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FORTIETH YEAR

BUILD... HASKELL

Clean Up

From 12th to 17th is Clean Up Week. Make your home town. That ought to bring into action every hooded white citizen of this city and result in Haskell being one of the cleanest cities in Texas.

Why Clean-Up

Clean up is a question to be asked, why should we have to do it? If you please, your neighbors have to tell us to clean up and change our clothes. Don't we do this because of the we have in our desire to be clean rather than display attractive clothes and bodies and be clean?

Our Yards Like Ourselves

Yards and general premises should be kept as clean as we attempt to keep our bodies and our linen. No doubt admit that is a fact of discussion or without argument press it upon us. Then, if we keep our yards and our bodies clean and our yards why not our yards and ourselves clean as well?

Sanitation A Vital Matter

Sanitary yards and property means a healthy condition just as clean bodies mean a healthy atmosphere. Sanitation prevails, resulting from we have hatched by leaving in a condition to hold water or refuse and breed flies and mosquitoes and such are courting trouble only for ourselves but our neighbors as well. Sanitation is a very item in our citizenship. Why do we have to be told to do things that mean so much to us and our families and our neighbors, dear reader?

State observes a Clean-Up Campaign each year. The results speak for themselves. Disease is nipped in the bud as it might be expressed, and you prevent these germs hatching and take a step that means something to a community. The state is not expected to keep us clean and me, and we are growing more dependent upon others each year, because of thoughtlessness in this direction.

Is Time Enough Always

Little as we think of it, there is enough to do everything that suggests a clean yard, a clean house, a body or clean clothes, for each of us and me, alike. Just a tap with an opener when you empty a can of stainer of any kind that will hold or refuse. Just a touch with the brush in the house, just a wipe with the rag, just a step further to a barrel where cans and trash are placed for hauling. Just a lit thought and we will find enough for all this and avoid suffering, additional labor, avoid being that we are NOT CLEAN.

You Have Seen This Yourself

You have seen your neighbor slip and cans and dirt into a side spot. You have done it. You have done it. You have done it. Is it sanitary, is it clean? Is it that we ought to practice and set an example to others and for our own to see and follow after on? Teach the children, the cook, and also do it yourself. T. and have no cause to regret. Just a step, just a moment, a little different than what you are doing and Clean-Up Campaign will be unnecessary.

Fire Hazards Removed

There is another view to be taken in sanitation. The Fire Hazard. As most of us think of the matter, rags, cans, paper, etc., piled in the yard, out houses, barns, etc., all lays the fuel for fire and perhaps the loss of lives. Intense combustion results in cases we do not realize offers this. No matter how much fire insurance we carry, the loss is seldom paid. No matter how careful we are, we will come and losses be suffered. Now this is a fact, then, why do we not take the opportunity, why create the opportunity that will mean a loss to us, our neighbors? Yes, think carefully, you and me, think and wonder?

Not For Ourselves Alone

Selfish, unchristianlike, unkind, and for, to admit the least, when we put unsanitary conditions to prevent us. Dirt begets dirt. Clean-up begets the same condition when we act it, when we set the example. Build yourself in the eyes of the community, your neighbor, you have builded well. Your health and happiness by being clean and build a condition of your better self, as you should, as you owe it to

MUCH INTEREST BEING TAKEN IN CLUB WORK

With 60 cards in for membership in the various clubs in Haskell County, and with others still coming in daily, the prospects are good for 75 or more boy and girl club members for 1926 according to County Agent Trice.

One of the requirements of the club members is that each show his or her chickens, pig, maize, cotton or calf at the Haskell County Fair in the Fall and if that requirement is not fulfilled it is not considered that the club member has successfully completed his or her project. Each club member is also required to keep a record of all work done and all money spent on his or her project, and at the end of the year must write a short story telling of the methods pursued in completing the project. At the end of the year when the projects have been completed the various record books will be sent in to the A. & M. College where they will be graded and on this basis the various club members will compete for valuable prizes. These prizes include free trip to the State Fair, Dallas; International Stock Show, Chicago and The Fat Stock Show, Ft. Worth and are worthy of the best that any club member can put forth to win.

Arrangements are being made to take care of all the club entries at the Haskell County Fair where only club members will compete against each other. No entry charges will be made on the club entries and they will be entitled to the same premiums as are offered in the other classes. In addition to these premiums there will be many special prizes to the boys and girls according to County Agent Trice who states that he has now many offers from parties to give these premiums.

He has such specials as the following to offer for the best displays of poultry in their respective classes: C. O. Davis, trio White Leghorns; J. C. Williamson, trio Barred Plymouth Rocks, etc.

The club cards are still coming in to the County Agent the following being received during the past few days: Corinth; Gordon Hallmark, Roberts; Jesse Leonard, Clifford Lewellen, New Mid; Verdis Herring, Cliff; Clyde Pace, Post; Larnce Gay, Oura Fay Watson, Cook Springs; Edwin Lott, Louise Williamson, Arlie Frazier and Inez Felton.

TRUSTEES ELECTED FOR HASKELL SCHOOLS

Only one change was made in the school board of this city from the election last Saturday. Courtney Hunt takes the place of Dr. L. F. Taylor. Only four names appeared on the ticket and each name received the unanimous support of the voters. The new Board consists of the following gentlemen: Oscar Oates, E. I. Christian, Jno. A. Couch, B. Cox, R. V. Robertson, T. E. Ballard and Courtney Hunt. Mr. Cox is President and Mr. Couch, Secretary.

American Legion Meeting Monday Well Attended

The Vernon D. Heart Post of the American Legion which met in the basement of the First Christian church in this city last Monday night was attended by 41 ex-service men and a splendid program was given. Rev. G. Robert Forrester Pastor of the First Christian church made a fine talk followed by Birt King of Stamford who was the Toastmaster for the evening. The Ladies of the Christian Church served a banquet to the boys which was enjoyed very much. The next meeting of the Post will be held at Stamford and a meeting is also planned for Rule in the near future.

On the 18th of April the Convention meets at Breckenridge and a large attendance is expected from this post. The Vernon D. Heart Post won the cup at a former meeting and they hope to win again in this assembly. If they should make three successive winnings the cup will remain with the post.

Marshall Pierson Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pierson is in the Baptist Sanitarium at Abilene for treatment after suffering for quite awhile with the "Flu."

yourself, your family and your neighbor. When this is done you have done your duty as a citizen of a commonwealth, as a resident of your Home-town, as a clear thinking, clean thinking, fair minded thinker, and a citizen of value.

When you build like this you are a builder that can be pointed to with pride and as little as you might deem it of value, you are BUILDING HASKELL.

Baseball Season Opens



"ONE OL' CAT"

T. C. CAHILL ELECTED MAYOR OF HASKELL

In the city election which was held Tuesday T. C. Cahill was elected Mayor. W. E. Welsh City Marshal, Marvin H. Post City Secretary-Treasurer, M. F. Spurlock, N. I. McCollum and A. H. Wair, Aldermen with Geo. Fields and J. B. Post old member of the council will compose the official family for the coming year.

The following votes were received by each candidate in the election.

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| For Mayor: | T. C. Cahill..... | 405 |
| For Aldermen: | M. F. Spurlock..... | 238 |
| | N. I. McCollum..... | 210 |
| | A. H. Wair..... | 191 |
| | J. L. Tubbs..... | 163 |
| | R. J. Reynolds..... | 154 |
| | E. C. Christian..... | 152 |
| | J. A. Frazier..... | 107 |
| For City Marshal: | W. E. Welsh..... | 214 |
| | A. H. McWilliams..... | 78 |
| | W. H. Starr..... | 65 |
| | Joe Maxwell..... | 27 |
| | Albert Glenn..... | 22 |
| | W. P. Clanton..... | 18 |
| For City Secretary-Treasurer-Assessor and Collector: | Marvin H. Post..... | 422 |

HASKELL LADY RETURNS FROM FUNERAL OF MOTHER

Mrs. J. T. Wilson returned last Monday from Chico, Texas where she had been called to the bedside of her mother Mrs. J. W. Fulghum who passed away Friday March 26th after a brief illness. She was 80 years of age and had belonged to the Methodist church since girlhood.

She was a noble christian woman and was loved by a large circle of friends who will mourn her passing. Funeral services were held Saturday by Rev. M. G. Vaughan her pastor at the cemetery after which her remains were laid to rest in the family lot in the Chico Burial Park. She is survived by her husband and three children who were all present at the funeral. Mrs. J. T. Wilson Haskell, Mr. J. M. Fulgham Fort Worth, and Miss Lena Fulgham of Chico.

JUD TO GIVE THREE PLAYS FOR BENEFIT OF SCHOOL

Three short plays will be given at the Jud school house Friday night April 16 for the benefit of the school at that place. A small admission will be charged and everyone attending will help this school with their presence and money.

RABBIT DRIVE ON WEDNESDAY APRIL 14

All rabbit hunters between the ages of 10 and 85 years are requested by Chief Rabbit Hunter L. N. Lusk to be at the Buffalo Bridge on the Throckmorton Road Wednesday morning April 14th at the 8 o'clock hour to begin what is planned to be the biggest rabbit drive of the season. Bring plenty of ammunition for the day.

Haskell Man Hurt In Accident Near Albany Friday

Al (Dutch) Jordan son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Maxwell of this city was seriously injured in the oil fields near Albany last Friday and was rushed to a Sanitarium at Breckenridge where his wounds were dressed. He was badly bruised and mashed all over his body but the worst injury was to his stomach that was terribly lacerated. He will be confined to the Sanitarium for several weeks. His wife Mrs. Al Jordan, babies and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maxwell rushed to his bedside as soon as they were notified of the accident, returning to Haskell Tuesday.

MISS MINNIE ELLIS ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Miss Minnie Ellis makes her formal announcement this week as a candidate for County Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Miss Ellis needs no introduction to the people of Haskell county, at least not to the majority of them. She has long been a unit in the City Schools for so long that the one is identified with the other. The work she has done for the Haskell school boys and girls is a matter of history that is well known to everybody. Now that she aspires to work in a larger field, all that are cognizant of her ability and untiring efforts with the pupils, individually and collectively, and with every phase of school work, will be glad to learn that she has decided to make the race.

Miss Ellis will endeavor to see each and every voter in the county between now and election time and will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming campaign and election.

ELDER W. W. STARNES PREACHES AT HOWARD

Elder W. W. Starnes of Haskell preached at Howard Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. There was a large crowd out to hear Bro. Starnes preach. He has preached at Howard before.

ROUTT BEATS ACKERMAN HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

"Railroad" Routt, local favorite wrestler, added another victory to his string last Saturday night when he defeated Joe Ackerman of Anson in a fast, hard-fought match. This was Routt's third straight victory here, and his backers say that it will be hard to get a man of his weight who can beat him. Routt has been showing up mighty well in all of his matches defeating Barackman, conceded to be one of, if not the best wrestler in this part of the state. Routt proved his "stuff" when he piled the Knox City man, and later defeated Ernie Maddox of Wichita Falls, conceded one of the best men of his weight ever to go on the mat here.

For Friday night's match, Routt meets Carl Oschel of Knox City, a partner of Barackman, who has been beating a number of good men. His weight is given as 175 pounds—a big boy, and a good match is assured when he and Routt get together.

BANK LETS CONTRACT FOR NEW BUILDING

A contract was let Tuesday afternoon by the Haskell National Bank for the erection of a modern banking house on the site occupied by their present building.

J. R. Horn & Son, well known contractors of Abilene, were the successful bidders.

The Haskell National Bank is the oldest banking institution in Haskell County and has a capital, surplus and undivided profit account of \$120,000. New fixtures will be installed when the new building is completed.

The present walls on the south and east sides of the old building will be used in the new structure, but will be re-modeled and the appearance changed entirely. The new structure will occupy the entire lot owned by the bank, connecting with the Pierson building on the north. The second story of the building will be divided into office rooms with all modern conveniences.

M. O. FIELDS WITHDRAWS FROM COMMISSIONER RACE

Owing to the fact that M. O. Field who is a candidate for County Commissioner from Precinct 3 has moved out of the precinct he authorized the Free Press to make the announcement that he has withdrawn from the race. He wishes to thank his friends for their good wishes and encouragement given during his canvass.

PLAY TO BE GIVEN AT MIDWAY SCHOOL

The play "The Arizona Cowboy" will be given at Midway next Thursday night April 8. This play will be given by teachers and outsiders. There will be an admission fee of 15 cents for children and 25 cents for adults. The money will be used for some new equipment for the school ground. Come, we know you will get your moneys worth. The characters are as follows: Farley Gantt, The Cowboy Sheriff, Bailey Edwards; Paul Quillman, His Pardon; Felix Keith; Duke Blackshear, A Stranger from Frisco, Bennie Lain; Hezekiah Bugg, A glorious liar, Willie Lees; You Kee, A Heathen Chinese, Howard Wright; Big Elk, a Navajo Chief, Ervin Frierson; Grizzly Grimm, a cattle thief, Mr. Hamilton; Marguerite Moore, The pretty Ranch Owner, Lela Welsh; Mrs. Petunia Bugg, From Old Indiana, Bertha Lain; Charlie Blackbear, Duke's sister, Mrs. Willie Lees; Fawn Afraid, An Indian Maid, Opal Self; Youngin, not much of anybody, Mattie Lee Leon.

SAGERTON ELECTS SCHOOL TRUSTEES

The following school trustees were elected Friday April 2, for the Sagerton Independent School District: R. O. Gibson, J. A. Clark and A. C. Koeppe. These men were elected to succeed E. Manske, H. C. Neinst and R. O. Gibson whose terms expire this year. The voting was light.

PRELIMINARY MEET HELD AT SAGERTON

The preliminary track and field meet held here last Friday April 2 was a success from every standpoint. A large crowd not only from the local community, but also from other communities was present. Contestants were entered from Bunkerhill, Stamford and Rochester. Stamford won the most points in the contest.

The program given Friday night was well attended and was pronounced a success by all who saw it.

The feature of the day which attracted the most attention was the pageant staged in the form of a parade by the school children. This pageant depicted the various steps in the transformation of Texas from the land of the savage to our present civilization. All who saw this pageant pronounced it a decided success.

HOME OF FARMER BURNED SATURDAY

The home of W. S. (Seaton) Cox of the Howard community was destroyed by fire last Saturday about noon April 2. Most of the household effects of Mr. Cox were saved by friends and neighbors who seeing the flames came to the rescue of the family. The fire was thought to have caught from the chimney in an upper room. It was discovered and held in check by Mr. Cox for quite a while in an attempt to extinguish it, but before help could reach him it had gained such headway that nothing could be done but remove the household goods, most of which were saved.

This was the J. C. Montgomery home before he moved to the city and contained quite a lot of relics and old papers of the family in some of the upper rooms but according to Mr. Montgomery the things lost in the fire were not very valuable, but just keep sakes that the family regretted very much to lose. The loss was partly covered by insurance.

We learn that Mr. Montgomery owner of the farm will rebuild just as soon as arrangements can be made.

PLAY GIVEN AT ROBERTS FRIDAY NIGHT A SUCCESS

The play at Roberts school house last Friday night entitled "The Arizona Cowboy" was well attended and all present enjoyed a splendid play given by this excellent school. \$37.50 was received from the entrance fees which will be used for the new Baptist Church at Roberts which was recently built and dedicated. The money received is expected to be used for some kind of lighting system for the church.

PROGRAM AT POST IS A DECIDED SUCCESS

The program at Post Friday evening was a decided success. A large crowd considering the weather, were present. The pupils of the intermediate and primary grades gave several readings, songs and dialogues. Judge R. E. Lee of Haskell but formerly of the Post community made a splendid talk which was enjoyed by his home people.

The declaimers of the Plainview and Post communities declaimed and the winners decided upon. They will represent their respective communities at the County Meet April 9-10.

Mr. M. B. Lebo, O. E. Patterson and Rev. Forrester of Haskell were judges for the declaimations. Mr. Kenneth England of Haskell also attended the program.

FALSE REPORT ABOUT COLLINS ARREST

The report that Collins who killed Frank Howard at Brownfield and stabbed Fisher had been caught in Henderson County is a false report. Collins has not as yet been seen. Howard was a brother to John Howard of the Irby Community and has a number of relatives living in Haskell County.

OLD BIBLE OWNED BY HASKELL FARMER

One of the oldest Bibles in the county is owned by Mr. J. W. Scheets of the Rose Community. This Bible was purchased by his father John Scheets in New Orleans, La., in the year 1879 and contains blank sheets upon which is written the names of the family which covers more than a century of time. This book is one of the large family Bible styles, is well bound and is in good state of preservation. Mr. Scheets would like to know if any one has a Bible older than the one mentioned above.

LEAGUE MEET WILL OPEN HERE FRIDAY

Next Friday Morning April 9th will open the big Interscholastic League which will be held in this city. Two days of activities are planned that will be full of interest and excitement for all. Lay aside the business cares of life and come with the children to Haskell and enjoy the many attractions of the school meet.

Friday all literary events are planned to take place at the High School building in this city. All events are staged for the day in every line of literary work and will be put on during the day.

Friday evening the singsong contest will be held in the auditorium of the First Christian Church of this city beginning about 7:45, in which a number of schools will enter the contest. The first prize for the winners will be a portable Victrola given by the Board of City Development of Haskell. The second prize will be a \$15.00 basket ball given by the three drug stores: Oates Bros., Reids Drug Store and Payne Drug Store, jointly. The third prize will be a volley ball and net given by the hardware firms of McCollum, Ellis & Couch, Jones, Cox & Co., and McNeill & Smith, jointly. These valuable prizes will make it interesting and profitable for the contestants. Everybody is invited to come and hear these excellent schools in contest. A number will be rendered by a Haskell quartet at the beginning and close of the contest. Don't miss the sing song, the big feature of all events.

The judging of the School Fair will begin promptly at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon and the building will be closed to all visitors while the judging is going on. All exhibits are requested to be in the Fair Park building by noon Friday April 9th, in order that the judging may begin promptly. The booths have been prepared and already a number of exhibits are being placed in readiness for the judging next Friday at 1 p. m.

Saturday morning all the school children of the county are requested to be at the High School building in Haskell at 9:30 o'clock. The children will form a line, each school in its own order, headed by the Haskell Band, and parade around the public square of the city and on to the Fair Grounds, where all athletic events will take place during the day. Competition is keen and the entries are numerous, and this promises to be a day of thrills from the start.

F. N. Clifford to Address C. of C. at Crowell Meeting

Manager F. N. Clifford, of the Board of City Development and Chamber of Commerce, has accepted an invitation to assist with the program to be offered at Crowell, Texas, May 11th, when the Green Belt Lower Panhandle District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held. He has been assigned the subject "The Chamber of Commerce in Practical Operation."

OMA HARVEY SUFFERS SERIOUS INJURIES

Oma Harvey a young lady of the Howard community is suffering from both legs being broken and internal injuries as a result of a run-away team. The accident occurred while helping her father haul hay, when the team she was driving became frightened and run throwing her from the wagon and catching her on the double-tree. The team run for quite a distance before her father could reach them. There are still hopes for her recovery.

SINGING AT CURRY CHAPEL SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Singing at Curry Chapel next Sunday afternoon April 11th before Sunday School beginning at 2:30 o'clock. W. M. Free and daughters and other singers from Haskell will be there. Everyone is invited to come and give Curry Chapel a visit that afternoon.

Baby Dies

Mattye Mae, the little six-months old daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bass died at their home in Stamford Saturday night March 27th and was laid to rest in the Stamford Cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Bounds the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mask of this city was bitten by a dog Thursday and Mr. Mask killed the dog and sent its head to the Pasteur Institute at Austin that afternoon for examination. He received a wire Saturday that the dog had no signs of Rabies. This was gladly received by Mr. and Mrs. Mask that their little son will not have to go to Austin for treatment.



First Christian Church

The services of the First Christian Church were fine last Sunday. The sunrise prayer meeting was well attended and an inspiring program was rendered.

Haskell school had 175 in attendance and gave an offering of \$51.00 to Ministerial Relief. But we are not forgetting that the contest has only opened and that there are yet sixty days until the close.

Remember that you are cordially invited to all these services. G. Robert Forrester, Minister.

Church of Christ

There will be preaching at the Church of Christ Sunday morning at 11 o'clock but the evening service will be conducted at Rule which will mark the beginning of a series of meetings to be held at 8 o'clock each night.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a. m. There will be no preaching service as the pastor will be in Rule. Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church

The meeting grows in interest and attendance. We will continue on through this week. All services next Sunday at the usual hours.

Easter Service at Methodist Church

The Easter season was observed in a special service at the First Methodist Church last Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour. Baskets of beautiful Easter Lilies were on the tables with in the chancel rail and on the piano were growing hyacinths.

Program for Christian Endeavor

Topic—How can we show our Christian Love? Leader—Mrs. M. L. Baker. Song Service. Scripture Reading—1 Cor. 13:1-13; Matt. 25:46.

Prayer.

How did Jesus show Unselfishness? Mary Sue Hester. Questions for answer. How may we cultivate the spirit of service?—Rachel Solomon.

An Easter Gathering

The children of the Methodist Sunday School were highly entertained with an old time Easter Egg hunt at the lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gammill 3 miles north of town.

A CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors for their assistance when our home burned last Saturday. We can now find words to express our appreciation of your kindness.

"MISS BLUEBEARD" FINE LOVE FARCE

The biggest laugh picture of the year. That's "Miss Bluebeard," a Paramount picturization of Avery Hopwood's Broadway stage success, which will be the feature at the Haskell Theatre next Monday.

"Bess Bluebeard," adapted for the screen by Townsend Martin, was directed by Frank Tuttle. As a stage play it ran for more than a year at the Lyceum Theatre, New York City, and then went out and duplicated that success on a long road tour.

Bebe Daniels is the star. Raymond Griffith, Robert Frazier and others just as well known appear in the supporting cast.

Bob takes Colette to Charters' London apartment and introduces her to the astonished Larry as Mrs. Charters. Larry doesn't know what it's all about and after a long and complicated

explanation by Bob he knows still less. After the first reluctant glance at his newly acquired wife, whom he decides is a very personable young woman Larry decides to win her.

PHONE 303

Everyone likes to save money but mighty few people like cheap work. Once a man gets into his head the fact that cheap prices means work that is cheap he is going to pay the price that insures a reasonable profit.

It costs no more to have the best fixtures installed by a master plumber. You must be pleased if I do your plumbing.

HASTEX PLUMBING CO., OLIVER WILLIAMS, Mgr.,

Charters, she discourages him because she has found evidences of feminine visitors in his rooms and will not be another of his "inspirations."

SUNSET FARM

S. C. White Leghorns BABY CHICKS & HATCHING EGGS From the most profitable strain of White Leghorns in Texas. They are bred-to-day. Flock average for 1925 205 eggs per hen.

MARLIN HOT WELLS

Where Life Giving Waters Flow Come to Marlin, the year-round health resort, for rheumatism, neuritis, stomach trouble and all chronic diseases.

pal, who, with the arrival of Colette, finds himself standing outside his room with no place to go. This scene's a side splitter. So are all the rest.

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SUNSET POULTRY FARM

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LOOK!

We have for sale all kinds of Feed Chicken Feed Baby Chicks Milch Cows

WEST TEXAS MILK BARN

Ben F. Roberts & Son, Prop.

The Voice of the People! A CALL THAT ROUSED THE NATION to Clean Up and Paint Up

We are now making a call that should arouse every good citizen of Haskell to clean up, and where possible paint up their premises. Our Mayor has issued a proclamation designating the week of April the 12th to 17th as a CLEAN-UP WEEK.

THIS CAMPAIGN has been carefully planned and will clean up every street and block in our town, if carried out. Chairmen have been appointed for the East, West, North and South sides of our square and for each ward.

CLEAN UP PROCLAMATION Hear this, Ye People! Think! Act! Come on. Let's put things in order. Our whole city can and should be made as clean and orderly as its cleanest home.

- APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMEN COURTNEY HUNT, Gen'l Chairman. WARD NO. 1— Sam A. Roberts, Mrs. Labry Ballard. WARD NO. 2— Leo Southern, Mrs. R. C. Montgomery.

APRIL 12 TO 17 as the Week of a Continuous CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN Away with the rubbish piles! Banish the plague spots! Clean up the streets and alleys! Cut the weeds, mow the lawns and trim the hedges!

- WARD NO. 3— F. M. Squyres, Will Pearsey. WARD NO. 4— Tom Holland, W. C. Goodwin. COURTHOUSE— Judge Jesse G. Foster. NORTH SIDE SQUARE— Jesse Beaty, J. A. Couch.

You Are Requested to clean, rake and burn everything that can be burned. To place tin cans and other rubbish in boxes and sacks in convenient places in alleys and the City Wagons will haul away. W. M. REID, Acting Mayor. Courtney Hunt, Gen'l Chairman, Streets, Civi.

"LET ALL THINGS BE DONE DECENTLY AND IN ORDER." The above caption is a Scriptural admonition from Holy Writ. It is just as vital when applied to material things. Where there is filth there is nearly always disease. Disorder is accompanied by waste, danger and decay.

LET'S CLEAN EVERY NOOK AND CORNER OF OUR TOWN! Abraham Lincoln said: "I like to see a man proud of the place he lives in." We are all proud of our town— LET'S CLEAN HER UP!

AMUSEMENTS AT THE HASKELL THEATRE Thursday, April 7th—"GILDED BUTTERFLY" With ALMA RUBENS and BERT LITTELL. Friday April 8th—"EASY MONEY" With MARY CARR, the "sweetest mother on the stage," CULLEN LANDIS, who played the son in "Over the Hill." Saturday April 10th—"TUMBLEWEEDS" with WILLIAM S. HART. Monday April 12th—"MISS BLUEBEARD" with BEBE DANIELS. Tues. & Wed. April 13-14—"THE VANISHING AMERICAN" with Richard Dix, Lois Wilson, Noah Berry and Malcolm McGregor.

Billious dull feeling "MY old stand-by is Theford's Black-Draught—I have used it off and on for about 20 years," says Mr. W. S. Reynolds, of R. F. D. 2, Arcadia, La. "I get bilious and have a bad taste in my mouth. My head feels dull. I don't just feel like getting around and doing my work. I know it isn't laziness, but biliousness. "So I take a few doses of Black-Draught and when it acts well, I get up feeling like new—full of pep and ready for any kind of work. "I can certainly recommend it." In case of biliousness and other disagreeable conditions due to an inactive liver, Black-Draught helps to drive the poisonous impurities out of the system and tends to leave the organs in a state of normal, healthy activity. Black-Draught is made entirely of pure medicinal roots and herbs and contains no dangerous or harmful mineral drugs. It can be safely taken by everyone. Sold everywhere. Price 25c.

SOCIETY and Club

Whose Little Bride Are You Under
 The Little Bride Are You Under...
 The stage play, "Whose Little Bride Are You Under" as produced last Friday at the Haskell High School under the auspices of the Cemetery Association would be a splendid appealing play under almost any circumstances. In hands of Miss Lois Wear who is an excellent director, and shows her ability in casting a play, it was especially entertaining and good fun from beginning to end. A number of the girls might find a new field open to them were they to decide to try out for stage. Before the play began and when curtains, Miss Lucile Taylor directed the audience with any number of piano selections, and between the first and second acts a lively song and dance act by high school boys and girls brought around applause. None in the audience were more ideally cast than the couple, Christine Ballard and an Marris. Then there were the star favorites; Misses Alberta Clark, Lois Earnest, Mary Long, Mr. J. L. Odell and the new members, Winnie Biggerstaff and Messrs. Mend and White. We learn that Miss Wear is to direct the Senior Play and we want to be sure and find out date.

that we are neglecting some vital things; proper play grounds, flower beds, walks, tree shaded school grounds for the school children and even safe school buildings. A social hour was enjoyed when the ladies of the church served delicious punch and sandwiches.

The Magazine Club.
 The Magazine Club met last Friday in their club room in a program on Texas writers. The hostess, Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant had the room cozily warm and comfortable and the Easter season was recognized by using nothing but the lovely Easter Lily in decoration. The director general, Mrs. Virgil Meadows, dispensed with all business in her usual adept way and turned the meeting over to Mrs. John Oates, who called the roll and the members answered the question Why is Texas Just Now? Then two poems were read: One by Theresa Lindsay, who is a member of The Texas Poetry Society, by Mrs. Guy Mays and the other by Hilton Ross Greer, the president of the society, by Mrs. Roy Shook. Then Mrs. C. M. Kaigler read two poems that have been printed some time in the past, by Mrs. Dorothy Clifton Wilson and two by Miss Ruby Fitzgerald. Then Mrs. Ward Boyce read in costume a negro dialect, Aunt Lucindy's Lost

Appetite. by Mrs. C. M. Kaigler. This reading has been used by a number of high school girls and twice that is known in two Texas colleges by the heads of the expression departments. Mrs. Boyce also read a number "If" by Mrs. Kaigler.

Harmony Club Cantata

The Annual Easter Cantata was given last Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist Church to a capacity house. Standing room was at a premium in auditorium and gallery. Promptly at the appointed hour the members of the Harmony Club came into their seats in the choir, singing, "Holy Holy" with the accompanist, Mrs. O. E. Patterson at the piano. The invocation was given by Rev. W. B. Vaughn. This was followed by a beautiful solo, The Rejected Savior, by Mrs. Wayne Koonce with chorus. The offertory followed by Mrs. O. E. Patterson, and then an atmospheric reading, with shaded lights and to music "To Other Marys" Mrs. Ward Boyce. The First Easter, was next told in picture, interpreted by Rev. Forrester. In her lovely contralto voice Mrs. W. O. Wallace sang On Calvary, assisted by the chorus soprano solo, Mrs. Wayne Koonce; The World's New Day, Harmony Club; Now is Christ Risen, Harmony Club; Tell the Glad Tidings, Duet, Mesdames Scott and Koonce; Abide With Me, Contralto solo, Mrs. W. O. Wallace; There is No Night Where Jesus is, Mrs. Wayne Koonce and chorus; then a then a twenty-five minute sermon was delivered by the pastor of the church, Rev. Albertson; Crown Him Lord of Life, Harmony Club; benediction, Rev. M. L. Baker, Mrs. H. D. Neff was the director.

Don't fail to see the dignified comedian "Prexy" Milton Simmons and the sympathetic romantic Dean, better known as "Buddy" Francis Grissom in College Days.

Declamation Contest

The Haskell Schools Declamation Contest between the senior boys, the senior girls, the junior boys and the Junior girls, took place last Friday afternoon at the First Baptist church at one o'clock. For the senior boys, the decision was for Vernon Adcock for first place and for senior girls, for Mildred Adcock, Junior boys, Durlacher. In the junior girls contest, Hazel McIver, Clara Weaver and Katherine Wingo tied for first place and this contest had to be tried over on Monday, at which time Katherine Wingo won first place. These winners of the Haskell City schools will represent Haskell in the County Meet next Friday. Out of town judges from Rule and Munday did the judging.

Night Templar Easter Service

The local order of Night Templars, which includes members from Rule, Rochester, Benjamin, Knox City and Munday, held their annual Easter Service at the First Christian Church last Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. There was a good attendance and Rev. R. T. Breedlove of the Methodist church of Rule preached the sermon. Forty-three members participated in

the regular service of the order, at which time the Prelate, Mr. Joe. A. Jones of Rule did the special reading. There were a number of visiting knights out of the district, present.

Why The Harmony Club?

On last Sunday evening as we sat in the Baptist church and listened to the beautiful resurrection story in song as sung by the trained voices of the Harmony Club and witnessed the most impressive way of telling a story, in pictures, and thought of the many beautiful cantatas that this cultured club has given the music lovers of Haskell and of the outstanding program when the renowned Mr. Renard was brought to our city and that in this club was a trained voice, that could sing on Mr. Renard's programs, songs that had been sung in concerts in the North and East, the thought came to us, why do they do it, and we wondered if they were making any money from these ultra classical programs. We asked one of the members and was told that the offerings made at the yearly cantatas never paid any appreciable part of the expense. And would

you mind telling what the offering of Sunday night from that magnificent audience was? The answer was \$11.00. We were just a guest as were many of you and have never been a member of the Harmony Club but we have faith in Haskell folk enough to say that they like us had never given the matter serious thought. It is not too late, let's give the Harmony Club a check shower for this high class music that they have given us from time to time and we have not yet paid for. Oh, yes we also asked an approximate cost of the yearly cantata and were told between forty and fifty dollars.

Don't miss the pretty choruses "The Old Fashioned Girls College Days" April 8th High School Building.

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Federated Missionary Societies Meet.
 In account of the inclement weather last Monday week, the City's Federated Missionary Societies met last Friday April the 5th at the First Christian church. Their regular day is the fifth Monday. A large delegation from each of the societies, was present and were well paid for their coming. The program was splendid and educational. The director was Mrs. Court-Hunt and the opening number was "America The Beautiful," this followed by a magazine article "The Town" which was so well received it was moved, seconded and carried to be printed in the local paper. Trees as Friends of Man, Mrs. L. Baker; Community Beautification, Mrs. B. M. Whiteker; Condition of our School Buildings, by the president, Mrs. Carlton Couch; in her charming way, Mrs. Ward Boyce read, "Why did Not Get To Come To The Missionary Society." Then a Duet by James Pinkerton and Cummins. The organization then went into a deep discussion of the condition of our schools and school grounds and in lieu of the fact that the recent State Inspectors reports that Haskell has the worst school buildings in Texas and that we are in great danger of having our affiliation canceled, committees were appointed to look toward the building of new schools. It was unanimously decided that we are allowing the health of our children to be undermined and our lives endangered as long as we tolerate these "old buildings". A committee was appointed to go before the Haskell School Board and report conditions as found in school buildings and said board to take proper steps to build new buildings. Mrs. Hugh M. Clark was appointed Chairman of Committee to beautify school grounds and by one in Haskell is expected to do in this worthy cause. While we are boosting Haskell let us look the situation over fairly and acknowledge

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ROSE CHAPEL

Everyone is rejoicing over the pretty weather.

Little Wanda Phillips is sick with pneumonia at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lowrance spent the week end with her parents at Gillespie.

Mr. Edd Henshaw, who is attending college at Abilene, returned home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rose and children of Foster spent Sunday in this community.

There was a large crowd at the Easter Egg Hunt at Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kindricks Sunday. The children enjoyed hunting eggs, others played croquet and other games.

Most of the sick folks of this community are better at this writing.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Goodie came home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Euwell Lusk attended church and other places here Sunday.

On account of our pastor, Bro. C. B. Stovall being away in a meeting, our County Missionary Bro. Read preached here Saturday night and Sunday at eleven.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Barton and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lusk visited Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Lusk Sunday.

Cottonwood Teacher Ill

Mrs. McDuff Free, the primary teacher of Cottonwood, has been unable to teach the last few days on account of sickness. Miss Maggie Gossett is teaching in her place until she will be able to teach. Her pupils are wishing her back soon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks of Meyers were Haskell shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry King of Roberts were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tidwell of Midway were Haskell visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kendrick of the Rose Chapel community were Haskell shoppers Saturday.

Miss Madelin Hunt is the Easter Tide guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Hunt.

U. B. Loe of Dallas spent the week end here with relatives and while visiting relatives spent Saturday afternoon in the city. Mr. Loe was formerly a farmer of this section but moved to Dallas a number of years ago and established an upholstery business in which he has prospered and is still doing nicely.

Political Announcements

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1926:

For District Attorney: CLEM CALHOUN.

For District Clerk: MISS ESTELLE TENNYSON.

For County Judge: JESSE G. FOSTER. R. E. LEE

For Sheriff: W. T. SARRELS J. C. TURNBOW AL COUSINS

For County Clerk: EMORY MENEFFEE.

For Tax Assessor: MIKE B. WATSON.

For County Treasurer: J. E. WALLING.

For Tax Collector: CHAS. M. CONNER. E. F. (Ed) FOUTS DAVID H. PERRIN

For County Superintendent: A. A. HEATHINGTON. MISS MINNIE ELLIS.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: J. S. ABARNATHA. J. A. ROSE P. A. WEST H. D. GAMMILL CHESTER JACKSON J. F. GILLILAND

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: ED HOWARD R. B. GUESS

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: CLYDE GORDON L. M. (Monroe) HOWARD

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: L. C. (Cleve) PHILIPS

Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 1: R. P. SIMMONS.

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: MART CLIFTON. G. B. (George) FIELDS.

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 2: M. F. MEDLEY.

A New York doctor says a man's health is indicated by the length of the time he can hold his breath. And his wisdom, we might add, by his ability to hold his tongue.

Young writers wonder why people don't read their stuff; old ones wonder why they do.

Picnic at Howard

(By Ila May Medford)

On Friday, April 2, the children were accompanied to school by their parents. The fathers and mothers did not bring a strap, as might be supposed, but dinner baskets fill to overflowing with good things to eat.

It was early when the patrons began to arrive, despite the disagreeableness of the weather, because every one knew that this day had been set aside for an old-fashioned picnic. Plans had been made to go to the creek but, there being many small children in the crowd and the morning so cold it was decided to remain on the school ground. Every one entered into the holiday with a real festive spirit. A base ball diamond was laid off and the basket ball court marked, and the men warmed up for an afternoon game of base ball.

At the noon hour the table was laid with the many good things to eat, that the parents had brought. Every one gathered around while Mr. Hammers asked a blessing. Then Mrs. Covey took some pictures for our year book. After which the crowd did justice to the bountiful spread.

Afternoon the boys played a very interesting base ball game, followed by a girls and boys basket ball game. These were only played among our selves, but the patrons took as much interest as if they had been played with outsiders.

Then the Calico Cats Society being full of pep as usual asked the crowd to Mr. Emore's pasture for an Easter Egg hunt. Candy eggs had been previously hidden and Mr. Covey lined the

crowd up against the fence and they started together in search of the eggs. Ellen Cheatham, having found the most eggs, was awarded the prize.

At the close of the day every one left feeling nearer each other for their association and declaring that Howard was the friendliest neighborhood a person ever lived in.

Virgil A. Brown of the real estate firm of Leflar & Brown of this city has just completed a new five-room barn roof bungalow just a few blocks north of the square and moved his family into his new quarters Wednesday afternoon. This is a neat and comfortable residence, beautifully finished and Mr. Brown is now a happy and contented citizen of our city.



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SOCIETY and Club

Mystery Association Meets
The Cemetery Association met last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. T. J. ... in a business meeting. There were eight ladies present and after dining with other business, a rising ... of thanks was given Miss Lois ... for directing the splendid stage ... "Whose Little Bride Are You," ... each and every one who contribut ... in any way to the success of the ... They also expressed pleasure ... such a large audience was present ... regret was expressed that their pre ... Mrs. J. L. Odell was not well ... to be with them.

Certain Sunday School Class
with Easter Egg Hunt
Sunday evening about three o'clock ... primary Sunday School class of ... way enjoyed an Easter egg hunt ... to them by Mr. and Mrs. Perdue ... their lesson they hunted Easter ... and returned to church, wishing ... would come again soon.

P. T. A. Will Meet Thursday
at 8 o'clock.

All patrons who are interested in the ... of your Parent-Teachers-Associat ... will be present on next Thursday ... noon at three o'clock at the High ... building as reports of the year's ... will be given and all business at ... ted to and the election of officers

will take place. The present admin ... tration can close its books with the sat ... is faction of knowing that they have ... done a good years work. Come out ... next Thursday and rejoice with them ... and pledge yourself to do better work ... next year than you ever have done, for ... your child, your school and your teach ... er.

Miss Jackson Has Message of
Brother's Death
Miss Era Elinora Jackson received the sad message Saturday that her bro ... ther, Roy Jackson of Toronto, Canada ... who had been quite ill with pneumoni ... ia, had passed away last Saturday and ... was buried in that city on Monday ... April the 5th. Honorary funeral serv ... ices were also held in his home town, ... Temple Texas, Miss Jackson has the ... sympathy of the entire community.

April The First Picnic
On April 1st, Miss Jessie Johnson, ... Vernon school teacher, entertained her ... pupils with a picnic from 10 a. m. until ... 3 p. m. on the little creek that winds ... its way through the Vernon communi ... ty. Each pupil brought a well-filled ... basket and at 12 o'clock they all en ... joyed an old time spread of all kinds ... of good things to eat. Miss Johnson ... takes great interest in her pupils, and ... they are all doing exceedingly good ... work.

See "College Days" at the High ... School Auditorium Thursday night ... April the 8th.

Miss Mattie Letha Pippin of McMurr ... y College, Abilene spent last Sunday ... with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. ... Pippin.

A. B. Carothers of Rochester was ... here Saturday.
C. G. Barnett of O'Brien was a busi ... ness visitor to Haskell Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. York of West of ... town were Haskell shoppers Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Overman of Cot ... tonwood were Haskell shoppers Satur ... day.

Hear the "Big Quartette the Old ... Tom Cat" and So Did I" College Days ... April 8th.

Ruth and Oleta Stanley of Stamford ... were last Sunday's guests of a number ... of their Haskell friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton and Mrs. ... W. A. Tanner of Cottonwood were Has ... kell visitors Saturday.

Mr. Marshall Pierson spent last week ... end with his wife and family, Mrs. ... Marshall Pierson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Galloway of Ft. ... Worth were last week's guests of her ... parents Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard.
C. E. Neil, wife and son C. E. Jr., of ... Floydada spent the week end with Mr. ... and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery of this city.
Mr. and Mrs. Perry McGentis and lit ... tle daughter of Terrell were last week ... end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alex ... ander.
Hon. Marvin Potet who is practic ... ing law in Vernon Texas was the sea ... son's guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... J. M. Potet.
Sam Whitwood, who was raised in ... Haskell and is a product of the Haskell ... High School, but now of Goodland ... Texas is in the city on business.
Mrs. J. A. Broadus and little da ... ughter of Tyler are guests of her moth ... er, Mrs. C. D. Long and sisters, Mrs. M. ... Shook and Miss Mary Long.

W. E. Taylor of west of town was in ... the city Saturday. He was looking ... like a little fishing and hunting on the ... creek would be of special benefit to ... him.
Mrs. M. O. Lyles of this city left last ... Thursday night for Altus Okla. where ... she will visit her daughter Mrs. Grace ... Anderson and other relatives for a few ... weeks.

Mrs. M. S. Pierson and Mr. and Mrs. ... G. W. Waldrop of Abilene spent Mon ... day night and Tuesday with Mr. and ... Mrs. Alfred Pierson and Mr. and Mrs. ... Marshall Pierson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dupuy of Los An ... geles, Calif., are here for an extended ... visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Waiace ... of Josslet Switch. Mrs. Dupuy is a ... sister of Mrs. Wallace.

J. A. Fullbright of the Vernon com ... munity and Virgil Tilman of the same ... community were here Saturday. Mr. ... Fullbright is a good farmer and has ... lived in that section for a number of ... years.


J. D. Roberts and son J. D. Jr., were ... in the city Saturday from Vontress ... where they have lived for a number ... of years. Mr. Roberts is a pioneer of ... that section and has farmed in that ... section for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford return ... ed from Austin last Wednesday making ... the trip through in their automobili ... ble. Mr. Crawford reports bad roads, ... lots of rain and snow all the way. Mr ... Crawford is one of our gin men of this ... city and Mrs. Crawford is the Haskell ... Florist.
W. J. Lusk, father of L. N. Lusk of ... Rose Chapel is now visiting his son ... from Bridgeport, Texas.

See Fox Grandpa M. B. Lebo in Col ... lege Days, April 8.

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(By Mattie Belle Emerson)
 Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ballard were in Haskell Sunday afternoon. They visited Miss Fannie Kay.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charley Frierson of away visited Mr. and Mrs. Hutchens Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Ballard are visiting his brother, W. E. Ballard at Spur. As a result of the trustee election Sunday Mr. O. D. Pool and Mr. J. O. are the new trustees.
 Mr. and Mrs. Newsome from near Haskell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchens Sunday.
 Mr. J. O. Jones and Mrs. Dal Jones returned from Wilson, Okla., where they were called on the account of the illness of their mother, but we are glad to say that she is better.
 A. Mitchell has returned from near Haskell. He has been at the bedside of his sister, who was dangerously ill. She is better.
 Mr. and Mrs. Doc Plannery, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Faulkner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Wright.
 Edith Speck of Rochester spent Saturday night with Willie Elza Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Herring and family were in Haskell Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riggins, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Riggins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pickrel of Haskell City.
 Mr. J. H. Herring and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Herring visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowe near Rochester Sunday.
 The Easter Egg Hunt at Mr. Porches was enjoyed by all who were present.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Pool visited Mr. and Mrs. Shell Jones of the Rochester community Sunday.
 Miss Thelma Beason spent Sunday with Miss Floretta Brown.
 Miss Callie Jones spent Saturday with Miss Minnie Mae Porch.

Miss Edith Cox spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Mary Bradley of the Pinkerton community.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson and family spent Sunday in Haskell with Mrs. Beth Pearsey.

MIDWAY

(By Velma Frierson)
 We are glad to see this pretty spring weather again, hope it will continue to be pretty.
 Some of the farmers have started their plows again.
 The three teachers, Miss Hobson, Leon and Welsh gave their rooms an Easter egg hunt last Friday evening after school, which was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Paul Frierson's cousins Mr. and Mrs. Muff of Anson visited them Sunday.
 Miss Ollie Free of Haskell spent last Thursday night with the writer.
 Several from this community have been attending the Baptist meeting

this week.
 Rev. Vaughan preached a good sermon to a large crowd Sunday.
 Our Sunday School attendance fell down Sunday evening because of so many Easter hunts, but we hope they will all be present next Sunday.
 The party at Mr. Bill Lees Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.
 Misses Bulah and Nervia Sego visited Miss Annie Mae Wood Sunday.
 Rev. W. H. Albertson will preach here next Sunday evening at four o'clock.

O'BRIEN

(By Mrs. W. B. West)
 (Last Week's Letter)
 We are having some cold, rainy weather at this time and all will welcome the sunshine again.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bessier of O'Brien were called to the death bed of their nephew, Homer Bessier last Saturday March 27, who died at the home of

his sister, Mrs. Jean Burleson of near Rochester from the effects of pneumonia. He is the son of J. E. Bessier of Wilson, Texas. His remains were carried to the old home of the family at Hamilton and laid to rest in the family lot beside his mother in the Hamilton cemetery. The writer joins with the many friends in expressing sympathy to the bereaved family.
 The West Side Singing convention met at Rochester the Fourth Sunday in March and enjoyed a good singing. The next number of the convention will be held at O'Brien the Fourth Sunday afternoon at the Baptist Church. Everybody is invited to come and take a part in the singing. Especially are all good singers invited.

Last Tuesday a number of families gathered at the Baptist Church in O'Brien and had an old camp-fire supper in honor of Miss Willie Ray of Miles, Texas, who is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. B. West. They went inside the church after the supper and practiced a number of songs. There were about 40 people present and a good time was enjoyed together. The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. West of Jud, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thomas of Best. Miss Ray returned to her home last Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Will Thomas who have been living at Best for some time are moving back to O'Brien. We are glad

to welcome them back home.
 Mrs. U. V. Thomas is on the sick list at this writing.
 The revival meeting began at this place Monday March 29, and will continue for several days. A good meeting is expected.
 Our people are getting over the flu and the general health with a few exceptions is very good at this time.

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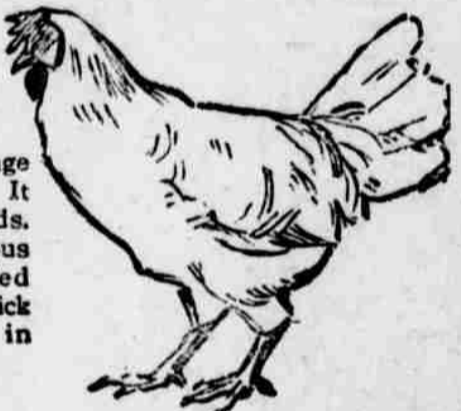
(By Ruth Davis)
 Miss Emma Bowman was called to Waco to the bedside of her sister Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Helm spent Friday night with his sister of Flat Top. Miss Jessie and Bessie Johnson and Mrs. J. A. Fullbright and her son J. T., called on Fred Davis and the writer Saturday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scheets of Josslett Switch and Miss Mary Scheets and brother John called at the M. Davis home Sunday afternoon.
 The young people enjoyed an Easter hunt and ball game at the schoolhouse Friday afternoon.
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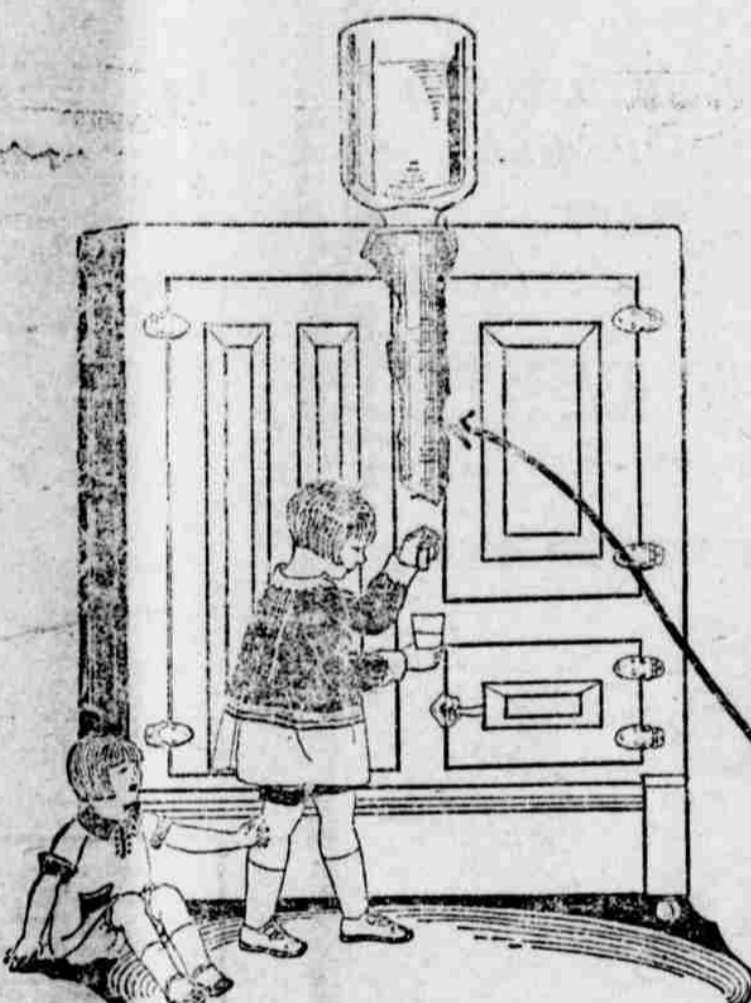
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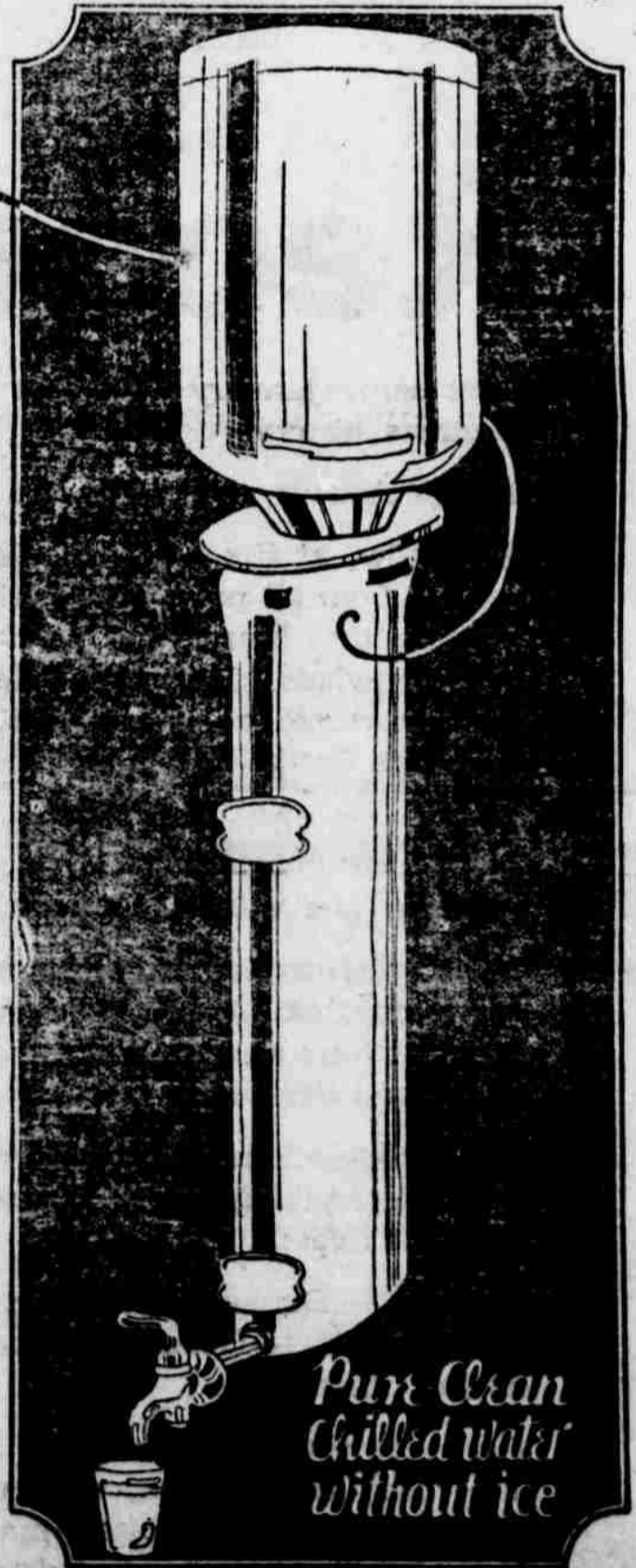
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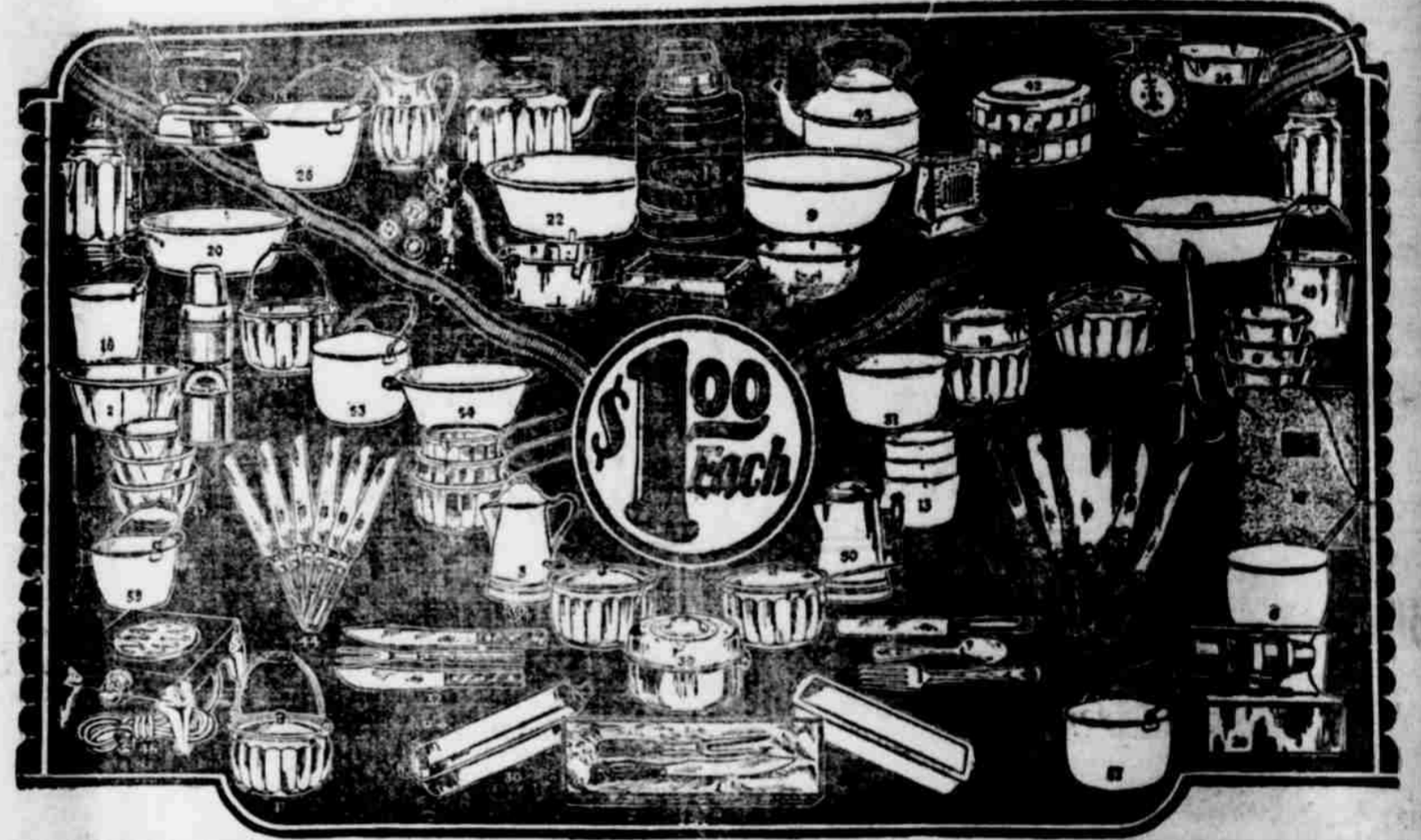
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