

LEE PLEADS RAMSEY'S CAUSE

Hon. Brown F. Lee of San Angelo addressed a fair sized audience at the court house on last Friday night in behalf of the candidacy of Judge W. F. Ramsey for Governor.

The speaker was introduced with a few happy remarks by Judge Jas. P. Kinnard, an old friend.

Mr. Lee in his first remarks, showed where Governor Colquitt had been going around over the State, violently misrepresenting the facts. He said that he understood that Governor Colquitt had made a speech in Haskell as in other towns in which he exhibited a large 60 inch leather bat, calling it the "Red Heifer" and claiming that he had abolished the use of this bat since his election as Governor, while in truth and in fact, the speaker said, Governor Colquitt had nothing to do with the abolishment of this bat, and he called attention to the fact that the law now covering the penitentiary system of the State and which abolished the bat and made many reformatory in our prison system was passed by the legislature September 9, 1910, during Governor Campbell's Administration, which was before Governor Colquitt had even been elected Governor, and that by the express provisions of Section 62 of that act, it was provided that it should not take effect until January 20, 1911, after Governor Colquitt's election and inauguration. That the same law provides that no gambling shall be permitted at any prison, farm, or camp, where prisoners are kept or worked, and that any officer or employee knowingly permitting gambling at such prison, farm, or camp, shall be immediately dismissed from service, and both the moral training and education of the prisoners were provided for by said act, and that Governor Colquitt was evidently endeavoring to sail under false colors by claiming to be the author of these acts when in truth and in fact he had nothing to do with it. That the statements which the Governor makes about what he has done in regard to the management of the prison system are not true, and that he seemingly is intentionally trying to mislead the people of the State on this question, and that the said act of the legislature expressly provides that the strap to be used in whipping the convicts must be of leather not over 2 1/2 inches wide and 24 inches long, which shall be attached to a wooden handle, and that not more than twenty lashes shall be administered to the prisoner, and asked the people to contrast this strap of 24 inches, the only one now permitted by law to be used in the punishment of prisoners, with the 60 inch strap flourished pathetically by the Governor, and then say whether the Governor is not trying to mislead the people of Texas, and play upon their feelings. He insisted that the Governor occupying the high official position he does, ought to be fair with the people who have honored him.

Mr. Lee further stated that the law governing the penitentiary system adopted by the legislature during Campbell's Administration, which is the present law on the subject, is a

good law, needing, possibly, here and there some amendments, and that with the proper persons as prisoner commissioners the prison system could be made self-sustaining after the law had been put in good working order.

Mr. Lee was on the penitentiary investigating committee that made investigation of the entire prison system and aided in the preparation of the present law on the subject and hence knows about what he was speaking.

In advocating the candidacy of Judge Ramsey for Governor, Mr. Lee stated that Judge Ramsey was pre-eminently qualified to fill this high position and that Ramsey was advocating the enacting into law several important changes in our judicial procedure. That four of the best Governors Texas ever had had first served the State on the Supreme Court bench, namely: Hemphill, Richard Coke, O. M. Roberts and John Ireland had occupied positions on the Supreme Court bench, and that Judge Ramsey had occupied positions on both the Court of Criminal Appeals and Supreme Court benches, and that if elected Governor he was in a better position to recommend such changes in our judicial procedure both civil and criminal as would prove greatly beneficial to litigants and the people general. Mr. Lee stated that in all his experience during this campaign he had never found a Johnson county man, the home of Judge Ramsey, who was not his ardent supporter except one, the father of a man whom Governor Colquitt had pardoned from the penitentiary.

During his speech he also stated that Judge Ramsey advocated the raising of the school age from 7 to 20 years instead of 7 to 17 as now, and also the closing of the saloons from sunset to sunup, two bills vetoed by Gov. Colquitt.

Mr. Lee is a fluent speaker, a logical reasoner, and made a splendid impression upon his audience, which ought to result in great good to the candidacy of Judge Ramsey in Haskell County.

Milo Maize Club Meeting.

I hereby call a meeting of the boy's and girl's milo maize club to be held in the court house in Haskell, on Thursday, July 11th. The meeting will open at 9:30 a. m. We desire a good attendance of the members at this meeting as there will be some noted speakers present to make addresses, among whom will be Hon. J. L. Quicksall, of Waco, who is State Agent in the Demonstration Work. We want to give the members some training as to how to select their exhibit next fall, and in order to encourage the matter a prize of \$3.00 will be given for the best 10 heads of milo maize or kaffir corn brought in by the members from their plats on this day. The second best will win a prize of \$2.00. If your maize is not headed don't let that prevent your attending the meeting and getting the valuable instructions that will be given. If you can't bring any maize heads, come anyway. Arrangements have been made by the business men to give free dinner to the members on this day. There will be music by the band. It is to each member's interest that they attend, as there will be some valuable instructions given at this meeting. This meeting will

IMPORTANT AGRI- CULTURAL MEETING

Central West Texas Agricultural Association Will Meet in Haskell July 11. INTERESTING PROGRAM

The next meeting of the Central West Texas Agricultural Association will be held in Haskell, Texas, July, 11th., 1912. The organization is for the material upbuilding of Central West Texas, and the citizens of Haskell and Haskell County extend a hearty invitation to all of their neighbors to attend the meeting.

A strong program has been arranged for the occasion and is one of distinctive importance to Central West Texas. It is as follows:

PROGRAM

Called to order at 9:45 a. m. by the President, Hon. A. D. McLaughlin, Hamlin, Texas.

Address of Welcome, Judge S. W. Scott, President Haskell Board of Trade.

Response, Judge L. M. Buie, Stamford, Texas.

Address—"Raising Broom Corn in Central West Texas," Geo. E. Courtney, Haskell.

Address—"My Farming Experience in Central West Texas," A. H. Carlton, McCauley.

Address—"The Aims of Farm Demonstration Work," Hon. J. L. Quicksall, Field Agent for West Texas. Agricultural Exhibit.

Dinner.

1:30 p. m.

Awarding of Prizes, Agricultural exhibit.

Addresses—"Relation of Agriculture and Education," L. T. Cunningham, County Supt. Jones County, and T. C. Williams, County Supt. Haskell County.

Introduction of Boys and Girl's Maize and Corn Club of Haskell County, by A. M. Latham, Farm Demonstrator of Haskell County.

Address—"Is Hog Raising in Central West Texas Practical?" C. C. French, Fort Worth Stock Yards Co., Fort Worth, Texas.

Address—"Peanut Culture," Capt. C. M. Waters, President National Peanut Growers Association.

General Discussion.

Business Session.

AGRICULTURAL PRIZES

The following general prizes are offered by the business men of Haskell:

To all farmers attending from Jones, Taylor, Fisher, Stonewall, Crosby, Haskell and Knox Counties.

For 10 Best Heads Maize, 1st. prize \$1.50; 2nd prize \$1.00.

For 10 Best Heads Kaffir, 1st prize \$1.50; 2nd prize \$1.00.

For Best Developed Stalk Cotton, 1st prize \$1.00; 2nd prize 75c and 3rd. prize 50c.

For Best Watermelon, 1st. prize, \$1.50, 2nd prize \$1.00.

For Best Bundle Wheat, 1st. prize, \$1.00, 2nd prize 50c.

For Best Bundle Oats, 1st prize \$1.00; 2nd prize, 50c.

For Best Bundle Millet, 1st prize \$1.00, 2nd prize 50c.

For Best Collective Exhibit from one farm, of farm, garden and orchard products, 1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd prize \$2.50.

The above prizes are offered by the citizens of Haskell. There are no other prizes, but it will be of interest and value to all for farmers to bring specimens of other crops, especially of any unusual or new crops being tried, and they are urged to do so.

The following prizes are offered to the Boys and Girl's Milo Maize Club of Haskell County:

For 10 Best Heads Maize or Kaffir, 1st. prize \$2.50.

For 10 2nd Best Heads Maize or Kaffir, 2nd prize \$1.50.

For 10 3rd Best Heads Maize or Kaffir 3rd prize \$1.00.

The railroads have given rates on the convention basis for this meeting and the business men and farmers generally of Central West Texas are not only invited, but are urged to attend this important meeting.

This section of Texas has recently been favored with splendid rains and a splendid crop is practically assured. Let's have a rousation meeting at Haskell, July 11, 1912, and work together for the upbuilding of Central West Texas.

Very truly yours,

A. D. McLaughlin, Hamlin, President.
J. E. Poole, Haskell, Vice-President.
Homer D. Wade, Stamford, Secretary.

be of great importance, and we want to make it the best one held this year so far. Parents are asked to co-operate with us in getting their children who are members to attend, and they are invited to be present also, as there will be something all day.

Now, boys and girls, try to be on hand at the opening hour, and let's make this a pleasant and profitable day. If you have your badge, wear it, and if you haven't got a badge, see me when you get to town and get one.

Hoping to see every boy and girl in the county that belongs to the maize club present on this great day, I am,

Your friend,

A. M. Latham,

Special agent U. S. Dept. Agri.

Sunday School Picnic.

On Friday June 21, the Sunday School at the Roberts School House gave a picnic. An elaborate program was rendered by the school consisting of songs, recitations and drills. A splendid basket dinner then the candidates for office were given an opportunity to address the audience. The speeches were most of them good and high toned, spiced with wit and repartee. There were many from town who attended, and were loud in their praise of the Roberts community for the hospitable manner in which they entertained the immense crowd. The table was simply loaded down with pastries and cakes as well as baked meats and chicken pies.

Good Crops.

Last Tuesday evening, our reporter took a little drive in the country. The first stop was with W. D. Kemp near town. We found Mr. Kemp at home and alone. He reported a small feed crop which he said was doing well. The next stop was with S. D. Roberts whom we found down in his field plowing his cotton. He has 40 acres in cotton looking well, 30 acres in maize, 8 acres in kaffir corn, and four acres in millet. These crops are doing well. We then visited J. S. Stephens, who reported a good crop, and gave his subscription to the Free Press. Our next stop was at Jno. F. Cox's place. Mr. Cox had held up an auto and made T. C. Williams give him his seat in the shade and was trying to rob Ira Ellis out of an insurance policy. The next stop was at the home of E. V. Irwin who was down in his field plowing out a fine piece of cotton. Mr. Irwin gave us his subscription to the Free Press. In this neighborhood we located a good watermelon patch belonging to Mr. Cox. The next stop was at the home of Mr. Hewitt. This gentleman was in his field plowing cotton and as it was the first time we ever caught him at work we did not disturb him. The next stop was at Mr. R. P. Glenns place, who was not at home. We stopped a few minutes at Mr. Cunningham's place, and found that he was down in the field plowing and as it was late we passed on. We passed Mr. J. H. Wheeler and son on B. C. Dukes place, as they were plowing out cotton, and talked a few minutes with them. Mr. Wheeler has 100 acres of fine cotton, 42 acres of maize and kaffir, looking splendid and will plant 30 acres of stubble in maize and kaffir. He and his son, who is about 12 years old have cultivated this big crop and it looks fine. Mr. Duke is in Kentucky and we feel sure he will be pleased to see this good report in the Free Press.

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COUNTY SING- ING CONVENTION

The East Haskell County Singing Convention met with the Ballew class last Sunday and a fine day was spent. During the day there were probably 1000 or more people present to enjoy the delightful exercises. A magnificent dinner was spread under a large tent, and there was plenty for all and to spare. Three things are very much in evidence on these singing convention occasions, viz: Plenty of good singing, plenty of good things to eat and a hearty good fellowship for those who may attend. The occasion at Ballew was no exception to this rule.

At 10 o'clock a. m. Judge A. J. Smith delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the people of that community, and it had the true ring of welcome in it that characterized the good citizenship of Ballew. President Geo. E. Courtney with well chosen words responded in a happy vein, voicing the sentiments of the people in expressing their appreciation of so warm a welcome. The forenoon was devoted to convention singing, in which everybody joined with enthusiasm.

Dinner over, at 1 o'clock a business session was called. After the business of this convention had been disposed of, John B. Lamkins took charge and a county organization was effected. The following officers were elected: J. M. Riley, president; H. H. Mansfield, vice-president; Claude Massey, Secretary; Judge A. J. Smith, Chairman. Judge Smith kindly tendered the use of the court house to the first meeting of the convention in the court house, the time to be determined and announced later by a committee appointed for that purpose. The following committee will have that matter in charge: John B. Lamkin, Geo. E. Courtney and James A. Greer.

When this matter had been disposed of singing was resumed. A number of classes were called on and promptly responded with good songs. Professors Laney, Cooner and Warren, singers of note and teachers of vocal music, rendered quite a number of special numbers to the delight of all who heard them. It was a feast of songs, and all who were present enjoyed listening to the splendid songs so efficiently rendered by the different classes. The senior editor of the Free Press attended in the forenoon and the junior editor in the afternoon, and it did our hearts good to meet the people of this convention and enjoy the hymns of praise to our Savior. In this connection we desire to say that we hope when the county convention meets in Haskell that there will be a large attendance.

We feel safe in promising the hearty co-operation of the citizens of the town, and there is great promise for a splendid occasion for all—both the people from the country and the town.

Constructive Laws.

One question that should be asked of every law affecting property is "will it build". There are other important functions that a law should perform but unless it possesses life-giving substance, it becomes a stumbling-block to society and a snare-crow to progress.

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LOCAL NOTES

Can Haskell people afford to eat Stamford bread? 2t

Mrs. J. S. Stephens is visiting in Jones county.

There was a good rain at Weinert Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bell have moved to Bastrop.

J. Johnson of Teague, Texas, is moving to Haskell.

Bring your eggs and poultry to Co-operative Store.

For Sale—Clean cane seed. P. P. Quattlebaum. 4tp.

Hugh Smith made a business to Weinert Tuesday.

Willis Posey visited friends at McConnell last week.

Chas. Boardner of Aspermont was in Haskell Monday.

Buy Haskell bread and keep Haskell money in Haskell. 2t

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones of Rule were in the city Tuesday.

Join our club, \$1.00 per month. Club Tailoring Co.

Wanted—\$3,000 worth of Haskell Co. scrip. J. H. Meadors.

A. R. Couch and wife of Weinert spent Sunday in this city.

We are in the market for poultry and eggs, Co-operative Store.

Why have your wife to do it when you can get it done for \$1.00 per month by the Club Tailoring Co?

T. P. Chitwood left Thursday for Denton county on a business trip.

W. C. McLain and Dr. Nolen of Weinert were in the city Wednesday.

Buy your bread from the City Bakery and patronize home industry. 2t

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Couch of Aspermont spent Sunday in Haskell.

You can't expect to keep a bakery in Haskell unless you patronize it. 2t

Mabrey Lackey and family spent Sunday with relatives at Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennis Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Russell Wednesday.

Get your Red Ant Destroyer at Corner Drug Store. Guaranteed to kill them.

Wanted—I want to buy 500 guineas and turkeys, any age. M. A. Clifton.

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R. C. Montgomery, V. P.
L. Gilham, Asst. Cashier.

WANTED—Men with teams to plant oat stubble. W. E. Bland, Haskell, Texas.

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

Buy a club membership for \$1.00 per month. Club Tailoring Co.

Mrs. R. V. Robertson has returned from a visit to her parents at Seymour, Texas.

Call at this office and see our Oliver typewriter, it's a dandy and it's for sale or trade. 21-tf

Mrs. E. H. Johnson of Aspermont was the guest of Mrs. Will A. Dunwoody Monday.

Frank Tompkins has returned from Waco, where he spent several days last week.

Mr. T. M. Murry and son, Lee left last week for the east to engage in the fruit business.

W. G. Ridge of Fort Worth, who has been visiting his brother, has returned to his home.

Judge H. G. McConnell and son, Master Monroe, returned Sunday from Fort Worth.

S. E. Carothers returned Monday from Tennessee, where he has been visiting for some time.

How can you save money? By joining our club, \$1.00 per month. Club Tailoring Co.

Red Ants are a pest, get rid of them by using Universal Ant Exterminator, at Corner Drug Store.

Come to the City Bakery and let us sell you bread tickets and get your bread fresh as you need it. 2t

You can kill out your red ants with Ant Destroyer. Get it at Corner Drug Store. Guaranteed to kill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Oslin of Beaumont, who have been visiting in this city have returned to their home.

Whit Williams was in town Monday from the south east side, and reported that crops were looking good.

S. G. Dean was over from Swenson in Stonewall county this week, and reports that crops are good over there.

Misses Mary and Emma Nicholson, of Jayton, spent last week in our town, the guests of Mesdames Bowman and Whiteker.

E. H. Addison and Mrs. G. H. Addison of Glenrose, who have been visiting the family of O. M. Addison of Pinkerton, left for their home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ritch of Jacksboro, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Walden of this city, and their daughter, Miss Louise, returned to Jacksboro Monday.

Mesdames J. E. Robertson of Weinert, H. G. McConnell and J. S. Williams of this place and J. L. Jones of Rule are spending a few days at Putnam, Texas.

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. tf

Mrs. Koonce and daughter, Mrs. Nelson, of Campbell, Texas, left for their home Tuesday.

Mrs. Koonce is the mother and Mrs. Nelson the sister of Cecil Koonce of this city.

Kill your red ants with Universal Ant Exterminator, guaranteed to kill them. Corner Drug Store.

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

Mrs. Mark Whitman returned Wednesday from Denton county, where she has been visiting her parents.

Who wants a good Oliver typewriter. We have a good one to sell cheap, or will trade for good milk cow.

Mrs. Overton Crockett of Stamford, who has been visiting Mrs. Jack Simmons, returned to her home Wednesday.

WANTED to TRADE—Surrey or buggy for good horse, suitable for delivery wagon. McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co.

Grover Carothers, Dr. Dunn, Strother Menefee, R. H. Ramby and Jim Reed of Rochester were in Haskell this week.

Dr. Neal, of Dallas, spent several days visiting in this city this week. Dr. Neal and Dr. Neathery were in college together.

Mr. Lee and Miss Willie Stubblefield of Carbon are visiting in the city this week.

500 acres of good land in Okla. to trade for Haskell city property, P. P. Roberts, The Real Estate Man.

Are you going to help Haskell grow, or Stamford? Haskell you say. Well then, buy Haskell bread at the City Bakery. 2t

G. C. McCollough of the north east side was in town Monday, and reported that most of the crops in his community were doing fine.

Mrs. C. L. Asberry and children left Saturday for Jacksboro to make that their future home, Mr. Asberry having gone several days before.

Dave Hughes has returned from Dallas, where he has been for some time having his eyes treated. He thinks he got a great benefit by the treatment.

Rev. E. C. Seaman of Stamford, Pastor of the Episcopal church of this city held services here Sunday. Mrs. Seaman attended the service.

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P. S. Don't forget to call for "Cash Coupon Tickets."

Judge H. G. McConnell returned Friday from Abilene.

R. B. Fowler of the Hughes ranch was in town Thursday.

A. J. Tucker has become a subscriber to the Free Press.

Mrs. M. L. Hubbard is visiting her daughter at Wichita Falls.

B. M. Whiteker returned Friday from a business trip to Winkler county.

Mr. Barnna Jackson of Fort Stockton is visiting friends in the city this week.

Miss Aneta Scott visited several days this week with Miss Zella Peters at Weinert.

Mrs. Agnes Crow of Jayton, is visiting Mesdames Bowman and Whiteker this week.

Miss Lula Humphreys of Avoca, who has been visiting with Mrs. Lackey of this city has returned to her home.

Mrs. J. M. Lee, who has been visiting Mrs. J. M. Murry in this city has returned to her home at Henrietta, Texas.

Elder Lee P. Mansfield of Waco was in the city this week. His family will move to that city, where Rev. Mansfield has the pastorate of a church.

Mrs. A. Chaney, who has been visiting at Wichita Falls, returned to her home in the western part of the county Wednesday.

V. W. Brooks, who taught the Sayles school returned Thursday from Madison county, where he has been visiting his parents.

Mrs. Lewis Marr went to Abilene last week and submitted to an operation for appendicitis. We are glad to report that she is convalescing.

P. P. Roberts closed a deal Tuesday, 612 acres of fine land 4 miles south of Haskell city for 387 acres 1 1/2 miles south of Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas.

Mr. Hardy Grissom was taken to Abilene Tuesday night to be operated on. He stood the operation well and will probably be back soon to his place of business.

Our last serial story, "My Lady of the North," was read with so much interest that we have decided to run another, which begins this week. This is a very thrilling story of the revolutionary war, and is entitled "My Lady of Doubt." Our readers will enjoy this story equally as well as "My Lady of the North." Begin with it this issue, and don't miss an issue.

Important Notice

Unintentionally I failed to get my name on the printed ticket. No one to blame except myself. I am still in the race however for Cotton Weigher and will ask my friends and supporters to write my name on the ticket July 27th, and I will qualify. And will appreciate your confidence.

Respectfully,
A. T. CREWS.

Mayor T. C. Cahill and family returned Thursday evening from Comanche. They made the trip in his auto, running 130 miles in one day.

Mrs. Cresap, of Waco, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Scott Key of this city, returned to her home Monday. Mrs. Key and her children accompanied Mrs. Cresap to her home and will visit her some time.

Mr. W. E. Spencer returned Monday evening with his bride, formerly Miss Vallie Manning of Albany, Texas, to whom he was married Tuesday, the 18th inst., mention of which was made in this paper last week.

Mr. T. G. Carney of O'Brien was in the city Thursday with a load of fine peaches. He presented the Free Press with a crate, for which he has our thanks. May his trees flourish and their shades spread, and the boughs increase the yield of the delicious fruit.

Charley Killingsworth and wife left this week for Corsicana, where Mr. Killingsworth has a very fine position with the Armour people. These young people have many friends in Haskell who regret to lose them from our midst, but whose best wishes will attend them in their new home.

For Sale—320 acre farm adjoining the city limits on the Southwest of Haskell city; 200 acres in fine state of cultivation, all fenced, no other improvements. Price \$35.00 per acre, one-third cash, time on the balance. For further information, write or wire Buchanan and Carter, Killeen, Texas.

A large party from Stamford, composed of L. B. Stephens and family, Mrs. L. A. Sipson, J. R. Rogers and wife, G. E. Guthrie and wife, Miss May Moser, Mrs. Wilder, Mr. Jones and wife, Mr. Robertson and wife, S. C. Simon, John Norris, Mrs. Adams, W. D. Nunn and family, attended the singing at Ballew.

A letter this week from B. C. Duke, at Calvert, Ky., states that conditions in that state were not very bright. They had too much rain early in the year which was followed by a dry spell and the small grain and hay crop were practically ruined. He said they had the heaviest acreage of tobacco in the county in which he resides in the history of the county, but it would be a failure.

Our reporter was out in the country Wednesday and called on T. E. Odom of the north east side. Mr. Odom has had lots of trouble with the grass hoppers and his crop is not as promising as some crops we have seen.

If the party who got part of the thermometer we had hanging out in front of our store will come back we will be glad to loan him a screw-driver to get the balance of it with. Parsons & Brewer. Jewelers and Opticians. North Side.

Mr. Walter E. Lamm of Haskell and Miss Jennie McGee of of Crum, Texas, were married the 12th inst., and are making their home in this city. The Free Press did not learn of the marriage until a day or two ago, hence the delay in the announcement.

J. D. Kinnison has returned from Electra and Burkburnett, where a new oil well has been put down to the oil sands, which was reached at a depth of 1760 feet. Mr. Kinnison has 320 acres of land in two miles of this well and his friends hope to see him a millionaire yet.

Messrs A. C. Daus and R. Brittan of Throckmorton were in the city Thursday. These gentlemen are old acquaintances of our fellow townsman Burwell Cox. They were over here in the interest of Hon. R. B. Humphreys, who is a candidate for the office of representative of this district. Mr. Humphreys is now the representative of this the 102 district composed of Haskell, Baylor and Throckmorton counties.

E. A. Patterson of Stamford was in the city last Saturday. Mr. Patterson is secretary of the Stamford Gas and Oil Co., which is boring for oil in the southeastern part of the county. He stated to a Free Press reporter that they had reached a depth of 850 feet, and had good signs of oil. The drilling had been stopped several days ago, waiting for casing, but he said they would resume work this week.

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THE MOTHERS' AND CIVIC CLUBS

ARRANGING FOR THE CONVENIENCE AND COMFORT OF VISITORS TO HASKELL JULY 11.

The Mother's and Civic Clubs will co-operate together and serve dinner on July 11th, the time when the Central West Texas Agricultural Association meets in Haskell, and the proceeds from the dinner will be used for public improvements.

They have also arranged for the building on the corner next to the pool hall, which was formerly occupied by the Farmers National Bank, to be used on that day as a rest room for the women and children who may come into town. Every convenience for comfort will be arranged, even to having a lady to see after the comforts of women and children. The Free Press wants to commend the Mothers' and Civic Clubs for making arrangements for this rest room. There is nothing so useful for the women and children who visit a town as a rest room, and we believe the ladies from the country will appreciate this consideration for their comfort.

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 all druggists.

Farm Loans.

If you want a loan on your land it will be to your interest to see me, as I am prepared to handle all good business offered, and can give you prompt inspections and satisfactory service.

Better get that loan matter adjusted while prospects are good. Remember last season?

J. L. Robertson,
In State Bank, Haskell, Texas.

To The Public.

I desire to announce my withdrawal from the race for county attorney. In doing this I want to thank those who gave me their support and encouragement. My main reason for withdrawing, was, that there were five of us in the race, this rendered the final result so uncertain, and presaged such a strenuous campaign, that it became absolutely incompatible with my nature to remain longer in the struggle for public office.

I desire to thank the people for the kind consideration shown me, and hope to live as to merit a continuation of the same. Before closing this announcement, I also wish to thank my former opponents for the many courtesies and respectful consideration they have shown me during the canvass we made, and say of them I believe them to be honorable and worthy of the kindest consideration by the people.

Respectfully,
Oscar Martin.

It is now well known that not more than one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. All that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts at each application. Try it and see how quickly it will relieve the pain and soreness. Sold by all dealers.

A Great Day of Song.

I will stop in and tell you all about the good time we had at the singing convention at Ballew four miles north of the city of Haskell. There were people from all over the county, there were 26 people from Stamford who came up on the 8 o'clock train to be met by many friends and they all soon found their way out to the place where the convention was held.

Prof. Laney, Cooner and Warren were with us and I want to stop and say right here before I

go any further that they are the best singers I have ever heard, and will also say they are the best that have ever been in West Texas and are glad to announce that Prof. Laney has a splendid school at Ballew which will open Aug. 12, Prof. Cooner also has a school that will begin the 15th of July at Roberts school house. All who are interested in music should see these gentlemen as this is the chance of their life to learn music. I am certainly glad that I had the pleasure of meeting these gentlemen and will feel honored at any time to meet them again. I also had the pleasure of hearing all the classes sing and wish to say they are improving greatly. Let the good work so continue.

The Stamford people believe in singing I noticed Sunday, and the little Prof. Arthur Nunn who sang for us is a boy who should have every advantage that the musical world is capable of giving, as he is a boy who has proved to possess great musical talent. Some day he will be a great man. There wasn't a man in the congregation which was gathered at Ballew Sunday who sang with such intelligence as did this boy.

The good people of the surrounding community had prepared an elegant dinner which was enjoyed by all.

Well as I wish to go to other parts I will bid you good-by. Best wishes to all. "Luck."

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Clerk—"Yes, ma'am. Just let me measure your foot."

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"This stuff," he said, "is pretty and would make you a good dress."

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FRANKLIN'S POPULAR SHOWS

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The opening number last Friday night was, "Lena Rivers," a very old and popular novel dramatized in a very excellent way. And this company while new to each other, a number of them not having seen each other before coming to Haskell, rendered it in a very creditable and entertaining manner.

On Saturday night was presented, "Amy, The Circus Girl," a very enjoyable drama, which was presented to the satisfaction of the large audience.

Monday night, "One Girl In A Thousand," was presented, and the company showed decided improvement by having become use to each other, and this play was very much enjoyed.

Tuesday night's entertainment was a benefit play. It was entitled, "Anita, The Singing Girl," and the local lodge of Elks was given a part of the proceeds. A large crowd was present and everybody pronounced the performance the best that had been shown. The Elks appreciate Mr. Franklin's kindness. After the performance the members of the show were invited to the Elks elegant halls and a social hour was enjoyed, the Elks in their usual hospitable way entertaining the show company in a nice manner.

Wednesday that splendid drama, "St. Elmo," was presented, and the actors interpreted this play in a very superb manner.

Thursday night by request from a large number of people, "Amy, The Circus Girl" was repeated.

Tomorrow night the company closes their engagement for the present time with "Tempest and Sunshine" another favorite book play and one that promises to be the best of all as Franklin generally saves the best for the last.

Each and every member of this splendid company has won many friends in Haskell, by their splendid acting, refined deportment and genial manners, and the Free Press joins with these friends in wishing for them success wherever they go. They have enjoyed a good business in Haskell, having splendid audiences each night, but they have deserved and earned the success they have achieved.

While a word of praise is due every member of the Franklin show for their earnest endeavors to give every play a creditable presentation, particular praise and plenty of it should be bestowed on Miss Evelyn Kincaid the handsome young leading lady, whose work in the star parts of each bill is without a peer in this part of the country. She is undoubtedly the cleverest and most versatile little actress that has ever been in Haskell.

This company has a "cracker-jack" piano player with it too. The audience at each performance was highly entertained before the curtain was raised and between acts by this gentleman and his splendid music was very much enjoyed. We have heard many piano players with shows, but this one is by far the best. But that is characteristic of the Franklin shows, none but the best are employed.

HASKELL COUNTY

This county is thirty miles square. The soil in the north west part is deep sandy alternated with stretches of black. The balance of the county is deep Black sandy soil, with occasional stretches of red loam. All the soils of Haskell county are extremely fertile. Ninety per cent of the county is tillable. There is mosquite timber enough for fuel and fence posts.

THE CITY OF HASKELL

Haskell, the county seat, was laid off in 1884. It is a modern town, substantially built in stone and concrete, has an up-to-date water system owned by the city, supplied with never failing wells of the purest water. Electric light and ice plant of modern construction, Oil Mill, Broom Factory, Grain Elevator and Creamery. This city is in the center of the county and has 3000 inhabitants. Is on the Wichita Valley railroad, near the geographical center of the state. Cotton, corn, kaffir, maize, millet, alfalfa, wheat, oats, sorghum and fruits, such as peaches, plums and apricots do well. Forty pound watermelons are an average and they have been raised that weighed as high as 104lbs. Cantelopes are a sure crop. Haskell county never fails to produce one bale of cotton for every inhabitant, and the census shows it to produce more cotton than any other county in Central West Texas.

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No. 2. 160 acres 3 miles east of Haskell. 90 acres in cultivation, all of balance tillable except about 3 acres in one corner, abundance of well water, with wind mill, dark chocolate soil of the best grade. 9 room two story residence, one of the best in the county. 250 barrel underground cistern, walled with brick and cemented; on public road, rural route and telephone. Price \$60 per acre. Will take \$5,000 in good trade.

No. 3. 200 acres, 4 miles south of Haskell, on public road. Rural route and telephone. 100 acres in cultivation, 75 acres more tillable; fenced and cross fence, good soil. Enough mesquite timber for wood good tank, underground cemented cistern, 8x20 ft; good three room house with porch, and out buildings. Price \$5,000, \$3,000 cash and good terms on balance.

No. 4. 439 acres of land 10 miles south of Haskell and 6 miles north of Stamford on Paint Creek. Public road on two sides, rural route, School and church 1-2 mile, 95 per cent tillable. All fenced and cross fenced. 250 acres in cultivation, one 4 room house and one three room house on this place, abundance of never failing water, (wells) creek just across one corner. This land will grow alfalfa. Clear of debt. Price \$35 per acre. 1-3 cash, good terms on balance at 8 per cent.

No. 5. 320 acres 10 miles west of Haskell and 4 miles south of Rule. 150 acres in cultivation; all tillable, dark chocolate soil. Fine well water. Good three room house, 3-4 mile to good school; on public road, rural route and telephone. Price \$35 per acre. 1-3 cash, good terms on balance 8 per cent.

No. 7. 160 acres 2 1-2 miles a little southeast of Haskell, 120 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture modern 6 room house with hall and porches abundance of good pure well water and tank in pasture, on public road and rural route, this is a splendid farm and home, soil is a sandy loam and nearly all lays level. There is a small ravine through the pasture but is no disadvantage to the farm. There is a debt of about \$1,800 payable \$250 each year with 8 per cent interest, will exchange equity for a farm or good stock of mds. in northwest Oklahoma or northwest Arkansas or sell for \$40 per acre.

No. 8. 197 acres northeast of Haskell, 90 acres in cultivation; balance in pasture. Two room box house with out buildings, about 40 acres more of this land could be put in to advantage, public road by place, good church and school just across road from farm. Price \$4,000, \$1,500 cash, balance good terms.

No. 9. 7000 acre farm and ranch in Stonewall county, 6 miles from R R town fully 6000 acres tillable. 1500 acres in cultivation, 14 rent houses, a good three stand gin plant. Soil is red sandy loam; and very productive. Price \$15 per acre. There is a loan of \$28,000 on this land on good terms, will trade for smaller farms and good revenue bearing city property, this is a snap.

No. 10. 18 sections of ranch land in Culberson Co., Texas, all fenced and cross fenced, abundance of water. 16 other sections under the same fence and leased for a long time at six per cent per acre, 8 of the 18 sections are good agricultural lands. 10 sections are rough but good grass lands, there is a State debt of \$1.38 due in 30 years at 3 per cent. Price \$2.50 per acre bonus, one third cash, balance on good time, would exchange for good revenue bearing city property that is clear of debt.

No. 11. 640 acres, near Ample, Haskell, county, 500 acres in cultivation, balance tillable, two sets of good improvements, public road on two sides of land, abundance of good water, soil is a dark chocolate, land has about an 18 inch slope to the East just enough to drean, good school and church in one mile, one of the best communities in the county, rural route and telephone. This land has been improved in the last 3 years and it is in fine shape. There is \$4000 debt on this land on easy terms at 8 per cent. Price \$40 per acre.

No. 12. 20 1-2 Sections in El Paso county near Sierra Blanco. This is a splendid ranch proposition or a fine colonization proposition. If you are interested in a proposition like this get in communication with me at once, this is a snap.

No. 14. 120 acres in Cherokee county, Texas, 10 miles from Jacksonville. 4 room house, 60 acres in cultivation, \$600 incumbrance, and a 6 room house and 1-2 acre land in Haskell City, 3 blocks northwest of South Ward school, clear. Will trade 120 acres and city property for good small farm near Haskell or Goree, must be clear. Price of 120 acres, \$30 per acre. Price of city property \$1500.

No. 16. 1160 acres 12 miles from Haskell. 2 1-2 miles of good R. R. town, 100 per cent tillable, 560 in cultivation; three good new 4 room houses all fenced and cross fenced, abundance of never failing water, public road on two sides of land. 200 acres not in cultivation can be grubbed for \$1 per acre balance of pasture has good mesquite timber and fine mesquite grass, almost as level as a floor, this place is a bargain at \$40 per acre.

No. 17. 2,000 acres five miles south of Hamilton, town, Hamilton county, lies nearly square, fenced with four wire fence, 500 acres in one body of fine black land ready for the plow, and land just across the fence from this raises a bale of cotton to the acre, there is about 175 acres in another part of the land of the same kind of land as the 500 acres, there is everlasting running water in the other portion of the place and all this land is fine grass land. Price clear \$10 per acre, \$5,000 cash, balance to suit purchaser, would take the \$5,000 in good trade worth the money. This is an estate and the exceptionally low price is to get a quick deal.

No. 18. 374 acres adjoining the city of Gainesville, Cook county, practically all of this land is tillable, 325 acres in cultivation, one of the best farms in Cook county. Two sets of improvements, water in abundance from deep well; also good underground cistern, Elm Creek runs across one corner of this land and leaves about 275 acres that can be easily irrigated if one so desires, the is sufficient water in Elm Creek to irrigate with. Price \$95 per acre.

No. 19. 522 acres of land 1 1-2 miles north of Gainesville. 156 acres in high state of cultivation, balance natural meadow and pasture, every rod of this land can be plowed, not an acre of waste land on tract, improvements consist of one 4 room house in good repair; one two room house; two good hay barns, one 60x84 ft., the other 40x60 ft; and all in good repair. Two good deep wells and windmills, other out buildings in good repair, two ground tanks that afford plenty of stock water. This we consider one of the best farms in Cook county, having all city conveniences, telephone in house, also the quietude of the country. Investigate this this if you are in the market for an ideal suburban home. Price if sold at once for cash \$95 per acre.

No. 20. 400 acres 12 miles from Spur, Dickens county, all tillable, no improvements except fenced, if sold at once will take \$6.50 per acre, \$2,250 cash balance 3 and 4 years at 8 per cent, this is a snap.

In connection with the above we have hundreds of other good farms ranches and city property, for sale and exchange. If you don't see on this list just what you want, write us and tell us what you want and where you want it, also tell us what you have to exchange, list your property with us and get a SQUARE DEAL. Yours for business,

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City Building Notes.
 City boosters seldom end in the poor house. Publicity is the life of prosperity. Are you a broken cog in the wheel of progress? You can usually tell the condition of a city by the activity of its Commercial Club. Dead cities do no deeds. Co-operation is the main thing in town development. It stands to reason that business will increase if the population doubles—join the Commercial Club. Patronize the merchants that patronize Texas markets. A tree thrives because the leaves, twigs, branches and roots are all working together. It is also true of town building. Don't leave progress to the Lord; take a hand and help along. Prosperity does not come of itself; it has to be seized with both hands. Build towns on sane plans; don't plan on plain sands. Foundations should be "eternal rock" not "eternal talk." The better the road the surer the market. It is a common sight to see boxes of merchandise in front of a Texas store with a New York shipping tag on them. Is this a good argument in favor of home industry? Texas jobbers and manufacturers are in a position to furnish the merchants of the Southeast with every article made at a saving of from two to fifty per cent. A display of the products manufactured and raised in your community will do more to promote the home industry movement than any other means. The are lots of strange people in this world. Some think that because a paper is considered a public enterprise that it should on any and every occasion air their individual thoughts, no matter what reflection may be cast on some other individual who may be just as honest in his views upon a subject, though holding a difference in understanding of a subject. A newspaper is in a sense a public enterprise, whose mission is and ought to be for the welfare of the country at large, but we fail to see wherein anyone, even the editor himself, has the right to defame the reputation of any individual and destroy his usefulness as a citizen. Because a person should happen to differ with another in a construction of a public question, gives no reason for blaspheming his name, or questioning his motives. This is a free country, as God intended it to be, and when one seeks to delegate himself all the wisdom and knowledge of the past and present, he goes beyond his rights. And it is within the prerogative of a newspaper, to deny such an individual space in its columns, when such a spirit is displayed. David had accompanied his mother to church, and he noticed she dropped a penny into the contribution plate. On the way home his mother found fault with the sermon. "Well, mama," said the little fellow, "what could you expect for a penny?" Let the Free Press do your job printing. We can please you.

The Religious Force.
 A Brooklyn judge bears testimony to the powerful influence of the church in curbing crime in his announcement that in 2,700 cases that have been brought before him in five and a half years he has never had to try a man who at the time of the alleged offense, or ever had been an active member of the church. One sauntering along the streets, of a Sunday, in these days of open doors of places of worship may casually note that some present many empty pews, while others have their seating capacity thoroughly tested. But whether the attendance be great or small, the observer will note the religious calm, the respectful attention, whether to the intoning of the priest, the singing of the choir, the notes of the organ, the reading of the ritual, the prayer or the exhortation or argument of the minister. There is refreshing quiet from the ordinary turmoil of life in the surroundings of the place of worship which cannot fail to make for the good of mankind. While we know that in many instances outside the experience of this Brooklyn judge crimes have been committed by professors of religion, and that ministers, preachers and priests have been exposed and unfrocked, all of us do know, all of us have long felt, the immense influence for good in the various forms of religion. Greater than all the police power of the world to restrain the vicious and to make life possible is the influence of the training of religion. There are cults that may work mischief, but most of the forms do incalculable good for man-kind. The growth of the church influence seems to be in proportion to the growth of population in the United States. While in many country districts there may be seen abandoned houses of worship, because owing to the facilities of traction lines the people take to worship in the near villages and towns. Still the building of church edifices keeps on, although the average seating capacity of protestant churches is three times the average membership. With the Roman Catholic Church the seatings (accommodations being made possible by the numerous services) are not half as many as the membership. Enumeration of the communicants of religious denominations in the United States is about as follows, by millions: Catholic, 13; Methodist, 7; Baptist, 6; Presbyterian, 2; Protestant Episcopal, 1; Lutheran, 2; Congregational, 1; other denominations and cults, 2. The influence of the church and of prayer continue for our present good. Prayer is good, whether in the secrecy of the closet or in the regular forms of church worship, or even in the opening of a National convention, threatening turbulence. Were it not for the forms of religion, the honest and heart felt observance of them, or even the merely formal recognition of their tenets, what would become of us?—Cincinnati Inquirer.

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HASKELL, TEXAS, June 29, 1912.

Haskell is greatly in need of a public tabernacle. There is no suitable place in the town for a big gathering in the summer time. The court house can be used, because the officials have been very kind in allowing its use, yet it is not large enough, is rather inconvenient for women and children to go up stairs, and a number of objections could be advanced. There are frequent occasions for the use of a tabernacle. For instance, the Haskell County Singing Convention will meet in our city soon. There will probably be 2,000 people here on that occasion, and while the court house has been kindly proffered, still it will not be large enough, but if we had a tabernacle, those who could not be seated could stand around and enjoy the singing. Frequently we have political meetings demanding a larger capacity, and a more comfortable place than the court house. There are many reasons why we should have a tabernacle. If the different churches, societies, lodges and political organizations would cooperate in the matter, it could be built, and all could use it when necessary. We drop these suggestions by the way, that you may think upon them, and if you approve the plan, get busy and let's build it. The cost would not be great.

The space of the Free Press is open to patrons and friends for the discussion of subjects of general interest to the public, but we must draw the line on personalities of individuals. We cannot afford to, nor will we be used in allowing anyone to reflect upon the standing of individuals or institutions of public weal. If you have anything to say that has the light of reason and logic behind it, it has welcome in these columns, but if your object is to destroy the usefulness of citizenship and the influence of a recognized reputable institution, we must decline the use of space in the Free Press. Your attention is called to our clubbing offer on page eight. The Free Press, Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine one year for only \$1.75. This offer will last only a short while. There is no need of long faces any more. The signs of good times abroad in the land, and west Texas and Haskell county will come into their own this fall.

Having a Good Time.
 Walnut Springs, Texas.
 June, 22nd, 1912.
 Editor Free Press:—
 Please let me speak to the good people of your town and county as I promised to. I got to this city Tuesday morning at 4:30. It rained all the way from Haskell here. I found Mr. Flippin and daughter all well and glad to see me. All crops are good here, corn was cut a little but wheat and oats are fine, cotton is knee high and full of blooms. I have had fresh roasting ears, beets, cucumbers, pickles, peaches and fruits. Yesterday we all went 8 miles on the Bosque river and camped one night and caught 75 nice fish; brought some home. I saw some of the best land and crops I have seen in years. The Bosque is a nice running stream with various sorts of timber with lots of mustang grapes and plums. Oh, what fields of cotton, corn, oats and wheat shocks large and thick. Walnut Springs, is a beautiful little city with about two thousand progressive people.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July, 1912.

For Representative of the 102nd Legislative District:
 R. B. HUMPHREYS, (Re-election)
 P. D. SANDERS

For District Attorney:
 JAS. P. STINSON (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
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 D. F. BELLENGER.

For County Judge:
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 H. R. JONES.

For County Attorney:
 GAYLORD KLINE,
 F. L. DAUGHTERY,
 C. B. (Buford) LONG,
 J. E. WILFONG.

For Sheriff:
 W. D. FALKNER, Re-Election.
 W. C. (Crofford) ALLEN

For District Clerk:
 L. C. ELLIS,
 GUY O. STREET, (Re-Election).
 E. W. LOE.

For County Clerk:
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For Tax Assessor:
 R. H. SPROWLS,
 J. W. TARBET, [Re-Election]
 OTIS B. SMITH.

For Tax Collector:
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For County Treasurer:
 EMORY MENEFFEE [Re-Election.]

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 C. H. RUSSELL, (Re-Election).
 E. L. NORTHCUTT.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:
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 T. A. WILLIAMS.
 J. S. MENEFFEE

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 W. R. HUNT.

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 J. B. DAVIS—Re-Election.
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 G. W. SOLLOCK, [Re-Election]
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For Justice of the Peace of Prec. No. 1:
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Get busy and pull for Haskell.
 Are you doing your level best for Haskell?
 You can't build up a town when the citizenship is made up of croakers.
 If you are averse to washing your face and keeping clean, don't muddy the water so your neighbor can't wash his.
 If you don't mean to help the Civic Club in their campaign of a cleaner Haskell by cleaning up your own premises quit throwing cold water on those who have an inclination to help.

Haskell needs a public park. And there are several places in the town suitable for such a civic improvement. What's the matter with getting together and discussing the question?
 The high cost of living is not felt by those who produce most of their living on the farm. High cost comes from living out of stores from the returns of cheap cotton.—Farm and Ranch.
 Haskell people are already preparing to give the Central West Texas Agricultural Association a royal entertainment. And when Haskell people determine to do a thing they rarely fail in its accomplishment.

The National Democracy has the best chance in the history of the party to elect a Democratic president this year. With the Republican party split asunder, all the Democrats need is to unanimously decide on a strong man to lead the ticket and stay with the nominee and victory will be theirs.

County Candidate Speaking.
 Weinert, Saturday, June 29th, at night.
 Howard School House, Tuesday July 2nd, at night.
 Rule, Saturday July 6th., at 2:00 p. m.
 Rochester, Saturday, July, 13th., at 2:00 p. m.
 O'Brien, Saturday July 20th, at 2 p. m.
 Haskell, at court house, July 25th., at night.
 Every body requested to be present and bear these very interesting talks by the candidates on above dates.

The Optimist.
 Governor Woodrow Wilson defines an optimist as one who makes lemonade of the lemons which are thrown at him.—Holland

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All lines of Dry Goods have advanced in the last sixty days, however my stock was bought on the very lowest market last year, now to satisfy the manufacturers I bought these goods from, and pay them I am forced to let these goods go at a great deal less than I can rebuy again, but it will be a great favor to me for you to buy these goods at these ridiculous low prices for this money has to be raised.

Big lot of Prints 4c Good heavy cotton checks 5c

<p>Ladies Union Suits</p> <p>\$1.50 Silk Liles \$1.19 1.00 " " .89 .75 " " .63 .50 " " .42 .50 Ladies Vests .39 .35 " " .25 .25 " " .19 .20 " " .16 .15 " " .11 .12 1/2 " " .9 .10 " " .7 1/2 .84 " " 6 1/2</p> <p>Men's Summer Underwear</p> <p>\$1.50 Union suits \$1.19 1.25 " " 1.05 1.00 " " .89 .50 Under-shirts and Drawers .39 .35 " " .23 Boys Undershirts and Drawers .19</p> <p>Stetson Hats</p> <p>\$6.00 Best Style \$3.98 5.00 " " 2.98</p> <p>Regular line Staple and Fancy Hats. \$2.25 \$3.00 Hats, New Styles and Staples 1.98 2.50 " " " " 1.48 2.00 " " " " 1.25 1.50 " " " " 1.25</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Shoes</p> <p>White, Black, Brown, Tan etc. your opportunity to buy the best shoes made in the world at less than it takes to make them. Mind you shoes have advanced 5c to 25c per pair just as Joe Bailey said they would when they put hides on the free list.</p> <p>Mens \$5.00 High and Low Cut Shoes \$3.75 " 4.00 " " " " 3.35 " 3.50 " " " " 2.25 " 3.00 " " " " 2.15 " 2.50 " " " " 1.89 Ladies 4.00 " " " " 3.19 " 3.50 " " " " 2.89 " 3.00 " " " " 2.48 " 2.50 " " " " 1.98 " 2.00 " " " " 1.48 " 1.75 " " " " 1.39 " 1.50 " " " " 1.15 Boys' 3.50 " " " " 2.25 and 3.00 " " " " 1.98 Misses 2.50 " " " " 1.89 " 2.25 " " " " 1.79 " 2.00 " " " " 1.48 " 1.75 " " " " 1.39 " 1.50 " " " " 1.15 " 1.25 " " " " 1.05</p> <p>Children's Shoes at the same reduced prices.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Boys Hats</p> <p>\$2.00 Grade \$1.48 1.50 " 1.19 1.25 " .98 1.00 " .75</p> <p>One big table of hats, assorted \$1.00 and \$1.50. Look for this snap. It will open your eyes.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mens and Boys Pants</p> <p>\$5.00 Mens this seasons pants \$3.95 4.50 " " " " 3.65 4.00 " " " " 2.95 3.50 " " " " 2.45 3.00 " " " " 2.25 2.50 " " " " 1.98 1.50 " " " " 1.20</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Boys Pants</p> <p>\$2.00*Pants, Peg Top \$1.79 1.75 " " " " 1.49 1.50 " " " " 1.19 \$1.25 Pants, Semi Peg Top .98 1.00 " " " " .79 .75 " " " " .59 .50 " " " " .43</p>
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<p>Men's Shirts:</p> <p>Negligee and soft shirts, \$1.50 grade \$1.19 1.25 " 1.05 1.00 " .89 .75 " .59 .50 " .40 Boy's Shirts .39 Men's and Boy's Blue Work Shirts .39</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Notions</p> <p>Two dozen pearl buttons 5c One dozen mother pearl 5c 2 doz. " " 7 1/2c 10 oz. crimped hair pins 1c 1 bx. asst. " " 5c 6 spools Clarks O. N. T. 25c 15c Talcum powder 9c 25c " " 15c Best paper pins 4c 7 spool sand silk 25c</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Staple Dry Goods</p> <p>Calicoes 4c 15c Zephyrs gingham 11c 12 1/2c A. F. C. " 10c 10c Utility " 8c 8 1-3c best grade apron ging. 6c 9-4 ble'hd. sheeting 23c 10-4 " " 27c 9-4 " " 22c 10-4 " " 25c 36 in. ble'hd. domestic 8c 36 in. Nights combric 7 1/2c 36 in. Friendship beech 7 1/2c</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Silks</p> <p>W3 are going to close out all fancy silks at a big loss, all 85c and \$1 fancy silks 59c \$1 Messelins 87 1/2c 36 in. kimona silk 39c 50c silk 39c 35c " 29c 25c " 19c</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Hosiery</p> <p>60c silk hose 49c 50c " " 42c 35c " " 29c 25c " " 19c Misses and children 25c black colors 19c 15c " " 16c 15c " " 11c 12 1/2c " " 10c 10c " " 8c One lot ladies silk hose going at 23c</p>
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Special Table Mens Dress shirts, pick your choice for only 29c and 59c	Grab Counter We will have on a large table an assortment of Extra Special Bargains. Look for this table the first thing.	Counterpanes \$3.50 Counterpanes \$2.39 3.00 " 1.98 2.50 " 1.75 1.50 " .98 1.00 " .78	Boy's Odd Pants On Table 23c	Headlight Overalls 85c
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Ladies Fancy Voil and Panama Skirts 1-3 off Ladies Dresses Silk, Chiffon and Longeria 1-2 Price

Now is your opportunity to lay in your Mid Summer Dry Goods such as Lawns, Embroideries and in fact everything in our stock is a bargain, space forbids quoting ever line to itself. But there is nothing reserved. You can afford to stop the plow for one day, and come and make the largest days saving of money in many a day.

<p>Big White Season Buy your Embroideries now 45 inch Flouncings..... 89c 27 " " 45c 27 " " 35c</p>	<h1>C. M. HUNT</h1> <p>Odd Fellow Building Center Block North Side Square</p>	<p>Big Saving Trunks Suit Cases Hand Grips and Bags</p>
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IN THE
Good Old Summer Time

When you are hot and thirsty your thoughts turn to a cool and refreshing drink. The place to find the latest and most palatable drinks in town is the

West Side Pharmacy

Our prescription department is in charge of Mr. D. J. Dunn, a registered pharmacist of long experience. Careful and personal attention is given to every prescription given us.

J. R. WALTON, Prop.

HASKELL, TEXAS.

The Shiftless Farmers.

One of our exchanges describes the shiftless farmer as follows:

He will ride around a week looking for a \$2 pig.

He will sprain his back lifting something to show how strong he is.

He will pay \$3 for a new bridle and let the calf chew it to pieces before Sunday.

The one-horse farmer has a life-long ambition for wearing a dirty shirt.

He will get all the neighbors to help in getting a cow out of a bog then let her die for want of attention. Stock will get in and destroy his crop at a place in the fence he has put off fixing for six months.

He will complain of hard times and then tear his pants climbing a fence where a gate ought to be.

He will alarm the neighborhood by getting up two hours before day and sit around and not go to work before sun up.

He will ridicule the mechanism of a corn planter, and then go out and mash his thumb nailing a board on the fence.

He will talk all day Sunday on what he knows about farming then ride around the neighborhood Monday looking for seed potatoes.

He will go to town Saturday and come back with fifty cents worth of coffee, a paper of pins, a dollar's worth of chewing tobacco.

He will go in his shirt sleeves all day to show how much cold he can stand, then return home at night and occupy two-thirds of the fireplace till bed time.

He is economical; economy is his forte; he will save ten cents worth of axle grease and ruin the spindle of a wagon.

He won't subscribe for a paper, but will borrow one from his friend and forget to return it.

There is no real need of anyone being troubled with constipation. Chamberlain's Tablets will cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect. Give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

Nothing Occurred.

A gentleman returned home after a prolonged absence and found his negro servant waiting at the station. "Anything occurred during my absence, Pompey?" queried the master.

"No sah; de dog, he dead; that's all."

"Oh! how did he come to die?"

"Well, you see, the barn burned down, and the dog burned up in the barn."

"The barn burned down! How did that happen?"

"Well, you see, boss, the house took fire, and a spark from the house fell on the roof of the barn, and the barn burned down and the dog burned up in the barn."

"The house burned down! What in thunder caused that?"

"One of the candles from your mother-in-law's wake!"

"What on earth are you talking about?"

"She dead, boss; she dead, sho' nuff."

Well, what was the matter with her?"

"Well, you see, your wife ran away with the chauffeur, de shock killed your mother-in-law, den one of the candles at her wake set de house on fire, a spark from de house fell on the roof of the barn and burned that up, and the dog, he burned up in the barn. But nothing else has happened since you have been away; that's all."

—Farm and Home.

Could Shout For Joy.

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg, W. Va., for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice, and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters have no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50 cents at Jas. R. Walton.

Ask Your Neighbor.

Hundreds of Haskell Citizens Can Tell You All About It.

Home endorsement, the public expression of Haskell people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Haskell reader. Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterances of strangers residing in faraway places. Read the following:

Mrs. J. E. Patterson, Haskell, Texas, says: "I obtained Doan's Kidney Pills from Colliers' Drug Store (now the Corner Drug Store) and gave them to my child who was troubled with a kidney weakness. They were very effective in relieving this difficulty, in fact, they were the only remedy that ever did the child any good. I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

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

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**Onion Crop Nets Growers
\$1,685,500.00.**

The onion growers of south Texas will realize approximately \$1,685,500 from this seasons crop. Upward of ten thousand acres were planted in this product in South Texas this year, producing so far, 3,700 carloads and 800 more cars will be shipped before the season ends. These cars will represent 2,250,000 crates, which will sell at an average of \$1.25 per crate, making a gross income of \$2,812,500. The average cost of production will total \$1,250,000, therefore the profit will reach 125 per cent, an average of \$156.25 per acre.

A Card.

This is to certify that Foley's Honey and Tar Compound does not contain any opiates, any habit forming drugs, or any ingredients that could possibly harm its users. On the contrary, its great healing and soothing qualities make it a real remedy for coughs, colds and irritations of the throat, chest and lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and accept no substitute. Sold by Robertson's Drug Store.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(REAL ESTATE)
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dallas County, on the 10th day of May A. D. 1912, in the case of The Continental Gin Company versus, W. T. Hiltbold, C. F. Bullington and George L. Webb, jointly and severally No. 9913-C, and to me, as Sheriff directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 24th day of June A. D. 1912, and will between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in August A. D. 1912, it being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which W. T. Hiltbold, C. F. Bullington and George L. Webb had on the 7th day of February A. D. 1912, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: 10 1/4 acres of land lying and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, containing 10 1/4 acres of land out of the Theo. Winfrey survey and described by metes and boundaries as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the S. E. Corner of town site tract of the town of McConnell, thence S. 28 1/2 degrees E. 120 feet to the corner of the north line of the South half of the Winfrey survey, thence south 89 degrees 27' W. 1567 feet to a point on the right-of-way North 16 degrees 59' east 315 feet to a point on the south of said townsite tract. Thence east 147 1/2 feet to the place of beginning. With all machinery, apparatus and fixtures thereon and everything belonging and appertaining thereto, said property being levied on as the property of W. T. Hiltbold, C. F. Bullington and George L. Webb to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2816.53 in favor of The Continental Gin Company and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 24th day of June A. D. 1912. W. D. Falkner, Sheriff Haskell County, Texas.

The Pipe of Industrial Peace.

It is a most gratifying sign of the times to note the manner in which our candidates for office pass around the pipe of progress. While they scalp each other on the stump, and throw firebrands across the platform, yet when they gather around the campfire, they all smoke the pipe of industrial peace.

The time was when candidates had to depend upon suspicious strokes of luck for their success, but now the question involved in their candidacy is one of merit. The candidate who can present the most comprehensive plan of development, stands the best chance to win the race.

Some Thoughts.

Hagar was a bond-woman who was hated by her proud and beautiful mistress. She knew that the laws and customs of the people with whom she lived, gave her wealthy mistress absolute control over her, for she was a slave — a waiting maid. Yet Hagar was an Egyptian, by birth a member of that race whose monuments are still in existence and one of the seven wonders of the world. Hagar knew that an appeal to her best earthly friend would be useless. Now, more than ever before in her life she longed for freedom.

The comforts and luxuries of her wealthy master's tents were but mocking her passionate soul. So with a reckless courage, perhaps never surpassed by any human being, she ran away—bravely facing the well-known dangers and privations of the wilderness alone.

The Angel of the Lord, maybe Christ our Savior, watched her flight, and when exhausted by weariness, heat and thirst, she sank down by "The fountain of water in the way to Shur," the Angel of the Lord appeared to her and said, "Hagar, Sarai's maid, whence comest thou and whither wilt thou go?"

Soothed by His tender tones, and wakened to a deep consciousness of her guilt and helplessness, she simply answered "I flee from the face of my mistress Sarai." Then the Angel of the Lord said unto her, "Return to thy mistress and submit thyself under her hands."

But what gracious promises the Lord of all the Universe instantly gave to help and comfort this poor heart-broken woman.

No wonder she was able to quietly return and take up her duties in Sarai's tent, for God himself had heard her affliction and promised to take care of her and give her wonderful blessings.

When, 17 years later she took her strong young son, and went out again into the wilderness she was trained and prepared to enjoy the greatest liberty any woman ever knew.

Our Savior always knows what is best and sends His blessings just when and where we need them most.

A Cook County Observer.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

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

Advertised Letters.

Advertised June 24, 1912.
S. L. Drake.
Dorotro de la Crus.
Gusa Lowgren.
Miles Frazier.
W. J. Feland.
Wells Thomason.

BIG SURPRISE TO MANY IN HASKELL.

Local people are surprised at the QUICK results received from simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika, the German appendicitis remedy. The Corner Drug Store states that this simple remedy antiseptizes the digestive system and draws off the impurities so thoroughly that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

Are You Nervous?

What makes you nervous? It is the weakness of your womanly constitution, which cannot stand the strain of the hard work you do. As a result, you break down, and ruin your entire nervous system. Don't keep this up! Take Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is made from purely vegetable ingredients. It acts gently on the womanly organs, and helps them to do their proper work. It relieves pain and restores health, in a natural manner, by going to the source of the trouble and building up the bodily strength.

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Grace Fortner, of Man, W. Va., took Cardui. This is what she says about it: "I was so weak and nervous, I could not bear to have anyone near me. I had fainting spells, and I lost flesh every day. The first dose of Cardui helped me. Now, I am entirely cured of the fainting spells, and I cannot say enough for Cardui, for I know it saved my life." It is the best tonic for women. Do you suffer from any of the pains peculiar to women? Take Cardui. It will help you. Ask your druggist.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 50

Profitable Prices for Farm Products.

The greatest encouragement that can be given agriculture is profitable prices for farm products. The boll weevil has been a stubborn enemy, and Jupiter Pluvius has played pranks on the farmer, but there is no pestilence like low prices; they will sap the life blood of any industry.

It is one of the most pitiful sights in Twentieth Century civilization to see a farmer after he has raised a bale of cotton, sit helplessly by and watch the bulls and bears of Europe and America tear it to pieces, and yet the Farmer's Union has warehouses that will afford shelter against these artificial storms, and backed by six per cent money to loan on distress cotton, the farmer can fence out the animals that devastate his crops. The farmer needs co-operation as badly as diversification.

A sprained ankle may as a rule be cured in from three to four days by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle. For sale by all dealers.

"With all your wealth you are not afraid of the proletariat?" asked the deliver in sociological problems.

"No, I ain't," snapped Mrs. Newrich. "We boil our drinking water."—Farm and Ranch Review.

Let the Free Press do your job printing.

The Piano Prevents

Mrs. A.—What did your husband say when he saw the bill for your new gown?

Mrs. B.—I didn't hear. I started to play on the piano.—Boston Transcript.

Prohibition Election Called in This County.

In accordance with the election laws, a prohibition election cannot be held sooner than two years after the last election was called. This time restriction is not recognized, however, by the people in recommending Hunt's Lightning Oil for Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headaches, etc. For thirty odd years it has been acknowledged to be the best. Sold everywhere in 50c and 25c bottles.

"There is nothing that women can not do as well as men."

"Of course," assented Mr. Meek-ton earnestly. But Henrietta, I do hope that none of you will insist on pitching for the home team in a close game."—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Lelia Love, wife of Wiley Love, a farmer living near Covena, Ga., says: "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and find them to be all you claim for them. They gave me almost instant relief when my kidneys were sluggish and inactive. I can cheerfully recommend them to all sufferers from kidney troubles." Sold by Robertson's Drug Store.

A Report on Fritz

"How iss your boy Fritz getting along in der college?"

"Ach! He iss halfback in der football team and all der way back in his studies."—Boston Globe.

Good Enough

AND CHEAP ENOUGH
FOR ANYBODY

During the next few months we make this splendid offer

Farm and Ranch \$1.75
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OR

Free Press and choice of Farm and Ranch or Holland's Magazine for

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You like to live well. You can't enjoy life in the best way without fresh and pure

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