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The HASKELL FREE PRESS

Scribner-Jasper

J. C. Scribner and Miss Artie Jasper were married by Rev. Ben F. Roberts Sunday at 3 p. m. at the home of Mr. Watson in the Foster community. The happy couple have a host of friends who join the Free Press in wishing them much joy through life. They will make their home in the Foster community, where they have both resided for some time.

Needs Human Sympathy.

The Eldorado Times moves that a few kind words be strewn in the path of the man whose wife is squaring up a lot of social obligations by giving a series of parties.—Kansas City Star

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE DOUGLAS COMMUNITY

Several are reported on the sick list this week. Among them are Mrs. T. L. Green, Mrs. T. L. Mayes, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Earles and the Yeatts children.

Miss Golda Smith spent the week-end with Miss Bertha Smith of the Roberts community.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Baker and family of Haskell spent Sunday afternoon at the Yeatts home.

Miss Thelma Stanford and several girls from Roberts visited Miss Golda Smith Sunday afternoon.

Among those in the city Saturday were, T. L. Green, T. L. Mayes, Cletus Yeatts and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Barton.

Elmo, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Buchanan, who has had whooping cough, is reported about well again.

Mrs. Jack Medford of the Howard community visited her mother, Mrs. Green Sunday night.

Most of the farmers are making preparation for a new crop most everyone being through sowing their spring grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hunt of Haskell visited their daughter, Mrs. William Green this week.

The little Hunt girls visited Velma and Mary Lily Howard Sunday.

Reporter.

Cement for China.

Mix a cupful of milk with a cupful of vinegar; separate curd from whey with the whites of five eggs, beating the whole thoroughly together. When it is well mixed sift in a little quicklime and stir until it is of the consistency of thick paste. With this broken china, glass and cracks of all kinds may be mended. It dries quickly and resists the action of water and heat.

Strange Animals.

Those quaint box hedges, which are sometimes seen nowadays in the British Isles, cut out on the top into curious little shapes of birds and animals are of exceedingly ancient lineage. Pliny the Younger in describing the garden of one of his villas mentions "animals in box, facing each other, and this was perhaps in about the year 100 A. D.

QUEER LITTLE YAP

Odd Customs on Small Island, Now American.

Peculiar Currency System Would Seem to Have Some Disadvantages—Religious Rites Observed by Parties of Fishermen.

The island of Yap isn't such a yap place, after all.

Returned travelers from the South seas give illuminating details of life on the queer little island which even President Wilson hadn't heard of until the Paris conference decided that America ought to get something out of the war—and generously gave us Yap.

If America's would-be czars should adopt the well-known Russian plan of using Yap as a "Siberia"—as suggested the other day by a senator, who got a big laugh for his idea—here are some strongly American customs with a Malayan twist that deported persons would find in operation there:

Money as big as cartwheels "not only," but considerably bigger—huge stone dollars from two to twelve feet across!

Bachelor's club houses occupied by the entire male population on certain occasions, women being entirely excluded.

A social order, consisting of four castes—magicians, impoverished aristocrats, rich men and the populace.

A religion that includes a god, Luk, who protects thieves and swindlers.

A language that would delight a diplomat or a blushing maiden, having nearly 40 different ways of saying "No."

The two great products of Yap are coconuts and typhoons. The typhoons save the natives the trouble of picking the coconuts. It is precisely in that quarter of the Pacific that the worst storms on earth are born, and from July to December the weather would delight Professor Porta.

Gold or silver money has no more value in Yap than bolshevik rubles have here. The Yaps have such faith in human nature that they have devised a coin nobody can lift. A small coin is a disk of granite two feet across and six inches thick, with a hole in the middle.

A large coin is two fathoms across and two feet thick. Rich people in Yap simply pile their money in the front yard or lean it against the side of the house, which saves them the trouble of showing off by elaborate dress or other indirect methods. It also gives full publicity to all cash transactions.

For "chicken feed" they use large pairs of oyster shells and hundred-pound sacks of copra. To "pass the plate" in a Yap church you have to use a moving van.

Americans who oppose foreign entanglements may take comfort from the fact that the word "Yap" originally meant "foreigner." The early Yaps were great traders and voyagers around the South seas. In other words, foreigners are Yaps—the same old story.

Today the Yaps fish religiously. Before every fishing party the men are obliged to leave their wives and spend four days in the club houses, which are large stone mansions.

After the first successful catch, the men come ashore and everybody takes a pull at the fermented juice of the green coconut. This is dubbed a religious rite, and the women have to keep quiet about it or get cussed by the gods—an idea which should interest Americans who are still fond of little fishing parties.

When a Yap gentleman wishes to steal he prays to Luk. Luk keeps other people from looking. If the thief gets caught anyhow, he simply decides that Luk must have been too busy to hear his prayer, and hopes for better Luk next time.

For the rest of it, Yap is 35 miles long and five broad, surrounded by a coral reef, has hills 1,000 feet high, runs out of water whenever it falls to rain for a week, has five smaller islands near it, grows yams and tropical fruits, but not rice, and contains some 10,000 natives of the Malay race, whose language, curiously enough, shows a basic relation to Sanskrit. And it's ours, every bit of it.

Photography From the Air.

In Tasmania photographic enterprise has taken on a new form. A Tasmanian photographer, determined to outdo his rivals in getting pictures of the most picturesque state in the commonwealth, chartered a recently imported airplane, went aloft, and obtained magnificent views. These were exhibited in his shop window, sold like hot cakes, and amply rewarded him for his enterprise. The cinematograph man will now be put upon his mettle and the picture shows, no doubt, will soon be showing their audiences moving scenic pictures of surprising range and beauty. In time pictures taken from the airplane will probably be used to instruct children a geog.

Mrs. W. B. Reid was a Wichita Falls visitor one day last week.

Good News for the Captives

Spring is here. Mr. Ground Hog was on to his job.

So were we, for we have already received our Big Stock of Spring Goods.

Smart Spring Styles for the Ladies ready-to-wear garments are the predominate feature of our Ladies Ready-to-Wear Department. The designers have created for this season's wear styles of surpassing beauty and individuality. Each model stands out in bold relief, as a Masterpiece by a real Master Tailor.

You can not find a more comprehensive range of Styles, materials, and reasonable prices if you look the State over for it. If you buy one of these superb garments from us, you are conscious of the fact that you have the right thing at the right price, for they are the last word in Style Craft.

Our Silk Department is full of the newest designs in woven silks. A handsome range of patterns for you to select your Spring Dress. Also a handsome line of Shirting Silks, and Crepe de Chine, suitable for Men's Shirts and Blouses.

John B. Stetson Hats Have Arrived

Yes, our big Spring line of Stetson hats have been received, and they are gems of beauty. We have one suitable for every complexion and face; so you can get just what you want.

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SLAT'S DIARY

Friday—It is 10 o'clock tonight & ma jus called up the stores & ast me was I in bed yet & I sed Yes I yam but I aint I am writing in my diary. I dont often tell stories but I got 2 rite this at nite or I mite for Get it by tomorro besides it is Saturday on tomorro & us kids me & Jake is figgering on having a lots of fun. If it dont rane which it mibly will. It most all ways does on Saturdays when they arent no skool.

Saturday—ma went a shopping at the store today & this evening whilst we was eating at the Supper tabul a box cum for ma. Pa ast her what was it & she sed it is a new suit for her. She unrapt it & sed issent it a bewty pa. Pa ast what did she put up for it. She sed it was marked down & only setter bayk 96.89. Pa got pale & ma sed never mind I had it charged I gess it mus of been charged heavy for it has gave pa a awful shock. He confest it was very nice.

Sunday—This was a awful cold day & I diddnt want 2 go 2 church but I did. The preacher preeched a very appropriate sermon which made me satisfide with cold wether & pa 2.

Monday—Pug Stevens give Jane a all day sucker today. I hate that kid. After skool I called hi ma lying sneek & coward & a black leg & a bonheaded dunkey & lots of ugly names & wood of sed more but ma jerked me away from the telephone. Slapped me on the ear 2.

Tuesday—I rote a pome 2 Jane today. It went like this. You made me what I yam today. I hope yure satisfide. If Pug tells enny thing on me, I'll say to you he lied. She rote back 2 me & sed. The Kerfue toles the Nell of parting day. When you and me must each I go are way. Dont think that Pug can ever hold 2 me. For with you deer he's not as 1 to 3. I went home & laundried my neck & Ears. With sope.

Wednesday—Pa came hame this evening & he was dirty & his pance was tore and his hat busted and his nose had been a bleeding. He looked like the day after the forth of July. Ma sed for Heven sake what has come over you & pa sed. Nothing only my ford.

Thursday—Jake had a birth day 2

day & I ast him why he aeks so smart. He replied & sed. This is my birth day. I have waited all my life 2 be this age.

Picturesque New Zealand.

New Zealand is a land of mountains, gorges, rivers and fjords. The higher peaks of the south island are eternally snow capped and the glaciers of its southern Alps rival those of Switzerland. The surrounding seas are too cold for corals. Among the mountains of the north island volcanic fires are still active and the geysers and hot springs are little less impressive than those of the Yellowstone park.

J. W. Davenport

J. W. Davenport passed away at his home in the Rose community Thursday February 19th. The funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. Seal, Interment in Willow Cemetery. Mr. Davenport taught the Rose school until his failing health made it necessary to resign a few months ago. He leaves a wife and one child to mourn his loss. The Free Press joins the many friends in extending sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

This Medicine Recommended by a Doctor



When a doctor uses a medicine himself besides prescribing it to his patients, he must know that it has merit.

This is what Dr. J. H. Wagner, a prominent physician of White, Kentucky, has to say about Dr. Hartman's well-known remedy, PE-RU-NA: "I have used PE-RU-NA myself for catarrh and have given it to others for catarrh, blotting ulcer eating and other ailments. It has proved a success in all cases with old and young men and women. All speak well of PE-RU-NA. It is the best of all tonics."

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FORDSON TRACTORS

The big crop has required so much time to gather that farmers generally are behind with their plowing, and as a result the work necessary to put land in condition for another crop will require speeding up as much as possible. The high prices prevailing now and promising to continue for some time at least, make it all the more important that farmers take advantage of every available help possible. This is where the tractor comes to your relief. It is an economical power. You can use it now for flat breaking or for listing, later for planting and cultivating, and with some of the crops for harvesting. Why not get one now while you are able and in time to help you along with another big crop at high prices. Let us furnish you a tractor with a plow, tandem harrow, and lister. If you handle them properly they will make you money. We have already furnished a number of these. Here ready for you now.

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Trade with us. We will both profit by the transaction.

Grissom's

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The Hair That Titian Loved.
Red-haired people are generally supposed to be hot tempered. They are inclined to be hasty, but are never vindictive. This quickness of temper is due to impulsiveness and a love of speaking out what they have in mind. They are usually of a sunny disposition and are honest and truthful, but rather vain and eager for admiration.

Greedy for Wasps.
The common green frog has been discovered to possess an insatiable greed for wasps. This extraordinary appetite does not seem to be in the least checked by an occasional sting. The protecting color of the frog, which lies motionless upon leaves, no doubt deceives the most wary of insects into sense of security.

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The Business Part.
A dog had bitten a child in our neighborhood, and we were discussing the incident. One neighbor informed us that the dog was part poodle and part bull. Frank, who had listened eagerly to the conversation, turned to his mother and asked: "Mother, which part bit him?"—Exchange.

He's Lucky at That.
My youngest boy and I were in a restaurant and the waiter asked what we would have. The boy said: "Anything but ham and eggs; that's all I ever get at home."—Chicago Tribune.



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HASKELL DOCTOR PRESCRIBES IT

Says He Has Never Known Medicine To Produce Results Like Taulac

B. H. Elder, M. D. with offices at 410 Schradzke Building, Peoria, Illinois, comes out with his unqualified endorsement of Taulac.

Dr. Elder graduated from Butler University of Indianapolis, Ind., later took a post graduate course at Rush College, Chicago, and has also studied abroad.

He has been in active practice over forty years—twenty-five years in Peoria, and is one of the best known physicians of that city.

"So far as my knowledge goes," said Dr. Elder, in an interview recently, "medical science has never produced a medicine that brings results like Taulac. It is altogether too good to keep from suffering humanity and I have been prescribing it in my practice for some time with remarkable results.

"For years I had suffered from stomach trouble and rheumatism and had devoted my best thought trying to find relief, but all to no avail. Right after eating gas would form in my stomach and affect my heart causing poor circulation, cold hands and feet, dizzy spells, spots before my eyes, peculiar feelings, terrible headaches, and cramps in my stomach. The rheumatism was the kind that is caused by uric acid deposits in the blood, which find their way into the joints, and the pain was so great I could hardly stand to move my legs and arms.

"No, it's no surprise that I devoted lots of time and thought, using all my powers, trying to free myself of these troubles. But nothing I ever found until I got Taulac afforded me more than a little temporary relief. And here is how I found out the powers of Taulac: I had a patient who had suffered for years with the same kind of troubles and while I did all I could for him, the same as for myself, he failed to improve any. Well, this party came to my office one day, after having been away for about six months and I never in all my life saw a man look in better health or seem to feel better. While sitting here in my office he told me Taulac was what brought about the wonderful change. I could not doubt it, for I knew what an awful condition he had been in, and I made up my mind then and there to try Taulac in my own case. So I did and the results are that a few bottles relieved me entirely of stomach trouble and rheumatism and all my other ailments as well. I am an extra hearty eater, especially of meats and such foods as often produce bad effects, but none of these things disagree with me any more. So now, as I have discovered the value of Taulac I am ready to honor it as one of the most beneficial of all medicines. I have prescribed it, in cases of rheumatism, kidney and bladder disorders and a run down condition, with wonderful results. I feel that I ought, for the benefit of suffering humanity, to give my experience with Taulac to the general public."



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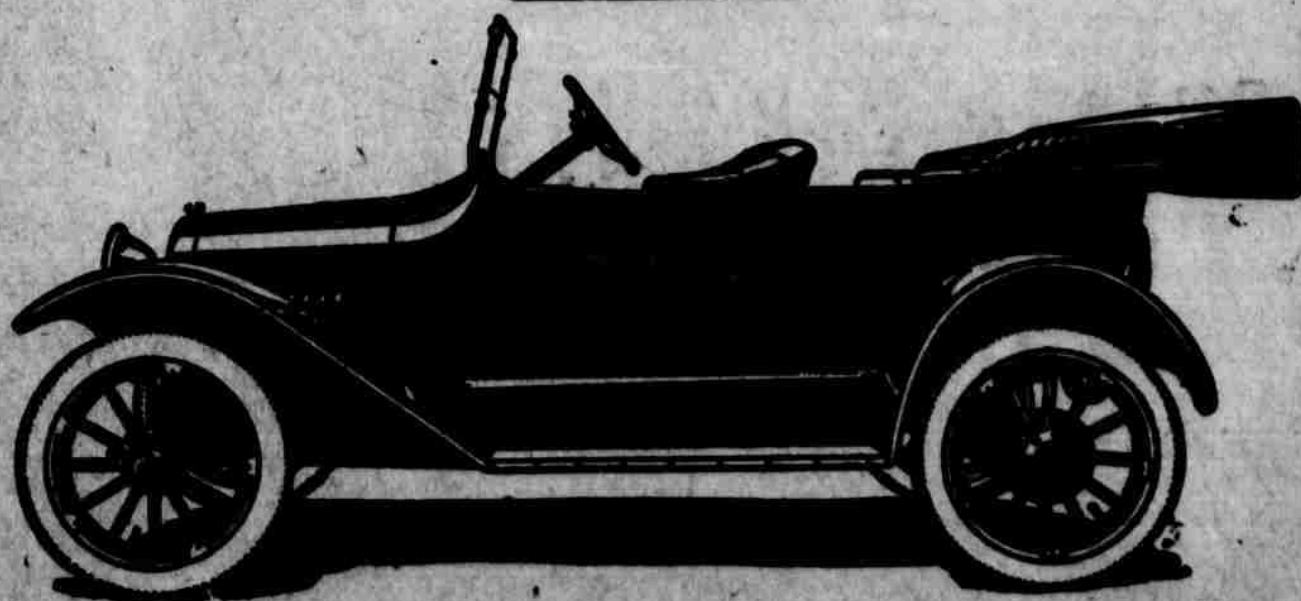
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"Kitchen Comforts"

In those two words you have the whole story of the modern kitchen range. And have you not noticed how popular has become the kitchen that has one these cold days? It is now just the place for Dad to read his paper; the kids want to dress and undress there and Grandma likes to sit with her feet in the oven. And how Mother and We do sympathize with the folks who haven't one, but we'll back up our sympathy by selling you the best range on earth at the right price.

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We want your business and we are not satisfied till our customers are pleased.

The Corner Drug Store

Right Enough, But—

The teacher was taking a class in the infant Sabbath-school room and was making her pupils finish each sentence to show that they understood her. "The idol had eyes," the teacher said, "but it could not—"
 "See," was the answer.
 "It had lips," said she, "but it could not—"
 "Speak," once more replied the children.

It Looked Like It

An unmistakable son of Erin entered a crowded street-car, with a short-stemmed pipe in the corner of his mouth. The conductor eyed him with great disfavor for several moments, and then, seeing that Pat exhibited no apparent tendency to correct the error of his way, strode into the car, tapped the offender on the shoulder, and spoke as follows: "Don't you know that you can't smoke in this car?"
 "I'm not smoking!" came the reply.
 "You are!" retorted the representative of the railway company.
 "I'm not!" said Pat.
 "Well," demanded the irate official sarcastically, "you've got your pipe in your mouth, haven't you?"
 "I have," replied Pat calmly, "and I've got me feet in me shoes too, but I'm not walking, am I?"

Didn't Suppress Him

"Do you happen to be going far, sir?" said the inquisitive traveler to the man in the corner, after having reduced everyone else in the compartment to silent frenzy.
 "No, no only to Scotland," replied the other sarcastically. "I am a commercial traveler. My age is 30. I am married. My name is Thomas Brown. I have a son of nineteen. He is in the Blanshire Bluffs. My father died last July. He was on the stock exchange. My mother is still living. I have a niece with red hair. Our housemaid's name is Jane Briggs. Is there anything else?"

Extreme Courtesy

A fine manly specimen of the African race sat on a rail fence in Arkansas intently looking at the telegraph wires. A gentleman in passing said:
 "Watching the wires?"
 "Yes, sah."
 "Waiting to see a message go by?"
 "Yes, sah," smilingly replied the negro.

The Difference

"Oh, no," soliloquized Johnny bitterly, "there ain't any favorites in this family. Oh no! If I bite my finger-nails, I get a rap over the knuckles; but if the baby eats his whole foot, they think it's cute."

Wanted It Complete

One Sunday morning, after making her first trip to Sunday School, little four-year-old Stella, with joy in her eyes and holding her Sunday school card in her hand, burst into the room where her mother sat and exclaimed: "Oh, mamma! teacher says she will give me a Sunday School card every Sunday that I will come and I am going every Sunday, 'till I get a whole deck!"

News to Her

A traveling man one night found himself obliged to remain in a small town on account of a washout on the railroad caused by a heavy rain which

WIT AND HUMOR

Anxious to Get at Him

A French soldier, after being introduced to an American soldier, was showing him the about the city of Paris.
 "Now," said the Frenchman, "since you have seen the statue of Lafayette, what do you want to see next?"
 "A Hun," was the reply.

Paradoxical

Said the facetious feller, "The most dangerous part about these holdup men is that they will also knock a man down."

Just More Trouble

Charles' mother was reproving him for not being more tidy about his hair, when his uncle, who was very bald, thinking to soothe his feelings, said:
 "Charles, don't you wish you were as bald as I? Then you wouldn't have any hair to comb."

How careless of Them

Mrs. Newly wed went to the grocery store to do her morning marketing. She was determined that the grocer should not take advantage of her inexperience.
 "These eggs are dreadfully small," she remarked.
 "I know it," replied the grocer. "But they are what the farmer brings me. They are just fresh from the country this morning."
 "Yes," said the bride, "and that's the trouble with these farmers. They are so anxious to get their eggs sold that they take them off the nests too soon."

Citation on Application for Letters of Administration
 THE STATE OF TEXAS.
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 You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once in each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Haskell County, a copy of the following notice:
 THE STATE OF TEXAS.
 To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. E. J. Hunt, Deceased, C. M. Hunt and Courtney Hunt, have filed in the County Court of Haskell County, an application for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of said Mrs. E. J. Hunt Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next

term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in March A. D. 1920, the same being the 1st day of March A. D. 1920 at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.
 Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said 1st day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 5th day of February, A. D. 1920.
 Emory Menefee, Clerk
 County Court Haskell County, Texas.

Getting Even
 "I forgot my glasses and am quite lost without them. Will you tell me is that fat woman at the piano?"
 "That's my wife," was the fright answer.
 "Oh, and the scrawny girl standing by her?"
 "That's my daughter."
 "By jove, how stupid! Well, who is the gawky-looking man with the big ears standing near them?"
 "That's our own reflection in the mirror, you idiot!"

Easy to Answer
 It was during the daily lesson on patriotism and the teacher had finished telling the children of the duty to one's country and the blessings of citizenship.
 "And now, children," she said, "what is it that binds us together and makes us better than we are by nature?"
 Little Evelyn raised her hand.
 "Well, Evelyn, can you tell?" asked teacher.
 "Yes, ma'am; cozsets," said Evelyn.

On Genius
 Genius gets the world's praise because its work is a tangible product, to be bought, or to be had for nothing. It bribes the common voice to praise it by presents of speeches, poems, statues, pictures, or whatever it can please with. Character evolves its best products for home consumption; but, mind you, it takes a deal more to feed a family for 30 years than to make a holiday feast for our neighbors once or twice.—Hester.

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 Druggists refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, itching, itching or stinging. Instantly relieves itching, itching, and itching. Retail price after the first application, 50c.

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Remember the prices on these goods will be reduced on the above stated days only.

Make it a point to take care of your silk needs while you have these great savings and this immense stock to select from.

The reason for our large supply and reduced prices; Fields & Hunt had hundreds of yards bought, not knowing this, we also made purchases to cover our needs. The goods have arrived and we find twice the stock we should have.

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This is the largest stock of dry goods in Haskell County.

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Good Dry Goods

Haskell, Texas
February 27, 1920.

TRUE BLUE

By ANNA M. GORDON.

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Somewhere in the prosaic little town of Ironton, there lived a likely lad by the name of David Glen, to be exact. David never had been a handsome boy, and two years of trench life had added no new beauty to his appearance. His deep gray eyes were still weak and watery from the blinding effects of gas; there had grown a slight stoop to his thin shoulders; and patches of iron gray hair had mingled with the black along his temples. Not one person in a hundred would throw more than a casual glance in his direction on passing him in the street. Blue-eyed Hazel did, though, and now David doesn't want anyone else to, that is, not in the same way.

Back in the days of the world war not a handful of people had ever given David Glen a thought. On his return from France he found that his reputation, running ahead of him, had paved a royal road for his feet to travel as he marched into Ironton. Buildings were decorated with banners; speeches were being made and crowds of people thronged the streets.

In the midst of it all, David was homesick and lonesome, until a slender girl, stopping by his side as he rested from the march, rewarded him with her praises and with the light of her eyes for all the hardships through which he had passed.

That is why David Glen sat every pleasant evening on blue-eyed Hazel's piazza—by Hazel's express command, and invitation. Under ordinary circumstances they might never have met, for Hazel was as rich as David was poor. This fact caused Aunt Caroline, Hazel's guardian, many sleepless nights, and as yet she had arrived at no definite conclusion regarding how to dispose of David.

For that matter, David's concerns were even then bothering him quite as much as they were bothering Aunt Caroline. Totally oblivious of anything or anybody save himself and Hazel he discussed them. Two hours they had sat on the wide front piazza of the red brick house talking over plans, and the topic was still fresh.

The afternoon sun had slipped away; dusk had fallen; a solitary woman coming into the house by the side entrance, and passing through the hall, had paused by the screened piazza door unnoticed. Still the young people continued to discuss plans for the future.

"I can understand, Hazel, just how you feel," said David. "You want to hire this new house beside Aunt Caroline's and furnish it well, because Aunt Caroline has a big house."

At the words "Aunt Caroline" the quiet woman inside the doorway gave a slight start. A puzzled smile wreathed her mouth as she listened. Then, deliberately standing farther back in the shadows, she cupped her hand over her left ear that she might hear a little plainer.

"Now, I say," continued David; "let's start honest. Let's live our own lives where I can afford to. You know I lost what few clients I had when I went to war."

The quiet woman in the doorway leaned breathlessly forward awaiting the reply. It came at last, slowly, but yielding.

"I know you're right, David, but Aunt Caroline has been like a mother to me, and the new house is a dream." Try as hard as she could, not another coherent sound could the listening woman hear. As for the incoherent ones—they were not meant for her.

"So they plan to leave me," she spluttered, all indecision about David flown. "They plan to leave me all alone in this big house—no honest man to advise me about my property—no little girl to help me fix my clothes decently—those two, out there—the only man I've ever heard talk honest—and the little girl I've brought up from a baby. Not much! Not if I know it!"

Back through the hall Aunt Caroline hastened. Opening the door with a bang she confronted the guilty miscreants.

"You come in here with me, both of you," choked she. "We'll soon make some headway about your affairs."

Blinking painfully at the bright light, David and Hazel meekly followed after the irate little woman along the hall to the living room. There, standing hand in hand by the round center table, they surveyed her with questioning eyes.

"Now children," she ejaculated, gesticulating with both hands. "I'm an old woman, and one who must have her own way. Don't interrupt me until I finish. That new house on the right has come into my possession, and I intend, just as soon as I can, to make it over to you for your wedding present."

"We thank you but we can't afford to live—" began David.

"Wait until I finish," commanded Aunt Caroline. "I'll give you this house on one condition—that David takes me as his client. I want to be relieved of my business worries. I am going to take a rest."

With her hand on David's shoulder, Aunt Caroline anxiously watched the results of her maneuver.

Then David looked gleefully down at Hazel, and Hazel, patting his gray coat sleeve, looked almost jealously at Aunt Caroline. Not for one moment did she doubt but that Aunt Caroline saw David as she did—a hero, dignified and brave, ready to tackle and conquer the whole world.



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Come to the Poultry Trade Days at Haskell the first Friday and Saturday in March and buy your breeding stock and eggs for setting.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Russell of Ranger were here to attend the funeral of Judge J. E. Poole.

Health About Gone

Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. — had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

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CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

She writes further: "I am in splendid health . . . can do my work. I feel I owe it to Cardui, for I was in dreadful condition." If you are nervous, run-down and weak, or suffer from headache, backache, etc., every month, try Cardui. Thousands of women praise this medicine for the good it has done them, and many physicians who have used Cardui successfully with their women patients, for years, endorse this medicine. Think what it means to be in splendid health, Mrs. Mrs. Spell. Give Cardui a trial.

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No. 2631.
CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County—Greeting:
You are Hereby Commanded. That you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Haskell once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. W. Gardner and Claudia Clark, Dolrous Clark, Audrie Clark, Chester Clark and Clinton Clark, minors, whose residence is unknown to be and appear before the Honorable District Court at the next regular term thereof to be holden in

the County of Haskell at the Court House thereof, in Haskell on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1920 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1919, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2631, wherein Reynolds Mortgage Company is plaintiff and J. W. Gardner, J. I. Clark, Administrator of the estate of S. E. Gardner, deceased, Claudia Clark, Dolorous Clark, Audrie Clark, Chester Clark and Clinton Clark, minors, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows to-wit:
That J. I. Clark is the duly qualified

administrator of the estate of S. E. Gardner, deceased, and that S. E. Gardner left surviving her neither husband, father or mother, but left the following surviving heirs, J. W. Gardner a son and the following grand children, being children of Mrs. J. I. Clark, her daughter, deceased, viz: Claudia, Dolorous, Clinton, Audrie, and Chester, all under the age of 21. That on the 22nd day of February, 1912 J. W. Gardner and S. E. Gardner executed one promissory vendors lien note for \$700.00 with interest at 10 per cent per annum payable January 1, 1917, to Reynolds Mortgage Company, providing for the usual 10 per cent attorneys fees; for the purpose of securing the payment of said note J. W. Gardner and S. E. Gardner executed on February 22, 1912, one deed of trust to Reynolds Mortgage Company covering the north 1-2 of the southeast quarter of survey No. 37 of the 4 leagues of land patented to the Wise County School Commissioners on June 25, 1858, by patent No. 284, Vol. 13, and known as survey No. 76, in Haskell County, Texas, which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. 14, page 21, of the deed of trust records of Haskell County, Texas. That all interest up to the first day of January 1917, has been paid, but the principal on said note and the interest since January 1, 1917, is long past due and unpaid. That subsequent to the execution of said note and deed of trust S. E. Gardner departed this life intestate and J. I. Clark has been appointed by the Probate Court of Haskell County, Texas, as administrator of said estate and is now acting in that capacity. Subsequent to the appointment of J. I. Clark as administrator of the estate of S. E. Gardner, he in his capacity as said administrator has allowed the foregoing note with interest and attorneys fees as a valid claim against the said estate and the County Judge of Haskell County has approved said claim, classified and established as a claim secured by a lien on the foregoing described property. Plaintiff prays for judgment against defendants for the amount of debt, principal and interest and attorneys fees, for foreclosure of their deed of trust lien on the foregoing described property and direction of the sale of same as under execution, for all costs of suit and such other relief as they may show themselves entitled to.

said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement hereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 19th day of February, A. D. 1920.
(SEAL) ALLEE IRBY,
Clerk District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

Callus? "Gets-It" Will Peel It Off!

Nothing on Earth Like Simple "Gets-It" for Corns or Calluses.



A callus, or thickened skin on the sole of the foot, which often makes walking a misery is of the same nature as a corn. "Gets-It" removes it as easily as it does the toughest corns. By using a few drops of "Gets-It" on the callus, you will be able to peel it off with your fingers, in one complete piece just as you would a banana peel. It leaves the skin red and smooth as though you never had a callus. You need no more fuses, plasters, sticky tape, "package" banana knives or scissors for corns or calluses. "Gets-It" is the national corn remover, the biggest on earth, used by millions. It never fails. You'll work, play and dance at ease in spite of corns. "Gets-It," the only sure, guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mfd by S. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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The fellow who doesn't learn anything in the school of experience is a hopeless boob.

Man never had a better friend than a book. He can always shut it up when it begins to bore him.

Isn't it going a little too far with this prohibition stuff when a few United States senators try to prohibit peace?

If the price of shoes doesn't come down off its high horse pretty soon, that bare-foot fad will become serious when warm weather comes.

That Houston citizen who was robbed of his life's savings which he had kept in his home, will probably have more confidence in banks hereafter.

In writing up a girl's basketball game would it be considered a break on the part of the sports writer to say that "Miss Jones was not in her usual form"?

Sometimes your "knocker" is unintentionally your best booster. Henry Ford has made millions through "knockers" of his products.

A Calamity? Sure!

Did you read the appeal of Mr. H. S. Wilson to the school patrons of Haskell city? Mr. Wilson, president of the school Board of Haskell, appealed to the people of his town for five thousand dollars to supplement the school funds satisfactorily to maintain a nine month school.

Not to raise this money, not to provide nine months of schooling for the children and the youth of Haskell, Mr. Wilson esteems a calamity. And who will attempt to dispute the point with the president of the Haskell School Board?

If the limiting of a school term to the few months provided by the meager funds apportioned from a public treasury is a calamity in Haskell, is the same condition anything less than a calamity in other school districts?

Owing to unusual crop and weather conditions, many rural schools were kept closed until far into the winter. Then, and even until the present, the same conditions plus the influenza epidemic have seriously interrupted the attendance of children at school. And now, must the schools close when the public funds are exhausted?

Will a crop of thirty-eight cent cotton so abundant as to employ fathers and mothers, and all the available hired help and the children all the fall and winter, yield no means with which the public school funds might be supplemented?

Will our big crops and the big prices prove a hindrance to the educating of our children? Shall we have a calamity as the result of our abundant harvest and the unprecedented market?

—W. H. Clifton.

Apron and Bonnet Sale

We wish to call the attention of everyone to our "Bonnet and Apron Sale" to be held in the Jones Cox furniture store next Monday, March 1st. Things will be on display by 10 a. m., so come early and make your selection.

—Baptist Ladies.

"LASCA" IS THE ATTRACTION AT DICK'S THEATRE MONDAY

The first local showing of "Lasca" a recent Universal production directed by Norman Dawn and played by a notable cast, featuring Frank Mayo and Edith Roberts, is announced for Dick's Theatre, Monday, March 1st.

"Lasca" is based on the famous poem by Frank Desprez, adapted for the screen by Percy Heath, and produced by Universal on a lavish scale.

The filming of "Lasca" required more than ordinary attention to detail, for there is scarcely an American who has not read the poem, recited it, or committed it to memory, and has not hereby pictured indelibly in his mind the aprite of the cattle-ranch who lived "in Texas, down by the Rio Grande," who worshipped the young ranchman at whose side she delighted to ride—who, a mixture of lovely saint and petulant imp, finally sacrificed her young life to save that of the man she loved.

The scenes of "Lasca" are laid on both sides of the Rio Grande. It shows the life of the Mexicans as well as that of the Texans and gives a picturesque view of the wealthy frontiersman's existence during the most colorful period in the history of the Lone Star State.

Around the story suggested by the poem the author has woven a plot of the most engrossing interest—of love, jealousy and adventure—culminating in the great stampede of the herd.

Frank Mayo plays the part of Morland, the wealthy young American ranchman; Edith Roberts was chosen as the ideal player for the role of Lasca. Other parts are enacted by Viola Harty, Arthur Jasmine and Lloyd Whitlock.

In scenic beauty "Lasca" is said to excel most photo productions recently shown.

W. P. Hutchins and family of Gore visited his brother, E. O. Hutchins and family last week.

Attention Trappers!

We have connections with one of the largest fur houses in the United States and can pay you more for your hides than you have been getting and you will not have to wait for your money.

We want Wolf, Possum, Skunk, Badger, Coon, and in fact all vrst class furs. Do not bring poor, imperfect furs as we can only buy good ones. We will pay the best prices for good furs.

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PLEASANT VALLEY BOX SUPPER NETS \$100.00

The Pleasant Valley School gave a Box Supper Friday night and \$100.00 was taken in from the sale of the boxes. No box brought less than \$1.00 and the highest price paid for a single box was \$18.50 and another following at \$15.00 and another one at \$12.00. Miss Boss Roe Beatty, the teacher of this school, was the promoter, assisted by the trustees, to get money for the purpose of lighting the new school building and to furnish desks and other necessities. Many words of praise and

gratitude were heard that night from the good people of Pleasant Valley in appreciation of the good order and the liberal support given this worthy cause by all present. W. W. Ashby was the chief auctioneer and he had a smile and good word for all and the bidding was lively.

Mrs. O. V. Payne and son John P. made a business trip to Abilene Thursday.

Going to have to apply for a permit to move your "private stock" on April 1?

REWARD!

Last Thursday February 19, the following articles were stolen from my Ford which had been left on the side of the road near Mcconnell. One set (4) Riverside tires, one set (4) brand new inner tubes, 1 new set Weed mud chains, 4 coils, pump and all other tools Rear casings numberd 76884. Notify Emil Slovacek, Stamford, Texas.

W. E. Lavender of Tyler, who is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. M. Aycock of Rose, was a city visitor Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Odell returned Wednesday from a visit to her son in Ranger.

Spring's Prettiest Ready-to-wear

Can be found in our garment section, and we are receiving new goods by express every day to take the place of those bought by our many satisfied customers.

We are enjoying a most splendid business this season and every department of our store is complete.

Men's Clothing



Buying clothing by the hit or miss method doesn't pay these days. When you pay from \$35 to \$55 for a suit of clothes you don't want any guesswork about quality.

It's natural enough for a man to be attracted by low price figures. That's human nature. But remember, in clothes-buying, the real basis for satisfaction, is to consider what you get, and not altogether what you pay.

Curlee Clothes

And other standards, backed by our guarantee, will satisfy your demands for satisfaction, because in every detail they are made with your best interests in mind.

Many of the New Models for Spring are Here

Silk lined, Sport Models, lively styles, with lines that are true to the talent and ability of the famous makers who created them. New notes in fabrics, patterns and colors. And further, they are conspicuous for fine values.

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We have a big showing of Men's Novelty Hats, in all the latest colors and styles priced from—

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NEW SPRING DRESSES OF BEWILDERING BEAUTY

Our line of Dresses come in a multitude of modes and pretty fabrics. Most of them have the short sleeve, but in the tailored types there is the long fitted sleeve, but in the myriad of models there are scores of styles, all different, so that every woman will find the choice she seeks. Taffetas are leading in popularity for early Spring wear, some are trimmed with rufflings or flounces to give the wide hip effect, others are wired with charming tulle draperies; then, too, there are many models in Taffeta and Georgette combinations, as well as the figured Georgette styles. However, all are equally becoming and will surely interest the woman who is particular in choosing her wearing apparel.

THE NEWEST SPRING SUITS

Delightfully adapted from the most attractive Parisian styles, and fashioned of Tricotine, Poiret Twill and Serge, navy being the most popular color, still there are other shades to select from. Then, too, the modified Sport Suit in smart checks is finding much favor with the miss or young woman. Whatever style you prefer, you are sure to find it from our large and varied selection of the more exclusive models. Prices are not so high as one would expect, as they range from—

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No matter what type of Hat you prefer—you'll find it here—from our selection of exclusive models—which have been selected with the greatest care for their becomingness of style and exclusiveness in shape and trimming. May we have the pleasure of showing you these new styles soon.

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In keeping with our progress we have added to our store for this season Millinery. It will be of considerable satisfaction to the women of more particular taste to know that we will show the well known and nationally popular line of Gage hats. Gage hats are the last word in correct millinery. They include Milan and Leghorns and rough straws with taffeta facings, rolled brims and drooped effects. Prices will be reasonable. No higher for this exquisite millinery than is charged for poorer grades. We are specializing on children's hats this season, having bought one of the best known lines in the country and we anticipate your approval and hope for an early visit.

New Georgette Blouses

This morning there came to our store several dozen of the newest styles in Blouses. Their fine materials and exclusive styling will find instantaneous response in the hearts of our patrons who always expect the best. They are reasonably priced. In addition, we announce the arrival of white wash blouses. They will withstand many repeated washings and are very practical and a woman can not have too many.

New Spring Frocks

We are showing today for the first time a very wonderful assortment of New Spring Frocks. They are of Taffeta and other approved materials. In every woman's heart is a desire to own a Spring Dress. Here is an opportunity for any woman to satisfy that desire at very attractive prices. We have a very strong line of these frocks at \$26.75, others around \$30.00, and some higher. We especially recommend our medium priced dresses. They will compare with very much higher priced frocks.

New Spring Suits for Women and Misses

Never in our entire business history have we had such a display of Spring Suits. They come in various materials, mostly navy colors, and in a variety of styles. Some cut with points around the hips, tiny roll collars and loose sleeves. Then there is an Eton suit of tricotine, with back cut with a long square hanging panel, the front and sides are trimmed with rows of braid. Others are trimmed with soutache braid and have silk cord girdles and closely pleated skirts. Certainly there is a suit here to please every customer. They are very reasonable compared with their excellent quality. We have a very splendid showing of Spring Coats suitable for every figure and pocket book. They range in price from \$19.75, upwards.

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FOR SALE—My home in Haskell, Large and strongly built and no money spared in making conveniences. M. Pierson, Aspermont, Texas. 50-1fc

FOR SALE—My residence one block north and two blocks east of the square. J. F. POSEY.

FOR SALE—100 bushels of Mebane Cotton Seed, one year from Lockheart at \$2.00. See Clay Kimbrough, Haskell Route 1. 2tc

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock eggs, \$1.50 for setting of 15. Mrs. Mrs. Pearsey, Haskell, Route 4. 8-4tc

When your work is done at the Progressive Shoe Shop, every job is guaranteed. The new shop next door to the Model Tailor Shop, north of Farmers State Bank. 4tc

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Brown Leghorn eggs, \$1.00 for setting of 15. Mrs. H. C. Wyche, Haskell R. 4, Box 72. 8-4tc

FOR SALE—White Leghorn eggs, \$1.50 per setting of 15, or \$8 per hundred. H. W. Richey, Haskell, Texas. 1fc

FOR SALE—One cook stove, one registered Jersey bull, one Mammoth Bronze turkey gobbler, one registered Peheron Stallion, or would trade stallion for a good Ford car. All priced worth the money. See Clay Kimbrough, Haskell, Texas. 2tc

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey cow with young heifer calf. Subject to registration. Also three coming 2-year old Jersey heifers will be fresh soon. J. M. Woodson. 3tp

FOR SALE—Overland 5 passenger in first class condition, new casings and inner tubes. See W. P. Kinnison, Haskell, Texas. 4tp

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cows, Durham or Jerseys. M. A. Chilton. 1fc

FOR SALE—32 head of good Stocker cows from 3 to 6 years old. Will deliver anytime from 30 to 60 days. H. C. Griffith, Goree, Route 2. 6-4tp

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey Glits, One pair of peafowls, Plymouth Rock cockerels, Sure Crop Seed Corn. Paul Zahn. 2t

WANTED—A man to work on farm and ranch. R. W. Horren, Sr. 2tp

FOR SALE—A nice, 6-room frame residence, 12 inch walking turning plow, riding middle-buster, one scraper. Lee Carson, Haskell, Texas, Phone 120. 1fc

FOR SALE—Two good horses, feed, farming tools and possession of good rental farm one-half mile of school, 8 miles north of Haskell. See or write A. L. Tyler, Haskell, Route 2. 2tp

FOR SALE—\$800.00 piano in excellent condition. Will sell for \$575.00. Phone 43. 1tp

FOR SALE—Eggs from pure bred White Wendottes, Regal Doreas of the John S. Martin Strain of Ontario, Canada. Prices \$2.00 and \$2.50 for 15 eggs. W. Applezate, Haskell, Texas.

Have your shoe repairing done at the Progressive Shoe Shop, the shop that saves you money on work that gives satisfaction.

I have a Registered Holstein Male, Terra Firma Wisconsin No. 240649 that will make the season at my barn in the Pleasant Valley community. \$3.00 for insurance. H. B. Weaver, Weinert R. 1. 8-4tc

FOR SALE—194 acres of land one mile south of Haskell for sale, well improved and as good land as the best. For further information, see or write owner, W. M. Case, Haskell, Texas. 8tc

FOR RENT—80 acres of land to plant in cotton on halves. R. W. Heeren, Sr. 8-2tp

FOR SALE—Improved 109 acre farm near Big Springs. Possession at once. Buy now, pay for it with this crop. A bargain, \$25.00 per acre. Why rent? Come and look. W. B. McIver, The Land Man, Sweetwater, Texas. 2tc

FOR SALE—In the northwest part of the town of Haskell, one four room house, lot 75x150. Separate houses. Price \$850.00, \$500 cash, balance terms. H. E. Horner, 402 West Third St. Ft. Worth, Texas. 4tp

WOOD! WOOD! I will for a limited time give the wood for the grubbing all you want wood, come Monday and the day of each week, as that will be the day I will have grubbing done. The house south of Myers school. Phone C. F. Graum. 2tp

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FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for setting, from the best laying strain from poultry department of A. & M. College. \$2.00 per setting of 15. Mrs. J. M. Baker. 9-4tc

FOR SALE—One Success Sulky Plow, 2 cultivators, 2 planters, one disc harrow, one Georgia Stock and all kinds and sizes of sweeps and scratchers. See T. J. Johnson. 1tc

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FOR SALE—10 miles northeast of Haskell. Nothing old. Will sell worth the money. Phone or write J. D. Roberts, Weinert, Texas. (All stock broke to work.) 9-3tc

FOR SALE—One good Jersey cow, and two row John Deere cultivator in good condition. See Ray Hays, Haskell, Texas. 9-2tp

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs for setting. \$1.50 for 15. See or phone E. T. Roberts, Phone No. 241. 2tc

FORD TRUCK to trade for Fordson Tractor. Also milk cow for sale. See T. A. Pinkerton. 1tp

LOST—Top on gasoline tank of a Dodge car this week somewhere in west part of city. Finder please leave at Gholson's Grocery. J. M. Maxwell.

FOR SALE—Iron Safe. See J. F. Posy at Industrial Transportation Co.

MR. FARMER—I have Artichokes at \$2.00 per bushel; Whippowill Peas, 10c per pound; Soy Beans, 10c per pound while they last. J. F. Speck, Rochester Texas. 3tp

CABBAGE PLANTS—Thousands of good tough frost-proof cabbage plants now ready to ship. 1000, \$3.00; 500, \$1.75; 300, \$1.25; 100, 50c. All prepaid to your mail box. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price list free. G. W. Butts & Son, Milano, Texas. 1tp

FOR SALE—Blank Minorca eggs for setting, \$1.50 for 15. Mrs. Joe Novak, Haskell. 9-4tp

FOR SALE—Fresh pecans. Gathered 1929, at Gholson's and The Industrial Transportation Co. 1tp

ESTRAYED OR STOLEN—Jersey steer calf, about one year old, last seen had leather strap around head with ring in it. John Minor. 1tp

FOR SALE—A good cook stove will burn wood or coal. I. A. Lee. 1tp

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE POST COMMUNITY

There is still lots of bolts yet to pull in this community.

Most everyone that has been sick is well but there are still lots of sickness.

W. W. Perry can sure enough ride now because he has a new Ford.

Miss Laura Smith and Roy Overton were married Tuesday, February 17th and we wish them much prosperity and happiness through life.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mercer have a new baby girl of which they are very proud.

Mrs. Ed Robertson, our county superintendent, visited our school this week and made a good talk to the teachers and pupils.

The census taker has been around taking everyone's census the last few days.

Miss Freddie Gates of Fort Worth is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Lee.

The Post school has organized a Literary Society and have named it in honor of Clifford Kelley and Stone Darnell, who gave their lives in the World War. It is the Keathey Darnell Society and the first program was held Friday afternoon and was enjoyed by all.

There will be a box supper at the Post school house Saturday night, Feb. 22nd, for the purpose of improving our school grounds. Everybody come and bring a box and use extra money. Reporter.

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and then come down here

and look over those wonderful richly-textured custom-tailored woolsens

we are offering in a Royal Tailored built-to-your-order suit or overcoat at \$40 to \$65.

Let this be your test of our claims.

We ask no other. Suit or Overcoat, made to your special order—\$40 to \$65.

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DELCO-LIGHT

The complete Electric Light and Power Plant.

Turns the cream separator,—tumbles the churn.
Saves time every day.

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P. O. Box 485

HASKELL, TEXAS

Twenty Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Free Press of February 24, 1900.)

Judge P. D. Sanders left today for Fisher County where he will hold a term of District Court next week.

R. E. Martin who has been located at Corsicana for several years in the drug business, is here on a visit to his Haskell relatives.

Rev. W. G. Caperton of Albany will preach at the Baptist Church Friday and Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Tom Griffin has taken a position with Messrs. J. I. and L. W. Campbell, lumber dealers, at Stamford.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney, 39th Judicial District—A. C. Willoth of Seurry County.

For County and District Clerk—C. D. Long, H. S. Post.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector—J. W. Collins.

For Tax Assessor—S. E. Carothers.

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE PLAIN VIEW COMMUNITY

Most everybody has had the "flu" but are better at this writing.

Mrs. Roy Hanson visited her mother Mrs. D. G. Hurst Friday.

Lee Hurst called at the T. A. Coleman home Friday.

The little son of Mr and Mrs. Roy Overby has been real sick.

Lee Hanson was in Stamford Saturday on business.

Jim Clark was the Saturday night guest of his brother, John Clark.

Leonard and Henry Ulmer were in Stamford Saturday.

Jesse Hurst was in Stamford Saturday.

Mrs. M. V. Bland and girls visited relatives in the Sayles community Sunday afternoon.

Reporter.

The Poultry Show will be held at the Haskell Produce building at the same place it was held last December. Len B. Hammer will give us room in his building.

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE CITY OF ROCHESTER

The continued pretty weather is favoring the farmers in getting out their cotton.

John Epley was seen on the streets of our town Monday, cracking jokes as usual.

Ersel Engleman of Sagerton visited his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. David Summers Saturday and Sunday.

G. C. Carothers went to Mineral Well Saturday on business.

W. B. Lee, cashier of the First State Bank here, is in Wichita Falls this week attending the bankers association.

John Bull and family of Crosbyton are here visiting his wife's folks. John says that he thinks he will stay a long time as the chuck tastes pretty good.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hanger of Anadarko, Okla., came in Sunday to spend a few days visiting Mrs. Hanger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Sumners.

The Weibert Girl's Basket Ball team came over Friday and played the Rochester team. The score was 6 to 21 in favor of Rochester.

The Singing Convention here Sunday was a great success. It was said to be the best that has ever been held in the county. Singers were here from all parts of the county and everybody had the time of their life.

Ed Huntsman has a new Ford and is now seen chasing up and down the streets of our little burg most any old time.

L. B. McMeans, who has been living in Stonewall County the past year has moved back to our community.

M. A. Johnson has moved to town and is enjoying himself walking the streets and viewing the sights.

L. C. U.

The Poultry Trade Days the first Friday and Saturday, the 5th and 6th of March. Everybody come.

You Do More Work.

You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood.

The Strength-Creating Power of **GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC** has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty-five years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get **GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC** when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

West Texas Real Estate Company

TAHOKA, TEXAS

The best farming section in Texas. Plenty of good water: lots of undeveloped cheap land. Good schools, churches and roads; delightful climate. Can sell you land in blocks ranging from 40 to 10,000 acres. We also have some well improved farms and ranches for sale. We refer you to the First National Bank at Tahoka, Texas, as to our integrity. Write or see us for our list if interested.

Spring is About Here

Have you placed your order for that new Bath Room Combination that you intend to install? There is no use in putting it off until it is too late to get the benefit of its use during the summer.

It is also time to have your old frozen and bursted pipe fixed. Call and give us your order or telephone 106. Windmill work a specialty.

Central Plumbing Co.

M. R. JONES, Proprietor.

Pinkerton Tin Shop Bldg.

East Side Square

METHODIST vs BAPTIST

Does that sound interesting?

Well, this will be about the title of a contest we are getting ready to launch.

The Methodist think they can outstrip the Baptist and the Baptist don't think they can do it.

Contest begins First Sunday in March.

Bible School of The First Baptist Church

McHenry Seal, Pastor.

O. B. Norman, Superintendent.

Now All You Good Fellows, Come Fill Up Your Pipes



The Velvet tin is twice as big as shown here

IF ever men are "Tom" and "Bill" to each other, it's when good pipes are a-going. If ever good pipes go their best, 'tis when Velvet's in the bowl.

For Velvet is a mighty friendly smoke. Kentucky Burley is the leaf that Nature made for pipes. Wholesome and hearty, honest as the day. And Velvet is that same good Burley leaf, brought to mellow middle age.

For eight long seasons Velvet "meditates" in wooden hogsheads, throwing off the rawness of "young" tobacco—truly "ageing in the wood." Out Velvet comes—cool, calm and generous—the tobacco Nature made good, kept good and made better.



Velvet's sweetness is the sweetness of good tobacco, not "put on" like " frosting" on a cake. Its mildness comes from natural ageing, not from having the life baked out. Its fragrance is true tobacco fragrance, not a perfume. And Velvet makes an A Number One cigarette. Roll one.

As good old Velvet Joe says:

"Fill yo' heart with friendly thoughts,
Yo' mouth with friendly smoke—
An' let the old world wag."

Suggested price Tobacco Co.

—the friendly tobacco

If you like poultry and better poultry visit the Trade Days the first Friday and Saturday in March.

A House Pioneer.

The first structure built with stone saved by artificial means is in Avondale, Pa.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start using Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for a free copy of our book, "How to Cure Catarrh." E. J. CHERNEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, Pa.

Magazine Club

The Club met February 20th. An interesting inspiring roll call, "Forgotten American Women" was responded to by members.

Following the announcement in the paper, our President urged the importance of collecting and preserving war relics and letters, etc., of Haskell County boys.

Enthusiastic activities of Civic Survey Committees were reported and a splendid spirit of "carry on" for a "Cleaner Haskell" as well as a "More Beautiful Haskell" was manifest. Plans for paving the square were discussed and a hearty spirit of co-operation for the work was shown. When it comes to constructive progress there is not a "slacker" in the Magazine Club.

Mrs. Courtney Hunt acted as critic in the absence of Mrs. Sherrill.

The following program, directed by Mrs. A. J. Smith, was rendered:

President Wilson—Mrs. Posey.
Colonel Theodore Roosevelt—Mrs. Fields.
General Pershing—Mrs. Elkins.
Reporter.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

DIAMOND BRAND
LADIES!
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS
EVERYWHERE

THE VERY BEST IS NONE TOO

Good For Our Customers

We do not believe in lowering the quality of our merchandise in order to sell at a cheaper price—but we do believe in selling you quality goods—at a little less than the other fellow.

Our stock consists of only well-known and standard brands—the kind of groceries that we know to be good—merchandise that has been advertised until every housewife knows that the “trade-mark” on them means quality.

We pay cash and take advantage of every possible saving. Our customer is his or her own clerk and delivery boy—saving us this enormous expense of clerk hire and delivery service. It costs us less to do business, and this saving is passed on to our customers.

One visit to OUR NEW WHITE STORE and you will always be our friend.

Industrial Transportation Co.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

J. F. POSEY, Local Manager
HASKEL, TEXAS

Seeking a Termination.

People are always looking for ends of things—either the end of the world, the end of a rainbow, the end of high prices or the end of a book.—Toledo Blade.

Woman's Wonderful Love.

There is in the heart of woman such a deep well of love that no age can freeze it.—Bulwer-Lytton.

But Reluctantly.

Poets are born; free verse writers are borne with.—Boston Transcript.

What Next?

Cigarmakers in Tampa, Fla., have refused to work unless a man is appointed to read to them. The work, they say, is too monotonous.

The Italian Sky.

The sky of Italy is noted for its clearness. The blue is deeper, not because the dust there is finer than in the northern countries, but because in the countries of the north, due to the greater coolness of the air, the vapor more readily condenses upon the dust particles.

State's Diary.

Friday.—The teacher had gave us a essay 2 write for today mine was 2 be about Poplar Government I sed 2 pa if he wood hep me I wood chop a lot of kiling & he sed all rite he was a pritty good hand on riteing essays & things when he was a yung boy a going to skool. So I went & chopped the kiling & he rote for me. When we red them the teacher give me sixty 4 an sed it was the poorest she had ever saw me rite.

Saturday.—we went 2 a moving pitcher show and pa laffed very loud & it made ma kinda mad & she skolded on the way home. She remarked that she did hate 2 see a man of maichure years & bald hare make hisself so prominent in public.

Sunday.—The Sunday school teacher sed we should ought 2 always count a 100 before saying a angry thought which we was thinking. on the way home Ted and me got in a argumint about our girls & I tride 2 folla the teachers advise & wood of cum out all rite only Ted he counted by 5s. My eye is still pritty black. Ted all ways was good in rithmatik.

Monday.—I seen a poor man today which had been having a lot of trouble & ma sed Poor man he has a dogs life. Well I cant see nothing bad about a dogs life especially like my dogs life. He dont hafta go 2 skool or carrie in cole or wash his face and gets a piny 2 eat and etc.

Tuesday.—Jane tossed me a note today & she sed in it I like my dog & I like my cats, But best of all is my ole friend Blatz. They was a bag of cundy a sticking out of my pocket but I dont think that was the reason. Altogether.

Wednesday.—Jake is dum. The teacher put him when we should ought 2 use Capitals meaning big letters when we rite. Jake replied & sed We should use Capitals when we have the stumblak also or sum thing else. He was thinking of Capauls.

Thursday.—Pa sed 2 ma ther is just I reason why the Log of Nathans is not say good. Ma sed Why so & he sed It aint Logical. Then he laffed & laffed & he did 2.

Friday.—The teacher sed Jane why was she not very happy with the only school she had had, sed out of what she had had a center of money

Aproplains & Balunes.

Saturday.—As pa & ma & me was a wawking down the street they was a fella on the corner begging for money Pa was kinda grouchy & diddent have no munny eny how as ma had been a shopping yesterday & he sed 2 the beggar Why do you stand there a begging & the beggar replied & sed Sir I havent no automobile 2 beg in.

Sunday.—Pa was a jawing at me because I had ran around with sum ruff kids. He sed I should ought 2 be more particklar. Look at me he sed I am acquainted with all of the best peopl in the town. Ma sed Yes he is but they is a lot of them wont admit it.

Monday.—Pa was warning ma about deseese germs which is on munny like small pox & dipthery & meesseis & mumps and bunyons and etc. But they essent eny danger of ma getting eny deseese unless the germs is mitey quick jumpers.

Tuesday.—Jane saw me running away from Pug Stevens which sed he was a going 2 whale the suffing outa me. she curled up her lips & sed meanishly Yure a coward & it was a di-grace 2 run from Pug like you done. I diddent say mutch 2 her cause she is a lady but beleeve me I wood rather be di-graced than disfiggered.

Wednesday.—the teacher ast a question of Jake what is a Volcano & he sed 2 her A Volcano is a mountain which is holler & full of hot fathar.

Thursday.—Jane rote me a note & sed on it Deer Slats do you still like me? what did you get in rithmatik? what are you going 2 do a Saturday? I rote back & answered her I'll say so, sixty 8. trap mushrats & skunks.

Rancher's Lucky Find.

Some years ago a French-Canadian rancher was rambling about a distant part of his land when he noticed a piece of rock which glistened in the sun. Out of curiosty he picked it up and took it home with him. Its weight convinced him that it was mineralized rock and he took it to a specialist, who found it to be almost pure silver. Since then that ranch has yielded between 50,000,000 and 60,000,000 ounces of silver.

Lepros Live Fairly Well.

The Lepros of Cullen, Philippines stands out the product of their farmers and selling to the government, which in turn furnishes them with rations and supplies. The lepro and other such results in their relation to

Her Cordial Indorsement.

Elva was left alone with grandma for the day. An aunt, upon her return, said, "Did you have a nice day, Elva?" "O, yes," she replied. "I had a fine day—grandma just minded me perfectly."

First Cotton Export.

The earliest exports of cotton from America were made in 1785, in which year one bag was sent from Charleston to Liverpool, while 12 were sent from Philadelphia and one from New York.

The Bug Bible.

"The Bug Bible," published in 1853, contains the phrase "Afraid of bugs by night," where the King James version reads, "Terror by night."

Removing Tea Stains.

The spouts of china teapots become very much discolored in time. A wing feather of a chicken or turkey makes a good brush to remove them. When well soaped and drawn in and out of the spout it cleans it nicely.

You Can't Afford To wait

For lower building costs—they may never come. With all the reconstruction problems—all the delayed building now to be resumed. Prices are not likely to be lower.

A delay may mean higher cost for you, besides the loss of time and profits now.

We will save you every possible dollar if you will figure with us now on that bill of lumber, paint or wall paper.

Hazelton Lumber Company



EVERY MAN DESERVING HAS A RIGHT TO PROSPERITY

There isn't a deserving man who hasn't a right to the prosperous, happy employment that only good business can give.

If we are farming, we want to raise a little bit more; if we are in business, we want to increase our efficiency and production.

This is one Bank that feels its responsibility to the community at this time, and we stand ready to cooperate with every other man who does.

Call on us as hard as you will.

HASKELL NATIONAL BANK



They couldn't be built now for twice \$7,000

When the talk turns from politics to railroads, and the traveler with the cocksure air breaks in with, "There's an awful lot of 'water' in the railroads," here are some hard-pan facts to give him:

American railroads have cost \$80,900 a mile—roadbed, structures, stations, yards, terminals, freight and passenger trains—everything from the great city terminals to the last spike.

A good concrete-and-asphalt highway costs \$36,000 a mile—just a bare road, not counting the cost of culverts, bridges, etc.

Our railroads couldn't be duplicated today for \$150,000 a mile.

They are capitalized for only \$71,000 a mile—much less than their actual value. Seventy-one thousand dollars today will buy one locomotive.

English railways are capitalized at \$274,000 a mile; the French at \$155,000; German \$132,000; even in Canada (still in pioneer development) they are capitalized at \$67,000 a mile. The average for all foreign countries is \$100,000.

Low capitalization and high operating efficiency have enabled American Railroads to pay the highest wages while charging the lowest rates.

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

Prof. J. I. Barnes of Leanders returned to his home Sunday night after spending the week end with friends here.

Arthur Yeager, cashier of the First State Bank of Farmersville, visited friends here Sunday.

A TEXAS WONDER
For kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, by mail 1.25. Small bottle often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

Mr. Farmer and Ranchman
I have buyers for Farms and Ranches, no difference where located. Simply write me description and prices. Oil leases also handled.
W. B. McIver, The Land Man
Sweetwater, Texas.
8-4tc

COTTON PLUS FRUIT PLUS TRUCK

Nineteen twenty will be the greatest year of the great South!

With the American Cotton Association's plans fairly under way, there will be such a wave of business, of prosperity, as has never even been dreamed of for the Southern farmer, the merchant, the banker.

The day of cotton is at hand. No longer will the cotton farmer feel himself out of the supply man's tin cans and pork barrel, until at the end of the year he owes his whole crop.

Instead, according to the American Cotton Association's plans, he will grow better cotton on less acreage, and on the rest of his farm he will raise his own fruit, his own vegetables, his own meat. Then when his cotton is picked and baled he will store it in the system of warehouses advocated by the American Cotton Association and sell it at a fair price.

This bank stands for that kind of farming—because that kind of farmers will have money to put into the bank at the end of the year.

The Country Gentleman also advocates Cotton Plus Fruit Plus Truck, and that is the title of an article in the issue dated February 28—one of a great series about the American Cotton Association and the new freedom of the South which is coming through it. (The Country Gentleman may be bought on any news stand for 5 cents a copy; or by mail for \$1 a year—52 big issues. Address the Country Gentleman, Philadelphia, Penna.)

The Southern farmer who grows cotton and food and feed is the farmer who will have a bank account this year!

THE FARMERS STATE BANK
Haskell, Texas.

J. D. Wilkins, of Dublin, with the Dublin Oil Refining Company, was in the city this week in the interest of his company.

Loans

Real Estate

Insurance

Rentals

T. C. Cahill
Haskell, Texas

J. A. Jones of Rule passed through here Sunday night en route to the bankers meeting at Wichita Falls.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 29th

The name of Rev. J. P. Patterson, Pastor
AT THE RED BRICK CHURCH

guarantees the following: 1. To begin on time; 2. A studied subject; 3. A clear presentation; and 4. To quit on time.
Time: 11 a. m. to 12 m.

His subject:

THE FAMILY ALTAR

You ought to hear this discourse. It will take you back to the golden days of childhood, remind you of duty, and inspire you for the future.

7:30 p. m. will be:

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

Profiteering.

Local parties caught with the goods on.

Names will be called.

An opportunity will be given for confession.

Reading by Densie Kennedy.

Special Music.

Come and hear.

Weinert Garage

We do all kinds of mechanical work, including Generator and Battery Work. Done by Jack Morbut and Bert Smith. Work guaranteed.

Weinert Garage

WEINERT, TEXAS.

NOTICE!

After March 1st we will do a cash business only, and will do our best to gather up and deliver your laundry some time each week.

To save us both time and money be ready to pay on delivery. If we have to make a second delivery there will be an extra charge of 25c. Our reason for doing this is: We pay a collector for 4 to 5 days each month to collect and we believe on a cash basis we can serve you better and more satisfactorily.

The HASKELL LAUNDRY

P. S.—Please have your laundry out early and help save time.

GET THE BEST

5-12 PER CENT FARM LOANS

WHY PAY MORE?

Long Time (5 to 35 Years)

Easy Payments that cancel the debt. The Government's Own System of giving Texas, through the Federal Loan Bank of Houston

Cheap Money.

W. H. McCANDLESS

SECRETARY-TREASURER

Haskell, Texas

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 24th, 1920.

RATES

District Office..... \$1.00
County Office..... .75
Commissioner's Precinct..... .50
Justice Precinct..... .25
City..... .10

Representative 102nd District:
A. H. KING, of Trochumorton

For District Clerk:
MISS ALLEE IRBY.

For County Judge:
A. J. SMITH,
JAS. P. KINNARD.

For County Clerk:
EMORY MENEFFEE.

For Tax Collector:
CHAS. M. CONNER.

For Tax Assessor:
JESSE B. SMITH,
D. M. WINN.

For Sheriff:
W. E. WELSH.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
J. E. WALLING.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction:
MRS. ED ROBERTSON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 5:
JOHN MCGREGOR,
I. C. CAVITT,
J. C. MONTGOMERY,
J. S. BARNETT,
WAYNE PERRY.

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:
JESS EDWARDS.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are subject to the city election which will be held on Tuesday April 6th.

For City Marshal:
M. S. (Uncle Tobe) EDWARDS.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE DRUGS QUININE TABLETS prevent the same. There is only one "Grippe Cough" S. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 5c.

MONUMENTS

I am agent for the Georgia Marble, Granite and other Monument Stone.

"You will be pleased with the job" if the order is placed with me.

Mrs. J. F. POSEY
Haskell, Texas

Professional Directory

Sanders & Wilson

LAND LAWYERS
Loans, Abstracts, Real Estate and Insurance.
Notary Public in Office
Phone 51 Sherrill Bldg.
Haskell, Texas

Clyde F. Elkins

Attorney at Law
Rooms 5, 6, 7 and 8, Sherrill Bldg.
Haskell, Texas

H. G. McConnell C. Grissom

McConnell & Grissom
Attorneys-at-Law,
Office in McConnell Building
North Side Square

A. J. Smith

Attorney at Law
Office in Lee Flanagan Building
Haskell, Texas

J. G. FOSTER

Attorney at Law
Land Law a Specialty
Haskell, Texas

W. F. King

Attorney at Law
Office in Lee Flanagan Building
Haskell, Texas

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Remember that when you bring your Ford car to us for mechanical attention that you get the genuine Ford service—materials, experienced workmen and Ford factory prices. Your Ford is too useful, too valuable to take chances with poor mechanics, with equally poor quality materials. Bring it to us and save both time and money. We are authorized Ford dealers, trusted by the Ford Motor Company to look after the wants of Ford owners—that's the assurance we offer. We are getting a few Ford cars and first come first to receive delivery.

LYNN PACE, AUTHORIZED AGENT

Practical Scientific Methods Of Fitting Eye Glasses

By Graduate Optometrist and Optician of long experience and unquestioned ability. Why should you trust the uncertain, nomadic road man when reliable wholesale optical houses consider 90 per cent of them crooks,—and who take the money out of the county forever. They are not here when changes, adjustments, and repairs are needed.

Any lens duplicated, regardless of kind of lens or by whom furnished. Temples, Frames, Mountings and Cases in stock.

Honest Goods, Service and Prices

A. F. WOODS, Opt. Dr.

HASKELL,

TEXAS.

Kill the Name.
Scientists are trying to squelch a new epidemic, discovered in Japan and called the "tsutsugamushi."
Uncle Eben.
"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "get their heads all fixed out dodgin' work."

"Get Rich Quick."
Writing a song that catches on is one of the shortest cuts to wealth. Sir Arthur Sullivan received \$50,000 in royalties for "The Lost Chord," and "My Pretty Jane" remunerated its composer to the tune of \$10,000 a line! —Boston Post.

Cleaning White Paint.
Spirits of ammonia used in sufficient quantities to soften the water and ordinary hard soap will make a white painted surface look white and clean with half the effort of any other method. Care should be taken not to have too much ammonia.

AUSTRIAN DESPOT IN ITALY

Excellent Reasons Why Commandant in Town of Buje Was Feared and Detested.

During the war, Austria, fearing and hating the Italians of Istria, placed every town under drastic military control.

It was the chief task of Colonel Vogelhuber, commander of Buje, to make the Italians feel his presence. They had felt it one day. Incensed by his latest decrees, they had come in crowds below his windows, discussing, gesticulating, angrily demanding an audience, until his troops had rammed them in the stomach with the butts of rifles and driven them off—to their homes where they would find that during their absence a few more objects had mysteriously disappeared, woolen clothing, perhaps, or some pieces of furniture or a cherished picture. Not stolen, of course, but "requisitioned." It was neat.

He had had a good day but he would have a better evening. They had wanted an audience. Very well. That evening he would grant an audience to their leading citizens. More than that—he would dine them!

The leading citizens of Buje will not soon forget that dinner. The meal itself was excellent—indefinitely better than any that they had had for months. It consisted of meats "requisitioned" from their own herds and flocks, grains from their own fields, wine from their own cellars. The host, Colonel Vogelhuber, sat at the head of the table, all smiles and benignity. He was solicitous that every one should have plenty. When the repast was finished, he rose.

He called the attention of the Italians of Buje to the fact that he had sent very few of them to Austrian internment camps. He emphasized his tolerance and liberality in this matter. His action, however, had been guided by a definite purpose. It might please them to be informed as to the purpose which he had had in mind.

"I do not care to intern you," he said, in a smiling climax, "because I prefer to execute you!"

"The troops of Italy are at present making some advance. I wish simply to announce to you now that before they ever reach Buje I shall have the pleasure of seeing every man of you shot. Good night, gentlemen. The pleasure has been mine."

Then, showing the yellow streak always present in such natures, he hastily summoned his soldiers, and every guest was escorted to the street at the point of a bayonet.

A gay, dashing wag was Vogelhuber. Dashing he was certainly, a few weeks later, when the Italian Bersaglieri swept into Buje so suddenly that he did not have time to make good his promise, but found it prudent to run to save his own skin, even leaving a precious carload of stolen treasures behind him.—Willard Price, in World Outlook.

Thermometers Vary.

The readings of old mercury thermometers are often too high, while spirit thermometers with age are liable to give indications lower than the actual temperatures. Shrinkage of the bulb, forcing the mercury up the tube, has been suggested as the cause of the high readings. For the opposite effect, several theories have been offered—such as taking up some of the spirit in an invisible film wetting the bore of the tube, or chemical combination of the spirit with the glass or evaporation through invisible cracks—but it is now believed that an explanation simpler than the early ones is available. Mercury thermometers sealed off when almost filled, contain practically no air, the tubes thus being given the reduced internal pressure favoring shrinkage. But spirit thermometers are sealed with the bulbs in a freezing mixture, so that they may contain as much air as possible, and such bulbs are constantly subjected to an internal pressure greater than outside. This gives the tendency to expand, allowing the spirit to fall too low in the tube.

The Helicopter.

A new flying machine, called a helicopter, has been invented, quite different from anything that mankind has yet stared up at. In that its propellers have a diameter of 51 feet, revolve so much more slowly than the more-and-more familiar airplane propeller that they are practically noiseless, are located above the car, and also take the place of the wings of the customary airplane. The propellers, in fact, are practically moving wings; and the machine, as described by Robert G. Skerrett in the New York Sun, presents quite a list of advantages over anything that has preceded it for air navigation. It can, it is declared, descend slowly, rise and come down without difficulty anywhere, carry a considerable load and is inherently stable. Aviation, after all, is still quite young, and it may possibly turn out that the helicopter is the next forward step.—Christian Science Monitor.

Clever Work.

The pupils of the second grade had been given a test in writing, and after it was over, the teacher requested them to take their copy home to show to their mothers.

The verse which Dwight had written was: "Little drops of water, Little grains of sand," etc.

His mother examined his work and praised his effort. "But what is this little word dog doing up here in the corner?" she asked.

"Oh," explained Dwight, "I forgot how to make a 'd' and had to write dog to find out."

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In the past many automobile pirates have stolen cars in one state and then have easily disposed of them in neighboring states after making more or less complete alterations in the appearance of the vehicles. When New York machines have been stolen they have been disposed of in New Jersey towns, in Philadelphia, or elsewhere.

As a result of the new act this illegal interstate traffic, which has grown to large proportions, becomes considerably more hazardous than formerly. The law holds that "whoever shall transport or cause to be transported in inter-

state or foreign commerce a motor vehicle, knowing the same to have been stolen, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or by imprisonment of not more than five years, or both.

That whoever shall receive, conceal, store, barter, sell, or dispose of any motor vehicle, moving as . . . or which constitutes interstate or foreign commerce, knowing the same to have been stolen, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or by imprisonment of not more than five years, or both.

That any person violating this act may be punished in any district in or through which such motor vehicle has been transported or removed by such offender."

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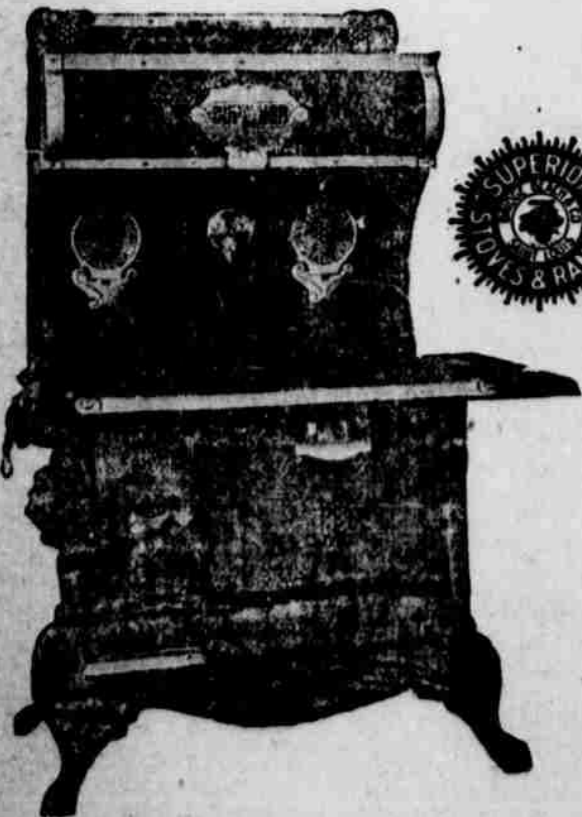
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