

The Haskell Free Press

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ALL SCHOOLS HAVE CLOSED TERMS

All the schools of the county, both rural and independent districts, have closed their terms and it is now vacation time everywhere. Reports from all over the county are optimistic and all the schools are closing with a very successful year. The citizens of the county are glad to see the school terms close and are putting the education of their children to the forefront.

The Idella rural school, taught by Prof. W. A. Moore, closed last Friday. This term was very successful. Prof. Moore taught this school in 1918 during the war and the term at that time was also very satisfactory to the community. The Gauntt school closed Friday. This school was taught by Misses Fannie Kay and Esther Ttate, and was known as one of the best schools in the county. Both teachers are experienced and their faithful work was very much appreciated by the patrons of the district.

Miss Grace Terry has closed a successful term of school at Vernon and her work met the demands and approval of all. The citizens of Haskell county are planning to make the next term still more successful than the past one, if possible. The Lone Star district will build a new building, and Weaver will also erect a new building. The work of repairing and remodeling will begin all over the county at an early date, and everything may be ready to begin the new term on time.

H. LANGFORD MOVES TO DALLAS THIS WEEK

H. H. Langford moved his family to Dallas this week. Mr. and Mrs. Langford have lived in Haskell for 14 years during that time have made many friends who regret to give them up. Mr. Langford served the county for four years as Tax Collector and his services were very efficient at all times. He owns farming lands in the northern part of the county, which are an honor that we trust will some day bring this good family back to the old home. The many friends of the family wish them success in their new location.

H. DARNELL OPERATED ON AT STAMFORD

H. Darnell of this city was carried to Stamford Monday where he underwent an operation at the Stamford hospital at 2 p. m. On last reports was doing nicely. He was suffering from some chronic trouble and it is believed that he will enjoy better health when he returns home. J. A. Gilstrap accompanied him to Stamford Monday and was with him through the operation.

FRANK PATTERSON UNDERGOES OPERATION AT STAMFORD

Frank Patterson, who lives south of here, underwent an operation at the Stamford hospital for appendicitis Saturday, June 2nd. He is reported to be doing nicely and will soon be able to return home if nothing happens. He is a son of Commissioner F. Patterson of the Sayles community.

Mrs. G. F. Atchison Carried to Sanitarium

Mrs. G. F. Atchison was carried to Stamford Monday for an X-Ray examination, and she will remain at the sanitarium for several days for medical treatment. It was thought by her husband, G. F. Atchison, that it might be necessary for her to undergo an operation, but he preferred a thorough examination first to make sure before an operation was performed. Her son and wife accompanied their parents to Stamford.

J. Jeter was here Saturday from Point. He reports good rates for people looking fine.

Miss Vera and Venita Baker left last night for San Marcos Normal and they will take a summer course.

COUPLE WHO HAD NEVER SEEN EACH OTHER MARRIED HERE

A unusual wedding, in that the contracting parties had never seen each other, took place at the parsonage of the First Christian Church in this city Saturday evening, when Rev. Swindle spoke the words that united W. M. Woods and Miss Bonnie Johnson in the holy bonds of wedlock. The story goes that the contracting parties had never met before and it is presumed that all plans for the wedding had been previously arranged through correspondence and exchange of photographs.

The groom reached this city in advance of the bride Saturday, and procured a license early in the day. The bride arrived on the south-bound train at 7:10 p. m. The groom was at the station to meet his bride-to-be, and it was noticed by others that a bow of ribbon adorned the arm of the lady, while a ribbon was also seen on the lapel of the coat of the gentleman. This seemed to be the previously arranged recognition sign for the parties and they were not long in becoming known to each other, and called on Rev. Swindle and were married. The homes of the happy couple were unknown to the Free Press and where they expect to make their future home is also a mystery. But we trust that they who have joined themselves in life's sweetest relations may have long life with happiness unalloyed.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF MAY

County Clerk Emory Menefee reports that license to wed have been issued to the following parties during the month of May:

- John Seaton and Miss Vera McReynolds.
- Ralph Brown and Miss Ella May Elliott.
- Robert E. Matthews and Miss Laura T. Malone.
- L. D. Putman and Mrs. Temple Moore.
- Cecil O. Williams and Miss Lucie Bunkley.
- L. H. Ryan and Miss Leta Mae Kelley.
- Clyde E. Franklin and Miss Myrtle Lee Allen.
- E. A. Drake and Mrs. Ruth Prock.
- John Robert McCain and Miss Martha Dunlap.
- W. M. Wood and Miss Bonnie Johnson.
- W. W. Cox and Miss Albertine Rowland.

MILITARY BAND COMING TUESDAY

Mayor R. C. Couch received notice this week that the John Tarleton Military Band from Stephenville would arrive here at 11:30 a. m. Tuesday June 12th and render free band music for the city. The band is composed of 28 men, a business manager, and two mechanics. Accompanying them will be Rev. S. E. Culppepper, Baptist minister of Stephenville. They will render a good program and it is urged that a good attendance be given them. There will be no charge for the program, but they will expect Haskell to entertain them at lunch at noon either in private homes or hotels, or anyway that the city may decide. They will go from here to Stamford in the afternoon.

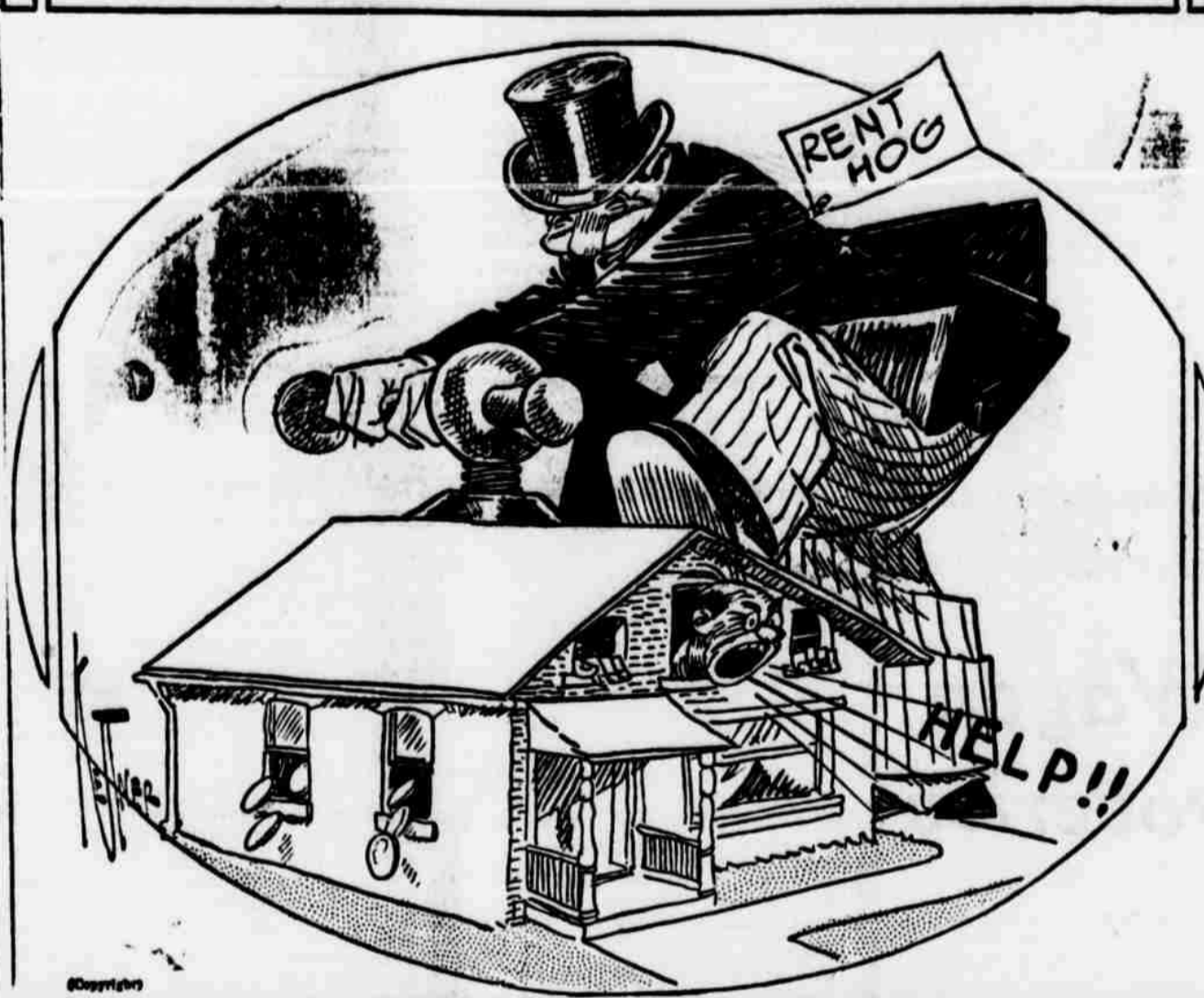
NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE KNOX CITY SECTION

(Special Correspondent)
Knox City and surrounding communities appreciated the good rain last Friday night. About one inch fell in this immediate section. With the good underground season which we have, prospects are good for a bumper crop this year.

With about thirty days more work, the F. F. Highway will be completed through the Knox City precinct. With this completion our section will be noted for its good roads running in every direction from town.

Knox City is putting in a splendid water works. The new city well just west of the business section will soon be completed, and as soon as the well is finished the pumping machinery and standpipes will be installed, and water will be piped to all parts of the city.

One "Good" Turn Deserves Another



MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVED SUNDAY

Several hundred people gathered on the courthouse lawn in this city last Sunday afternoon at five o'clock for the purpose of observing Memorial Day.

A fitting program had been arranged, which was carried out in full, the entire gathering joining in paying a tribute to our noble dead. The program began with the audience joining in the song, "America," after which Rev. S. L. Culwell led in a short prayer. Mayor R. C. Couch then introduced Judge John Lee Smith of Throckmorton, the principal speaker of the afternoon, who in an eloquent manner paid a glowing tribute to those heroes who have given their lives to their country. Judge Smith was himself a member of the A. E. F., serving overseas for some time.

John P. Payne of this city was next introduced. He was an officer in the famous Ninetieth Division, in which a number of Haskell county boys served during the war. He made a short talk, giving a brief sketch of the activities of this division, from the time it landed in France until the return to the United States.

Another patriotic selection was sung, after which the entire gathering marched to the cemetery, where the graves of soldiers were covered with a mass of beautiful flowers.

Below we give the address of Judge Smith in full:
"I am profoundly grateful for the courteous and considerate words used by the gentlemen who presented me to you. The duty assigned to pay a tribute to our honored dead calls for language that surpasses mine, and an eloquence that my feeble tongue does not possess.
"This is a day of commemoration. We dwell not on the achievements of the living, rather we recall the solemn sacrifice of the dead. Our country in its grandeur today presents the spectacle of a nation built not so much by achievements of living men as by the heroism of those who in its behalf died. Our flag, today an emblem of liberty and enlightenment, when first George Washington flew it in the breeze fresh from the hands of Betsy Ross was a new and unproven symbol to the nations of the earth. It took labor and toil and bloody sacrifice to place it on the proud ramparts of history—the imperial ensign of a free people. Its beauty lies not in the brilliant hues of dye or the silken fabric of the spinners art, but in the glory that has gathered about it through the sacrifice of those who perished beneath its fluttering folds.
"As we gaze back today over the long vista of the years to the time of our nation's birth and see the rough and rugged pathway up which our forefathers marched from the storm-clouded evening of the eighteenth century to this day within the glorious portals of the twentieth century with her bright skies of promise, we can but have a feeling of profound gratitude and appreciation for those who gave their all in the stern struggle toward the heights.
Before me today I see a scattered

SINGERS MEET AT HOWARD

The East Haskell County Singing Convention met with Howard last Sunday in an all day session and a great day in song was reported. A good dinner was served at noon and everyone present was made to enjoy the occasion. Quite a number of visiting singers are reported and it was remarked by many who attended that it was one of the best conventions held in the county. The Convention will meet in another all day session with the Rockdale Church in the Nabors community the first Sunday in July. This promises to be a very interesting session as they have recently built a new Baptist Church and have a good piano and everything at hand to make the singers enjoy the day. Rockdale church is about 25 miles southeast of Haskell in the Nabors or Cobb community. If you do not know where it is ask someone.

TWO INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR SEYMOUR

In an automobile wreck which occurred a mile west of Seymour on the Seymour and Bomarton road, Mrs. M. R. Fuller, owner of the car, sustained painful injuries, and Miss Ethel Williams was rendered unconscious for an hour. Robert Jones and his sister who were in the car at the time of the accident, escaped unhurt.

MUNDAY PURCHASES FIRE HALL SIREN

The City Council of Munday has purchased from the West Texas Utilities company a large fire siren for installation on the fire hall. Installation precedes a considerable reduction in the fire key rate. The fire department of that progressive city is now motorized.

ELECTROCUTION WILL TAKE PLACE OF HANGING IN TEXAS

Electrocution in inflicting capital punishment in Texas will be substituted for hanging. Governor Neff signed the Thomas electrocution bill Monday, which was passed at the second extraordinary session of the legislature. The law becomes effective in 90 days and provides that the death penalty shall take place at the state penitentiary.

Miss Una DeBard left Monday night for Boulder, Colo., where she will enter the Colorado University. She will stop at Trinidad on the way and visit her sister, Mrs. McBride for a few days. Miss DeBard taught the Douglas school the past term and her work was very satisfactory.

LAST SUNDAY A BIG DAY WITH THE BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

The attendance at the Baptist Sunday School last Sunday reached 408, which about equaled their enrollment. This is the largest actual attendance in class period ever reached by a Sunday School in Haskell. Pictures were made at the close of Sunday School, of some large classes, the various departments and of the entire school.

According to a statement by their superintendent, O. B. Norman, they are planning to reach and enlist their entire constituency in the town and immediate territory surrounding, which, according to their last religious survey, is about 600.

For three consecutive years this Sunday School has maintained the "A-1 Standard," a high standard which is set up by the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board at Nashville, Tenn. There are less than fifty Baptist Sunday Schools in Texas that have made records equal to this. They are to be congratulated on their achievement.

Haskell is becoming known far and wide as a Church and Sunday School town.

OLD FIDDLERS CONTEST WILL BE HELD AT STAMFORD JUNE 7

An old-time fiddlers contest will be held at Stamford Thursday night June 7th. Contestants from several counties will compete for the prizes. Money will also be awarded to the best dancer who follows the step of the old-time buffalo dancer. A prize is also offered to the one who "calls the dance" more nearly like the old-time caller. No fiddler will be permitted to play by note.

EDITOR AND FAMILY LEAVE FOR EXTENDED VACATION

Sam A. Roberts, editor of the Free Press, and family, accompanied by Wesley Applegate, left Monday morning for an extended vacation. He expects to be away about two months and will make the trip in his sedan. They will visit in Iowa and other northern States before their return.

SACRED HARP SINGERS WILL MEET HERE JUNE 17th

The Sacred Harp Singers will meet at the Church of Christ in this city the third Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. June 17th. Everybody is invited to come. We hope to establish a permanent organization for Haskell every third Sunday afternoon, and ask that all who can, from this and adjoining counties, come and be with us. Bring your Sacred Harp song books.

HASKELL TO HAVE SPLENDID FOURTH OF JULY PROGRAM

On the evening of July 4th there will be a splendid patriotic citizenship program and pageant on the courthouse lawn. All the young people are asked to take part by repeating the oath of allegiance and there will be the "American's Creed" repeated by all. A number of patriotic songs will also be a part of the program. Every man, woman and child in Haskell county has a cordial invitation to attend. Further particulars and probably a program will be given later.

Mrs. John E. Martin and children of Anson are visiting the former's mother and sister, Mrs. Kay and daughter Miss Fannie of this city.

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RADIO

GENERATIVE SET COSTLY BUT USEFUL

Methods for Converting the Simple Vacuum Tube Receiver Into That Type.

There are a great many amateurs who own and operate radio receiving sets using vacuum tube detectors who would like to have regenerative receivers. Regenerative receivers, however, are relatively expensive because of the high royalty the companies licensed to manufacture these sets pay for the use of the Armstrong patent.

The regenerative circuit is desirable in spite of these difficulties, because converting his vacuum tube detector into a regenerative receiver, an amateur cannot only then pick up un-amplified or continuous-wave signals his incoming signals will be greatly amplified. A regenerative receiver produces for the same incoming signal a much stronger response in the speaker than a non-regenerative receiver in connection with a one-amplifier. Then, too, the addition of the amplifier necessitates tubes, amplifying transformers, at a first cost and more power operate as a maintenance cost.

The simple vacuum tube receiver using a tuning coil only for varying the length can be recommended as

length, a better circuit arrangement can be had for regeneration. Figure J shows the circuit connected for regeneration. This is also the ultra-audion circuit. By the use of the ultra-audion circuit the simple loose coupler can also be converted into a regenerative circuit with a vacuum tube.

One of the best methods for converting a loose coupler into a regenerative circuit receiver, provided the primary of the loose coupler is equipped with two sides, is shown in Figure L. Here the primary of the loose coupler is used not only as a part of the antenna oscillating circuit, but also as the plate inductance coil

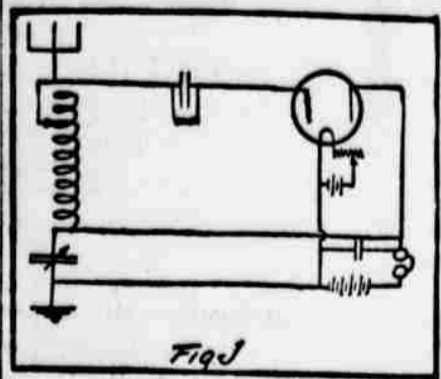


Fig. J

for feeding energy back to the grid circuit from the plate circuit.

The best method of adapting a loose coupler to a regenerative circuit arrangement is shown in Figure M. The primary of the loose coupler is used for tuning as in a single circuit tuner employing a tuning coil. The secondary of the tuning coil is not connected in the grid circuit as it normally is, but is in the plate circuit.

By connecting the secondary in the plate circuit, the amount of inductance in the plate circuit can be varied and the coupling of the plate

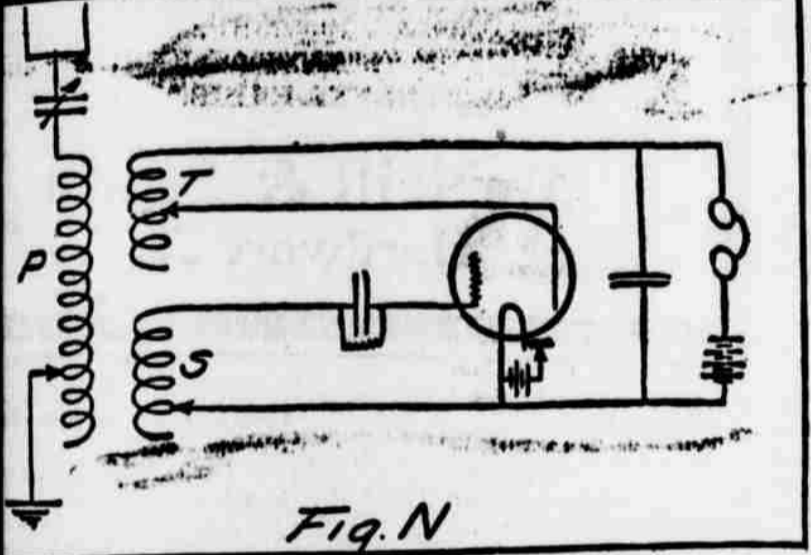


Fig. N

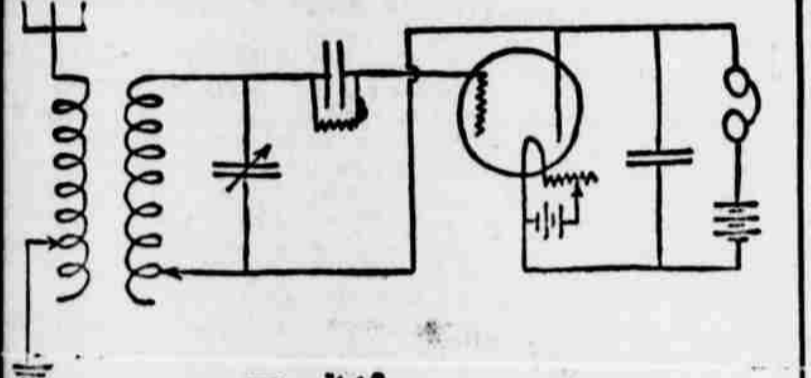


Fig. K

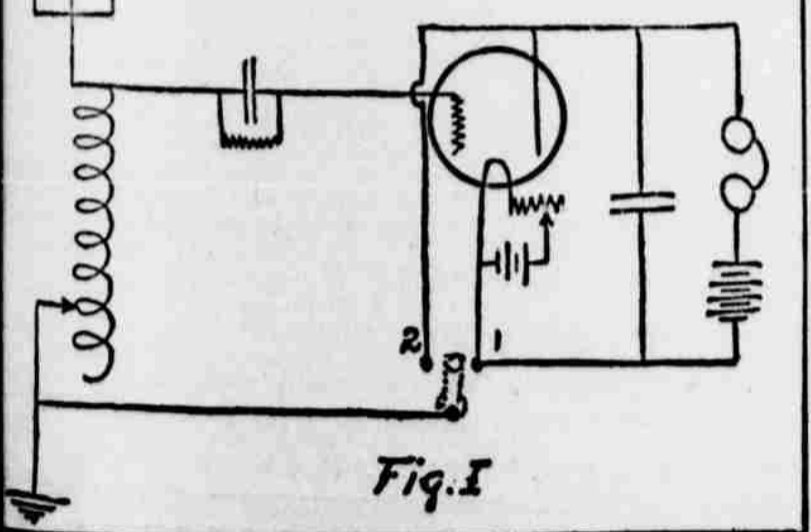


Fig. I

shown in Figure I, to form a regenerative circuit. When the two-point switch is on contact No. 1, the set is regenerative. Turning the switch to contact No. 2 makes the set regenerative. The circuit arrangement for regenerative is known as the ultra-audion circuit.

It is difficult to control the amount of regeneration in a circuit of this type.

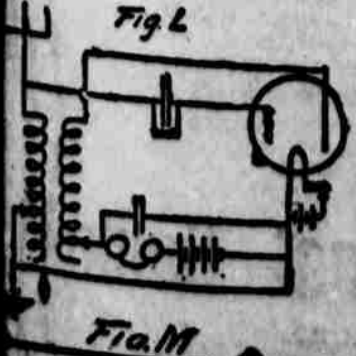


Fig. L

and close adjustment of the filament current and plate potentials is necessary to avoid distortion.

When an antenna series condenser is used in conjunction with the tuning coil for controlling the wave

circuit back to the antenna and the grid circuit can be controlled. This will allow any desired result in regenerating that can be used to obtain excellent results.

For those who wish to retain the selective tuning properties of a loose coupler, the feed back arrangement shown in Figure N is suggested. In this circuit a third coil called a "tickler" is connected in the plate circuit and used to feed back the plate circuit energy into the grid circuit. The tickler coil is similar in physical dimensions to the secondary of the loose coupler though it need have only approximately 75 per cent as many turns.

It should be mounted on rods to slide back and forth inside of the primary of the loose coupler, entering the primary from the opposite side as does the loose coupler; that is, a loose coupler equipped with two secondaries, one sliding in one side of the primary, and the other sliding in the other side of the primary. It is desirable to have more taps on the tickler coil than there usually are on the secondary so as to permit a closer adjustment of the plate circuit inductance.

Radio Fans Blamed in Paris. The opening of the station at Eiffel tower for broadcasting purposes brought much joy to the continent and England, but not to the French department of communications which controls the wire systems there. In Paris alone it is reported that more than 200 telephone receivers are "burned" every day and never returned. The radio fans are blamed.

FARM POULTRY

SUCCESS IN RAISING SQUABS

Healthy, Vigorous, Properly Mated Birds Are Essential—Keep Rats and Mice Away.

Begin with healthy, vigorous, properly mated breeders. Good quality foundation stock is very essential to success.

Select and keep only prolific breeders which are also good feeders.

Feed a variety of good-quality hard grains, including peas or peanuts. Use small whole corn rather than cracked corn.

Provide for the pigeons a pen which is dry, well ventilated, and can be kept free from rats and mice. Two nests should be allowed for each pair of breeders.

Keep clean, fresh, protected drinking water before the pigeons and provide a separate unprotected pan of water for bathing.

Market the squabs just as soon as they are feathered under the wings and about the time they are able to get out of their nests, say poultry specialists in the United States department of agriculture.

GEESE UTILIZE WASTE GRAIN

Grazing Stock Take Up Most of Their Feed From Ordinary Grasses of the Pasture.

Geese touch fanks with chickens in utilizing waste grain about the stables and feeding pens. In a larger measure than chickens or any other kind of poultry, they are grazing stock, taking their living in large part from the ordinary grasses of the pastures. When the facts are taken into consideration that the demand for geese is strong, steady, and extended over practically the whole year, not confined to certain holiday seasons, as the demand for turkeys largely is, and that their value as egg producers is considerable, the importance of a few geese on a general farm becomes apparent.

Geese, in common with ducks, are utilizers of forms of food confined to



Toulouse Goose.

ponds and streams, but they are in that particular excelled by ducks. On farms where ponds or streams are available ducks will convert into meat and eggs great quantities of water insects and various aquatic forms that would not be utilized by any other kind of poultry. Ducks, while they consume much grass and other green stuff, are more partial to animal feeds and are very energetic in patrolling the branches, creeks and ponds as sources of food supply, say poultry specialists in the United States department of agriculture. Where conditions are favorable they will provide for their own food needs in a measure that will make them highly profitable.

LAYING HENS LATE MOLTERS

General Purpose Breeds Lay and Molt at Same Time, Slowing Down on Egg Production.

The hen with a natural tendency to lay usually postpones the molt until her production is finished regardless of the time she started. This applies more particularly to the egg breeds, as the general purpose or meat breeds sometimes lay and molt at the same time. In such cases the feathers are dropped and replaced slowly and the egg production also slows down but may not entirely suspend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Walden and little daughter Betty Neal were here early in the week visiting home folks. They will return in a few days to Canyon where Mr. and Mrs. Walden expect to enter the state teacher's college for the summer. Mrs. Walden has been there during the year and Mr. Walden has been teaching in the Amarillo schools. They will both teach in the Amarillo schools next term.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Robbins and daughter Miss Joe Nell of Knox City were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walling Monday. Mr. Robbins was in the city most of the day renewing acquaintances with his many friends. He is connected with the Knox City Bank, which was recently moved from that place from O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson of Pinkerton were shopping in the city Wednesday. Mr. Thompson is a good farmer and has been a successful tenant farmer since coming to Haskell county several years ago.

Church and Sunday School

The First Presbyterian Church

Our Motto: "To know Christ and to make Him known."

The usual services at our church Sunday June 10th. The Session has asked for a full attendance of the membership on this day.

No prayer meeting this week because of the Evangelistic Meeting at Rule. All invited to attend the meeting at Rule which begins June 10, 8:30 a. m.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 9:45. Four more Sundays of the Contest. The winners are going to have to hurry. Let every member be present next Sunday. New members invited.

The Pastor preaches at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. A short, helpful sermon and special music. A welcome to all.

First Christian Church

Bible School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Morning subject, "The Hardening of Pharaoh's Heart."

Evening subject, "The Opening of Lydia's Heart."

We have had fine rains and are all in good spirits. Now let's show our appreciation by all being present at the place of worship.

Evangelists Services at Rule

Beginning Sunday evening, June 10, Rev. E. A. Lindsey will open a two weeks meeting. Mr. Dave Roberts has been secured to lead the song service. You will like these services. A special effort will be made to present the Gospel in a very helpful way, and the Bible in all its purity will be preached. If you like the Old Time Religion, come. Mr. Lindsey has been drawing large crowds, and many conversions have followed his work at other points.

Baptist Church

All regular services at the Baptist Church next Sunday. The pastor will preach at both hours. Special music will be provided by Mr. R. M. Chambers. Everyone is most cordially invited to attend.

B. Y. P. U. Program for Sunday June 10th

Subject: Bible Study, The Book of James. Leader—Lola Killingsworth. Introduction—Leader.

1. James the Brother of Our Lord—Lex B. Morris.
2. The Letter Which James Wrote—Lela Welch.
3. Why James Wrote His Epistle—

- Ryan Pierson.
4. About Temptation and Wisdom—Leta Simmons.
 5. About Doors and Hearers—Olen Dotson.
 6. How to Treat the Poor—Roy Watson.
 7. Faith and Works—May Belle Taylor.
 8. Use and Control of the Tongue—Alfred Pierson.
 9. The Uncertainty of Life—Ben Bagwell.
 10. Money—Mrs. Gambrell.

Married
John Robert McCann and Miss Martha Dunlap stole a march on their many friends and were quietly married by Judge R. E. Lee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Malone in this city Saturday evening June 2nd, at 9 o'clock. They left for a short visit to Sweetwater and other Texas cities, after which they will be at home to their many friends in Haskell.

Oscar Crouch and children were here Saturday from west of town.

If YOU are going away this Summer allow us to suggest that you use Travelers Checks as it is much safer than to carry money on your person. The cost is small and as they are self identifying you have no trouble cashing them anywhere.

We have Travelers Checks issued by the American Bankers Association, and also by the American Express Co. It will give us pleasure to serve you.

Farmers State Bank
Guaranty Fund Bank
HASKELL, TEXAS

ANYTHING YOU WANT—

That's a broad statement, but it's true. We have anything you want in the Confectionery Line—cigars, cigarettes, tobaccos, chewing gums, hamburgers, sandwiches, cold drinks, ice cream in several delicious flavors, and best of all—that wholesome home-made candy that always hits the spot. Come and see us.

LOONEY'S CONFECTIONERY

READ THIS

Money to loan on farms at 7 1-2 and 8 per cent, with liberal options to pay off the loan before it becomes due. I also make a 20-year loan on the Amortization Plan, at 7 1-2 and 8 per cent interest and you pay the interest and a small amount on the principle each year and this pays the loan off, both principal and interest in 20 years. Also give the option to pay this 20 year loan at any interest payable date. No red tape, and no extra cost. Come in and let me explain it to you. You will like it.

P. D. Sanders
HASKELL, TEXAS



FISK TIRES

For Sale By THE TONN GARAGE

HUMAN INTEREST STORIES—THE RESULTS OF A LIFE

A number of years ago a North Carolina boy was told to go to the wood-pile and bring in a load of wood.

Soon after the Spanish-American war a returned soldier was sitting out on the porch with his father and asked him this question: "Do you think that the United States will get into another war during your lifetime?"

Somewhere perhaps there is a man or woman who is growing weary in well-doing. Perhaps there is a school teacher or a Sunday School teacher who may read this who is wondering whether to continue the work or to give it up as a failure.

In the early days of the United States, a wealthy southern man visited the City of Rome and purchased a famous painting, which was shipped to his home in this country.

The farmers have the blues over the serious damage the grasshoppers have done to the crops in this community.

Rev. C. Jones of Haskell preached at this place Saturday evening, Sunday morning, and also Sunday evening.

There will be a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewellen Saturday night June 9th.

Quite a number of the Sunday School girls were guests of Miss Martha Branton Sunday.

We were very glad to see the good rain that fell here Friday night and another which fell Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Calaway spent Saturday night with the latter's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lewellen spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewellen east of Haskell.

C. L. Tolliver and family visited his mother, Mrs. A. J. Tolliver of Ballev Sunday.

The Sunday School picnic on May 27 was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wheatley of Haskell spent Sunday in the Roberts community.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Stomach. Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LA-KA-TIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary quinine and does not cause nervousness, nor ringing in head.

ed he preached against slavery, but without any apparent success.

In one of the debates with Judge Douglas, Abraham Lincoln said: "I have no purpose to introduce political or social equality between the white and black races.

You see, we may trace the teachings of George Wythe, a somewhat obscure member of the House of Burgesses and a law teacher, through his students, into the Declaration of Independence and into the heart of Abraham Lincoln

If you are teaching a Sunday School class and have only one pupil, do not think of giving up; teach him or her with all the earnestness and ability you have.

Whatever is pure and noble and right in you, if planted in human hearts will multiply and blossom until the end of time.

The Roberts By Lillian Lewellen

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The KITCHEN CABINET

The man who looks back on his past life and says: "I have nothing to regret," has lived in vain.

WHAT SHALL WE HAVE FOR DINNER?

A most delicious stuffed apple and one that is quite unusual is

Core nice-flavored apples like the Jonathan, fill the centers with mince meat.

Raisin Surprise.—Take one and one-half cupfuls of raisins, one beaten egg, one orange, four cupfuls of cooked corn meal mush, five table-spoonfuls of sugar, beaten with the egg.

Orange Marmalade.—When oranges are the most plentiful and cheapest is the time to prepare this delicious concoction.

Turkeys, ducks and geese are more easily killed by the head lice than are other kinds of farm fowls.

LEGAL NOTICES

No. 1190. Notice of Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate SHERIFF'S SALE The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Haskell County, of the 18th day of April, 1923.

In most households there are often several slices of stale bread to dispose of at the end of the week, or oftener.

MONEY TO LOAN

On Farms and Ranches in Haskell, Knox and Throckmorton Counties. We make Federal Land Bank Loans at 5 1/2 Per Cent.

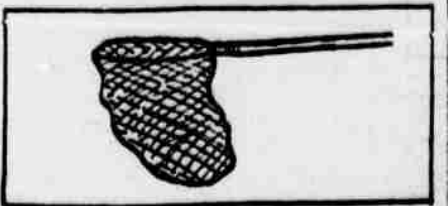
Clyde F. Elkins HASKELL, TEXAS.

POULTRY

LONG-HANDED NET IS HANDY

Matter of Capturing Chicken for Family Dinner Made Easy With Device Illustrated.

Who has not seen the farmer, his wife, the hired man and one or more children engaged in the exciting chase for the chicken which is to be served for the family dinner.



Handy Chicken Net.

two feet deep. Lay it down, mouth up, put a few grains of corn on top, pretend you are looking the other way, and when a chicken steps on the net to pick out the corn, lift up suddenly, tip it slightly to one side, and you have the fowl safe.

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Grayish White Louse is Most Serious of All Parasites—Melted Lard Kills Parasites.

Turkeys, ducks and geese are more easily killed by the head lice than are other kinds of farm fowls.

For treatment, dip the tip of the finger in melted lard and rub this well around the comb. Dip again and rub back of the ear, repeating for the other ear, the bill and jaw.

LEGAL NOTICES

No. 1190. Notice of Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate SHERIFF'S SALE The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Haskell County, of the 18th day of April, 1923.

In most households there are often several slices of stale bread to dispose of at the end of the week, or oftener.

SAVE MONEY

The old saying, "Money Saved is Money Earned," is even more true today than when it was first uttered. And the young man or woman who would like to get ahead in the world, who wants to be financially independent at some time in life, can find no more certain way to accomplish it than to start a Savings Account with this bank—and start it NOW.

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Grocery

North Side Square

Phone 79.

SAYLES

By Fred Davis
Everybody enjoyed the good rain all here Friday night. The family and family spent Sunday with brother, Johnson Ivy of Center.

With left Sunday for Roches- he will begin work in a bar-

Lucy Lee and Lucile Davis of point called on Misses Fannie and Bradbury Sunday.

Wiseman has returned home Monday, where he has been em- some time.

Baby Lee Rose of Wichita Falls friends in this community

Young people of this commu- the B. Y. P. U. at Center day evening.

Sheets and family, also Mrs. bers and children of Powell day with M. Davis.

Mask of Haskell was in this Tuesday on business.

and Buck Bland of Center ent the week-end with Alfred

Myrtle Jones of Wichita Falls her uncle and family, W. E.

D. Jones was accompanied by Era and family to Avoca, they spent the week-end with

CENTER POINT

By Mrs. G. D. Payne

Farmers are rejoicing over the at not over the grasshoppers, are having to replant their ere they were destroyed by the

Mauldin and family of Gauntt tuesday night with Mr. Gentry, approving from his last spell of

We are glad that he is do- sell.

and Mrs. Bud Harris of Sayles, and and Will Jeter and family nding with Mr. Matthews.

Patterson has returned from a trip to Alabama, having been some on account of the illness of Frank. We are glad to re- he is improving from his op- and expects to come home some week.

Y. P. U. gave a very interest- am last Sunday night.

ing is the program for next night. Everybody come.

"Short Books of the New mt." Group No. 2 in charge.

-Lois Bland.

the Brother of Our Lord-

etter which James Wrote-

A VISIT TO SEVERAL PROSPEROUS TOWNS

The news editor of the Free Press made a trip with "Uncle Tom" Lemmons, who is driving the Haskell Laundry car, last Friday to Rule, Rochester, O'Brien and Knox City which proved to be a very pleasant and profitable trip. We went by the way of what is known as the middle road to Rule, leaving Haskell about 9:30 o'clock in the morning. We had not gone far on our journey when Uncle Tom, who came to Haskell some time during the year of 1888, began to give us a brief history of the early days of Haskell County. He and J. T. Bowman, who is at this time a citizen of our town, measured and marked out the road over which we were speeding. 34 years ago, which according to Uncle Tom, was in the winter of 1889. The method used at that time was a two-horse wagon and a red cloth tied on the front wheel, and the revolutions of the wheel were counted by Mr. Lemmons while Mr. Bowman drove the team. It took the entire day to measure and mark with a mesquite mile post at the end of every mile to the county line of Haskell county, which is 16 miles from Haskell across the Brazos river. They spent the night over there, returning the next day. Some time earlier in the year a furrow had been plowed by someone and they did their very best to keep on this line but Mr. Lemmons said it was hard to do because the grass had overgrown it in many places. Uncle Tom said at that time he never dreamed that he would be speeding over the road in an automobile as we did on our way to Rule that morning. He would point out the old pioneer landmarks along the way, which were the "Lone Tree" and different lakes, which in the early days were bodies of water well known to the ranchmen, but are now in farms, and Uncle Tom had some difficulty in identifying the old places as we sped along.

Just before we drove into the city of Rule, we saw a man who was driving a team to a Go-Devil and was chopping cotton as he sat on the seat of this famous Texas machine. He was chopping the row beside his plow. That looked to Uncle Tom like doing too much at once. We could not understand whether the fellow was really farming or because he was so close to town was putting on an exhibition stunt. You never know these days just what you see without further explanations, and Uncle Tom was in such a hurry we did not stop to inquire.

We reached the city of Rule and Uncle Tom unloaded some baskets of laundry for the different stations and soon we were in the bus and headed for Rochester over the highway. Uncle Tom is well pleased with the patronage that Rule is giving the Haskell Laundry and had many words of appreciation to say to us before we had gotten far from Rule.

Rochester soon showed up in the distance and it was not long until we were on the streets of that busy city, having only a few moments to stay, while Uncle Tom was unloading some more of the products of the Haskell Laundry. We did not more than have time to say "Howdy" until we were leaving for O'Brien, the next station on the road. Here we took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Biseers, who are well known because they feed the traveling people who are in O'Brien and need a place to eat and sleep. Mrs. Biseers is one of the best cooks in the country and that it about all Uncle Tom would talk about until we reached Knox City an hour later. We stopped a few minutes at the palatial home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Carney at O'Brien and only had time to see a few of the wonderful improvements which they are daily adding to this home which will be when completed one of the most beautiful homes in this section of the west. Two things which are being especially looked after in the construction of this home are convenience and ventilation.

At Knox City Uncle Tom disposed of his wares and at this junction all the laundry was unloaded and while waiting for him to get ready for the return trip, we called on Editor Gipson in the office of the Knox City Journal. He is a very pleasant gentleman and is making plans to give to Knox City a real newspaper. He has not had charge of the Journal very long but is inspired by the future of Knox City and the Journal. We spent a few moments in the barber shop of W. P. Hitchcock, a former Haskellite. Uncle Tom soon announced the hour of our departure and Miss Jewell McKee took passage with us on our return trip. She drove the car most of the way and we had a pleasant trip all the way. Uncle Tom is a game sport to be out with and will make you enjoy a trip with him.

The O'Brien first team of baseball went to Weinert Sunday and played baseball. The O'Brien team were winners.

The W. O. W. Lodge is having their hall repaired this week.

The gardens and crops are looking fine in this part of the country.

Next Sunday is our regular meeting day. The Sunday School will render a short program. Everybody is invited to come.

J. L. Baldwin, who spent three weeks at Marlin for his health, returned Monday night much improved. He is rejoicing over his improvement in health and also over the good rains which have fallen here during his absence.

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.

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Cantons

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Specials in Millinery for this week:
One Table for-----\$1.95
One Table for-----\$2.95
One Table for-----\$3.95
All Pattern Hats for Half Price

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On The Corner

THE MOST FOR YOUR MONEY ALWAYS

W. L. Cox of the Howard section was in the city Saturday. He reports conditions among the farmers in his section very good. He says that they have begun harvest of the small grain and it is pretty good. He further states that the farmers have plenty of crops, cattle and other livestock in abundance and that it is all in good shape. Mr. Cox says he has a few grasshoppers but on the other hand he has turkeys to eat the hoppers and he expects a profit from the deal and will be sure, if he just has enough turkeys.

Bill Barnett of Cleburne, who spent a few days with his father and other relatives returned home this week. His wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Self of the west part of the city returned with him.

Rev. C. A. Powell and family of Rule passed through the city Monday en route to Abilene where they expect to make their future home. As was stated in the Free Press last week Rev. Powell has accepted the pastorate of the College Heights Baptist Church of Abilene and was on his way to take up his work. Rev. Powell has been pastor of the First Baptist Church of Rule for the past four years.

J. F. Moore, who lives miles east of town, reports a good rain and crops looking fine. More rain has fallen in that section recently than in the city.

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For A New Car Top

Come to Glenn's Repair Shop. New tops put on at the right price. Also have a few tops for sale.

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Cahill Building

SATISFACTION

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVED HERE LAST SUNDAY (Continued From First Page)

"And then it is that I think of the tragedy of it all. Each of those little weather-beaten crosses mark the spot where somebody's hopes are buried. There lies all that is mortal of many a bright lad who lived and laughed, and loved, and dreamed, and hoped like you and me. There, crumpling into dust lies many a form that once as a chubby-faced baby cooed and smiled into a fond mother's face, or prattled about the chair of a doting father. Once, hastening with life, they felt the bright sunlight, and loved the fragrant air of forest and field and garden; they lived life and felt the throb of its intoxication. But on a far-away battlefield, in the heat and fury of conflict when fate and destiny rode on the cannon's breath, where swept waves of terror in liquid flame, where the machine gun chattered its doleful song of death, where hurtling shells screamed their mad hymns of hate; there, where death stalked abroad on wings of lightning, their lives were snuffed out like a candle in the winds of the night. And thousands upon thousands of them marched across the flaming divide into the Great Silence. Today they are gone; we know them no more. Their footsteps press no longer the busy walks of men. Left behind is only a sacred memory and bleeding hearts that loved and lost. And why have they gone?"

"In the years of 1917-18 the young manhood of America answered the stern call of their country in distress. They were told that civilization, that bright fabric, built by ages of toil and effort, was perishing before the ruthless savagery of Hunnish might. They were told that the work and labor of 2000 years was trembling with the wavering fortunes of the Allied armies on the Western front. They were told that America must strike to save mankind, and guarantee to coming ages the heritage of lasting peace. It was a great sacrifice to answer that summons. Loved, sweethearts, hopes and ambitions, perhaps life itself had to be given up to perform the grim duty asked of them. But they believed and they answered. Believing that they were fighting for the supremacy of our civilization, the perpetuation of peace, and the freedom of man, they marched upon the fields of France to grapple with the trained armies of the modern world's mightiest empire.

"Like an avalanche they poured from the great transports into Europe. Into the raw and bloody line of battle they swept, untrained and untried troops against the most brutal soldiers of modern times. As the tired armies of France and England gave way before the mad rush of the foe the young manhood of this country marched into the breach. In those infernos of living death they held their own. Breast to breast, gun to gun, bayonet to bayonet, they met the enemy and in the end amid the roar of ten thousand cannons, the tumult and clamor of raging hosts, the agonized cry of the dying, while the ghastly faces of the dead looked on, they shattered the Hindenburg line!

"But a mighty price had been paid for victory. On transports, and in training camps, on the rocky slopes of St. Mihiel, on the storm-swept ridges of Cantigny, in the dismal shadows of the gloomy Argonne many of our noblest and bravest had gone down mangled and broken. A new constellation had been added to the brilliant galaxy of stars in the sky of American history. Along side of Bunker Hill, Yorktown, Fredericksburg, Gettysburg, and San Juan Hill, Fame wrote in letters of blazing light the names of St. Mihiel, Chateau Thierry, Cantigny, and the Argonne. The price had been paid that civilization might live, that unborn generations might be blessed with peace, and that men might be free. They died to achieve this wondrous blessing; are you and I living to perpetuate it? Strife, envy, jealousy, hatred, pride among us brands us as unworthy recipients of the great heritage they have left us. Corruption in public life, in politics, in society; criminality and debauchery is an insult to the sacrifice that was made for this country's safety. And as long as we so demean ourselves each of those little weather-beaten crosses is a monument to our shame and degradation.

"And now, as the draperies of night unfold, let us remember the solemn fact that un-numbered hostes have given their lives that upon such occasions as this the sun might shed his radiant beams upon a free people. We live in peace today because others have died in the hot breath of war. Hope warms our breasts because it fled from the chilling bosom of many a soldier. We live and love today because in the dark gates of death even that sweet sentiment was snatched from dying hands.

"Let us honor their memory, not only with the blare of bugles and the tattoo of muffled drums, but with loyalty to the government they died to preserve; not only with our garlands of evergreen and bouquets of sweet smelling flowers for they will wither and their fragrance die with their beauty, but rather with devotion to the great principles they vindicated with their blood; not only with beautifully worded tributes for they will be but an echo on the morrow, but with service and sacrifice

for the right. They died for this government, for mankind and for peace. Let us live for them.

"Out of that shoreless ocean their transports have drifted far but they have not carried away all of the lives that have ended. Never to mortal hands was given a legacy more precious than that left to the people of America in the memory of her valliant sons who gave their lives to her service, and their best efforts in her honor and behalf. Let the guardian angels of our graves breathe life around their distant graves. And let them hear in their camps beyond the river the mighty cry of a great people as they shout: 'We will keep faith with out dead!'"

LOCAL NOTES

C. B. Long of Wichita Falls was here Wednesday on business.

Roy Clark of northeast of Stamford was trading in the city Wednesday.

Leo J. Curtis, a banker of Byers, is here this week visiting his old friend, W. A. Duncan of this city.

W. A. Carlisle and family and W. B. Stark and family visited relatives at Aspermont Sunday.

M. R. Hemphill was here this week from Graham. He expects to bring in another good oil well in the Herring field near Graham within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Daugherty, Miss Erlmine Daugherty and Miss Nannie McDaniel returned Tuesday evening from Graham where they visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bowling.

J. H. Cloer of Ransdell, Texas, a former citizen of Haskell county, has moved his family back to Haskell to reside in the city. We welcome them back to our city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Waldrop of Waco spent a few days this week in the city visiting Mr. Waldrops brother, G. W. Waldrop and family of this city.

Mrs. Alvy Hill of Seymour is here visiting Mrs. John A. Couch and other friends this week. She is also a contestant in the Dallas News Automobile Contest.

Dr. Hugh Welsh of the Medical Branch of the University of Texas at Galveston is spending a vacation at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welsh.

A. B. Carothers, Judge J. W. Gam-mill and W. H. Day of Rochester were business visitors to the city Wednesday. They report Rochester having received five inches of rain the past week.

C. D. Gentry, a young farmer of Ter Point, was in the city Tuesday made this office a pleasant call here. He says the farmers here stand of cotton and other crops and the good rains are making conditions fine for the farmer. He lives Haskell County will make per crop.

County Superintendent Mr. M. E. Peterson returned Saturday from a trip near Malakoff on the Red River in Henderson county, accompanied by her son Ed, and family. Of course as is usual in case, the "big one" got away, also visited relatives in that vicinity.

E. G. Olliver of Rannels county purchased the Brawner Block Shop in this city, has moved his family to the John Chitwood home in this city, which he has purchased. Mr. Olliver has taken possession of the shop and is enjoying a romance. We welcome this family home in our city.

Oscar Lewis, wife and Mrs. J. and daughter Miss Sude and Ruth Malcolm all of Welnet through the city Wednesday en route to Abilene where they will spend days visiting relatives and friends. Lewis is carrier on Route One of Welnet and is now taking his vacation that Uncle Sam gives his employes every year.

J. C. Polen, who lives south of town was in the city Saturday and crop prospects optimistic with him is having war with grasshoppers, which is with paddles. He says the force on the place and drops the fields, killing every hoppers hops up. He says this is a good crop and with plenty of energy will crop from destruction.

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