

# The Haskell Free Press.

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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1915.

WHOLE NO. 1545

## We Give Thanks

*The origin of Thanksgiving should be dear to the heart of every true American.*

OUR forefathers, suffering from cold and hunger and hardly expecting anything but starvation, which probably would have come but for their killing great numbers of the wild turkey---the native bird of America. And for this, their great fortune, they knelt upon the bleak shores of New England and lifted their voices in song and prayer, and gave thanks to the beneficent Author of all the good that was, is and ever shall be.

The first official Thanksgiving proclamation ever issued was issued by President George Washington---the last one was issued by President Woodrow Wilson, proclaiming Thursday November the 25th as a day set apart for Thanksgiving. We as a nation have much to be thankful for---we are at peace with the world, while practically every other great power is at war---we give thanks. We as Texans have much to be thankful for---our state is being swept by a great wave of prosperity---we give thanks. We as citizens of this particular part of Texas have much to be thankful for---greatest crop we have had for years---good prices---we give thanks.

And we as a business house have much to be thankful for---we are crowned with twenty-five years of successful business. Ever growing and ever mindful and thankful for our old friends, and ever spreading out in conquest of new ones---and ever gaining them---we give thanks.

In obedience to the proclamation of Mr. Wilson, our President, our store will remain closed all day Thursday, that we and all those in our employ may have and enjoy a day of Thanksgiving.

## F. G. Alexander & Sons

The Big Store

Haskell, Texas

Nov. 25, 1915

### Bonded Warehouse is Now Assured Fact

All the stock in The Haskell Bonded Warehouse Company has been subscribed and the application for a charter was this week forwarded by W. H. Murchinson. This is record the successful culmination of the movement recently launched for a ware house for Haskell. The capital stock of the concern is \$1,500, which is about equally divided between farmers and business men. There are something like 150 to 200 stockholders in the company. The board of directors is composed of three farmers and three business men.

Throughout the campaign for the organization of a warehouse for this county a most gratifying spirit of co-operation has existed between farmers and business men of this city. The assurance of a warehouse will doubtless have a bearing as to the cotton acreage for next year, as splendid storage facilities will be afforded producers in the event the market is low.

The board of directors is composed of the following gentlemen: Paul Zahn, J. C. Lewellen, I. H. Gindstaff, J. U. Fields, Hardy Ginnom and R. V. Robertson.

### Fine Sweet Potatoes

The Fruit Stand these days is handling large quantities of sweet potatoes; in fact, they are shipping the delicious yams here by the carload. J. B. Wankan, of the firm, has recently made a number of trips over the country, buying up sweet potatoes for the Haskell store. With Mr. H. W. Logan, are handling of Haskell a regular distributing point for good sweet potatoes. While the Fruit Stand handles all varieties of fruits and nuts, and vegetables of all kinds in season, it appears that sweet potatoes have become to be their hobby.

### Carnival Closes Here

The Reed Carnival closed its engagement in Haskell last Saturday night. The engagement here could not be termed an altogether successful one, as the company was late in getting started, and then, for the most part of the week the weather was not the kind that is calculated to make of attractions of this nature a success. The carnival had some good shows and some splendid people with them. We would have been pleased to announce a more prosperous week for them here than was the case. We understand that part of the shows closed here for the season, and some of them will winter here, a large building having been rented for storage purposes.

### Notice, Everybody

I have a big, black Poland China sow out. I will give a liberal reward to anyone who will tell me of her whereabouts.

F. T. Sanders

### Court House Wedding

C. H. Lammert and Miss Bertha Lammert, from Sagerton, came to Haskell last Friday, and after securing the license, were married in the office of the county clerk. Rev. Jno. D. White was called in to perform the ceremony, which he did in his ever-pleasing fashion. The ceremony was witnessed by a few friends of the couple and a number of attaches.

### Stock Sale Men

J. S. Martin on Monday week held another succession sale of stock at the M. Trading Company stable on Spot Street. Something of good stock went off. Mr. Martin in addition to the citizen of Haskell, and he is placing some good stock on the market Monday's sale W. R. Stamford, officiated as a



Scene from "A Fool There Was" at Dick's Theatre, Saturday Night

## MANY IMPROVEMENTS ARE IN ORDER AT ICE AND LIGHT PLANT

The Haskell Ice and Light Company are preparing for further large improvements. While many notable improvements have already been made at the local plant under the present management, yet great strides of advancement in the under way. The high voltage line has been completed for some time, the line to Weinert, Knox City starts next week.

Any is at present proposed thirty-five thousand dollars worth of improvements of this amount will be completed for the high voltage line. In addition, the electric current, the

W. G. Swenson, president of the company is this week in St. Louis, arranging for the purchase and installation of a fine new 250 horse power engine. The cost of the new engine alone will approximate nineteen thousand dollars. Manager G. T. Scales announces that with the improvements under way completed, patrons of the Haskell plant will be accorded continuous current at all times, night and day, and Sunday, too. Mr. Scales also states that although the franchise has not yet been secured his company expects in the very near future to extend the high line on to Goree.

While all these great improvements are going on in the power side of the plant, the ice factory, also, will come in for a large amount of improvement. By the opening of next summer season it is expected to have the Haskell ice plant the equal to any in West Texas.

### Pace's Unique Sale

What we would call an unique sale is that which was last week inaugurated by John W. Pace & Company. And it is still going good, too. In addition to unique, the sale is likewise a money-saving proposition for patrons of this progressive drug store. The sale is styled "The One-Cent Sale" and is a penny-sale for sure. Many high-grade and useful articles, worth up to as high as two or three dollars, or more, or sold for one cent. That the sale is proving a success is easily demonstrated by the large throngs that have visited the store and made purchases since the sale was begun.

### Advertised Letters

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Haskell, Texas, postoffice, for week ending Nov. 27th, 1915. Advertised Nov. 22:

Mrs. Susie Ausley.  
Mrs. L. R. Ausley.  
E. L. Brandon.  
D. A. Bradford.  
Emmett Burgess.  
Eadie Burns.  
Cleo Gambles.  
Mrs. Marrell Haynes.  
John Hicks.  
Silo Hill.  
Miss Lillie Hunt.  
Will A. Jones.  
Master Robert Lawley.  
P. B. Luelken.  
Vincent Miller.  
Hicks Norris.  
Miss Ida Osborn.  
Jim and Sam Rock.  
Willie Sheavers.  
W. Vernon Smith.  
Alvin Venable.

S. G. Dean, P. M.

### City Council Meeting

The City Council met last Thursday afternoon, in regular monthly session, Mayor Cahill presiding, with all aldermen present. Only routine matters were disposed of there being nothing of special significance to come before the board at this session.

### Dugan's Comedians at Stamford This Week

The Dugan's Comedians Company closed their Haskell engagement last Saturday night, and Sunday evening this popular company departed for Stamford, where this week they are playing at the Candy Theatre. The Haskell engagement of the company was highly satisfactory, and while the attendance the first few nights was not good, it picked up materially. On Friday night, especially, there was a very large, and highly appreciative audience out to witness the rendition of "The Rosary" which was a delight to all present. It was declared by many who witness Friday night's performance that the rendition was fully up to productions that had been witnessed in larger cities wherein a dollar and a half admission was charged.

One thing is certain, and that is that the Dugan Company thoroughly captivated Haskell theatre-goers and in the event of their return to this city, they will be greeted by packed houses. As a forceful demonstration of the esteem in which the company is held here, many people during the week have gone over to Stamford to witness the productions there. We understand that Company No. 2 of Dugan's Comedians, will shortly open an engagement in this city. It is needless to add that in the event No. 2 Company equals the one here last week, that they will be warmly greeted in Haskell.

All in all, Dugan's Comedians is absolutely one of the highest class attractions of its nature that has ever visited Haskell. It would be difficult to find a cleaner show, or a better set of people anywhere, than compose the Dugan's Comedians Company.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

Join the  
**Yeomen**

For the BEST and cheapest Life Insurance, with Accident clause added.

**C. W. RAMEY,**

District Manager Haskell, Texas

## LOCAL NOTES

Misses Davie Maud Cummins and Mae Simmons left Wednesday night for a visit at Stamford.

McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co., for heating stoves of all kinds; from \$1.50 to \$25.

Miss Ollie Northcutt and brother, Herbert Northcutt, left Wednesday night for a visit at Waco, Texas. Their father, L. Northcutt, accompanied them as far as Abilene.

I am now the Haskell agent for the famous Maxwell car. Henry Johnson. 39 tf

Miss Willie Norman of Monday, arrived Wednesday night for a visit with Miss Gail Wingo.

Good baths at Kinnison's barber shop at 15c. tf

Mrs. K. H. Grimes of Avoca, who has been here for some time visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Lackey, returned on Wednesday night to her home. Mrs. Lackey and children accompanied her home for a visit.

Baths are selling for only 15c each at Kinnison's barber shop. tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews left Wednesday night for their home in Bell County after an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. Will Via.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

C. E. Rutledge left Wednesday night for a business trip to San Antonio.

List your land with Sprowles and Co. Office in McConnell Bldg

Mrs. W. I. McCarty and two daughters left Wednesday night for Stamford, to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. McCarty's sister, Mrs. Billingsley.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

G. S. Hunt of San Angelo, a conductor on the Orient railroad, was in Haskell Wednesday attending District Court. Mr. Hunt is a brother of Messrs. Curran and Courtney Hunt, of this city.

For Sale—Nice five-room residence, close in; bargain. See W.M. Tucker. 47-2tp

J. S. Martin left Wednesday night for a business trip to Abilene.

The Free Press has several scholarships in the Tyler Commercial College at a liberal discount. If you desire a business education it will be to your interest to see us.

District Attorney Jas. P. Stinson went to Anson Wednesday night, to spend Thanksgiving.

Wanted—A few loads of wood on subscription. The Free Press

There were quite a number of Rule citizens over on Wednesday of this week, attending District Court.

Wood Wanted—The Free Press would be glad to take a few loads of wood on subscription.

Rufus W. Grisham, who is working over in the Aspermont section, spent Sunday with his family here.

Wanted—Boy to do chores around the place and go to school; good six months school. Will board and clothe good boy desiring to receive school benefits. W. W. Reeves, Haskell Route 4.

Mrs. J. A. Bailey returned the latter part of the week past, after an extended visit in California, where she attended the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

When ordering cow feed don't forget that I sell more coal, cheaper coal, and better coal for the money. E. A. Chambers. ■

Tom McLendon, manager of the Ferris Ranch, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

No better cow feed than Monarch Milk Maker. E. A. Chambers.

Mr. Courtney Hunt has returned after a business trip that took him to Fort Worth, Dallas and several other Texas points.

Let E. L. Northcutt do your hauling. Satisfaction guaranteed. ■

Chas. E. Rutledge, J. E. Wiggins and Robt. D. Stokes composed a party that motored over to Stamford Monday evening, to witness the production there by Dugan's Comedians.

Insurance, all kinds and the best, especially Cotton Insurance See Henry Johnson. 38 tf

District Attorney Jas. P. Stinson, Court Stenographer Chas. Weich and Rev. E. Christian, motored over from Anson last Friday.

Matinee every day at Dick's Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

Mrs. J. B. Pruitt and little daughter, from Temple, were visitors this week in the home of Mrs. D. W. Moore.

Try a sack of Milk Maker for your cow. There is no better. E. A. Chambers.

Walter C. Russell, linotyper for the Stamford Leader, spent last Sunday in the city.

E. L. Northcutt is prepared to do all kinds of hauling. Prompt and satisfactory service. ■

Mrs. Richard Nolen returned home last Sunday evening from Wichita Falls, where she spent some time in a sanitarium. Mr. Nolen went up Sunday morning and accompanied her home.

Everything neat and sanitary at Kinnison's barber shop. Baths only 15c. ■

J. L. Jones and W. A. Earnest of Rule, left via this city last Sunday night for Dallas, on a business mission.

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

Jno. E. Robertson was a passenger on Wednesday evening's train, en route to Mineral Wells to spend Thanksgiving.

Monarch Milk Maker, composed of molasses, cotton seed meal, and ground and threshed maize heads. E. A. Chambers.

Miss Allie Irby was a visitor at Sagerton last Sunday.

If you want to exchange or sell your land, list with Sprowles and Co. Office in McConnell Bldg. ■

Judge E. W. Moser and Col. J. W. Mason were over from the town of Rule the first of the week.

The Free Press would be pleased to take in a few loads of wood on subscription.

Wm. Kirkpatrick was a Sagerton visitor Sunday last.

Now is the time to think of insuring your cotton. I have the best of cotton insurance, also all other kinds of insurance. Henry Johnson. 38-tf

## Haskell County Property

If you want a home in Haskell or a farm, see us. We have a large list, which includes some rare bargains.

**R. H. Sprowles & Co.**  
Haskell, Texas

Mr. Robt. Branham, who sustained painful injuries in a fall at the oil mill recently, is gradually improving, we are pleased to note.

Phone 157 for a sack of cow feed. Monarch Milk Maker. E. A. Chambers.

Geo. Grusendorf of Crawford, McLennan County, left for his home Monday night, after a visit here.

Let us Have Those Quilts and Blankets before winter. We make them sweet to sleep under and give them that new fluffy look. Haskell Laundry.

Dr. A. J. Lewis was a business visitor to Rotan this week.

For Sale—Small bunch of hogs. See M. Pierson or some of family. 46-tf

J. B. Wankan, of the Fruit Stand, left Tuesday of this week for Whitesboro. He goes to buy more good sweet potatoes for his firm.

For Sale—Good five passenger Ford. Apply at Free Press office. 47-2t

Mrs. J. B. Punchedard and Miss Vesta Melton left Tuesday morning for a visit at Seymour.

Attorneys Chapman and Russell of Anson, were here this week.

Mrs. Alex Pinkerton and children returned to their home at Seymour Tuesday, after a visit with relatives and friends here.

WANTED—Place to rent; about 200 or 300 acres to work on the shares. Address J. H. Gilleland, Haskell, Texas. 48-2tp

WANTED—A man, with small family and no stock, to work on farm. Lee Pierson, Haskell, Texas. 48-2tp

Attorney Russell of Plainview is in the city this week, in attendance upon District Court.

## Good Health Doubles the Value of Your Services

A half sick man is not worth half pay. A man or woman in poor health makes a poor leader, a poor sort of a parent.

The value of Peruna in the home can scarcely be estimated. It prevents many of the common ailments. It is an excellent remedy for coughs, colds, catarrh, grip, spring fever, tired-out feeling.

Sit down and think it over. See whether you can afford to go on half sick.

Some people prefer Peruna Tablets to the fluid Peruna.

# THE BIG GALVESTON STORM SALE!

At MISTROT BROS., Stamford, Texas

## Greatest Sale Ever Seen in Texas

Thousands of dollars saved to the inhabitants of Jones, and surrounding counties. Hundreds of suits of clothes sacrificed.

Overcoats selling at the price of the linings. Hundreds of men's sweaters, overshirts, overalls, work shirts, all going at tremendous sacrifices. The crowds are here in daily attendance. Everybody is invited to come and make their fall purchases here. The damaged goods have been separated from the undamaged, and all are going at the same ratio.

The clothing, overcoats and thousands of other goods are from the top stories of the Galveston warehouses and way above the water mark. You get them all at the same cheap price.

5000 pairs shoes for men, women and children at nearly one-third of retail figures

**MISTROT BROS.**  
**STAMFORD, TEXAS**

## Your Whole Family Will Be Delighted with a Victrola

The VICTROLA is a worthy addition to any home. Its music and entertainment are always welcome and there is surely no better time to get one than

**RIGHT NOW**

Come in today and see about

**Your Victrola**

Prices: \$15 to \$300

**Jno. W. PACE**

High Grade Jewelry Kodaks Stationery



## SHERIFF MAKES IMPORTANT ARRESTS

What is Believed to Have Been Well Organized Robbery Plot Nipped in the Bud.

With some arrests that were made by Sheriff W. C. Allen last Saturday, what appears to have been a fairly well organized thieving plot has doubtless been frustrated. And in this connection we might add that Sheriff Allen is "looking up" as a smooth detective, for it was by smooth work upon the part of that official that the Saturday arrests and subsequent admissions of thievery were unearthed.

To begin with, Mr. Allen got upon the trail of a negro who had made a number of attempts to sell, or pawn for a very small price, a handsome new coat. Mr. Allen went to work on the case, and in addition to the coat above mentioned, after he had finished with the negro, he had another negro under arrest and a large bundle of clothing, ranging from hats and suits on up to overcoats, in his possession.

The sheriff had absolutely nothing to work on at the start except his suspicion of the negro and by dint of persistent work and questioning, he finally gained an admission from the first negro, implicating another negro, who was later apprehended at Stamford and brought to jail here. It seems that the negroes had many stolen goods hid out in various places, and the sheriff succeeded in recovering a large quantity of the goods, a little at a time. Up to Monday morning he was still locating goods, but he is of the opinion now that all have been recovered.

The negroes now in jail, it seems, had been working an extensive and systematic game of stealing, with a number of Haskell stores as victims. Several other negroes were also arrested in connection with these cases and later released, as the burden of evidence seems to bear upon the two in jail at the present time.

### The May Apple Liver Tonic

May Apple is an old time liver medicine. Its active principle (Podophyllin) is sometimes called Vegetable Calomel. In Po-Do-Lax May Apple is combined with other well-known liver remedies, making Po-Do-Lax the ideal liver medicine. It arouses the liver, increases bile, does not gripe, has no nausea and one feels fine generally. Get a 50c bottle; take a dose tonight and notice how much better you feel—you cannot afford to get along without Po-Do-Lax. "The Liver Tonic with Vegetable Calomel." 50c.

Miss Winnifred Lewis, of Marion, Ark., after an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. Jno. L. Robertson, of North Haskell, departed Tuesday night for her home.

District Judge Thomas and District Attorney Stinson arrived Monday morning from Anson for the opening here of District Court.

Superintendent T. C. ... arrived last Tuesday for a trip to Anson

... Jr., representative of the Paper Co., called at ... of this week.

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LOST—Somewhere on Main St., a wallet containing \$75 in currency. Liberal reward if returned to X. Y. Z., care this office.

Will some people continue to carry such sums of money—and they do. For ads similar to that one hanging in the corner are in most every paper. You surely know that

We Have a Safe Place to Put Your Money

Start a Checking Account with us NOW. Then just carry a Check Book. That's the safe way to carry money and it's more convenient to

Pay By Check

And, don't forget, we still want to cash those checks—cotton and seed checks; in fact,

All Your Checks



JAMES J. HILL, the great railroad king, made money slinging a pick when a young man. He BANKED and SAVED his earnings. He became a contractor and multi-millionaire.

Make OUR Bank YOUR Bank

**The Farmers State Bank**

We Appreciate Your Business

The Guaranty Fund Bank - - - - Haskell, Texas

## County Schools to Receive State Aid

Haskell County Schools have received State aid to an amount aggregating \$2250. That is, the amounts have been appropriated for various schools over the county. There is a million dollars in the fund, and many rural schools over the State generally are to receive benefits thereby. Following is a list of Haskell County Schools that have been appropriated sums from the aid fund, together with the amount for each school:

Cliff School, \$350; Sayles School, \$200; Foster School, \$200; Cook Springs, \$500; Sager-ton, \$300; O'Brien, \$400; Weinert, \$300.

By reason of the monies made available through the State aid plan, these schools will be in a position to make many and needed improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. McWhirter and baby daughter, from Abilene, arrived Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives and friends.

## District Court is Now in Session

District Court convened Monday morning of this week for the November term of that tribunal. The court faces a very heavy docket this term, and it is thought many cases will be disposed of. Judge Thomas is presiding, and District Attorney Stinson is likewise on the job. There are, also, a number of out-of-town attorneys here this week, being interested in various cases.

Monday and Tuesday were largely devoted to the setting of cases for the term, although on Tuesday a few divorce cases were disposed of.

Wednesday morning a damage suit was called for trial, and the larger portion of that day was taken up with that case, and Wednesday afternoon it was thought likely that Thursday would also be required to finish that case. This is a suit for damages for personal injuries, from Rule.

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## Speed!

**MOST** of us are interested in Speed Tests—in the roaring flash of the racing auto, in the quick dash of the speed boat, and the thrilling sweep of the aeroplane.

The speed test, however, has an interest more than the spectacular to every man who owns an automobile, tractor, or any gasoline driven engine.

In order to attain this high speed,

**Every Ounce of Power Must be Utilized**

That is why so many auto racers, fast motorboat drivers, and prominent aviators choose Texaco Motor Oil.

Texaco Motor Oil has shown these people high grade lubricant saves power.

You owners of gasoline engines will soon find that Texaco Motor Oil means a saving of power, smaller fuel bills, a better day's work, and no trouble from cylinder wear or soiling of spark plugs.

Get some from the Texaco agent in your town. He carries a full line of Texaco Quality Products

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## Kitchener Sees Victory Ahead

Paris, Nov. 23.—Earl Kitchener, the British secretary for war, in conference with Greek officials in his recent visit to Athens, is reported to have declared that England by next March will have 4,000,000 soldiers under arms and will be in a position to arm and provision 6,000,000 Russians, and that consequently it would show great stupidity to think the war would end otherwise than in a complete defeat for Germany. This information is contained in an Athens dispatch to the Havas agency which adds that Lord Kitchener admitted that the declaration of war found the entente insufficiently prepared for so long a campaign, but said that the allies had known how to utilize the time that has since elapsed to complete their military preparations.—From The Fort Worth Record.

### Street Work Progresses.

The work of grading the streets is progressing nicely, under the able guidance of City Marshal Alex Edwards. Many streets have received much-needed work, and many more will be attended to. The grader and plows are being pulled by the large gasoline tractor of Will McCarty.

The Free Press wants your job printing. Give us your next order.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System Take The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

## Electric Lights Now Assured for Munday

We take the following excerpt from a letter received by M. H. Lee, president of the First National Bank here, from W. G. Swenson, president of the Haskell Ice and Light Company, under date of Nov. 12th.

"I have received the copy of the Munday franchise and it is all right. I have now ordered every pound of material necessary for construction of the line and distributing system, and was advised that two cars of poles were shipped this morning, one to Munday and one to Knox City."

This is fine reading, and settles the matter of electric lights for our little city.

Mr. Swenson's company is made up of men who do things worth while, and the construction will no doubt go forward at a rapid rate until finished.—Munday Times.

### County Court.

Two cases were disposed of in county court Wednesday afternoon. In one the defendant, a negro, entered a plea of guilty to gaming charges. He was assessed the minimum fine. The other case Wednesday was that of Goodall Cavanaugh, the negro charged with shooting another negro at Sager-ton several weeks ago. He was charged by complaint with assault with intent to murder, but the count was reduced to simple assault, to which he entered a guilty plea. He was fined ten dollars. It is said by many that there were extenuating circumstances to Cavanaugh's case.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Foster's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

## Flour Mill Likely Now for Haskell

Haskell now is in line for a flour mill. At least, the Sherrill Elevator Company has the matter under advisement. In case they decide to put in the mill, they can do so quite easily, as they already have a large elevator, giving them splendid storage facilities. They also have a good location, with plenty of ground, for the installation of the plant now under consideration.

There can be no doubt but that a flour mill would be a paying venture, in the event Haskell County continues to produce such wheat crops as were recorded this season. We hope to be able to announce soon that the mill is to be installed.



The only way to get the genuine **New Home** Sewing Machine is to buy the machine with the name NEW HOME on the arm and in the legs. This machine is warranted for all time. No other like it No other as good The New Home Sewing Machine Company, ORANGE, MASS. —For Sale in Haskell by— McNEIL & SMITH HWD. Co.

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ELMER B. WOODWARD.....Editor

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  .50 Six Mos.

**ADVERTISING RATES:**  
Display advertisements under one-half page 12-15 cents per inch per issue.  
One-half page, \$7.00 per issue.  
One page, \$12.00 per issue.  
Two pages, \$20.00 per issue.  
Advertisements on First Page, 15 cents per inch per issue.  
Local readers 5 cents per line per issue.  
Local readers in black face type 10 cents per line per issue.  
Obituaries, Resolutions and Cards of Thanks, 5 cents per line per issue.

HASKELL, TEXAS, Nov. 27, 1915.

## WE ARE GRATEFUL.

We are deeply grateful to Editor G. L. English, of the Stamford Leader, for the use on Wednesday night of this week of his linotype machine. We were in a big hole, by reason of being short a printer and also an extra run on ads. By reason of the facilities for rapid composition afforded us by use of the Leader's linotype, we are enabled to go to press on time. This is not the first time that Bro. English has pulled us out of a "bad fix," either; he has our thanks. May we some day be able to reciprocate.

### Have you paid your poll tax?

Keep buying and marketing in Haskell, the best market town in the West. Also, the best place to trade.

Tue's eye remains some time in which to do your Christmas advertising early. But you will have to hurry.

Haskell will take on a much brighter aspect after December 1st, when the new street lights are turned on.

Thursday looked almost like Sunday in Haskell, as most of the business houses were closed up for Thanksgiving.

We do not desire to appear over-insistent, but we just can't dismiss that commercial organization idea from our mind. The city needs it.

As another evidence of the prevalence of prosperity in Haskell County, note the big sales in progress in the city, all doing a splendid volume of business.

The Kilgore Chronical (Gregg County) now comes to our desk. We are glad to welcome the East Texas paper as an exchange visitor. A good newspaper it is, too.

War news still predominates on the front pages of the daily papers. The European conflict rages on in all its horror, while conditions in Mexico get no better fast.

Much good work is being done upon streets of the city these days. Many streets have been graded and improved, with many more scheduled to receive the work.

Editor Warren of the Clarendon Times, while out hunting last week had the index finger of the right hand shot off. We take it that Bro. Warren in this case was not hunting for news.

We observed Thanksgiving Day this week by working very hard to get the paper to press. But, just the same, we have many things to be thankful for, and by no means not the least is the splendid patronage we are receiving from our patrons generally.

Haskell County rural schools received benefits aggregating over two thousand dollars as a result of the State Rural School Aid Law. There is a cold million dollars in the aid fund, and many schools over the State are benefitting thereby.

The Haskell Ice and Light Company still progresses. Many additional improvements are being now added to the plant, with many more under contemplation. This is truly a progressive institution.

News dispatches state that the general responsible for shooting of Miss Cavell, the British nurse has been recalled. The fact of his being recalled, however, does not recall the life of the nurse who had braved many hardships to care for the wounded soldiers snuffed out before the firing squad.

The last issue of the Carbon News carried the announcement that the paper, owing to lack of support and other things, would be suspended. The Carbon News has been going many years and 'tis a sad state of affairs when a newspaper is forced into suspension through lack of support.

Haskell may not be a railroad center, but it appears that the city is destined to become an electric "juice" center. With the completion of lines now under construction, many towns will be lighted from Haskell. We are enjoying the Haskell brand of electric lights now for a number of weeks.

Cotton weather is still with us. And, by the way, cotton is still coming in fast, too. Tuesday of this week was a sort of record day as to cotton sales. Many bales were placed on the market that day. The price is little unchanged over what it has been for some time.

There has been a sort of lull in entertainment features for Haskell this week. We had become used to two or three shows and a carnival, but they appear to have all passed the city up this week. However, the best moving picture theatre west of Fort Worth is still with us.

## LARGE COTTON CROP.

According to figures just sent out by the Department of Commerce for cotton ginned prior to November 1st crops of 1914 and 1915, the Haskell County crop is somewhat larger than was expected. Up to Nov. 1st, last year, Haskell County had ginned 16,454 while the figures to Nov. 1st, this year, are 13,928, being only 2,356 bales behind last year. Quantities are in running bales, counting round as half bales linters not included. This gives Haskell County a larger crop than was thought by many would be the case for this year. Considering the prevailing price this season over last, it will be readily seen that this season's crop is much more valuable.

## FARM PREPAREDNESS.

The way the farmer's home is kept in order, the kinds and the amount of food served and the comfort and entertainment given him and his work hands by the wife and mother is largely responsible for whatever success is attained in farming. Home life is far more important than it is generally believed. It takes food, rest, kind words and sympathy to urge the manager of the farm to do his best thinking and his most efficient labor.

After all is said in trying to analyze the fundamental reasons for successful farming, the fact remains that in most instances the manager of the home is largely responsible. Her efforts may not be appreciated fully; her labor may not have a just reward; her suggestions may not be fully considered, yet if she meets her opportunity she makes it possible for larger crops, profitable returns and comfortable living. Her influence for better farming is far-reaching, so much that her consent and co-operation must be had before satisfactory results can be expected.

No farm home is safe without "preparedness"—preparation for the comfort and convenience of those who live in the home and produce the wealth on the farm. The one most responsible for application, security and efficiency is the farmer's wife. She must safeguard the health, comfort and cheerfulness of the family; secure the good will, the sympathy and the co-operation of each member; she is the one most responsible for the family unity, the family solidarity, the family influence.

Fortunate is every farmer whose wife and daughters freely help in sympathy and co-operation; whose influence is for better farming, better living and better society in the community. Surely farming is pleasant under such conditions. For such men, drouth, insects and poor markets can not prevent peace, harmony and contented home life, nor can poor seasons prevent the soil from yielding under such a partnership.—Farm and Ranch.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly  
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROWER'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

## Exchange Chat

What has become of Harry K. Thaw?—Leaders Vanguard

Why attempt to resurrect such a subject? After the many years that Harry Thaw occupied the attention of the reading public to such extent, would it not be well to allow both he and the readers a little rest?

At El Paso a few days ago, Miss Margaret Corn was married to Stanley Duncan Cobb. We were in the act of commenting on the unusual occurrence, but smacked; we'll wait and see what the harvest will be!—Foaro County News.

Well, here's hoping the good couple will be surrounded with "silks."

A New York City girl has died from anthrax. She contracted it from an improperly cured fur. This settles it. No furs for our family from now on! We'd be criminal to risk it.—Corpus Christi Caller.

We are safe—our family, we mean; if it requires high-priced furs worn around the neck to inculcate one with dreaded anthrax—well, what's the use? Who ever heard of a country editor buying furs?

Some fellow wants to know "what difference will it make if Joe Bailey does get into the senatorial race?" For one thing it will make a difference of thirty or forty thousand votes in the score of the rest of them.—Dallas County Record.

And, for another, we could name one party who would cease to be a citizen of Washington, in Congress times.

On account of heavy yields of maize and other sorghum grains West Texas farmers are buying more cattle and hogs with the view of "walking" their surplus crop to market. Good. Experience has demonstrated that the farmer who begins to "walk" his grain and feedstuff crop to market soon begins to "ride" back in a six-cylinder automobile. —Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Right you are. We can name a number of Haskell County's good farmers who have this year "rode back" in good cars. And in addition to the products above mentioned, we are turning out a mammoth cotton crop this year that insures more prosperity, doubtless, also more autos. Which reminds us: Haskell enjoys the distinction of owning more high-price cars than any town in this section—very few Fords—no, we did not say Fords, altogether. But really, there are very few cheap cars to be found in the county, with a superabundance of the high-priced ones.

## THE WAREHOUSE

The Haskell Bonded Warehouse is now an assured fact.

Attorney W. H. Murchison this week forwarded to Austin the papers necessary for a charter application. The capital stock of the Haskell warehouse is \$1,500, and the stockholders are about equally divided between farmers and business men.

In the organization of the Haskell Bonded Warehouse Company a most splendid spirit of co-operation has existed between local business men and farmers—a spirit pleasing to see and one that would assure success of most any proposition. The personnel of the directors of the company would hereafter be for any undertaking that would be commensurate with the company's resources. The Haskell County Farm, Jno. McDonald was here seeking from his home at Abilene. He was here on a lecturing tour, and closed a whereby he becomes owner of Webster farm, southeast of the city. Mr. McDonald templates moving here in the re. He called at our office leaving for his home and led as a Free Press reader.

# NO ALUM in

## DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard

Made from Cream of Tartar

### PAY IT IN NOVEMBER

We wish to lend our hearty endorsement to the slogan of the Abilene Reporter "Pay It In November." Of course, we don't want it understood by this that we desire our creditors to crowd us; rather we would have it interpreted as meaning that we have some bills owing us that we would very readily agree to have paid in November—some of them should have been paid last November.—Haskell Free Press.

The "Pay It In November" movement was suggested to the Reporter by Thomas Spencer, an Abilene man, and the response in this immediate section was very gratifying. This is a movement that deserves to grow and will grow if given the proper publicity. November is a time when most people can pay their debts and should pay them.—Abilene Reporter

### AID FOR RURAL SCHOOLS.

More than seven hundred applications for state aid under the \$1,000,000 rural school law, which was passed by the State Board of Education when it convened in Austin recently.

The bill provides that \$500,000 shall be available for the year ending August 31st, 1916, and \$500,000 for the year ending August 31st 1917. The purpose of the measure is to promote the rural public school interests of the State and to provide adequate facilities for the proper education of the agricultural population of Texas.

Texas' rural schools are fast being placed on an equal with those of any other state in the Union.

### Charged With Lunacy.

Sheriff W. C. Alein on Tuesday of this week arrested a man on the streets of this city, who it is alleged, was acting in a very peculiar manner. The man was placed in jail on a charge of lunacy entered against him. We are told that the same man had formerly been an inmate of an asylum for the insane.

### Grand Jury In Session.

The Grand Jury has been in session since Monday, and will probably yet remain in session for several days. It is thought that there will be a large volume of business to occupy that body's attention. It can not be told, at this time, when a report will be written, when a report will be looked for.

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### Grand Jury Takes Thanksgiving Off.

The Grand Jury did something this week unprecedented in the history of Haskell County, so far as we can learn: They recessed for Thanksgiving Day. However, business justified the taking of the recess, and it was unanimously agreed upon.

### Works Fast When It Starts.

"I wonder what makes a man's hair fall out so fast when once it starts?"

"Worry," answered the man who always has an explanation ready. "Nothing tends to make a man bald so much as worry, and nothing worries a man so much as the idea that he is becoming bald."—Stray Stories.

Let the Free Press do your job printing.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 225 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

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# Sweet Potatoes--The Best Yet. Fruits, Vegetables and Nuts

We are still bringing to Haskell, and by the carload, at that, the best sweet potatoes ever seen in this section. Come in and let us show you these fine

## Yellow Pumpkin Yams

They will make your mouth water to look at them.

Also remember that we carry a full line of all the choice fruits, celery, nuts, vegetables—all kinds that are obtainable. We can certainly supply your wants. Don't forget the place, on the North Side of the Square. We pay rent for a store building and do not peddle from a wagon. Prices are right, too. Come in and see.

## THE FRUIT STAND

LOGAN & WANKAN, Props.

North Side Square, Haskell, Texas

# *Echoes From* **HUNT'S BIG SALE**

The most wonderful success has been our GREAT BANKRUPT SALE. Hundreds of eager buyers from Haskell, Throckmorton, Knox and Stonewall counties have filled our store daily.

Never was there another sale like this. Never was there a sale in Haskell County that brought the response that this one has brought. The public has learned that when Hunt's advertises a sale, they really have a sale. Figures don't lie. We are not afraid to put the price of our goods in black and white. Our first prices on the big circular last throughout this sale. Don't you think it's a good idea to quote prices in the paper and on your circular? Then you can compare sale prices with regular prices.

## *Look Out For These Big Windy* **Circulars!**

Have they a price quoted? No, it don't pay as well. They don't promise you much, therefore you don't get as much for your money. Our sale is growing in interest and enthusiasum each day. Our stock is more complete now than the day we opened our sale. We want to close out this stock and we expect to keep the staples at the same close price we began with.

*Sales May Come and Sales May Go, But This*  
**One Goes on 'till this Stock is Closed Out**

**McConne  
Building**

# **HUNT'S**

**Keister's  
Old Stand**

# ROBERTSON BROS. CO.

## CLEARANCE SALE

We are pleased to announce to our customers and all who may be interested in good, up-to-date Standard goods at real money saving bargain prices, that our regular annual Clearance Sale will

**Open Friday Morning Nov. 26th**

Old friends and customers, in fact ALL who have ever attended our Annual Sales know what a ROBERTSON SALE Means. If you have not attended one of our sales heretofore, come to this one and learn that they are money-savers on anything you want in good, dependable goods of high quality, and not merely to work off shelf-worn and out of date stuff at any old price. We are well satisfied with this seasons business. We had to put in a heavy stock in all lines and then keep it filled so that we could meet the increased demands of our increasing trade resulting from the improved financial condition of the country, hence, our stock is practically complete at this time. But if these goods were carried over to another season, some of them at least, would be out of date and we would be out of the use of the money invested in them. For these reasons we shall be glad to dispose of them to our customers for cash at prices that will barely cover expenses, and then reinvest the money in the line. By this process you get the benefit of REAL BARGAIN PRICES while we have our money at work again instead of being tied up in goods on the shelves. This is the true explanation of our Annual Clearance Sales, and we figure that they are good for us and good for our customers.

### For the Ladies:

We believe that the ladies will be particularly interested in this sale, because we still have a good assortment of the various styles of Dress Goods to show them from which they can procure the materials for a single garment or a full costume and at a great saving in price.

You will find the latest weaves from the looms of the foreign and domestic manufacturers, as well as the most desirable color effects. In our line of Chiffon Taffetas, Charmuses, Silk Failles, Moires, Poplins, Crepe de Chine, Scotch Plaids, Novelty Silks, etc., and in the ordinary line of Staple Dress Goods there is almost anything you want, from Calicoes, Apron Checks, Outings, Gingham, etc., upward. In this sale you will find the proper things for the house and work dresses and to fit the children out for school during the winter.



### Trimmings, Etc.

In our very complete notion Department you will find the Laces, Insertions, Braids, Ribbons, Buttons and various "Nic Nacs" to go with the Dress Goods—and they are priced way down, too

### Coats, Skirts

We wish especially to call your attention to our line of stylishly tailored coats and skirts for ladies and misses. We think we can suit most any one in sizes, materials and colors, and it is our purpose to quote you Extra special Bargains in these lines, because the chances are that they will be out of style next Fall.

We are sure it will pay you to come and secure some of these goods, in fact you cannot afford to neglect the bargains we will give you.

### Hosiery, Underwear, Etc.

Our sales ladies will be pleased to show you the various styles in these lines and quote you dollar saving prices on them. Our line of Underwear is very complete in muslins and knit goods of various weights. Our line of ladies and childrens Hosiery, Corsets, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, etc., should also interest you very much at the prices we have put them down to. Don't fail to look through these lines.

### Men's and Boy's Clothing

We pride ourselves on our superior line of clothing for men and boys, which is selected from Hart, Schaffner and Marx, who are recognized as among the standard and most reliable clothing manufacturers in America, and we back their guarantee as to quality and style with our guarantee. In correct tailoring, workmanship, finish and fit this line of clothing is not excelled by any. We can fit you up in any kind of suit from a work or business suit to a "Sunday-go-to-meeting" outfit with the full assurance that you will be correctly dressed. Our line of Ties, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, etc., is very complete, and all go at prices that will make you smile from ear to ear.

#### Underclothing

Our stock of underclothing for both men and boys is quite large, from light weights to heavy fleeced and woolen winter weights, and we have cut the profits off the prices in this sale. This is a line of goods that could go over to another season without any deterioration in quality or style, but we have cut the prices the same as on other lines in order to keep good faith and make this an all-round cut price, money-saving sale to our customers.

#### Boys' School Suits

We show a good line of Boys' School Suits and give you an opportunity to fit the boys up for the winter at a very small cost.

#### Overcoats

Don't overlook our overcoats. We have them in Fall and Winter weights of the correct shapes and varying qualities, and the prices, like those of the suits, are 'way down.

#### Children's School Shoes

We carry a special line of these and you will find none better at any price, therefore this offers an unusual opportunity to fit your children up with shoes for the winter.



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If we can't have TESS and TED School Shoes we'll go barefoot.



Look Better—Fit Better—Wear Longer!

"Tess and Ted" are members of the Star Brand Family "STAR BRAND SHOES ARE BETTER"

We have sold the "Star Brand" Shoes for many years and to hundreds of persons, and they have stood the test of time and wear, and are so well known in this section that it is not necessary for us to extol their qualities in this connection. But we are going to give you the benefit of genuine bargains in Star Brand Shoes during this sale. We have them in all grades for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children; from heavy work shoes to the latest model dress shoes.

### About Quoting Prices

You expect generally to see a long list of supposed-to-be tempting prices quoted in a special sale advertisement. But it has never been our practice to quote prices. We have always succeeded without it, because everybody has learned that when they see a Robertson Clearance Sale announced, it means sure enough bargain prices on everything in our store and not merely an offer of a few catch prices to draw them in. Well, what's the use of quoting prices anyway? You don't know whether they mean bargains or not until you go and see the quality of the goods. Right here we assure you that when you come and examine what you want in our stock you will be satisfied with the price—if you are any judge of quality and know that cheap, shoddy stuff is dear at almost any price. We extend a hearty invitation to everybody to come and take a look through our stock, see the quality of the goods and put our prices to the test by comparison. If you have not yet formed the habit of trading with us, come now and see the Robertson way. We believe we can make it interesting for you now and in the future. Yours Truly,

# ROBERTSON BROS. COMPANY

West Side Square

Haskell, Texas



# GRISSOM'S DOLLAR STRETCHER SALE A GRAND SUCCESS

Everyone Who Has Visited Our Dollar Stretcher  
Sale is More than Pleased with the Bargains Carried Away

We Have Made Special Arrangements for Big Sale

## Attend This Sale Every Day

When small lots are sold they will be replaced by larger and newer ones. Every day brings us something from the big Ely-Walker Dry Goods Co.'s sale. We place these new goods on sale right in the heart of the season; right when you need them the most.

**Bargain Prices on Good, Honest, Staple, Standard Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Etc.**

## Buy Your Fall Dry Goods Here

Not because we say so, but because you can realize more out of your money. Find what you want at a price of cheaper, inferior makes.

**In this Sale You Will Not Find a Whole Lot of JUNK, Shop-worn, Odd-sized, Odd-shaped Goods**

You will not be embarrassed to tell what you bought and where you bought it. We sell the best at the least. You are at perfect liberty to return merchandise for exchange or money if the goods are not satisfactory.

**You Know** What you are getting when you buy from us. We are here. Here to stay. We must give you good values for your money. We Do! That is the way we have increased our business from year to year.

## Received This Week

We have received this week and place on special Sale: Ladies' new shoes, buttons and laces. Men's button and lace shoes, both work and dress shoes. Men's suits and overcoats. Ladies' Dress Goods, Gingham, Domestics, Outings, Sheetings, etc. All sorts of articles will be on sale at prices sure to please you.

**Look for the Sign—DOLLAR STRETCHER SALE**

It is the sign that everything sold in this sale must live up to the

**GRISSOM HIGH STANDARD**

**"BEST FOR YOUR MONEY"**

# GRISSOM'S

Dictators of Low

Waskell, Texas

Smashers of High Prices



# "MAKE HAY WHILE THE SUN SHINES"

The desire for success is the foundation of industry. Thrift began with civilization. It began when man found it necessary to provide for to-morrow as well as to-day.

Thrift of time is thrift of money. The little capital a man is constantly storing up is always a source of increasing power, and he can look the world boldly in the face. "He has money in the bank" expresses additional strength.

This bank invites new accounts.

## The Haskell National Bank

The Strongest Banking Institution in Haskell County  
Haskell, Texas

### LIV-VER-LAX

All the Effectiveness, Not the Effect, of Calomel.

LIV-VER-LAX is one of the most important medical discoveries of recent years. For a long time medical experts, realizing the harmful effects of calomel, have been striving to find a liver cleanser that would be just as effective as calomel, and yet be absolutely harmless in its action. Recently this remedy was actually put forth by L. K. Grigsby, in his LIV-VER-LAX.

LIV-VER-LAX is a harmless vegetable compound, designed solely for the treatment of liver complaints. The immediate favor it has met with in thousands of homes is proof positive of its real value.

If you feel worn out, tongue coated and skin sallow, don't delay until it becomes dangers, nip

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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

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

Sold by Druggists. 30c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Married Here Monday

Mr. W. E. Ray and Miss Kittie Williams of Goree were married in this city Monday morning. After procuring the license, the services of Judge Smith were invoked, and the couple were united in the county clerk's office in the presence of a number of spectators.

the trouble in the bud with LIV-VER-LAX. Insist on the genuine, bearing the signature and likewise of L. K. Grigsby, which is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. For sale by Corne Drug Store.

You can't fool me — that's

## White Swan Coffee

(Texas Roasted and Blended)

There is something about even the aroma of this delicious coffee that tells its tale of goodness. And when you taste it — well, you'll set down your cup with a great big sigh of joy and say, "Ah-h-h—there's the best cup of coffee I ever drank."

No wonder—the quality is there—selection, treatment, roasting, packing and a sincere desire to give you your money's worth in coffee produce that quality. You won't regret it if you

Make Your Next Coffee Order White Swan Coffee

Full weight, air tight, one, two and three-pound cans. Wholesale or retail.

WAPLES-PLATTER GROCER CO. (Wholesale Only)

Denison, Ft. Worth, Dallas, Amarillo, Bowie, Brownwood, Childress, Dublin, Farwell, Gansenville, Greenleaf, Hamlin, Lubbock, Marshall, Stamford, Texas, and Ada, Okla.

### Try It! Substitute For Nasty Calomel

Starts your liver without making you sick and cannot salivate

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking it's place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs fifty cents, and it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness; sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

### Robertson Bros. Have Sale

This week (Friday) witnesses the inauguration of the big annual clearance sale at Robertson Bros. Company's store. Judging by advance preparations, it is going to be one of the big sale events of the current season, too. Robertson Bros. Co. always have a successful sale and the present one gives promise of being one of the most successful in the store's history. We refer you to their big two-page advertisement in this issue of the Free Press.

### Not Paint

With linseed oil at 50c and \$1, what sort of oil do you think they use in "paint" at \$1.50 and \$1.25? That stuff is counterfeit paint. You can cheat yourself; you can't cheat Time or Weather. Paint is a rubbery coat over wood and iron to keep out water. Counterfeit paint may look like it; counterfeit money looks like money.

What are all counterfeit for? They are all alike.

DEVOE.

### They All Demand It

Haskell, Like Every City and Town in the Union, Receives It

People with kidney ills want to be cured.

When one suffers the tortures of an aching back, relief is eagerly sought for. There are many remedies today that relieve, but do not cure. Doan's Kidney Pills have brought lasting results to thousands. Here's Haskell evidence of their merit:

P. S. Arnold, farmer, Haskell, says: "My kidneys were disordered and didn't do their work as they should. I often became dizzy and specks seemed to be passing before my eyes. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a supply from the Corner Drug Store and they corrected these ailments. I used about three boxes in all and haven't noticed any return of the ailments to amount to anything since. Others in my family have also found Doan's Kidney Pills beneficial."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Arnold had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of S. W. GROVE, Inc.

### Some Good Postal Rules to Follow

Below we are printing some few rules pertaining to the postal business, by Postmaster S. G. Dean, which if read and closely followed out, will very materially add to the expediency of the handling of mail matter. Especially at this season of the year it is important to observe the suggestions as off red below, as the very busy time for the postoffice is now approaching—the Christmas season:

Be careful, addressing mail matter, as millions of letters and packages are lost on account of being improperly addressed. Never wrap anything in newspaper, or other common paper, as it is most sure to tear off in transit, as the parcel post mail is so heavy now. Use strong twine and paper. Always address with pen and ink, putting your name and postoffice on upper left hand corner, and address's name on lower right-hand corner, with postoffice and in a legible hand-writing. And if you can not write a legible hand, get someone to do it that can; then there won't be one in a thousand lost.

The postal laws say all packages must be ready for mailing when presented at the window. Please remember this, as my assistants and I have been working from eleven to thirteen hours per day now for fifteen months, and no over time to do it. The work has increased about four times as much as the pay. I am paying a goodly portion of my salary to get the best help obtainable, in order to give the patrons of this office the best service possible. I promised you all when I took charge of the office that I would make some mistakes, and I have, but I conscientiously believe that I have given you as good service as any office in West Texas has given its patrons. The inspector, on the occasion of his first visit here, complimented the office on the way it was run, and he has not been to see me in a long time. I begin to feel sighted that he don't come to see me.

I wish to call your attention to the fact that business is so heavy in the office now, that after 8:30 a. m., going north, and 6 p. m., going south, it will be impossible to get mail off until next day.

Postmasters have the same experience everywhere about people forgetting to have their mail in the office in time to always get off on every train, but they forget until about fifteen minutes before train time; then they get a move on them like they were going to a fire, and pile in about forty per cent of the day's mail. Then the postoffice force has to work like they were fighting fire to get the mail out on time.

I would very greatly appreciate it if you would all strive to post your mail earlier, so that it will go each day, and not put such a strain upon overworked postmaster and clerks, that of doing almost a half day's work in a few minutes.

Respectfully,  
S. G. Dean,  
Postmaster.

### Every Home Needs a Faithful Cough and Cold Remedy

When seasons change and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is time that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. I never wrote a testimonial but I know positively by myself and family, Dr. G. New Discovery is the best remedy we ever used. I have tried them all."

Street Lights the  
In all probability  
lights will be on  
ember. A portion  
equipment is now  
and the rest  
Manager Scales  
announces the  
thing to be

### RIDER AGENTS WANTED

IN EACH TOWN and district to ride and exhibit a sample Latex Model "Ranger" bicycle furnished by us. Our Rider Agents everywhere are making money fast. Write for full particulars and special offer at once.

**NO MONEY REQUIRED** until you receive and approve your bicycle. We ship to anyone anywhere in the U. S. without a cent deposit in advance, **free freight**, and **allow TEN DAYS' FREE TRIAL**, during which time you may ride the bicycle and put it to any test you wish. If you are then not perfectly satisfied or do not wish to keep the bicycle, you can ship it back to us at our expense and you will not be out one cent.

**FACTORY PRICES** We furnish the highest grade bicycles at the actual factory cost. You save \$10 to \$25 middlemen's profits by buying direct from us and have the manufacturer's guarantee behind your bicycle. **DO NOT BUY** a bicycle or a pair of tires from anyone but us.

**YOU WILL BE ASTONISHED** when you receive our beautiful catalogue and study our superb models at the wonderfully low prices we can make you this year. We will the highest grade bicycles for less money than any other factory. We are also rim strips, our own name plate at double our prices. Orders filled the day received.

**SEND FOR OUR** FREE CATALOGUE. We will send you our bicycle under your own name plate at double our prices. Orders filled the day received. We will also send you our rim strips, our own name plate at double our prices. Orders filled the day received.

**COASTER BRAKES** and equipment of all kinds at half the regular retail price.

**\$10.00** Hedgethorn Puncture-Proof **\$4.00**  
Self-healing Tires A SAMPLE PAIR TO INTRODUCE, ONLY

The regular retail price of these tires is \$10.00 per pair, but to introduce them we will sell you a sample pair for \$4.00 (cash on order).

**3 MORE PROOF FROM PUNCTURES**

Miles, Yards or Cycles will not let the air out. A hundred thousand pairs sold last year.

**DESCRIPTION:** is lively and easy riding, very durable and lined inside with a special quality of rubber, which never wears out without allowing air to escape. They weigh no more than an ordinary tire, the puncture resisting quality being given by several layers of specially prepared fabric on the tread. The regular price of these tires is \$10.00 per pair, but for advertising purposes we are making a special factory price to the rider of only \$4.00 per pair. All orders shipped same day letter is received. We will ship C. O. D. on approval. You do not need to pay a cent until you examine and find them satisfactory on examination. We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is safe as in a bank. If you order these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look better than any you have ever used. You can't see them until you get them. We want you to see a trial order at once, hence this remarkable fire of \$4.00 per pair. We will give you your order. We don't buy any kind of tire until you send us a pair of tread samples (see order blank) or write for our big Tire and Sundry Catalogue which describes and quotes all makes of tires from \$1.00 up to \$50.00. We will also send you a list of all the best tires on the market. **DO NOT WAIT** to write us a postal order. **DO NOT THINK** of buying a bicycle or a pair of tires until you have seen our new and wonderful tires. We are making a special factory price to the rider of only \$4.00 per pair. Write it now!

**J. L. HEAD CYCLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.**

### Hancock's Sale

The firm of Hancock & Company this week opened their annual clearance sale, which is proving a tremendous success. The firm has added a number of additional sales people, and are well prepared to care for the wants of the many patrons who are taking advantage of the low prices on good goods that prevail in the store. Read the ad of Hancock & Company in this issue.

### A Wonderful Antiseptic

Germs and infection aggravating ailments and retard healing. Stop that infection at once! Kill the germs and get rid of the poisons. For this purpose a single application of Sloan's Liniment not only kills the pain but destroys the germs. This neutralizes infection and gives nature assistance by overcoming congestion and gives a chance for the free and normal flow of the blood. Sloan's Liniment is an emergency doctor and should be kept constantly on hand. 25c., 50c. The \$1.00 size contains six times as much as the 25c. size.

### Health and Happiness Depend on Your Liver

That sluggish Liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the root of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c a bottle.

### WHEN YOU ARE NERVOUS

you have the first symptom of a run-down system, and nervous people too often conceal their aches and pains and suffer in silence, while, if neglected, this condition often foreruns more serious trouble. If those so afflicted would stop taking medicine containing alcohol or drugs which menace the foundations of health, and just take the pure, strengthening nourishment in Scott's Emulsion, it would create new blood to pulsate through the organs, refresh their bodies and build up the whole nervous system. It is rich, sustaining nourishment, free from wines, alcohols or drugs. Shun substitutes.

### Receives Painful Injuries

E. L. Adams, the photographer, was the victim last Saturday of a painful and serious accident, one that will, indeed, likely disable him for many weeks to come. He was cranking a Ford car, when the car kicked back. He suffered a compound fracture of one of his arms.

### Leaves For Stephenville

Haskell, Texas, Nov. 4, 1915.

I leave for home today and leave my land in the hands of R. H. Sprows & Co., and Henry Johnson. Parties wanting a cheap home, call on them. Wm. Oglesby. 45-8tp

## Best Groceries

When you want a sack of Flour that makes the best of bread or those "melting" biscuits **We Have It**

When you want the best Premium hams on the market, well streaked and cured **We Have It**

When you want the best grades of coffee, scientifically roasted **We Have It**

When you want a good substance of Coffee, at the least in price, **We Have It**

When you want the best granular rich **We Have It**

When you want the high grade best satisfaction **We Have It**

When you want the best of Vegetables **We Have It**

When you want the best of Fresh produce **We Have It**

**ANYTHING in** **We Have It**

**POSEY & HUNT**

## A REMINDER OF GOOD THINGS TO EAT AND WHERE TO BUY THEM

BELLE OF WICHITA FLOUR

Beech Nut Brand Catsup  
Beech Nut Brand Pork and Beans  
Beech Nut Brand Jelly, Jams, etc.  
Heinz Apple Butter  
Libbys Plum Pudding  
Libbys Dill Pickles  
Durkee's Salad Dressing  
French's Mustard  
Olives, Plain  
Olives, ripe in cans  
Olives, stuffed with celery  
Olives, Pimento stuffed  
Beech Nut Olive Oil  
Libby's special seedless grapes  
Del Monte Brand canned Prunes  
Del Monte Strawberries  
Del Monte Pineapple  
Campbell's Soups, twenty kinds  
Gebhardt's Chile, it's the best  
White Swan Okra and Tomatoes  
Armours canned Tripe  
Armours Helmet cooked Brains  
Canned Shrimp, Mushrooms, Crabs  
Pimentoes, Sweet Piccalete, Green Chile  
Armours Star Bacon in Jars  
Swift Premium Breakfast Bacon  
Armours Star Hams  
Brick Cheese, Cream Cheese  
Fresh Nuts, Cranberries  
Raisins, Currants, Dates, etc

CHASE & SANBORNS COFFEE

**F. G. ALEXANDER & SONS**

### Center Point.

Here I come after an absence of several weeks. How are all of you enjoying this cool weather?

Most everyone is now about through picking cotton in this section.

Health is very good in this community.

Homer Kennamer, who was operated on for appendicitis several weeks past, is still improving. We wish for him that he will be up and going around in a few days.

Messrs. Aly Summers, Hansford Harris, Clyde Gross and Bill Riley attended the Cotton Palace at Waco last week.

A crowd of young people from here attended the carnival at Haskell last Saturday night.

Mrs. Ella Fuller and Maggie Jeter were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

D. M. Gross and family spent Sunday afternoon with B. F. Chandler and family, of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Briden, of Santa Anna, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Briden.

Well, as news is scarce, I'll be going, and give space to a more gifted writer. FIRE FLY.

### Handling Many Turkeys.

J. V. Hudson, of the City Meat Market, is handling many turkeys these days. To date he has shipped out more than two thousand of the fowl. On Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, something like four hundred of the birds were killed and dressed for the Thanksgiving trade.

### Ollie Sears Injured.

C. Sears, who lives northwest of town, left Wednesday night for Abilene. Mr. Sears went to that city to bring home his son, Ollie Sears, who was seriously injured two or three weeks ago when he fell from a pecan tree, falling a distance of something over forty feet. The young man is now able to be about by aid of crutches. Mr. Sears says he attributes the fact that his son was not killed to his falling in a soft creek bed. The limb upon which the boy was astride broke plunging him to the creek bed forty feet below. The young man weighs 180 pounds, and doubtless had he hit hard ground the fall would have been fatal.

### His Position.

"I don't know which sort of doctor is worse."

"What do you mean?"

"I mean when I feel bad. The pessimistic doctor scares me and the breezy optimist irritates me."—Kansas City Star.

### No More Letters Mailed at Train.

After December first letters will have to be mailed in the postoffice, unless you put them on the train yourself. W. D. Joiner, who has the contract for carrying the mail to the train announces that beginning Dec. 1st, he will not accept letters to be mailed on trains. He states that he is always pleased to accommodate the public, but that such a large volume of mail is given him at each train time, that it has become to be a burden upon him. Not only that, the railway mail clerks are, he says, making a strenuous kick on the practice.

## More School Notes by Supt. Williams

Since my last report, I have visited Weinert and Lake Creek Schools.

Weinert School has a good brick building, an underground cistern, single desks, a library of more than 100 volumes, and employs three teachers. It is one of the six independent school districts in the county. The principal, B. A. Lively, had everything well organized and the school was working nicely. The school house was well-kept and the children and teachers had undertaken to clean up and beautify the school grounds. (This is a thing that every boy and girl as well, and patrons, should be interested in.) Miss Fela Cornelius has charge of the intermediate grades, Miss Beulah Elliott the primary and Mr. Lively the high school. All the teachers had their work well in hand and everything indicated that this year's school at Weinert would mean the advancement of the school in every way. The school board has worked diligently to build up the school and the members of the school board are to be commended for their untiring efforts. Weinert school will receive \$300 State aid.

Lake Creek School opened up with seven children. Miss Julia Turner, the teacher, is planning to give the Lake Creek community a good school.

I have just been notified that the State Department of Education, upon the recommendation of L. T. Cunningham, State Rural School Visitor, has appropriated \$2250 to Haskell County out of the million dollar rural school aid fund. All districts that asked were eligible and none of them were turned down.

The most important thing for the people of the county to consider at present is getting all the children in the schools. We have as good rural schools in Haskell County as can be found in any county in Texas, and we should see to it that the children attend. Let everybody become interested in this matter. When a child is out of school on school days, concern yourself enough to ask why he or she is out.

SUPT. T. C. WILLIAMS.

### Distress in the Stomach.

There are many people who have a distress in the stomach after meals. It is due to indigestion and is easily remedied by taking one of Chamberlain's Tablets after meals. Mrs. Henry Padghan, Victor, N. Y., writes: "For some time I was troubled with headache and distress in my stomach after eating, also with constipation. About six months ago I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. They regulated the action of my bowels and the headache and other annoyances ceased in a short time." For sale by West Side Drug Store.

### A Question.

"Dat spaniel of yours must be some scrapper."

"Oh, no. Spaniels do not fight."

how did he git his face in?"—The Kansas City

### Cheap Substitutes

of keen competitors that the public they get Chamberlain's remedy and not take for the sake of Chamberlain's Cough the test and than for West Side

and Sticky

## Items of Interest From Town of Rule

(From the Review.)

R. P. Watson made a business trip to Dallas this week.

Mr. Jim Allen motored to Haskell last Sunday evening.

Dave Ernest returned Thursday from a visit to Aspermont.

Mrs. Joe Jones and Mrs. Chester Jones spent Wednesday in Haskell.

Miss Nell Jones, of Simmons College, spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Penick left last Sunday for the Waco Cotton Palace, returning Wednesday.

R. B. Norman left this week for Abilene, where he will attend Simmons College this session.

B. A. Cox of Erath county is a new man in the Rule country. He is a brother to our townsman G. L. Cox.

Miss Nora True has returned to her home in Munday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. V. McElreath.

Miss Louella Flowers who prolonged her visit with Mrs. Chester Jones after the house party, returned Tuesday.

W. D. Norman and wife attended the Cotton Palace at Waco this week. We understand W. D. acted as judge in the baby show.

Cash Lewis and family came in Tuesday from their home at Merizon and will visit Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cannon.

Miss Nora Hudspeth spent Sunday in Aspermont, returning Monday with her mother and sister, who had spent the past week there.

Mrs. J. L. Jones who has been in a sanatorium at Dallas for some weeks has returned home. We are glad to know that she is much improved.

R. M. Smith, W. F. Neeley and J. W. Blake returned Saturday from Houston where they attended a State meeting of the Farmers Union.

L. W. Jones, Cashier of the First National Bank is the proud owner of a "Buick 6," having bought the machine of Bob Kinard of Stamford. It is one of the late models and is a splendid piece of machinery.

Mrs. J. W. Driskell who has been in the Knox City Sanatorium for several weeks returned home Monday morning. Mrs. Driskell underwent a delicate operation while there, and we are glad to know she is much improved.

### Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses have been issued from the office of the county clerk since last report:

C. H. Lammert and Miss Bertha Lammert.

C. L. Kinder and Miss Madgie Norman.

O. L. Rouse and Mrs. D. M. Robertson.

Willis Eugene Ray and Miss Kittie Williams.

### For Sale on Easy Terms

100 acres, near Foster School House; about 85 in cultivation. Price \$27.50 per acre. For particulars apply to J. M. Radford Grocery Company, Abilene, Texas. 46-8t

### Automobile Registrations

No. 307—A. L. Bland, Haskell; Ford.

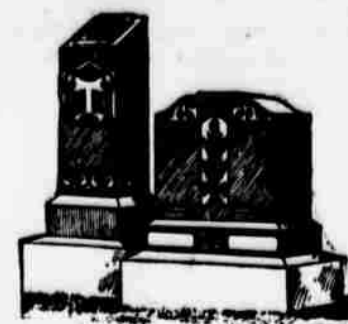
No. 308—G. V. Cobb, Nabors; Ford.

No. 309—A. C. Foster, Rule; Dodge.

No. 310—W. E. Dobbin, Sager-ton; Maxwell.

No. 311—Dr. W. A. Kimbrough Haskell; Ford.

No. 312—J. M. Atolison, Haskell; Overland.



## High Class Memorials in Marble and Granite

I am now representing the National Marble Mills, Atlanta, Georgia, and will be glad to call on you at your convenience, should you be interested in any size or style memorial.

### Reasons Why You Should See Me Before Buying

1. The Company that I represent believe in their work and furnish a written guarantee to each customer.
2. The prices I quote are the lowest consistent with finest quality work and a - absolutely highest grade of stone.
3. Georgia Marble and Winsted Granite are the two finest monumental stones in existence. Their beauty, combined with their lasting qualities make them second to none.
4. We never have—and never will—send out a monument with a sandstone or limestone base or bottom base. The bases are of the same stone as the dia-
5. I allow the freight and personally supervise the setting up of all monuments.

See or write me before buying  
**C. JONES, Haskell, Texas**



SCENE FROM COMING ATTRACTION AT  
DICK'S THEATRE

### The Human Side of a Railroad

The plans of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to furnish schoolhouses to the children of its employes not only proves that even a great railway system has a soul, but is evidence of the fact large corporations and business institutions are learning that their own interest depends largely on the convenience and well-being of their employes.

Out on the desert in Southern California and Arizona, where the railroad company has to depend almost entirely upon Mexican labor for track forces, the Southern Pacific is furnishing school accommodations for the children of its employes. Disabled box cars have been converted into temporary schoolhouses where every child of scholastic age may have the privilege of school facilities the same as the child of the cities.

While the schools are patronized mostly by Mexican children, since the inauguration of this educational plan, the desert has lost many of its terrors to the man of a family and many Americans are now living in the sections formerly occupied entirely by the Mexican race.

### How to Prevent Croup

It may be a surprise to you to know that in many cases croup can be prevented. Mrs. H. M. Johns, Elida, Ohio, relates her experience as follows: "My little boy is subject to croup. During the past winter I kept a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house and when he began having a croupy cough I would give him one or two doses of it and it would break up the attack. I like it better for children than any other cough medicine, because they take it willingly, and it is safe and reliable." Sold by West side Drug Store.

### Week-End House Party

The week-end house party given by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones included the following guests: Misses Dishman, Mollie Williams, Cyrena and Mattie Lou Wilkes, Louella Flowers, Lucille Hall, Myrtle Whisenant, Zelma Lesovsky, Jerrine Ragan and Mr. Odom.—Rule Review.

### STAMFORD-HASKELL Auto Line

Daily, Except Sunday  
J. S. Lawrence, Prop.  
Stamford Phone 554 Leaves Stamford 12:30 p. m.  
Leaves Haskell 2 p. m. from Right Hotel.  
Fare \$1.50 each way

### Chamberlain's Tablets

This is a medicine intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. It is meeting with much success and rapidly gaining in favor and popularity. For sale by West Side Drug Store.

### Proves Early Use of Coal.

Excavations of an ancient Roman villa, near Liege, disclosed fragments of coal, leading to the belief that the fuel was mined in Belgium as far back as the beginning of the Christian era.

### Poor Opinion of Lawyer.

"Prisoner, have you anything to say?" "Only this, your honor. I'd be mighty sorry if the young lawyer you assigned to me was ever called upon to defend an innocent man."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Regular Accounting.

Elsie—"When Betty married old Moneybags she gave her age as twenty-five. She's older than that." Flo—"Oh, I suppose she allowed one-third off for cash."—Dallas News.

### Knew Whereof He Spoke.

One day, in the lively old time of cowboy activities, a timid tenderfoot at Bitter Creek asked tremblingly if that bad man, Bill Busher, was hanging around there yet. "No," replied the native who was asked. "But he was last week." "Are you sure?" said the tenderfoot. "Positive. I had hold of the rope."

## Why's "Gets-It," for Corns, Like a Kiss?

Because Everybody Tries It, Everybody Likes It, It's Painless and Takes But a Moment to Apply.

"Gets-It" is the wonder of the corn-pestered world. Millions say so, because millions have used it. That's what makes it the biggest selling



"Never in My Life Saw Anything Act So Quickly and Magically as 'Gets-It'" corn remedy on earth today. "Gets-It" will surely get that corn or callosity you've been trying for a long time to get rid of—take it right off "clean as a whistle." Apply it in 2 seconds,—put your stocking and shoe right over it—nothing to stick, nothing to hurt. You needn't fuss with thick bandages that make a package out of your toe. No knives, razors and scissors, no tape, no trouble. It's simplicity itself, sure, quick, painless. Try it also for bunions and warts. "Gets-It" is sold at all druggists. See a bottle, or sent direct by Lawrence & Co., Chicago. For Sale by all Dealers.

## Jewelry and Cut Glass

New, up-to-date jewelry and cut glass, at remarkably low prices.

JNO. W. PACE & CO.

Our goods are of well-known quality; we do not offer goods for sale that are sent out on consignment. When you buy jewelry here you get the benefit of our fifteen years' experience in this business.

CAN YOU AFFORD TO TAKE A CHANCE?

## EYES TESTED

If not entirely satisfactory, we will refund your money back. Prices are reasonable and consistent service you get.

But we are not going to test your two-bit glass.

We will give you a square deal. **place of business IS and WILL BE, JNO. W. PACE & CO.**

# HANCOCK'S BIG CLEARANCE SALE IS NOW ON

A Herald of glad tidings to the person who wants to made every dollar count in the buying of high grade standard dry goods. This is the event the people of Haskell county have been waiting for. For the people of this county have learned that a Hancock sale is a real sale. That when we put our stock on sale it is priced at a price that sells the goods. It has always been our custom at the end of the season to put on a sale to clean up all winter merchandise, but owing to the fact that our buyer went to market in August and bought over twice the amount of winter goods we have ever bought before, we find that our obligations are falling due and we have far too many goods. Thus, right in the middle of the season we find that we must convert this stock into cash

**Before December 15th we Must Raise \$10,000 in Cash**

To do this we are going to sacrifice our big stock of clean, high grade merchandise. You will reap the benefits of it. Lack of space forbids us quoting prices, but our entire stock is on sale

## CURLEE CLOTHES



### Curlee Clothing

We handle the famous Curlee line of men's and boys' clothing. Every garment guaranteed to give you entire satisfaction. These are all heavy winter suits at the unheard of prices of

**\$4.98 and up**

The best line of corduroy, moleskin and Funston cloth work-pants in Haskell. Good corduroy suits at **\$6.48**

### Coat Suits and Cloaks

We want every woman and child in this vicinity to come and see the many bargains we are offering you in Coat suits, and in good heavy new style Cloaks. All bought for this season and priced below all competition on the same character of goods. Get the school girl a heavy cloak now.



A big lot of ladies' Heavy winter Union Suits, as long as they last at only **69c Each**

Just Think. 15 yards of the Best Hope Bleached Domestic for \$1.00. Only 15 yards to each Customer

Dress Goods	Comforts and Blankets	Overcoats	Trunks and Suit Cases	Special! Special!
We have the best stock of Dress goods we have ever had. All new goods. Beautiful colors in Serges, Broad cloths, suitings, Garbadines, Poplin, Tafetas, etc. Just the thing you need now, and all at Unheard of low prices.	Do you Sleep Warm? Haven't you been planing a long time to buy some good, heavy, warm comforts and blankets? Well, now is the best chance you will ever have. Just think, a full size fleecy blanket for only <b>98c</b>	Good heavy ones too. The biggest line in town to select from. Smart, dressy ones for the young men as well as the good heavy conservative ones for the older men. Priced <b>\$4.48 up</b> . All standard American and Puritan Calicoes at <b>3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub></b> yard. Not over 50 yards to a customer.	We have an extensive line of Trunks and Suit Cases. The cheap ones as well as the better ones with a written guarantee. None Reserved. All must be sold, though at a big discount.	10-4 bleached Sheeting at <b>27c</b> 9-4 bleached Sheeting at <b>24c</b> 10-4 brown Sheeting at <b>24c</b> 9-4 brown Sheeting at <b>20c</b> Good, heavy brown Sea Island Domestic 15 yards for <b>\$1.00</b> Only 15 yards to a customer.

A lot of Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits, to out Saturday at only 69c each.

### Shoes

Do you appreciate good shoes? We think you do, and in offering

you our stock of White House and Buster Brown Shoes at a discount is like selling you gold dollars at a discount, but they are on sale too, so bring the family and get them good shoes at prices less than inferior ones will cost you elsewhere.

### "WHITE HOUSE SHOES THE FOOT HOME OF THE NATION"



### Millinery

Our stock was all bought this season.

Our first season in the millinery business has been a great success. Now to close out every hat we have on hand we are making prices to do it.

\$20.00 Hat's now	<b>\$10.00</b>
15.00 " "	<b>7.50</b>
12.50 " "	<b>6.25</b>
10.00 " "	<b>5.00</b>
7.50 " "	<b>3.75</b>

Come Early. Don't Wait. Bring your Wagon. You can't haul them in a buggy. We never half d... member all our stock is new, seasonable goods, bought... now you are reaping the benefit of our over buy. Every... thing tagged and marked. We are ready to refund you... your children, they can buy just a...

# HANCOCK & COMPANY

East Side Square

It Pays to Pay

Haskell Texas