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## HASKELL COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

AN INTERESTING AND PROFITABLE MEETING HELD IN HASKELL LAST WEEK. APPRECIATIVE RESOLUTIONS

Haskell County Teachers' Institute closed its five-day session at four o'clock Friday Nov. 17th by carrying out each item of the program. The program had been so well arranged and so thoroughly planned that every thing was carried out without friction, lack of interest, or loss of time.

The following are some of the results of the work:

1. The general awakening of the importance to the community of the study of agriculture and domestic science.
2. The need of more attention to moral instruction.
3. The teaching of self-government.
4. The importance of the teacher's duty concerning the general health of school children and the careful study of the common physical defects of school children.
5. Care of school property.
6. Classification and organization of the county school unit and the districts relation to same.
7. The illustrative teaching brought out the fact that natural and systematic development of the mind comes from the skillful handling of the subject matter by the teacher, whereby the child is taught to study and to think logically which is of more importance than the mere requiring of text-book facts.

The approval by the institute body of the general management of registration and roll call, the selection of the subject matter and method of presenting same, the planning of the Sectional and Department work, evidenced the fact that this was the most successful institute in the history of the county. In fact, Mr. Lee Clark, General Agent for the Conference of Education in Texas, (who visits institutes throughout Texas), said in his address, that he had seen nothing as good in the State.

The success of the Institute was not attributed only to the arrangement of the program but to the faithful and co-operative body of teachers. It goes without saying that Haskell county is a unit in her educational affairs. Her schools have employed in them wide-awake teachers who stand together for the educational uplift of the county. She is free from faction, old quarrels and politics, always striving to develop the individual, to raise the standard of right and wrong, to make better citizens, and thereby fulfill the purpose of Education.

The following resolutions were passed:

Whereas, The Haskell County Institute, closing Nov. 17, 1911, has carried out and enjoyed one of the most interesting, as well as most instructive programs in its history, and

Whereas, many agencies have

## HASKELL COUNTY IS IN THE LIMELIGHT

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT AT THE WACO COTTON PALACE WAS A WONDER TO THE GREAT CROWDS OF VISITORS. SECOND PRIZE WAS AWARDED THIS EXHIBIT, AND THE FAME OF HASKELL COUNTY'S FERTILE SOIL AND WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITIES ARE SPREAD ABROAD

The following letter from Judge J. E. Poole, who had charge of the Haskell County Exhibit at the Waco Cotton Palace, was received too late to be published in last week's issue, but as the matter he writes about is of general interest, we print the letter this week:

Waco, Texas, Nov. 10, 1911.  
To the Free Press:

I have the pleasure and satisfaction of reporting through your columns that Haskell county's exhibit of farm, garden and orchard products now on exhibition at the Waco Cotton Palace in competition with similar county exhibits from various portions of the state has been awarded second premium by the judges in the Agricultural Department of the fair.

While the winning of second premium was no surprise to me, and will not be a surprise to our home people, it was a matter of surprise and wonderment to hundreds of the people of Central and East Texas who visited and inspected our exhibit that a county away out in Northwest Texas which is vaguely associated in their minds with stories of drouth parched vegetation, avidity, sterility and starvation, could place on exhibition here, in the heart of Texas' famed black land district, such an exhibit of the products of its soil as would rank next to first in competition with the state—they would have expected it to take about fortieth place. The amount of ignorance and misinformation which exists in the minds of the people down here in regard to the merits of our western county is as astonishing to me as our exhibit was to them when it was pointed out to them that it contained 43 separate and distinct products and, counting the different varieties of the same products, totaled 81 specimens of this year's growth. And their astonishment was intensified when it was further told them that the exhibit was hurriedly gotten to-

gether in ten days time and was not the result of a year's saving and culling for the best specimens.

After all, however, these people are not so much to blame for their ignorance of our country. They have either not seen it, or, if they have visited it, it has been at a time when they could not see the growing crops and their credulity has been played upon by a few impractical people and a lot of ne'er-do-wells who have gone to it looking for an easy snap, have failed and then gone back east cussing the country in an effort to make it the scapegoat of their own inefficiency. Their prejudices have also been played upon in many instances by their home papers in the effort to prevent them from moving away. All of this shows the great value of such exhibits of ours at the Cotton Palace in disabusing the minds of the people of preconceived errors and opening up to them a new field of prosperity, as well as its value to us in securing good citizens and farmers to aid in the development of our country.

Respectfully,  
J. E. Poole, Sec.

The following excerpt from the Waco Times-Herald with reference to the Haskell county Exhibit will also be of interest to the people in this section, which we reproduce below:

**HASKELL COUNTY EXHIBIT.**

The statement contained in the headline of this item is not one to cause the astonishment now that it would have evoked a few years ago. Then it would have strained to the breaking point the credulity of a vast majority of the people of Central and East Texas to have told them that a county 240 miles to the northwest of Waco, where the cattle barons held sway with their countless herds, would in a few brief years place on exhibition at a great fair held in the heart of the state's magnificent black land region such a splendid ar-

ray of the products of its fields, gardens and orchards as to challenge competition with the best imperial Texas can produce. But Haskell county has achieved that distinction and won second prize on her agricultural exhibit at the Cotton Palace, and no one can view the artistically displayed specimens of her diversified products and say that her honors have not been fairly won. The term "diversified products" is used advisedly, for by actual count there are in this exhibit forty-three distinct products of her farms, gardens and orchards, embracing eighty-one sub-varieties, grown this year.

Among the leading products are cotton, corn, wheat, oats, Kaffir corn, milo maize, Jerusalem corn, shallien, millet, sorghum, field peas, alfalfa, peanut hay, peanuts, sweet potatoes, mammoth watermelons, pumpkins, cushaws, etc., including from one to several varieties of each. Some of the minor items are comb and strained honey, snap beans, fresh butterbeans, beets, turnips, squashes, tomatoes, peaches, plums, nectarines, grapes, dewberries, strawberries, etc., the fruits and berries being canned.

This exhibit is being made by the board of trade of the progressive little city of Haskell and is under the supervision of its efficient and wide-awake secretary, J. E. Pool, who has a very thorough write-up of the Haskell country in a special edition of the local paper for distribution and will be pleased to give all desired information to interested inquirers.

Mr. Poole states as an interesting fact that it was not definitely decided to make the exhibit until two weeks prior to the opening date of the Cotton Palace, hence there was no long preparation and selection of specimens for it, but that nine-tenths of it was gathered up from the farms in a few days time.—Waco Times-Herald.

contributed to its success, therefore, be it resolved:

First: That we congratulate the citizens of Haskell upon their willingness and ability to make the teachers of the county feel welcome in their midst, as manifested by their hospitality during this Institute.

Second: That we commend the local School Board for its liberality in tendering us the use of building and other necessities.

Third: That we extend special thanks to the children, who, from time to time, reported at the Institute for "model lessons."

Fourth: That we commend State Supt. Bralley for his sincere and manifest concern in the betterment of our public school

system, and for the progressive educational spirit which he has aroused throughout the state.

Fifth: That we heartily accord with the work of the conference for education, endorse its past labors, and pledge our earnest co-operation in its future undertakings.

Sixth: That we promise an active interest in the work of our County Board of Education; especially in its efforts to classify the schools, and to establish rural high schools.

Seventh: That we pledge our support to the movement for securing "medical inspection" in our public schools, and for improving the sanitary conditions in and about our school buildings.

Eighth: That we approve of

the organization of a county debating club to labor in harmony with the State Organization.

Signed:  
1. J. B. Layne.  
2. R. L. Skiles.  
3. D. F. Bellenger.  
4. H. E. Bell.  
Committee on Resolutions.

**Texas Irrigating.**  
The increase of 806.3 per cent. in the irrigated acreage of the state from 1899 to 1909 is an indication that the Texas farmer not only realizes the need of water for his crops, but that he is going after it in a way that is bringing results.

Let the Free Press do your job printing. We can please you.

## IMPORTANT NEWS FOR HASKELL

MODERN THREE OR FOUR STORY OFFICE BUILDING SOON TO BE ERECTED IN HASKELL THE CONCRETE CITY

The Free Press is in receipt of a letter containing important news to Haskell people, and when the intentions of the parties are carried out it will be worth much to our town and community. We reproduce the letter below, so that you may see for yourselves just what is contemplated and also to give the contractors of this city and section equal show in obtaining this contract, and suggest that they get in communication with Mr. Callahan at once. Following is the letter:

Spokane, Wash.,  
Nov. 11, 1911.

Haskell Free Press,  
Haskell, Texas.

Gentlemen:—

On or about January 1st, or a little later, no doubt I will begin the construction of a two or three story brick office building, modern in every respect on the lot on the east side square.

It may be that I will put up a four story building, have elevator, etc., strictly up-to-date. If you know of any contractors who are thoroughly familiar with all building material and who you believe would be desirable parties to engage, I would prefer to engage people living in or around Haskell.

Contract is practically made for the lease of the lower floor, but we are not in a position to state just what will be put in this building, as yet.

Wish you would kindly send me the address of any parties you might know of as per above, and oblige.

Yours truly,  
R. E. Callahan.

### A Lesson in Diversification.

Advocates of diversification of crops in Texas need only refer to two exhibits at the Northeast Texas Fair, recently held at Pittsburg, for an example of how extensively the Texas farmer may really diversify. One farmer produced 170 varieties of farm products on ten acres of ground and another 200 varieties on three acres. Of course, this is only demonstration work, but that is what the diversifier desires a practical demonstration that the crops can really be produced. If two hundred different products can be grown in one county in Northeast Texas, who will dare say how many can be grown in the entire state, where there is such a wonderful variety of soil and climate.

### Mules For Sale.

For good young mules see Ferris & Price, 17 miles northeast of Haskell. Will sell from one to a car load. Terms, cash or good security. If you can't come address Ferris & Price, Weinert, Texas, R. F. D. No. 2.

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HASKELL, TEXAS, Nov. 25, 1911.

### Athletic News.

Prof. Joel H. Berry, secretary of the Central West Texas Athletic Association, went down to Stamford Saturday night to attend a conference of the Council of this Association. At this meeting it was decided to purchase a Loving cup at a cost of about \$50 to be awarded as a trophy to the winning team in the annual meets of the Association. This association is composed of the High Schools embracing fourteen counties in this section. It had its first annual meet last year at Stamford, at which time Stamford team won first honors, Haskell second and Anson third. The second annual meet will be held the 2nd day of April next year at Stamford. This is a good distance off, but each team is preparing to enter the contest with determination to win the cup. In addition to the cup, the winning team will be entitled to enter the state meet at College Station, all expenses being paid by the state organization.

In a few weeks a banquet at the Stamford Inn will be arranged at which time the Stamford team will be presented the cup.

We understand that each team in the association will begin a vigorous practice to win the honors next spring, and from the enthusiasm already being displayed by the Haskell team, the team that wears the honors next year will have to beat Haskell's.

### The Magazine Club.

The club met Saturday with Mrs. Fields as teacher. The lesson was taken from Act 3, scene 1-3 of Macbeth. Mrs. Rike gave a good talk on "Shakespeare's ghosts. Their cause and effect. And Mrs. Getz Shakespeare's Introduction of Heroes. Does he conform to a general law? The library hours will be from three to five in the future on account of the days being shorter.

Reporter.

### Notice Teachers' Examination.

An examination for teachers' certificates will be held Dec. 7, 8, 9, in the office of County Superintendent T. C. Williams. Those desiring second and first grades should be present Friday morning Dec. 8. All papers for State certificates will be graded by the State Board of Examiners. The county issues second grade certificates only.

T. C. Williams.

### Free! Free!

To the person that registers their name and guesses the number of beans in the jar at our store will be given a \$7.50 pair of gold spectacles or eye glasses free. Contest closes Saturday Dec. 16 at 12 o'clock. Parsons & Hyatt, Haskell, Texas. Optician, North side square.

## A FAIR OFFER

Your Money Back if You're Not Satisfied.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

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If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember, you can get them in Haskell only at our store, 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—the Rexall Store. Spencer & Richardson, Haskell, Texas.

### Haskell's Public Library.

Nothing is so dear to any loyal citizen as the reputation of his town. In that reputation he virtually sees himself as others see him. What is the reputation of our town—of Haskell? She should be known for progress and enterprise—but is she? What have we that would entitle us to such a name? When one looks around for some evidence of public enterprise and endeavor very few things are to be found. We have one railroad which came with little inducement; a mineral well given by nature and wholly unadvertised; a play-ground well equipped but unused, that has been provided by a woman's club; and a public library which has been established and maintained by another club of women. No citizen can read this meager list of our assets and not have his eyes opened to some astonishing truths.

The public should know a few facts about this library which is called "Public" but which the public refuses to make its own through lack of patronage. It was established and for two years has been maintained by the Magazine Club. The running expenses are nearly one hundred dollars a year. This is not considering the expense of new books which are added from time to time, neither is it considering the cost of labor, which is immeasurable. The public has never been asked to donate a cent. Some few entertainments have been given but everyone has more than received in pleasure the price of the tickets.

Other towns not much larger than Haskell have Carnegie libraries, such as Stamford, Abilene and Sweetwater. Perhaps they do cost a little money and a large effort they more than repay it in the pleasure, cultivation and standing they give to a town. If we can not get a Carnegie which may not be so impossible as it at first seems, we can at least by our patronage, interest and donations help make the one we have a town enterprise and a "Public" library.

A Citizen.

### Advertised Letters.

Advertised Nov. 20, 1911.

1. Olter Hammons.
2. Mrs. Merry O'Neal.
3. Mrs. E. Pate.
4. Miss Georgia Thorne.
5. Roert T. Smith.
6. J. C. Sparks.
7. B. E. Trott.

## A BALD-HEADED WOMAN

Shorn of Her Crown of Beauty, Loses in Love and Marriage.

Hair is certainly most necessary to woman. Who could love and marry a bald-headed woman? What charms could one array to offset such a disfigurement?

A woman's goal is usually love and marriage. Her crowning glory is her hair. The loss of her hair mars her beauty, happiness, and success. Yet, right here in Haskell, there are thousands of women who are neglecting or injuring their hair to such an extent that it is only a matter of time when it will be utterly ruined.

Many women destroy the beauty of their hair through thoughtlessness or ignorance of certain facts. They use curling irons over-heated, or to excess, which destroy the natural oil of the hair, causing it to split, break, and come out. They do not shampoo their hair often enough, or too often. They use soap or preparations which contain ingredients positively harmful to the scalp and hair.

As a result of such treatment, dandruff is created, the hair loosens, loses color, falls out, and baldness commences, unless proper and prompt precautions are taken in time. Then again, microbes and certain diseases bring about unhealthy scalp and hair conditions.

Almost any woman may rid herself of dandruff and diseased scalp and hair if she will but use the right remedy. We have that remedy, and we will positively guarantee that it will either cure dandruff and baldness or it will not cost the user anything.

That's a pretty broad statement, but we will back it and prove it with our own money. We will return your money if you do not find that Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is an entirely satisfactory remedy that will promote hair growth and overcome scalp and hair troubles; that it will grow hair even on bald heads, unless all life in the hair roots has been extinguished, the follicles closed, and the scalp is glazed and shiny. It gets its name from the fact that it grew hair in 93 out of 100 cases, where it received a thoroughly hard, impartial, and practical test.

We want you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk. You surely cannot lose anything by doing so, while you have everything to gain. You had better think this over, and then come in and see us about this offer. You will be well repaid for your visit to our store. Remember, you can get Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—the Rexall store. Spencer & Richardson, Haskell, Texas.

### Missionary Society Notes.

A large number of ladies were present at the Monday afternoon meeting of the society to enjoy the interesting program on christian stewardship prepared by Mrs. P. D. Sanders. Instructive and entertaining papers and talks were given by Mesdames Richardson, Fields and Gordon. Mrs. Young of Abilene, for years district secretary of the foreign mission society, was present and added materially to the program. The ladies are planning for the dinner to be given on Dec. 7. Capt. Hobson is expected to give his lecture soon after the Christmas holidays.

Reporter.

My coal is the hot stuff and makes warm friends.  
CHAMBERS.

## NEEDFUL KNOWLEDGE

Haskell People Should Learn to Detect the Approach of Kidney Disease.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are so unmistakable that they leave no ground for doubt. Sick kidneys excrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back aches constantly, headaches and dizzy spells may occur and the victim is often weighed down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger of dropsy, Bright's disease, or gravel. Any one of these symptoms is warning enough to begin treating the kidneys at once. Delay often proves fatal.

You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's Haskell proof:

Mrs. E. E. Williams, of Haskell, Texas, says, "Some time ago we got Doan's Kidney Pills from Collier's Drug Store, having heard of their being a good remedy for kidney complaint. We can say that this preparation can be relied upon to relieve backache and pain in the loins. Our experience has convinced us of this fact."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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Backache, Headache, Nervousness and rheumatism, both in men and women, mean kidney trouble. Do not allow it to progress beyond the reach of medicine but stop it promptly with Foley Kidney Pills. They regulate the action of the urinary organs. Tonic in action, quick in results. Robertson's Drug Store.

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## Thanksgiving.

The annual Thanksgiving season has arrived and Nov. 30th, as the last Thursday of November, has been designated for recording our thanks to God for the blessings of the past year. In order that this may be done fittingly, and as a community, the pastors of the city have arranged for a Union Service of all the churches, to be held in the M. E. church at 10:30, a. m. on the morning of Thursday, November 30th, and, therefore appeal to the business men of our city to close their business houses during the time of this Thanksgiving Service and thus give opportunity to all who desire to attend and take part. The following program will be followed on this occasion:

### PROGRAM.

Opening Song—Choir and Congregation.

Invocation—Rev. O. W. Dean.

Scripture Lesson—Rev. McDonald.

Special Song—Choir.

Prayer—Rev. Garvin.

Special Song—Choir.

Sermon—Rev. McAdie.

Song—Choir and Congregation. Offering for Home Charity Work.

Closing Prayer and Benediction.

### Notice W. O. W.

To the members of Elmwood Camp No. 24, Haskell, Texas.

At a regular meeting of the members it was resolved that whereas Sov. Alex. Edwards and Sov. J. M. Blakemore being members of this Camp and having had sickness and

Whereas, both Sov. have had to have operations performed on members of their families and have been to considerable expense and without means to defray said expense we the members of said camp on last meeting night voted \$25.00 to each of said member and also resolved that each member that would give \$1.00 towards helping these members. Every member that was present at said meeting did give \$1.00 and ask that all members to please do so if they think that they feel able to help these sovereigns. Let us help one another when in need for we know not the time that we may need the help of our Brother; bread cast upon the water will return many days hence. Please see the committee or send the money in as soon as possible for these brothers are in need of it now.

Very respectfully,  
Woodman of The World.

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J. D. KINNISON  
Manager.

# County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

We appreciate the good letters this week. The Free Press would not know how to get along without these faithful correspondents.

We thank Mocking Bird this week for sending us a new subscriber. Let all the correspondents solicit subscribers. Remember for every yearly subscriber you send us, you retain 25 cents for your trouble. Let's run the Free Press list to 3,000. We can do it easily, for with such a good correspondent page, court news, general news, locals, etc., we can make it the best paper not only in Haskell county, but this section. Help us to do it.

## Rose Chapel.

Health in our community is good.

T. R. Gordon and family visited at Pinkerton Sunday.

A large crowd of the Rose people attended the singing at Sayles Sunday. Everyone reported a fine time and lots of good singing.

Bro. Scott filled his regular appointment at Rose Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Luther Horn and Edd Patton and sister Miss Myrtle, of northeast of Haskell visited at Mr. Johnston's Sunday eve.

A large crowd attended singing at Mr. Smithee's Sunday night.

Mesdames T. J. Johnston and M. A. Johnston visited Mrs. W. G. Wheeler Monday eve.

A number of our young people attended the box supper at Ballew Saturday night. All reported a nice time.

A few young people met at Mr. Gordon's Sunday night, and had an enjoyable time.

Mrs. T. J. Johnston and daughter, Miss Sallie, were shopping in Haskell Friday.

Mr. Roy Harwell has sold his restaurant and has his business in the country now.

Jim Jinks of Kirkdale was in our community Sunday.

We hope to have singing at Rose next Sunday. Everybody is invited to come and take a part in singing. We also hope that our leader will be with us. We feel that he has almost deserted us, altho we are sure he has not, so come on now and let's have a good singing next Sunday.

Mr. Dewey Speer visited Mr. Earnest Johnston Sunday.

Mr. Jim Henshaw and family visited Mr. R. E. Barton and family Sunday.

J. F. Culp and children visited T. J. Johnston and children Sunday eve.

Mrs. Bishop visited Mrs. P.iland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and daughter, Vera, spent Sunday with Allen Jinks and family. Marguerite.

## Corinth Items

How delightful that November is here again, all months bring us pleasant occasions, but November is especially charming, because Thanksgiving Day comes with it. Soon the cranberries will be turning into jelly, the pumpkins into pies, and the turkeys be roasting a beautiful golden brown, and will ere long give evidence that Thanksgiving is very near at hand.

Health in our community is fine at present.

We had a sand storm Saturday which blew out a great deal of the cotton.

Our school building is being erected and will soon be completed which will be a handsome building when finished.

There was preaching at Red Tap Saturday and Sunday, a large crowd attended.

Mr. A. B. Carothers was in our community Tuesday.

Mrs. G. E. Ballew and daughter Miss Ella made a flying trip to Rose Saturday and was accompanied home by Master W. G. Pritchett to spend a week in the country.

Mrs. Joe Brown visited home folks Saturday and Sunday, Mr. Jim Speck and family.

Well as everybody is very busy harvesting, news is scarce so will leave space for better writers such as Sunshine, Farmer Boy and all other good writers, so wishing you a happy Thanksgiving day will be going.

Mary Jane.

## A Texas Wonder.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder trouble, removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism, and all irregularity of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for Texas testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

## South of Rose

Hello! Dear Editor and Chats, here I come again with a few dots from our community.

Health of our community is very good, Mrs. D. J. Barton, who has been sick is on her way back to strength again.

There was a large crowd of Rose young people attended the box supper at Ballew Saturday night, all reported a fine time.

Prof. Warren has just closed a ten nights singing school at Rose we think Mr. Warren did good in coming into our community, for our singing has been very much improved. We hope there will be more to come to our singing every Sunday, for every one is invited to come.

Everybody come out to our Sunday Schools, let us all take a part and not let our Sunday Schools go dead again, for our Sunday Schools are the best thing we all could go to.

There was a large crowd attended the singing convention at Sayles school house, all report a jolly good time, some of the best singing they had heard for some time and plenty of something good to eat for dinner.

Everyone remember our school

begins at Rose next Monday, November 27th, hope each and every one will be ready to start at the first of the school, as nearly ever body is catching up with their cotton picking, or will be by that time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ballew spent a while with Mr. and Mrs. Barton Sunday.

Mr. M. E. Norman and daughter, Miss Bessie made a trip to Pinkerton Saturday evening, moving Mrs. Norman's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Stone up there.

There were several attended the party at Mr. McGregor's, all report a fine time.

Miss Dallas Rainwater spent a while with Miss Minnie Barton Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Odom are spending a while in the Pall community at this writing.

Mr. Earl Barton from Coleman county is visiting his uncle, Mr. D. J. Barton.

Come on all of you writers with those good letters.

Best wishes to our editor and readers.

## Mocking Bird.

There is little danger from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Camberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

## Howard Locals

Dear Editor and Chats as we have been absent some time I will write a few items this beautiful afternoon.

We have been busy picking cotton down in this part of the world.

Bro. Lawrence preached an excellent sermon to a large congregation here Sunday.

Miss Rosette McGregor spent Saturday night with Misses Pearl and Bessie Tims.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weaver of Haskell visited the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cox Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Williams of Whitts Chapel visited R. G. Landess and family Sunday.

Misses Maggie Parks and Pearl Tims were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

Miss Bessie James visited Miss Rena Moseley Sunday.

Mr. Felix Green and family of White Chapel visited Tom Parks and family Sunday.

Miss Pearl Tims visited Miss Emma Cox Tuesday afternoon.

Miss M. E. Parks visited Mrs. W. C. Tims Tuesday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blake more and baby spent Sunday with their mother Mrs. M. E. Parks.

Mr. Wade Parks attended the singing at Sayles Sunday.

Vade Weaver of Weaver Chapel attended church here Sunday. So hoping that Mocking Bird has come with a good letter I will be going.

## Tempest.

### Coughing at Night

Means loss of sleep which is bad for everyone. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound stops the cough at once, relieves the tickling and dryness in the throat and heals the inflamed membranes. Prevents a cold developing into bronchitis or pneumonia. Keep always in the house. Refuse substitutes. Robertson's Drug Store.

Get the habit and phone 157 for feed and coal.

## Ballew Items

Good morning Chats I'll just step in and chat a few minutes this lovely morning.

Most every one is very busy picking cotton these days.

Bro. Reed preached to a large congregation Sunday afternoon, he also left an appointment for the next 3rd Sunday at 3:30 o'clock.

Miss Ola Hewitt spent the day with Miss Opal Holt Sunday.

The W. O. W. Circle gave a box supper at the school house Saturday night for the benefit of the lodge, Miss Pearl Lancaster got the basket of fruit for the prettiest girl, the boxes and basket came to \$52.60.

Miss Lillie Beckham visited Miss Nervia Bolles Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Brown left Tuesday night for Holland Texas, her future home. Mr. Brown will leave Saturday night.

Quite a large crowd attended the singing at Mr. H. T. Wright's Sunday night.

Misses Minnie Barton, Ella Arthurs, Dallas Rainwaters, Maggie Smith and Lelia Harwell and Messrs Floyd Rose, Bud Smith, Arthur Barton and Claud Gordon from Rose Chapel attended the box supper Saturday night.

Miss Bessie Glenn from Rose Chapel spent Saturday night with Miss Mable Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Haley visited Mr. J. W. Wheeler and family Sunday.

Mr. Murry Johnson returned home from Abilene Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Williams spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bolles.

Mr. D. N. Starnes came in from Coleman Saturday morning to visit relatives and friends at this place.

Miss Cora Shipe came in last Monday and will begin herschool at Ballew Monday November 27.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Josselett died last Thursday night and was buried in the Haskell cemetery Friday afternoon. We extend to the bereaved parents our sympathy.

Well I'll be going and let "Blue Eyes" take my place, best wishes to one and all.

## Sunshine.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of "one hundred dollars" for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Frank J. Cheney. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this sixth day of December, A. D. 1886. (seal.) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Fire! Fire! Fire!

If you have neglected to insure your home you had better take a policy on it, now is the most critical time for you now have more fires, and this increases the hazard, if you want a policy in a good company call on Henry Johnson, office over Corner Drug Store.

For pains in the side or chest dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Liniment and bind it on over the seat of pain. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

## A Trip to Austin

J. S. Post returned a few days ago from Austin, where he went to visit his son, Henry Post. Mr. Post had a very pleasant visit and saw many things of interest while at the state capital. He gave us a list of the places of interest he visited while there, as follows:

Places I visited while in Austin. State Cemetery, Saw Albert Sidney Johnson's Monument, and graves of others.

Deaf and Dumb Institution, Old Confederate Soldiers Home, State University.

Insane Asylum and its beautiful grounds.

Blind Institution.

Capitol building, met Governor Colquitt in his office, was in Secretary of State's office, was in State Treasurer's office, had in my hand at one time \$1,650,000.00. I also lifted \$1000.00 in silver at one time, I met Sam Sparks, and his clerks. I also visited the room in which the Albert Sidney Johnson Camp of Confederate Veterans meet, kept up by the Daughters of the Confederacy.

I visited the Vegetable Gardens at Asylum and on the Colorado river.

I went over the resident portion of Austin.

I also visited the High School building, and the Manual Training and Domestic Science departments of this school, saw where Bailey and Marvin works in school, and saw where Fannie and Gaines attend school.

I was in the Senate Chamber, and house of Representatives.

I saw the Cannons on the Capitol Park.

I saw the Monument in Capitol park in honor of the Confederate dead, with the statue of Jeff Davis and four of his staff, mounted on top of same.

I saw the monument of the Terry's Rangers, on Capitol Park.

I saw the monument of the battle of the Alamo, on Capitol Park.

I saw the monument of Hoods Texas Brigade, on Capitol Park.

I saw the Firemans monument, on Capitol Park.

I saw the State Land Office.

## Balked At Cold Steel.

"I wouldn't let a doctor cut my foot off," said H. D. Ely, Bantam, Ohio, "although a horrible ulcer had been the plague of my life for four years. Instead I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my foot was soon completely cured." Heals Burns, Boils, Sores, Bruises, Eczema, Pimples, Corns. Surest Pile cure 25c at all druggists.

## Insure Your Cotton.

I can insure your cotton for 30 days or one year. Don't risk it without taking out insurance.

Henry Johnson, agt.

## Eight Per Cent Money to Loan.

We do not get it for you while you wait, but we do get it for you in a reasonable length of time, at 8 per cent. If you want to pay 9 per cent or more, see the other fellow. Scott & Key, 42-44. Lawyers and Abstractors.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do not sicken or gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most delicate woman or the youngest child. The old and feeble will also find them a most suitable remedy for aiding and strengthening their weakened digestion and regulating the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

## Take Notice.

The time has come that every body should save money. Then phone 239 for feed, wood and coal. Your money back if not satisfied. M. A. Clifton.

## W. H. CHESTER'S PILLS

DIAMOND BRAND

Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.

LADIES! Ask your Druggist for CHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE WORTH TRYING

# GAMBILL BROS.

## CLOSING OUT SALE AT COST.

Beginning Saturday, November 25th and  
Ending Wednesday, December 27th.

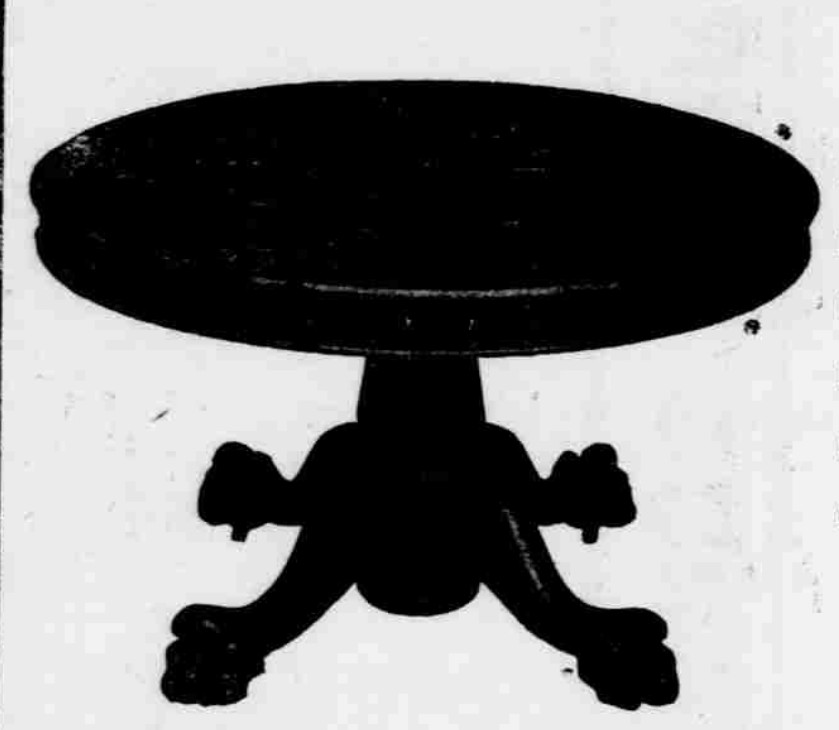
We are going to offer our entire stock of Furniture and Housefurnishings at cost, consisting of Bed Room Suits, Odd Dressers, Chiffrobes, Wardrobes, Library tables, Center tables, Hall Trees, Dining tables, Buffets, Side boards, China closets, Kitchen cabinets, Kitchen safes, Dining chairs, Rockers, Iron beds, Bed springs, Mattresses, Cots, Steel couches, Window shades, Trunks, Suit cases, Art squares, Matting, Linoleums a number of new Cook stoves and Heaters, and some good values in second hand stoves, stove pipe and a number of articles too numerous to mention. This sale will pay you to come and see for yourself, this may be the last chance you will have to fit your home up with so little expense, we will continue this slaughtering sale till December 27th, and if we don't sell out by then we will move remainder of stock to our main store at Winters, Texas, as I am needed there. We are compelled to make a big sacrifice on our large stock of Furniture and House Furnishings, which is one of the best stocks of Furniture in West Texas. Come early don't wait till the last day of the sale, for as the goods go out we will not replace only in a few exceptions. Below we quote some of our prices.

<p><b>Bed Room Suits</b> <b>AT COST</b></p> <p>\$65.00 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$40.00</b></p> <p>\$50.00 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$32.50</b></p> <p>\$40.00 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$28.00</b></p> <p>\$37.50 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$26.25</b></p> <p>\$30.00 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$21.95</b></p> <p>\$25.00 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$19.25</b></p> <p>\$22.50 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$16.25</b></p> <p>\$20.00 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$13.90</b></p> <p>\$17.50 Bed Room Suits For Only ..... <b>\$12.00</b></p> <p><b>We have some Bargains in second hand Bed Room Suits.</b></p> <p><b>Iron Beds at Cost.</b></p> <p>Two inch post Beds, regular \$10.00 seller, for only ..... <b>\$6.95</b></p>	 <p>All \$8.50 for only ..... <b>5.95</b></p> <p>" 7.50 " " ..... <b>4.90</b></p> <p>" 6.00 " " ..... <b>3.95</b></p> <p>" 5.00 " " ..... <b>3.35</b></p> <p>" 4.00 " " ..... <b>3.10</b></p> <p>" 3.00 " " ..... <b>2.10</b></p> <p>" 2.50 " " ..... <b>1.65</b></p> <p><b>All Bed Springs at Cost.</b></p> <p>Regular \$5.00 Bed Springs For Only ..... <b>\$3.25</b></p> <p>Regular \$4.00 Bed Springs For Only ..... <b>\$2.75</b></p> <p>Regular \$3.50 Bed Springs For Only ..... <b>\$2.25</b></p> <p>Regular \$3.00 Bed Springs For Only ..... <b>\$2.00</b></p>	<p>Regular \$2.50 Bed Springs For Only ..... <b>\$1.65</b></p> <p>Regular \$2.00 Bed Springs For Only ..... <b>\$1.35</b></p> <p><b>All Mattresses at Cost.</b></p> <p>All Cotton Mattresses For Only ..... <b>\$2.95</b></p> <p>Regular \$8.50 Mattress For Only ..... <b>\$5.00</b></p> <p><b>All Pillows at COST.</b></p> <p><b>All Dining Chairs</b> <b>At Cost.</b></p> <p>Double Cane, regular 65c chair For Only ..... <b>49c</b></p> <p>Regular \$1.00 Chair, for ..... <b>75c</b></p> <p>" 1.25 " " ..... <b>90c</b></p> <p>" 1.75 " " ..... <b>\$1.25</b></p>	 <p><b>All Rockers at Cost.</b></p> <p>Regular \$5.00 Reed Rocker For Only ..... <b>\$3.45</b></p> <p>\$4.00 Rocker, for only ..... <b>2.75</b></p> <p>3.50 " " " ..... <b>2.50</b></p> <p>3.00 " " " ..... <b>2.10</b></p> <p>2.75 " " " ..... <b>1.95</b></p> <p>2.50 " " " ..... <b>1.75</b></p>	<p>All Window Shades at a close out price.</p> <p>Duplex Shades for <b>60c</b></p> <p>All 50c Shades for <b>35c</b></p> <p>All 35c Shades for <b>25c</b></p> <p>All Chiffoniers at Cost.</p> <p>All Chiffrobes at Cost.</p> <p>Wardrobes at Cost.</p> <p>Hall Trees at Cost.</p> <p>1 Flat Top Desk at Cost.</p> <p>All Trunks at cost.</p> <p>All Grips and suit cases <b>AT COST.</b></p> <p>1 Nice Birdseye Maple Desk, regular price \$14.00 <b>SALE PRICE FOR ONLY.. \$11</b></p>	<p>A nice line of <b>PICTURES</b> at a close out price.</p> <p>A big line of children's <b>High Chairs</b> at a close out price. We don't want to ship anything that will bring cost. A good lot of children's Rockers at Cost.</p> <p><b>All Cook Stoves at Cost</b></p> <p>All \$27.50 Stoves for ..... <b>\$20.00</b></p> <p>All 22.50 " " ..... <b>16.50</b></p> <p>All 17.50 " " ..... <b>13.50</b></p> <p>All 16.00 " " ..... <b>11.75</b></p> <p>All 14.00 " " ..... <b>10.50</b></p> <p>All 12.50 " " ..... <b>9.25</b></p> <p>All 10.00 " " ..... <b>6.95</b></p> <p>All 8.00 " " ..... <b>5.00</b></p> <p>All 6.00 " " ..... <b>3.85</b></p>	<p><b>All Kitchen Cabinets</b> <b>At Cost.</b></p>  <p><b>A Fine Lot to Select one from. Call in and look at them and get prices.</b></p>
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**A Fine Assortment of Odd Dressers at Cost.**



\$30.00 Dressers for only	<b>\$21.50</b>
25.00 " " "	<b>18.50</b>
20.00 " " "	<b>14.50</b>
17.50 " " "	<b>12.50</b>
15.00 " " "	<b>11.25</b>
12.50 " " "	<b>9.50</b>
10.00 " " "	<b>7.95</b>
8.50 " " "	<b>6.65</b>
7.50 " " "	<b>5.00</b>



**All Dining Tables**  
**At Cost.**

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Regular \$15.00 Tables For Only .....	<b>\$8.95</b>
All Buffets at COST	
All China Closets at COST	
All Side Boards at COST	
All Kitchen Safes at COST	



**All Library Tables**  
**At Cost.**

Regular \$25.00 Tables For Only .....	<b>\$15.75</b>
Regular \$22.50 Tables For Only .....	<b>\$13.95</b>
Regular \$17.00 Tables For Only .....	<b>\$11.85</b>
Regular \$15.00 Tables For Only .....	<b>\$9.50</b>
All \$2.50 Center Tables For Only .....	<b>\$1.60</b>
All \$2.00 Center Tables For Only .....	<b>\$1.40</b>

**No Goods Will be Charged During This Sale.**

We appreciate the patronage that has been given us during our stay in Haskell and we believe that we have given you good bargains in furniture and the many things in our line. We have lots of bargains to offer you especially during this sale and would be glad to have you call in and look at our stock.

Again thanking you one and all for past favors, we are, yours to please.

# GAMBILL BROS.

HASKELL, - - TEXAS.

Eastman Kodak Supplies

**T ILET ARTICLES**

**WEST SIDE PHARMACY**  
J. R. WALTON, Prop.

**PRESCRIPTION WORK  
A SPECIALTY**

**Lowneys Box Chocolates  
-and-  
KINGS CANDIES**

**BEST LINE OF CIGARS**

SUNDRIES

Our progress is due to your valued orders, says **CHAMBERS**.

Mrs. Will Marr of Aspermont is visiting Mrs. J. S. Keister of this city.

Want to Rent—A stalk field for 100 head of calves. R. W. Herren. 3tpd

We have a lathe and can make new parts for furniture. Wm. Wells.

Bruce Stephenson, of Stamford, spent several days in the city this week.

B. A. Barnes of Arlington spent several days in the city this week.

**Hot and Cold Drinks.**

**SPENCER & RICHARDSON**  
**DRUGGISTS**

*The Rexall Store*

**Allegretti's and Bunte's Candies.**

Crazy Mineral Water

BOOKS--All Kinds.

**LOCAL NOTES**

Mustard greens at the City Gro.

Fresh vegetables at the City Grocery.

Go to the Racket Store for enameled ware.

Mackerel and white fish at Co-Operative Store.

M. Pace made a business trip to Bartlett last week.

Walter Beavers of Munday was in the city Monday.

K. Collier of Wichita Falls was in the city Tuesday.

Turnips, radishes and mustard at the City Grocery.

Fresh sweet and sour pickles at Co-Operative Store.

Mrs. D. E. Holcomb left Tuesday for Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Henry Brown left for Bell county Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Duyall have returned from Mississippi.

Andy Carothers has returned from a visit to De Leon.

W. D. Koonce came in Wednesday from a business trip.

W. F. Draper has renewed for a year with the Free Press.

Swans Down prepared cake flour at Co-Operative Store.

See the show window at the Racket Store for bargains. tf

I have a litter of choice pigs for sale, reasonable. F. T. Sanders. tf

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Turrentine spent Wednesday at Stamford.

Mrs. John Carothers, returned last week from a visit to Waco.

Cub stove polish is the best. McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co. tf

Varr's pure honey is the best. Try a can at Co-Operative Store.

Oils, bands and new Singer sewing machines at Wm. Wells.

M. S. Shook has returned from a prospecting trip to South Texas.

Have you tried one of those delicious hot Chocolates at Spencer & Richardson's?

J. D. Roberts of the northeast side left Tuesday for Bryan, Texas.

G. T. McCulloch left Monday night for Forth Worth and other points.

Currants, raisins, citron, orange and lemon peel at Co-Operative Store.

Why not swap your old sewing machine to Wm. Wells for a new Singer.

Henry Johnson will insure your live stock against death from any cause.

City Marshal, French came in on the Wichita Valley Wednesday night.

Come and see the Basket Ball Game Thanksgiving, Abilene vs. Haskell.

Try a can of our E. Z. stove polish. McNeill & Smith Hardware Co. tf

Assortment of fresh evaporated fruits just received at Co-Operative Store.

Follow the procession and you will reap a harvest of bargains at C. M. Hunt's.

A good line of bran, maize, chops, corn chops and shelled corn at Sims'. tf

We will need you at the Basket Ball Game Thanksgiving, Abilene vs. Haskell.

Wait to see our line of holiday goods to arrive soon. Spencer & Richardson.

For Sale or Trade—A good surrey. See M. H. Gilliam, Haskell, Texas. tf

R. D. C. Stephens has charge of the Grocery Department of C. D. Grissom and Son.

Fresh pie fruits in two, three and one gallon cans. Haskell Co-Operative Store.

Mrs. J. S. Barnett and son, and Miss Stenson, returned from Austin and San Antonio last week.

Mrs. Joe Irby of Van Horn, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander of this city.

Mr. J. C. Pence has added two rooms and a hall to his residence. This was done with cotton money.

Mrs. L. T. Cunningham who has been visiting her parents in this city left Monday night for Waco.

**A word to the wise: Buy your coal and grain of CHAMBERS.**

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard spent last week with Sid Post and family at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Robertson of Vontress were in the city Monday Shopping.

Elder Lee P. Mansfield left Monday night for Waco to hold a ten day meeting.

Rev. R. W. Thompson left Tuesday for Waco to attend the Baptist convention.

Fresh cheese, spaghetti and macaroni just received at Co-Operative Store.

Mr. McGregor who lives near Rule made a business trip to South Texas last week.

Mrs. S. E. Ryburn, of Godley, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Jones of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee left Monday night for Anson to make their future home.

We will expect you at the Basket Ball Game Thanksgiving, Abilene vs. Haskell.

Give us your support at the Basket Ball Game Thanksgiving, Abilene vs. Haskell.

**THE CORNER DRUG STORE Will Appreciate Your Business**

C. P. Plum Pudding Ready for the table. Haskell Co-Operative

A through chair car between Rotan and Waco has been put on the Texas Central. tf

Let The Club Tailoring Company do your cleaning and pressing. Phone No. 10. tf

Three of the best grades of coal. If you want good coal come and see me. Sims. tf

Bakers Breakfast Cocoa, sweet and bitter chocolate. Co-Operative Store.

David Garnier paid us the cash Monday and set his subscription account a year ahead.

Mrs. J. M. Perry of Rochester has returned from a visit to relatives in Central Texas.

The Club Tailoring Company makes a specialty of ladies work. Try us. Phone No. 10.

J. W. Dyer took his daughter to Stamford sanitarium Sunday night to be operated on.

Come in and visit with us. You are always welcome. E. A. CHAMBERS.

Good white cups and saucers 50 cents at the Racket Store. tf

No chance for a mistake when you phone 157. That gets Chambers' food and coal store.

S. T. Brewer and son J. F. Brewer of Mountainview, Arkansas, have moved to Haskell county.

J. I. Clarke and W. E. Clarke of the South side made a business trip to South Texas last week.

We have a few pick sacks left that we will sell at a bargain. Haskell Co-Operative Assn.

The best is none too good for you. Give Chambers your coal and grain business. Phone 157.

For Sale—A nice residence lot in the city of Haskell. Address owner. W. D. Bass, Cornith, Miss. 47-5tpd

J. F. McClintock has a contract to build a house at Crosbyton and has gone to that place for a few weeks.

Mrs. L. T. Cunningham, who has been visiting her parents in this city, left Monday night for Waco.

White Swan teas and coffee are the best at Co-Operative Store.

Lost—A white and black spotted hound; has red speckled ears. Notify C. W. Wilson, Haskell, Texas. 2t-pd

The City Garage has sold Marion Robertson a Hasley-Davidson motor-cycle, 1912, four horse power.

Someone borrowed my wheel barrow and as I may need it I would be obliged to have it returned. J. E. Walling.

T. M. Murray left Thursday night for Fort Worth, and will probably extend his visit to California.

Fred Irby of Kent, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Irby returned home Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Hudson returned Monday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Robertson of Weinert.

Glassware 33 per cent off at the Racket Store. tf

Good brooms at 25 cents at the Racket Store. tf

\$1.00 buys a \$1,000 accident insurance policy in a good company. Get one from C. W. Ramey. 34tf

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Carr spent several days this week at Abilene, where they attended the wedding of a friend.

Pumpkin Yam Potatoes, green tomatoes, pepper and spices for making chow, chow at Co-Operative Store.

Dudley Boone came in from his ranch Saturday and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boone.

For Rent—A nice four room cottage in North Haskell. See Will Brewer, at Parsons & Brewer's jewelry store. 2t

J. J. Hammock, who has been visiting his relative, J. J. Guest, returned to his home at Gorman Monday night.

Assortment of fresh nuts at Co-Operative Store.

Confectioners and Domino sugar at Co-Operative Store.

Coffee that's all coffee—high quality coffee. Chase & Sanborn's coffees on sale only at F. G. Alexander & Son's.

Our abstract books are complete and up-to-date. Get your abstracts from Sanders & Wilson. (tf)

The lightest and best cake is made with Swan's Down prepared cake flour. Try a package at Co-Operative Store.

Last Wednesday we met W. C. Speck of O'Brien on the streets who handed us a dollar on subscription account.

Francis Baker, assistant cashier of the bank at Lockney, visited his uncle, Postmaster J. B. Baker, of this city Saturday.

We want to trade a piano and take an iron safe on it. Will give a bargain in Piano. Conley-Corbett Piano Co.

Get a machine that will last 40 or 50 years and always do good work. That is the Singer at Wm. Wells, Singer agent.

Just received a delayed shipment of dry goods that will put our stock in first-class shape for the rest of the sale. C. M. Hunt.

J. A. Copeland of the west side of the county came in on the morning train from a business trip to Central Texas.

McNeill & Smith Hardware Company, the place to buy from. Stoves, stove pipe, elbows and the best stove polish. tf

J. A. Binford of Dallas, Texas, who has been visiting Jas. A. Hankerson of this city returned to his home Wednesday night.

M. E. Park and wife visited the Cotton Palace at Waco, Mr. Park has returned, but Mrs. Park is now visiting in Bell county.

F. M. Morton visited his ranch in Atascosa county and returned the last part of last week.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows giving milk. See L. W. Mayfield, four miles west of Haskell. tf

Gus Grussendorf went to Stamford Thursday night to meet his daughter from South Texas.

Mrs. M. E. Park has returned from Bartlett where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

J. C. Montgomery met us on the street Monday and handed us a dollar on subscription account.

Our large assortment of Holiday goods will soon be on display. Spencer & Richardson.

**PAYING TWICE.**

Most people think they are doing their duty if they pay their bills once and yet it is a fact that, without knowing it, many people do often pay the same bill twice.

The majority of people do not take receipts when they pay money or if they do, it is only part of the time, and the times when they do not are usually the very occasions that come into dispute. The safe way is to carry a checking account in the Farmers National Bank of Haskell and pay all bills with checks. Then you get the very best form of receipt for every dollar paid out and you can be absolutely sure never to pay any bill but once. Checks are a great convenience in other ways. You can mail a check instead of having to go in person to pay a bill. And you can always make exact change with a check.

**The Farmers National Bank,**  
**R. C. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.**

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A factor  
for pure food  
ante-dating all state  
and national food laws

**DR. PRICE'S**  
CREAM  
**BAKING POWDER**

No Alum—No Phosphates

Be on your guard. Alum Pow-  
ders may be known by their  
price—10 or 25c. a lb.,  
or one cent an  
ounce.

Vegetables, fruits and nuts  
fresh at Co-Operative Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Frierson and  
Mrs. T. A. Ward of Albany, who  
have been visiting in this city, re-  
turned home Tuesday night.

T. H. McClure and wife and  
Clarence McClure of Weinert  
spent Sunday with the family of  
J. W. Robertson of this city.

Mrs. S. E. Corbin of Holbert,  
Okla., who has been visiting her  
daughter, Mrs. Gambill of this  
city left for her home Tuesday.

Sweet and sour pickles, Lee  
& Perin sauce and many other  
condiments of the best brands at  
the Haskell Co-Operative Store.

You take no chance on getting  
the very best of candies when you  
say Allegretti or Dunte's, just  
arrived at Spencer & Richardson.

J. T. Newton and family, of  
Weinert, returned home Wednes-  
day night after a visit to their  
daughter, Mrs. Lester, at this  
place.

Mrs. Rena Buchanan of this  
city was called Monday to the  
bedside of her son Bertrand, who  
was stabbed by a Mexican at El  
Paso.

Judge J. W. Kelly of Rule, pas-  
sed through here Tuesday on his  
return from the oil fields near  
Wichita Falls in which he is inter-  
ested.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis C. Brand,  
who have been visiting the family  
of Capt. N. H. C. Elliott, left Mon-  
day night for their home in Cali-  
fornia.

A. B. Carothers of Rochester  
was in the city Monday. Mr.  
Carothers is a pioneer farmer,  
having come to Haskell county in  
the 80's.

C. C. Eastland of this city traded  
his home in the north part of Has-  
kell, to Sid Post of Waco, for a  
black land farm eight miles south  
of that city.

Big crowds have attended C. M.  
Hunts Big Sale this week. The  
sale lasts until December 2. You  
can't afford to miss this great  
money-saving event.

D. G. Hisey of Spur, was in this  
city Wednesday. Mr. Hisey lived  
in this county for many years and  
was a pioneer farmer on Paint  
Creek in this county.

It is surprising how cheap you  
can fill your bins now with coal.  
Can you afford to overlook such  
an opportunity? Ask for prices of  
Chambers, phone 157.

L. T. Cunningham, county su-  
perintendent of public instruction  
of Jones county, and Mrs. Cun-  
ningham spent Sunday with the  
family of W. T. Hudson.

**The ideal domestic fuel,  
Primrose, Primrose Coal.  
Our customers are satis-  
fied customers. Phone  
157 to CHAMBERS.**

We are requested to announce  
that Bishop B. A. Temple, of the  
West Texas Episcopal Diocese,  
and Rev. E. C. Seaman will hold  
Episcopal services at the Presby-  
terian church Sunday afternoon,  
at 3:30 o'clock, November 26th.  
The public has a cordial invitation  
to be present.

Wake up and come to M. A.  
Clifton's to get first class flour,  
fuel, wood and coal. Then if you  
are not satisfied phone 239 and  
your money back. M. A. Clifton.

Northcutt and Ashcraft are  
the people to do your hauling.  
Our drays are always easy to  
find. Services prompt and  
reasonable charges. Phone  
No. 45.

D. M. Starnes, of Santa Anna,  
came in Friday night to visit re-  
latives here. He came in while here  
and paid 50 cents to keep the  
paper going to him. Says the pa-  
per is like a letter from home  
every week.

J. A. Couch spent several days  
last week at Waco. Mr. Couch  
met Mrs. Curtis, the temperance  
lecturer to whom he is related,  
while at Waco. Mrs. Curtis had  
not forgotten Haskell and said  
she desired to visit this place  
again.

For Sale—809 acres of unim-  
proved land 2 1/2 or 3 miles north-  
east of Haskell. All tillable.  
Sited near extremity of street  
car line. Fenced. Price \$30 per  
acre. For particulars address  
T. C. McPherson, Alvarado,  
Texas. 47-4t

LADIES—We have an expert  
cleaner and presser, who makes a  
specialty of ladies' work. Work  
called for and delivered. Call the  
Club Tailoring Company, phone  
No. 10.

I can deliver promptly. I am  
the only man offering handpicked  
Primrose Rugby coal. My coal  
has a standard for excellence for  
many years. E. A. CHAMBERS.

Of course this is the same su-  
preme flour made by the Graham  
Mill & Elevator Co. 10000 lbs.  
just arrived. Every sack guaran-  
teed. Phone 239. M. A. Clifton.

Rev. R. C. McAdie, Presbyterian  
minister, returned from Galveston  
Tuesday night and will preach  
next Sunday morning and night.  
While gone Mr. McAdie paid a  
brief visit to old friends at Austin,  
Lampasas and Taylor.

J. W. Gardner, from near Stam-  
ford, was in the city Wednesday  
and called at the Free Press office.  
We were sorry to hear Mr. Gar-  
dner say he would soon move to  
Arkansas. He has been a resi-  
dent of Haskell county for 22  
years.

Elder J. S. Newman of Glenrose,  
a Primitive Baptist, will preach at  
the Presbyterian church in this  
city Friday, December 1st, at 11  
a. m. and at night. Everybody is  
invited. Go to hear him and you  
will hear something good.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Draper and  
children returned Sunday night  
from Seymour, where they had  
been visiting their daughter, Mrs.  
J. W. Lowry. Mrs. Lowry re-  
turned with them and will remain  
several days with her parents.

Judge J. E. Poole, the Commer-  
cial Club Secretary, returned  
Tuesday from Waco where he  
won a prize for the best agricul-  
tural exhibit. Judge Poole went  
to Dallas a few years ago and won  
the blue ribbon. Haskell county  
never fails to win at the fairs.

Your inquiries will re-  
ceive our prompt and con-  
siderate attention. We  
are in the business to  
serve. CHAMBERS.

The Conley-Corbet Company  
have a stock of 37 new pianos.  
These instruments are standard  
pianos, and are sold on easy  
terms. Call at their store and let  
them make it easy for you to have  
one of these instruments in your  
home.

New and modern electric light-  
ed latest Pullman tourist sleep-  
ing cars between Waco and Ro-  
tan have been put on by the Tex-  
as Central. Every convenience  
can be had on this road. Travel  
on this road if you want the best  
service.

The thousands of well  
pleased customers are  
using just the coal I am  
handling. Why don't you  
join the ranks?  
CHAMBERS.

8 PER CENT MONEY—We are  
again ready to make desirable  
farm loans and extend vendor's  
lien notes at above rate.

Scott & Key,  
Attorneys and Abstracters.

Judge S. W. Scott received a  
commission from Gov. O. B. Col-  
quitt this week appointing him a  
delegate to represent the state of  
Texas at the conference concern-  
ing the inter-shipment of liquor in-  
to prohibition territory to be held  
at Washington, Dec. 14th. Mr.  
Scott is one of four prohibitionists  
appointed in this matter, and Has-  
kell appreciates this distinction of  
her worthy citizen. Judge Scott  
says if he can make arrangements  
to leave his business affairs he ex-  
pects to go.

On occasion of Mrs. H. G. McCon-  
nell's birthday anniversary last  
Wednesday, Judge McConnell  
planned a most delightful surprise.  
An elegant dinner had been pre-  
pared, a few guests invited to  
share the celebration, without even  
a hint to Mrs. McConnell, and  
with his usual thoughtfulness,  
nothing was spared to make it a  
most joyous and memorable af-  
fair. The rooms were gorgeous  
with hot-house blooms, immense  
chrysanthemums, roses, lilies and  
carnations and it was a veritable  
fairland in which was drunk the  
health of the charming hostess and  
the generous host.

At the last meeting of the  
Mothers' Club the subject "The  
Value of Sympathetic Understand-  
ing Between Teacher and Child  
and Between Parent and Child"  
was interestingly discussed by the  
members of the club. The discus-  
sion by Mrs. Lew Ellis from a  
teacher's standpoint was very  
helpful as well as entertaining.  
The discussion by Mrs. C. D. Long  
from the parent standpoint was  
also a very edifying one. We  
have the paper read by Mrs. Long,  
which will be of great interest to  
the public, but on account of lack  
of space we are unable to give it  
this week, but will print it next  
week, and urge every parent and  
child to read it.

Big oaks from little  
acorns grow. Big results  
from little money invest-  
ed when placed with  
CHAMBERS.

A dispatch in the daily papers  
of the 19th inst., announces the  
stabbing of Bertram Buchanan,  
near El Paso, by a Mexican. It  
seems that Bertram with some  
other Americans were at a dance,  
and one of the other boys became  
involved in a difficulty with a  
Mexican and knocked the Mexican  
down and ran. The Mexican  
when he arose drew his knife and  
stabbed the first American he saw,  
which happened to be Bertram.  
The wound was in the right lung  
and is considered very serious.  
His mother, Mrs. Buchanan, who  
lives here, went at once to him up-  
on learning of his condition, but  
up to the hour of going to press  
no news of his condition has been  
learned and we are not prepared  
to inform Bertram's many friends  
here. The Free Press hopes, how-  
ever, that the old saying that no  
news is good news is true in this  
instance and that Bertram will  
soon recover from his wound  
without serious results.

Subscribe for the Free Press.

# The Big Store

IS TRULY

## THE BOYS' STORE

An Authority on Children  
once said: "From ten to six-  
teen years of age, any boy  
may be said to be in the sav-  
age stage. So give him all  
the healthy outdoor freedom  
he craves, but dress him to  
enjoy that freedom; then he  
will learn to respect himself  
and earn the respect of his  
fellows."

For the healthy sport-loving Ameri-  
can Boy, "BEST-EVER" Clothes are ideal.  
They are constructed of all-wool fabrics,  
built big and roomy to allow the freedom of  
motion, thoroughly rain-proofed and ade-  
quately reinforced in every detail.

Just ask us for the "BEST-EVER."  
we are showing a vast assortment in sizes  
from 7 to 17. Priced from \$3.00 to \$9.50.

Ever keeping the needs of the boys  
in the forefront of our minds, we have  
this year taken more pains than ever be-  
fore in selecting their clothes.

We have a large assortment of boys odd pants  
priced from 75c to \$2.00 the pair.

Boys Security School Shoes priced from \$2.00  
to \$3.00. The best boys shoes manufactured at  
any price.

# F. G. Alexander & Sons

THE BIG STORE

### Died

After a long illness, Mrs. Alice  
Carothers died at her home in  
this city, Monday Nov. 20th 1911.  
She was born, Feb. 15, 1849.  
Mrs. Carothers moved to this  
county about 25 years ago with  
her husband S. E. Carothers,  
who survives her. Mrs. Car-  
others was a typical Southern  
wife and mother, and had been  
for many years a member of the  
Christian church. Her life has  
been one of quiet devotion to her  
family, which is attested by the  
worthy sons and daughters, who  
survive her. She has filled the  
highest mission of a woman.  
She never wasted her opportuni-  
ties or time on social convention-  
alities, nor the caprice of foolish  
fashion. She was indeed a  
mother to her children and a  
wife to her husband. Such  
women should be the ideal of the  
young and it is befitting that we  
pay her this humble tribute.  
Her remains were laid to rest  
in the Haskell Cemetery, Nov.  
21st. The funeral was attended

by a large concourse of people.  
The Free Press extends con-  
dolence to the bereaved family  
and prays they may be com-  
forted.

### Elks Memorial Program

Memorial Service of Haskell  
Lodge No. 1158 of the Benevolent  
and Protective Order of Elks to  
be held in their lodge room on  
Sunday evening December 3rd  
1911, at 8 o'clock.

Opening Exercises—By Lodge.  
Quartet.—  
Song.—  
Invocation—Rev. W. P. Garvin.  
Memorial Sermon—Rev. Ran-  
ald McDonald.  
Male Quartet.—  
Lodge—Closing Ceremony.  
Song.—  
Benediction.—

The public is cordially invited  
to attend these services.  
Done by order of Haskell  
Lodge No. 1158 Benevolent and  
Protective Order of Elks. Jno.  
B. Baker Exalted Ruler; Hardy  
Grissom Secretary.

# \$5000 STOCK CLOTHING

## — AT COST —

We are overstocked on Men and Boys clothing which we must sell at once. Beginning Saturday November 18th, we will offer for Cash all our stock of Men and Boys Suits, overcoats and odd pants at prices to suit the adverse condition which our county is now facing.



We bought our clothing early in order to get the best patterns and styles, but since buying, our crops have failed and we now have a heavy stock which we must sell at once, as we are needing the money. It is not our policy to advertise cut prices unless we intend doing exactly what we say and we would be glad to have you see our goods and prices so that you will know that we are sincere in making you these prices



Below we give some of our prices which will enable you to see that we want to sell the goods

<b>MENS SUITS</b> \$20.00 Suits sale price ..... <b>\$14.75</b> 17.50 " " " ..... <b>12.00</b> 15.00 " " " ..... <b>10.50</b> 13.50 " " " ..... <b>9.50</b> 12.50 " " " ..... <b>8.75</b> 10.00 " " " ..... <b>7.50</b>	<b>BOYS SUITS, SHORT KNICKERBOCKER PANTS</b> \$7.50 suits Sale price ..... <b>\$5.95</b> 6.00 " " " ..... <b>4.75</b> 5.00 " " " ..... <b>3.75</b> 4.50 " " " ..... <b>3.00</b> 4.00 " " " ..... <b>2.95</b> 3.50 " " " ..... <b>2.50</b> 2.50 " " " ..... <b>1.95</b>	<b>BOYS OVERCOATS</b> \$5.00 Coats Sale price ..... <b>\$3.75</b> 4.00 " " " ..... <b>2.75</b> 3.00 " " " ..... <b>2.25</b> All boys pants in this Sale.
<b>MENS OVERCOATS</b> \$15.00 Coats Sale price ..... <b>\$10.95</b> 12.50 " " " ..... <b>8.95</b> 8.00 " " " ..... <b>5.75</b> 7.50 " " " ..... <b>5.25</b> 5.00 " " " ..... <b>3.95</b>	<b>One lot boys suits, plain short pants regular price \$4.25 and \$4.50 Sale price \$2.25</b>	<b>MENS ODD PANTS</b> \$6.00 Pants Sale Price ..... <b>\$4.75</b> 5.00 " " " ..... <b>3.95</b> 4.50 " " " ..... <b>3.45</b> 4.00 " " " ..... <b>2.95</b> 3.50 " " " ..... <b>2.45</b> 3.00 " " " ..... <b>2.15</b> 2.50 " " " ..... <b>2.00</b>

YOU ALL KNOW WHAT IT MEANS WHEN THIS HOUSE PUTS ON A SALE. SEE US, IT WILL PAY YOU

# ROBERTSON BROS. CO.