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have friends galore, but you will have none more steadfast, more ready to respond to your wants, more capable of pushing you ahead, more of an incentive to forge to the front than a growing bank account.
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Haskell, Texas

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Compare the specifications of this Wonderful Car with others selling for more money and of course you will buy a

## Pullman

Nothing like it has ever been offered. For literature or demonstration of this car write or phone
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## in New Quarters.

The Symphony Club is domiciled in the new quatrters of the organization, recentlv fitted ou in the McConnell Building. The ladies met for the first time in day new club home on Wednes day afternoon, March 15th. The membership is justly proud of the new quarters, and a spirit of enthusiasm pervaded the atmos-
phere of the phere of the hand somely-fitted
out room at the meeting Wedout room
nesday.
The ladies of the Symphony Club only recently purchased a splendid new piano, and otler fittings consist of chairs, table and other accessories; in fact, everything needful to make the club home comfortable. Prior to fitting out the permanent club room it was the custom of the ladies to meet at the various homes of the members, and while in the former method it is were well entertnined, yet the membens thas of opinion of the members that the new arrangement, viewed from all standpoints, will be more satis factory.
The ladies of this progressive club are indebted, and indeed grateful to Judge H. G. McConnell, who proffered them the use of the room in the McConnel Building for a club room. It is highly gratifying to the friends of the ladies of the Symphony Club to note the rapid mannor in which the or ganization has progressed :since its incipiency. The Club has a splendid membership, made up from a host of Haskells most accomplished ladies, and is an organization founded for the
beauty and harmony of the music rendered by the members. The public has, on more than one occasion, been treated to the op portunity of listening to public recitals by the club. As will be
remembered, the ladies of the remembered, the ladies of th the Symyhony Club last spring
rendered a contata and playlet at rendered a contata and playlet at
the opera house that was one of the opera house that was one of
the rare treats of that season. After an interesting busines session, Mrs, Cahill directed splendid choral rehearsal.
The club will meet March 22 nd
when the following program will when the following program wil

> e rendered.

Hostess-Mrs. Bailey
Director-Mrs. Wood ward Sketch of the Life of Ma garet Long, - Mrs. Bernard
Chorus-Club. Chorus-Club.
Sketch of Lifeof Mary Salt
Miss Winn.
Piano Solo, "Lang, selected
Vocal solo, "Sish.
Vocal solo, "Serinity"
'Salter'-Mrs. Woodward.
Piano solo, 'Lang, selecte
-Miss Long.
Reporte
Falls from Windmill
H, H. Langford has his left arm broken and is bruised up prettv badlv as the result of a fall from the windmill tower at his residence Tuesday morning. It seems that the mill wouldn't cut off properly in the high wind that was blowing at that time, so he went up on the tower to fix it, when a sudden gust of wind turned the mill around knocking him off the tow er, to the ground, a distance of 35 feet. At list report Mr. Langford is resting well.
Plenty of Ferns Geraniums an most any Flowers. Phone 228

| Mrane Wm. Welis. | $\begin{array}{l}\text { need it, } \\ \text { sprinkled. }\end{array}$ |
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## SUMMONS!

## To Every Man of Voting Age in the County

You are hereby commanded, in the interest of your own good looks, your own pocketbook, and your own satisfaction, to appear at this store during this week and place your order for a Royal Made-to-YourMeasure Eastsr Suit.
For be it known that we are holding a Royal Reception Week. And we are offering the biggest values in Made-to-Measure clothes that our happy and wide-awake town has ever seen; more than half a thousand of the choicest, "prime-est," richest, custom tailor woolens; priced at $\$ 16$ to $\$ 38$ the suit, Made-to-Order Don't jilt this opportunity-Don't evade your own plain duty to yourself, your wardrobe and your pocketbook.
Truly we are showing great values---even though some are screaming high prices, shortage of dyes and materials and what not. but just the same we are mopping up on this business with the Royal Tailors still running on their sweet running schedule--guaranteeing the date of delivery, and forfeiting---To You, Sir---a dollar a day for each day's delay.
Come along and bring the missus-we court her good judgment. BE ROYAL TAILORED THIS EASTER

A Master of the Tape Line Awaits You

# F. G. Alexander \& Sons <br> THE BIG STORE <br> Haskell, Texas <br> Since 1891 

Retail Merchants Association Likely

Haskell will in all probability have a retail merchant's associa ion. E. B. Burge, of Stamford, spent most of last week among our business men organizing, and ex-
plaining his plan. So far, both of plaining his plan. So far, both of the banks and ten of the leading business men have signed up. The
object of the association will be object of the association will be
to keep an accurate and complete to keep an accurate and complete
record of the merchant'a dealings with each of their customers, or ther words, the association will to wholesale houses. Should the Re-
tail Mercaant's Association be or-
canized offices will probably be canized, ofices wiks prilding and cinished in the Eiks builiaing and secred Who is conected with the Stam. ford Association.
Petition for Street Sprinkling
A petition is being circulated among our business men, in an effort to get the streets sprinkled, Most of them have signed it, agree-
ing to pay the amount set oppoite their names. During weather when the streets do not need spriukling, the man employed to drive the water wagon wil, suchote
his time to other work, such as elping keep the streets and alleys lean, etc. A majority of the bus. iness men will subscribe to the proposition, but there will be a few who will not, being ideally situated as far as dust is concerned. No argument in favor of sprinkling he streets is necessary. They保 it, and probably will be

City Buys New Water Piping

Non-Jury Cases In County Court
The city has ordered, and ex-
Next week will be jury week in ects to arrive before long, enough the county court. During the past 8 inch piping to place a main on week there was several non-jury west and south part of the cases disposed of. Four colore square, taking up the 6 inch main gentlemen, charged with aggravat-
that now supplies tnis portion of ed assualt-whipping their wives he city. The one on the north-were fined sixty days on th and east part of square is an 8 county road and costs. Three inch main. There are several other more cases of aggravated assauut changes contemplated for the west One case of swindling, with a fine iderably inn, whi h will help con- of $\$ 25$ and ten days in jail. Tw fire insurance, saving our citi- of with fines of s10 each. giving better service monev, besides ion in case of fire.

Sidewalk at School Finished The concrete sidewalk across Clark street at the north ward school building has been finished enabling school children to cross the street in muday weather
Posts and blinds have also been Posts and blinds have also been
placed across $t \mathrm{~h}$ e roads running placed across the roads running
hrough the school grounds, and autos and wagons will please not try to cross.


## Think Twice About What You are Going to Buy For Spring

## Think Again Where You are Going to Buy It

 We believe if you think seriously of what you buy, and where you are going to buy, that we will sell you.Our one purpose is to have what our customers want, at a price fair to all. To give the best of service. We want you to make our store your store. Feel at home. To know that we are ever ready to show our goods.
Come see us. Ladies, men's and children's furnishings, shoes and hats.
Mrs. Penix has charge of ladies suit, coat and millinery.

## GRISSOM'S

"The Store With the Goods"


Plenty of money to loan, at 6
and 8 per cent.

## Sanders \& Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bragg, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bragg,
Miss Blanche Baldwin, and Messrs Menry Young and Chas Zussis from Stamford, were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. a n d Mrs. J. U. Fields.

Everything neat and sanitary at Kinnison's barber shop. Baths only 15 c.
Allen White and family of Stamford visited their nephew here
Sunday, J. M. White and tamily.
For pure home ground mear W. M. Mask. Melvin Haley and family visited
"Brighten Up", stains and vax
nishes at Marr's Paint Store. Rule Sunday.
For Sale-Cultivator, harrow, dition, and for sale at a bargain See V. E. Ballew
E. G. Stein of Sagerton was White Plymouth Rock Chicken town the early part of the week W G. Pope, Haskell Toza

We do not claim to have two or three fac tories of furniture on hand, but we do
Nice Line of Furniture
and good prices
o do yourself justice, you should call and see them before you buy elsewhere.

## JUST RECEIVED

a nice new lot of furniture this week. We want to trade some with you-will exchange new furniture for your old.
See our big line of flowers. Make your home brighter with a few flowers. They do not cost much-hardly anything. Call and see them. Will have cut flowers, so you can get a bouquet for your girl next Sunday. She will appreciate it,

Furniture Store ble eecurity. State how much C. Belcher L. M. Co., Ft Worth Texas or
J. B. Goodnight, Abiline, Texas Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Huckabee eft last week tor Denton to visit their daughters, Eunice and Laura who are attending C. I. A. at that place,
For Sale-Rhode Island Redeggs 15 for $\$ 1.00$. W. F. Rupe.
Miss Tommie Boone left last week for Denton to visit her sister Beryl, who is attending C. I. A.
Let E. L. Northcutt do your hauling. Satisfaction guaran hauling.
teed.
Jno. L. Robertson made a busi ness trip to Dallas the early par of the week.
Bring your chickens and eggs to Clifton'sFeed store and receive the highest market price for them in Cash.
Joe Murry and family of Bowie are here visiting Tom Murray and family of this cty.
I have two of the best Old-line Companies that write hail insur ance on growing crops. Itwill soon be time for hail storms, protec your crops by taking a policy in one of my reliable companies. Henry Johnson.
Frank Stevenson of Runnells ounty is here visiting City Mar hal Edwards.
A good milk cow for sale. See A. Hooten, Route 1. 12.21p Miss Nevada Baker spent Satur day and Sunday with home folks. She is teaching school at Knox City.
We have automobiles to exchange for lands. Write us particulars of what you have for exchance. Texas Garage, Galves. ton, Texas.
A. Tonn is off on a vacation, ing to the Fat Stock acation, go Worth, and will also visit Miner Wells.
The Free Press has severa scholarships in the Tyler Com mercial College at a liberal dis count. If you desire a busines education it will be to your in erest to see us
Mrs, D. Love spent the early part of the week on a business trip to Hamlin.
For Sale - or trade for farm Business house and lot in Haskel Bull at the Free Press office. Miss Lizzie Bentley who has an Sunday
ed home Sunday
Say Mr Merchant of Haskell, all the people who are supported by the Courtney Broom Co, buy heir groceries in Haskell Where do you buy your Brooms Courtney Hunt and family mo tored to Abilene Sunday.
1 write all kinds of insurance fire and tornado on city properity and make a speciality of insuring farm property. Henry Johnson, F. G. Alexander made a busines trip to Stamford the first part of the week.
For pure home ground mea see W. M. Mask.

Joel Dyer and wife of Stamford visited Jack Dyer here last week
Haskell Ice \& Light Co., will furnish you ice when you are hot, and coal when you are cold and lis W. B.lephone No. 161.
W. B. Alexander made a busiaess trip to Seymour Monday.
Lost-Sunday evening south of Haskell, a suit case containing clothing, etc. Finder please return to the Free Press or write Merlin Bonds, San Angelo, Texas, and receive $\$ 5.00$ reward.
Miss Elma Kinnard is to be quite sick this week
I have for sale two young bull Worthg for a business trip to For Worth and Dallas.
Wanted-Set of books to keep calves. All registered and out of have lots of spare time. Address heavy producing cows. W.A. Bak Bo okkeeper, P. O. Box 413 .

## PRIDE and PROFII

A DRUGGIST who takes pride in his profession will always consider QUALITY before profit. Professional pride causes us to stand back of every article sold over our counters and to refund the price of anything which proves unsatisfactory MAY WE HAVE YOUR DRUG BUSINES UNDER THESE CONDITIONS?
CORNER DRUG STORE OATES BROS.

We have a good work horse urrey and harness also some good gs we will sell cheap for cas on time. -Hunts.
Chas. E. Rutledge is again on he streets pushing Home Circl bainess, after a serious illness.
It's time to look up Flowers. ee the Flowers at the Green you can get elsewhere. Ring 228 Mrs, Wm. Wells.
J. F. Garber made a business rip to Rochester a nd Rule the first part of the week.

Wood Wanted-The Free Press would be glad to take a few load of wood on subscription.
E, F. Lamm made a business rip to Abilene Monday

I have eight windows and doors complete with frame for sale st a bargain. W. D. Joiner.
Mrs. Arington of Rule was shop oing in Haskell Monday.
E. L. Northcutt is prepared to all kinds of hauling. Prompt and satisfactory service. tfpt
Miss Drucilla Shelton of SagerHarper.
If you want to exchange or sell your land list with Sprowles and Co. Office in McConnell Bldg. tf The Quinine drives out mairin $\begin{aligned} & \text { Tron buids up the sytem. so }\end{aligned}$


Pressing Clothes is as Much an Art as Making Them
We claim that to properly and thoroughly press any kind of garment it must
be done on a Hoffman sanitary steam clothes pressing ma-
Phone 19 Thismentind Phone 19 produces the natural body shape in cloth. es of every description, raises the nap, brings out the color; gives the garment an appearance of newness and caues it to last much longer. LET US CONVINCE YOU.
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480 acres, 13 miles east of Floydada, and about same distance from Roaring Springs. Located on Plains, and in three miles of school and church. Every acre strictly good rming land-unimprove
Price, to close out real soon, only $\$ 13$ per
See us quick.
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## Burborn Red Turkey egks Rer dozen. Barred Ply. Many New Books tol per pock, White Wyandots and fite Indian runner duck, eggs, 00 for 15. Mrs. R. M. Grind <br> At The Library

 f, R. 2. Haskell, Texas. Mr and Mrs. J. C. Roberts ymour were the guests of Mr.d Mrs. Earl Cogdell last Sat day and Sunday.
Matine every day at Dick eatre from $2: 30$ to 6 p . m. J. A. Martindale and J. D. Mctown Wednesday on business Bring your chickens to Clif ton, pays the best prices.
Austin Matthews of Rotan has ceppted a position in the me. panical department of the REE PRESS. Good baths at Kinnison's barber rop at 15c.
D.C. Cogdell was in the city
iday.
For pure home ground mea see . M. Mask.

From time to time new books are being added to the Haskel Library. The lajest additions are as follows: "Pollyanna", by Eleanor H. Porter. An editora in the Philadelphia North Ameri-
can says; "And when after Pollycan says; "And when after Pollyanna has gone away, you get he letter saying, she is going t take eight steps tomorrow-wel don't know just what you may burried his fnow one man who burried his face in his hands and thanked the Giver of all glad "ess for Pollyanna.
"Pollyanna Grows UP", by "Overanor H. Porter.
"Overland Red", by Knibbs. Gates.
"The Lady of the Decoration" y Little.
"Ann of the Green Gables", b Montgomery.
"Polly of the Circus", b
ave. Mave.
D. Heath and wife made to Breckenridge the first I the week.
Let us rubber tire your go cart nes-Cox \& Co.
$\qquad$ loberts Community, a good lap fobe, Finder will please reurn to Dr. Taylor and receive

Good work mule for sale by Mc veill \& Smith Hardware Co.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. force, last Friday, a girl. Baths are selling tor only 15 c eath at Kinmson's barber shop. tt J. L. Jones of Rule passed arough Wednesday enroute $t$ Dallas and other points.
Matinee every day at Dick's
M. L. Owens left Thursda
morning for a business trip $t$ unday
List your land with Sprowles
and Co. Office in McConnell Bldg Geo. E. Courtney motored Throckmorton Thursday.
"Secretary of Frivilous A "rs"', by Ferrel.
"Molly Make Believe"
"Pals First", by Elliot, A de licious story, full of spirit and "Little romance.
Little Miss Grouch" Adams. A deliciously amusing lovestory which leaves the readhas finished it time after $h$ has finished it.
"The Lovable Meddler", b Dalrymple. One of the six best sellers last year, as well as the
winner of the $\$ 10,000$ Prize Novel Contest. Contest. for congratulation. It is matter Rinehart his novel the strongest element of her success as a story tellerher keen and sympathetic ap

## Methodist Church

On Monday afternoon of this week the Women's Missionary so ciety held its final meeting of the
vear for Bible Study. These les. year for Bible Study. These les sons on St. John's Epistles, which have just been concluded, have proved among the best and most helpful ever given. St. John's theology, while ideal, is nevertheless, of the most practical character,
and the women are unanimous in and the women are unanimous in
the feeling that they have gained the feeling that they have gained
unmeasurably by this study of St. unmeasurably by this
John's life and letters.
John's life and letters.
At the conclusion of the lesson At the conclusion of the lesson
tea and cake were served and an tea and cake were sed.
enjoyable time ensued.
enjoyable time ensued.
On Monday next the Mission On Monday next the Mission Study Class will hold its month meeting. The 4th Chapter of Chinas New Day, win be revive and the religions of China furthe considered by taiks Taoism, Confucianism and Buddism. Roil cal will be answered by Chinese Cur rent Events, and Chinas Indebted ness to the Ullt tates wis discussed. All the women who own a text-book are aske has none that all may have an opportuuity for preparation.
Hereafter the hour for the
meeting will be at four o'cloc
Several tons of good fresh hay wanted. See Chambers Feed and Coal Co.

Many Improvements at Court House

This'seems to be house cleaning week at the court house. Judge Smith is having things generally, cle
and repainted.
The walls are calciumined, wood work being varnished, and the color scheme of the inside of the entire court house is being
changed. The work is being changed. The work is being
done mostly by convict labor, done mostly by convict labor,
with the exception of one or two with the exception of one or two
skilled artists who have the skilled artists who have the
work in charge. When the work work in charge. When the work
is finished the interior of the 15 finished the interior of the
court house will look better, and be better; and Judge Smith is to e commended for this example The Court House lawn also ment. All the bumps and holes
mer its share of improveare being leveled, and made re being leveled, a n d made
smoothe. and load after load of moothe, and load after load on
ertilizer is being spread. It goes without saying. that the court house lawn will be a very pretty spot this summer
"The Battle Cry of Peace" The Candy Theatre, Stam ford, has made arrankements for the production of that famed screen
drama, "The Battle Cry of Peace" to appear at the theatre on Saturday, March 25th. The managedey, March 25 th. The manage
ment of the Candy ann ounce that beginning at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. on that day here will be a continuous show until midnight. Thus Haskell folks will be afforded an opportunity of making the trip over to Stamord for the production, and doubtless there will be many from here to attend the performance. Note their ad on the front page of the Free Press.

Tractor Plow Demonstration The weather permitting $t h$ Mogul engine and plow will be tried out near town Saturday, 18th oo see what it will do. The public is invited, for we want your judgement.

Sherrill Bros. \& Co. Married
Mr. U. A. Horn and Miss Bessie Benton were united in marriage outh of town. Wedesday after noon, March 15th.

Notice
There will be a countr meeting of the Socialists of Haskell county Haske Court house in the city of haskell on the 8th of Aprii at
m . to nominate candidates for county offiers. All the Socialists of the county are requested to be present and have a voice in saying who shall be our candidates.

Fred T. Wharton
County Secierary
Girls Auxiliary Club The Girls Club held a very in-
tresting meeting in the club room teresting meeting in the club room This was their first open house to heir mothers and friends, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who atcended. The crogram was well otten up and splendidly rendered. Cach girl responding to her na me called with some famous Artist. Their pieces were given and not as some of our older heads do. Miss
Boone as their efficient President, Boone as their efficient President, certainly deserves much credit for her untiring leadership, we beAt the close of $t$ or progrm At the close of the program a social hour was held during which a delicious punch was served and
all departed feeling a deeper interest, and a greater, ride in our girls than ever before.



The one most necessary thing a man must do is dress well. when you go to get a position, if you are not well dressed, the man you approach for work will say, "I'm sorry, but we really haven't a place for you."
If you have a position and want to get a raise in salary, raise the standard of your appearance. Looking prosperous will help you to prosperity. Remember we sell "up-right" quality clothing for "down-right' low prices. This same argument holds good for women, boys and girls. Neat stylish dressing is economy. Then there is economy in buying at the right place. We believe we can help you economize. Our styles are better and the price is right.

Our millinery is all the talk. We appreciate the nice things said to is about our hats, and we strive to give our millinery a distinctiveness not to be found elsewhere.


New slippersand high boots arrived this week. We have now the smartest selection of footwear to be found in Eizskell. This is a novelty season; we have the new white sport Oxfords for girls, white buck with white Ivory sole, patent pump with white kid collar. All white kid pumps, in fact, you will see the newest things in footwear in our window Saturday and Sunday.
Our ready-to-wear is going fast, don't wait too long, come get your selection before they are picked over.
We want you to inspect our entire stock. It is complete throughout.

## - HUNT'S "er <br> 

Commissioners Court Met Nonday.

One of the important things he Commissioners court did Monday was granting and ordering opened, a public road from Sagerton to Brazos rive r bridge. Another public road was also opened from Curry's necting with the Haskell and Weinert road.
The bounty on rabbit and wolf scalps was continued another thirty days. The state apthirty days. The state ap ing exhausted. The bounty will be 5c aplece on raing the 10 th of next month.

## New Cemetery Platted

The ground for the new cemetery, whicu lies just south of the old cemetery was platted this week The new cemetery contains three acres ot ground. At present it is in charge of the City Council, but will probably later be turned over to the Cemetery Association. Sev. eral lots we understand have al| ready bee |
| :--- |
| Mayor. |

## LOUIS K. WALKER

## Practical Sewing machine Repairer. 44 years experience enables me to guarantee Satisfaction. Permanently located at McNeill \& Smith's Hardware Store. Haskell, Texas

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the Haskell Possoficte, Haskell, Texas.


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Thanks. 3 cents per line per issue.

| masketu, rexas, March 18, 1916. |
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| Isn't it about time for the |
| United States to sign another |
| declaration of independence to |

declaratio
England. Indications point to a large in
crease in the acreage planted in
peanuts this year, but it in hoped
there will be no increase in the gore Chronicle. A convention of tailors have
declared that in order to pass
as an American Gentleman, one
must tave at least twelve suits
of clothes. We know several
who couldn't pass. There is no law, or other
means, to prohibit carnivals and
such like for showing in Haskell
so long as they pay their so long as they pay their taxes.
People should not criticis $t$ h e City Council, or Mayor, for
something they are not respon. A gailley of type was "pied"
Suse before press hour. The
type will be set again ofr next
week. One item annonced
special music at the Christain week. Mne item annonnced
special music at the Christain
church morning and night Sun
day and day, and a report on the Wichita
Valies. mention of oo to church
Sunday.-Steymour Banner A galley of type never "pies"
except right at press time, and it never fails to contain several
pav locals and the editors best par locals and the editors best
article. It sounds something like a brick chimney falling on a un
roof. The combination of peanuts and hogs proved most profitable in several sections of Texas last year.
The yield ot peanuts averaged The yield of peanuts averaged
more that thirty bushels to the acre, and the price ranged from
60 to 84 c a bushel. The vine made
$\qquad$
a bushe for the peanuts, brousht
$\$ 225.20$ and acre, to which should
beadded $\$ 800$ for the hay, making

WHERE IS MY BOY TONIGET?
In last week's Free Press, we read with feeling of sorrow and humiliation the article o
editoral page on that "Boy o editoral pare on that ""oy of
Mine", and it appears that some Mine", and it appears that some
thoughtless "Kids", who are thoughtless "Kids", who ar
permitted by the acts of omis
sion or commission of thei sion or commission of their
parents, to roam the streets at
night, have been caught, though
not positivly identified, prowling not positivly identified, prowling
around people's back yards,
peering at innocent girls, while they were undressing.
Whele such acts are dastardly

In the extreme, it is not my in-
tention to comment upon this
phase of the case, but merely to
add my word of warning to that phase of the case, but merely to
add my word of warning to that
of the writer of that article in calling atter of that the ficticle in
"Up Town" is no place for bors

ANNOUNCEMENTS
The following $A$ anouncements are made
subject to the actinu of the Democratic sobject to the actine of the Democratic
Primaries to be held in luly.

District offices:
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY Joe C. Randell. OR REPRESENTATIVE Bruce W. Bryant

## County Offices

A. J. Smith (Re-election)

Emory Menefee
Jaylord Kline
COUNTY CLERK R. R. English

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
FOR SHERIFF
W. C. Allen
G. H. Cobs
J. M. (Mike) Perry

TAX COLLECTOR H. H. LangFord (Re-elect.)

OR TAX ASSESSOR
R. J. Pixton (Re-election) OR DISTRICT CLERK E. W. Loe, (Re-election)

## Precinct Offices


J. S. Post, (Re-election)

FOR CONSTABLE, Prec.
PUBLIC WEIGHER, Prec,
E. L. Northcutt
OR COMMISSIONER Prec. 2 J. C. (Cal) Lewellen

FOR COMMISSIONER Prec. 3 A. L. (Boo) Cox
J. A, Gilstrap

FOR COMMISSIONER Prec. 4
P. C. Patterson, (Re-elect)

## CITY OFFICES

FOR CITY MARSAAL
Alex EdwArds
go with the production of cream
for the markets, and b o $t h$ command a cash market any place and any time. The production of pork
will bring about sales throughou ly handied cream is delivered to the cream
This will afford the creamery the living expenses throughout the seas on till the growing crop whether corn, wheat or cotton, is ready to be marketed. A smal herd of cows producing cream for
the market makes the Texas farm er independent of asking credit at the store' and makes him a better business risk at the bank.

So long as England owes hal billion dollars to United State millionaires, that long, there wil between United States and Eng land. Germany is England's enemy, and does not owe ou
darlings anything, German vic tory would probably cause Eng land to be slow pay. English England in a better position place pay. Already some have urged the United States to take Eng land's side in the war "for the
sake of Humanity"; the manufacturers ship England
munitions, the state ditartment munitions, the state department
views as "very grava" everything views as "very grava" everything
Germany does, and we're to
prepare.

ton to the acre at 12 c a bate of cot and peanuts can a cuitivated at
smnller expense than cotton.

## WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

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In this demonstration, the skim about a feeding operation a $n$ d added profit. In the valuation of r hundred pounds and is anything, too low. Experiments Agricultural Department show a gher feeding value and when fed growing pigs is reported as per hundred; this with corn at 60 cen's per bushel and pork 7 cents s per bushel and market price.
peund
he production of pork should

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THE NEGRO OR US
During the fall, the negroes gathering the cotton crop. A that time there was really need of them here, and no one had any objection to them coming. The negroes that came here were the ones that were not wanted in the East, and they came here, as they thought this a good country for them to carry on their criminality profitably. They picked a good portion of the cotton crop, and since that time, it would be hard to tell what they had done,
unless one should have been in unless one should have been in
the back allevs and box cars after night, to witness therr doings. Thev have given ${ }^{*}$ a consiberable amount of dissatisfaction on the farm, where they would steal in their cotton weights. Their
drunkenness and gambling has drunkenness and gambling has
been very much unappreciated by the people. A few of the farm ers are pleased with them, but
there is considerable difference in the conduct of the negros in tow and in the country. We doubt bucks that are not gamblers, bootleggers or pimps. The negro women here for the most part are bawds, and their fields of crime
are the back alleys, and along the railroad tracks. The people her are well tired of this conduct, and the time is coming when th people of this country will be re lieved of these low minded blacks and the sooner the better. We
would have nothing to say to this it no one else objected, but the citizens of Rochester are tired of it, and we have heard considerable complaint. Last week in Haskell one of the prominent citizens o negros came to Haskell, the wid ows, and other women who were
compelled to compelled to work for a living made a good, respectable living,
but now, but now, since the negros are
there, they cannot there, they cannot compete with negro labor, which is true, for there are too many, whose living comes from other than labor, and they can well afford to do cheap Work as a blind of their criminality. It is true, that there are white
men as low down as a negro, but we think very few of them. This is a hint to the niggers to get
another job, and a second another job, and a second hint
will not probably appear in this will not probably appear in this
paper. Other places have been relieved of these brutes, and this place is equally able to do likewise. These statements are made in
behalf ot some of the most prom. inent business men, and owing t thrust, we call att an autright fact that it will be dangerous busihimself near the door of Bryant Links' store one door of Bryant with an open knife up his week whose intentions were b iffled by other white people coming in at intentional breaks or moves, in the presence of this writer.-Roches

After reading the artiele by Geo. E. Courney which appeared
in the Free Press several in the Free Press several weeks
ago, the Throckmorton ago, the Throckmorton New
has this to say. "Mr. Courtney has seen the light, or a glimpse of it at any rate. But if he has to tell it all. The mounte fails who are seeking to unte Bank ers Union politically the Farm yond seeking to array them against President Wilson. They Congress and the State la ture. In Missouri the very same question is being asked in fave of the Republcan candidates tha Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald has why asked in Texas. Namely why not elect farmers, laboring men and business men?" If the Republicans in Missoui can foo will succeed. Butic farmers they many must be fooled, as they were two years ago. The ques
tion is, will the cable be able to deliver the goods or are there

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## GARDU

The Woman's Tonic
Miss Amella Wilison, R. F. D. No. 4, Alma, Ark,

 spells sand a poor appefite. Now I feel as well and

Has Helped Thousands. Judge Kinnard Fcr County Judge In this weeks Free Press is found he announcement of Hon. Jas. P Kinnard for County Judge. Judge C unty for the past eight years, during which time he has com ple. He came from Bell County where he filled several importynt offices, among them, that of dis rict attorney. to which position he as elected in 1896, voluntarily etiring at the expiration of his he bears the reputation of having een the most popular of having ul district attorney that success

## ver had.

He is a lawyer of experience and bility, and we believe that he would be absolutely fair and im-
cial duties and his frends of dict for him and friends pre uccessful administration of the County's afiairs should the County's afiairs, should he be
lected to this important office.

The Court of Last Resort Around the stove of the cross oads grocery is the real court of all others. Chamberlains Cough
art, for it finally over-rules Remedy has been brought before this court in almost every cross roads grocery in this country, and verdict. It is in the country where man expects to receive full dy is hor his money that this rem by West Side Drug Store.
nherating to the Pale and Sickly

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## THIRTY YEARS AGO

Haskell City Free Press

Note: The Free Press was print- $\mid$ Anson road. J. L. Jones County ed at Throckmorton from Jan. 1st Clerk
to May 1st, 1886. A borseman
would bring the paper ov er for distribution and get the local news prepared by the editor
Mailleaves Haskell city Mondays and Fridays at 7 a. m , and arrives fuesdays and Saturdays at $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ D. M. Winn, P. M

Professional Cards: A.C. Fos. ter, Att'y at Law; Oscar Martin Att'y at Law; W. H. Peckham. Att'y at Law; R. A. Anderson, Physician, Surgeon and Obstertician; T. M. Lewis, M. D; Jas. B.
Holmes. Carpenter a n d Builder; Rupe Hotel.
Haskell City and Albany Stage Line, J, S. Smith, prop. leaves Has kell on Mondays and Tuesdays
at $7 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. arrives Tuesdays and Saturdays at 6 p. m. Passengers transported at $\$ 5$ round trip, $\$ 3.00$ in either direction.

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, collecting agent; Wm. Harvey, dealer in dry goods, clothing, boots
and shoes and hats: Foster \& Bal and shoes and hats; Foster \& Bal agency; R. S. DeLong, staple and farce groceries; Draper \& Bild win
livery and feed stabe livery and feed stable.
Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the County Commissioners court of Haskel County. Texas on the 29th day of March, 1886 tor the construction of four bridges in Haskell county, one crossing Deep Paint Creek on Aloany road, one crossing Cali fornia Creek on the Albany road and one crossing Deep Paint Creel on the Anson road, and one cross-
ing Big Timbend branch on the

The March Winds doth blow. Gardens are doing well.

## Ge doing well.

Workmen on Mr. Harveys build ing are pushing ahead, and soo Haskell will have other buildings going up.
The Railroad meeting at Abi ene was a grand success, and the people along the proposed line are now going to work in real earnest
and ere many days we trust to see and ere many days we trust to see eir labors bear fruit.

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## Bruce W. Bryant

This week we place the name of $/$ mittee on Penitentiaries, the com Bruce W. Bryant in our announce- mittee on Public Lands and Lan ment colum as a candidate to suc- Office, Judiciary committee, Insur ceed himself for the office of Rep- ence committee, chairman of th resentative from the 102 district. committee on reforms in Civi Mr. Bryant has held this high and procedure and vice.chairman of responsible office the past two
years, serving the people of this
Criminal proce on Reforms in years. serving the people of this Criminal procedure, and the com district in a credible and com- mittee on public debt. Six of mendable manner. The Baylor these are among the most impo County Banner, in regard to Mr . tant committees in the House. Brvant's race, says: "While our "I was selected by Hon, Jno. W opinion of our efficient represen- Woods of Rotan to second his tative is away up in "G" we feel
that no eulogy of the man could
nom 1 mation tor Speaker and
that
 speak for more than his record. electing the first Western man If seems that the smailest honor speaker of the House. I went to hat might be bestowed upon a Austin seven days before the man so faithful in his service Legislature convened aud spen Would be to nominate him en- my time and money in behaif o husiastically for the second term. Mr. Woods in his candidacy for selow is a short outline of Mr. the Speakership. Bryant's record.
To the voters of the 102 Dis. the House as one ot six men to trict "For some time I have been investigate the conditions of the hesitating to make the race for Denlentiaries at Rusk and Hunt re-election owing to the fact that $\begin{aligned} & \text { lile and spent several days } \\ & \text { a }\end{aligned}$ the compensation of a member of hese insitutions and cained in the Legislature is so inadequate formation while there that will be that it does not pay the exzenses or the campaign and the necessary question of pitere as the Gere the expenses whire in Austin. ho say
nothing of the loss of the time discouraged any legislation upon nothing of the loss of the time nd business.
"I have however concluded that it would not be doing my consti uents sight at his time not to re that a new member cannot be hat a new member cannot be of
the service to his people that he can when he is serving his second erm I believe that I m semuch better position to secure benefits for my people now than eyer before, and that it I return to the next Legislature that I can get what we want and need out this way. During the last Legisiatur the financial condition or the
people and the state at large was the most stringent in many year and 1 did not feel justified in asking for the kind of an appropriation that we need to get our experiment station in this distric but times have changed and feel sure that we can
I was not a Member of the educational committee but
materially in passing bill and ame tne joint author of the provision in this bill, providing that free school books be furnished to the children of poor parents, who were unable to furnish the books to therr children. I voted for the oppropriation for the benefit of the country schools, and in fact supported every edvcational
measure that was endorsed by the leading educators of the state.

## DisPrice's BAMUITG POWDER

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Ball Game Monday Monday the High School lads is sued a challenge to the Haskell, round about town, boys, to meet
them on the school grounds for a them on the school grounds for a
game of ball. The result of the game of ball. The result of the
game was 9 to 7 in favor of the game was 9 to 7 in favor of the
High School team. The defeated plavers were: Bob Milam, Curtis
Parker, H. J. Long, Jessie Collier, Parker, H. J. Long, Jessie Colier,
Mann, Bob Moore, Giles Kemp, Mann, Bob Moore, Giles Kemp,
Shirey, and another whose name we couldn't learn.
H. M. Lenoir of Lueders visiting here the past week.

Road Camps Move
Road Camp No. 1, moved last
last week from precinct 3 to prelast week from precinct 3 to pre-
cinct 2 , on the air line road from Haskeil to Weinet
Road Camp No. cinct 4 near nouth line of the
County. County

## Notice of Sheriff's Sale




## Monthly Meeting

Pastor's Association
At the monthly meeting of the Pastors' Association among matlers of community interest dis
cussed, was the question of the froquent carnivals in town. Warmest approval was expressed of the trion of the ladies Clubs in petitioning the City Council to prevent a further nuisance along this line, mention was also made of a like petion gotten up by the boys inh
the High School. This was iought the High school. This was hough to be verv commendable insomach as the amusement feature of the young men rather than the serious moral issue involved, Their action is a great credit to them and to their school,
Needless to.say the Pastors went record as unalterably opposed 0 these carnivals with tneir bane fal moral effects, and assures the City Council they h ave all the
churches behind them in their ef. forts to exclude these finanncial and moral pestilences.
J. F. Lloyd, Chairman.

Haskell Interview
Mr. Tucker Tells His Experieac
The following brief account o an interview with a Haskell man
four years afo, and its sequel, will be read with keen interes
by every citizen.
W. M. Tucker, Haskell, gave che followin- rief account of
his expe...
February 1911 his exp.
He said. of my back When I was werking kidneys, back got so sensitive that seemed to help me until I got
Doan's Kidney Pills lier's Drug Store, (now the
Corner Drug Store). They gave -

## ril 8, 19I5, Mr. Tucker

$\qquad$
Mr. Farmer.


## BUSINESS ITEMS

## This, That and the Other 'Round About Town

J. F. Kennedy who recently purchased the Marvin Garage is having some inproving done. He
informs us thatin the near future he intends to enlarge the garage to abou.
sert capacity.
The work on the additionto the Haskell Garage is moving right along. The building is an ex-
tension of the present garage, which will enable it to house more cars.
The photograph gallery of J, A Tuten is now located up stairs over
the City Meat Market, having moved from its location on De pot street.

At Simmon's Livery Stable, $K$. D. informs us that he has added to his equipment a Ford service car go anywhere and everywhere on short notice.
The Haskell Telephone Co ., has een doing a great deal of improv dg among their several exchange lately, Weinert was the last one
where they have installed a new witch board.

## The Messenger Boy

 Is this life of the te legraph mes senger a desirable one? Is it school in which he is to be made or to be marred? These are im portant questions for many parents or there are thousands of lads hus employed and the messenge graduates every year.There has been some prejudice in the past against this form of employment, due to a misappre hension as to the character and conditions of their work, On the other hand, in the past few years newspapers have found worth printing the multiplying instances -sometimes amusing, sometimes been called upon to perform curiously unique services and other services of trust and responsibility in all of which they have rendered good account of themselves. The ife, and particularly of business ife, and particularly in the tele full of men even in raition are the highest responsibility, who be gan their careers as messenger kny. Distinguished and we I negie and Thomas A. Edison.
The telegraph companies point o the opportunity which this em ployment offers to the boys-op portunity to show the stuff they cure by merit better employment. for they constantly come in con. tact with employers on the lookout cor bright boys. The telegraph ply messengers to fill ted to supply messengers to fill temporarily the places of unskilled employees
away on vacation, and to perform services on special occasions. In their daily duties the boys are busingess into personal contact with and when these men hove merm, ent positions to fill they frequently ick messengers who hequenty under therr observation or ask the elegraph manager to recommend bright boys. Indeed, the telegreph companies complain that it is im possible to keep for any length ot time their best boys, for these are quickly taken from tnem.
Thus there is no doubt about he opportunity. Now what about the training? The telegraph companies are employing boys an d young men to do work that the communities must h a ve done. Only active, strong youths are fit lor the service. Can it fail to be good for such boys to be thus en-gaged-earning the honest living, exercising their buoyant brains affairs and ganing a practical ed. ucation such as few occupations pen to them?
What are they learning? They

The Haskell National Bank has remodeled, fitted up and furn ished a nice , irector's room in the rear of the bank building.
Posey \& Hunts are screening off a portion of their store for
the storing of flour. It is to be a rat and fly proof.
The new steam clothes press at Hunt's No, 2 store h as been in stalled, and they report a rushing business in the new department. Manager Kutiedge of the Oper House states that Angel's Comedlong.
The Haskell Ice \& Light Co., report that the current has been
turned on to Munday. The new engine recently ordered by this company is expected to arrived this week. The engine weighs 80,000 pounds, and will probably come on two cars.
Two cars of prospectors left Has. ell Tuesday morning for the cenRamey driving one car and M. Drake driving the other.
are learning that honesty, indus are learning that honesty, indus-
try, courage, energy and resource. fulness are necessary qualities to success; $t$ hece are learning inde pendence and the hapoiness that comes from steady employment from self-support. They soon realize what qualities they must cultivate to win out in the race. It is an interesting and exciting oc cupation. If a boy must work a an early age, where can he find which to test and build his charac er? The messenger's day is full and action. He is largely in the open air, getting the physical exer cise, the variety of scene and the variety of occupation that appeal to the youthful imagination and o necessary for his best develop ment.

## B. W. M. W.

Quite a number of ladies me with Sister Groom Monday after noon on ahad an interesting lesson on the "Humanity of Christ" with Mrs. John Couch as leader. After he lesson a short business session was held and some good reports were giv
mittees.
We were glad to welcome two
new members, Mesdam es White and Hensley.
Next Monday we will have our Missionary program, at the church and we hope that all the members Missionary Meetings are growing in interest and if you come you are sure to ret something worth carrying home with you.

## Magazine Club

The Magazine Club met Friday,
with good attendance. After reg,
ular business meeting Mrs. San ders conducted a splendid lesson
on Household Management with the following special topics:
Have we a Standard of Living? Mrs. Sutherlin. Is our Standard of Living Worth
the Increased Cost?-Mrs. the lncreased Cost?-Mrs. Post. Living? -Mrs. C. Couch.
Club adjourned to met Friday Club adjo
March 17th.
Alex Jor es and family of near
Goree, and Pat Jones and or Merkle were visiting and hopping in our city Wednesday.
Baptist Church Announcementa
9:45 Sunday School.
11:00 Sermon subject "A Tran4:15 Mrs Bow


## Strayed or Stolen

## Small black mare mule about 14

 hands high, , bout muie about 10 or 12 years other marks or brands. Left myplace Thursday night, January 18 Will pay 5 reward for his recov-

Food For Thought
Perhaps you would prefer to train your thoughts on other things than food-but they should be mingled in and not made the whole show. Good things to eat are neces sary to keep you feeling good, so try

## Our Fresh Frutts and Nuts

Its up to you to give Food a Thought, and while you are at it, we wish to state that we have everything in the fruit line, and many other good tninge too.

Come in if you can-phone if Can't
D. W. Butter, At Makk' (hrocer

## Ever Salivated by

Calomel? Horrible!
Calomel is quicksilver and acts like dynamite on your liver

Calomel loses y~ua day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quizksilver. Calome is_dangerous. It crashes into
our bile like dynamite, cramp ing and sickening you. Calome ttacks the bones and should When but into the system. When you feel bilious, slug ed out and believe you noed dose of dangerous calomel jus emember that your druggis sells for 50 c a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guarantirring start your hiver withou tirring you
not salivate.
Don't take calomel! It make
you sick next day; it loses you
day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right Liver and you feel great. Give it to fectly harmless and doesn gripe.

## Centc.

Hello one and all
Mrs. J. T. Fulbright visited Mar Sagerton Sunday.
Mr with Mrs. Moody spent FriMiss Oleatha Fulbright spen unday with Gertrude Briden. Miss Lucile Maize of Haskell here visiting Mrs. Lillie Bell Riley.
Quiet a crowd attended sing. ing at Joe Baileys Sunday afterMr .
onday J. Rhodes came in where he has been visiting rela where
tives.
Messers Warren Sumners, am Fel and Elmo Jeter left Faiday for N. M. where they pose they are just looking at th country. But we understand hey will visit in Swisher Co Mre they return
Mr. A. J. Lewis
albright left last Friday nigh or Ft. Worth.
Mr. Atley Harlason was in
Rule Saturday. His brother Arther $D$, who is attending school at that place came home with him and spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks. Mrs. Lena Cauthen visited Mrs. Maud Walker at MoConne Saturday.
The dance at Mr. Moody Har rel's Friday night was well atleaded and every one report ed a jolly time.
Will ring off and leave space
Fire Fly.
For County Clerk
The Free Press this week pro sents J. F. Garber as a candidate Gor the office af County Clerk. Mt. people of wnown among the county finskell a n d Haskel or so with Hancock \& Co and lat Hunt's and is now connected with Hunt's dry goods store. He is hoe ompetent to handle the affairs his office. The people will make 0 mistake in electing this gentle. san to the office for which he seels Mr. Garber's announcement fol. lows:
I respectfully wish to announce my candidacy for the office of County Clerk of Haskell county, the ensuing Democratic Pri . maries Julv 22nd.
In making my announcement wish to say that I expect to make my compaign on a bigh moral lane. I will make the race stricton my own merits and not on he demerits of any oponent I may have.
I have lived in Texas twenty seven vears, and I a a life lon, he Derat and have Alw wroted self thoroughly qualificd to fill the ffice ot county clerk and I prom. ise you if elected I will fill the office to the very best of mv ability t all times.
1 expect to make a thorough canvas of the county in due time and will make every effort possible to meet every voter personally be-

# TO THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS: 

In the Annual Report of the Texas Railroad Commission for 1900, then presided over by tha grand old commoner, John H. Reagan, after notic ing the great Terease in of Texas had pay in satisfaction of Jury verdicts and Court Judgments for persona injuries, the report says:
"Whlle we have no official information showing the cause of this great increase, we understand, in a aeneral way, that it probably resugularly organized personal injury bureaus. The only direct interest which this commis. sion has in this question grows out of the fact that, as the amount of these payments are increased, the available revenues of the railroad companies are reduced thus necessarily operating, to that extent, to prevent the reduction of freight rates, or, it might be, to cause an increase in them."
What Judge Reagan and his associates foresaw and warned against has actually happened. The Rairoad Commission of Texas has increase
tresht rates. Not much yet, but it is hoped the increases will be sufficiently liboral to relieve the roads of their distressing necessities.
The Commission, after the most exhaustive, patient, laborious and painstaking investigatio, state about four million dollars railroads of th patient, laborious and painstaking investigation $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { state about four million dollars per year. The however, refused to place this enor }\end{aligned}\right.$
ever before undertaken by a state ?rate making
body, in which hearing the Commission was as sisted by able attorngey the Commission was as sisted by able attorneys und experts, in no way connected with the railroads; and with the single purpose of learning the truth and doing their duty as sworn officials of your choosing, the Commis-
ioners nave found that the railroads are lo earn more revenue to enable them to pay their operating expenses_and a fair_return upon the operating expenses and a fair_return upon
value of the property devoted to public use. It would not be fair to charge the entire in crease to personal injury payments. Such payments had, hower, a considerable influence in the way of increased expenses; but there are many other ways of unnecessarily increasing the ex penses of the railroads. The legislature can, and in the past has done so. And every expense im
posed and forced on the railroads by the legisla posed and forced on the railroads by the legisla paid by the people, and mostly by the producer of the wealth of the state.
The last legislature w
The last legislature was importuned, by selfish sive laws, such as the so-called "full and expen and others, that would, had they been enacted have increased the expenses of the railroads of th
ous expense on the shippers and producers of this state, and you justly owe your lawmakers a vote of thanks for thus protecting you. For if the legislature had passed these laws, the increased expense would have had to be taken into consider sideration by the Railroad Commission in fixing the advances allowed, or to be hereafter allowed The action of the legislature has saved the ship. pers and producers of this state a vast amount of of money.
The financial condition of the railroads forced us to ask an increase in freight rates. We would have been glad, had the conditions of the roads been such, that we would not have had to ask for such increase.
The way to protect yourselves in the amount of reight rates is to assist the railroads in reducing expenses and in preventing their operating ex penses from being further increased. Will you thus help yourselves, your neighbors and you friends?
Your state and county officials publish statements of their public acts for the information of people; while railroads are privately owned, the
are operated for the benefit of the public, and the people are entitled to know how they are affected by railroad legislation and regulation.

## General Managers Texas Railroads

## skell County

School Items
e scholastic census of $\mathbf{t h} \mathbf{e}$ ty must be taken during the
th of March. Census trustees busy at present taking the coming in the e scholastic enent will be 1000 more this than eyer before. This means ased responsibilities for the ds of education and school of School buildings will have enlarged in some communiand equipment, provided our and girls in the rural schools ared for educationally. The it is at present. Movets arebeing started by patrons tustees this year, if continted carried out, will result in ed educational advancement the rural schools. The new of haw enacted by the leg. ure has made it possible for ural schools to become standed and to do acceptable and table training for the country nd girl. The million dollar poiation has aroused greater ties and has been a greater for building up the school

## low Do You Sleep

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will be here for a few days to manufacture cotton mat. meas and renovate old ones. Give our' representative a
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brold mattresses and make them new and sanitary.

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| than any other recent school legis- |
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| lation. The compulsory school |
| attendance law, which goes in ef- |
| fect the first of next September |
| together with other new school |
| legislation increased the responsi- |
| bility and makes the work of the |
| Co. Supt. m or e dificult than it |
| has heretofore. The following is a |
| list of schools that received state |
| aid at the meeting of the State |
| Board March 10th: |
| Jud. |
| Rose. |
| Mitchell. |
| Lone Star. |
| Vontress. |
| Dennis Chapel. |

## Good for Colds

$\qquad$ ine are recognized cold remedies In Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey
these are combined with other cough medicine in a pleasant syrup. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honay quickly stops your cough,
checks your cold, soothes irrita tion of the throat. Excellent for young, edult and aged. It's one of the best cough syrups
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good for coughs or colds. Insist nood for coughs or colds. Insiss
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success. If you desire to obtain a
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the institution; and what the emthe institution; and what the em-
plovers of these graduates say of their efficient training. Read how some worked their way througb some worked their way through
school, how others borrowed the schooi, how made it pay them big dividende, how others quit jobs at with us. small salaries, completed the ir smair saiaries, completed the same
courses and went back to the

## Think It Over?

Young men and women desiring to acheive a success should not waste their summer vacation. One vacation properly spent will protect them against proverty and enable them to earn a respectful living. There is no use idling a-
way the summer months. Busway the summer months. Bus1ness men and farmers alike, work
during the summer. Ambitious during the summer. Ambitious
boys and girls would $r$ ther spend boys and girls would a large and en thusiastic student body, mastering a course of Bookkeeping, Short hodd, Telegraphy, Business Ad ministration and Finance or Cotton
Classing that they might use this Classing that they might use this practical knowledge in paying
their way through some universitheir way through some university or $c o$ secure a good paying
position in a business office. He who cares more tor success than heat, goes a long ways asead of heat, goes a long ways ahead of
him who waits until cool weather to study. Many a youns boy or to study. Many a young boy or iri who at the close of last year entered the Tyler Commercial Col lege of Tyler, Texas, to spend our large universities, paying their our large universities, paying their
own way, or holding a splendid own way, or holding a splendid position, or are in business for
themselves. Where there's a will themseives. Where there's a wil there's a way. Cowardice sits and
whimes' I can't. Courage forces whimes' I can't. Courage forces
N. MeNeill Supt. Sunda School. Sunday School 9:45 and School. Sunday School 9:45 and
every member is urged to be resent at Sunday Sohool and bring a new member or visitor
o help prepare for Union Sun day School Rally soon.
 "Gode Test Cain"
7:45 p. m. Our duty to Chure and Home. You are especiall avited to come worahip the Lord "ith us.
Remember you are a strange

## W, Claristian Church <br> Firat Christian Church

firm at two and three times their previous salary. Get a salary rais ing education. It is yours if you Write willing to make the effort make today for catalogue and moon as your school closes. The U. S, Government has held two examinations here in Tyler this spring enabling our graduates to go into nice civil service positions at entrance salary ot from $\$ 900$ to $\$ 1000$ The Tyler Commercial College building is one of the largest most sanitary, best lighted aod venilated, in the State; it is an ideal place for summer work. More than five hundred students profitably spend
their vacation there every summer

## Pills Best for Liver

Because they centain the best liver medicines, no matter how bitter or nauseating for the sweet sugar coating hides the daste. Dr. King's New Life Pills contain certain ingredients that put the liver working, move the bowels freely. No gripe, no nausea, aids digestion. Just try a bottle of Dr. King's New Life
Pills and notice how much bet Pills and notice how much bet
ter you feel. 25 c at druggists.
Arthur Roberts has accepted a position with the W: V. Ry. as

Takes First Prize at Fort Worth
H. S. Post informs us that his randson, Labry Ballard, took first rize on a lot of fifteen steer calves the Fat Stoek s
Worth Wednesday
The calves, which
The
The calves, which are thorough bred herefords, were fed bv Labr
his home in west part of town feed consisting mostly of maiz eed consisting mostly of maize
with plenty of hay, were shipped ith plenty of hay, were shipped
o Fort Worth for exhibition last Fort Worth for exhibition las
Saturday. Raising prize winnin calves at a show like the one at Fort Worth is no small matter and Labry is to be congratulated ou his success.

The Aches of House Cleaning
The pain and soreness cause y bruises, over-exertion and raining during house cleaning iniment. No are soothed away Sloans niment. No need to suffer iniment to the sore apply Sloan's only a little. In sore spots, rub the pain leaves, y short time che pain leaves, you rest com ortably and enjoy a refreshing "Sloan's One grateful user writes weight in gold". weight in gold". Keep a bottle on hand, use it against all sore noss, neuralgis and bruises.
Kills pain. 25 c at your drug. girt's.

## Mre Bownan at Dalles

Mrs. T, E. 保owman is away
from home for a few weeks from home for a few weeks stay at Dallas, where she is
at the bedside of her sister, Mrs at the bedside of her sister, Mrs.
Agnes Crow, who underwent Agnes Crow, who underwent a serious operation. T. F, sayo this out of his aight since he first met her. He has been batching and reeping house for the children.

Subsoribefor the Free Presi

## Rule Items

From the Review. in order that no one get a chance to put one by him.
G. H. Cobb and J. M. Perry, both candidates for county treas-
urer, were in Rule Wedneadey and urer, were in Rule Wednesday and
while here called to ask our vote while here called to ask our vote
and influence. We promised to and influence.
The Haskell Motor Co., has sold more Fords this season in its territory, than all the rest of the terri tory to which Haskell County is
connected.
Col. J. W. Tarbet is now taking the rendation of property for our popular Tax Assessor R. J. Paxton Mrs. R. E. Ellis of Ft. Stockton is here on a visit to relatives and old friends.
Sherriff Allen was over from Sherriff Alten was over from
Haskell last Monday looking after Haskeil last Mon
business matters.

Watch Child's Cough
Colds, running at the nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean Catarrh later. Don't take chances-do something for
your child! Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery, without bribing or teasing. It's a sweet, pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective, Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safe guard your children against serions ailments resulting from colds.
C. D. Long and family, and Miss Esther Wilford motored to Miss Esther Wilay.
Albany Sunday.

## The

President's
Wedding
Cake
-an example of decorative art never equaled in the history of cake de-
corating-an example of deliciousness, lightness and wholesomeness that would be a pride to any housewife. It is

Another
Testimonal For
CALUMET
BAKING
POWDER
This world-fanous wil-son-Galt Wedding Cake was made by Mrs. Marian Cole Fisher and Miss Pansy Bowen, both wellknown Domestic Science Experts. Calumet Baking Powder was used because both these experts use it exclusively in their work and know it is the purest, the safest, the most wholesome and economical to use.
So do millions of housewives who use it on bake-day-so will you if you try it on the things! hardest to bake. Send your name and adress for free recipe and history of the Wedding Cake. Then bake one ust like it yourself.


## Prince Albert is such friendly tobacco

that it just makes a man sorry he didn't get wind of this pipe and cigarette smoke long, long ago. He counts it lost time, quick as the goodness of Prince Albert gets firm se in his lifel The

Get on the right-smoke-track soon as you know how Understand yourself how much you'll like

## PRINGE Albert



Spring Work to Commence at the Cemetery

The Haske!l Cemetary Associa pay for it as we cannot afford


Now is the time for Ice Boxes and Refrigrators Don't fail to call and see the lowa Cream Separator. A skimming device that gets every particle of Butter Fat out of the Milk.
McNeill \& Smith Hardware Co.

Card of Thanks We use this means to thank of our friends for their every kin ness and assi tances in te erecen
sickness and death of our parent Mr. and Mrs. C, H. Mooneyhan
Keep Your Bowels Regular A teveryone knows, the bowel
are the sewerage system of the body, and it is of the greatest im portance that they move each day if your bowels become constipated lets just after supper and the wilk correct the disorder.
sale by West Sice Drug Siore

## we are trying to care for the rest

 ing place of their loved ones well enough to send in the amouu promptly when their attentioncalled to it and they
realize ho urgent it is to keep the sexton' salary up.
We have a little deed mones which we are going to expend in fixing a small rest room in order have a place to sown people may
sit the shad when they visit our Cemetery. We
will build it as will build it as large as We are very anxious which will enhance the beauty the Cemetery by doing away with the unsightly stakes with which the lots are laid off a t present When we make arrangements to get them we will call upon each lo owner to pay for their own markers which we feel sure they wil be glad to do.
We wish to say to all persons who have bought lots and half lot in the western part of the Ceme tery that it is verv necessary that
they put up something to identify they put up something to identify their lots by, as having no streets
and alleys in that portion and alleys in that portion of the
grounds we cannot grounds we cannot Iccate them tor you so each one shoud put up
a stone of some kind for in a a stone of some kind for in a short time the names written on the the wooden headboards with lead
pencils will be effaced and pencils will be effaced and
graves cannot be identified. graves cannot be identified. Again let us urge you to help us
all you can by sending in all you can by sending in your
assessments promptly to Mrs. H. G. McConnell, Secretary and treasurer,
sociation.
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Better Babies Meeting Saturday

Under the auspices of the Magat the Court house on Satury ifterno in las, in the interest rs. Scott Key, tl e energetic chairof the committee presided, instrucive addresses were Wallace, Mrs. Key in an diress from the charr sta'ed the n d some remarkable statistic ation on the subject. The Right of the Child to b born." Emphasis was la formed child, rightformatio ing far better than reformatio ad the right to be born of healthy ther than defective parents, th to be lovingly anticipated he right to the best pre natal inare at birth, and these the speak r added, like Cod and Heaven hat propagation is propagation of soul as well as a body, therefore onditions is a crime.
Mrs. B. M. Whiteker followe with a very pieasing and helpfu talk on "The Right of the Child be Properly Fed and Clothed" Sh
said:
That food or feeding is the mos mportant factor toward the deve opment of the infant, therefor mothers everywhere have come realize that it is not only the baby
right but their duty is to be we right but their duty is to be wel informed on these lines. She urg ed that all mothers feed the bab in the natural way, showing tha stronger and healthier mothers an stronger and healthier than if art ficially fed
If however, artificial feeding necessary every precaution shoul be taken to have absolutely pur and clean milk. Carelessly clean ed vessels and bottles often brings disastrous results to the baby, a the least infection in the milk
causes the rapid growth of disease producing germs.
Comfortable clothes are als very essential to the baby's well being. We should not leave tigh clothing as it hinders the action o
the lungs. The baby to the lungs. The baby to grow and air in his lungs as well of fres food in his stomash well as goo food in his stomach. Keep the not overload him with clothing These are only some of the baby rights a nd the mother who hi overlook the best metheds.
Mrs. Fred Sanders created
practical reasonest by giving som
fundamentai
sons, why a baby cries. One rea is sick and the other he is spoiled Perhaps his food is not right, he maybe fed too often. mother frequently, this deranges the and fetful makes baby cros ice cream and candy. Sometime he is not fed en rugh. Babies will cry for water, even young babie should have at least a teaspoon of water every day.
He is dressed too warm; his lothing maybe too tight or he may hot room or is fed or he sleeps in when he cries. Of course, if he is kept up too late or misses his he in the day time, or is handled too much, which hurts and brusies his tender little body, he will be fret ful.

Some authorties claim too much
 lately necessaay he unless abso given a pacifier or soothing syrup. Mothers beware of a peculiar cry If your baby cries different from

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his usual cry, summons a physi
ian,for there is something wrong The next experience.
The next topic to be discussed was "Our Duty to our Neighbors Babies which was lucidly dealt
with by Mrs. J. U. Fields. In her speech she said:
If your children could alway
be babies you probably would not
be concerned about vour neighbor children. But children grow so fas and it is not long before they wan the companionship of other child ren-whose children? Your neighour schildren, and they both need your companionship. Chiidren by
must have associates, and if they LAX are not good ones they are bad in your home associate with the yourselves and see what you can do not only for your own but fo your neighbor's. The conyersation of infant life is a matter of comchid, bustice not merely to your We must not allow the shila. baby crra to be swept by nation's winds u. ignorance. If the hot ple knew, the people would do The very complexity of moder iving conditions forces the co lusion that each of us is our rother's keeper.
Mr. H.S. Wilenn next delivered forcible talk o.
Coming Citizen." he said he be lieved in the moveme... and though too much attention could not b given the child from birth untili it hould always be regarded as f ure citizens, and every influence should be thrown around them that would make them the very best of citizens. With this in vew he depreciated the practise of turning children loose in the evings to go where they would and with whom they would. He are a glowing picture of the rood that would accrue if a sani tarium could be located at the
centre of eyery t hree or for counties in the state to foster the health of the tiny coming citizen and drew torth applause vihen b gg amps to give in mummer traitary trainin all young men of eighteen years nd up.
Dr. Rogers of Rule gave a mos

## joyable and illuminating talk on

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