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Profit Sharing Sale Lasts Only One More Week

Take advantage of this opportunity to save on Men's and Boy's clothing, Ladies' Suits, Coats and Dresses. Tremendous bargains in high grade clothing. Special prices added from last week will be on Men's and Ladies' sweaters and wool shirts.

Regardless of the advance in all lines of dry goods, you may feel sure of what you buy from us being the very best at the price. Make it a point to visit our store, see the values we have. You cannot keep from appreciating this line of good we have.

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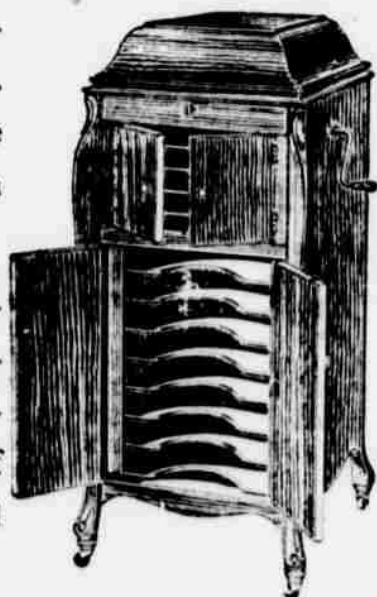
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VICTROLAS

PRICES \$15 to \$250

Let us put aside a Victrola for you for Xmas. Every day you are without one is so much pleasure lost.

We can not buy Victrolas today. The factory is six months behind with orders, so if you want one you had better hurry.



No Records Sent Out on Approval After Dec. 1st

Jno. W. Pace and Co.

Dealers in Fine Jewelry, and Holiday Goods the Kind that are Kept.

Ha! Ha! Ha! Flour is high, but we never have had a sack of La France returned to us yet. A. F. Rutherford Grocery.

S. I. McCollum of Weinert was here Sunday.

Mrs. Worley and children, who have been visiting the family of C. A. Pinkerton left Monday for Durant, Oklahoma.

T. L. D. Parks, of Weaver, was here Saturday. He has just returned from an extended visit to Clay county, where he visited his daughter, Mrs. L. H. Omen, and also purchased a farm near the town of Blue Grove, but he will not move onto the farm until about the first of 1918.

H. S. Gibson and family left Saturday night for the Cotton Palace at Waco, and will visit relatives while in that city.

We have the exclusive sale of St. Charles and Johnson Laynes Coffee Rutherford Grocery.

Mrs. H. A. Self and children of Pinkerton were in the city Saturday shopping.

J. H. Thedford, of Whitman is reported real sick.

Frank Howard, of Tatum, New Mexico is visiting his brother, John Howard of Kirkdale and was in the city Saturday.

B. F. Rogers and family of O'Brien were in the city Saturday shopping.

Rev. E. T. Miller was here from Abilene Saturday, and preached at Rose Chappel Saturday night and Sunday.

R. L. Cooke and family of Brushy were here Saturday shopping.

W. M. Harrel was in the city Saturday from the Foster community and reports things looking good in his section. He has recently purchased the R. C. Whitmire farm near his home, and is as proud of his bargain as a little fellow is of a pair of new shoes.

W. R. Coker and family of Knox City were shopping in the city Saturday.

J. J. Oates of near New Mid was in the city Saturday shopping.

Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale. See W. F. Rupe, Haskell, Texas. 45-tfc

F. M. Edwards of the Nolen ranch was here shopping Saturday.

F. E. Gaston, insurance writer, who has been here the past week left Monday for Wellington, Texas.

T. C. Rodgers sells pure Mebane cotton seed—written guarantee with every sale. No company. See me in Haskell. 43-4tp

Terry Davis, son of R. H. Davis, passed through Monday enroute from Corsicana, Texas to Los Angeles, California, where he has a position as linotype operator.

Lacy Bobo, of Petrolia, has accepted a position on the Free Press force.

For Sale My residence in Haskell at a bargain. G. H. Cobb. 45-4tp

S. L. and Jno. E. Robertson, of Mineral Wells were on our streets this week.

We want your butter and eggs. Highest prices paid. Rutherford's Grocery.

Sam Treat and wife attended the Cotton Palace at Waco last Saturday.

I will take two of three pupils for the violin. Mrs. Wm. Groom. 45-3tp

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wilfong, Monday, Nov. 6th a 12½ pound boy.

Mrs. A. J. Tucker is visiting parents at Seymour this week.

Miss Ora Perry has accepted a position in the offices of Sanders & Wilson.

Public Take Notice Hauling promptly done by A. W. Parr. Phone 403 42-tf

H. G. Vise, manager of the Rutherford's Grocery store has been very sick with Typhoid the past week, but we are glad to report him improving.

H. W. Stogner of Munday was here Monday.

J. J. Guest is in Oklahoma on business this week.

Mr. Hunt and son, Charley Davis Mr. Dridger's of Rule were over in Mr. Dridger's new Mitchell Monday, and were at the Haskell Garage.

H. L. Houston, of Anson, is with Rutherford's Grocery store during Mr. Vise's illness.

Mrs. S. A. Hughes spent the week in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. H. K. McWhirter.

J. Z. Williams and family of Erichdale were shopping in the city Monday.

R. Williams and family of Rochester were shopping in the city Monday.

Get our prices before buying elsewhere. Rutherford's Grocery.

Lost:—Suit case containing baby clothing on road between Haskell and Goree. Finder please notify Mrs. J. C. Holt. 45-tc

C. D. Reese and family of Rankin, are visiting I. A. Leonard of Kirkdale and they were in the city shopping Saturday.

W. T. Hobbs and family of Rochester were shopping in the city Monday.

W. L. Mathis and family of Hooker were shopping in the city Monday.

J. K. Morgan and family of Rule were shopping in the city Monday.

Sam Cearley and Jeff Martin of Anson were here Monday on business.

W. B. Johnson, who is attending Simmons College at Abilene, was visiting home folks at Rose Saturday, and was in the city seeing his old friends.

For Sale:—Four young Duroc jersey sows and pigs. Also one Economy Chief separator, capacity 700 pounds. G. Baker, Haskell. 45-1tp

L. J. Eubanks, of Holland, Bell county, was here this week looking after his land interests.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson, a fine boy, November 1st. This is the tenth boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, and they have four girls, making a family of fourteen children.

Mrs. W. E. Shepperd, and son, of Willow Point are visiting friends here.

Porter Lowery, and family, of Knox City were here Saturday and Sunday visiting Mrs. Lowery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Benton.

Miss Essie Crow, who is attending school at Stamford, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Pennell were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crow Saturday and Sunday.

J. E. Mulkey of Rose Bud is here looking after his farm interests.

Joe Payne, brother of our fellow townsman, Ross Payne, was in the city Monday on business. Mr. Payne is in the mercantile business at Knox City.



Coming Events

Cast their shadows before, We are looking for your shadow in the doorway of our store.

There is not a shadow of a chance of your being disappointed in the things we have for sale.

A Wedding Anniversary or Christmas Holiday When looking for Gifts just come our way.

"A Variety Store that's Different"

Haskell's Bargain House

Mrs. D. LOVE, Prop

Fish. Fish. Fish. And nice fresh fish at the Bottling Works.

J. J. Campbell, of Gauntt was here Monday with some Brown Leghorn roosters and sold them to the farmers for a good price. If you have anything to sell, bring it to Haskell and get what its worth.

Oysters, and lots of them. The nicest market affords can be had by phoning the Bottling Works. We deliver.

A. Tonn returned Monday morning from the Sanitarium at Abilene where he underwent an operation. He is improving and looking better, and we hope he will soon be entirely recovered.

No use to go fishing any more, just phone 85, and they will deliver them.

F. M. Morton and wife and Miss Ma Mae Cox visited Abilene Saturday and Sunday.

E. S. Weed and family were shopping in the city Monday.

Aren't you lucky? To live where you can have nice fresh fish and oysters delivered on just a few minutes notice. Phone the Bottling Works. They want your business.

H. F. Rausseau of Waxahachie was here Monday on business.

J. D. Brumeloe, and T. J. Edwards, of Wichita Falls are visiting relatives in the city.

We are in business for your health. We want you to feel good all the time by eating good fresh fish and oysters. We deliver. Phone 85.

E. M. Woods, of New Castle and his brother A. F. Woods city Sunday.

Found:—Little girl's coat, miles south of town. Owners have same by calling at the Press office and paying for the same.

Rev. Ed R. Wallace returned first of the week from a Greenville where he attended North Texas Conference one day from Arlington, where he visited son, Hugh Wallace.

Turkeys Turkey growers meet the 29th of December. Club before 9th. 900 already clubbed. Clay Kimbrough. G. L. Willis. 46-4tp

For Sale One house and lot in the south of town, two blocks from South School building. For particulars see Mrs. D. Love at the Haskell Bargain House.

Jesse Jones, of Rule passed Wednesday enroute to Dublin.

Notice Full blood Brown Leghorns at \$1.00 each. J. J. Cant miles west of Haskell.

W. T. Nelson left Wednesday for Dallas.

Mrs. J. U. Fields spent the night in Stamford.

For Sale A four-room house and one land near the north ward. Will take team. See Iron Haskell, Texas.

RABBIT HUNTERS ARE NOW ORGANIZED

The Rabbit Hunters Association of Haskell County was organized last Monday evening in the office of Justice of the Peace S. A. Hughes. The rabbits in this section of the country are beginning to be a serious problem to the farmer, and it is the intention of the Association to help exterminate the pests.

The following officers were elected: S. A. Hughes, Chairman; Ben Yates, Secretary; a ways and means committee was appointed, composed of the following: M. A. Clifton, Chairman; Bill Collins, Chas. Shellie, W. E. Pitman and Jack Dyer.

The meeting was adjourned to meet November 18th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Barton-Lusk

Jesse Barton and Miss Della Lusk were married at four o'clock Sunday evening at Rose Chapel by Rev. E. T. Miller. Only a few friends witnessed the ceremony. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barton of Rose, and the bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lusk of the same community. They are very popular young people and are loved by all who know them. The Free Press joins their many friends in wishing them a successful voyage o'er life's sea.

They were given a supper Sunday night by the bride's parents and a dinner Monday by the parents of the groom. They will make their home in the Rose community.

POST

Mesdames R. V. Colbert, T. R. Colbert, B. Yates, and Dr. and Mrs. Held of Stamford called at the home of Mrs. Arnold last Saturday afternoon.

Horace Hood and family are spending this week in Munday.

There was church at this place Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday afternoon. Bro. Bagwell of Abilene conducted the services.

A large crowd attended the singing at the home of Frank Simmons Sunday night.

Will Darnell, who has been in Childress for the past few months has returned home.

Miss Lila Tysinger is spending a few weeks in Jones county with her sisters, Mrs. Leepes and Mrs. Eddy.

Dr. S. S. Callicotte and family of Stamford spent the day at the home of Ashel Arnold Sunday.

Misses Pearl Harwell and Ida Harwell, Oliver Tucker and Finnie Davis attended the singing at Weaver Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the party at the home of Horace Hood Saturday night. All reported a jolly time.

Dutch Campbell left Monday morning for his home at Paducah.

Sassy Tubby

Cotton 19c

Cotton reached the 19c mark here Monday, and several bales were sold on our streets at that price.

Get the Free Press prices before you place your order for job printing

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TO MEET AT O'BRIEN NOV. 17-19

The Haskell District Convention of Christian Endeavor will meet in O'Brien, November 17th, 18th, and 19th. There will be several men of state reputation including A. A. Hilde, field secretary of young peoples work of Texas, and Prof. R. H. Cornelius, the South's greatest soloist, and choir leader.

All the pastors and young people of the Christian Endeavor and B. Y. P. U. and Epworth League are most cordially invited to attend.

McGregor-Anderson

I. D. McGregor and Miss Hattie Anderson were married by Justice S. A. Hughes at the Court House at 5 o'clock Sunday evening. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John McGregor, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Anderson of Kirkdale. These young people have many friends who join the Free Press in wishing them much happiness and prosperity through life.

They will make their home in the Ballaw community.

Called to Temple

Adolf Nusbaum, and wife, of Roberts were called by wire this week to Temple, Texas, to attend the funeral services of their niece, Miss Albright, who was killed in an automobile accident at that place last Sunday.

Horse Dies on Road

The horse driven by V. H. Nelson, of Knox City, died near the home of S. W. Treat of the Whitman community Saturday. Mr. Nelson in company of Messrs. Lee, and Lu Vance, were on their way from Knox City to Haskell, when the horse became sick and died in a very short time. The young people came on to the city and telephoned their people who sent them other conveyance, and they returned home Sunday morning.

COTTONWOOD

Mrs. I. N. Furrh left Sunday morning to visit her mother at Saylesville, Texas.

I. N. Furrh and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tanner, and Elsie Mayfield motored to Haskell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Mayfield of Lake Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Mawfield Sunday.

Misses May and Eddie Raynes of near Weinert spent the day Sunday with the Misses Gardners.

The school building at Cottonwood will be completed soon.

Snooks

J. L. Wright Buys Farm

J. L. Wright, a farmer living a few miles south of town purchased a farm in the Rose community consisting of 150 acres of good land from T. E. Ballard last week. Mr. Wright has lived in Haskell county four years as a tenant farmer, and by good management and good judgment has laid by enough in these years to buy this splendid home.

CONSIDER---

What kind of goods do you want? Certainly you want good goods. It's the only kind that are worth what you pay for them. They're the only goods that are cheap.

Here we have the largest stock in Haskell. And it is a known fact that we sell good merchandise. It's a known fact that we stand behind every article we sell. Ask your neighbor—you have one that buys his goods here. And you can be sure that you can come here and be waited on by intelligent, accomodating clerks that have experience and know the goods that they are selling.

Here's Something Worth Thinking Over

This business is 25 years old. It is in the hands of real merchants, men who know that the business depends on, not one sale, but upon customers who will come back again and again. And to build a big business that will keep growing, they know that it must be done by selling good goods, and selling them at a profit. And if you buy good goods you'll forget the price of them before they are worn out.

It matters not to you, what we paid for our goods, whether we bought before the advance or not. What interests you is what they cost you. Let us say this,—we have bought better goods this year than ever before, where it was possible, and we have marked them in plain figures and according to what they cost us. We would ask you to look at ours and the other man's and then be your own judge.

We say it again---that the two greatest stepping stones to our success, are

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FARMERS STATE BANK, "Guaranty Fund Bank"

HOWARD

The mighty dusty in this part of world today. The wind has been blowing hard from the south for some time.

Most of the people are wanting it to stop so they can kill hogs.

There is no diptheria in our community, but right close to us in the Chappel community, there is one death, the little daughter of Mrs. Tom Watson.

Rev. Harrison who is teaching the school here was called to preach the funeral service of a baby at that city Friday.

Returned Sunday on the evening train.

Miss Olive and Bernice Burleson were visitors at the home of Mrs. Pauline Kathleen and Aubrey Marks Sunday afternoon.

Learn that Ivey McGregor of the community and Miss Hattie Anderson of Kirkdale were married Sunday.

Marvin Medford visited relatives in Kirkdale community Saturday night and Sunday. He was accompanied home by his cousins, Fred, Major, Lee and Miss Clemmie Howard. They have recently bought a Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Underwood visited friends in Munday Sunday. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Tipperary

PLEASANT VALLEY

Most everyone is through picking cotton.

Wheat is looking fine, especially that which was sown before the rain. We have had another wedding, thereby losing one of our most charming young ladies. Mr. Sim Lawler and Miss Velma Adams were married last Wednesday afternoon in Haskell. The bride was going to school here. After school dismissed Wednesday they went to the county

capitol and were married. They are making their home at Weinert, where the groom is employed. We extend them congratulations and best wishes.

The young people report having a fine time at the entertainment at H. B. Weaver's Saturday night.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday afternoon. Several visitors were present from Cottonwood. Among them were Messrs. Brown, and Matherson, Misses Brown, Mathison and Roberts. Come again.

Singing at Mr. Ashley's Sunday night. We had a very pleasant time.

The school here is doing very nicely and the enrollment is steadily increasing.

Pat

Poultry and hides—The Sherrill Elevator Company will pay highest market price at all times for your produce. See us. tf

KIRKDALE

Health is fine in this community at present.

Mrs. Reese of Upton county is visiting Mrs. I. J. Leonard.

Henry Mapes and family spent the night at J. W. Atchison's.

Several of the boys from Roberts took dinner with Clarence Atchison Sunday.

Charley Reed came in with a bunch of horses from Upton county Saturday.

Misses Tillie Atchison, Stella Otta, Lola and Ollie Hallmark, and Messrs Charley King and Ivy Lewellen took dinner with Bill and Mamie Caloway Sunday.

Fred

BRUSHEY

We have had fine weather for cotton picking here of late.

A. J. Smith left Sunday for Gatesville to visit his daughter, and to attend to some business matters.

A. A. Burdette, and family spent Sunday and Monday in Haskell.

Lon Smith and Miss Vera Sargent were married by Rev. Little at the home of Loss Chamberlain Sunday evening. They are popular young people and have a host of friends who wish them much happiness.

Dave Routon and wife spent Sunday with Pleas Routon and family.

Lon Smith and wife visited the family of J. L. Claud of Goree, Tuesday.

Quite a number of young people gathered at the home of D. R. Poer's Sunday afternoon and report a good time.

Miss Ethel Chamberlain returned from Mineral Wells this week where she has been for her health.

The following were the guests at the home of A. J. Smith Sunday: Fayette Chamberlain and wife, Lon Smith and wife, P. H. Routon and Mr. Irick and little son.

Nell Chamberlain, and Travis Irick called at the home of Dan Chamber-

lain Sunday afternoon.

Bessie Smith took dinner with Nell Chamberlain Sunday.

Carrie Poer spent Saturday night with Ruth Cook.

Mrs. J. P. Rowton has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. A. J. Smith spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. P. M. Routon.

Red Wing

Breaks High Price Record

W. E. Pitman sold a bale of cotton and the seed for the neat sum of \$150.40 last week, and so far as we have been able to learn, this is the record breaker.

Edwin M. Johnson of Wichita Falls Inspector, and E. W. Minter of Dallas, State Manager of the Nelson Loan Co., of which Clyde F. Elkins is local agent were in town this week.

E. J. Pope, Commercial agent of the Katy System, was in our city Wednesday.

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Rochester

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THE TWINS
By FANNY GRAY.

Stas Stone, sitting his solitary
father, when the third child had been
born. His wife, Mary, had driven
over to the next town to stay a day or
two and help settle up the affairs of a
cousin who had died the week before,
leaving twin babies, as was the old
law, and always had a shift-
less man and seemed, of course, less
resourceful in his hour of grief than
ever before.

Stas was not enjoying his supper.
He and Mary were very fond of each
other, and when had come to be sepa-
rated, and he missed her. They had
been married ten years and had no
children, which was a great disappoint-
ment to both of them. Now that it
seemed likely that they would always
have to be denied the joys of parenth-
ood, they seldom spoke of it.

So, as Stas rose from the table and
took his pipe out on the steps while
supper was being cleared away, he was
drinking a little bitterly of the unkind
fate that had bestowed twins upon a
couple who couldn't provide and then
took away the mother.

He wondered how Mary was mak-
ing out, and he pictured her playing
mother to the babies. How he wished
he dared propose to her that they
adopt a child! He secretly had want-
ed it for some time, but Mary well,
he feared she would not see much
about her child, that wasn't her own.
Many a time he had tried to talk about
it with her, but somehow the words
stuck in his throat.

How little we sometimes know of the
thoughts and visions of those nearest
and dearest to us! The Stas was
sitting smoking his lonely pipe that
summer evening Mary was rocking the
twins to sleep, one against each arm,
looking and feeling very motherly and
happy. As the chair swung back and
forth, and she sang softly a little lulla-
by, she was thinking of her own child-
lessness and the rift it was making in
her life.

She reflected that undoubtedly Stas
didn't care so much, "being a man,"
and that he didn't appreciate how she
longed for a little baby to love and do
for. It seemed to her she just couldn't
go on any longer without one. If he
only would be willing for her to take
one and keep it," she thought. "But,
then, I suppose he couldn't enjoy hav-
ing a child around that wasn't his own.
I can't blame him."

As she rocked and sang and looked
at the sleeping babies, an idea popped
into her head, so daring that it almost
made her heart stop beating. Suppose
they were to adopt the twins! Poor
little things! They were good stock
and related to them, and it would be
a mercy now the mother was gone.
But twins! Stas would never consent!

Mary's idea took root, however, and
grew rapidly. The next day she dis-
continued her efforts to find a house-
keeper and waited for Stas, who was
to drive over in the afternoon and see
if she was ready to go home. When
he came, she somewhat timidly sug-
gested that, as she had been unable
to find a responsible person, they
should take the babies home with them
for a week or so, while she looked
around at home.

What a man! Stas was astonished, and ad-
miring her for her self-sacrifice, agreed
on the condition of her cautioning her
not to father herself. And his interest
in the twins grew every minute.

"As the days passed Mary seemed
very busy in her home, and Stas ob-
served that she was not exerting her-
self to find the much-talked-of house-
keeper. He was secretly delighted for
the babies were winning themselves
around his heart. Often and often he
watched Mary as she tended them, and
the same thoughts that were in her
mind grew up in his. He would like
to keep the twins! But what would
Mary think?"

One evening, after the babies had
been put to bed, Stas and Mary were
sitting on the porch, a little busy-
body of a neighbor ran in for a chat.
Finally, the visitor, who was nothing
if not frank, suddenly popped up:
"Suppose you know everybody says
you're going to adopt those young ones.
I told my husband I just didn't believe
it, and when I came over here I was
going to ask you outright. It ain't so,
is it?"

There was silence for a moment,
then Mary spoke, rather tremblingly
at first, but gathering courage as she
went on. "Yes, we've about decided.
I've wanted for a long time to take
a child, and this seems a special op-
portunity, being relatives and all—the
father is willing."

She glanced timidly at her husband,
but she could scarcely see his face in
the gathering darkness. "What would
he say or do? Had she risked too
much? Her heart seemed to stand
still. At last he spoke.

"Sure we're going to keep them. We
intended that, risk along, after their
mother died. But things like that can't
be decided offhand."

The gossiping neighbor hurried away
to spread the news, and the husband
and wife sat alone on the porch. After
a little Stas rose and went around
to Mary's chair and took her hand
graciously in his. She lifted her face to
his, and he kissed her. Children had
not been as frequent as usual with
them of late.

Meantime, the neighbor, having
stopped in at the next house, was say-
ing: "Well, it's good 'n' right. Every
one can have one to fuss over."

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Rule

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Sagerton

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Weinert

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The State of Texas, County of Has- kell, containing three copies is a true and correct list of all lands, lots, or parcels of lands returned delin- quent for taxes since the first day of January, 1915, situated in Haskell County, Texas, which has not been re- deemed, and on which the taxes for the year 1915 have not been paid, and same are delinquent as therein stated and specified as shown by the record of the Tax Collector's office of Has- kell County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 16th day of May, 1915.

H. H. Langford
Tax Collector of Haskell County, Tex

Table with columns for names, addresses, and other details. Includes entries like '1012 E. M. Hagan', '1018 L. K. Abston', '1019 R. J. Suggs', etc.

Hastell

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Haskell Concert Band
Did you hear them Tuesday night? Did you like the music? Do you wish them well? Well, if you liked the music, you wish them well, what are you going to do about it? Remember, house rent, lights and coal to keep the band going, and, too, half of the band are boys who are not drawing a salary. If you are interested in a better band for the town, would you assist these boys? It has been said that the band would amount to anything. A greater amount could not be made than to this statement. This band has succeeded, yet, you can help on success by a liberal donation. Our payments must be paid for, and we have additional music. When we are approached, don't say "I'll be later." You might go blind. Yours for a good band,
Jno. D. White
Business Manager

Magazine Club
Magazine Club met at the hour in the club room. After the business session the meeting turned over to the teacher, Hollis Fields. The following were on the program and all read their parts in a very pleasant manner:
"Effect on Brazil of Portugal's

B. W. M. W.
A large crowd of B. W. M. W. members met Monday, November 6th, at the pastor's home in a business meeting. A motion carried to meet with sister Groom indefinitely. It was decided that we have our bazaar the 8th and 9th of December. Some good reports were made concerning same, and we hope to make this one of the very best bazaars ever held in Haskell.
The parliamentary drill was given in a very instructive manner, and all pronounced Mrs. Tucker a splendid parliamentarian.
We were glad to add Mrs. Waldrop to our membership.
Press Reporter

If you want to sell your land, see me at once. I am co-operating with live agents from other states who are bringing buyers to Texas. This class buys land. Henry Johnson, Haskell, Texas.
Subject to Spain"—Mrs. H. E. Fields.
"Restoration of Portugal's Independence, and Expulsion of the Dutch from Brazil"—Mrs. Wilson.
"Agriculture and Mining in Colonial Brazil"—Mrs. Patterson.
Reporter

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Public Take Notice
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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gruesendorf left Wednesday night for the Cotton Palace.

H. E. Bell and son, left Wednesday for Temple to visit relatives.

Mrs. Howe Bradshaw and children, after a visit with relatives, J. B. Cox and family left Wednesday for their home at Hico.

Cheap Money
On good improved land. Large loans preferred. Lowest rate of interest ever known in this territory. Twenty-five years here in the business. Write us.
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District Managers, Abilene, Texas.

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Mules For Sale

L. J. Kellum will have at his barn a car load of good choice 3 and 4 year old mules. They will average from 15 to 16 hands. Will offer for sale to the farmers for cash or fall time. If you want some good stock call and see him.

For Sale:—80 acres one half mile of Buller school house, north of Haskell. 65 acres incultivation, pasture, eastern, four room boxed house. Price \$27.50 per acre. Terms, Clay Kimbrough. 46-3tc

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

L. J. Kellum returned Thursday from South Texas, where he had been selling horses.

W. H. Starr returned Wednesday from Fort Worth.

T. C. Williams and H. H. Langford went up to Welnert on the morning train Thursday.

Messrs. Hayton, Couch and Lydrick of Anthony, Texas, were prospecting in our county this week.

B. A. Glascock is on the sick list this week.

Judge King and Mrs. Reynolds and daughter were here from Throckmorton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard left Wednesday night for a visit to the Cotton Palace at Waco.

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 E. W. GROVE. 25c.

For Sale:—Horse, buggy and harness, cheap. Wm. Groom, phone 58.

If you wish to buy a farm, ranch or business property, I always have some bargains on my list. Henry Johnson, Haskell, Texas. 42-tf

J. S. Abernathy and family of O'Brien were shopping in the city Thursday.

N. H. Quillen, of Dallas, has moved his family to Haskell county. Mr. Quillen owns a farm in Gauntt community, and will build a new residence on his property about the first of the year.

Miss Ella Rhea DeBard and Mrs. Phillips have returned from Asheville, North Carolina.

For Sale:—Eight head of mules for sale. See Lynn Parce 46-2tp

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rutland Wednesday, November 8, a boy.

Lynn Pace returned Saturday from a four days stay in Ft. Worth.

The little girl of Will Pope, about three miles south of town, which has diphtheria is reported to be almost recovered.

BAPTIST CHURCH BEING TORN DOWN

The old Baptist Church building is being torn down this week to make room for the new. J. N. McFatter and a force of carpenters commenced work Monday, and will probably finish with their work sometime next week.

Has Chalmers Agency
Lynn Pace has secured the agency for the Chalmers car for Haskell county. He brought up from Stamford Wednesday, a new car which he will use as a demonstrator. Mr. Pace will use the old Mask

MYERS SCHOOL HOUSE NEARING COMPLETION

W. M. Myers was in the city Thursday and reports the work of erecting the new Myers school building almost complete, and that school will probably begin Monday morning. Prof. E. J. Spurgeon, of Mineral Wells will teach the school the ensuing term.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Your druggist will refund money if PAIN-OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. 50c.
Garage on Depot street to store stock. Fords and Chalmers cars.

Automobile Parade and Show

Automobile Dealers may enter parade and show by registering at County Treasurers office and paying \$5.00 for one car and \$2.50 for each additional car. This will be a splendid opportunity to show the people the good points of your car.

The merchants may enter cars or floats for the same price. All private owners of cars in Haskell, Haskell county, and all surrounding towns may enter the parade free if your car is decorated. Everyone is urged to enter this parade.

Merchant's Dollar Day

The Merchants of Haskell will offer unusually good values for \$1.00 on this day. Watch paper next week for lists.

Flower Show FREE

A Flower Show will be held in the Wells Furniture Store FREE. Beautiful pot plants and cut flowers will be on display and sale. Everyone having flowers are urged to enter them.

Haskell, Texas November 25

BARGAIN IN A FARM

300 acres 7 miles S. E. Haskell, all fine deep soil; 130 acres in cultivation, good house, cistern and tank; fine grass and on public road. Possession given. This is our best bargain at only \$25.00 per acre. \$2300.00 Cash, balance all time needed. See us at once as this will go at this price.

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MONEY SAVED IS MONEY MADE

Had it ever occurred to you that your old furniture can be completely rebuilt and refinished so that its appearance and lasting qualities will be all that of new furniture, at a saving of from

40 to 75 per cent

The truthfulness of this statement is verified by many satisfied customers who have given me their work.

If your DRESSER, WASHSTAND, WARDROBE, Etc. needs changing or refinishing, I am sure I can please you in the work.

It is also a fact that many OUT OF DATE SIDEBOARDS can be worked into beautiful BUFFETTES. On this work I can save you an average of 60 per cent.

TRY IT OUT AND BE CONVINCED

Fred C. Mendeck,

Cabinet Maker and Wood Finisher
Shop in Adam's Old Studio Building. Haskell, Texas.

A WILD STAMPEDE OF HUMAITY

Took place last Saturday at the HUNT STORES. Haskell County never before saw the like. Our extra sales people were unable to cope with the constant sea of humanity that jammed the stores.

NEW GOODS WILL BE PUT OUT DAILY TO KEEP UP INTEREST IN THIS GREAT SALE

GINGHAMS 9c	DARK OUTING 9c	WOOL DRESS SKIRTS Values up to \$12.50 \$1.98	COTTON CHECKS 5c	MEN'S BLUE WORK SHIRTS 49c	LADIES MILLINERY up to \$7.50, now \$3.69
SILK TOP COMFORTS Pure White Cotton Filling \$3.79	WOOL CAPS Large line, 75c values 59c	FANCY STETSON HATS \$3.69	BOY'S HEAVY WOOL OVERCOATS \$3.98	BEST OVERALLS \$1.09	MEN'S SUITS, PRICED \$30.00 NOW \$14.98
MACKINAWS In a large range of patterns Just come in. On sale	LADIES VESTS Pants and Union Suits Priced very low PRICED	MEN'S HEAVY OVERCOATS. New lot, very low	BOY'S CLOTHING All sizes 1.98 to \$7.48	HEAVY GRADE COTTON FLANEL 9c	BOY'S PANTS One lot 6 to 10 years 45c

HUNT'S STORE NO. 1

All Records Broken

NEW BARGAINS DAILY

New Goods Opened Daily

Never in the history of our business has such tremendous crowds attended a sale as they have at this great event---Never before have such remarkable bargains been offered the buying public. Don't wait another minute, but attend these great sales at once.

Its The Greatest Bargain Carnival Haskell County Has Ever Known

COMFORTS 98c	GINGHAMS 9c	OUTING 9c	MEN'S ALL-WOOL SWEATERS 98c	BOY'S WOOL PANTS 48c	COTTON CHECKS 5c
HEAVY WOOL SHIRTS \$1.49	LADIES COAT SUITS \$4.98	MEN'S HATS \$1.50 to \$2.50 98c	LARGE LINE SUSINE SILKS. 25c to 30c value 15c	BRAN NEW OVERCOATS \$12.50 value \$8.98	CHILDREN' SHOES Value up to \$2.25, now \$1.59
HEAVY WORK PANTS LARGE SIZES ONLY 69c	LADIES SKIRTS \$2.69	MEN'S \$3.00 HATS \$1.98	CHILDREN'S HOSE Largest Line in Haskell 9 - 13 - 21c	MEN'S WORK SHOES \$1.98	LADIES \$12.50 COATS \$7.95

HUNT'S STORE NO. 2

HOLIDAYS ARE HAPPY DAYS

Kind words, deeds, visits and tokens of remembrance are recalled from Christmas to Christmas and from year to year.

Xmas the great ancient and modern gift giving occasion is very near. Gifts are greatly appreciated and are accepted as tokens of sincere love and true friendship. A real gift should be additional to actual necessities. You owe these, and real gifts are expected. You can't afford to be grouchy or short, deny or disappoint. Make others happy and you'll be happy. With each holiday comes a great increased demand for Jewelry. Diamonds, Cut Glass, Silverware, Hand Painted China, Parisian Ivory, Watches, Clocks Etc.

For this reason and for this purpose we are here with the largest up-to-date stock of the above lines in Haskell county. We thoroughly understand the Jewelry business. We have made it a specialty for quite a number of years, and absolutely guarantee every article we sell. What we say it is, it is. We back up our guarantee. We do not resort to exaggerations or deceptions. Guarantee quality and price. We pack, box and mail articles when desired. We will deliver packages to any Xmas tree in the city free. We will upon a small deposit put away any article in the store 'till Christmas. Jewelry bought here will be engraved free. We will be open evenings until Christmas

Don't wait until the rush is on, come early. Able man at the bench to do your repairing.

We have Optical Parlor in rear and make a specialty of fitting glasses for all errors of refraction, for all ages.

MARK KELLY Watchmaker **A. F. WOODS JEWELRY STORE** A. F. WOODS Doctor of Optics

SAYLES

The weather has been fine the past week. Everybody have out about all their cotton.

Will Mercer, from Stamford spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother, R. E. Mercer.

The singing at J. A. Hooten's was

CHICHESTER PILLS

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Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.
LADIES! Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in RED and GOLD metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
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J. A. TUTEN

enjoyed by all present Sunday afternoon.

Will Bland and family and mother visited J. W. Linley of Bunker Hill Sunday.

Miss Virgil Johnson was in Haskell shopping Saturday afternoon.

Henry Jeter and family from Center Point visited A. L. Bland Sunday.

John Hooten and family from Seymour have been spending a few days with Mr. Hooten's father, J. A. Hooten.

John Kirby and family from Rose spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. H. D. Bland.

Our teacher, Miss Maggie Holloway spent from Tuesday until Sunday with Mrs. W. E. Johnson. We are glad she was in our community, as she met lots of the people before school started.

Mrs. Melton was in Stamford shopping Saturday.

M. H. Guinn and family visited relatives near Rule Sunday.

Prof. Mansfield is still in our community.

The Wonder

Nothing Very Serious.

Mrs. Casey—"Och, Pat, whin the dochter told yez ye had something wid a Latin name to it a yar-rd long, it didn't scare yez?" Casey—"Faith it did. Norah, darlint. But whin he only charged me a dollar, Oi knew it didn't amount to much."

SHOULD SELECT STANDARD SEED

Secretary Harry Hickman of the Galveston Cotton Exchange yesterday received a letter from Columbus, giving further particulars regarding the cotton on twenty-eight acres of land described recently by a dispatch to the News several days ago. The results obtained were on a farm near Columbus and are attributed largely to the selection of the seed. In President I. H. Kempner of the Cotton Exchange yesterday said there are twenty standard varieties of cotton seed available to all farmers at small expense. He mentioned the fact a farmer near Eagle Lake picked 15 bales of cotton from eight acres of ground this season.

The following extract from President Kempner's annual report, made some time ago, sets forth the necessity of proper seed selection if the superiority of Texas cotton is to be maintained.

"Among the other fields of activity which should engage our attention is one dealing with the tendency constantly cropping out in Texas to plant inferior cotton seed. For many years the reputation for quality of Texas cotton has been such as to induce those spinners who had studied the real spinning value of cotton, to require Texas cotton in all of their purchases. There have been evidences in many quarters of a willingness on the part of the growers of cotton to forego this enormous advantage for the ephemeral promises of better production of lint cotton to the ton of seed, without realizing that even if such an advantage accrued, it would be more than offset by the discrimination which mills would have to make against cotton of inferior spinning quality. The soil and climatic conditions of Texas afford us the advantage of producing the best character of cotton grown anywhere, taken as a whole, provided only proper care is taken in the selection of the seed. To lose this reputation will be losing a distinct advantage in the cotton spinning world in marketing our product, and would be a distinct loss, above all, to the farming class of the state.

"This exchange should address itself vigorously to impressing upon the producers of cotton the importance of conserving the reputation of the quality of the Texas cotton, and the folly of seeking any temporary advantage by planting short lint, undesirable cotton. This exchange should further show its deep interest in the farming class in Texas by urging upon them in ever way the importance of diversification of their crops, to the end that no overproduction of cotton will take place; that the producer of cotton, may, by his own efforts be independent of combinations of spinners, or other untoward conditions entering into the price of cotton. Cotton exchanges have acquired, unjustly the reputation of being diametrically opposed in their interests and aims to the interests of the farmer and producer, and everything we can consistently do to overcome this prejudice and show our real interest in the prosperity and welfare of the farming interests should be advanced by us with constant effort and energy—Galveston News.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Patterson Thursday, November 9, a girl.

Get on the Firing Line



If you want to succeed in life you must know what is new in business and industry, in invention and science. Get out of the rut; get on the firing line. Read Popular Science Monthly

the most interesting and useful magazine, and the biggest money's worth. Every month 300 Pictures—300 Articles all for only 15 cents. All the new ideas and inventions in electricity and wireless, in automobiles and aeroplanes, in shopwork and in farming, and in machinery. How to make things at home. So passes every month, including refrigerators, poultry houses, furniture, automobile shop repairs, etc. It is full of money-making, step-saving ideas. It is written in plain English for men and boys. 15 Cents a Copy—\$1.50 a Year. Get it from a newsdealer or write direct to Popular Science Monthly, 236 Fourth Ave., N.Y. FREE! Get a copy free if you send 2c stamp for postage and mention this paper.

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H. K. Fry went to Seymour Friday morning.

HIGH SCHOOL LADS LOSE FOOTBALL GAME

Haskell High School boys lost a hard fought foot ball game last Saturday to Throckmorton High School boys. The score was 6 to 0.

Result by quarters:
1st quarter:—Throckmorton kick off. Ball downed on 25 yard line. Throckmorton made a touchdown.

2nd quarter:—Neither side scored.
3rd quarter:—Neither side scored.
4th quarter:—Neither side scored.
The Haskell line up was as follows: Center, John Brock; Right Guard, Ted Alexander; Left Guard, Wm. Sherrill; Right Tackle, Billy Neathery; Left Tackle, Monroe McConnell; Right End, Malone Ewing; Left End, Peck Williams; Q. Back, Ralph Stewart; Full Back, Roy Stewart; B. Half Back, Lowell Robertson; L. Half Back, Bud Whatley.

FOUR YEAR OLD CHILD SERIOUSLY BURNED

The little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cagle of the Foster community was seriously burned about the neck and shoulders early Thursday morning. Mrs. Cagle was preparing the breakfast meal when the drum fell from the stove pipe, knocking over a pan of hot grease on the child, who was sitting near the stove.

J. R. Johnson brought the parents and child to Haskell in his auto for medical treatment.

SYMPHONY CLUB

The Syphony Club met in regular session on November 8th, 1916, at the Club room, at 3:30 o'clock.

After a business session, the following program was rendered:

Piano Solo, "Invitation to the Dance" (Von Weber) by Mrs. O. E. Patterson.

Piano Duett, "Waltz Song" from Faust, by Mesdames Patterson and Cogdell.

Piano Solo, "Waltz" (Chopin) by Miss Ruth Waldron.

The lesson on the Waltz was made very interesting by Mrs. O. E. Patterson as teacher.

Reporter.

NEEDMOUR

The health of this community is very good at present.

Miss Eva Hicks visited the Misses Arrilla and Belle Carver Monday.

Forty-six people from O'Brien attended the San Angelo fair last week.

A. E. Blair made a business trip to Weinert Monday.

Mr. Day and wife visited Mrs. Pounds Sunday.

Lloyd Brown went to Knox City Saturday on business.

J. H. Rutledge sold his cotton crop to Mr. King last week.

Texas Kid

G. W. Howell left for a fw days stay at Seymour Friday.

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Step into our store and give us the opportunity of showing that class alone will measure up to your expectations.

Also a fine line of heaters of the same make.

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If you don't like the appearance of your house, let us show you how to make it modern and attractive. You will be surprised to see what a big difference a few small changes will make.

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Proper remodeling and repairs greatly increase the value of your property. We can furnish you good practical ideas for repairing and modernizing all types of buildings, whether for town or farm.

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