and also a residence. We are informed that Mr. Bryson had the situation here investigated and reported on several weeks ago and then decided to locate a laundry in Haskell.

THE GRIP.

"Before we can sympathize with others, we must have suffered ourselves." No one can realize the suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip, unless he has had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All danger from the grip, however, may be promptly use of Chamberlain's Remedy. Among those who have used one case has resulted in a cure.

Mr. J. J. Stein of the West Texas Development Co. left Thursday morning on a trip to Southern Texas, where, we understand, he expects to secure a number of German settlers for Haskell county.

Mr. G. T. McCulloch is attending the meeting of the district stewards of the M. E. Church, South, for this district at Abilene.

Begin the new year with a new saddle or set of harness from Evers' shop, south side of square, Haskell. His goods and workmanship are the best.

Mr. H. B. Martin and family of Amarillo were here several days this week to see Mr. Martin's father, who is visiting here from Atlanta, Ga., and their Haskell relatives.

If it's plow gear you want, Evers at Haskell has them.

Messrs Roy and Bonnie Cummings came home from their ranch in the southwest part of the state to spend Christmas.

Mr. Oscar Lee of Gordon, who has owned land in this county for several years, was in Haskell Thursday looking after his interests. He subscribed for the FREE PRESS to keep posted on the situation here.

Evers, the new harness man at Haskell, has the largest stock of horse collars in the county.

Mr. G. E. Langford, local agent of the W. V. Railroad, says his road is delivering daily five or six immigrant cars at this place. The people are nearly all farmers who have rented or purchased land or farms in this county, and most of them are bringing their household effects, farm implements and work stock, so that they are ready to get to work promptly when they reach their new homes.

Take your jewelry to Craig, the jeweler, for repairs.

More saddles and better saddles to the pass-word at Evers' new shop in Haskell.

Dr. Hester's Accounts.

All of Dr. Hester's medical accounts have been turned over to me for collection and all persons knowing of any accounts due to him will please send them to him with the amount.

