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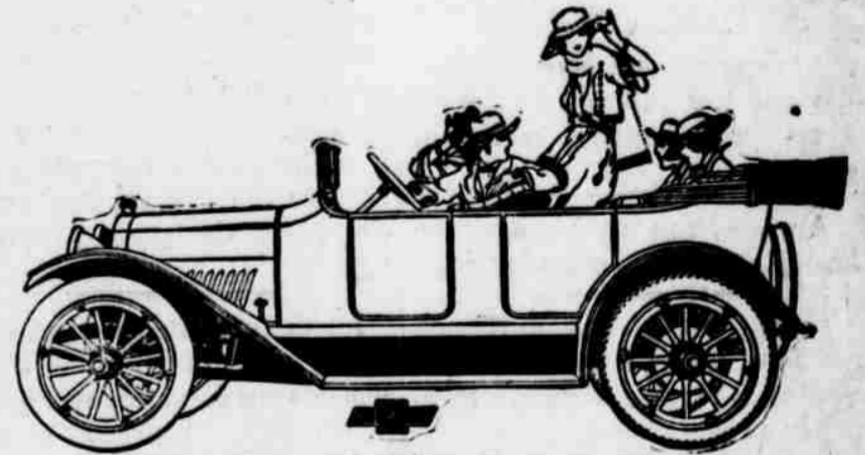
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Model "Four Ninety" \$595 F. O. B. Haskell.

Equipped with Electric Starter and Lighter



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Dealer for Haskell and Knox Counties

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RURAL SCHOOLS WERE VISITED ON TUESDAY

State Rural School Supervisor and County Superintendent Inspected Five Schools in County

On Tuesday of this week a trip of inspection to five of Haskell County rural schools was made by County Superintendent T. C. Williams, in company with L. T. Cunningham, State Rural School Supervisor. Those schools visited were Sayles, Sagerton, Cook, Spring Foster and Cliff. The five schools had made application for State aid under the new rural school aid law plan. Mr. Cunningham stated that all the schools visited had in every sense of the word complied with the requirements, and that these schools will receive aid is now assured. In accordance with Mr. Cunningham and County schools have more than complied with requirements of the aid plan, and he reported everything in excellent condition at the schools visited.

Mr. Cunningham was a very complimentary concerning this county's school system; and he was animated in his praise of the excellent manner in which school matters have been handled by Superintendent Williams. He said everything showed that Mr. Williams had worked diligently in behalf of the schools, and that he succeeded admirably in placing

our rural schools second to none in the State. Mr. Cunningham cited instances to the writer wherein superintendents in other counties had not been on the job as they might have been, the schools of those counties as a consequence being deprived of the State aid. He said that much credit was due Mr. Williams, as he had, perhaps, worked harder for his school than most any other man in the State.

Mr. Cunningham stated that since he has been State Supervisor he has visited more than one hundred and fifty counties, and that none visited were in better conditions as to schools than Haskell. This is indeed a splendid record for Haskell County, one of which all citizens should be proud.

The Grippe Epidemic

While the grippe epidemic that has been prevalent in Haskell for some time appears to have abated, epidemics appear to be raging in many other cities over the state. To such an alarming state did the epidemic reach in Fort Worth that a warning has been issued by the city health officer of that place. Some fatalities have resulted in Fort Worth and other places from the malady. The city physician of Fort Worth in issuing a warning states that the grippe is contagious.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. McFatter returned to their home at McCaulley Wednesday after a short visit in the city. They made the trip overland in their car.



Geraldine Farrar
Appearing in "Carmen" at Dick's Theatre
Saturday, Jan. 1st.

Wanted—A few loads of wood delivered every day at Dick's on subscription. The Free Press Theatre from 2:30 to 6 p. m.

JOYOUS CHRISTMAS IN HASKELL HISTORY

Event Celebrated in Various Ways in the City—Many Kiddies Made Happy by Santa

Christmas was celebrated in Haskell in various ways. It was a joyous time. One thing that made this an eventful Christmas was the fact that the county has enjoyed more abundant prosperity, perhaps than ever before in the history of the town and county.

In many homes it was an occasion of happiness by reason of absent members of families being here to spend the holidays. And it was a joyous time for the little kiddies by reason of the generosity of Old Kris Kringle.

There were many Christmas trees, two being at churches, with many others in private homes. And there were the fire works to make glad the hearts of the youngsters. A nice time was had at the Christmas tree at the Baptist Church, also at the Methodist Church. While Christmas Eve day was cold and blustry, the wind calmed down during the night, and Christmas day was fairly pleasant.

There were few incidents to mar the pleasures of Christmas time here. Of course, there are always a few who have peculiar ideas of the proper way to celebrate Christmas, and there were in evidence a

few who had imbibed a little too freely of egg-nog and other beverages with a "kick." But, all in all, it was a great time for Haskell.

For several days preceding Christmas, it was all the stores could do to care for the purchasers. Especially was this so in those stores where toys were to be had. It was a season of great buying, and Haskell merchants doubtless experienced one of the most prosperous Christmas seasons, from the standpoint of goods sold, in their history. Every day during last week was like a busy Saturday in Haskell. The streets were literally lined with throngs of people.

Notwithstanding the large crowds in town during the week, and the inclination for celebrating the officers had very little difficulty in maintaining splendid order.

Solve This Riddle; Means Money Saved

Are you perplexed—are you uncertain how to stretch your dollars; how to make one dollar do the work of two? If you are, study the following riddle. In it is revealed the secret—where to buy your every-day needs at the lowest price:

RIDDLE:

Before a circle let appear
Twice twenty-five and five in mean
One-fifth of eight you must subtract
And then you have the piece to seal—
LOVE'S Supply Store.

Subscribe for the

Some Good Prices On Colorado Coal

Purity Maitlant, fancy lump \$8.00.
Astecy fancy lump \$7.50.
Forbes fancy lump, \$7.50.
Forbes fancy nut \$6.50.

We will have a car of negro head in a few days that we will guarantee 33 per cent round formation. Price will be \$8.00. Will deliver coal to any part of the City on delivery.

Haskell Ice & Light Co.

Reason For It

Haskell Citizens Show A Way

There can be reason why any one of this who suffers the pain of an aching back, the inconvenience of urinary disorders, and dangers of kidney failure to heed the words of the neighbor who has found relief in what a Haskell woman says:

"C. H. Foote, Haskell, 'My back was very sore and sometimes I couldn't stand to do anything. I suffered badly from rheumatism in my limbs and often became swollen. Doan's Kidney Pills, that I got from the Corner Drug Store, relieved me at once. My back was healed and the pains and sufferings went away after I had used about six boxes of this medicine.'"

Get it at all dealers. Don't ask for a kidney remedy. Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Foote had. Foster-Lum Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Up Your Torpid Liver

Keep your liver active using New Life Pills. They improve digestion, relieve constipation and tone up the whole system. Keep your eye clear and your face fresh and healthy looking. 25c at your druggist. 2

Lost

Are, 15 hands high, 3000 pounds, heavy built, limbs. No brand, slight front feet above hoof. Forward for delivery to Haskell. Notify C. Fox Clark, Throcknorton, Texas.

How to Cure Colds

Exposure and drafts. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from healing balsams and herbs. Dr. King's New Discovery kills and expels cold germs, soothes the irritated throat, reduces inflammation. It heals the membrane. Search as you cannot find a better cold remedy. Its use is a guarantee of 2

ASTHMATISM ARRESTED

People suffer the tortures of asthma and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each successive attack seems more acute until it has invaded the whole system. Rheumatism it is quite as insidious as the asthma. It improves your general health as it purifies the blood, and the cod liver oil is nature's great blood purifier. Its medicinal nourishment to the organs to expel the impurities and build up your strength. Quinine is helping thousands who could not find other relief. Avoid alcoholic substitutes.

MONEY On Ranches, Farms and Unimproved land anywhere in Texas. No loans too large. **PENN LAND CO**

First National Bank Bldg., Wichita Falls, Texas.

Pictures and Lecture At Dick's Christmas

A novel, as well as splendid and instructive program, was given at Dick's Theatre Christmas night. At that time the title of the picture was "The Life of Our Savior." It was a splendid production from all standpoints.

One of the pleasing features of the evening's program was the lectures given by Rev. Jno. D. White. During the progress of the pictures he very highly entertained the spectators with talks and explanations dealing with the pictures upon the screen. In addition to this, a song service that was pleasing was rendered.

Center Point

Hello, one and all. How are you this windy weather?

Health of the community is fine at present.

Everybody seemed to have a joyous Christmas.

Mrs. Gus Patterson and little son, of Goree, arrived Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Patterson.

Mr. Hansford Harris is visiting relatives and friends at Hollister, Okla.

Mr. Luther Kennamer and sisters took Christmas dinner with Mr. Fee.

Miss Mattie Summers and sister, Lucy, were shopping in Haskell last Wednesday.

Mr. J. D. Rhodes and brother, Jim, returned to their home at Crewell Thursday, after a short visit with their father, Mr. A. J. Rhodes.

Mr. Theodore Fullbright, who is attending school at Sagerton, spent the Christmas holidays with home folks.

Mr. Erban Harris came in last week after quite a long visit with his sister, at Hubbard City.

Mr. Alvie Summers and brother Warren, came home Thursday, after a short visit with friends, out east of town.

Mr. Long of Stamford, spent Saturday with his daughter, Mrs. Mamie Cauthen.

Mr. Bill Riley returned home last week from Swisher County, where he went to help his father move, as Mr. Riley and family have moved to that place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fullbright were in Stamford Wednesday.

A small crowd of young folks went to Mr. W. F. Cauthen's Saturday night and had a surprise party. All seemed to have a nice time. Sam Fee stated that he was the author of it, and that he might have another surprise party.

Miss Binnie Cauthen spent Friday night with her aunt, Mrs. Mag-Webb.

Mr. Bob Elmore and wife were shopping in Stamford Thursday.

Mr. John Fullbright and family of near Sagerton, came over in their car Sunday and spent the day with Mr. J. T. Fullbright and family.

Little Miss Bernice Haralson spent Thursday with Miss Oleatha Fullbright.

Messrs. Theodore and Willie Fullbright, Ross and Sam Fee and Atley Haralson, of this place, attended a dance in the Joe Bailey community last Friday night.

Alvie Summers spent Friday night with Bill Riley.

Mark Fee spent Friday with Frank Harris.

Misses Laura and Binnie Cauthen spent Sunday afternoon with their aunt, Mrs. Mamie Cauthen.

Will ring off and leave space for a more gifted writer. Come on, Freck, and all you good writers. Fire Fly.

by Rev. R. E. Smith of De Leon, Texas. C. A. Powell alternate.

Train on W. V. R. R. will be met at Joeslet switch five miles north of Haskell. A cordial invitation to everybody to attend these services.

COMMITTEE

Don't Limpers? Use "Gets-It" and Smile!

Corns Come Right Off, Clean and Quick! You Needn't Limp, or Fuss With Your Corns Any More!

What's the use of sporting a good time for yourself by limping around with those corns? It's one of the most simple, easy "Gets-It" does it



These Corns Come Right Off, Clean As a Whistle, by Using "Gets-It!"

the new way. That's why "Gets-It" has become the corn remedy of America, the biggest selling corn remedy in the world, preferred by millions. Do you remember that "toe-eating" salve you tried that sticky tape that those bundling bandages, the gouging you've done with knives, razors and scissors? Well now, forget them all. No more fussing, no more pain. Whenever you use simple, easy "Gets-It," the corn is doomed, sure. So is every callus, wart or bunion. Never cut corns or calluses to make them grow that much faster and increase the danger of blood poison. No cutting is necessary by using "Gets-It." Use it tonight and end your corny existence. "Gets-It" is sold by all druggists. 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

For Sale by all Dealers

Geraldine Farrar in "Carmen" Saturday

Lovers of the motion picture drama will be accorded a rare treat at Dick's Theatre Saturday of this week. At that time Miss Geraldine Farrar will appear in "Carmen." Miss Farrar is perhaps the most famous of all women artists of today, and her appearance in Haskell will doubtless prove one of the best features ever shown on the screen here.

"Carmen," in which appears Miss Farrar, is released through the Paramount Film Corporation, and it is said that for her work in the production she received an amount almost beyond comprehension.

Cecil DeMille, who made this production is said to have absolutely surpassed himself as a producer, than whom there is probably none better. Thrilling action, magnificent landscapes, beautiful portraits and well constructed drama mark this extraordinary production. Nothing finer in motion pictures has ever been seen.

To Cure Children's Colds

Keep child dry, clothe comfortable, and give Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It is pleasant, soothing, antiseptic, raises phlegm and reduces inflammation. The first dose gives relief, continued treatment with proper care will avoid serious illness or a long cold. Don't let your child suffer. Get a bottle to-day. Insist on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. 25c at druggists. 2

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers State Bank, of Haskell, Texas, will be held at the office of said bank, in the city of Haskell, Texas, at two o'clock p. m., the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1916, the same being the 13th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for said Bank, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. O. E. Patterson Cashier, 51-4t

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROWN QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, M. D.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh for long-standing cases. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill. I wish every suffering woman would give

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."

Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Weinert State Bank, of Weinert, Texas, will be held at the office of said Bank, in the city of Weinert, Texas, at two o'clock p. m., the second Wednesday in January, A. D. 1916, the same being the 12th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for said Bank, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. 51-4t Alvy R. Couch, Cashier.

Notice Cotton Raisers

We will run our gin only Friday and Saturday of next week. Farmers Gin Company.

For Rheumatism

As soon as an attack of Rheumatism begins apply Sloan's Liniment. Don't waste time and suffer unnecessary agony. A few drops of Sloan's Liniment on the affected parts is all you need. The pain goes at once.

A grateful sufferer writes:—"I was suffering for three weeks with Chronic Rheumatism and Stiff Neck, although I tried many many medicines, they failed, and I was under the care of a doctor. Fortunately I heard of Sloan's Liniment and after using it three or four days am up and well. I am employed in the biggest department store in S. F., where they employ from six to eight hundred hands, and they will surely hear all about Sloan's Liniment"—H. B. Smith, San Francisco, Cal.—Jan. 1915. At all druggists. 2

For Sale or Trade

Good livery stable, doing monthly business of from \$300 to \$400 good county seat town, near Fort Worth, included in the list, are: Nine head horses, two cars, twelve buggies, two surries, two busses, one cab. Stable clear of all encumbrance. Will trade for 80 to 160 acres good clear land, or good city property. Apply to T. W. Alderson.

Chambers' Appetite O. K.

E. A. Chambers got here Wednesday morning from Haskell in plenty time to eat up everything there may be of goodies at the home of his father-in-law, G. W. Brown.—Baylor County Banner.

LIV-VER-LAX

All the Effectiveness, Not the Effect, of Calomel.

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

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

If you feel worn out, tongue coated and skin sallow, don't delay until it becomes dangerous, nip the trouble in the bud with LIV-VER-LAX. Insist on the genuine, bearing the signature and likeness of L. K. Grigsby, which is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. For sale by Corne Drug Store.

Baptist Church Announcements

Sunday 9:45—Sunday School and Adult and Young Peoples' Bible Classes.

11:00—Every Member-Present-Rally. All except the sick are most earnestly urged to be present at the laying of the Financial Cornerstone of the New Church Building. We are hoping Bro. Sam Davis of Rule and Bro. D. R. Couch of Aspermont and others will speak. Communion service will follow. Never will your presence and prayers count for as much as they will next Sunday morning!

4:30—New Year. B. Y. P. U. service for election of officers. 7:15—Sermon Subject, "Emancipators." It will be illustrated with beautiful pictures.

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

Reasons Why You Should See Me Before Buying

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

C. JONES, Haskell, Texas

The World is Coming to an End

Monday
Jan. 3

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Before the People of Haskell and Adjoining Counties
Will Ever Have Another Opportunity to Purchase Dr
Goods, Shoes, and Clothing both for Men and Women at such low Pric

\$40,000

We have purchased another Bankrupt Stock at Rockdale, Texas, giving us approximately \$40,000 in these the stocks. These goods must be sold regardless of wholesale price, for we bought them way below. We want to reduce this enormous stock to the lowest possibility by the 15th of January, 1916, at which time we will take stock and prepare for our Spring purchases. We do not want to move one article into our Store No. 1, therefore we are determined to make the prices so low that every vestige will be sold.

We Have No Competition

We have had no competition so far. Some have cried "Junk," "Fake" and "Old shelf worn goods" to try to turn people from this feast of Bargains, but once they enter, they stand amazed, beholding the achievements of

HUNT'S Store No. Two

and purchase our goods with rejoicing.

DON'T LISTEN

To the man who has sold you goods on "tick" charging you almost double therefor, bring your half dollars here and make them look like whole dollars elsewhere. Then, if you want your money back for a purchase, you can get it.

We know these prices will make our competitors sick, but as we do not have to pay the doctor bill, we don't give a rip. Here they are. Read them and get ready for the greatest bargain event of your life

Starts Monday, Jan. 3rd

<p>Men's Clothing</p> <p>\$10.00 Overcoats \$5.98 Carhart Overalls 85c The regular \$1.00 overall 75c</p> <p>Men's Suits at about Half Price</p> <p>We have several hundred shirts, sizes 16 to 18½ which we are going to sell at 49c These are regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.75 sellers.</p> <p>Underwear, both fleece and ribbed for only 49c</p>	<p>One lot men's hats, consisting of Longley, Davis, Buckskin and XX Beaver, this sale only 98c</p> <p>Brand New Davis and La Fontaine Hats, regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 values \$1.98</p> <p>Little boys Rah Rah hats in all the latest colors, regular 60 and 75 cent sellers, at 48c</p> <p>Boys \$10.00 suits \$5.48 Boys \$ 8.50 suits 4.48 Boys \$ 7.50 suits 3.98 Boys \$ 6.50 suits 3.48 Boys \$ 5.00 suits 2.75</p>	<p>Good woolen blankets, regular \$5.00 sellers at only \$2.98 \$2.50 Wool finish blankets \$1.69</p> <p>Good cotton blankets 98c Yard wide bleaching 7½c Yard wide brown domestic 7½c 20 yards good bleaching \$1.00 25 yards good calico \$1.00 20 yards good outing \$1.00 The very best outing 8c Thousands yards of embroidery .. 9c 10c cotton flannel 8c Miles of 5 and 10 cent lace 4c</p>	<p>Ladies' Ready-to-Wear</p> <p>Ladies Coat suits, all sizes, ranging in price from \$10.00 to \$30.00. These will be sold at from \$2.98 to \$10.00 Ladies coats at \$3.98 Any ladies hat 98c Misses Coats \$2.98, \$3.98, and \$4.98 Children's coats \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48 Good sweaters 49c Children's hose, 15c, 20c value, 10c Ladies Corsets of less than wholesale. Flexa-form, D. H. & O., American Beauty, American Lady, and La Resisto. We have several hundred pairs misses and ladies shoes ranging in price from \$2.00 to \$3.50, sizes 2 to 8½, at 98c All other shoes at less than wholesale.</p>
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Our Dress goods department is the most complete in the county. We have trimmings to suit the most fastidious. All the latest colors in embroidery and crochet threads. In fact everything possible in a first class stock.

Give us your Business--- We'll save you many Dollars

North Side
Squares

Store No. 2

HUNT'S

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Square