

The Haskell Free Press

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DRAGGED TO DEATH BY HORSE

Best, age 34, met a tragic fate at his home in the Foster community Saturday morning. No one was present at the beginning of the accident but the business point to the following:

Best caught his buggy pony and rope around its neck and setting the horse a mule which ran in the pasture ran between the horse and became entangled in the rope. The two animals were frightened and in trying to escape Best was caught in the rope. His feet were caught in the rope and he was dragged for more than a mile. Henry Whitesides, who arrived and finally succeeded in cutting the animals and cutting the rope. The body was terribly mangled and he had been dead for several minutes when he was rescued.

Funeral services were held at Rockwell by Elder O. G. Lanier at 12:30 p. m. Sunday, after the body was given burial.

A number of Klansmen in unmasked paid their last respects to him in a service at the home of Mrs. George Best. He is survived by a little eight years old, and one George Best. The little girl lived for in the home of Mr. George Best and will have the same name and privileges of their father. The deceased was a member of the Church of Christ and a most upright Christian gentleman.

HASKELL MERCHANT MOVES FAMILY TO ABILENE

Waldrop, formerly with the W. & Co. hardware store of Haskell is now engaged in the business in Abilene moved from this city to Abilene this week. Mr. and Mrs. Waldrop have lived in and near this city many years and were very well liked with our people and are numbered by their acquaintances. We regret to lose these people from our city and trust some future time they will return to us. We take pleasure in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Waldrop all the success and happiness in their new location.

F. AND REBEKAHS WILL MEET HERE

At Fellowship and Rebekahs Association of four counties, consisting of James, Stonewall and Fisher at Haskell in a general assembly all day session Tuesday, August 14th. There will be entertainment throughout the day. Refreshments will be served to all those present. A program is given to all the members and Rebekahs in the evening to come and join in the program of this day. The program will be held later and preparations made by the orders of this association to all a royal reception at that time.

ANDRUSSES PASSES AWAY LAST SATURDAY

Miss Andruss (nee Miss Josie) passed away Saturday, August 4th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andruss of the Post community, of her husband. She was only 37 years old and her death was unexpected. Everything was done for her that human hands could do but in spite of all she grew worse and the silver cord was severed and she passed to the gold. She was 18 years of age and was loved by all her acquaintances. Services were held Sunday at the grave by Rev. I. N. Alvis. Her remains were laid to rest in the cemetery. A large number of relatives and friends were present at the funeral. A deep sorrow in the hearts of those who loved her over the passing of this young woman and all feel sympathy for the loved ones to whom such affliction has come. She is survived by her husband, several children and sisters and many relatives in Haskell county.

Mr. D. Sanders is in South Texas. He will visit friends in Haskell and also will visit his father at Caldwell before his return.

Mrs. F. B. Winn are spending the week in Dallas visiting friends.

FUNERAL OF PRESIDENT HARDING HELD TODAY

The closing funeral services of President Harding will be held at Marion, Ohio, his old home town, today.

The business houses of Haskell will be closed from 11 a. m. until 1 p. m. as a tribute to the nation's departed leader and memorial services will be held at the Christian Church where the entire town is expected to gather for the occasion.

On arrival in Washington from the Pacific Coast, the body of President Harding was taken to the White House, where it remained until Wednesday morning, when it was removed to the rotunda of the capital building and a brief service held. The Washington service included all the pomp and splendor befitting the leader of a great nation.

The services at Marion, Ohio, today will be very simple. This is at the request of Mrs. Harding. There will be no military display and nothing of the "official" about the services.

HASKELL STUDENTS WIN PROMINENCE AT SIMMONS

Haskell students won prominence at Simmons College during the past session, two of the group, Frank Kimbrough and John Alvis, being among the most outstanding and popular men on the campus, and several others taking a large part in college activities. Frank Kimbrough achieved the unusual record of winning his letter in two major branches of college athletics, football and baseball, during his first year at Simmons. He did exceptional work on the college teams in both of these sports, according to Coach A. B. Hays of the Simmons Cowboys. He also held down a good place on the freshman basketball squad. The coach stated that Kimbrough would probably annex his "8" in basketball this year, making him a three letter man.

Kimbrough entered Simmons last fall from Haskell High. On the football team he was a strong quarterback; in baseball he played third base and took part in practically all the match games on the Simmons schedule. He will be a sophomore in college this year, and Coach Hays said that he was expecting great things from Kimbrough. The football schedule for Simmons the coming season is one of the heaviest in the history of the college with fine prospects for a formidable team, while the baseball outlook is especially bright for the Cowboys.

As a member of the freshman basketball squad last year, Kimbrough helped establish a record of winning all games played against High School teams. This development of the Freshman teams was a feature of Simmons athletics this year.

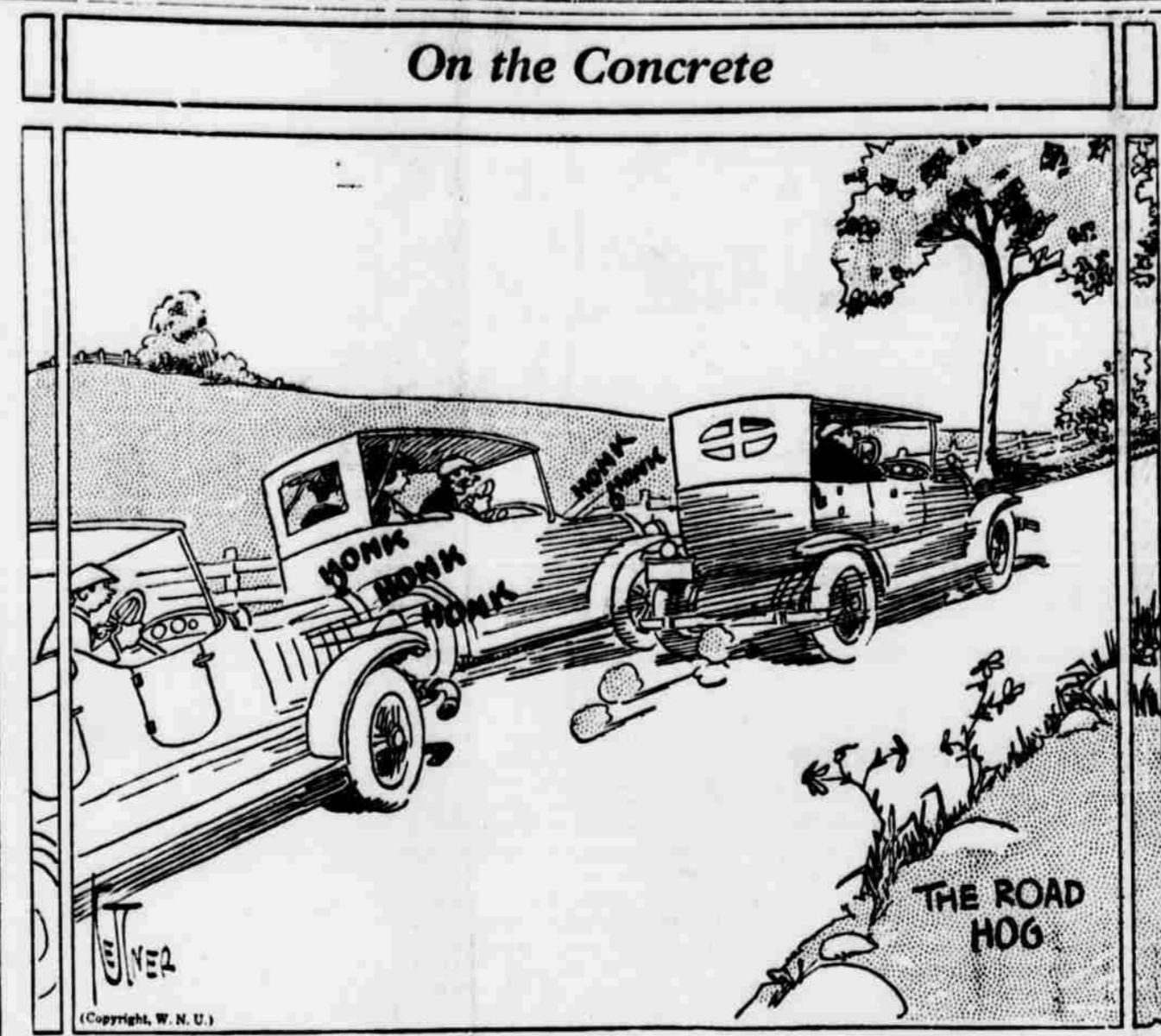
John Alvis of Haskell was probably the leading student of Simmons in the matter of school activities for the session of 1922-23. He was president of the Students Association, the highest position among the student body. Student government prevails at the college and all matters of student politics, and rules and regulations are managed by the Legislative Assembly, with a trial body composed of the Students Council. Alvis presided over these bodies, and in addition was also a member of the Oratorical and Debating Council, the Press Club, the Literary and Dramatic Club and the Haskell Club.

He was business manager of the 1923 Bronco, the annual publication put out by the students of Simmons, and he is one of the few wearers of the Literary "8", a letter granted to students who achieve prominence in the line of literary endeavors or represent the college in important activities and contests, other than athletic contests. It is on a similar basis to the athletic letter, except that it is awarded by the point system.

Alvis was a member of the 1923 graduating class of the college and received his A. B. degree at the June commencement. Other Haskell students registered in Simmons during the past session were: Lois Norton, Rogers Pierson, Theron Cahill, who was a member of the Cowboy Band, Vira Lois Morgan, Evelyn Whitman and Bernice Mask who was elected one of the five beauties of the college for 1923, and had a page in the Bronco. Miss Mask won the highest number of votes from the large Freshman class for place as the Freshman beauty.

A number of Simmons graduates and ex-students were employed as teachers in the Haskell schools last year. Those holding the A. B. degree from Simmons are: Ruth Chambers, Albert Anthony, Ed Collins, and Eugenia Graham. Dexter King and Bettie Lee Castles are former students of Simmons. Miss Castles having studied in the Fine Arts department. Laura Kilgore and Clara Payton who received their A. B. degrees this spring will be additional members of the Haskell staff next year.

R. P. and Jack Chamberlain, E. C. and Edgar Lowe of Brushey were here Wednesday on business.



MASS MEETING OF COTTON GROWERS HELD TUESDAY

"With the South producing the only real essential commodity of the world today—Cotton—for which there is no substitute, and which constitutes the money crop of the nation, the South is today poverty stricken," said J. D. Coghlan, addressing a mass meeting of cotton farmers and business men assembled in the county court house at Haskell Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Coghlan explained that the Cotton Association, in its work of benefiting the farmer had no fight to make on any man or any organization. The Association recognizes the worth of the other agencies who are working for the farmer; it believes that each has its own mission and that most of them are doing a good work; that matters of education, legislation, etc., can better be handled by the organizations specializing in those branches, and therefore the Cotton Association is not attempting to do but one job, and do that job well, viz., the selling of cotton at a profit to the grower.

Mr. Coghlan explained that the Cotton Association is founded upon the same fundamental principles of organization that underlie the banks, commercial corporations and the privately owned cotton corporations of the country. Six fundamentals are vital to the success of any co-operative movement and they are incorporated in this association and are:

The first three principles have to do with the general nature of the organization. They are—First, that the organization must be by commodity; second, that it must be composed of growers only; and third, that these growers must be tied together with a binding contract.

The second three fundamentals deal with the handling of the commodity which is organized. They are—First, there must be a sufficient volume of business to justify the overhead and insure its being a factor in the market; second, the commodity delivered to the Association must be placed in pools so that all growers producing similar grade and quality of product, shall receive exactly the same price for their commodity; and, third, the selling of farm products is a highly specialized business requiring certain technical knowledge and business skill and experts must be hired to do the work.

The association is organized under the laws of the state of Texas, it is controlled by a board of twenty-three directors, twenty of whom are elected by the members residing in as many districts and one each is appointed by the Governor of Texas, the President of the A. & M. College and the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

The directors elect the officers of the Association, every one of whom is bonded and selected with the utmost care to do the job he is set to do. The officers and other employees of the association are all paid regular salaries commensurate with the work they perform and are subject to discharge by the board of directors at their discretion, thus giving the farmer a soundly

LUBBOCK GETS TECH COLLEGE

Lubbock, "The Hub of the Plains," was selected as a site for the new West Texas Technological College Wednesday afternoon at a meeting of the locating board held in the Texas Hotel at Fort Worth.

The statement issued by the board naming Lubbock as the site for the college was brief and to the point. It read as follows:

We, the members of the locating board for the Texas Technological College, in conformity with the law creating said college, having made a careful study of the original and supplementary briefs, having visited and inspected the sites offered by the thirty-six applicant towns and having given consideration to the relative merits of the proposition submitted by the several towns do hereby unanimously select and designate Lubbock, in Lubbock County, Texas, as the official location of the Texas Technological College.

On receipt of the news here the local committee wired Lubbock Haskell's congratulations on securing the school.

YOUNG LADY DIES IN THE POST COMMUNITY

News reached this city as we go to press that Miss Ethel Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davis of the Post community died Thursday morning at 1:40 o'clock at the home of her parents after a lingering illness from typhoid fever. The funeral was held at Howard by Rev. J. S. Moore, after which the body was given burial Thursday afternoon. It is sad indeed to see one so lovely cut down in life's morning, but we should all be constrained to the will of Him who holds our destiny in His hands, and is too wise to make a mistake and too good to be unkind. The loved ones who are so sorely bereaved over the passing of this lovely girl have the sincere sympathy of all our people.

REVIVAL BEGINS SUNDAY AT MORRIS CHAPEL

We are authorized to announce that revival services will begin at Morris Chapel at the morning services Sunday August 12. Rev. J. S. Moore, Methodist pastor, will do the preaching. Everyone who can is urged to attend and help in this meeting. Don't forget the date.

Judge L. D. Ratliff and Judge Jas. F. Kinnard were in Sagerton on legal business Tuesday.

Jesse Lassiter of Lynn County was here this week visiting old friends.

Mrs. A. V. McAdoo of Stamford visited her parents Judge and Mrs. E. P. Simmons and other relatives Wednesday and Thursday.

Rev. J. S. Moore of south of town was in to see us Thursday and says that he is having fine success in meetings at Ketrin, Plainview and Berryhill and will begin a meeting at Morris Chapel Sunday night.

SWENSON SHIPS SIX CARS CATTLE

Swenson Bros. shipped six cars of fat cattle to Kansas City Friday from their Throckmorton Ranch just across the east line of Haskell county. There has been considerable cattle shipment from this section this season. The cattle are all reported to be in fine condition. It is to be hoped that the cow men are realizing some profit from the sale of their cattle this season because of the warm winter and early grass which curtailed the loss of cattle in the spring which is commonly experienced after severe winters.

McMURRAY COLLEGE WILL OPEN DOORS SEPT. 1st

According to announcements, McMurray College at Abilene will open its doors Wednesday September 19th for its first term. Everything will be ready by the opening day to begin the term properly. The entire Methodist body of all the churches of this section of the state are supporting this great institution. Dr. J. W. Hunt, who has worked so faithfully in the promotion of this college will see his efforts crowned with success when the new college shall open its doors on the above date and go forward in educational work. This college has been erected and equipped without an outstanding debt and it belongs to the Methodist forever and can never be entailed by debt or mortgage. B. M. McCown, a former Haskell County teacher, has been appointed dean. He is a man of great energy and ability and is worthy of the high position he holds.

PROF. T. J. RATLIFF ELECTED PRINCIPAL OF RULE SCHOOL

We are glad to announce that Theodore J. Ratliff, who has been teaching in the Sagerton school for the past several years has received unanimous endorsement by the school board of Rule and was elected principal of this progressive school. Mr. Ratliff needs no introduction to the people of this section as a teacher. His work in the past as an educator has won for him the admiration which he justly deserves. We predict for Rule a successful term of school for 1923-24.

ROAD TAX DEFEATED IN PRECINCT NO. 2

The maintenance tax of 15c on the \$100 valuation for public roads was defeated by 47 votes in the election held last Saturday in Precinct No. 2.

We have below a report from four boxes of the precinct which held elections and one box turned in a report of no election held.

	For	Against
Haskell Box No. 2	6	52
Welnert	28	25
Cottonwood	7	7
Jim Hogz	4	8
Total	45	92

FISHERMEN USE MAIZE FORKS IN SNARING FISH

Rev. I. N. Alvis, missionary for the Haskell County Baptist Association told the following story to a Free Press reporter which he said was not "newspaper talk" but it is too good to be kept a secret—hence the story:

Somewhere on Paint Creek in the confines of Haskell county he was fishing when on a shoal he saw great schools of fish of all kinds swimming and basking in the rippling waters. After making the discovery he and some friends who were with him attacked the bold and adventurous members of the finny tribe with their hands, but were unable to capture the more coveted, known as the "cat family." Forked sticks were procured and put in use but still the results were unsatisfactory and only an occasional landing of a fish was successfully made. Rev. Alvis, who has been a fisher of men for many years and during that time he has had to use severe means to get results, so his experienced mind began working, and soon devised a plan which proved more successful. They rushed to a nearby barn where two maize forks were secured and in a very short while they had captured enough of the choice ones for a bountiful supply for their families. Rev. Alvis is now busily engaged with his duties in the field for the Association, with a memory of a successful catch in a phenomenal way.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robertson, of Welnert attended the funeral of F. M. Morton here Monday.

A TRIBUTE

This bank, together with the nation, mourns the loss of the most honored American citizen.

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Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association

The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association is a non-profit association of cotton growers organized under the laws of Texas for the purpose of promoting, fostering and encouraging the business of producing and marketing cotton co-operatively, for reducing speculation and waste, for stabilizing the cotton market and for co-operatively and collectively handling the problems of cotton growers. Membership is limited to cotton growers in Texas, or the landlord or tenant or lessor or lessee of land in Texas on which cotton is grown, provided the landlord or lessor receives all or part of the rental in cotton.

The movement to organize the Association was originated by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation in the winter of 1920, and the membership campaign closed July 1, 1921, with approximately 20,000 members representing an annual production of more than 500,000 bales of cotton.

The plan of organization is purely the most successful farmers' co-operative associations of California. It is based on these fundamental principles and policies:

1. Organization by Commodity and demonstrated that locality type organizations cannot successfully market a product produced over a large area. The marketing organization must reach out over the whole area of production.

2. Farmers Marketing Association—must be Business Organizations, composed of farmers only, controlled by farmer boards of directors, with no adverse interest in its membership or governing body.

3. Internal Pooling of All Products Handled by the Association.—By this is meant that cotton of all members sold through the Association must be graded and all cotton of each grade constitutes a separate pool. As these pools are sold payments are made to members according to the cotton delivered to the several pools. All members whose cotton is of the same grade and staple receive the same price. No member receives for all his cotton the highest price of the year, and no one receives the lowest price of the year, but all share equally in all sales throughout the season from pools into which their cotton goes, according to the number of bales contributed by each. This puts all members upon a basis of absolute equality and protects them from speculators in the market and insures more stable and dependable returns to the growers.

4. Long-time Binding Contract With Members.—This enables the Association to operate on a business basis, to employ competent men and to finance itself and its members.

5. Employ Experts in All Departments.—The plan of organization and form of contract was devised by Aaron Sapiro, the foremost co-operative lawyer and agricultural economist in the United States, and has been approved not only by more than 20,000 farmers of Texas, but has successfully undergone the careful scrutiny of the Federal Reserve Bank, the War Finance Corporation, the Texas Bankers Association and hundreds of the best bankers in Texas and other states.

Fifty Years Experience.
Owing to delays incident to getting a big new business in operation, the Association did not begin to operate until September 9, 1921, at which time more than 43 per cent of the cotton crop of Texas had been ginned. In spite of innumerable obstacles and difficulties, the Association received during its first year 93,802 bales of cotton and sold it for approximately \$11.00 a bale more than the average street market price of cotton in Texas.

The average price for middling 28 millimeters (7-8 to 1 inch) cotton sold by the Association was 18.19 cents delivered at Galveston.

After May 1, 1922, the Association sold 11,645 bales at an average price of 20.32 1-2 cents, delivered Galveston which proves the profitability of orderly marketing.

The cotton was classed into 77 pools, according to grade, staple, and other elements of value.

The Association sold every bale of its cotton for its grade and staple value, whereas everybody knows that farmers do not receive full premiums for superior grade and staple when they sell their cotton individually.

The Association sold 77 different kinds of cotton, each pool differing from all other pools in grade, staple, color or character, whereas farmers who sell individually usually sell "hog round," the good lumped in with the bad, and lose the premium on extra good grades and staples.

An Achievement in Agricultural Finance.

The outstanding achievement of the Association during its first year was the solving of the vexing problem of

financing the orderly marketing of cotton by farmers. That is the rock which has wrecked all previous efforts of farmers to co-operate in marketing cotton.

The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association was able during its first year to advance to its members an average of \$50.00 a bale upon delivery of cotton, and for this purpose borrowed a total of \$5,931,155.69 from Texas banks, the War Finance Corporation and banks outside of Texas.

The first loans were at the rate of 8 per cent but as the season advanced and banks became more familiar with the sound plans of operation the interest rate was lowered and the Association borrowed millions of dollars at 5 1/2 per cent. All loans were promptly paid when due and the Association began its second year with offers of more than \$16,000,000 of credit. It may be truthfully said that the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association has solved the problem of financing the orderly marketing of cotton and could finance the marketing of the entire Texas crop if all the cotton farmers could see the light and join the Association.

In order to finance its members between the time when cotton is ginned and the time when it can be sold in an orderly way the Association in its second year is advancing \$60.00 a bale when the cotton is delivered to a railroad for shipment to the Association. In the last day of the month in which the shipment is made, checks are sent out for an additional amount to bring the total advance up to 60 per cent of the market value. Doesn't that sound like farmers are attending to their own business in a business-like way?

All fair-minded men who are familiar with the course of the cotton market last season give the Association credit for steadying the cotton market and for the advancing price. The Association not only did not dump its cotton in the fall, but brought millions of dollars to the State to enable its members to meet their pressing obligations without sacrificing their crop. This fact alone has a profound influence on the market, with the resulting benefit to all growers.

The American Cotton Growers Exchange.

The cotton growers of no single state can establish a satisfactory marketing system. There must be co-operation of the growers in all cotton producing states to establish and maintain a large and strong enough market for producers a level of price is attained by the unhampered operation of the law of supply and demand and general business conditions.

When that goal has been attained cotton growing will become a stable and profitable industry and economic and social conditions in the cotton states will be vastly improved.

Co-operative cotton marketing associations identical in plan and method with the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association operated successfully during the season 1921-22 in Oklahoma, Arizona and the long staple region of Mississippi. All these associations operated successfully and their combined influence on the cotton market has been noted and commented on by the cotton trade throughout the world.

Early in 1921 the state Associations formed the American Cotton Growers Exchange to co-ordinate their own activities and to carry the gospel of co-operative marketing into the other cotton producing states.

Thanks to the general diffusion throughout the country of the wonderful accomplishments of the first four state associations and the active work of the American Cotton Growers' Exchange, co-operative cotton marketing associations have been organized in five additional states and are now operating successfully. The states now organized, the number of members and the number of bales of cotton represented by their members are as follows:

State	Members	Baleage
Oklahoma	36,000	410,000
Texas	20,000	550,000
Arizona	1,000	20,000
Mississippi (Delta)	1,500	200,000
Arkansas	5,800	215,000
North Carolina	27,000	400,000
Georgia	13,000	388,000
South Carolina	1,000	440,000
Alabama	12,000	160,000
Total	126,300	2,691,000

Campaigns are now in progress to organize associations in Louisiana, Tennessee and the upland region of Mississippi. These campaigns will be completed in time for the new associations to operate in 1924, and then the growers of every important cotton state will be organized and their combined strength will give them a commanding influence in the cotton trade world.

Farmers Dreams Coming True

Thus the dreams of the cotton farmers are being realized. After generations of subservience to those who buy and spin their products, they are at last asserting their natural and inherent rights and are taking charge of their own business in a sane, intelligent and business-like way.

The co-operative marketing of cotton is today upon a permanent and enduring basis. The plan meets the approval and has won the support of the best farmers in the South, it has been studied and approved by the best business minds in the United States, it is operating successfully. All that remains to be done is to maintain the good record already made and draw more farmers into the movement.

These organizations are strong now but their strength is that of babies compared to what it will be when even one-half the cotton producers of the South have joined them.

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Bureau Cotton Association for every cotton farmer in Texas. No man is too rich, too dignified or too self-sufficient to need its help and no man is too poor or too obscure to share equally in its benefits. Its strength in membership and influence means a larger measure of prosperity for cotton farmers, more comfort and happiness for their families and better business for all legitimate trade and commerce.

Officers

J. T. Orr, President.
W. D. Farris, Vice-President.
J. W. L. Hall, Secretary.
D. L. Ray, Assistant Secretary.
A. H. Blackshear, Jr., Asst. Sec.
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The Famous Yellow House Ranch has been cut up and is being sold in tracts of 177 acres each. These lands are located in the Lubbock section of the South Plains on the line of Lamb and Haskell Counties, 12 to 20 miles from Littlefield on the Santa Fe Railroad.

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WEAVER

By C. B. Lackey

This community was saddened by the death of Mrs. Beno Andress Friday at the home of her husband's parents. She was sick only a few hours before death came. A message was sent to her brother and sister near Rochester, but death came before they reached her side. Mrs. Andress was buried Sunday evening in the Willow Cemetery at Haskell, funeral services being conducted by Rev. I. N. Alvis.

We are very glad to report Mrs. Tony Patterson improving.

Mrs. R. D. Lackey is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Marr left last week for the plains where they will visit relatives.

Wesley Marchbanks and wife of Kirkdale visited the formers' parents Sunday.

Mrs. Blackburn's sister of Amarillo visited her this week.

The meeting started at Weaver last Friday night with a large attendance. Up to this writing ten have been converted. Rev. Pretty of Stamford is doing the preaching and Rev. Alvis is conducting the song services. The meeting will continue until Sunday evening, then the revival will begin at Post.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our kind friends and neighbors who extended to us their kindness and assistance in the sad hour of death of our brother and father. May God's richest blessings rest upon each and every one of them in our prayer.

Little Daughter Dorothy Best, Geo. Best and family.

H. Darnell, who is working in Abilene spent Sunday with his family of this city.

FOSTER

By Vadie West

The people of this community have organized a Union Sunday School. Everyone is invited to come and take part.

Mr. and Mrs. Keys from Wheeler County spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. Ed Dunn and family.

This community was shocked to learn of the accidental death of Mr. Walker Best of this community, which occurred last Saturday morning. Mr. Best was watering his horse when he accidentally got his foot tangled in the rope, which was tied to his horse, and was dragged to death before help could reach him. He was buried in the Rochester Cemetery Sunday.

Grandpa Robertson is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Will Harrell and family.

Several from this community attended church at Rochester Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Houshaw of Shamrock spent part of last week with their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Rose and family.

Jewel Aycock and family of Dallas spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Aycock and family.

Rev. Ben F. Roberts of Haskell will preach at this place Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Grandpa Morris of Midway spent Saturday night with his daughter, Mrs. Marshall West and family.

Several from this community attended church at Midway Sunday evening.

SAGERTON

(Special Correspondent)

The largest crowds in the history of Sagerton attended the picnic here Friday and Saturday. There was plenty of barbecue for every one, and of the fragments enough was left to feed all the dogs in the neighborhood.

Everybody enjoyed the dance both nights.

The days program consisted of speaking, ball games, and bronc busting. All the amusements that are seen at a carnival were on the grounds and all the boys enjoyed ducking the negro.

Sagerton played Rochester Friday 16-6 in favor of Rochester. Saturday it was 8-7 in favor of Sagerton.

Mr. Breedlove of Rule was the speaker Friday.

Harry Tom King of Abilene and Joe Burkett of Ranger, who is a candidate for governor, spoke Saturday.

Owing to the hot weather none of the heavy chaps wished to enter the fat man's race. Mr. A. N. Reed carried off the prize for having the largest family. He trotted in thirteen and said that the fourteenth had recently married. He is a sturdy farmer doing a great deal for his country.

E. S. Lee, bookkeeper for the bank, has gone to Girard. Paul Simmons of Rochester will fill his place.

David and Mrs. Sumclers visited their daughter, Mrs. Bennett Hess of this city this week.

A. S. Berman of Sulphur Springs has bought the bankrupt stock of E. R. Kirkland and is ready for business.

Luther Proctor, who was operated on for appendicitis in a Stamford sanitarium, has returned home.

The Sunday blue laws are enforced to the letter in this town and people are getting good in the hope that it will rain.

The Methodist will begin a revival Friday the 10th and will close on the 19th. The Baptist will begin their meeting on the 20th. Rev. Van Zant will preach at the Methodist Church and Rev. Edmonds of Hamlin will preach for the Baptist.

POST

Almost everyone is about through plowing and heading maize is the order for the week.

Cotton is still looking fairly well but everyone is wishing for rain on the upland cotton.

The oldest cotton is beginning to open, caused by the drouth.

The Post meeting begins Friday night with Rev. Pretty from Stamford leading the singing, and also doing the preaching until Sunday when Rev. W. H. Hughes, the pastor, will take charge of the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend.

The County Convention met at Post last Sunday. Some fine singing was enjoyed, although many of the singers failed to attend. The convention voted to meet at Weaver a month from last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gipson and little daughter are visiting Mrs. Gipson's mother, Mrs. D. R. Livengood for a few days. They are from Van Zandt county.

Edd Petree and family have returned from Sherman where they visited Mrs. Petree's parents.

Several from other communities attended the singing at Post Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gullette, who recently underwent an operation, is slowly improving.

R. L. Livengood returned home from the sanitarium Monday and seems to be greatly improved.

Cody West is experiencing results from his recent fishing trip. He has a good supply of poison oak.

The B. Y. P. U. Social given at the home of W. M. Luper was enjoyed by a large crowd.

O'BRIEN

By Mrs. W. B. West.

The weather is still hot and dry in this community.

Mrs. Vigie Pleckeell left last Wednesday for Oklahoma where she will visit her brother Mr. Wells.

Cansulla Austin and Mrs. Perry Everett's returned home last Tuesday after spending several days in Eastland.

Mrs. J. A. Parrish from New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. West of Jud spent Thursday here with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. West.

The Methodist Meeting closed last Thursday night. There were no additions to the church, but some fine preaching was enjoyed and good crowds attended.

The Baptist Revival will begin here next Sunday, August 12th. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Sacred Harp Singing was well enjoyed by all who attended. Lots of dinner was left after the crowd had enjoyed a bountiful feast.

C. G. Barnett and Will Casper left last Sunday for the plains where they will finish up the threshing in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Teaff and children and Mrs. Tipton and daughter Willie C. spent several days in Lamesa last week.

Mrs. P. A. Mansell and children and Mrs. Echols of Rochester were O'Brien visitors Thursday afternoon.

Ona Lee Mansell of Rochester spent Thursday night with Loyce West.

Edna Johnston spent several days in Rochester with her sister Mrs. H. S. Southall last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thomas and Misses Mamie Sloan and Mattie Thomas spent Saturday in Vera.

Arthur White and family left for their home at Lamesa last Sunday, after spending several weeks here. He was under the treatment of Dr. Edwards.

A. A. Bessire was called this week to the death-bed of his brother, Albert Bessire of Toyah, who only lived two hours after his brother had reached him.

Several from this place attended church at Rochester Sunday night.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during our bereavement in the death of our husband, brother, and uncle.

Mrs. Kate F. Morton, Mrs. A. P. Darr, Mrs. J. Curtis Ballard, Annie Kate Ferguson.

This is the season of **HOT WEATHER**

And the way to reduce discomfort is to visit our sanitary fountain, where cold and refreshing drinks are served just the way you like them.



A Different Motorist

A few years ago owning an auto was something like joining a lodge. All men wearing the emblem were brothers, to be helped in time of trouble and to be called upon when a friendly turn was needed. In those happy days when one motorist met another with a stalled machine, it was the proper thing to do to stop, help change a tire, get a spark to the dead engine or fool with the carburetor to make her run again. Now the average motorist casts a more or less pitying and contemptuous glance at the man who is stalled and goes on about his business.

The passerby ran no chances when he offered assistance. Today when he picks up a pedestrian or stalled motorist he may find a large, injurious weapon pointed his way and hear the command to get out and walk, or to hand over such valuables as he may have in his pockets.

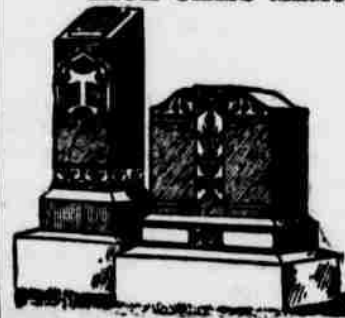
The next time your machine stalls along the road, and a party insolently and maliciously drives past without offering assistance, it may temper the blow somewhat to remember that he is afraid of being held up. The way machines are operated now it is every fellow for himself and the garage man take the hindmost.—Exchange.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

My Motto: "Satisfied Customers"

HIGH CLASS MEMORIALS IN MARBLE AND GRANITE



Do not be misled. I am not with the Haskell Marble Works, but with the largest monument concern in Texas. They own their own quarries, do their own finishing, operating on a large scale, selling at a price unequalled by any one. See me, or write for prices before you buy and you will never regret it.

Rev. C. Jones
Office in the Tin Shop Building

LEGAL NOTICES



Citation on Appointment of Temporary Administrator

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:

You are Hereby Comanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Haskell County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of the Estate of D. I. Stewart Deceased. Mrs. Ethel Dunlap was by the county court of Haskell County, Texas, on the 6th day of September A. D. 1923 duly appointed Temporary Administrator of the estate of said decedent, which appointment will be made permanent should the court be of the opinion that a permanent Administrator is necessary, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in September A. D. 1923 the same being the 3rd day of September A. D. 1923, at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of the estate of said decedent may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Haskell Texas, this 30th day of July A. D. 1923.

(Seal) Emory Menefee,
Clerk County Court, Haskell County, Texas.

A TONIC

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

YOU have been able for many years to get Good-year Tires at prices below the average commodity price level, as the above chart shows. You can get them today for 30% less than they cost ten years ago. But you have never been able to get so much quality in a Goodyear Tire as you get today in the new Goodyear Cord. This is a good time to buy Goodyears.

Goodyear Service Station dealers sell and recommend the new Goodyear Cord with the bonded All-Weather Tread and back them up with standard Goodyear Service.

F. Kennedy, Haskell, Texas



Calomel of Peace and Danger

Calomel Retained and Improved—Dangerous and Sickening Pills Removed. Perfected Tablet "Calotabs."

Triumph of modern science "Unseated" calomel tablet in the drug trade as "Calotabs," the most generally useful of medicines thus enters upon a wider popularity—purified and removed those objectionable qualities heretofore limited its use.

Headaches, constipation, headache, nausea, and in a great variety of stomach and kidney troubles was the most successful remedy. Its use was often neglected in the earliest and most pleasant to take. One Calotab at a time with a swallow of water, no taste, no griping, no purgative salts. A good night's sleep next morning you are feeling like a clean liver, a purified system and a big appetite. Eat what you like. No danger.

Calotabs are sold only in original packages, price thirty-five cents for the large, family package; ten for the small, trial size. Your dealer is authorized to refund the purchase price of a copy every time you are delighted with Calotabs.—23-13c

Send Us Your Name

and address on a post card or in a letter and we will mail you a sample copy of Popular Mechanics MAGAZINE.



TO LEND Through the Rule National Farm Loan Association of Rule, Texas, by the Federal Land Bank of Houston, on Loans Located in Haskell, Knox and Starnwell Counties. Rate, 5% Per Cent Time, On or before 24% Years. The Government's plan for Cheap Money on Easy Terms. \$500 per \$1000 loan paid annually will reduce the loan in 24% years, leaving the borrower a total of \$250.00. \$1000 loan at 8 per cent, (the usual rate) running for the same length of time will cost the borrower \$2750.00. By comparison we find a saving in favor of the Federal Land Bank of \$2650.00 on the \$1000 borrowed. No trouble to answer questions. THE RULE NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION W. H. McCandless, Secretary-Treasurer Capital Stock \$50,000.00 Loans \$740,000.00

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Haskell Texas Friday August 10, 1923

When a man says he's through with women it's a sign he's either married to one or has just been turned down.

A strong-minded man is one who jumps out of bed at the first ring of the alarm clock—and then stays out.

And more than one home has been broken up because the old man insisted on sitting on the front porch in his bare feet.

Some men's idea of cleaning up the yard consists in sticking a match to the trash after their wife has piled it up.

Some people will never admit the truth about their neighbors unless it happens to their discredit.

The wisest married man is the one who stands a long way off from his wife when she goes to throw an old bottle at a hen.

A scientist declares that every cubic yard of air contains 300,000,000 particles of dust. Count your air and if the dust goes beyond that figure it's time to clean up.

THE WEEKLY NEWSPAPER

The weekly newspaper occupies a place in the social, religious, domestic and industrial life that is peculiarly its own. Nothing can take this enviable position away from it.

The big city daily supplies the news of the day from distant states and distant lands, while the country weekly supplies the news of the week at home.

The wise advertiser will find the man's heart, then take his message to it. He will find it wrapped up in the community in which he lives, works, worships and loves.

GOODWILL AS AN ASSET

Good will is a recognized business asset. It has a recognized market value. It is bought and sold where commercial enterprises change hands.

It is, as a matter of fact, harder to accumulate than capital; harder to make than manufactured products.

These names will occur readily to the reader. They are names that have been known for years, and are known around the world.

They have become known first by intelligent advertising, second by keeping the promise that the advertising has made to the people.

It is the good will built up by the paying or receiving teller in a bank in his dealings with customers of his superiors that earns him promotion.

Every worker in the world, directly or indirectly, for himself or his employer, must deal with the public.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Mr. J. R. Johnson of the Pinkerton neighborhood was doing business in the city Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Meadors and family left Friday morning for a visit of a week with the family of his father-in-law, Mr. C. W. Ballard in Dickens county.

It is reported that the Frisco will, about August the 1st put a corps of surveyors to work locating the line for its extension from Vernon southward to connection with the central at Stamford. This is a matter of interest to Haskell, as we are on an open air line between the two points mentioned.

Mr. W. H. Eply and wife of the Idola community, were trading in town Thursday.

Mr. L. A. Norris, who has twenty acres of cotton on his farm eight miles northwest of town, that is knee high and full of blooms and squares would like to know who can beat it.

Mr. Caleb Terrell who is with the Johnson theatre in Knox county visited the folks in town Thursday.

Miss Mable Wyman entertained quite a party of her girl friends Thursday night.

Mr. Rose, son of our citizen Mr. E. A. Rose, of Sutton county, down in the Devils River county is upon a visit to Haskell county friends.

In the Baseball game last Saturday at Pinkerton between Pinkerton and Rule, the Rule boys won by a score of 48 to 6. Not being satisfied with the lopping the Pinkerton boys challenged the Rulers to play them again to-day at Rule, and the Rule boys promised to "take it out of 'em again."

Mrs. E. S. Sims of the Wild Horse neighborhood was shopping in town Thursday.

A pleasant fishing party spent a few days in camp this week at the Paint and California Creek ranch of Mr. S. W. Scotts. The party was composed of Miss Elizabeth McFarland of Ladonia, Miss Eva Browning of Seymour, Miss Jennie Litsey of Texas Ky., Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott, Elder C. N. Williams, Dr. R. G. Litsey and Mr. H. S. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hogue were in the Wild Horse country trading Thursday.

Mr. W. T. McDaniel, the all around farmer, stockman and ginner of the Wild Horse country was doing business in the city Thursday.

Misses Mary and Grace Anderson of the Kasoga neighborhood, were in Haskell this week visiting the family of Mr. R. P. Simmons.

Messrs. Fred Sanders and Hardy Grisson have the job of making up the tax rolls for Assessor Brown.

Miss Bertie Hooker, of Lockney is visiting friends in the western part of this county.

Mr. John Scott of Rude had business in the city Thursday.

Miss Essie Gossett of Knox county is visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. M. H. Gossett.

Mr. Sherrick and wife of Knox county, visited in Haskell this week.

Miss Ala Tanner of the western part of the county, accompanied by Miss Bertie Hooker of Lockney, visited in town Thursday.

Miss Bessie Cousins of the northeastern part of the county visited in town this week with Miss Fannie Isbell.

Mrs. Williams, at the Christian parsonage, will entertain the young folks Monday, July 13th with a lawn party. Refreshments will be served for the benefit of Christian Endeavor society.

Miss Maud Roberts of Westphalia community, visited her friend, Miss Lana Nixon, in town this week.

Mr. Jim Harrison of Sherman, is visiting the families of his uncles W. W. and R. B. Fields.

Mr. Joe Irby returned Monday from a business trip to Aspermont.

Miss Edith Sowell returned Tuesday night from Gorman, where she has been visiting with relatives for several weeks.

Born Wednesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. John Therwanger, a daughter.

Judges H. G. McConnell and P. D. Sanders left Thursday to attend county court at Aspermont.

ANDREW JOHNSON, BACK-WOODSMAN TO PRESIDENT

Like Lincoln's cabin the weather-beaten little frame tailor shop of Andrew Johnson, successor to Lincoln in the White House, is preserved for future generations, a mecca for patriots, a mute memorial to the rugged East Tennesseean who, from poverty and illiteracy, rose to the highest honor the people can bestow.

The world appears to be divided into two parts—those who are seeking loans and those who are able to grant them.

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Consider the Home Man He is a banker, a merchant, or a contractor, or in some other line of business.

He lives in our town. He knows you and you know him. He buys from other dealers in the home town for the needs of himself and his family. The money he thus spends stays here.

He pays taxes, and supports the churches, and gives to charity, and is always "hauling it out" for some worthy local cause.

His employees live here, and the money he pays them keeps on circulating around among us.

The goods he sells are as he represents them, for he could not afford to work off an inferior article on you—even if he could.

He can not afford to overcharge because he would soon lose his trade if he did.

In every way he is an asset to the community—a convenience and an actual benefit to you.

Can you afford to pass up the man who means so much to you?

YEAR OF 1816 WAS THE COLDEST IN HISTORY

The year 1816 has gone down into history as "eighteen hundred and froze to death." Not much authentic information exists concerning it but the popular name suggests a great deal.

A paragraph in Thompson's "History of Vermont" declares that frosts occurred in every month of the summer and that snow fell every month of the year.

In Middle and Northern New England crops of all sorts were severely injured or destroyed. In the Middle Atlantic States there was great damage, but statistical information concerning the extent of the damage is not at hand.

The cause of the cold spell is thought to have been on account of the great amount of volcanic dust that filled the air, intercepting the heat of the sun, and inasmuch as the years 1812-1816 were years of great volcanic activity, this explanation is plausible.

The dust haze intercepts a great deal of the sun's heat.—New York Herald.

Resolutions

Resolved adopted on the death of F. M. Morton by the Board of Directors of the Farmers State Bank of Haskell, Texas.

Whereas: On the 2nd day of August Mr. F. M. Morton, a director of this bank, passed away while on a trip in Colorado, and we deem it appropriate to express our sympathy to Mrs. Morton and other relatives:

Be it therefore resolved: That we extend to Mrs. Morton and other relatives our heartfelt sympathy and sincere regret in their loss of husband and relative;

And be it further resolved: That in the death of Mr. Morton we have lost the assistance and services of a director whose judgment and advice have always been highly prized by his associates, and that he will be missed in our councils.

It is ordered that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. Morton, and a copy be spread on the minutes of the Bank, and a copy be handed the press for publication.

Approved: R. P. MONTGOMERY, President. Correct Attest: J. B. Post, Cashier.

Snap Shots

Some men get rich by plugging ahead while others remain poor waiting for bigger opportunities.

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Reliable man with force, good four-room house, cistern and pasture. W. B. Gregory, Weinert 1c

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LIVERGARD—The New Laxative Mothers: LIVERGARD is the new Laxative we cannot improve. Safe and best for the Baby, Father, Mother, grandparents, sickly and strong. When the bowels are sluggish, LIVERGARD makes laughing babies of puny ones; keeps old folks young; a bottle today keeps ill away. Children are eager for it, grown-ups praise it. At good drug stores. Write us for free sample. Lungardia Company, Dallas, Texas. For Sale by Reid's Drug Store. 24-16c

GOOD FOR WEAK EYES The quick action of simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash astonishes people. One small bottle helps any case weak, sore or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. The Payne Drug Co. 1c

MRS. I. A. V. BROCK, teacher of Piano, Mandolin and Guitar, has returned from San Antonio, where she has been taking a course in music, and will be ready to resume her work with her class at the beginning of the fall term. Telephone 35, or call at the Hunt House. 1tp

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Wants

FOR SALE—A bargain. The 3. Bovers residence; fine location. Four blocks from square. Fourth house north of M. E. Church. An ideal home worth the money. See or write W. C. (Walter) Bevera, Monday, Texas. 27-4c

NOTICE—I will be in Haskell every Monday doing refraction work, and fitting glasses. Office upstairs in Pierson building. W. L. Martin, State registered Optometrist. 14-tfc

WILMOT DAUGHERTY, salesman for Fuller Brothers, Haskell, Texas. 1c

YES, I WILL TRADE a nice 4-room house, 2 lots, and will take car or truck in or part cash and notes. See J. B. Nelums or V. A. Brown. 31-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farms or ranches anywhere. List with me. W. A. Short, Rochester, Texas.

SIX PER CENT FARM and RANCH LOANS. Business property loans, reasonable rates, prompt service. Buyers for farm, ranch, and business bargains. Calvin Henson, Haskell, Texas. 19-tfc

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ROOM and BOARD for two during school term. Rates reasonable. See Mrs. M. D. Hill. 1tc

FOR SALE—House and lot, worth the money. Must sell. See H. Wheeler

FOR SALE At a bargain a house with large lot well located in city limits. For information see: W. M. Free. 29-4 tc.

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Church and Sunday School

Methodist Church Sunday School 9:45. We anxious to have a full attendance day.

Rev. A. L. Moore, President, will preach according to pre-arrangement at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Let us give Bro. Moore a going as this is the first full year he has given us this year. League meets at 7:30.

The Presbyterian Church Our Motto: "To know Christ, make Him known."

Sunday School and Christian work at the usual hours. Sunday mid-week prayer service beginning which is in progress. Christian Church. Let us progress in mind and heart, and the work of the Lord with our hands. You need the Savior; The Savior in his vineyard. At the last Sunday the pastor was on a vacation for the month of hence there will be no preaching at our church during this time.

Baptist Church Announcements Leon M. Gambrell, Pastor. Robt. M. Chambers, choir leader. The pastor will preach at 10:30 next Sunday. The Sunday School superintendent, Mr. O. J. Norman, back from his vacation and glad to see all officers and members and pupils in their places next Sunday. The pastor will baptize at the evening service.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Morning preaching service at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. meetings at 7:15. Evening preaching service at 7:30. The B. Y. P. U. are meeting at 7:30 for their opening and closing exercises and have aroused new interest points of the standard of excellence B.Y.P.U. work. Members of these organizations are asked to be present Sunday and help their respective wins.

B. Y. P. U. Program August 12th. Bible Study. Short Books of the New Testament. Leader—Roy Watson. Introduction—Leader. Christian's Equipment—Grandman. The Precious Promises—Lillian.

The Christians Addition to Stanley. Fruitfulness—Leta Simmond. Summary—Alfred Pierson. False Teachers Foretold—Miss Grindstaff. Last Days Foretold—Miss D.

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F. M. MORTON DIES IN COLORADO LAST THURSDAY

(Contributed)
The sudden death of F. M. Morton was a shock to the whole community when the news was received here that he had died in Colorado last Thursday while driving his car.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton and Anna Kate Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sanders and sons left Haskell July 5th for Colorado, had a delightful trip and deceased seemed to be in excellent health. The Sanders family returned home and the Morton's started for a visit to their niece, Mrs. Curtis Ballard. On the fatal day they were out from Trinidad 65 miles when they encountered several cars stuck in the mud. Mr. Morton in his generous and big-hearted way, and against the protest of his wife, jumped out to help push the cars out of the mud, then got in his car and took the wheel and was his usual jolly self, when suddenly he fell forward on the wheel while the car was going down grade at 35 miles per hour. Anna Kate succeeded in stopping the car. Mr. Morton revived and told her that he was all right and for her to take the wheel and go on. She did so and they had driven about the length of the car when he passed away. People helped them get in touch with doctors and relatives, and they took him back to Trinidad and there the body was embalmed and brought home for burial. Mrs. Morton and Anna Kate accompanied it from Trinidad. Friends met them in Wichita and they arrived home Saturday evening.

Mr. Morton was born July 5th, 1856, in Mississippi, and was married to Miss Kate Ferguson December 7, 1882 and although they had no children of their own, they always had young people in the home and it was indeed a happy home. They were both lovers of young people and adopted a boy and reared him, helped put several boys and girls through high school, and kept two of Mrs. Morton's nieces, Misses Velma and Anna Kate Ferguson in high school and then sent them both away to college. There was always a splendid library in the home which was free to the school children and all the young people of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton moved to Haskell county in 1885 and no man has done more to build up the community than he. He was elected County Commissioner and helped to build the first four county roads built in this county. They came here with very little worldly goods but a great deal of confidence in the country and by hard work and frugality built up a fortune. Mr. Morton at the time of his death being one of the wealthiest men in the county. He was president of the Haskell Telephone Company, one of the largest concerns

in Western Texas, president of the Haskell Ice & Light Company before it was sold, a director in the Farmers State Bank and the Weibert State Bank, besides many other interests, including a number of farms. In the passing of Mr. Morton Haskell loses one of her strongest financiers, and he was a man who would always help the other fellow. He had thousands of dollars loaned out and hundreds of notes, but he was never known to foreclose on a worthy man. He had that milk of human kindness in his make-up which caused him to always give others the benefit of the doubt.

Mr. Morton was one of earth's noblemen, being a true, loyal, and devoted husband, a kind, loving son and brother and he loved Mrs. Morton's people as his own, having been an intimate friend of her family from early childhood. He was kind and considerate of his employees. His principal characteristics were truth, fairness and frankness, and he openly condemned frauds and humbugs. He abhorred waste and was always willing to help those who tried to help themselves. He was also one of the best posted men in the country, being a very careful reader. He leaves his wife, one brother, N. T. Morton of Somerset, Texas, two sisters, Mrs. A. P. Darr of Dallas and Mrs. S. E. Hannon of Fort Worth, a large number of relatives and a host of friends to mourn his loss.

John W. Pace, general manager of the Haskell Telephone Company, had charge of the funeral arrangements. The funeral was conducted with Masonic honors. Mr. Morton was a Shriner of the Hella Temple and there were Shriners from all the nearby towns. Mr. S. W. Scott of San Antonio, a life long friend of the deceased was master of ceremonies and Rev. Ed R. Wallace, a close friend of long standing, preached the sermon at the Methodist Church assisted by the pastor, Rev. S. L. Culwell. John W. Pace was the commander of the Knight Templar escort, which was very impressive and beautiful. The church could not accommodate all who came to pay their last respects to this noble man. There was a very large floral offering of richest hues and sweetest fragrance.

The active pall bearers were Messrs. W. B. Murphy, local manager of the Seymour branch of the Haskell Telephone Company, Marvin Post, W. E. Kirkpatrick, Oscar Oates, Alvy Couch, Marvin Hancock, C. L. Lewis, J. P. Payne, Merchant, B. Cox, G. T. Scales, M. B. Watson, E. O. Chapman, F. T. Sanders, Booth English, James Perrin, and W. E. Welsh. Honorary pall bearers were Messrs. W. H. Murchison, T. E. Ballard, J. R. Couch, R. C. Montgomery, Henry Post, Tom Marr of Aspermont, all of whom were pioneers and old friends of the deceased.

Other out-of-town guests were Hon. J. H. Cunningham of Abilene and Walter Tandy of Abilene; W. A. Biggs, superintendent of the contract department of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company of Dallas, who carried his floral offering in his hand from Dallas to be sure and have it here on time; John A. Stratton of the Kellogg Switchboard Company, Dallas, S. W. Scott of San Antonio; Joe Jones, James Lindsay and Porter Campbell of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Eiland, Mr. and Mrs. Cullam Campbell, J. N. Campbell and Tom Isbell of Munday; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen of Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore of Crowell, John W. Pace Jr., of Goree; W. B. Murphy

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of Seymour, and many others, including a very large number from Weibert, whose names the writer failed to get. The out-of-town relatives were Mrs. Darr, a sister of the deceased, and her daughter of Dallas; Mrs. Curtis Ballard and children of Ville Green, Colo.; Mrs. Morton's brothers, Joe Ferguson of Hale Center, A. M. Ferguson of Sherman, and former Governor James E. Ferguson of Temple.

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Maids and Matrons Club

Miss Lois Earnest was hostess to the members of the Maids and Matrons Club at her home Wednesday afternoon and a most delightful time was spent at bridge.

Mrs. Hill Oates received high score and received a box of table numbers and score cards.

The hostess served chicken sandwiches and lemon ice to Misses Alberta Smith, Nettie McCollum, Exa Cahill, Helen and Florence Shook, Eunice Huckabee, Sula Mae Ratliff, Verna Oates, Frances Post, Marylee Pinkerton, Mildred Shook, Mesdames Hill Oates, L. H. Southern, J. E. Bernard, J. E. Grissom, Claiborne Payne.

Sunday School Class Picnic

Mrs. Charles Parsons entertained the members of her Sunday School class with a delightful picnic at the Pinkerton Lake Tuesday evening. A picnic lunch and loaf watermelon were served as refreshments, and swimming and games were enjoyed. Everyone had a very pleasant time and returned home at 10 o'clock.

The following enjoyed the outing: Misses Helen Caldwell, Velma Hamilton, Mary Kimbrough, Fayett Green of Fort Worth, Mary Nell Wilson, Emma Lee Martin, Juanita Cox, Linda Robertson, Thelma Williams, Marion Guest, Brucille Bryant, Messrs. Earnest Sanders, Calvin Middleton, Ora Phippen, Otho Cass, James Jones, Harry Lee, Hugh Caunt, Cecil Weaver, Clifton Chapman, Clay Smith, Garner, Trenton, Everett, Quitman Gentry, William Woodson, Mesdames Ed Robertson and Ethel Irby assisted the hostess in chaperoning.

Mrs. McWhirter of Dallas Honored

The delightful party given by Mrs. Murchison and which appeared in last week's paper was given in honor of Mrs. McWhirter of Dallas and the guest prize was a silver tomato server.

Mrs. W. M. Reid Hostess

Mrs. Reid entertained the Thursday Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. T. C. Rogers last Thursday. The home was beautiful with ferns and flowers. A most delightful afternoon was spent at bridge and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Rogers and her two attractive daughters Marjorie and Martha, and Ruth Robertson served a two course luncheon consisting of a salad course and an ice course. The following enjoyed the hospitality: Mrs. McWhirter of Dallas, Bruce W. Bryant of Austin, Sadler of Henderson, Morgan of Texas City, Berry of Electra, J. P. and Claiborne Payne, W. H. Murchison, R. R. English, Misses Willie Veasey, Laverne Cummins and Verna Oates.

Woman's Missionary Society

The Woman Missionary Society of the First Christian Church met Monday August 6th with Mrs. Brasher. In the absence of the president the vice president, Mrs. W. A. Duncan, presided. After a short business session Mrs. T. A. Pinkerton directed a most helpful and inspiring lesson on Women and the Gospel.

Song— "When I Need Him Most"

Prayer— Mrs. Pinkerton.

Bible Lesson— "The Kingdom of Heaven"— Mrs. Brasher.

Violin Solo— Agnes Fields.

Women in the Early Church— Mrs. H. S. Post.

In place of the topic "Women in Modern Missions," Mrs. Pinkerton conducted a very interesting Round Table Discussion on "How Can the Women of the Church Help to Establish the Kingdom of God in Haskell."

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(Edited by Mrs. F. T. Sanders)

J. E. Grissom Entertains
Mr. Grissom gave a beautiful party at his attractive home Tuesday evening. The guests were Miss Barnett and Mr. Jeans. Eight tables were arranged for bridge which game was ended throughout the evening. Mrs. J. Grissom won high score for the ladies and received a box of linen handkerchiefs which she presented to the guest of honor. Mr. Henry Alexander won score for the men and received a handkerchief. The guest prize consisted of beads.

hostess served a plate lunch to the following: Mesdames and Messrs. Fields, J. P. and Claiborne Payne, Bernard, Charles Conner, Keunaler, Mayes, Misses Verna Oates, Smith, Lois Earnest, Frances Joan Irby, Mamie Barron, Mary Pace, Miss Barnett the honor Mesrs. Oscar Oates, Raleigh Oates, Virgil Hudson, Bagby, Alexander, A. F. Holt, Bert A. Gaines Post, the honor guest, and Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant.

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A Plea To Parents

Haskell, Texas, August 8, 1923.

It has come to our notice that there is an undue amount of parking of cars in the late evening along our highways and about secluded spots adjacent thereto. It is a well known fact that many of these cars are occupied by young men and women unchaperoned.

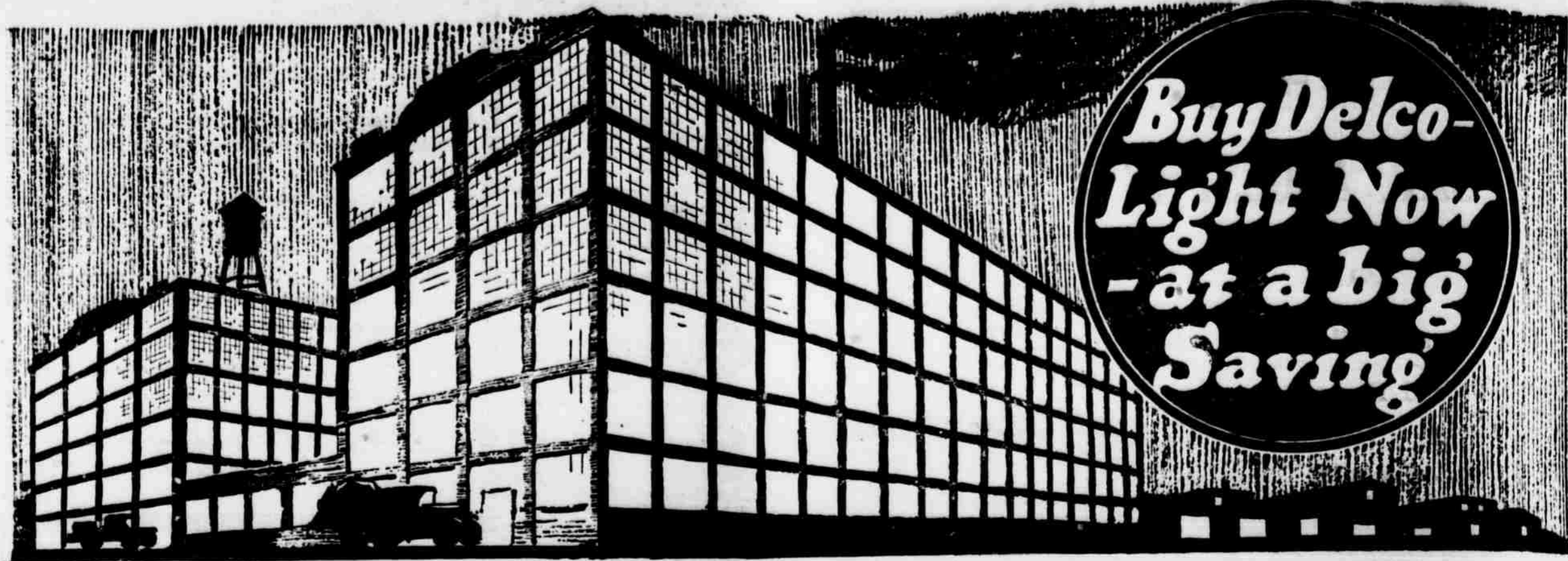
We believe our officers are doing what they can to lessen this evil. However, the problem is not so much theirs as it is that of the parents of these young people; for any observer can see that a large percentage of those participating in this dangerous practice are mere boys and girls.

The Ku Klux Klan does not pretend to be the moral censor of this community. Instead, it is striving to maintain those ideals which the builders of our Christian communities have cherished and fostered for ages past. It aims to protect the purity of the womanhood and the virtue of girls and boys of this land in so far as it is within its power to do so.

For these reasons we beg of the parents of this city and county that they give closer attention to the whereabouts of their children at night, and we take this means of stating publicly that the Klan is going to use every lawful means in its power to eliminate, or at least reduce this disgraceful practice.

In the name of God and your children, parents, heed this plea.

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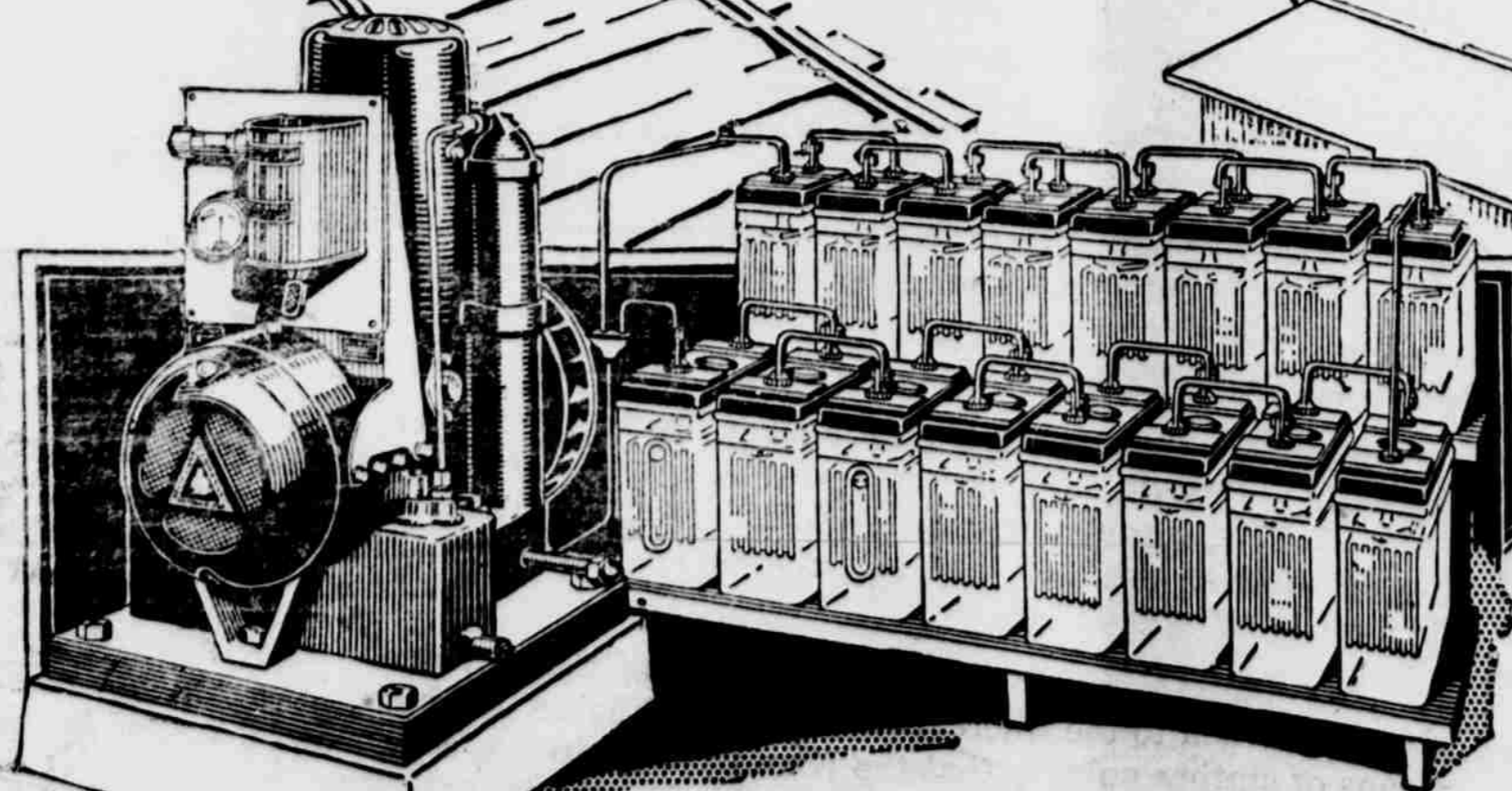
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"It was my desire and my plan to have the flag lowered during the period of Garry's journey homeward to the graves of his ancestors at my island home, and this desire was fulfilled and this plan executed.

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"I firmly believe that when the men and women of this state and Nation think through what I have done, they will see that a lesson in the appreciation of dumb animals has been taught, and that my act heightens the significance of our flag as an emblem of human achievement that has been made possible largely through the faithful services and sacrifices of dumb animals.

"I should esteem it an honor when my time comes to have the same capitol flags that were lowered for my dog, Garry, lowered for me. It is my prayer that I always may be as unselfish and as loyal to my Master, state and nation as was Garry to me."—Honey Grove Signal.

Taking a Vacation

Now and then the average Haskell man's nerves get all out of alignment, appetite becomes poor, a tired, worn-out feeling creeps over him and he tells his troubles to the family doctor. Nine times out of ten, in addition to the medicine he receives, he hears the doctor say, "What you need is a change." And the doctor is right, for after all

the human body is only a machine. We have to oil up an auto every few hundred miles and freshen up the batteries with a new supply of water. So with the human body, we have to rest it up every now and then, put in a new kind of atmosphere and give the eyes and nerves a change of scenery, if we hope to make it wear and function as it should. The resident of the farm or the smaller town can secure that needed change by a little visit to a nearby city. The city man can get it by going to the farm. The treatment acts the same in both cases. One rests while enjoying sights that are strange to the eye, or even by halting awhile to watch some other fellow work.

Vacations are expensive when we figure them from a dollar and cent standpoint. If we had any means of knowing how a rest of even a week a year would reduce doctor bills and add a few days to our life, we would count that vacation the cheapest thing in the world. So, no matter how important you may feel your work to be, just remember the old world would get along somehow if you were called away from it altogether. Just realize that a week away from it won't throw everything out of gear, and that the one week of rest may be the means of keeping you fit for business longer than you can hope to be if you keep right on without a rest—without the "change" that the doctor says is better than medicine.

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MIDWAY

(Special Correspondent)

Since our last report a light rain fell over this part of the country which did cotton a great deal of good, but more rain is needed and we are hoping for a small flood in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and family of this community returned Monday from Lubbock where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. Mollie Blakeley, who died suddenly last Saturday. We sympathize with Mrs. Miller in her sorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Riggs and children of Brownwood are visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scott and family this week. Prayer meeting was held at the schoolhouse Monday night. A good crowd was in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Robertson and baby of Electra, spent last week-end with their uncle, D. C. Buffington and family of this place. A union revival meeting is to begin

at Midway school house Thursday night. Leon M. Gambrell of the Haskell Baptist Church, will do the preaching. Much interest is being manifested and it is hoped a good meeting will be the result.

The class in voice culture conducted by Mr. Free of Haskell, is proving very interesting to those who attend regularly. Quite a number were present on last Tuesday night.

Miss Lillie Belle Jones of Alabama, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. A. Frier, son and family. Miss Jones made her first acquaintance with West Texas when she visited her sister last summer. This second visit is proof positive that she likes our "wild, windy, West."

Mrs. Cora Laird of Grandview, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bailey of this community.

J. M. Betts a progressive farmer of the Rule country was in the city Tuesday.

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Special Correspondent

The Christian meeting begins Friday night. Elder Early Arceneaux will do the preaching and Mr. Lewis will direct the music. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The Methodist meeting was a great spiritual uplift to the town and community. A number of conversions and quite a few have joined the church. Rev. S. L. Culwell has surely endeared himself to people of this place.

Last Sunday morning the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan had charge of the funeral of Mr. Walker Best, who met a tragic death Saturday morning by being dragged to death by a horse. He leaves a little girl seven years old, who has the sympathy of the entire community. Mr. Best lived near Foster school house.

J. E. Mansell and family are off on a vacation this week. They will visit at Lubbock, Silverton and O'Donnell and other places on the plains.

Mrs. Kraus and children of Vaughn, N. M. are here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. C. Walker.

Miss Alice Carothers has as her guest this week Miss Lois Bishop of Waxahachie.

CENTER POINT

By Mrs. G. D. Payne

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cook of Gauntt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walker of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne spent Sunday visiting the latter's grandfather, W. B. Kirby of Haskell.

J. A. Bell of Sagerton is visiting H. E. Bell of this community.

The church has bought a new piano which was needed very badly. Everyone come to Sunday School every Sunday morning. There will be preaching next Sunday afternoon.

The farmers in this section have about finished gathering their feed.

The following is the program for the B. Y. P. U. next Sunday night.

Subject—Short Books of the New Testament, Group No. 2 in charge.

Leader—Miss Lorena Liles.

The Christian's Equipment—Archie Gentry.

The Precious Promises—Miss Ione Harwell.

The Christian's Addition Table—Marvin Gentry.

Fruitfulness—Miss Verlie Bland.

Summary—Earl Liles.

False Teachers Foretold—Miss Lucy Lee Davis.

Last Days Foretold—Mrs. Frank Jeter.

WEINERT

Special Correspondent

Bro. Fuzala is teaching a B. Y. P. U. and Sunday School Class here this week. Everyone is invited to come and take part in this great work.

Our Sunday Schools are building up very rapidly.

Rev. Barnett, the pastor of the Methodist Church here is doing the preaching in a revival at Pleasant View this week.

The B. Y. P. U. met Sunday evening for the first time with the following officers in charge: Mrs. Theo. Jones president, Leland Hannah, vice-president, Andra Mathison secretary and treasurer, Omia Furrh Bible Quiz teacher, E. C. Brown chorister and Ruby Brinlee pianist. The group leaders will be appointed this week.

Quite a few from this place attended the funeral services of Mr. Morton at Haskell Monday. The city mourns his death. He was loved by the people of Weinert, and his death was a shock to all.

Mrs. G. C. Newsome's two sisters and brother-in-law from St. Louis, Mo., have been visiting her this week.

William Robertson returned to his place of business with the Robertson Dry Goods and Grocery store here last week after an extended vacation with homefolks in Mineral Wells.

Tobe Trice and family of Haskell visited his sister and family here Sunday afternoon, Mrs. D. M. Baird.

Rufus Jones of the Spencer Lumber Co. here has with him this week his mother and father and sister and brother-in-law.

Thelma Newsome visited Kathlene Mabry of Munday the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gould and family of Hereford are visiting here this week.

Quite a number of Haskell citizens attended the funeral of Walker Best Sunday at Rochester. Mr. Best was dragged to death Saturday morning by a horse and mule when he became entangled in a rope which was tied around the neck of the horse.

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LOCAL NOTES

Miss Bobbie Farmer visited in Stamford last week.

Mrs. Jess Edwards is visiting friend in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cadell of Weinert were here Monday on business.

Miss Ethel Robertson of Ind spent the week end with Miss Ollie Free.

Mr. and Mrs. Date Anderson visited relatives in Brockenridge last week.

E. L. Huntsman of Rochester was a visitor to the capitol city Tuesday.

Miss Ella D. Kousser, who has been visiting in East Texas returned home Monday.

Pack Bettis of Stamford was here Monday and attended the funeral of F. M. Morton.

Judge J. H. Cunningham of Abilene was here to attend the funeral of F. M. Morton Monday.

Mrs. Eula Foster, Miss Lily Ashby and Mrs. Cecil Jones of Weinert were Haskell visitors Friday.

Willie Baucus of Rep Springs was visiting a few days of last week with Miss Retta Lee of Haskell.

Miss Mollie Williams of the Grissom Store of this city is spending her vacation in Wheeler county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lamm left Tuesday for Desdemona where they will visit their son Walter Lamm.

G. T. Nicholson of Stamford brother of Mrs. B. M. Whitaker of this city was here Thursday on business.

E. B. Harris, editor of the Rule Review, spent Monday night in Haskell visiting relatives and transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robertson of Weinert were here Monday attending the funeral of F. M. Morton who was buried here Monday.

W. T. Sorrells and family of this city attended the Primitive Baptist Association held near Anson last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Hallmark returned this week from Wichita Falls where she has been visiting her son Hamilton and family for the past three weeks.

L. Leggett and family of O'Brien were in the city Saturday. They were visiting their old friends R. A. Brady and family of the McKnight farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Riggs of Brownwood are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Scott west of town for the week Mr. Riggs and Scott were in the city Friday.

Mrs. Ed Robertson and daughter Lynda of this city accompanied by Mrs. Kirby and son Carney of Mangokoff are visiting relatives in Amarillo this week.

Walter Calvert and family of Waco returned home Tuesday after a visit with the family of L. K. Cook west of town. Clyde Cook returned home with them for a short visit.

J. W. Barnes of north of Rule says that he has the best cotton crop that he has ever had since he has been farming in Haskell county. He says that he made fair feed.

Mr and Mrs J. T. Finley returned this week from a short vacation spent in New Mexico on their claim. Mr Finley thinks he has found the real country where his place is in New Mexico.

Oliver Williams of the Haxest plumbing co. with his family left Saturday evening for a two weeks vacation, which they will spend in Ft Worth, Dallas and Corsicana visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Hattie Paxton will arrive home from Denton Thursday of this week and will spend a short vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton of this city before she will begin teaching in the schools.

Roscoe Hathcock returned Monday from a hurried trip to Electra and a short tour through southern Oklahoma. He says that crop conditions are no better than Haskell county in any of the country he visited while away.

J. F. Kennedy of the Haskell Garage has been confined to his bed for the past week with illness. Mr. Kennedy has not been well for sometime and it is to be hoped that he will soon recuperate and be able to be back at his business again.

Messchs T. E. and B. A. Giddens and their families returned to their homes at Sherman Monday after a visit with their parents and other relatives including their brother M. E. Giddens and sister Mrs J. W. Adcock of the Post community.

Henry Alexander left for St. Louis and Chicago by the way of Dallas Sunday. He will join Mrs Alexander at Chicago where she has been visiting her mother for the past several weeks. They will buy the fall stock of goods for the F. G. Alexander and Sons store while in Chicago and St. Louis

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McCONNELL

By Jessie Ree Bland

Arthur Chapman of East Texas visiting his uncle, J. H. Chapman family.

Little Bernice Jones is real sick typhoid fever. We hope she will well soon.

M. V. Bland left Thursday night Ennis in Ellis county, where he visit relatives and attend to some business.

A. W. Cox and family returned a few days ago from the plains where they have been visiting.

Demos Ivy and family from Iowa are visiting his parents, Mr. Mrs. M. M. Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Stamford visited his brother, M. L. Jones. Walter E. Bunkley and family on the river a few weeks ago. Miss Orle Lee Bland spent two family Sunday afternoon.

(W. Cody and family spent with Mr. Freeman and family of Post community.

Miss Katheline Modlin has spent past week with friends in Stamford. The singing given Sunday night the home of E. C. Harrison was led by all present.

Roy Hanson and family spent day in the Plainview community her parents, Mr. D. G. Harst family.

J. W. McAda and Lee Hanson prospecting on the plains this week. W. P. Bland of the Sayles community is visiting in the home of his mother, M. V. Bland.

Amos Box and family visited relatives in Hamlin last Tuesday. Most everyone is through putting their feed and are very blue over cotton, which is suffering from lack of rain.

Barred Rock Pullet Breaks Record
A man by the name of Newman, lives in the state of Illinois, makes report through the American Poultry Journal that he has a Barred Plymouth Rock pullet that was hatched on a rainy 16th of this year and laid first egg on June 6th at the age of three months and two weeks.

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