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SOLOMON DIES WEDNESDAY

Solomon, Sr., died Wednesday at 10:30 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. S. Grand, who lives three miles east of Haskell. He was 86 days of reaching his 78th birthday. He was born in the Alps and lived there until he was 11 years of age. He went from Italy to America, arriving there on the ship 'The Eagle' to New York from America, arriving there on the ship 'The Eagle' in July, 1875, from whence he came to Missouri and lived there five years. His wife died in Missouri and he came to Texas about the year of 1880 where he reared his children and made his home with them until his death.

ST. JONES COUNTY MAN FOR STEALING HARNESS

The sheriff's department arrested a man near Jossalet this week who was charged in Jones county, alleged to have stolen some harness and was taken through the country in a wagon. He was overtaken near Jossalet, where he had been set up and when he was taken to the camp the man was not to be seen, but they found him hiding behind a tank dam nearby. He was placed under arrest and taken over to the Jones county office. He gave the name of Moody to the officers.

MARRS BUILDING FARM HOME.

Marrs, one of our fellow townsmen, is building a 4-room house on the Haskell and Rochester in the Gilliam community and it is completed he will move his family to his new home in the country. Marrs first moved on this farm in 1880 on the other side of the land and lived there until he moved to Haskell several years ago. But he has decided to return to farming again and will be found at his new location as soon as he can get the carpenter work and get building ready.

Improvements at J. E. Grissom Store. J. E. Grissom & Co., have made some improvements at their store on the east side by giving the front a nice coat of paint which has changed the appearance of the building and is more attractive.

BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY



By J. L. MARTIN
Bill Dooley's kids has been blowing a bark whistle ever since he got a new bag pipe in a few days ago. Bill says the boy can make noises on the bag pipe already that sound more like a bark whistle than any noise he heard the kids make on the bag pipe. **PIPE:** Origin and purpose unknown. It is classed with musical instruments, but was probably originally a lung tester. It is composed of a bag into which are fastened a number of hollow reeds. By blowing into the bag, the air passing out through the reeds produces sounds which some persons declare resemble the notes of a musical instrument.

BUSINESS MANAGER OF A. C. C. LECTURED HERE SUNDAY

Elder O. E. Phillips, business manager of the Abilene Christian College, gave a lecture here at the Church of Christ Sunday evening which has been the cause of much favorable comment among the brethren that heard the address. His principal thoughts were along the lines of evolution and other subjects that have been under discussion in the religious ranks here of late.

PROGRAM FOR NEXT HIGH SCHOOL LYCEUM

Below is given the program for the next High School Lyceum number, to be given at the High School auditorium Friday February 26th, at 7:30 p. m.

Orchestra.
Piano Solo—Marjorie Rogers.
Vocal Solo—Miss Taylor.
Declamation—Henry Wilson.
Vocal Solo—Maurine Couch.
Piano Solo—Mrs. John Pace.
Chorus from Seventh Grade—Miss Barkley, director.
Vocal Duet—The Taylor Sisters.
Reading—Mrs. Earnest Grissom.
Trombone Solo—Ela Stanley.
Chorus—High School Glee Club.
Piano Duet—Katherine Rike and Marjorie Rogers.

Play by the First and Second Grades
—Miss Eula Seibach, director.
Orchestra—High School.
Piano Solo—Mildred Darnell.
Drill—Girls from Bear Cat Literary Society.
Chorus—Curtain Literary Society.
Vocal Solo—Frederick Elkins.
Violin Solo—Mary Ella Pace.
Flute Solo—John W. Whitaker.
Chorus—Bear Cat Literary Society.

This is going to be another 50 cent program but we are going to charge only 10 and 15 cents. This program is going to be very interesting and entertaining and you will have to come early to get a good seat. Let us crowd the house and thus encourage our schools, our children and our teachers. Haskell is the only town in Texas that has the privilege of attending these school lyceum programs. These programs are being talked of all over West Texas.

WILL OPEN DRY GOODS STORE HERE

I. A. Silverberg and H. Fliegenbaum of Munday were in the city Wednesday and closed a lease on the corner building occupied by the White Cash Grocery, with the intention of opening a dry goods store in Haskell in the near future.

These gentlemen have charge of the Munday Dry Goods Company, one of the largest stores in Munday.

RULE MAN WANTED IN OKLAHOMA FOR FORGERY

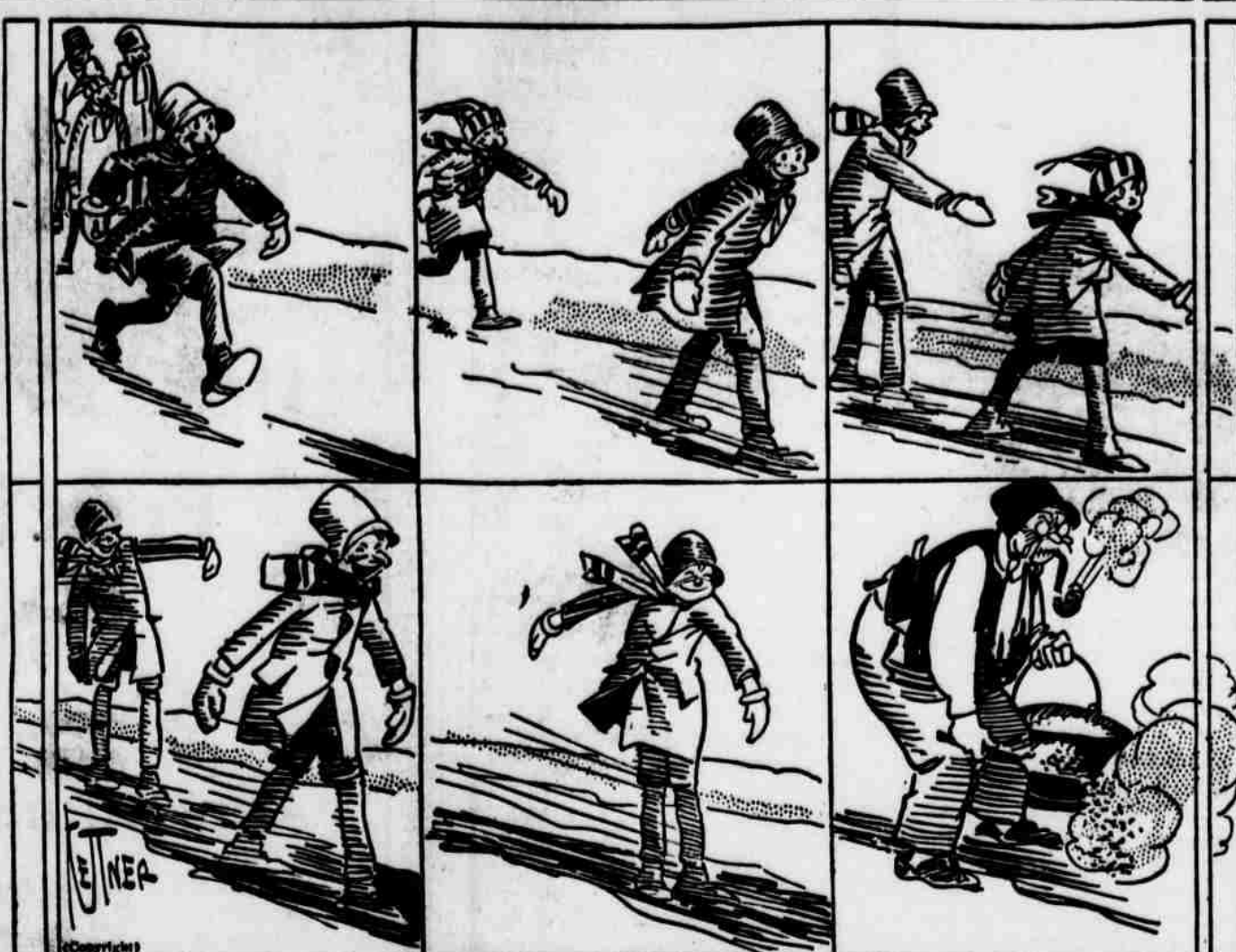
S. D. Frailey, who has made his home at Rule for the past year, was arrested by the county officials last week on a charge of alleged forgery from Oklahoma. The man arrested was reported to have been a good citizen since he has lived at Rule and those who knew him had no thought of his being accused of any law violation. He remained in jail here for a few days and then gave his consent to go back and stand his trial at Arappah, Okla., where he is alleged to have committed the offense. He was turned over to the Oklahoma officers the first of the week.

MRS. T. E. WRIGHT WILL TAKE CHARGE OF INN AT SPUR

Mrs. T. E. Wright and son Byron of this city have arranged to go to Spur where Mrs. Wright will take charge of the Spur Inn as manager. They will begin their new duties on the first of February. The Spur Inn is one of the most beautiful and commodious hotels in West Texas and Mrs. Wright's experience in the hotel business won for her the responsible place.

We regret to give up Mrs. Wright and her son from this city but we wish them success and happiness in their new location. Mrs. Wright has many friends among the traveling public who will be glad to know that she is going back in the hotel business.

The End of a Perfect Day



HARDY GRISSOM BUYS BOONE RANCH

Hardy Grissom, one of our progressive merchants has purchased what is known as the Boone ranch between Haskell and Weimert and has at this time five residences on the tract and each is occupied by a family of farmers who will make a crop on the land this year. When we get more farmers on the lands of this country that are now big pastures then we will begin to grow in population and wealth that we are entitled to possess. Mr. Grissom is to be congratulated on this work and we hope to see other lands put into cultivation as fast as possible. Mr. Grissom has put other lands in cultivation in the past and sold it to the farmers who are now contented home owners of Haskell county. Hardy is doing a great work in this line.

KNOX COUNTY SINGERS HOLD SESSION AT MUNDAY

Sunday afternoon was the occasion for a real good time to all lovers of good singing who attended the Knox County Singing Convention which met in the City Hall at Munday. The house was called to order at the appointed hour of two o'clock by the president, A. M. Reaves and after singing a song Rev. J. O. Heath, pastor of the First Baptist Church, offered a prayer. A program was arranged and W. N. Reynolds of Knox City was called to the floor as first leader, followed by W. M. Free of Haskell, J. J. Kell of Munday Lee Copeland of Goree, Burrell Justice of Goree, S. A. Bowden of Munday, M. E. Cox of Munday, Mr. Ragan of Munday, C. H. McKinney of Munday, and S. A. Johnson of Munday. Several special songs and quartettes were arranged. The Munday Quartette, J. J. Keel, C. H. McKinney, W. F. Henderson and J. O. Bowden, rendered two songs which were very good. M. E. Cox arranged a quartette which was appreciated by the congregation. Lee Copeland arranged and excellent duet. The whole afternoon was enjoyed by all, and the people were loath to go away. After the benediction had been said, several remained and sang a few more songs. The next meeting place will be at Knox City the second Sunday afternoon in February. Remember the place and date, and come.

Cedric Sanders Improving

Cedric Sanders, who is attending the State University at Austin, is reported back in his classes after having undergone a successful operation for appendicitis. He is the son of Judge and Mrs. P. D. Sander of this city. He was at home during the holidays and was stricken with appendicitis soon after returning back to Austin. All the friends of the family will be glad to learn that Cedric has recovered and is now back at his studies.

ELECTRIC PUMP WILL BE INSTALLED AT CITY WELLS

The city of Haskell is planning to install an electric pump at the new well that will soon be put down at the water works and also one at the old well, which will, according to the opinion of the city officials, cut the pumping expenses half, which will be a big saving in the city's expense account. The present City "Dads" are looking after the betterment of the city through economic management.

HASKELL GIRL HURT IN WICHITA FALLS

Miss Leona Solomon, of Haskell was painfully if not seriously injured at Tenth and Lamar, Monday afternoon when the Ford car in which she was riding collided with an oil truck. Miss Solomon was thrown from the car and into the truck, striking her head against the truck.

She was taken to the general hospital for medical attention; it is not thought that her injuries will prove serious. Her father and mother who were in the car at the time of the accident were unhurt. The car was badly damaged; the front wheels and radiator were completely demolished.

The above article was taken from the Wichita Daily Times of Tuesday January 16th. It is believed to be the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Solomon, mon, who reside near Haskell, that is injured.

FOUNDER OF LYNN ORPHAN WORK ON ANNUAL VISIT HERE

Captain J. T. Lynn, founder of the Lynn Orphan Work, and known over Texas as the man with the baby and the basket, is here this week in the interest of his work. Captain Lynn says that this is the tenth year in this special work of placing dependent babies in private christian homes by adoption.

"A non-sectarian work without a charge for services. We place any dependent baby regardless of unfortunate birth," he said. "I will go anywhere for a baby that must be placed, take them at any age, the younger the better for the child and all concerned. Three of the babies I placed this year, I carried in my basket a distance of 600 miles, cared for them at hotels, doing their feeding and washing and adopted them as legal, lawful heirs before they were three days old and all are happy and doing well.

"The Lord has been good to us," he said, "and the people everywhere are good to us. My wife and I are complimentary guests at most all first class hotels in Texas and Oklahoma where we work and most of the railroads have given us transportation in Texas. The newspapers in our territory find homes for most of our babies."

BROTHER OF J. A. FRAZIER MURDERED

Lee Frazier of Falls County, a brother of J. A. Frazier of this city, was murdered last Saturday at the home of Lee Dewitt, where he was living. His lifeless body was found at 2:30 in the afternoon by Mr. Dewitt who had been away since early morning, and on return found the body of Mr. Frazier as above described and reported it to the officers.

The murder seems to be a mystery, and Mr. Frazier here can not think of any reason why his brother was murdered. There is a long article in the Daily Democrat of Marlin telling what is known of the murder, but it is mostly conjecture of ideas based on circumstances, as nothing definite is known. He was shot with a shot gun and three shots are indicated to have been fired by the murderer. It is thought robbery might have been the cause of the tragedy but there is some little evidence that it was not. No arrests have been made and nothing is known by Mr. Frazier here only what was contained in the daily paper from Marlin of the sad affair.

COLLINS NOVELTY DUO NEXT LYCEUM COURSE NUMBER

The next number of the White-Myers Lyceum will be given by the Collins Novelty Duo, Saturday night, February 27th at the High School building. This is going to be a very interesting musical entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Collins are artists in their line. Mr. Collins plays with rare skill the cornet and the violin and Mrs. Collins is a finished performer on the piano and saxophone. These skilled musicians have a great treat in store for us. We hope you will make your arrangements to come. The Committee needs about \$100.00 having enough money to pay for these entertainments and there is only one more number after this to come. Let us all come and back them up. You will get your money's worth at 35c and 75c. Do not forget the time and the place. It would be a reflection on our town if this committee should have to go down into their pockets for money to pay for this course. We can not afford to let them do this and they will not have to do it if we will come out to the last two entertainments.

Moves to Rochester

W. K. Bagwell, who has been with R. V. Robertson Dry Goods Co. here for the past year, is now moving his family to Rochester where he has embarked in business for himself. Mr. Bagwell formerly lived in Rochester and was connected with the Greenwald firm there for many years. He is well known there and he many friends who will welcome him back to his old home. We regret to give up this good family but wish them success in the new business enterprises.

UNCLE FELIX GOSE DIES MONDAY

Monday morning January 15th, at 7 o'clock the spirit of Felix Gose passed from a long and useful career to his reward in Heaven. Long life was granted unto him and he was spared the infirmities of old age, as he was active until his last illness which was of short duration. He was born in Sullivan County, Mo., September 25, 1837, passing into his 85th year last September. He has lived many years in Texas and served four years in the Confederate Army and was in many battles but was never wounded. He was never married and made his home with his relatives most of his life. He was living with his nephew, Dr. J. M. Gose and family when he died and he was loved by them as a father and his pleasures in life were never neglected. Uncle Felix as he was called has made many friends here since he has made Haskell his home. He always had a pleasant word and a smile to give to all.

Funeral services were held at the residence of Dr. J. M. Gose Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. S. L. Culwell, pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city, after which his remains were moved to Willow Cemetery where Judge J. G. Gose of Decatur and Judge John Lee Smith of Throckmorton both paid a beautiful tribute to the life so loyal, faithful and true, at the grave, after which his body was tenderly placed in its last resting place to await the coming of the morning of the resurrection.

Mrs. T. J. Waggoner and son, T. J. Jr., S. M. Gose, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mack and Felix Gose, Jr., of Wichita Falls, were all present at the funeral.

GIRL ALMOST SUFFOCATED BY EXHAUST FROM CAR

M. D. Underwood was in the city Saturday and related to us a circumstance that might have resulted in the death of his 5-year-old girl had it not been for timely discovery of the serious condition of the child. He, with his family, were coming from Eastland county in a Ford car during the holidays. The little girl was asleep covered with some wraps on the floor of the car between the seats. They noticed when she began kicking violently and plunging about that something was the matter with her and when they took the wraps from her it seemed that life was gone. Mr. Underwood gave her fresh air and pumped her arms up and down until she began breathing. It proved that she was overcome by the escaping gas from the exhaust pipe of the car and had it not been for quick work on the part of Mr. Underwood the child could not have been brought back to life. Mr. Underwood said that he read of two children that were found dead in a car in the same way and they never came back to life and he firmly believes that his child would have been dead in a few moments more had he not noticed her just at the time and gave her immediate attention.

BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY



By J. L. MARTIN
Len Gardener, who always did like his "licker," came near getting drunk last Sunday night. A fellow sneaked up to Len's house with some real "moonshine," which he offered to sell to Len for twenty dollars a quart. All that Len lacked of getting drunk, was, he didn't have the twenty dollars.

MOONSHINE: The ghost of departed "spirits." Bill Sam's Dictionary, page 637.

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SCHOOL NEWS

This week is being devoted to the term examinations, the grading of papers and the recording of grades. It will work the teachers very hard to get through this week so that we can start off on the new term's work Monday. The teachers are working day and night grading their papers.

We never had a corps of teachers to work harder than our teachers are working. They are leaving nothing undone on their part to do good, thorough work in the teaching of their pupils. They have planned their work well and their presentation of their daily lessons is as good as can be found in any school system in Texas and better than can be found in three-fourths of the schools. They have also done everything they could to encourage, inspire and interest their pupils in their work. This is one of the big factors in a school system, creating the proper environment and school spirit. As a result of this policy, most of the pupils enjoy their schools and are vitally interested in their work. They had rather be in school than in any other place. When pupils do like their schools you may know that there is nothing wrong.

The pupils are working hard in their examinations. Those that have had preparation in the grades behind, whose past work has been thorough, and who have worked hard and conscientiously during this term will come out successfully. But if they did not know the work of the grades behind them or if they have loafed on their work and have not worked hard in school and out of school, they will fall in their work. Of course we want all of our pupils to pass in their work but can not afford to pass them if they do not make their work. A school system that has not a good standard for the promotion of its pupils, one in which politic or favoritism prevails is not worthy of the support of any people. As long as we are at the head of a school system these conditions will not prevail.

We had quite a compliment paid to the English work of the our high school this last week. We were favored with a visit from Miss Olga Juniger of Austin, who represents the state fire commissioner, and who has charge of the fire instruction in the schools. Miss Collin's English classes had just written essays on "Fire Losses and Fire Prevention." Miss Juniger read a number of these essays and she said they were the best essays she had read on this subject, especially the essays by the eighth grade pupils. This is quite a compliment for Miss Collin's work and our schools.

Next Monday starts off the new term's work. It is the beginning of the last half-year of school. We earnestly ask all parents to see that their children work harder this coming term than many of them worked the last term. We will do our part in the schools. If you will see that your children go to but few picture shows and social attractions, and then only on Friday or Saturday nights, and see that they study from two to three hours each school night at home (for high school pupils) and from one to three hours for the grade pupils, the school results will be much more satisfactory for your school children and their character building will be much more conducive to the development of the right kind of characters. On account of our loose discipline and the lack of interest we take in the picture shows our children attend and the recreations they indulge in, we are preparing to reap the whirlwind. It has never been so difficult as now to get boys and girls down to hard work, to think seriously, to like the proper kind of amusements, to live the right kind of religious lives. God is going to hold us parents responsible for this condition. We had better wake up, parents, and give better co-operation with the schools and also the churches, if we desire to save our children much sorrow and failure in life.

On Friday, the 26th, we will have our monthly school luncheon program. This appears in another part of the paper.

Brother Hooker made a fine talk to the literary societies last Wednesday. These societies are doing some good work now. Miss Hardy Grissom's piano solos were also greatly enjoyed on this occasion.

We are going to make application for four and one half more credits in affiliation this year and if we secure them, this will give us 26 credits of affiliation with the University and the other colleges of the state. This will rank the Haskell high school along with the ten per cent best high schools in Texas.

We are also going to make application for membership in the All Southern Accredited List of High Schools, which will mean, if we are admitted to membership, that the graduates from the Haskell high school can enter, without examination, any college or university of the south, which would be worth a great deal to the Haskell high school and it would be a big advertisement for Haskell as only about 40 or 50 high schools are on this list. In fact, if we get on this list our high school graduates will be entitled to enter any university or college in the U. S. with the exception of about six privately endowed universities, which require all pupils to stand an entrance examination.

Mr. Leho is working up a short course in agriculture for the farmers around Haskell. Every progressive farmer should take advantage of this course. This course will be a great help to any farmer that thinks and reads and that believes in scientific farming. The farmer that uses science in his farming is the farmer that is going to succeed in the future.

McCONNELL

The farmers of this section are still plowing but think the land is going to soon get too hard until it rains.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rodgers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Bland. Ulner Connelly spent the week-end at the Graham home.

Miss Densil Davis of Stamford spent Sunday with Miss Jessie Ree Bland.

Ross Chapman spent Thursday night with Thomas Cauthen.

A. E. Chapman is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman.

The young people enjoyed a singing Sunday night at Walter Graham's.

The girls of McConnell and Center Point played a good game of basketball at McConnell Saturday afternoon, the score being 15 to 20 in favor of Center Point.

Mrs. C. Fisher is visiting relatives south of Stamford this week.

Hershell Owens and family called on Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Bland Sunday afternoon.

Louie Gibson of Rule is visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Forsythe.

Rev. Geo. H. Morrison went to Haskell in a car and after his arrival there and recreation at the home of Capt. J. F. Pinkerton, father of Mrs. Morrison, kell in a car and after his arrival there Mr. Morrison was driven over to Haskell that he enjoyed the trip hugely and felt decidedly better for the sunshine and the invigorating ozone incident to the outdoor trip. Rev. Morrison has a ranch in New Mexico, near the mountains, to which the family have been planning a possible visit by auto some time during the coming month, partly for the health giving value the automobile trip would probably be to Rev. Morrison.—Stamford Leader.

J. A. Mapes, one of the leading farmers, was in town Saturday and called around to see us while in the city. Mr. Mapes is one of the continued readers of the Free Press and has his subscription paid two years in advance.

J. B. Barton, a young farmer of Route 1., was in the city Saturday. Jesse is a new reader of the Free Press.

G. W. Davis, a progressive farmer living south of town, was here Saturday and made a call at our office while here.

Miss Aggie Baker left Thursday on a visit to Hamilton. Miss Shannon is assisting in the postoffice during her absence.

Mr. W. R. Chapman, a lawyer of Anson was in town Wednesday, being up on a visit to his brother at Marcy. Mr. Chapman ran a close race for the district attorneyship in his district last fall.

We learned yesterday that Mr. G. A. Lambeth had sold his place, 320 acre near Clift, for a little better than ten dollars an acre. We understand that Mr. Lambeth will buy another farm in this county.

Mrs. Clarence Lemmon is visiting her mother, Mrs. F. G. Wilfong, at this place.

Mr. T. G. Carney is remodeling the grocery department of his store building.

Mr. Will Baker of the Baker-Bryant Co. Munday, was here Tuesday.

Dr. M. T. Griffith moved into his new residence in the northeast part of town this week.

The cold, rainy, disagreeable weather several days this week checked the cotton movement from the farms to the gins and market.

The professional cards of Drs. Neathery and Griffith is changed to A. G. Neathery this week. He retains the same office, southwest corner of the square.

Mr. Lee Pierson spent several days on his ranch this week. He says e has been plowing and sowing oats, but—

A party of six negroes from Albany arrived and went into camp on the spring branch south of town Wednesday evening. They told someone that they are waiting here with the expectation of going to work on the Haskell railroad.

The Presbyterians have let the contract to paint their church edifice to Mr. J. F. Farley.

The Masonic District Deputy Organizer, goes to Moran to-day to install a newly chartered lodge at that place.

Mr. W. C. Stanton and Miss Lena Williams of the southern part of the county drove in Wednesday, the 14th inst., and were married by County Judge D. H. Hamilton. The Free Press joins their friends in wishing that their life's voyage may be pleasant and prosperous.

We were misinformed last week in stating that Miss Murray of Alvord came home with Miss Maude Hunt—it was Miss Mattie Cornegys who came and she is visiting at Mr. Grissom's.

Mr. McCulloh says that since most of the dogs were poisoned the coyotes have gotten several of his chickens. He didn't know whether the depredating coyotes were of the two legged or four legged variety.

Messrs M. S. Pierson, G. R. Couch, Lee Pierson and S. W. Scott, stockholders in the First National bank of Aspermont, will go over tomorrow to attend a meeting of its stockholders to be held on the 20th.

Rev. C. N. Williams of the Christian church arrived here Friday night of last week and conducted services at the Christian church up to Wednesday night, when, by action of the church, he was called as its pastor, which he accepted. He left Thursday for his home at Jennings, La., to close up his affairs there, when he will return to Haskell, probably in two weeks.

J. J. Joins, living on the Shook ranch near the open section 12 miles north of town, was in the city Saturday and made this office a very pleasant visit.

Worth Selling is Worth Telling Advertise!



Ford

Interesting Facts

106,327 Ford Cars and Trucks Retailed in November

Approximately the same number scheduled for delivery this month

What Does This Mean?

This volume of deliveries to actual owners is entirely unprecedented for this time of the year—

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It indicates a volume of business during the rapidly approaching months of "heavy demand" which will be far beyond the maximum production schedule which the Ford Motor Company has set—

And that means a Ford shortage even more acute than the one which existed last Spring and Summer.

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This emphasizes more strongly than anything we could possibly say the necessity of your making prompt arrangements with a Ford Dealer for the listing of your order, particularly if you are contemplating the purchase of a Ford Car or Truck for use this Spring or Summer.

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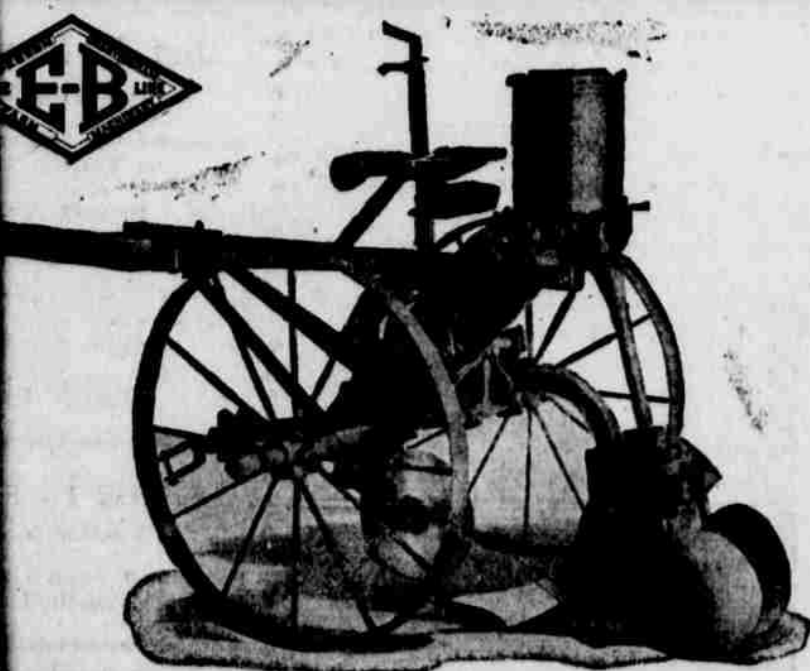
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SAGERTON

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lee were called to Spur Thursday morning by the death of Mr. Lee's brother. The deceased was a man in the prime of life, but stricken with an attack of influenza he developed pneumonia and died while on the way to the sanitarium at Spur.

While the stag party is not what it used to be in the pre-Volstead days, it can still be made a very enjoyable affair and the one given by Mr. Mason Martin in honor of his birthday last Friday night was no exception. Assisted by his mother, Mrs. J. W. Martin, Mr. Martin entertained the following guests with forty-two and various other games: E. E. Luck, D. Hale, Mr. Turner, Claude Smith, Norman Kelley, Tol Clark, J. V. Everheart, and T. J. Ratliff. D. Hale and Norman Kelley are entitled to first honors at forty-two, while T. J. Ratliff and Tom Clark won the booby prize, the latter pair playing six games and losing all. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, punch and cigars were served. The party closed with all wishing Mac many happy returns of the day.

A pair of aviators visited Sagerton Sunday afternoon offering to take passengers up at a rate of \$5.00 a trip, but as none of Sagerton's citizens felt like flying they soon left for Rule hoping to find more ambitious ones.

Constable Bell arrested a young man Saturday night on suspicion and later held him on information from the Hamlin officers that he was wanted at that place. He gave Bonham as his home address but said that he had been several places lately and managed to be arrested at most of all of them. He is being held by the Jones county officers.

Carl Sager, son of W. M. Sager for whom the town of Sagerton was named, and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Caudle, was fatally injured at Chillicothe last Friday while attempting to start an engine in a flour mill. A compressed air pipe burst and a fragment crushed his skull, the young man dying in the Sanitarium at Quannah. He was well known in Sagerton, having been born and reared here, but later moving with his parents to Chillicothe where he followed the trade of machinist. All Sagerton extend their sympathy to the bereaved family.

Sagerton's first scheduled basketball game will be played on the Sagerton court Saturday, January 27, when the local girls meet the Rule high girls. Sagerton will play five games this season, three on the home court, which are expected to be well attended. The Sagerton boys did not enter the Interscholastic League because of their small size, but will be glad to arrange games with any non-league teams averaging 130 pounds in weight.

Miss Kate Marie Park is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. V. Everheart.

Miss Clota Martin spent last week in Abilene visiting friends.

ROBERTS

(Delayed last week.)

The health of this community is not very good at this writing. Almost everyone is suffering from colds.

Rev. C. Jones filled his regular appointment at this place Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. J. C. Lewellen and children spent Sunday evening with Mrs. T. H. Woolsey and children.

J. H. Wetzel and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Powell.

Slover Bledsoe of the Cottonwood community attended church at this place Sunday night.

E. B. Callaway and Miss Ivy Lewellen were quietly married Saturday night, December 29th at the home of Rev. P. W. Walthall in Haskell. We all wish this happy young couple a long and prosperous life.

Mr. McClintock has moved to this community from the Howard community. We are glad to have this family with us.

The Roberts boys and girls played basket ball with the Cottonwood boys and girls Friday. The scores were 14 to 0 in favor of the Roberts girls and our boys were defeated by 2 points. The girls have a dandy team. If any

one wishes to play them just whistle. Gent Owsley is improving at this writing. He came from California here to visit his parents during Christmas, and while here became sick. His wife arrived Saturday night to be with him during his illness. We are glad to state that he is improving nicely.

Around Our Town

A. F. Force was here Saturday on business.

Mrs. J. B. Smith of Stamford was in the city Monday.

J. J. Howard of Kirkdale was in the city Friday on business.

T. A. Payne of south of town was here on business Monday.

Carl Fisher of McConnell was in the city Saturday on business.

Dr. W. M. Crume of Rochester was here on business Saturday.

J. L. Kitchens was here from Foster community on business Saturday.

Alex Jones of Plainview was a business visitor to our city Monday.

Justice J. W. Gammill of Rochester was in the city Monday on business.

F. A. West, a progressive farmer from Foster was here Saturday on business.

Lloyd Scott of Anson spent the weekend with Perry B. Patterson of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gibson of the Oats farm, were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Underwood were in the city from Howard shopping last Friday.

Commissioner and Mrs. George Taylor of Cottonwood were in the city Saturday.

J. H. Patterson and son, J. R., were here from Paint Creek Saturday on business.

Misses Mamie Mapes and Tillee Atchison of Roberts were shopping in the city Saturday.

Demmett Hughes of the Hughes ranch on Paint Creek was in the city Saturday on business.

E. W. Kreger was here Friday on business. He is one of our best farmers living north of town.

J. J. Pennington was in the city Saturday. John is one of our best young farmers and lives out on Route 2.

J. W. Whited of Rule, who is the local manager for the Haskell Telephone Company, was here on business Saturday.

Editor E. B. Harris of the Rule Review was in the city Sunday night and Monday morning visiting relatives and friends.

The Magazine Club presents a "Mock Majestic" at the High School auditorium Thursday night Jan. 25. Don't miss it.

J. P. Ashley was in the city Saturday transacting business. Mr. Ashley lives at Pinkerton where he owns a good farm.

A. G. Macon of Macon Bros. grain dealers of Rochester, and farmer W. L. Beachamp were business visitors in our city Saturday.

J. E. Mapes of Roberts was here Saturday on business. Mr. Mapes is one of our best farmers and a regular reader of his home paper.

J. B. Stovall, living east of town was in the city Saturday. John says he is plowing right along and is about half done for the 1923 crop.

Will Harper of Foster was in the city Friday on business. Will is a progressive farmer and a booster for the farmers of Haskell county.

Lee Stephens was on the streets Friday. He reports just completing the painting of two new buildings on the Hardy Grissom ranch north of town.

F. T. Turbyfill of the Foster community was in the city Saturday. Mr. Turbyfill has lived in the Foster community and is known as one of Foster's best farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hardeman of Sayles were here Saturday. Mr. Hardeman brought a large bucket of fresh eggs to sell which means a big reduction in living expenses.

Shelby Harris, a prosperous young farmer of southwest of town, was in the city Friday on business. Shelby is a regular reader of his home paper and makes a success farming.

D. Vincent of Gracemont, Oklahoma, was in the city Friday on business. He is a reader of the Free Press and likes to get the news from Haskell county where he has many friends.

O. H. Cauble, Muenster, Cook county who is visiting J. W. Lyle and I. V.

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Marrs, was in the city Saturday. He reports an oil boom starting up near Muenster and things are getting pretty lively.

J. W. Harless, who has recently moved to the Leon Gilliam farm and will make a crop there in 1923. Mr. Harless is a good farmer and we are glad to welcome him to our adjoining farm territory.

W. O. Sargent and his son Charles of Pleasant View were in the capital city Friday. They are good farmers and good citizens of Haskell county, and live in one of the best farming sections of west Texas.

W. H. Wiseman of Sayles was in the city Saturday on business. Mr. Wiseman is one of our best farmers, owns a well improved farm and is always on the job of farming every day in the year.

J. O. Merchant and Erick Opetz of Cottonwood were here Saturday on business. Mr. Merchant says he is plowing right along getting ready for the planting of his 1923 crop and wants to be ready to plant on time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilnot Daugherty and little son, Rupert, spent Saturday and Sunday at home. They are teaching the school at Funston in Jones county and are getting along nicely. Haskell is still their home and when school is out they will return.

Oscar Osborn of Seymour was here Saturday night, returning Sunday. He at one time was a Haskell school boy and has been proprietor of the Seymour picture show until recently. He sold out to his partner and is now traveling for a film company.

H. W. Richey, who tried other parts for awhile has moved back to Haskell and bought a place west of town. He still has the Poland China hogs and about 135 White Leghorn hens which he says are doing fine in egg production. They all come back.

Miss Fannie Kay, who is teaching at Gaunt in the city Saturday. Miss Kay has taught many schools in the county and has made a wonderful record as an instructor that needs no word of comment, as her work recommends her wherever she is known.

W. J. Jenkins, of Munday, Route 1, near Lone Star was a visitor to our city Saturday. W. J. is one of those jolly fellows who makes his friends happy with a smile and a good word on all occasions. He is now a reader of the Free Press and would like to get two each week.

A. Chaney of Brazos River section of Haskell county was in the city Saturday. Hr. Chaney said that he owned 900 acres of good land but that Mrs. Chaney made the living with chickens, eggs and butter. He says it is no trouble to tell from what source he gets his living.

J. D. Adkins, one of our good farmers living west of town, was on the streets Saturday. J. D. has been a reader of the Free Press for many years and believes in his county paper. He never

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G. W. Moeller of east of town was in the city Monday. He brought his little son to the doctor for examination. He seemed to have symptoms of an attack of appendicitis, but the examination did not show the little fellow to have the disease. George has been plowing and says he is needing rain very badly.

S. A. Loe, a good farmer who now lives on the Winchester farm near the Open Section, was in the city Saturday on business. Mr. Loe has reared a family of splendid boys and girls and he is still able to get about and work and look after his farm interest. We are always glad to see this good man visit to our capital city.

W. T. Brite who has been located in the Gilliam community for several years but moved to the Grissom ranch on the Weinert and Haskell road, was in the city Saturday on business and says he likes his new location fine. Hardy Grissom has built several new residences on what is called the Boone ranch on the Weinert and Haskell road and will put the lands into cultivation.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership and Intention to Incorporate

Notice is hereby given that the partnership now existing under the firm name of Jones, Cox & Company, will be dissolved by mutual consent on Feb. 1, 1923; and that the members of said firm will make application to the Secretary of State at Austin, Texas, for articles of incorporation under the name of "Jones, Cox & Company" under subdivision 25 of Article 1121 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas. Dated at Haskell, Texas, this the 4th day of January, 1923.

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PAY YOUR POLL TAX

Let us all not forget to pay our Poll Tax in the next few days. Every man and woman in Haskell and Haskell county should do this for it is a duty we owe our State and our schools. Remember, you are helping the schools when you do this, for one dollar out of the \$1.75 goes to the public school fund and the public schools are in great need of money. If we let our public schools go to the bad our civilization is gone. If Haskell does not support her public schools properly, Haskell will suffer very greatly. Every good citizen will back our public schools. There are a number of us in Haskell that send children to school that do not have property on which to pay school taxes. We can at least pay our poll tax and thus support our schools that much. Every young man and woman in Haskell should pay their poll tax and thus show their appreciation in this small way for what the schools have done for them. Whatever success they may have achieved in life they owe to the public schools. So let us pay our poll tax not later than Monday for fear we wait until it is too late.

PIONEER CITIZEN DIES AT ELECTRA MONDAY

J. J. Cabe, old Electra citizen, who has been here since the place was a cow path, died at his home Monday of apoplexy. The deceased is survived eight children, three of whom live here. Funeral services will be conducted from the Methodist church and interment will take place in the Electra cemetery. The children surviving him are: Mrs. Stella Moade, Carl and Jodie Cabe, all of Electra, Mrs. Eula Baker, Thrall, Texas, C. L. Cabe, Westville, Okla., R. L. Cabe, Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Dora Simpson, Westville, Okla., and Mrs. Mollie Donaldson, of Parsons, Kansas.—Electra Star.

Mr. Cabe was a brother-in-law to J. C. Montgomery of the Whitt Chapel community and Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery and son, Howard, attended the funeral.

MANY BIG ATTRACTIONS BOOKED BY LOCAL THEATRE

Ed Robertson, manager of the Haskell Theatre, announces this week that he recently closed a contract with the Paramount Company for 42 of their latest releases. Mr. Robertson states that this will enable the theatre-goers of this city to see some of the latest and best Paramount Pictures at the same time they are shown in the larger cities.

Among the pictures booked for showing here in the near future are "Human Hearts," "Blood and Sand," "The Young Rajah," "Manslaughter," "Nice People," and many others. Such stars as Gloria Swanson, Rudolph Valentino, Mary Miles Minter, Wallace Reid, Lila Lee, Poli Negri and a great many others, appear only in Paramount Pictures.

The first offering of Paramount Pictures will be "The Dictator" which will be shown here February 1st.

A. F. Force was here Saturday on business.

ROMANCE OF WORDS

"CONFETTI." SIGNIFYING literally "confectionery," this Italian word was originally applied to the small hard bon-bons formerly thrown during the carnival days in Rome, Naples and other cities in the southern section of Europe. These candies are known as coriandoli, and the term "confetti" is applied to the cheaper and more popular substitutes—hard pellets about the size of a halfpenny which are carried in bags by the masked revellers and thrown from tin ladders.

The custom of throwing confetti was introduced into France several centuries ago, and was especially popular at the fetes of Mi-Cureme (Mid-Lent) and Mardi-Gras (Shrove Tuesday). But the French, possibly because they took their pleasure less seriously than the Italians, substituted bits of gaily colored paper for the hard pebbles or candies, and when the custom was introduced into the United States by the French settlers of Louisiana and other sections, confetti was understood to mean only the scraps of paper.

The amount of confetti used in Paris is apparent from an account of one of the Mardi-Gras celebrations, when it was estimated by one of the local newspapers that 1,500,000 pounds were sold during the three days preceding Ash Wednesday. At an average price of twenty cents a pound, some \$300,000 was spent upon this form of amusement alone. (Copyright by the Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)



AN INDUCEMENT
She: Really, if you persist in making love to me every time you call I shall have to ask you to discontinue your visits.
He: Darling, be my wife and I'll promise never to speak another word of love to you as long as I live.

SOCIETY and Club

Snow Party
Mrs. J. R. Mauldin gave a snow party honoring her Sunday School class Friday evening.

The snow motif was carried out in all the games and the refreshments. The home was beautifully decorated with artificial snow and white crepe paper.

There was a snow ball game with balls made of cotton and crepe paper. Then an ice hunt in which the guests were asked to find words ending in ice. Also a heavy frost game. The refreshments were pop corn balls and marshmallows in miniature baskets lined with white.

The following were present: Miss Lillian Smith and Riley Squires, Virginia Walthall and Hugh Ratliff, Kathryn Smith and Roy Killingsworth, Ella Stanley and Eugene English, Miss Sula Mae Ratliff and Bernie Neathery, Joan Irby and Clay Smith, Miss Graham and Fred Mauldin, Chas. Brasher.

Mrs. John Oates Hostess.
Mrs. Oates was hostess honoring the members of the Thursday Bridge Club Thursday afternoon.

A most delightful afternoon was spent at bridge. Mrs. Lavender won high score and was presented by the hostess with a pottery vase. Miss Lucy Bunkley received the consolation, a "Why Kick."

The hostess served a delicious two-course luncheon to the following: Mesdames W. H. Murchison, J. E. Bernard, Joe A. Broadus, Claiborne Payne, J. E. Grissom, W. E. Lavender, Miss Lucy Bunkley of Stamford.

Harmony Club
The Harmony Club met in regular session at the Library Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Murchison was director of the lesson on the "American Indian." Miss Judith Taylor sang "By the Weeping Water." Mrs. John Pace gave several selections of Indian music on the piano. Mrs. Sleeper telling the story of each selection before it was rendered. Mrs. Hardy Grissom also gave some Indian selections on the piano. Mrs. Virgil Meadors rendered "By the Waters of Minnetonka" on the violin.

Two selections of Indian Music were played on the victrola.

Magazine Club.
The club met in regular session at the Library Friday afternoon with Mrs. C. L. Lewis presiding.

Mrs. J. U. Fields, chairman of the Art Committee reported that Haskell is to have an Art Exhibit of originals soon. This will be one of the biggest things ever put on in this city and the Elks have kindly consented to let the women use their club rooms to exhibit the pictures in.

Mrs. Rike was director of the lesson on "English Picture Painting." This proved one of the most interesting programs of the entire club year, the director having put a great deal of thought and study on the subject and every woman on the program had also put time and thought on her paper.

Mesdames R. R. English, E. Sutherland, A. J. Smith, F. T. Sanders and J. U. Fields took part on the program.

For newest styles, see Chas. Ray in a "Tailor Made Man" today.

Family Reunion.
All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Watt Fitzgerald are home this week. It being a delightful occasion for them. They are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ellis of Fort Stockton, Mrs. Frank Terrell and little daughter of Electra, Robert Fitzgerald of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rike and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sutherland and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Clifton, all of Haskell.

Yaws-Greggs
Mr. Fred Yaws of Avoka and Miss Sula Mae Gregg of Sagerton were married by County Judge R. E. Lee in his office Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. The contracting parties will make their home at Avoka. The Free Press joins their many friends in wishing them long life and happiness.

Smith-Squires.
Miss Lillian Smith and Riley Squires of this city were married at the home of the brides parents Wednesday Jan. 17th, Rev. S. L. Culwell performing the beautiful ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and is a beautiful young lady with many charms.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Squires of Spur, and for the past several months has been connected with the Brazelton Lumber Co. of this city.

This happy young couple left for Spur Thursday morning to visit the parents of the groom, but will make their home in this city.

Those present outside the family were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pope and family, Mrs. Tom Donahoe and little

son, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKee, Misses Virginia Walthall, Lois Killingsworth, and Joan Irby, and Messrs. Reynolds Wilson, Bobbie D. Odell, Clay Smith and Gilbert Smith.

Something you will like. Chas. Ray in "Tailor Made Man" today.

Ballard-Mitchell
D. C. Ballard and Miss Sula Mae Mitchell were united in marriage Sunday morning at 9:00 by County Missionary I. N. Alvis at his residence in the south part of the city. The contracting parties were accompanied by the parents of the bride and other relatives.

The bride is the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mitchell of New Mid and the groom is a prosperous young farmer of the same neighborhood. The happy couple are well and favorably known and have many friends who wish them prosperity. They will make their home in the New Mid community where the groom is engaged in farming.

A Party
A few of the young people enjoyed a delightful party last Thursday evening at the Elks club rooms. The following attended: Misses Judith Taylor, Lucille Taylor, Virginia Walthall, Lois Earnest, Alberta Smith, Morrow of Stamford, Messrs. Clyde Grissom, Arthur Fox, Nolan Whitlow, Emory Menefee, Joe A. Whaley, Kenneth Oates, Bennett, Vaughn and Melton of Stamford, Mesdames and Messrs. J. E. Grissom and W. E. Lavender.

For style pointers see Chas. Ray in "Tailor Made Man" today.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to acknowledge our sincere appreciation to our many friends who so devotedly administered to dear Uncle Felix and were our strength and help with prayers, kind words and deeds of kindness during these past sad days. May God's richest blessings be upon each one of you.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Gose, Felix and Joseph Gose, Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Leach, Judge J. G. Gose, Mr. S. M. Gose, Dr. J. C. Gose, Mrs. Jim Perrin, Mrs. T. J. Waggoner, Mrs. W. M. Hanna.

His latest picture and really a big one. "Tailor Made Man," Chas. Ray.

Dies at Foster Sunday
A B. Dearman of Foster died at his home in that community Sunday night at about 12 o'clock, after an illness of a week. Funeral services were held at Rule by Rev. Fred Easterley at 4:00 p. m. Monday, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Rule cemetery. Mr. Dearman was about 68 years of age and was well known in Haskell county. He had just moved back from Bowie county a short time before he became ill and was intending to engage in farming. He leaves a wife and several grown children. The Free Press extends condolence to the bereaved.

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Iceberg head lettuce plants at the Cash Meat Market.

FOR SALE—135 acres of land near Sagerton. T. H. Skrabanek, Ennis, Texas. 1-ttc

Iceberg head lettuce plants at the Cash Meat Market.

WANTED TO SELL OR TRADE—An Oakland Six automobile for stock or second hand lumber. See car at Haskell Garage. A. J. Josselet, Haskell Route 3. 2-2tp

LOST—Crank for Overland car last Thursday night. Finder notify Magnolia Filling Station.

FOR SALE—Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, from \$2.50 to \$10.00 each. Mrs. I. S. Grindstaff, Haskell, Texas. 1tc

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—100 acres level tillable land 12 miles from Tucuman, New Mexico. Will trade for house and lot in Haskell or will sell for \$10 per acre. I. S. Grindstaff, Haskell, Texas. 1tc

FOR SALE—Several good milch cows with young calves. Prices right. See C. W. Bledsoe. 1tp

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LOST—Monday, January 15th, a pocket book containing one five and one ten dollar bill, and some small change. Finder leave at Free Press for reward.

FOUND—Overcoat, Christmas day on the Stamford road. Owner may have same by proper description, and paying for this ad. Call at the Flour Mill. 1c

LOST—Between my residence and Reid's Drug Store Tuesday morning a cord casing with rim and tube. Finder please notify Dr. D. L. Cummins. 1c

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Around Our Town

Thompson was in the city from Friday.

Hunt of Dallas was here a few weeks.

Smith of Rule was a Haskell Saturday.

Spurlin of Rule was here Saturday business.

and Mrs. B. Cox spent two days in Ranger.

Harris of Rule was in the city on business.

J. L. Willis of Post was in the city Monday on business.

Blair of west of town was in Monday on business.

Hargroves of Kirkdale was in Tuesday on business.

Frierson of west of town was in Monday on business.

and Mrs. D. E. Verner of Rule the Capital city Monday.

Frierson of west of town was in city Monday on business.

and Mrs. I. A. Leonard of Roberts shopping in the city Saturday.

and Mrs. J. C. Holt of Ballew shopping in the city Saturday.

Balley of Pinkerton was a visitor to the city Tuesday.

rt Smith and Ed McReynolds friends in Knox City Sunday.

Oates of the Foster community the city Wednesday on business.

Mason and P. P. Simpson of here Haskell visitors Tuesday.

and Mrs. E. B. Calaway of Roberts shopping in the city Saturday.

and Mrs. C. O. Scott, west of here shopping in the city Saturday.

and Mrs. A. J. Josselet of Howere shopping in the city Saturday.

and Mrs. Earl Bishop of Mcall were in the city shopping Monday.

and J. F. Jeter were in the city on Center Point Friday on business.

Herrin, Sr., was in town Saturday on business from his ranch north of here.

and Mrs. Jno. R. Watson were in the city Saturday shopping from here.

Barnes and son John of Weineert 1, were in town on business Saturday.

and Mrs. A. S. Bristow of Rule, were in the city shopping last Saturday.

Jim Killingsworth of Banger friends and relatives here last Saturday.

and Mrs. Dennis Ratliff visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sunday.

Morgan and J. F. Griggs of here were transacting business in the city Monday.

Allen of Merkel and H. B. Hamlin were business visitors in the city Friday.

Reynolds was kept away from here several days this week on account of sickness.

and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery of here Chapel country were in the city shopping Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Wells has been kept away from her place of business this week suffering with the "flu."

Some of the family of Jesse B. Smith have been sick this week, but on last report were much improved.

Alberta Doran and Rowan Humphries were out of town guests of Miss Una DeBard of this city this week.

J. S. Barnett, one of Haskell county's best farmers and melon growers, was in the city Monday on business.

B. F. Martin has just finished repairing his residence in this city which was damaged by fire a few days ago.

Chas. W. Fouts of the Spencer Lumber Company is reported to be away from the yard suffering with the "flu."

H. J. Hambleton, manager of the City Water Works, has been out of town several days on business for the city.

Our courthouse janitor, A. E. McIver, with his entire family are reported suffering from the "flu" this week.

Frank Dodson returned home Friday from a 60 day stay on the Clear Fork fishing and hunting. He reports a fine time.

Mrs. Z. T. Haley of Abilene visited her husband, Z. T. Haley, Saturday who is making his headquarters here selling pianos.

A. B. Wallace of Powell was in the city Saturday on business. A. B. has been a reader of the home paper for several years.

W. J. G. Hall of the Murchison farm north of town was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Hall is one of our best farmers and has lived in this section for many years.

G. H. Smithee, who recently moved his family to Albany, is back for a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Lancaster and his friends.

T. J. Watson of Rule was in the city Friday visiting County Treasurer J. E. Walling. Mrs. Walling is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

The Magazine Club presents the "Mock Majestic" at the High School auditorium Thursday night, Jan. 25th. Do not fail to attend.

E. W. Stephens, A. G. Vannoy, U. Z. Irwin and A. Rutledge of the Dennis Chapel community were in the capital city on business Wednesday.

R. L. Wade of O'Brien was in the city Saturday on business. Mr. Wade owns a good farm east of town but he has moved to his farm near O'Brien.

Mrs. Frank Miller, who has been visiting with the family of Jesse L. Collier and other friends of this city, returned to her home in Crowell Monday.

Frank Havran of Weineert was in the city Tuesday. He is now in the confectionery business and says that things are prosperous in his city in his line.

John E. Robertson spent several days in the city last week. Mr. Robertson has a large mercantile establishment at Weineert and is doing an excellent business.

Make up your mind now to attend the "Mock Majestic" to be given by the Magazine Club Thursday night, January 25th at the High School auditorium.

T. A. Payne, a Silver Laced Wyandotte breeder, was in town Friday from Route 1. He is also a good farmer and is now busily engaged in preparing for another crop.

Mrs. Volley McDonough of Cross Plains returned by way of Stamford Monday after visiting her sister and

family. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farmer of the City Studio.

Uncle Gilliam Ashley, who for many years lived near Pinkerton, but is now living on the south plains, was in the city Monday. He is visiting his brother J. P. Ashley of Pinkerton.

Mrs. Louise Kelley, daughter of Uncle Sim Kinnison left Tuesday night for San Antonio where she will join her husband. She has been visiting her parents here for a few days.

Mrs. E. L. King of Weineert Route 1 was in the city Wednesday and called around at the office and had their paper changed from Haskell Star Route 1 to their present address.

M. T. Mauldin of Gauntt was in the city Monday on business. Mr. Mauldin is one of Haskell county's good singers and is doing a good work in his home community in stimulating the musical cause.

S. A. Moser, trustee of the Midway School, was in the city Friday on business. Arthur is one of our best farmers own some of Haskell county's fertile soil which he tickles for his means of support.

G. A. Turnbow of Gilliam was in the city Tuesday and says he is now running a well drill for water or oil but so far he has not had any luck in finding either. But he is not discouraged, he is going to keep on drilling.

W. L. Curd of Weineert was in the city Saturday on business. Uncle Bill has a cheerful word for a fellow and does much to spread sunshine among his friends. He never worries about the weather or the things he cannot help.

John Oates spent Saturday with home folks here and said there was one real news item he wanted to report and that was a grader was running on the road near Stamford. It has been so dry there has been but little road work done anywhere.

Don Means, a retired grocery clerk, who is now farming south of town, was here Friday and said it was the first time he had been in town since last Saturday. He is plowing right along and rushing to get his land in shape by planting time.

W. P. Whitman of Abilene was in the city Wednesday and he says that Haskell people look good to him. The boys accused him of being several years younger since he had moved away by the way he walks over the city hunting up his old friends.

C. A. Hull, a former business man of Rochester, was in the city on business Saturday. He says that he is going to farm and rest this year. He has also been selling some of his farms recently. He says that good farm lands in Haskell county sell with very little effort.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery returned from Graham Friday, driving through the country in a car. Mr. Montgomery says that the wheat in Young county looks much better than in this section because of some rains that fell in that section that we failed to get here.

G. W. Sego of Gilliams was in the city Monday on business. He says that he has his plowing more than half done for the 1923 crop and is getting along fine. George is one of our energetic farmers that keeps abreast of the time and is always up with his work.

A. B. Carothers, city manager of Rochester, was here Wednesday shaking hands with his many friends. A. B. has worn that welcome smile so long that it is now a part of him, and when you meet him in Rochester or elsewhere you naturally expect that smile.

W. B. Murphy, manager of the telephone system of Seymour, was in the city Tuesday on business with the telephone company here. Mr. Murphy formerly lived here before he took charge of the Seymour office and has many friends here who are glad to see him back in the old home town.

G. M. Williams of Megargel is here for a few days on business. He is a former Haskell county citizen but has had charge of the Grissom store at Megargel until the first of the year. We are always glad to welcome Mr. Williams back in Haskell and hope in the near future that he will return unto us again.

Rev. Warren Cunningham of the Forty Two community near Throckmorton was in the city this week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Tennyson and family. Rev. Cunningham is a Baptist minister who has been in the work for many years and is one of our noble Christian men who is a real soldier of the cross.

W. W. Johnson, who lives a few miles south of town, was in the city Saturday on business. He says there are two things that he is staying with, and that's Plymouth Rock chickens and Jersey cows. They are what he calls "his living." He has begun plowing his ground for the new year's crop and says the ground plows very well.

G. W. Filand of east of town was in the city Monday on business. George

is going into the turkey and chicken business. He has 12 or 14 turkey hens and about 90 chicken hens of the Rhode Island Red breed that he expects to make him a living this year and a profit on the side and they will do it if he will give them a square deal.

I. H. Harrell was a visitor to his office Friday. He owns a good farm near Foster school house and is pleased with west Texas and Haskell country. He sends the Free Press to some friends out of the state so they may learn of the prosperity of west Texas and move to the country where farming is a pleasure as well as profitable.

J. B. Nanny, a progressive farmer of the Howard community, was in the city Friday on business. J. W. is one of those farmers that is always busy with the affairs of the farm and his crop yield always shows, as the old saying goes, "the man behind the gun." J. B. is a constant reader of the Free Press and a booster for his community, county and state.

T. C. Cahill left last Thursday night for Old Mexico, where he will spend some time in looking over the condition of the old dominion. He will visit Vera Cruz and other points before returning home to tell his story of the success or his failures, as no man knows of a certainty what might happen in the province of Old Mexico to an American citizen.

B. M. Gregory of Weineert Route 1, and J. R. Mitchell of the same community were in the city Friday on business and while here bought some turkey hens to take out to the farm for the purpose of raising turkeys this year. The turkey interest has grown so much in the last few years and almost everyone that has the room is now engaged in the business.

W. C. Elliott of near Flat Top on Sagerton Route 1, was in the city Friday. He is a good farmer and farms because he likes the occupation. He has reared and educated a large family of children and is a believer in progression in all lines. He is a breeder of the Silver Laced Wyandotte chickens and his success with them has contributed wonderfully to his expense account.

J. H. Lawson was here from Midway Monday and reports Mrs. Lawson, who underwent an operation at the Sanitarium about two weeks ago, would soon be ready to return home if she continued to get along all right. Jim said that he and his family have undergone five operations in the last three years and that his operations have cost him more than groceries during that time.

Dr. E. E. Cockerel of Abilene, who was formerly a resident of Weineert, was in the city Friday on business.

J. C. Frierson was in the city Saturday. Charlie had moved away from Haskell county for awhile but he always comes back and will begin anew. When a fellow moves away from Haskell county it is mighty hard to stay away. When you begin to compare the conditions in Haskell county with those elsewhere it is very easy to realize your mistake. A wise man profits by his mistakes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Therwanger spent Monday night with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Odell. Mr. and Mrs. Therwanger lived in the city for several years but moved back to the ranch where they can raise chickens, hogs and cows and live at home. They recently made a trip to central Texas and Mrs. Therwanger says that she enjoyed the trip very much. She likes Hunt county best of any place visited while away on the trip.

Jerry Silhan of Weineert, Route 1, was in the city Saturday with 30 dozen eggs which he sold to our local merchants for 30 cents a dozen, making \$9.00 worth of eggs he had for sale. He says he usually markets eggs from his place twice each week and always sells them while they are fresh. Think what his poultry is paying. He is giving them a little special attention and feeds them good. But he is getting paid for his trouble and is not going in debt for his supplies.

T. J. Lemons and son Albert came in last Saturday, arriving here in the afternoon in a jitney, from Weatherford, where Uncle Tom is making his home at the present time. Uncle Tom says that Haskell looks better to him than any place he saw on the trip. That is true with Uncle Tom because he has lived here many years and will move back here in a short time is our prediction. He still owns his home here and that means the anchor still holds, and the ship is safe.

J. H. Wolf and family of Rochester were in the city Tuesday. Mr. Wolf is one of Rochester's most prosperous farmers. He owns a good farm near Rochester and he has it in a fine state of cultivation. He does not live from a paper sack, but grows most of his living from the farm and always has something to sell from the farm at all seasons of the year. He has some more good hope to kill this season and Mrs. Wolf raises lots of chickens. John is not worrying about the weather.

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For this week we offer a big line of new hats at \$5.00 EACH

New, Snappy, Stylish, Good-looking. These hats represent real values.

It is one of our small profit, quick sale plans.

The new yellow front will be a beacon to the thrifty buyer.

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The Sherrill Elevator Co. has secured the services of a deliveryman. We carry a general line of feed. When in need please phone us your order. Your business will be appreciated.

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I am now connected with a monument company who own their own quarries, do their own carving and finishing, both in marble and granite, operating on a large scale, selling at a small profit, thereby saving the people money on each job purchased.

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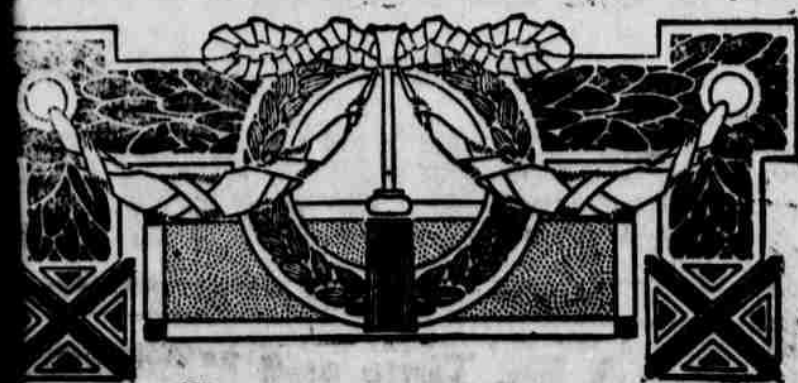
Rev. C. Jones

Office in Tin Shop Building.

Mrs. W. J. Kendrick of east of town was in the city Saturday shopping.

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R. C. Lowe of Gilliam was in the city Saturday. He is a good farmer and has been living in the Gilliam community for several years and is making good farming. He is another tenant farmer who will become a home owner in Haskell county with good health. Watch our predictions.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Cobb of Roberts were shopping in the city Saturday. Mr. Cobb is one of the introducers of the Buff Leghorn chickens to Haskell county and has a fine flock of them at this time. He has exhibited them in several Haskell county shows and made good winnings.

Mrs. Don Means, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is improving at this writing.

Master Horace Ivy has been sick for the past week but is improving.

Mrs. Terry visited Mrs. W. E. Bland Thursday.

Jean McCellan entertained the young folks with a party Friday night.

Miss Ada Mathews spent Sunday with Miss Verlie Bland.

Mrs. Mathews gave a party for the young folks Saturday night.

Mrs. G. D. Payne and Mrs. W. E. Bland and daughter, Helen, visited the former's mother, Mrs. G. W. Lewis, of Sayles Wednesday.

The basketball teams went to Howard Friday. Center Point boys and Howard girls won the games. The girls' team went to McConnell Saturday where they won by a big majority.

Miss Vergie Leatherwood visited in this community this week.

Mr. Vinson and son and Mr. Davis of Oklahoma are here on business.

Everyone be at the pie supper Saturday night at the church and bring a pie. The proceeds go for the benefit of the church.

MIDWAY

About one-half of the school children, and two of the teachers, are absent on account of sickness this week.

Rev. Tankersley preached to a large crowd at this place Sunday afternoon. Mrs. G. E. Cearley is at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Roberts and children of Haskell.

Miss Gladys Lawson is staying with Mrs. John Newsom during her illness, as her mother is still in the sanitarium.

Dee Adkins gave a party Thursday night in honor of his daughter, Ruby, and her chum, Miss Grace Cearley's seventeenth birthday. The house was full and everybody had a nice time.

Miss Lee Barton of south of Haskell visited in this community Sunday.

Mrs. C. O. Fields' mother, father and family of near Stamford visited her Sunday.

H. A. Self is remodeling his home this week.

Norval Norman of this community is attending school at Pecos, Texas.

BUNKER HILL

Quite a crowd gathered at the school house Friday afternoon to witness the game between the school boys and the men of this community.

They first played a real interesting game of basket ball, the scores being 9 to 13 in favor of the school boys.

The warm weather gave us an ideal day for baseball training and although it was considered a practice game and one of the first played, the school boys by hard work come out victorious, the score being six to four.

Several communities were represented at the party given by Miss Vera McIntyre Friday night. Many games were enjoyed by both young and old.

E. J. Boedeker and family and W. C. McKenzie spent Sunday with Frank Schafer of Pleasant Hill.

Miss Euna Reed is in school again after an absence of several days.

The Roberts children are out of school this week on account of bad colds. We wish for them a speedy recovery.

Alvin Hall of Sagerton spent the week-end with the Kniplings.

Since Mr. Boedeker has finished his new well we only have a short distance to haul water for the school, so Mr. Boedeker is not the only one who is smiling.

By tomorrow noon the boys hope to have their new basket ball court ready for a practice game.

No. 2823.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Haskell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, of the 11th day of December 1922, by R. R. English by V. M. Meadors, Deputy Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Forty-Three Hun-

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues. A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup. The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough. Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 50c. Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

dred One and 55-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment rendered, in favor of Lee Pierson in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2823, and styled Lee Pierson vs. W. L. Foote and T. L. Vannoy placed in my hands for service, I, W. C. Allen as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 2nd day of January 1923, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Known as the N. W. 1-4 of Section 48 in Block No. 1 of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Surveys in Haskell County, Texas, Certificate No. 944, Abstract No. 954 and containing 165 acres of land and levied upon as the property of W. L. Foote and T. L. Vannoy and that on the first Tuesday in February, 1923, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. L. Foote and T. L. Vannoy. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper published in Haskell County.

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of January, 1923.

W. C. ALLEN, Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas.

No. 2874

Notice of Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Haskell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, of the 11th day of December, 1922, by R. R. English Clerk of said Court for the sum of Twenty-Six Hundred 30-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of H. M. Rike in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2874, and styled H. M. Rike vs. G. F. Ford and R. L. Brown, placed in my hands for service, I, W. C. Allen as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 2nd day of January 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: The North 1-2 of Lot 1 in Block 51 in the town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, and the South 1-2 of Lot 1 in Block 51 in the town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of G. F. Ford and R. L. Brown, and that on the first Tuesday in February 1923, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Haskell, Haskell County, in the town of Haskell Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said G. F. Ford and R. L. Brown.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper published in Haskell County.

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1923.

W. C. ALLEN, Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas.

No. 2859.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Haskell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, of the 4th day of January 1923, by Estelle Tennyson, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of One Thousand and Three Hundred Eighty Four and 75-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment in favor of V. A. Marbut, joined by her husband, W. L. Marbut, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2859, and styled V. A. Marbut et al vs. R. S. Nolen and Alice T. Nolen, placed in my hands for service, I, W. C. Allen as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 5th day of January, 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows to-wit: Lots One and Two (1 and 2) in Block No. 9 of the City of Haskell in Haskell County, Texas, a part of the Peter Allen survey No. 140, as shown by map of said city of record in Vol. M5 Pages 320, 321, 322, Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, being Abstract No. 2, Certificate No. 138, Patent No. 365, Vol. 17, and levied upon as the property of defendant, Alice T. Nolen, and that on the first Tuesday in February 1923 the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Haskell County, in the City of Haskell Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Alice T. Nolen.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Haskell

Mock Majestic
—AT—
High School Auditorium
THURSDAY NIGHT JAN. 25th
THE MAGAZINE CLUB
Presents
5 Big Acts 5
AND A CHORUS
9 Pretty Girls
Admission 20c and

Free Press, a newspaper published in Haskell County. Witness my hand, this 5th day of January, 1923.

W. C. ALLEN, Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas.

No. 2874

Notice of Selection of County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Haskell County desiring to be selected as the County Depository shall deliver to the County Judge on or before Monday February 12, 1923, a sealed proposal or bid stating the rate of interest offered on the county funds for the next twelve months. The funds so deposited including all monies collected for taxes and deposited in said depository selected, and the same shall draw interest computed monthly upon the daily balances to the credit of the County and tax collector.

Said depository shall be chosen at a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court on Monday, February 12, 1923, and each proposal or bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$1200.00 as a guarantee of good faith that if such bid be accepted, said bank will enter into the bond required by law, and upon failure of the banking corporation or association, or individual banker that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages, and the County Judge shall readvertise for bids.

R. E. LEE, County Judge
Haskell County, Texas.

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Makes a brilliant, silky polish that rubs off or dust off, and lasts four times as long as ordinary polish. Used on sample stove by hardware and grocery dealers. All we ask is trial. Use it on your rear parlor stove or your gas stove. Don't find it the best stove polish, your dealer is authorized to return it. Insist on Black Silk Stove Polish. Made in liquid or paste—one quality.
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The Black Silk Stove Polish has been used by the best of the best. Use Black Silk Stove Polish for all stoves. It has no equal for so long a Shine in Every

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We can lend 50 per cent of the appraised value of the land, plus 20 percent of the value of the insured improvements for the following purposes:
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PRE-INVENTORY SALE

At the House of J. T. Bryant & Co., Rochester

FRIENDS AND FELLOW-CITIZENS, GREETINGS:

MAY WE INVITE YOUR ATTENTION TO A PROPOSITION THAT MEANS MUCH TO YOU, AND TO US? WE FIND THAT WE ARE OVERSTOCKED ON MANY LINES AND FAR TOO MUCH MERCHANDISE AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR. WE SIMPLY HAVE NOT HOUSE ROOM FOR OUR PRESENT STOCK AND THE NEW SPRING STOCK, WHICH WOULD ARRIVE ABOUT FEBRUARY 1st. SOMETHING HAS GOT TO BE DONE, AND THAT QUICKLY. WE CAN EITHER BUY UP A PART OF THE GOODS AND STORE THEM, OR SELL DOWN THE PRESENT STOCK LOW ENOUGH TO PUT IN THE SPRING STOCK. THIS IS WHAT WE HAVE DECIDED TO DO—REDUCE THE STOCK.

For That Reason We Will Put On a Pre-Inventory Sale Beginning Next Friday, January 19, and Continuing Until January 29

AFTER THAT DATE, THE SALE GOES OFF, AND THE PRICES RESTORED TO THE MARKET VALUE. WE WILL TAKE OUR ANNUAL INVENTORY AT THE CLOSE OF THE SALE, AND GET READY FOR THE GOOD YEAR OF 1923.

MANY OF YOU PEOPLE HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR JUST SUCH A CHANCE, TO BUY FIRST QUALITY DRY GOODS AT BARGAIN PRICES. THIS IS YOUR ONE AND LAST CHANCE, TO BUY SUCH EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS FOR MANY YEARS, FOR ANYONE WITH A TEASPOONFUL OF SENSE KNOWS THAT ALL COTTON AND WOOL GOODS ARE BOUND TO GO MUCH HIGHER ON ACCOUNT OF MUCH HIGHER RAW MATERIALS, ETC.

WE WOULD NOT SACRIFICE OUR WONDERFUL STOCK OF CHOICE DRY GOODS, IF WE HAD ROOM TO HOUSE IT. BUT WE HAVE NOT, AND A LARGE PART OF IT MUST GO. IF YOU ARE WISE TO YOUR OWN INTERESTS, YOU WILL TAKE THIS GREAT OPPORTUNITY, AND COME TO THE SALE, AND BUY YOUR NEEDS FOR QUITE A WHILE.

We Quote You a Few Items to Show What You Can Save at This Sale

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1-2 Price
 1-2 Price
 1-2 Price

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2.19
 1.25
 89c
 39c
 39c
 29c
 15c
 15c
 35c
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SILK AND WOOL GOODS DEPT.

and Wool Goods, and Suitings, will be on sale at greatly reduced prices, sure-enough bargains.

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 Other Grades in Like Proportion.
 and Children's Sweaters will go in this Sale at Exactly 1-2 Price
 Standard Overalls full cut and well made, they are now selling at wholesale for \$18. per dozen
 Sale Price.....\$1.40 each

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\$19.50
 \$20.00
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Church and Sunday School

Methodist Church

The unusual amount of sickness has interfered some with church attendance. However, we are gratified at the splendid showing on last Sunday and Wednesday night.

We hope conditions will be so that we may have a full attendance at all our services Sunday and next week.

Sunday School at 9:45. Preaching by the Pastor at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The following program will be given by the Evangelistic Committee Wednesday night, 7 o'clock.

Subject, "The Soul Winning Church" Scripture Jno. 2:35-45—Bro. Hill. Place of the Home in Evangelism—Mrs. Culwell.

The Sunday School Teacher as a Soul Winner—Miss Jaunita Kirkpatrick.

Working at it all the year—Mrs. Sowell.

Special Music—Mrs. Lewis. These are very interesting services and you are invited to enjoy them with us. All associate members of the Evangelistic Committee are expected to help in securing a good attendance. Our church has a welcome for all.

Program at the Church of Christ January 21st, 6 p. m.

Subject—Nehemiah's love for the Children of Israel.

Leader—Othello Anderson.

Song—Class.

Scripture Reading, Nehemiah 1st Chapter—Howard Lee Wright.

Prayer—Brother Young.

The Story of the Rebuilding of the Walls of Jerusalem—Leone McElroy.

Duet—Viola Austin and Lyla Ruth Key.

The Feast of Tabernacles—Willie Fay Free.

Song—Class.

The Dedication of the Walls—Nora Bell Darnell.

Song—Class.

Program for Co-Operative Meeting January 29th.

Topic—The Great Need of Adequate Religious and Moral Training of Our Children and Young People.

1. Present Day Religious and Moral Conditions of Our Children and Young People and the Responsibility for this Condition—Methodist Society.

2. What the Church Can Do in the Way of Providing the Proper Religious and Moral Training for Our Children and Young People—Mrs. J. L. Sleeptr.

3. What the Home Can Do Along This Line—Mrs. R. J. Reynolds.

4. What the Schools Can Do in This Training—Mrs. M. H. Brasher.

Mrs. R. C. Couch will lead the devotional and Miss Judith Taylor will sing.

Every mother in town is urged to attend this meeting at 3 o'clock Monday Jan. 29th, at the Baptist Church.

Work of the Gauntt Sunday School

The Gauntt Sunday School was organized September 3, 1922, and has been progressing very much since that date. Mr. Campbell is Superintendent and Miss Robbie Tate is Secretary. The Sunday School is divided into four classes, Number One, Two, Three, and Four. Number Four is the small children or card class, with Mrs. Tom Foster as their teacher. Number Three is the larger children or intermediate class with Mrs. Maudlin as their teacher. Number Two is the young folks class or seniors, with Miss Tate as their teacher. Number One is the adult class, with Mr. Campbell as their teacher.

Sunday, January 14, 1923. Class No. 1 had 25 present and 33c collection; No. 2 has 20 present and 71c collection; Number 3 has 18 present and 8c collection; Number 4 had 17 present and 8c collection. In all 89 were present, with \$1.20 for the collection. If you will notice, Class No. 2, or the Senior Class, is the larger of the four and is a good working class, which goes to show that the young people of this community can do Christian work if they will.

The Sunday School is having a contest, one side is red and the other is white. At the present time the red is ahead but in the end the white may prove to be the best workers.

The second Sunday in every month is the day for our church services. Brother Alvis is our regular pastor but for some cause he could not come but sent another pastor, Brother Roberts, who delivered a fine sermon, especially to the young men and boys.

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His sermon was enjoyed by all present and we wish that he will come back soon.

As good as Grandma's Boy; Chas. Ray in "A Tailor Made Man."

Woman's Missionary Society.

Another annual Special Day in our Society is Pledge Day—this was observed on last Monday with a goodly number in attendance.

The ladies met just before noon and had a social hour during lunch. These are good get-together meetings and should be encouraged among the members.

Mrs. J. B. Smith, of Stamford, was present and during the afternoon program gave one of those inspirational talks that no one can give like she does. She told incidents and read letters direct from the Mission fields which called so loudly to the women of Methodism. The money pledged on this day is used for the support and extension of our work and workers both in the home land and foreign fields.

To those women who were not present that day we plead with you to get interested in our Master's business—there is so much to be done and thru His leadership, we can do the impossible.

The Society seems to have taken on new life with the new year and our President with her supporting officers are working with untiring energy to make this a year of which to be proud.

Next meeting will be a Voice program directed by Mrs. Cox—let's every member be there to help with our presence and prayers just as we would want her to do were we to be leader for the afternoon.

Reporter.

Baptist Ladies

Nineteen Baptist women met at the usual hour on Monday afternoon, to enjoy the regular monthly Bible lesson with Mrs. R. J. Reynolds as leader. Following a scripture reading by Mrs. R. C. Couch, Mrs. Reynolds made a most interesting talk on points leading up to the lesson. Mrs. J. M. Gilstrap discussed, graphically "The Tragedy in Jerusalem," and Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick gave a vivid description of "The Resurrection of Jesus." A thorough discussion of the lesson proper followed. After a closing song and prayer, the business meeting was entered into. When the tickets for Holland's Magazine were turned in, it was found that every one of the hundred had been sold, and we had cleared fifty dollars in the allotted two weeks.

Plans were discussed for the Fifth Monday Co-Operative meeting, when we hope to have each of the other societies with us. Plans were also made for the social meeting to be given in the basement of the church on next Tuesday evening, at which time we will welcome our new pastor and family into our midst. Mrs. J. A. Couch announced that a Washington Tea would be given in her home on February 22, when a cordial invitation will be extended to all the ladies of the town. A free will offering will be asked.

Reporter.

Christian Ladies Aid Society

The Society met at the church Monday afternoon for the purpose of the Circles making reports of work done in the contest which closed Jan. 1st, and for the election of officers for the year.

The ladies have recently bought new furniture for the pulpit and reported \$110 made in the three months contest

and eight new members added to the roll. Many visits were made to the sick and needy. Mrs. Cummins, the retiring president, has done a great work and is loved and appreciated by every member of the society. She was ever considerate and thoughtful even in the smallest affairs. She bears the honor of having been president during the construction of the new church and lead the society successfully through some difficult problems. Mrs. J. L. Odell was elected president for this year. Mrs. Bailey Post vice-president, Mrs. Elkins, secretary, Mrs. Basher, Parliamentarian and Mrs. Maudlin, reporter. After the society adjourned, Mrs. Cummins, assisted by Mrs. Virgil Meadors, served the ladies to a course consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles and tea.

For newest styles, see Chas. Ray in a "Tailor Made Man" today.

BOOSTER BAND ENTERTAINED LAST FRIDAY NIGHT

The Haskell Booster Band last Friday night was royally entertained by the following members: Roy Killingsworth, Othello Anderson, Kermit Thornton, Guy Mayes and John Draper.

After a sufficient amount of practicing was done, Mr. Humphreys announced that as some of the boys came without their supper the band felt as if no one should go hungry so the spread was laid before them.

With Ben Adams officiating, sandwiches of all kinds and descriptions were served with beer; it was a regular "dutch lunch" and after everyone had had their fill of this, a box of cigars was brought to light by Guy Mayes. Those present were: Messrs. Lee Humphreys, Fred Maudlin, Henry Smith, Olin Dotson, Kermit Thornton, Othello Anderson, Cecil Lancaster, Charley Fouts, Don and Henry Donahoo, C. Bailey, A. J. Smith, Jr., Harry Lee, Otho Cass, Guy Mayes, Tom Holland and Gib Smith.

Something you will like. Chas. Ray in "Tailor Made Man" today.

POST FARMERS HAVE HEAVY FRUITING COTTON SEED

Walter Nanny of Post was in the city Tuesday and stated that he was really going into the cotton business. That he and his neighbor, John Breigh had purchased and already had received and have in their possession the amount of seven bushels of cotton seed that can not make less than two nor more than four bales of cotton per acre. This cotton is known as a heavy fruiter and extra long staple and if Walter has not been deceived by the Georgia seed vendor he is bound to make a success in farming cotton this year and John Breigh is feeling fine over the prospect, too.

Undergoes Operation at Abilene

Mrs. W. J. Lowery of this city was operated upon at Abilene Monday for appendicitis, the operation being reported as successful and as we go to press she is said by her relatives to be doing nicely. Her husband, W. J. Lowery, and her father, W. F. Draper, and her sister, Mrs. Mamie Barron, were with her at the time of the operation.

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"UNCLE DICK" WILLIAMS ONE OF OUR BEST FARMERS

One of Haskell county's best farmers R. B. (Dick) Williams called at our office last Saturday to set his date forward for the Free Press another year. "Uncle Dick" as he is called, came to this country 23 years ago from Hill county. His earthly possessions were a few teams and wagons and a large family, but no money. He was advised at that time by those who lived here—and some of them are still here—not to farm. They told him that a fellow could not make a support for his family farming in this country at that time. He did not follow the advice, but planted a cotton crop on the tight land, and that year he made 42 bales of cotton and picked the crop by the help of his family.

He moved to the Foster community where he now lives and owns 372 acres of good land, that he has bought and paid for, and he farmed out every dollar of the money, beginning on rented lands. He has given his girls who are married some farms and he has helped his boys to become land owners. He has never craved or wanted to be a big land owner. But he tried to be a good farmer and succeeded. He has made loans to his friends to help them buy homes for their families instead of buying the land himself. In doing so he has been a blessing to others.

He never worries about the weather conditions. He has confidence in Haskell county. He has tried every condition and knows what he is saying. He sees no cause for alarm because we have not had rain at this time of year. Who can predict crop condition for the year on the weather of January? Uncle Dick is no calamity howler. He meets the conditions and is ready for them. He does not worry about what is coming, but is ready for it when it comes. The drought will end with rain. It always has, and always will.

Howard Basketball Girls Defeat Center Point

In a game in which the score was 53 to 17 the Howard Basketball girls defeated the Center Point team last Friday afternoon in a fast game on the Howard court. The Howard girls are planning to win the pennant this season and they seem to be going toward the goal unchecked.

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Enters Railroad Service.

V. H. Woodson, who has been bookkeeper at the store of F. G. Alexander & Sons, of this city, resigned his place here and moved to Slaton where he has taken a position with the Santa Fe Railroad. Leon Gilliam has accepted the place made vacant by Mr. Woodson and began his new duties last week. Mr. Gilliam is well known here and was for many years bookkeeper at the Farmers State bank. He has moved his family to town from the farm where he has been living for the past two years.

Improving in Health

The many friends of Ex-Congressman J. E. Wilfong will be glad to learn that Mr. Wilfong is improving in health. He was stricken seven months ago with paralysis in one side and came very sick, but his attending physician hoped that he will soon be out again. He is one of the best known and is well known over the state.

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