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### A Beautiful Reception

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The already beautiful home of Mrs. Cogdell was further adorned in every nook with huge clusters of stately chrysanthemums; white and gold was massed in the living room, red in the hall and the dining room, especially beautiful in pink and green. The round table was covered with heavy cluny and for its center piece a chrysal basket holding a graceful cluster of ferns and Lafrance roses. Streamers of pink maline fell from the handsome electrolier. Little Miss Joanne Irby opened the door to the guests, who were greeted by Mrs. Joe Irby and received by the hostesses and their guests of honor including Mesdames Earl Cogdell, B. H. Cogdell, Henry Alexander, D. C. Cogdell, John Baker and Miss McDill. All the ladies were handsomely gowned and after the cordial words of greeting the guests were ushered into the dining room by Mrs. Will McGregor and Misses Frankie Terrell and Vera Neathery, where they were served to a delicious salad course, by Misses Analida Hughes, Mayme Meadors, Lois McConnell, Opal Lloyd, Lucile Hughes and Anise Fields. Despite the gloomy weather the guests spent a most delightful afternoon in this pretty home.

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### NEAL MORRIS

At the home of the bride's mother Mrs. C. P. Morris, the wedding service was pronounced on last Tuesday evening by Rev. C. B. Meador for Miss Leila Morris and Mr. Fred C. Neal of Weatherford, Texas. Several of the intimate friends and relatives of the affianced couple were invited to witness the ceremony at 6:15 o'clock. The out of town guests present were Misses Saydie Ragsdale, Annie Mae Yates, and Mesdames Jas. A. White and Chas. Brewington of Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wright. S. E. Davidson, J. J. Maxey and Miss Jewell Maxey of Anson. The house was beautifully decorated in roses, ferns and chrysanthemums, white and green being the predominating color. To the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding march played by Miss Hines, the bride entered with the groom preceded by Misses Ragsdale and Yates. The bride was becomingly gowned in blue corded silk while the maids wore pink and champagne crepe-de chine. Mr. and Mrs. Neal left on the 6:40 train for Ft. Worth and other points.

As we go to press we learned that our popular ex-sherriff and Miss Lula N. Thompson, daughter of Rev. R. W. Thompson surprised their many friends last Thursday night by getting married. Mr. Park has served Haskell county two terms as Sherriff and Miss Thompson comes from one of our high toned christian families. The Free Press joins the many friends with congratulations and best wishes for the happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Park.

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## The Haskell National Bank, Haskell, Texas.

### Judge Poole, Endorsed by the State Authorities.

Judge J. E. Poole is in receipt of a letter from the State Agricultural department in which they heartily endorse his efforts to aid that department.

October, 28, 1910.

Mr. J. E. Poole,  
Haskell, Texas.

My dear Sir.—

I wish to express our gratitude to you for the interest you have manifested in the Farmers Institute work organized throughout the State by this department. Whenever we secure such co-operation as you have given, the labor of organizing is lessened and made a pleasant duty. This department realizes the necessity of co-operation among the citizens of this State who are broad minded enough to appreciate its efforts. The appropriation for institute work is not one half what it should be. We are asking of the next legislature a larger sum for this special work and believe that if our request is granted the much good can be accomplished through the institute work. It is the desire of this department to employ the very strongest men available in this campaign of education, and that cannot be secured without reasonable compensation.

Very truly yours,

S. H. Dixon.

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### Treasury Department

OFFICE OF  
Comptroller of the Currency.  
Washington, November 12, 1910.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Haskell National Bank" in the Town of Haskell in the County of Haskell and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882.

Now, therefore, I, Lawrence O. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency do hereby certify that "The Haskell National Bank" in the Town of Haskell in the County of Haskell and State of Texas is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business on November 13, 1930.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this Twelfth day of November, 1910.

LAWRENCE O. MURRAY,  
Comptroller of the Currency  
Charter No. 4474.  
Extension No. 2981.

Judge C. C. Higgins spent several days here this week. The District Court will convene Monday, Nov. 21st. and be in session four weeks. The docket is unusually heavy. The cases of Bill Overcash and A. O. Condon charged with murder by indictment have been transferred from Throckmorton to Haskell county and both defendants were brought over this week and placed in the Haskell jail to await their trial. On habeas corpus hearing, Judge Higgins, denied the defendants bail.

### Stray Notice.

Taken up by Clay Kimbrough 4 miles north of Haskell, one black mare, about 2 years old, small white star in face, left hind hoof white, no brand, taken up on November 10, 47 3t

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### CLUB NOTES.

Saturday October, 12th. the Magazine Club met with Mrs. J. W. Gilliam as Hostess. Quite an interesting lesson was prepared by the teacher, Mrs. G. J. Graham, and a talk on "The Early Masters of American Art" was given by Mrs. Will McGregor. There was a good attendance of the members and Miss Blocker of Honey Grove was the club's guest for the afternoon.

### REPORTER.

### DIED.

Mr. W. O. Brockman, father Dr. Brockman and Mrs. W. L. Hill of Rule and Mr. Bert Brockman of this city, died at Rule the 12 instand and was buried in the Haskell Cemetery the 13 instand.

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### RAIN.

Haskell county was visited with an all day rain Tuesday, and the streets have been unusually muddy this week. There are thousands of acres of wheat that come up to a stand from a shower in October, as well as many fields of volunteer oats. These fields will soon mature good grazing that will be worth a great deal to the farmers.

### Advertised Letters.

- 1 Addie Hays.
- 2 Miss Mable Harris.
- 3 B. Y. Barton.
- 4 A. A. Watson.

### County Institute.

The Teachers Institute this week was attended by about 100 teachers. The sessions have been closely attended and the deepest interest manifested. Superintendent T. C. Williams has done every thing he could to make the institute pleasant for all the teachers and has shown the press unusual courtesies. The Free Press published the full program in last weeks issue, and hope we will find space next week to give an epitome of the complete proceedings of the meeting.

### Consumption Statistics.

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### NOTICE.

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M. R. Hemphill.

### NOTICE.

There will be preaching at the Christian Church Sunday morning and Sunday night. Everybody invited to attend these services. Sunday School will open at ten. Let the parents come and see what the young people are doing.

Ronald McDonald.

If you have a bargain in land list it with Sanders & Wilson; they will advertise and sell it for you.





# Quitting Business

After 20 years in business in Haskell, I find that my health is failing, and at the earnest solicitation of my family, I have decided to retire, but before selling lock, stock and barrel, I feel it my duty to show my appreciation to my many customers and friends, who have stayed by me and who have made my retirement possible. I could think of no better way of showing my appreciation than by giving you the greatest money saving sale of your life—hence my QUITTING BUSINESS SALE. As you know I was never a "Peddler of Hot Air" and am now too old to learn, so all I ask of you is to come, see and price. If you don't save money don't buy.

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# The BIRD of the SEASON



by Frank Finn

**T**HANKSGIVING without the turkey is almost unthinkable. For this great bird, which has become inseparably associated with the season of Thanksgiving, is peculiarly an American bird and as such an American institution as Thanksgiving day itself. Within the reach of poor and rich alike, the great national bird is the principal feature of the feasting

which is an important part of the festivities of the day.

The fact is, of course, that turkeys don't come from Turkey, and were unknown before the discovery of America, in the north of which continent the wild turkey still roams in unrestrained freedom, though not, alas, in undiminished numbers.

When the enterprising Spaniards began to explore the resources of the new world that Columbus had opened out for them, they found that the natives had tamed a big bird, which they regarded as a sort of peacock; and it was not long after the discovery of America that the new bird made his appearance in European poultry yards.

Great must have been the disgust of the original occupants of these when the invader appeared. For one thing he was much bigger than any of them, and could look down on them in the most literal sense. He was also fully aware of the importance of his expensive personality and lost no time in impressing it on all and sundry. The peacock, who had reigned supreme both as an artist in posing and as a table delicacy—the Romans used to talk of having "ham and peacock" as we would speak of ham and turkey—found himself confronted with a rival who made up for inferiority of plumage by displaying with much greater energy and frequency what he had got, and by a



menagerie, when he also met his end from a far different adversary. This was a gamecock of some Indian breed, the most blackguardly looking fowl I have ever set eyes upon, with beetling eyebrows, a bulldog type of beak and pillar-like legs, his athletic proportions set off by very tight-fitting plumage. However, he was only a fowl, thought the two turkeys, and with Oriental indifference to the rules of fair play they both set out to tackle him together. The gamecock acquitted himself in a manner worthy of his breed, and bowled them over with one blow apiece. Perhaps his natural magnanimity—for chancier—seldom anything but a gentleman—made him lenient with the hen; at any rate, she was only "knocked silly." But he gave her husband a fair knock-out blow; gripping his wattle with the bulldog bill, he brought the columnar shanks down on the bulky adversary's neck with such force that, when I saw the defeated bully he was sitting in a state of paralytic collapse, and not long after ingloriously expired.

Such is the part the turkey plays as a tame bird—a pretentious and pushing person who occasionally collapses ignominiously. Nor are his aspect and career as a wild bird different, for he is one of the few creatures which have altered very little in domestication; and though he may be regarded as the premier bird of America, and gains a certain amount of dignity and consideration thereby, there is a comic element in his performances and misfortunes which robs him of the dignity of the feathered nobles of the older world. The blackguardly tendencies which, seen in domestication, have caused some people to suggest that he is called a turkey because he behaves like the proverbial unspeakable Turk, are in full swing in his wild ancestor, who is altogether born in sin. His wife, or wives—for he is an inveterate polygamist, even in his primitive condition—have to keep their infant pouts out of his way, or he will crack their little heads for them; and when he conquers and slays a rival gobbler, he tramples him when he is down and done for. His courtship is every bit as absurd in the wilds as it is in the farmyard, and ancient turkey dowagers emulate his absurdities in strutting to win his regard, though the pullets maintain a proper modesty of demeanor. Moreover, the wily hunter brings about his downfall in ways which make him look undignified—no other bird is lured to his end in such queerly discreditable ways.

One is to call him up within shot by imitating the voice of her he loves for the time being. On a small pipe, often made of a turkey's own drumstick bone, the sportsman imitates what he ungallantly calls the "yelp" of the hen turkey, and the infatuated gobbler, lured by the soft invitation, is often decoyed within range. To his credit be it said, however, he displays a fine ear, and if he detects anything suspiciously insincere in the accents of the concealed charmer, it will be a clever impersonator who gets him to answer another matrimonial advertisement that season at all events.

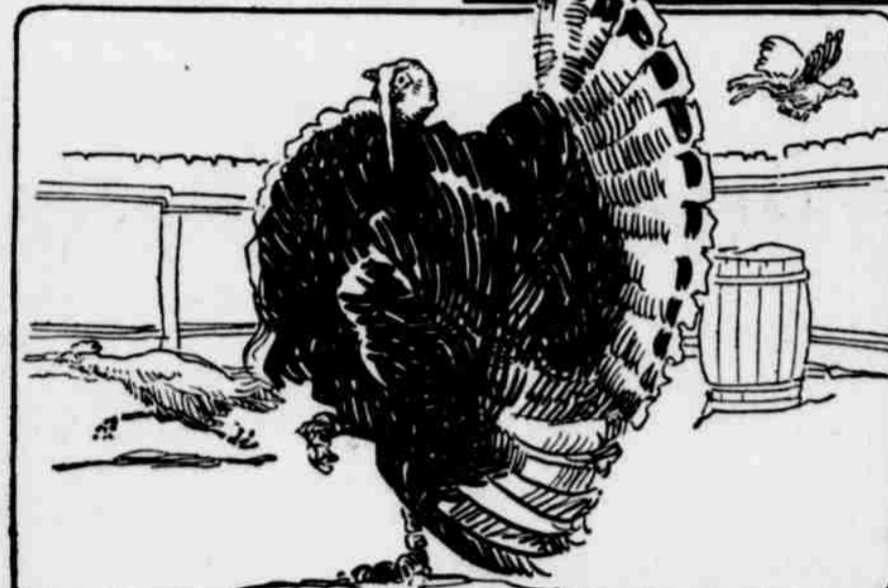
Another plan is the turkey trap, which is a pen made of logs and entered by a trench, across which there is a bridge just inside the entrance. A train of corn leads the turkeys into this, and when they are inside and have eaten up all the corn, it never occurs to them to stoop under the bridge which they passed in, but they continue to wander round and round till the trapper comes and gathers them in—a proceeding which does not argue any great amount of intelligence on their part.

One can even get a turkey by hunting him with a dog, circumstances being favorable. The said circumstances are the fact of the turkey's being a little way off from their woodland retreat, feeding out on the prairie, and one's dog being a greyhound; moreover, one's horse should know how to go. The turkey, even when wild, is not a long-distance flier, but he has not sense enough to remember this when he finds his foes between him and the wood, and tries to fly straight away from the pursuing bound instead of turning about overhead and coming back to cover. After about a mile he has had enough of flying and takes to his legs, only to find that his four-legged opponent is close behind, and he must perforce take to the air again. But this time his flight is not for so long a distance, and he is ignominiously "run into," a victim of misplaced confidence in himself as an aeroplane.

Let us be thankful that we have got the turkey as he is, with all his comic extravaganzas, and that in one respect, at all events, he can challenge comparison with many worthier people; his last appearance is always creditable, and no one can deny that he cuts up well!

### Cause for Thankfulness.

Thanksgiving day is the one day in the year when the nation turns to heaven in thanks for its preservation. The life of the nation is the principal consideration, not only its life, but its health, and its preservation in that condition in which it was established by the fathers of the country. Men can thank God for their own accumulations or supplicants him to lighten their burdens, but that is not the purpose of a national thanksgiving. The nation itself, the political structure which was framed and handed down—it is the preservation of this for which the people are to be thankful.



THE FARM-YARD BULLY

play of expression which nothing in the animal world can equal.

It is all very well to talk of the wonderful mobility of the human countenance, sensitive to every change in the emotions of the soul; it is nothing to the turkey cock's. See him elongate his nose till it comes down to his chest, and observe the number of double chins he can produce to add to his importance if he wishes to impose on a presumptuous rooster or to impress a fair young turkey pullet.

Then, as to blushing, there was no debutante ever floated on the social sea who could blush as our gobbler can; his complexion plays through all shades between livid blue and ghastly white to a lively scarlet, and, taken in connection with the changes in his features, makes him a quick-change artist of the first order, before whom the chameleon collapses ashamed.

If anybody wants to practise drawing portraits, let them get hold of a turkey gobbler for a sitter, and if they can succeed in getting his features properly fixed on canvas I will undertake they will find anyone else's easy in comparison.

But it is not only in the display of his charms that the turkey proclaims his advantage over the world of our feathered dependents; his stentorian gobbling arrests the attention of all.

The said gobbling, by the way, has given rise to the only bit of folk-lore about the turkey that I know of. Being an American, he is too modern to have legends associated with him as a rule; but Indian Mohammedans profess to hear in the turkey's voice a blasphemous mockery of their brief creed as spoken in Arabic. Hence, when a turkey has to be killed in India, the native takes a cruel pleasure in executing it by cutting out its impious tongue; and so widely spread is the belief, that a little native boy, a retainer of an animal dealer in Calcutta, replied to me, when I asked him—just by way of trying his knowledge—the name of an American curassow bird that was in the yard. "That is a turkey, sahib, but it does not repeat the creed!"

What with strutting and gobbling himself, and with proving congenial to the gobbling process as conducted by human beings, the turkey fairly bounced the poultry world in general, and actually ousted the goose, the most ancient member of the poultry association and the savior of Rome, from popular estimation as a holiday dish. The turkey is a good type of the product of his native continent in more ways than one, and some Americans, impressed by the fact that the nation's emblem, the white-headed eagle, is not only a "bird of freedom," but a freebooter, robbing the respectable fishhawk of his catch, and generally playing the needy sharper, have claimed

that the turkey would better represent the United States, and he certainly better suits the ideals of an eminently practical people.

Go-ahead as he is in his methods, however, the turkey gets "scored off" now and then. A century or so ago, when geese and turkeys used in the absence of present-day facilities for transport to be driven long distances on the roads, a couple of noble sportsmen laid a wager as to the speed of turkeys and geese over a course which it would take a matter of days to traverse. Each nobleman was provided with a little flock of four of the fowls of his fancy, and of course betting was high in favor of the turkeys. And at first they seemed to justify their backers, for they soon stalked away from their waddling rivals and left them far behind. So things went on all day, but as dusk came on the aristocratic turkey herd found his charges becoming passive resistors, and displaying an incurable desire to go to roost—no amount of coaxing would propel them farther. Meanwhile the despised geese, with whom night and day were not of any very great importance, waddled sedately past, and ultimately won the race with plenty to spare. It was pretty nearly the old tale of the hare and tortoise over again, in fact.

I have known the farmyard bully pretty well bested on two occasions myself—tragically so, in fact. One of the most valued possessions of the Calcutta animal dealer I have mentioned was a fawn-colored European-bred turkey, whose color much commended it in his eyes, since turkeys of this hue seem not to be found in India. This privileged fowl used to circulate about his master's chair, strutting and gobbling; and though he often resented the entrance of natives into the compound he respected Europeans, a piece of discrimination one does not expect in a being of such limited intelligence as a turkey. Another inmate of the menagerie was a young cassowary, and he wrought the turkey's downfall; for, coming into the compound one day, I missed the ginger-hued gobbler, and asked what had become of him.

"Ah, my poor turkey!" said the dealer; "he gave cheek to the cassowary, and the cassowary kicked him and burst his bag!" It sounded as if the impudent bird had been collapsed like a toy balloon, but I did not inquire into details.

The dealer, however, consoled himself with a pair of local turkeys or the ordinary dark color, and the gobbler was beginning to take the place of his deceased predecessor in the economy of the



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Miss Mabel Cunningham spent Sunday with Miss Opal Holt.

Mr. J. H. Cunningham has returned from Munday and Weinert.

Miss Margaret Haskins, the school teacher is in Haskell this week attending the Institute.

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