askell To Be Host To Consolidated Teachers Institute Beginning Monday EE PROGRAMS OF

effort possible is being made ment for the teachrs and paaring the week of Institute. grams for the evenings which thy of special note and praise on arranged. by evening the Parent-Teachers

don will present a three-act entitled, "Nothing But the directed by Miss Lois Wear. a play with a well established n as a clean, interesting and comedy.

"Peet of Clay," a Cecil De Mille son starring Vera Reynolds and a Roche. It is a picture that ister could heartily endorse. It esting and the lesson is beauti

y evening at the high school m the Curtain Club of the dool will present a comedy in cts, "Getting Acquainted With directed by Lois Wear. This play and although of a differ-pe it rivals "Safety First" for oviking situations.

made to make these plays unattractive. We hope we will to have the reputation that now enjoys, that of being an people, broad minded, and able hings hwell that one usually exem larger cities.

otton of Haskell County is time. With continued warm weather during the next week cally all the cotton in the field

ice at High chool Building to Be Open Sunday

R R. English, Chairman of the g committee for the securing es for the teachers will be at sh school building after 2 p. m. in their homes for the week cockerel: 2, cock; and 1 young pen. the institute. Call her by at the high school building after bove hour.

PITTMAN OPENS

F. Pittman who for the past sevyears had charge of the mechanical tment of the English Motor Co., cated in the building north of the formerly occupied by the Bar-Chevrolet Co., where he has open gerage and filling station.

Pittman has been in the garage of in this city for a number of mage in his new location

GOLD RUSE" IS CHAPLIN'S GREATEST

UNDER MOUNTAIN" TO W AT HASKELL THEATRE

nder Mountain," a story of the from Mrs. Wright back to the city. of one poverty-stricken vilin the Kentucky Blue Ridge produced by William Fox "Howdy Folks."

tveral days the past week.

THE TEACHERS INSTITUTE A SUCCESS

Haskell is to be host to the Consolidated Teachers Institute the week of Many Prominent December 14-18th., and the co-operation of the town is earnestly solicited. Many of those attending last year did not hesitate to state that another point was dropped from the list of proposed meeting places because of the poor reception and management in handling ning Monday morning December 14th the teachers a previous year. Three and continuing for the entire week will hundred teachers are expected, acthe Cemetery Association will cording to County Suprintendent County Superintendents and the teach-Heathington.

If Haskell desires to further enjoy the compliment as well as the patron. and women of the state to Haskell, age of such meetings and this one in particular everybody and the cook is program for lectures and talks as folgoing to have ot step down and get lows: into harness and grab a rope and pull and pull hard at that.

Of course, everybody knows Haskell who for 10 years was supervisor of won't be found wanting, so the follow. Dallas City schools. ing information is presented in order that those who have not been apted that those who have not been approached can lend a hand and accept ted with State Teachers Normal at Commerce head of the educational an invitation right now, an invitation to help.

The following rates have been agreed room, or rooms and board, you are to understand these are the rates to be

If you have room and wish to serve creek to the largest college in the state. meals, or one meal, etc., please ring Mrs. R. R. English just the moment you decide so that she can enter and High School department through out assign those registering each day and the week. He was formerly with the those who will register Sunday the 13, Denton Teacher's College and he was and morning of the 14th with dispatch also dean of the John Tarlton Jr. A One in room, \$1.00; Two in room,

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han 86 per cent gathered at the REVIVAL MEETING TO BE HELD AT CURRY CHAPEL

A mid-winter revival meeting will begin at Curry Chapel 8 miles north of farmers are turning their prepar- town next Friday night, Dec. 11th. of the land for the 1926 crop. Rev. J. F. Mason and County Missionhave planted grain and the pre- ary J. W. Read will do the preaching prospects are that the 1926 grain and Jno. L. Thomas of Electra has in the county will be the largest promised to be in the meeting part of the time. Don't forget the date and come and help in this work.

MRS. O. V. PAYNE WINS RIBBONS ON POULTRY

Mrs. O. V. Payne, local White Leghorn breeder, has recently added five new ribbons to her already large collection of the past several years. News has arrived that she made the followand will remain there until all ing winnings with her birds at the Scurns are in in order to locate the ry County Poultry Show: 1, 2 and 3,

The ribbons were won on as many entries which shows the type of birds entered by Mrs. Payne in the Snyder show. This is the seventh year the show has been put on and from the NEW GARAGE HERE information we have gathered more than 500 birds were on exhibition. Winnings in any show this size is an Burwell Cox, F. T. Sanders, F. L. Dau-

honor for any breeder. We are glad to note the increased interest being taken in better poultry in Haskell county each year and hope that Collum. before many years have passed the inhabitants of Haskell county.

and will no doubt enjoy a good MRS. WRIGHT SELLS HOME

Mrs. T. E. Wright, after several years sure it will be accepted by the body. residence in the city has sold her home | The Standing Committee plan will to J. W. Looney and moved back to be, to name a Director Chairman of last the world's foremost comed- her farm near Vontress last Monday. each standing committee, the director, Charlie Chaplin, has launched his She has been a resident of Haskell in turn will select from the membership t comedy, "The Gold Rush," on for many years and is one of the best and not from Board members, or direcpopular fancy. Announce- known women in all this section of the tors, such men or women as he might it made by Manager Trammell of country. She conducted a hotel here deem necessary to complete his com-Maskell Theatre, that he has paid for a number of years and made many mittee for the process that might be thown in Haskell and that the through her efficient service. She has The Chairman will ca fated star's new United Artists built more good houses in Haskell than when he deems it proper and when tation release comes here next any other citizen that has ever lived there is work to be done, and such and Tuesday December 14th here and is now planning a magnificent action as might be taken will be prehome on the farm where she now lives, sented by the said chairman to the We regret to see Mrs. Wright move Board when that body meets in regular away but the best wishes of her many or called sessions. friends follow her to her home on the farm and we expect frequent visits

Rochester Woman Dies Mrs. Wheeler Lee age 70 years died siring them. the able direction of Victor Sche- at her home in the city of Rochester Br. will open at the Haskell Wednesday morning at 1:30 o'clock will aid materially and generally satisthe December the 17th. It is a after a lingering illness. Funeral servi- factorily in keeping many of the memversion of John Golden's stage ces were held at the First Christian bership posted as to what the organices were need at the Pirst Christian bership posite as the city of spin was in which her remains were shipped to ford Allen of Alpine, former Cisco for interment. She was the ask what the Chamber of Commerce is all of Haskell county, was in the widow of the late Wheeler Lee who passed away about two vears ago.

Educators Are On

Institute Program

The Consolidated Teachers Institute which will be held in Haskell beginmean much to Haskell to have the ers in our city. This occasion will bring a number of noted school men whose names have been placed on the

Primary section will be in charge of Mrs. Chas. T. Cobb of Grandview Tex-

Intermediate instruction will be un-Commerce, head of the educational department. Dr. Fling will give a 45 minute lecture each day of the recent school survey provided by the 38th legipon and when you register as having islature. His discourse will be pronounced discussion of the school system of the entire state from the little one teacher school on the banks of the

> Dean J. F. Cox of the Christian College of Abilene will have charge of the & M. of Stephenville. Much interest will be grouped around this part of the

The address of welcome will be made by Mayor Hardy Grissom Monday morning and a response will be given by Prof. C. B. Breedlove of Rule High

Tuesday morning a lecture will be given by Mrs. J. U. Fields President of the Texas Federation of Women's

Wednesday morning a special address will be given by Dr. W. P. Horn of the Texas Tech of Lubbock.

NEW OFFICERS FOR

In keeping with the usual proceedure, a committee of four, two named by the City Council and two named by the President of the Board of City Development, met and selected 15 citizens for the duty of officers and board of the Board of City Development, for the

usual term of one year. The following were named, and later met and elected officers; J. U. Fields, president; O. E. Patterson, Vice president; John W. Pace, W. O. Wallace, gherty, Hill Oates, C. V. Payne, H. D. Neff, R. C. Couch, Courtney Hunt, H. M. Smith, Wiley M. Reid and N. I. Mc-

The next regular meeting is set for Mongrel hen will be little known to the Thursday evening the 10th; when Standing Committees will be named. Manager Clifford states a new pro-

gram of handling committee assign-AND MOVES TO VONTRESS ments, will be presented, and he has already discussed the plan and feels

The Chairman will call his committee

The President and the Manager are

The calling into labors the members

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Several Persons Are Injured When Two Automobiles Collide

Last Sunday morning while en route

to Sunday School a car driven by Jim Dean and another driven by Mr. Ballthrop in which Mr. Fount Trimmer throwing Mr. Trimmer and the four children riding in the Ballthrop car Ballthrop a broken shoulder, Joy Ballchildren injuries on limbs and face. The car in which Mr. Jim Dean and was badly wrecked but none of them attempt was made at that time to run were hurt. The Ballthrop car was lines further eastward, it having been turned over and the car was greatly understood that the Santa Fe was nedamaged. All three of the families re- gotiating for trackage rights over the sided in the Howard community.

The grand jury made their final report last Friday afternoon, returning for the term 73 bills of indictment, 37 misdemeanors and 36 felonies.

The E. R. Lowe murder case has fendant.

court not to appear.

The following cases have been tried during the week: Sam Christopher, charged with theft cated when it will decide on the appli-

of over \$50, given a two year suspended sentance. Edgar Wilmon, charged with

ing automobile while intoxical fendant entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$100.00.

R. Shipp, charged with their of two years sentance in the penitentiary, tention of the Texas, Panhandle & Automobile, convicted and given a J. G. Steedley charged with manu- Gulf, should it obtain a permit to facturing Whiskey, found not guilty. Automobile, on conviction was given that town to Fort Worth at least in-

two year sentence. Gus Christopher, charged with theft

The case of Alvie Ferguson vs Joe Lee Perguson contest of will was tried before District Judge W. R. Ely of the 42 Judicial District last Thursday. | DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLASS Judgment in the case was with held by the court and will be rendered later.

BRINGS LARGEST TURNIPS OF YEAR TO TOWN

Miss Ethel Bland of the Center Point community, in addition to being one of the best correspondents on the Free Press staff, might also justly claim laurels as an expert agriculturist, according to evidence in the form of two of the largest turnips we have ever seen which she brought to the office one day this week. Each of the turnips weighed over six pounds and possessed a delicious flavor, as two members of the force can attest. Miss Bland has our thanks for the vegetables, and also our compliments on the feat of producing these fine specimens.

MUCH TERRACING IN HASKELL COUNTY NOW

Terracing demonstrations are taking the greater portion of the time of the County Agent in the county at the present time according to his statement. Three terracing demonstrations have been given an different portions of the county during the past week with more than 40 people in attendance.

Terracing machines are being sold the local harware firms for the first time in the history of the county.

NEW FILLING STATION IS BEING ERECTED

A new filling station is under conwill permit.

The building is being constructed of brick and tile and will be plastered in side. It is to be of the double drive

a few days this week.

The following article concerning the survey of the Santa Fe Railway was and is self-explanatory:

from the car. Mr. Trimmer and one of engineers and assistants Saturday be West Texas Utilities Company. the children were picked up uncon- gan running lines from Graham direct scious. Mr. Trimmer received internal to Fort Worth via Perrin and Sagiinjuries and bruises on the head, Mr. naw, according to information received and have been of especial interest to from Graham by The Star-Telegram, the women of Haskell. Not only has throp a broken arm and the three other this survey being the last leg of the Mrs. Shockley demonstrated many of Post-to-Port Worth route.

wife and three children were riding was concluded five weeks ago, and no choice receipts to the ladies during her Rock Island from Graham to Fort to be with us again next year.

> "The line as surveyed runs from Post through Haskell and Throckmorton. The survey out of Graham to Fort Worth would shorten the distance between the two towns by about 15 miles, and follows the announcement several months ago by W. B. Storey, president of the Santa Fe, that the system would construct as short a line from this city to the Plains as possible to build.

"Only a week ago, Story in a message to The Star-Telegram said that it district court on application of the de. had not been decided just when he would apply to the Interstate Commerce Commission for permit to build Bart Adkins has been continued and the survey followed closely the applithe special venire are requested by the cations of the Fort Worth & Denver and the Texas, Panhandle & Gulf for lines to the Plains. The Interstate Commerce Commission has not indications of these roads.

"The Graham advices reported that urvey orders had been issued to the difficult terrain in lower miles from Fort Worth and Perrin State. is 50 miles. It is the announced inbuild its own line from here to Perrin,

dicates a paralleling of interests. "All three of the proposed was dismissed on motion of District would greatly reduce the travel time from here into the South Plains. At present travel is routed either Sweetwater or via Amarillo.

ATTENDS DEMONSTRATION

Back in the good old days of grandmother, the average education of the young miss was complete with reading and writing and arithmetic, together with a bit of knowledge of English Language. But how times do change.

Today, a visit to any of the modern public schools will reveal things that would surprise and delight the old folks. And, we are thinking that the Domestic Science class would be the biggest surprise of all. Pretty hard for the old folks to believe the youngsters are learning how to cook and sew during the school hours.

Taking advantage of the visit of Mrs. Louise Shockley, nationally known Home Economist, who is conducting demonstrations of the Hotpoint Electric Range this week under the auspices of the West Texas Utilities Co. 28 members of the Domestic Science class, headed by Miss Inez Woodward, attended the demonstration Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of learn ing some of the finer arts in cooking. After the demonstration, it was announced by the West Texas Utilities Company that an attractive prize would be given to the member of the class writing the best essay on "Electric Cookery

HASKELL STUDENT GETS HONORABLE MENTION

Among Austin College students who got honorable mention for high scholarship in a report published by the regisstruction on the corner just north of trar of the college covering the last ex-officio members of all committees, the Free Press building for P. F. Bar- month's work, Henry Wilson a member special or standing, the Manager acting ham. N. G. Walker, local contractor is of the freshman class, son of H. S. Wilas secretary to the Board and to all doing the work, and states that the son of Haskell was named. This gives committees needing his services or de building will be complete within the him ranking among the highest third next ten days if weather conditions of the student body, which means for the past month an average grade in all studies of "B" or above.

J. M. Perry of Spur was in the city

Utilities Company Gives Demonstration Of Electric Range

Mrs. M. Louise Shockley, nationally known Home Economist and Mr. Marion H. Armstrong, special representative of the Southwest General and four children were riding, collided, taken from Monday's Star-Telegram, Electric Company, are in Haskell this week demonstrating the Hotpoint Elec-"A Santa Fe surveying crew of 15 tric Range under the auspices of the

Demonstrations have been conducted each afternoon from two to five the finer arts of cooking electrically, "The survey from Post to Graham but she has divulged quite a number of

> Mrs. Shockley and Mr. Armstrong are both delighted with their first visit to Haskell and expressed their wishes

Building in Haskell is going forward with a steady movement. Many new residences are under construction; including those of County Judge Poster and Theron Cahill.

In the business district the new building being erected by County Clerk Menefee is rapidly nearing completion, and will be ready for a new business house about Dec. 15.

The beautiful stucco apartment house being erected by Mrs. McNeil will be completed about the first of the year. It will do much to assist with the housing problem that the city has been facing for some time.

Building of a 35-room hotel will soon w to go as direct to Perrin, if the be under way, and when completed will ficult terrain in lower feet add much to the comforts of those Young counties will permit. Graham is who travel through this section of the

CAFE AND BARBER SHOP AT ROCHESTER BURN Mae Ratliff. so the Santa Fe survey running thru

The Newport Cafe and Barber Shop in the city of Rochseter was destroyed Golda Ella Gibson. by fire last Sunday night about 2 o'clock. The building with all their contents were consumed by the flames and very little was saved from the burning Johnson. building. The origin of the fire is unknown and it is not known how much insurance was carried on the building

COLLIER BROS. PUT ON

NEW DELIVERY TRUCK Collier Bros. Grocery Store is sporting a new all steel Ford delivery car this week. This enterprising firm is making headway in the grocery busi- | Sayles - R. I McEltov Mrs. R. I. Mc ness and enjoying a fine patronage.

FARMER OF HOWARD COM-MUNITY MOVES TO CITY

J. C. Montgomery a long time citizen of the Howard community has moved to the city and is now one of Wolf. the many who are coming to the city with each succeeding year. He bought Reeves, town and made some needed im- B. Cassle. provements before he moved his family here last Monday. Mr. Montgomery is well known and the people of Haskell welcome him to the city.

TURKEYS PROFITABLE FOR THIS FARMER

Albert Stiewert, a farmer of the Vontress community was in town Wednesday with a load of turkeys for the Christmas market. There were 45 Addie Stone. turkeys in the lot and they brought the owner \$206.91 or an average of about \$4.60 per head.

Mr. Stiewert stated that turkeys, chickens, and cows were a paying pro sie Buckner, Miss Hazel Gauntt. position on his farm.

who believes in having turkeys, chickens, hors and cows about his place for we know that fellow is not going to starve and he will gat long way in pro Edith Jones ducing the products that will keep other people from starving.

County Commissioner L. C. Phillips of precinct four reports a young lady stopping at his home since Thursday Orine Burrow. November 26, Thanksgiving). She is receiving all attention and courtesy and it is thought under these conditions that she will remain with the family Emma Creagh, Miss Evelyn L. I triends. Uncle Mike says when he left it is thought under these conditions here he never burned any bridges that she will remain with the family A. F. Neal of Plainview is here for He'll come back to live here some of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are very glad over the arrival of this young lady

OVER 350 TEACHERS EXPECTED TO ATTEND

Haskell, Stonewall and Knox Counties To Be Represented

- 0 ---The following teachers from Knoz. Stonewall and Haskell Counties are expected to attend the Teachers Institute which will be held in Haskell beginning Monday morning December 14th.

Teachers Independent Districts Haskell-H. D. Neff, M. B. Lebe Harry Flewharty, Keneth England, Misses Fannie Jack Baldwin, Bra Jackon, Inez Woodward, Minnie Ellis, Elle Cate, Lela Sprowls, Lois Earnest, Anna Lee Tucker, Irma Churchwell, Alberta Smith, Kathleen Mayfield, Mary Long Leda Bolin, Amelia Payne, Ermin Dou gherty, Mrs. Harry Flewharty.

Rule-C. B. Breedlove, Luther Watson, Walter Volding, Miss Laura Martin, Mrs. Luther Watson, Mrs. Hichs Hall, Misses Lila Cochran, Iva Ware, Anna M. Magnenat, Erin Heathington, Della Foster, Mrs. Lucretia Brooks. Rochester-W. P. Palm, Hubert Boll. Urbane Clark, A. F. MeMinn, More Jewel Carruthers, Misses Frances Edmonds, Madge Lewis, Era Hudson

Sylvestia Lee, Stella Brougton, Beulah Grady SAGERTON-O. C. Southall, Charles Davis, Misses Nellie Shindler, Della Landers, Queen Gilley, Mrs. Charles

O'Brien-Tom M Moore, E F Dawkins, Miss Lelia Behrna Mrs. Tom M. Moore, Mrs. E. F. Dawkins Weinert-J F. Odor, J. R. Grisse,

Misses Julia Williams, Catherine Lesh, Irma Harp, Audrey Mathison. Haskell County Teachers

Ballew-Mrs. W 1 Lowe, Mrs. Burt Jud-H. B. Barrier Parks McMichael. Brushy-I Bullington, Mrs. Lurnice Rutherford. Vernon-Miss Jessie Johnson.

McConnell-H. M. Stone, Miss Sula Midway-Fred E. Owens, Miss Le Welsh, Miss Mattie Lee Leon, Miss

Lake Creek-Miss Neoma Hudeon.

Marcy-Mrs. Marie Loudermlik. Irby-Miss Willie Riley, Miss Bessie Cliff-Lewis Roch, Mrs. Odell Brad-

berry, Miss Vera Roch. Pleasant Valley-Miss Plossie Carter. New Mid-Mrs. Mary Blakeley, Mise Fannie Kay.

Lone Star-C. W. Williamson, Mrs. C. W. Williamson, Miss Alma McNeill. Hutto-Miss Vera Ingram, Miss Kathleen Edwards. Post-Elmer C. Watson, Miss Lois

Killingsworth, Miss Roberta Guillete.

Plainview-Miss Ila Bell Lawrence. Miss Lydia Lawrence.

Ward-Mrs. W. C Leavitt. Rockdale-Miss Fay Myers, Miss S. L. Edwards Mitchell-Claude Smith, Miss Bessie

Gauntt- O. L. Reeves, Mrs. O. L. a nice home in the southern part of | Corinth-Miss Maud Mugg, Miss Ales

> Weaver-Miss Pauline Lain, Miss Maidee Watson Cottonwood-Miss Anna Mae Hyer, Miss Beatrice McDuff.

> Ericsdale-Miss Edna Osborne Idella-Ray Moore. Center Point R. G. Brannen, Mies Virgie Johnson, Miss Preddie John Rose-Wm. E. Lowrance, Mrs. Wm. E Lowrance.

Howard-Bob B. Covey, Mrs. B. B. Covey, Miss Thelma Lee Livengood Cook Springs - J. C. Williamson, Miss

Cobb - Miss Edith Ramsey Plat Top-Miss Maggie Smith, Miss Ruth Beverly

Foster-Mr. Estes Brown, Miss Bes-Tanner Paint-Clyde D. King, Mrs. We are always glad to see a fellow Clyde King, Miss Mabel Pouts.

Gilliam-Miss Grace Hackelman, Miss Una DeBard. Roberts Arying T. Austin, Miss

Dennis Chapel-Miss Ruth Bock, Miss Eniver B. Hudson

Myers-Miss Bula Mae Gibson, Miss Bunker Hill-W. C. McKenzie, Min

Pleasant View-B. B. Chamb

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BOTHING BUT THE TRUTH" Did you ever try to tell the absolute cruth for any length of time? When meet a stranger you say,"I am ad to know you," when you really not care about him at all. The Parent Teachers Association is presenting "Nothing But The Truth," a comedy in three acts, directed by Miss Leis Wear, Tuesday evening December fifteenth at the High School Auditorissa. This is a play with an established reputation as the funniest comedy published. On a bet, a young man tries to tell the truth for twenty-four hours. You would never imagine the truth were so hard to tell and if this poor fellow had to tell the truth longer than one day, no doubt, someone would end his misery.

The cast is well selected, every one being well suited to his part. The cast is one that is popular and their friends will like to see them on the stage. The story is interesting, and situations screamingly funny. The following is the cast. Mr. Ralston, senior member of firm, W. P. Trice, Mrs. Ralston, his wife, Miss Lois Earnest, Gwen Ralston, the daughter, Inez Woodward: Ethel Clark, whose father is rich, Leda Bolin; Mr. Van Dusen, Rufus Banks; Robert Banks; Dick Donnelly, another partner, up again soon. Mr. Meadows, Mable, Movie actress, Mary Long; Sable, her friend, Irma Churchwell, The dear Bishop, Cecil Shumake, Martha, the maid, Amelia

COTTONWOOD

(By Sylvia Newton)

We are glad to report that the enrollment of the school is increasing very rapidly

Mr. Glendon Newton and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Halcomb have returned

THE RESERVE TO THE PARTY OF THE

Every body was very glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Yates of Big Spring visiting in this community last week.

Mr. Bill McDonald, who has been visiting his Brother Mr. Hayden McDonald has returned to his home at Vanal-

Miss Irua Nickleson spent Sunday night with Miss Opal Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Slover Ble Isoe, Mr. Curtis Overman, Miss Opal Bledsoe Mr. Bill McDonald and the writer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor of Lone Star.

The singing at Cottonwood Sunday evening was well attended. We had some fine singing. Several special songs were sung.

Sunday school and preaching was well attended Sunday.

PLEASANT VIEW

(By Veda Edwards) Every one has been taking advantage of this pretty weather and have Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cook and family

of Weinert spent Sunday with Mr Bob Edwards and family. Several from here attended the sing-

ing at Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

Miss Claudia Griffith and Alyce Raynes spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Mary and Florence Gaines.

The birthday party at the home of Mr. Raynes, Saturday night November 28 was well attended and all reported a

Miss Lucille Edwards who is attendng school at Weinert was at home with home folks Saturday night and Sunday and returned to Weinert Mon-

Miss Alma Madean Sargent and Mrs Edith Harris spent Sunday with the

The boys and girls have ordered them a basket ball and will soon be ready for playing. Miss Ina Dingus spent Sunday with

Mr. Walter Medley and Buddie Cousins of Weinert attended church services here Sunday night.

ROSE CHAPEL

(By Lillian Cloer) Mr. and Mrs. Lorance spent last week end with her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Harrison.

Mrs. R. C. Henshaw is still very sick Bennet, he told the truth, Johnnie at this writing; but we hope to see her

Mr. W. H. Russell is also on the sick ist, but he is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rose of Foster and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Phillips and Mrs. R. C. Henshaw Sun

Mrs. Floyd Rose and children of Fosday afternoon Mrs Lorance returned Sunday and

er to stay until Mr. Lorance returns. and Mrs. Edgar Kindrick spent Sunday church are very sorry to have Mr. and "eaver community.

Mr. Arc., Rosser, Ray Ranpy and them. May God's richest blessings Fred Kindrick visited Mr. and Mrs. rest on them wherever they go. Brooks Sunday. Mr Aron Rosser is on the sick list

t this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lusk and Mrs. Della Barton visited Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lusk Sunday

BISSETT-BURNS

Mr. Ted Bissett and Miss Charlynne Burns were happily married by Rev. W. H. Albertson as his home in this city Sunday December the 6, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The happy young couple have the best wishes of their many friends.

Mr. J. R. Hicks Very Low

Mr. J. R. Hicks of Brushey, who has and Johnnie Ivey of Sayles Sunday. been sick for the last two weeks with Pneumonia is not expected to live.

FOR OVER 40 YEARS HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been

LONE STAR

We are sad to hear of the death Mrs. Edgar Brown of near Weinert, who died at Stamford in the Sanitar-

ium. She is survived by her husband and small infant. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church and interment was at Weinert cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melton entertained the young folks of Lone Star with a singing. A large crowd was present and some good singing was en-oyed by

Miss Ellen Williamson of Haskell is visiting here this week.

Misses Edua and Heomp Richards of O'Brien were visitors here Sunday. The Box supper Friday night was

a real success considering the weather. A good crowd was here and we took in \$54. This is to be spent on our playground principally.

The Morrow Brothers furnished the music for the box supper and they are certainly artists in music. A Christmas tree for the school will be Friday night December 11th. Par-

ents of the children are invited. Hope

CENTER POINT

Santa will not miss any one.

(By Ethel Bland) Miss Verlie Bland is suffering this week with the earache.

Most all the farmers are through with their cotton crops. All the crops ter and Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hays of around here have been good, and are Haskell were at the singing here Sun- certainly appreciated by the farmers Sunday School was well attended Sunday, also B. Y. P. U. Sunday evenher mother and father returned with ing. Everyone remember and come

back each time. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kindrick and Mr. | The members of the Center View Mrs. John Ivy and children leave

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brannen attended the convention at Mineral Wells Friday night and Saturday.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. G. D. Gentry of Dixie, Okla. Mrs. Gentry lived in this community two years ago, and while living here she made friends with all, who will mourn her death. She was a sweet christian woman, and to know her was to love her.

Will Jeter and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Galbreath of Haskell Sunday. Mrs. Toby Hatch of Sweet Home visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morgan last week.

Arah and Lola Jeter visited Oneta We were very glad to have Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, teachers of Sayles, with us in Sunday School and invite them back again.

P. S. Self and family and Miss Stella Vaughan left Monday for La. after a Mrs. L. Self of this city.

MIDWAY

(By Velma Prierson) The people of our community are just about through with King Cotton for a while,

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewart of Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker Sun-

The party at Mr. Wood's Saturday ight was enjoyed by a large crowd. The Sunday School at Midway is still last half. growing. We had several new pupils last Sunday. We extend to them a cordial invitation to come every Sunday. If the parents of the community would show more interest in Sunday School they would know more about where their children go on Sundays. How can parents expect their children to do better than they themselves do? Who is to blame for the young people not keeping the Sabbath day?-the parents of course.

There will be preaching next Sunday evening at 4 o'clock by Bro. W. H. Albertson. Bverybody is invited to come

VISITING

you a hearty welcome.

booster for Haskell.

JEWELRY

BRINGS THE YULETIDE SMILE

There are few things in life more

highly desired at Christmas time

than quality Jewelry. And here's a Store that features nothing but the

highest standard of merchandise,

marked so reasonably low that ev-

ery gift seeker will respond to this

REIDS DRUG STORE

announcement.

to meet you.

to Sunday School and stay for greach-

POSTER GIRLS WIN FIRST

GAME OF SEASON FROM O'BRIEN

We are sorry to report several of Mr. ball ever played in Rochester by girls Huff's children sick at this writing, but was played last Thursday when hope they will soon be able to be back O'Brien High School girls met the Foser girls, and played to a 15 to 14 score in favor of Poster. Much pep was shown by spectators from both places. The score was close through out the game, O'Brien leading the first half by a few points and Foster leading the

One of O'Brien's forwards made a spectacular play by throwing a long field goal just after the whistle blew to stop the game, only to be too late to count or the score would have been in O'Brien's favor.

Good sportsmanship was shown by both teams and a hard game is expected when the teams meet again. The Poster girls won the County

mine That Does Aut Affect the Hee Because oldis tonic and lun tive effect, LAX/ TIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cruss nervousess no-ringing in head. Rememie rt is full name and lock for the algusture of A. W. GROVE. 300

TEACHERS!

WELCOME

We appreciate the opportunity of

May your stay with us be a pleasant

Come in and visit us. We will be glad

joining the City of Haskell in extending

one, and when you leave you will be a

COLLIER BROS

"The Home of Marechal Neil Flour"

Championship last year and are going to make a string bid for that honor this year. Poster wants games with is suffering very severely fr nearby school and those that desire Tena has been ill for quite games should communicate with the it is hoped by her friends Principal of Foster school at Rochester, soon regain her health,

Miss Tens, daughter of J.





TURKEYS

Bring in your Turkeys now for the Christmas market. Highest market prices for all your produce.

WESTERN PRODUCE CO.





HASKELL THEATRE Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 14-15 MAGE LICENSE INSUED

dlowing marriage license were y County Clerk Emory Meneng the month of November: Lee Perry and Miss Mattie

Kasarek and Miss Mary

& Burleson and Miss Lula Hardy Iones and Miss Ruby E. Owens and Miss Mable

Haughton and Miss Myrtle n Walker and Miss Dorothy

dy Steele and Miss Willie Me Gibbs and Miss Zora Lane An in Blackmon and Miss Magnolia

Brazell and Miss Oma Gra-Kiney and Miss Myrtle Williams ok Casey and Miss Laura Legg. W Holden and Miss Ruby Pul-

Nash and Miss Ida McCleskey C. Campbell and Miss Laura her Hollaway and Miss Linda

and Miss Lovie B

Mansker and Miss Nora Jones. We Schwarts and Miss Nealie Wilson and Miss Rebecca

my Howard and Miss Gladys Davenport and Miss Opal Mc-

Schaake and Miss Lena Helm. Rosson and Miss Lucile Lamkin. Dancer and Miss Bernice Mae

M Poteet and Miss Julia Casey. nter Brice and Miss Clina Bates. nk Sales and Miss Marga Fijenna

RECORDS FOR THE MONTE OF NOVEMBER

to Mr. and Mrs. George K O'Brien, Sept. 26, a girl. to Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Gregory el Route A. April 14, a boy. to Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jordan, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turnbow

Oct. 12, 1925, a girl.

laskell Nov. 6, a boy Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wright. Haskell Oct. 25, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnson Haskell, Oct. 31, a girl. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Murphy, Rule, Nov. 29, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Baker, Rule, Nov. 27, a girl. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Epley, Jud. Nov. 25, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Worley, Jud. Sept. 25, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Southall, Sagerton Oct. 25, a boy. Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Wilson, Rule, Nov. 7, a girl.

TANNER PAINT

Our school is progressing nicely. have about 75 pupils enrolled. The health of this community is good at present. Most of the people are through pick-

ng cotton Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Smith were shop-

ping in Haskell this week. C. W. Blow, who has been picking cotton for C. N. Smith this fall has returned to his home in South Georgia Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Kittley and little pabe spent Saturday night with Mr.

and Mrs. Joe Holcomb. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kittley are spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Ollie McCain.

W. W. Kittley is having a four-room bungalow put up on his place two and a half miles south of Rule. He recently purchased the place from W. E. Rector. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Day and wife are in Bosque county visiting relatives and friends this week.

We have a nice norther blowing today. Guess people will be killing hogs.

Mrs. Ollie McCain visited Mrs. George Kelley Sunday. Mrs. Mary Lewis is visiting Mrs. Joe

Holcomb at this writing. Mrs. J. E. Place of Rule is out spendng a few days with Mrs. Place here. Little J. L. Morris is suffering with rheumatism. He is not able to go to

school. We hope he will soon be able to resume his school work. Mrs. C. Y. Morris and children, Wade White and family visited C. N. Smith

Mrs. C. N. Smith is sick, but we hope she will soon be up again. C. Y. Morris left Saturday for De

Leon to see his sister, who is visiting home folks from Troup, Texas. Mr. Edd White left last week for Gorman, Texas.

SAYLES

(By Mrs. G. D. Payne) Mr. Archie Wiseman went to Wichita Falls the past week. Tom Strickland was a visitor here

Tuesday. M. Williamson and family of Hascell spent Sunday at W. E. Johnson's. W. E. Bland of Center Point also

visited Mrs. Johnson. Mr. Kirk Davenport moved his famly to Snyder the past week. Mr. Tom Naoelin from East Texas

isited Mr. Usry last week. Miss Callie Powell of Wichita Falls s visiting Miss Tena Bland this week. Miss Trueheart Leatherwood of East Texas is visiting Mrs. Elge Harwell.

GAUNTT

(Mrs. E. L. Conner)

Health is pretty good in this community at this writing and everyone is just about through with their cotton. Miss Vera Norman of Rule spent Friday night in this community with Mrs E. L. Conner.

Mr. Perry Graham's family was shopping in Haskell Saturday. School is progressing nicely at this parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adcock.

E. L. Conner and wife were Xmas shopping in Stamford and Haskell Howard community last Sunday

POST

(By Mrs. W. W. Griffin.) The health of the community is at this writing.

Mrs. T. Crow of Avoca visited her sister, Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook last

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bristow visited the latter's uncle, Ole Tidwell of Rochester last Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Middlebrook are visiting the former's cousin, Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Lehman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adcock and baby of Lamesa are visiting the former's Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Earles visited the latter's sister, Mrs. J. B. Nanny of the

The party at the home of J. W. Adcock was enjoyed by a large crowd Saturday night.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Tour druggist will refund money if PAZZ OINTMENT falls to cure any case of Itching Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days the first application gives here and Rest. See

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VISITING **TEACHERS!**

We are glad to have you in our city, and hope that your stay will be pleasant and you will have one of the most profitable Institutes that has ever been held in this section.

We believe Haskell is a good town, and we hope that you will agree with us, when your visit comes to an end.

R. B. SPENCER & CO.

LUMBER

Jno. A. Couch, Mgr.

Welcome Teachers

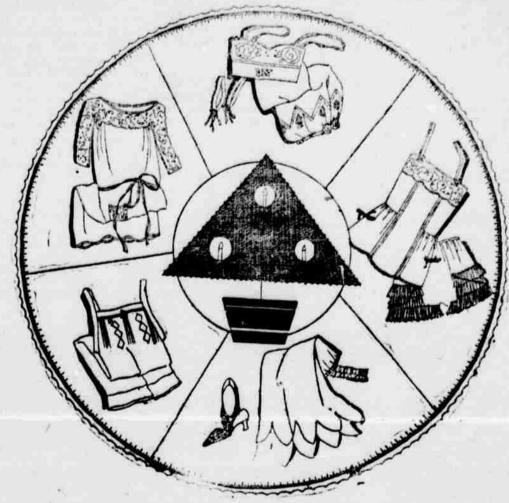
We appreciate the opportunity of joining our entire citizenship in extending a sincere welcome to you -the visiting teachers of Knox, Stonewall and Haskell Counties.

We hope that you will like Haskell, and will always remember this city, as a delightful place in which to hold your Institute, and will be with us again next year.

While you are here we anticipate with pleasure a visit from each one of you-and if interested in anything in our regular line-or Holiday Goods, we will be glad to show you.

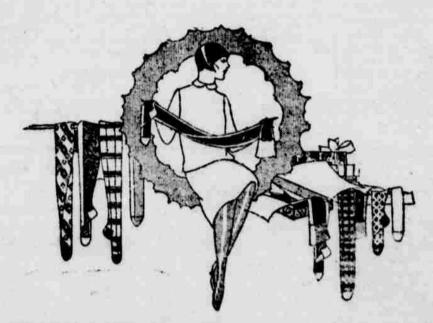
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What is more acceptable to women than the Christmas gift of lovely Hosiery? Thread silk and chiffon, of the finest qualities, full fashioned and reinforced, come in all of the season's newest shades. There is also a varied selection of sport Hose in splashing plaids and stripes.

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"The Store Where Most People Trade" HASKELL, TEXAS.



Mrs. J. U. Fields returned Tuesday this week from Dallas where the first meeting of the T. P. W. C. Officers and Board Members took place that organization. Additional appointments on the state board and assignments of a number of the board members to the various departments of work were announced last Saturday in Dellas by Mrs. Pields after working the major part of the week on these de-

Pictures of Mrs. J. U. Fields, president; Mrs. J. C. Nalle, First Vice President: Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Second Vice President; Mrs. W. H. Murchison, kell Theatre, there will be a benefit Corr. Secretary; and Mrs. R. Q. Lee, Treasurer were on the society page of the Dallas News last Sunday. Besides Haskell Cemetery Association. This the business disposed of Mrs. Fields' daily social calendar was filled. Mrs Pields announces that she will have all appointments completed by the sext board meeting which will be held picture one that will interest and enin Dallas January 7, at which time plans have already been made for several social affairs. Mrs. Frank Tompkins of Corpus Christi will entertain the board with a tea at Lakewood Country Club the afternoon of Jan. 7. Mrs. A. H. Bailey will entertain the board the evening of Jan6 at the Highland Park community house and art gallery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connor Fntertain.

Last Tuesday evening Mrs. Chas. Connor was hostess to Miss Mary Connor and a number of her friends who spent a delightful evening playing forty-two and rook. During the evening Mrs. Connor passed a refreshment plate to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wren, Mr. Bernie Broom, Mr. O. E. Perryman all of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, Miss. Estelle Tennyson and the host Mr. Charles Connor.

Council Meeting.

At a council meeting of the teachers of the Sunday School of the Methodist Church at the home of the Superintendent and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson last Tuesday evening the usual reports and discussion of new methods and plans were the main feature after which a social hour was observed and Mrs. Patterson served the following teachers chocolate and cake: Mesdames W. J. Sowell, P. T. Sanders, S. R. Rike, Labry Ballard, A. Q. Gentry, Guy Mayes, Ila Brock, Misses Aura Lee Tucker, Ella Cate, Katheryne Rike and the host Mr. O. B. Patterson.

Child Culture Club

The Child Culture Club met in regular meeting last Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the Methodist Church and the following splendid program was directed by Mrs. John Draper. The Choice of Literature for Children, Mrs. G. R. Porrester; The Charm of Poetry for Children, Mrs. Lynn Pace; The Home Library, Mrs. Hill Oates; When To Read, Mrs. Roy Gilbreath; The Use of Pictures, Mrs. J. B. Post.

Goal Set By P. T. A.

The major goal of the Parent-Teachers Association this year has been decided upon and concentrated effort will be made to interest very school center in the county in this worthy move. This is to create a budget or county fund to help ambitious boys and girls to obtain a college education. A little quiet meditation will compel us to acknowledge that a great deal of money is expended yearly on far less worthy cause. Haskell has just cause to be proud of her schools and of the record that her boys and girls have made over the country and the county now intends to assist every worthy boy and girl who aspires to a higher educa-

Mrs. H. D. Noff Will Give Recital Friday Evening at High School

Mrs. H. D. Neff will present her piano pupils in recital on Friday Evening December 11, at 7:30 o'clock in the Auditorium of the High School. This will be a class recital so arrainged in duoes, duets and piano solos broken only by a reading or two to give variety. There will be no admission fee Every one is cordially invited to at-

Mitchell Wilson.

On Saturday afternoon November 28 Mr. Willard Mitchell and Miss Johanna Wilson were married at Anson by the pastor of the Methodist Church of that city. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mes. J. T. Wilson of this city who has a host of friends The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. 9:00-19:00. General Ser M. A. Mitchell of the Open Section community and is well and favorably known as an honest young man with many good habits. The Pres Press joins their many friends in wishing them much happiness.

Cox Turnbow

Robert Lesley Cox and Miss Minnie Turnbow were married by Rev. W. 11:00-11 15. Intermission. B. Vaughan at the Methodist parson 11 15-12 00. age Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock December the 5th. The bride is the 12:00 1:30. beautiful daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. 2:30 2:45.

J. C. Turnbow and is well and favor 2:45 4:00. ably known and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. P. Cox of this

city. He is a young man of sterling TWO MASKELL GIRLS HAVE worth and correct habits. The happy worth and correct habits. The happy young couple have a host of friends who wish them much joy through life.

Harmony Club The Haskell Harmony Club met in regular session December 9 at 3:30 p. m. There was a good attendance and

the time was given over to practice on the Christmas Contata, "On To Bethlehem," by Norman Lighthill. The director Mrs. H. D. Neff, the club members and its arrangement and decorat

ing committees are confidently expecting a beautiful program with attending appreciation on the part of the Haskell public. This Cantata will be given Sunday evening Dec. 20, at the Christian church and an offering for the benefit of the Club's musical library will be taken.

Benefit Play At Haskell Theatre On next Wednesday afternoon and evening December the 16th at the Hasly by the local management and the picture comes highly recommended by the management itself and by a number of Haskell people who have seen it. You often long to see a really good tertain. The Feet of Clay, will do both and through it runs a splendid lesson that is good for young and old. And remember that as you are getting your not doing as well. However, her friends money's worth and being highly entertained that you are helping the Has- health. kell Cemetery Association, Remem-

a business visitor to Haskell Saturday, and Mrs. J. J. Bedford.

The Dallas News had the following to say in regard to the standing of the journalistic department of Baylor College in last Sunday's issue. "The five charter members and eight piedges to the newly installed Alpha Epsilon Chapter of Theta Sigma Phi at Baylor Collge for women, Belton, have each done some outstanding work in journalism. It was largely through their efforts that Baylor College became the first college for women to be represnted in this national journalistic fraternity." Among the five listed it has this to say about Miss Marjorie Whiteker: "Miss Marjorie Whiteker, Haskell, Texas, treasurer, of Alpha Epsilon 12:00- 1:30. has written for the Woman's View 1:30—2:30. Point and several Southern news 2:30—2:46. papers. Miss Marjorie Whiteker has been the Sport Editor of the Baylor Bells for the past two years and since last week's issue of the Free Press. Miss Johnnye Morgan has been elected picture, The Feet of Clay, shown joint Assistant Sport Editor to the college paper. Miss Whiteker's picture appeared with fourteen other girls in the Dallas News and was listed as "Girls 9:00-10:00. General Session: Outstanding in Journalistic Fraternity'

Mrs. Falwell Not Improving Mrs. T. J. Falwell who is in the 10:00-11:00. Stamford Sanitarium is not improving and is very sick. Mrs. Falwell underwent an operation six weeks ago but is

hope that she may soon regain her

ber the date December the 16th, both Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Odell returned afternoon and evening at the Haskell Tuesday from Abilene where they had 12:00- 1:30. enjoyed the birthday activities of Mrs. Odell's mother, Mrs. W. G. Bedford 2:30-4:00. Roscoe N. Hathcock of Stamford was and visited her brother and wife Mr

PROGRAM

TEACHERS INSTITUTE

HASKELL HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING DECEMBER 14-18, 1925.

COUNTIES—Haskell, Knox, Stonewall.
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS—A. A. Heathington, Haskell; E. M.

FACULTY FOR THE WEEK: Primary Section: Mrs. Chas. T . Cobb, Grandview, Texas, formerly Primary Supervisor, Dallas City Schools.

Intermediate Section: Dr. H. H. J. Fling, East Texas Teachers College, High School Section: Dean J. F. Cox, Abilene Christian College, Abilene,

Mrs. H. D. Neff, Instructor of Piano, Haskell, Texas. LECTURERS FOR ONE DAY-

Hon. S. M. N. Marrs, State Superintendent, Austin, Texas. Dr. P. W. Horn, President Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Texas. Hon. Jesse R. Smith, State Senator, Breckenridge, Texas. Mrs. J. U. Fields, President Texas Pederation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. N. A. Jenette, President First District Parent Teachers' Association,

REGISTRATION

Registration will take place by counties: Haskell in High School Auditorium; Stonewall room 7; Knox room 6. A fee of two dollars will be collected from each teacher at the time of registration. County Superintendent will see after the registration of the teachers from their respective Counties. Registration will start at 8:30 o'clock and close for the day at 9 o'clock. Teachers who fail to register within that time will see their County Superintendents.

ATTENDANCE.

Each teacher will be supplied with an attendance card on reporting to the High School building both in the forenoon and afternoon of each day. These cards will be collected at the close of each half day session. Cards for the week will be assembled and those for teachers working in the rural schools will be mailed to the proper County Superintendent, and those for teachers who work in Independent School Districts will be mailed ot the President of the School

FOR TEACHERS: STOP, READ, PONDER.

Greeting his pupils, the master asked: What would you learn of me? And the reply came: How shall we care for our bodies? How shall we rear our children?

How shall we work together? How shall we live with our fellowmen?

ent of Rule Schools

How shall we play? For what ends shall we live?

And the teacher pendered these words, and sorrow was in his heart, for his learning touched not these things.-Selected.

MONDAY MORNING. DECEMBER 14. 8:30- 9:00. Enrollment of Teachers.

9:00-10:00 General Session Devotional-Rev W.H. Albertson, Pastor Baptist Church, Haskell Music-Mrs. John W. Pace. Address of Welcome-Hardy Grissom, Mayor of Haskell. Response to Address of Welcome-C. B. Breedlove, Superintend-

10 00-11 00. Section Meetings: A. Primary Section in room 6 Salient Points in Teaching Beginners to Read.

B. Intermediate Section in room 7. The Child and the Laws of Learning. High School Section in High School Auditorium. The High

School Pupil-His Nature. 11:00-11:15 Intermission. 11:15-12:00. General Assembly Fitting the School to the Child-Survey Reaction-Dr. H. H. J

12:00— 1:30. 1:30— 2:30. Lunch Hour. County Superintendents will meet with their teachers. Intermission. Section Meetings: 2:45- 4:00.

A. Primary Section Efficient Reading, Both Oral and Silent, for the Grades. Intermediate Section. How to Study and Results Expected. How Best to Get Active Thinking from Pupils. High School Section. The High School Curriculum

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15.

Devotional-W. B. Vaughn, Pastor M. E. Church, Haskell. Music-Harmony Club, Haskell. Address-Mrs. J. U. Fields. 10.00-11.00.

Section Meetings: Primary Section Presenting Numbers in Primary Grades.

B. Intermediate Section. Objective for the Grades. How Shall We Attain these Objectives? How Should These Specific Objectives Effect Our Work?

C. High School Section. The High School Pupil-His Physical Changes and Their Characteristics General Assembly:

Educational Survey-Rural Life Needs H. H. J. Pling Noon Intermission. County Superintendents Meet With Their Teachers. Intermission.

Phonics and Spelling-Ways to Interest

B. Intermediate Section: Lesson Assignment Some America Actually Made. Proper Assignments Result in V.C. High School Section: Social Activities of the High Sch

WRDWESDAY, DECEMBER 16. 9:00-10:00. General Session: Devotional—Rev. M. L. Baker, Pastor Presbyterian Church, Haskell.

Music-Quartette, High School Students. Address-Dr. P. W. Horn. Section Meetings: A. Primary Section. How to Get Children Interested in Nature

Study.

Study.

B. Intermediate Section. Questioning in Teaching. How Shall We Develop Better Types of Questions?

C. High School Section: The High School Pupil—His Mental Changes and Their Significance.

Intermission.

General Assembly.

Educational Survey-The Reading Problem. How May Teachers Bring Advancement From Survey?-H. D. Neff, Superintendent Haskell School, Leader.

Lunch Hour. County Superintendents Meet With Their Teachers. Intermission Section Meetings.

A. Primary Section. Importance of Language Training in the Grades. B. Intermediate Section. The Story in Education. What Stories are Best for the Grades? How Shall We Use the Story in

C. High School Section. High School Extra-Curricula Activities. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17.

Devotional-Rev. W. W. Starnes, Pastor Church of Christ, Haskell.

Music—High School Orchestra. Address—Mrs. N. A. Jenette. Section Meetings: A. Primary Section. The Place of Story Telling and Dramatization in Schools. Intermediate Section: Educational Tests for the Grades.

How Shall We Use Them? For What Purpose?

C. High School Section. High School Pupil—His Social Characteristics and their Meaning. 11:00-11:15. Intermission. 11:15-12:00. General Assembly: Measurements and the Survey-Dean J. F. Cox.

Lunch Hour. County Superintendents Meet With Their Teachers. Section Meeting:

Section Meeting:

A. Primary Section. Drawing and Construction Work, and
What It Means to Our Schools.

B. Intermediate Section. Teaching Essentials—Earmarks of a
Good Teacher. How Develop the Proper Spirit of Teaching in the Grades? C. High School Section. Moral and Religious Training of the

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18. 9:00-10:00. General Session:

Adolescent.

Devotional-Rev. G. R. Forrester, Pastor Christian Church, Music-High School Choral Club. Address-S. M. N. Marrs.

11:00-11:18. 11:16-12:00.

12:00- 1:30. County Superintendents Meet With Their Teachers.

Primary Section. How to Vitalise Primary Work Intermediate Section. Plays and Games for the Songs for the Grades.

An effort is being made to have a basket ball game after institute each afternoon. For information see or write Mr. J. H. Flewharty, Coac Haskell High School.

"NOTHING BUT THE TRUTE."

On Tuesday evening at seven-thirty o'clock, in the High School Auc a home talent play is to be given by the Parent Teachers' Association, "Nothing But The Truth."



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Mr. Jessie Jones of Haskell was the

WEINERT SCHOOL NOTES

(By John F. Oder)

For the second month of school the

following pupils ranked first and

Tenth grade-Olga Bowman 99

Ninth grade-Dorothy Bell Boone 96.

Eighth grade-Thelma Therwhanger

My I add that Thelma is the second

subjects in my 30 years as a teacher

The following pupils passed upon

Tenth grade-Frances Derr and Olga

Malcolm, Alberta Cousins, Paul Brown,

Morgan Bowman, Hood Furrh and

Eighth grade-John Rich, Billie Gre-

Parents will have to see to it that

some home study must be done or we

shall have several failures. Especially

ally, I am not much on raising a row

with seniors who do not choose to

study. They and their parents know if

they are failing and somebody should

"get busy." Raising a row usually fails

Our band is getting along nicely and

will give an entertainment on Tuesday

evening at 7:30 Dec. 22, consisting of

band music by the full band, Saxa-

phone duets, quartets and a few read-

ings by members of the band. An ad-

charged to help buy music and etc for

the band. Watch for a complete pro-

D. L. Adcock of Lamesa Here.

D. L. Jr., of Lamesa, are visiting Mr.

and Mrs. J. W. Adcock and family of

the Post community and the latter's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cox of Haskell

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adcock and baby

to get you any where. But really what

are you going to do about it.

is this true in our senior class. Person-

gory, Bob Edwards, Thelma Ther-whanger, Pauline Wheeler, Vada Mae

McClaren and Mayme Terry.

second in their respective grades.

ily Sunday.

Frances Derr 93.

Ruth Malcolm 93.

in High Schools.

Beatrice Wheeler.

ations.

Bowman.

100, Mayme Terry 99.

TOWARD

By Reba Dinsmore) odsy morning as everybody to Sunday School, two cars one of them turned over he folks were seriously induding Mr. F. J. Trimmer. hw. Mr. Ballthrop and his one others were injured. The Mr. Jim Dean's and Mr. Ballt Dean's family was not They sent hurriedly for a medical attention was soon and all broken bones were reat this time we are glad to they are doing nicely.

all be conference at Morris senday and dinner on the We expect many present and somen bring a well-filled bas-

friends wish them a speedy

d Bishop and family move hins last week. We all are dat they will like their new

VONTRESS

By Thurman Rhoads) sas preaching at Vontress Sunday evening by Bro. the has been assigned to this seemed quite a treat for not had preaching here in a His family came with him. welcome them into our

Mrs. Tom Bruggeman and Mrs. Henry Arend and family and Mr. and Mrs. Schroeder hter Ella were guests of Mr. Martin Arend Sunday even-

number of our young folks the singing convention at

McGuire spent Salurday Miss Jimmie Stanford of ts community.

Elga Williams and Cardy of Munday spent Sunday with Misses Willie and Jewru of this community. W. Sandlin and Mr. and Mrs ons from Haskell visited Mr.

T. A. Rhoads Sunday Mrs Floyd McGuire left to visit Mrs. McGuire's Mrs. Blackburn at Hillsboro.

NEW MID

(By Mary A. Blakeley) mtt Hutchins has moved to the

nde Valley, near Donna. M. Ballard has returned from and other points in the west Strickland and family left this for the Rio Grande Valley. ill spend the winter there.

will be a box supper at New blay night Dec. I. Everybody

and Mrs. Ab Hutchins of Jud r is seriously ill.

fills Ballard.
ad Mrs. J. W. Bethany and son and visited relatives here and Friday.

and Carlis Strickland with Darrell and Gordon Clark Horntr and family of Fort sited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tay

Jones and family, O. D. Pool

atterson and family were aturday night. d Mrs. Matt Mitchell and Jewell visited Mr. and Mrs.

litchell Sunday. Mrs. H. B. Taft of Weinert day with Mr. and Mrs. J. O.

Mrs Ollie Warren of Rule Mr and Mrs. T. J. Brown Sun-

Annie Lynch visited Thelms Sunday d Mrs J. H. Herring and Virdis left for Comanche Sat-

BUNKER HILL

(By Virgie McIntyre) Grandma Reece is not improving

Miss Venita Baker, our intermediate teacher, attended Sunday school at this place Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Campbell and ford! daughters Katherine, and Frances of The young people have been attend-Wichita Palls, Texas and Barts Me ing the Manville Brothers Comedians Intyre of this community left Sunday at Stamford. Several received prizes morning in a Ford for Wichita Falls. of which they were real proud. The Bunker Hill school boys played two of Plainview school boys and three and Miss Erma Bates were quietly outsiders from there a game of basket married. They have many friends here ball Priday afternoon on the Plainview who wish for them much hippiness and court. The final scores being eight to success for the future.

Some of the Bunker Hill girls saw two interesting ball games Friday ents, Mr. W. T. Haney and family. afternoon, between Sagerton and Peacock at Sagerton.

nine in Plainviews favor.

Not only the people of our community but a large number of the Plainviewers attended the party at G. J. Fourqurean's Saturday night. Every one enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Purdom and daughter Ethel and son, Tommie of this place visited in the B. H. Burrows home eight miles north of Rule Sun-

A number of the young folks of this community spent a few minutes on Flat Top Mountain and at the Brazos river Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gabriel and family and Messrs. Hardy Wyatt and Glen Yarbrough all of Rule, Texas were visitors of Mrs. W. T. Yarbrough and family of this community.

Everything is going along nicely in school now. The teachers are arranging a program for Christmas. Everybody come to singing Sunda

evening at 2:30.

PLAINVIEW

(By Ruth Deisman) The Plainview school will be disnissed Friday until after the Christmas Holidays. The teachers, Misses Lydia and Ila Belle Lawrence will attend Institute at Haskell one week during "vacation days."

It has been announced there will be a box supper at Plainview Friday night, Dec. 11. There will also be a small Christmas tree for the school children. Everyone is invited to at-

The basket ball game between the Plainview and Bunker Hill boys, played on the Plainview court, was real interesting although our boys have had no practice. Our boys won by a small score, 8-9. We invite the B. H. boys back and promise to try to do better

The party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coleman Friday night was an enjoyable affair to all those

Miss Jannie Haney spent Friday

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night in Rule with relatives and friends | and Mr. Cecil Rhodes were the guests ne reported a nice time.

Misses Rilla and Ila Scott of Corinth spent the week-end with home folks. Miss Rilla is a teacher there and Ila guest of Jay Newcomb Sunday is attending school.

Mr. Jim Miller and a few friends attended the football game at Stamford Friday afternoon. Hurrah for Stam-

Tuesday morning Mr. Hunter Bruce

Mr. and Mrs. Vandra Coleman of Rule spent the week end with her par-

Nearly all the young peopel attended the party at Mr. Fourqueans in the Bunker Hill community Saturday night and everyone had a splendid time. Mr. S. T. Moody had relatives visit-

ing here this week from Vernon, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Dunn spent Sunday afternoon at Plat Top. Misses Lydia and Ila Bell Lawrence

spent the week end with relatives at Leuders. Little Miss Lucille Brown was acci-

lently run over by the car her brother was driving, but no serious injury was received we are glad to report. Several went kodaking to Plat Top

Sunday afternoon.

ROCKDALE

(Reba Cobb) Sunday School was well attended at both churches, Lindsley Chapel and

Rockdale, Sunday. Church was well attended at Rockdale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Bunkley and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bunkley and family were the guests of their mission of 15 and 30 cents will be father, Mr. Bunkley of near Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Cobb were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cobb and fam-

Mr. Arnie Fox is on the sick list this Marvin Rhodes was the guest of Mr. Iowell Cobb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Covey and family

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No. 1118. In Bankruptcy Abilene, Texas, Dec. 5, 1925. Office of Referee

To the Creditors of Ernest Ray Lowe of near Goree in the County of Haskell and District aforesaid a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of November A. D., 1925, the said Ernest Ray Lowe was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at pupil to have made 100 per cent in all my office in the city of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on the 17th day of December A. D. 1925, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said every subject on 2nd months examin- creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said Ninth grade-Dorothy Boone, Ruth | meeting.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy

Move to Post Community from

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brimberry of Ranger have moved to the Post community where they will make their home another year. Mrs. Brimberry formerly lived in the Post community until her marriage three years ago at which time she moved to Ranger. Her many friends will be glad to know that she is back among them again. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adams.

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of view that builds cities.

As educators, as mind builders, as seekers of knowledge, you naturally have ideas, believe and practice expansion, development, advancement, and think. When you know our city, when you know our people, when you know the community, you can speak for it ly and present it, and present it in a manner with due credit to both the town and yourself, and because c this fact 78 we are doubly glad to he you with us again and we hope, .ost sincerely, that your stay will be delightful, that you will like us so well you will again come back and hold your institute here. We will assure you you will be welcome,

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tend all services at this church.

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Harry Oman of Henrietta is visiting his brother C. F. Oman this week and they were both in the city Thursday.

Called to Bedside of Father While visiting near Monday, Texas,

Mr. Lorance, the principal of Rose Chapel, was called to the bedside of his father at Ploydada Texas, At last report his father was as low as could be. We hope be will soon recover and that and at a late hour they departed, ex-Mr. Lorance will soon be back in school.

ed the young folks of the Post community honoring their son D. L., who is visiting them from Lamess. Games were enjoyed by a number of folks pressing their thanks for the splendid

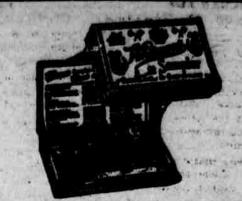
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hich was held in the Church at Abilene

DIES IN CAR WENCE

Judge and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff returned denday morning from Gainsville where they attended the funeral of Jno. B. Pace brother of Mrs. Ratliff last Sunday which was held at Gainsville where the body buried. Mr. Pace lost his life when a car he was driving over turned and took fire and he was burned to death and the car was also burned up. and entertainer. Come. The accident occured last Saturday on highway near Gainsville. Mr. Pace was the first to die of a family of fourteen children and he was 42 years of

Midway Organises P. T. A

The parents of the Midway community met Thursday evening and organised a Parent-Teachers Association. A large number were present and much interest was manifested. The following officers were elected, president, Mrs. L. Wright; 1st. vice president, Golda Hobson; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Virgil Bailey; 3rd vice president, Mrs. Pelix Frierson; secretary and treasurer Lela Welsh, corresponding secretary, Mattie Lee Leon. After the election of officers the president appointed a program committee as follows: Golda Hobson, Mrs. Paul Frierson and Mr. F. digens who pledge each year to F. Owen. The meeting adjourned until January 1, 1926.

Dies Following Operation

Mr. J. W. and H. H. Kelley of Rule were called to Lubbock Monday where their sister, Mrs. Payne was to undergo an operation. We are very sorry to say that she was too weak and passed away Wednesday. The body was brought to Rule by rail, and funeral services were held in the Methodist Church in that city, conducted by Rev. R. T. Breedlove, after which the rmeains were given burial in the Rule cemetery. The deceased is survived by two brothers and two children.

Entertainment at Midway

On last Thursday evening the faculty of the Midway school entertained the parents of the Midway community. They gathered at the school house about seven o'clock. The room was beau lally decorated with Christmas colors of red and green. Several games were played. The men's favorite game was "42." Refreshments of coffee and sandwiches were served to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Prierson, J. R. Edwards, Will Chastain, Tobe Griffin, Alf Laird, Paul Prierson, D. P. Allison, Virgil Bailey, Mrs. J. B. Bailey, Tom Baker, and J. L. Wright.

A. B. Carothers of Rochester was business visitor here Thursday.

DR. SANDEPER TO SPEAK AT PINEERTON AND GILLIEPTE

Dr. J. D. Sanderfer, President of Simmons University, Abilene, will speak at the Pinkerton Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, December the 13. at the eleven o'clock hour and also He will also speak at Gillispie Baptist at seven thirty at night. Church at 3 p. m. the same day. Every one is invited to both services. Dr. Sandifer is a great man an able speaker

J. T. Jenkins, Pastor.

Giles Kemp of Tulsa, Okla., is visit-ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kemp and other relatives in the city this week

M. B. Howard made his annual visit to the office and set the figures one year ahead on the Free Press and the Star Telegram.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pilley and Mr. and Mrs Aubrey Pilley, well-known residents of the Sagerton section were in Haskell Monday. Frank is one of our satisfied subscribers and he called around while here and renewed his paper for another year.

Mrs. J. W. Hawkins of Sanford. North Carolina is the guest of her mother Mrs. J. S. Boone.

regular appointment Sunday morning Monday transacting business.

He and his family moved into the parsonage upon their arrival here and was given a warm welcome by the people of Weinert and were generously

We are glad to welcome these good

C. C. Pouts of the Brazelton Lumber Company of Rule was here two days this week on business and attending court at the county capital.

Gus Peuschel a progressive farmer of the Irby community passed through the city Wednesday night enroute to Ft. Worth on business.

Rev. G. R. Porrester pastor of the Christian Church and Mesdames Courtney Hunt and H. S. Post attended the district meeting of the Christian Church in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Post and little Wynola Frances and Mr. Marvin Post were in Abilene last week.



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Miss Era Elinor Jackson. Miss Carry Bess Culwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Culwell of Ballenger is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs.

frwin Whitmire, traveling salesman out of Pt. Worth, spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C.

Mr. J. U. Fields visited his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pields of Dallas over last week end. Mrs. W. H. Murchison returned last week from Dallas where she attended the state executive board meeting of

Haskell over last week end, the guest the Texas Federation of Women's Miss Beryle Boone, dietician of Central Baptist Sanitarium of Waco, is spending a short vacation with

mother Mrs. J. S Boone.

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\$5.00 Woolnap Blankets, 7 to 8 o'clo	ock \$2.95
60c Kotex, 7 to 8 o'clock	38c
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50e Man's Silk Socks, 7 to 8 o'clock	25c
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LOST-On the streets of Haskell Saturday Nov. 21st one white Bull pup 6 months old. Any information leading to recovery will be appreciated. I. N. Alvis.

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This Friday—

This Saturday—

Thursday Dec. 17th—

Special Notice—

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cotton at this time I want to rent any where from 200.

Mrs. Louie spent last week end with her uncle of Haskell

Saturday night with their sister Mrs. Boar, well marked and a good indivi- W. L. Fraley.

Misses Talma Moore, Una Edwards, Lillie Fraley and Lela Payne spent Sunday with Thelma Bartley.

2p | day and Bro. Forrester will preach in January and every one is invited.

Mr. Earnest Payne and family who be indebted to me will find my books have been living in this community for with my son Jesse Barton at Reynolds the past two years are moving back to their old home at Eastland. We are sorry to give them up but hope them

This being the last week of school before Christmas the attendance has of not less than one year in said Hasgreatly increased

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Toliver spent Sunday with their mother Mrs. J. C. Turnbow of Haskell. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Johnson also Mr.

and Mrs. Gooch of Haskell attended church here Sunday Miss Bennie Rae McKinley of Gor-

man who has been visiting Mrs. Otis Pierson returned home Saturday night. Mr. Joe Fraley of Haskell spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fraley.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schwartz left last Saturday for Fort Worth.

Laymen's Council

Next Monday evening December 14 at 7:30 is our regular meeting time. We will study the first chapter in our book, Stewardship and Missions. Be sure to come, there are some matters of importance to be discussed. W. E. Kirkpatrick, Pres.

O. H. Harrison of Seymour is again working this territory for the Wichita Daily Times. He will make an attractive clubing rate with the Free Press and Times. We will thank you to give him your subscription

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R. D. Bell W. R. Moore.

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Herein fail not, but have yo said court on the first day of the thereon, showing how you have

Given under my have and the corded in Vol. 3, page 222, Minutes of 27th day of November A. D. 16 the District Court of Haskell County, (Seal) Emory Menelee Texas, which will be heard at the next | County Court, Haskell County

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terested in Madge that they resolve to try to make one laugh. Wallace Partry to meet her. Anita Grissom plays none is the young doctor who prescribes the part of Madge with Catherine Rike but one remedy for all ailments. Bur-and Marion Felker as bir mother and ton, Arthur's butler is played by Chas. Odell pretends to be interested in hisstitute week seems to be the sound fidence of the family; Louis Sherman dresses in gaudy Western style and calls hamself the long lost relative of the family; Ray Bastland, a whale of a cook, dresses as a woman and solves the problem of a cook while the Ridge-ways have company. Louis Pearsey as the handsome policeman protects the house from all harm. Prancis Grissom and the director has had experience in this work. All things combine to make of college boys become in-in a letter written by Madge as the aunt further complicates mat-ters and to say that Brucille Bryant in

ather. The college bey, decide to man Grissom. Jerry Sanders, cousin of Madge, is played by Mary Sherrill.

The cast is one which is well suited to those taking part. The plot is intorical research and thus gains the con- teresting, situations funny and movethis work. All things combine to make "Getting Acquainted With Madge" one of the best entertainments ever seen in

Station Man Weds.

Mr. J. M. Wilson, who is night agent at the union station, was married last Saturday to Miss Wilder, teacher in the Benjamin school. The bride will continue her school for the time being and Mr. Wilson will continue his residence at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Me-

This young couple are both mighty nice people, and they have congratulations and felicitations from everyone. Mr. Wilson has been here with the Wichita Valley for about a year.

The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. J. R. Balch.—Baylor Coun-

The above clipping is from the Bay-lor County Banner of Nov. 26, and the young man who was married is the son of Postmaster and Mrs. John T. Wilson of this city and has a host of friends here who join the Free Press in wishing for this happy couple many joys in life.

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Mrs. Tom Messenger of this city re-turned from Mineral Wells Sunday where she has spent several months under medical treatment. She is much improved in health and the people of the city rejoice with the husband and family over Mrs. Messenger's improve-

best grazing from the volunteer wheat on his farm a few miles south of town The weather was hot last summer ty. The weather was hot last summer was a lovely and faithful christian and labor was scarce, but that did not character, loved by all who knew her. interfere with the plans of Mr. Mont-gomery in having his stubble land broken and the Russian Thistles raked and burned before they made any seed the Howard community where they and the splendid season in the ground brought an excellent stand of volunteer wheat and the stock are having some real pasture Just a little ef. where they expect to make their fu-fort at the right time brought about ture home. In the going away of this these profitable results and shows good family the Howard community

Weinert Lady Dies Sunday The funeral of Mrs. Ed Brown who died at the Stamford anitarium last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock after a pastor, at 3 p. m. Monday. Mrs. Brown again. was one of the best known and best loved women of Weinert and a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends were called together to pay their last respects to this noble woman. She was just in the prime of life and ness the tractor demonstration by will be keenly missed by her many friends and associates and her going is purchase a tractor. great loss to the loved ones in the town and community in which she lived and labored so faithful.

Her remains were given burial in the

Weinert Cemetery, beneath a bank of flowers of richest hues and sweetest

Besides her husband Mrs. Brown leaves an infant son, her mother two sisters and three brothers to mourn her loss. Miss Della, as she was lovingly called by her friends, will be greatly missed in and around Weinert. She

Barl Bishop and family moved from have lived a number of years, to Crosbyton, Texas, on the South Plains what can be done in farming in a pro-fitable way. loses a useful family and they will be sorely missed in the church, Sunday School and singing of the community. Haskell county loses a good citizen in Mr. Bishop but the best wishes of their many friends follow them to their new home. It is to be hoped that the very brief illness was held at the Wei- bridges are not burned between this nert Baptist Church by Rev. L. T. Jen-kins of Rule assisted by Rev. Tatum. day we hope to have them with us

Tractor Demonstration

Tuesday the people of Sayles gathered at the farm of M H. Guinn to witwas a great worker in the church and Jones, Cox & Company of Haskell. The in the kingdom of her Master. She plowing was done so well that it has convinced some of the other farmers to

Those witnessing the demonstration were W. H. Wiseman, W. E. Johnson and sons, H. Harris, Robert Morris, and Roy Guinn.

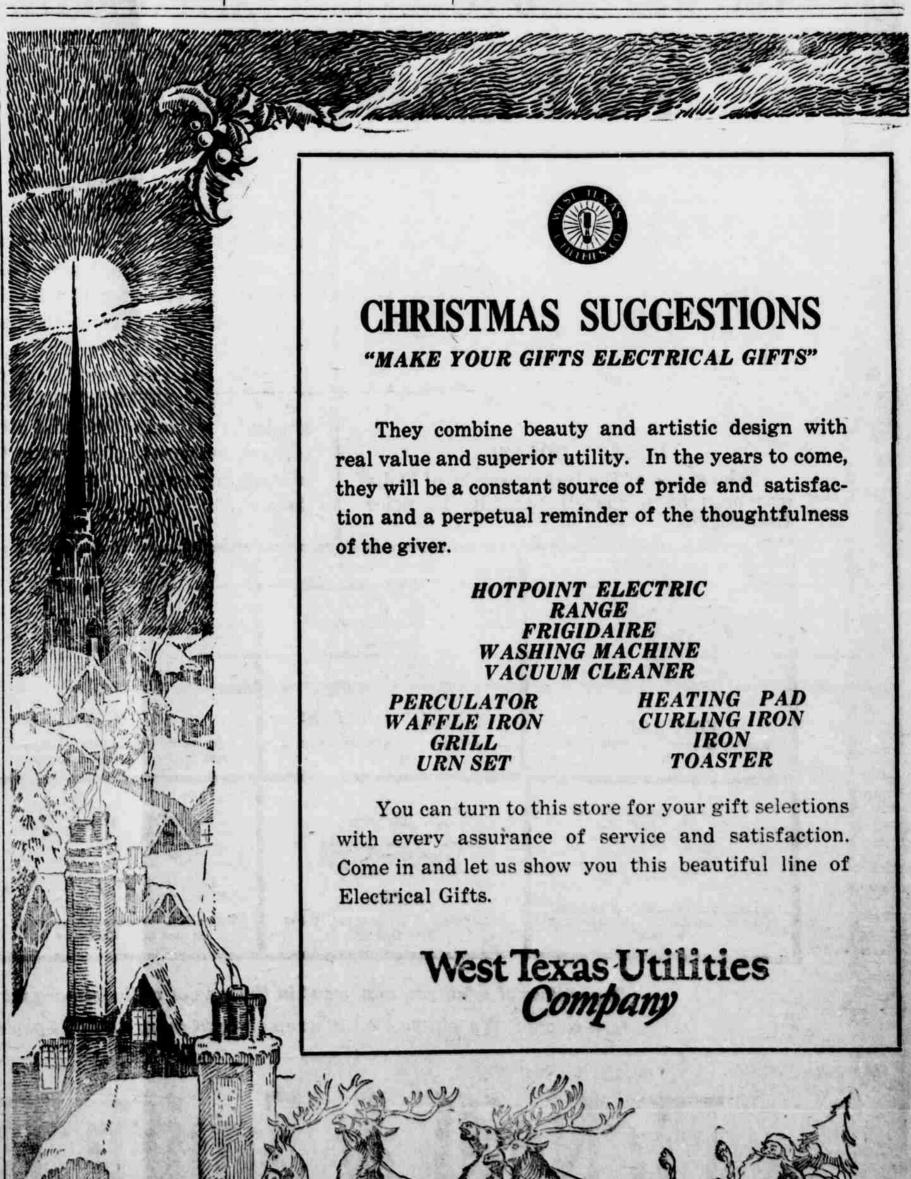
Box Supper.

the school children. Miss Freddie John- Bland and M. H. Harris.

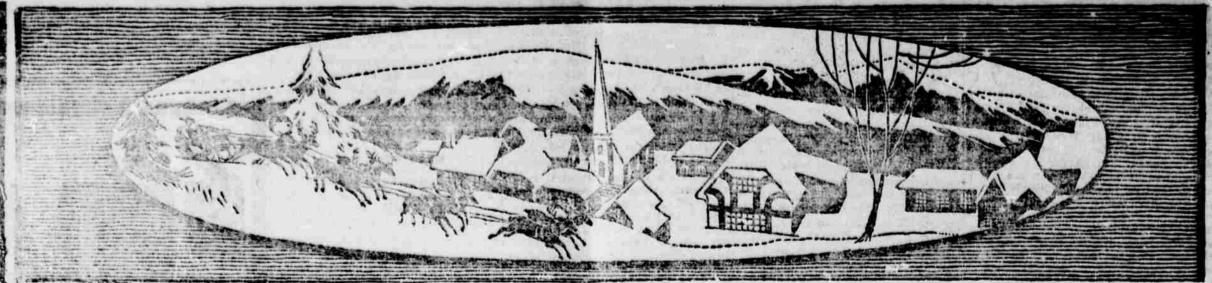
son won the box of candy for the most The box supper at Sayles Priday popular young lady. Mr. John Ivy won night brought the neat sum of 345, the cake of soap for the ugliest man which will be used for the benefit of after a very spirited race with Arthur













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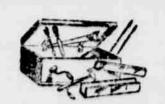


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in the annual football game, December 8, at the Haskell stars for the Bear Cats were C. Smith, and Kirkpatrick, on for the Curtains were Kimand Sherman. It was a good and both teams fought hard. The and roughing. This is the berelub game in the four years have been played. The Curtains son one and the remaining one

roceeds of the game were doto the Athletic Association scieties would have felt betlarger crowd had attended the Pep squads were out for both and kept up the spirit of the but the Curtains were unable to nd the driving attack of the Kimbrough and Clift did bicking and Kirkpatrick some passing Bradley made good end and the Curtains slipped through earcat line for gains often. C. did wonderful catching for his

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	R.E. O	. B. Patterson
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B. Y. P. U's. meet at 6 p. m.

M. S. meets at 3 p. m. Monday. per meeting and choir practice at and 8:15 Wednesday evening. it Sunday morning there will be a Parents' service. We are askwill be on parents and their re ities and duties, etc. You are subject Sunday evening will be

fiscal year closed with November. gan our new year last Sunday ospects for this year are very

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flattering. They are as bright as the promises of God. Let us face the new year and its opportunities for service with renewed determination to give our best service to the ongoing of Christ's Kingdom in the world. Every man who puts his faith in Christ has a great task before him. It is no small matter to live for God. The world is p. m. looking for real christians and God is looking for real men.

Make Sunday a great day. Go to church and Sunday school.

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Methodist Church Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching 1 a. m. and 7 p. m. Senior League 6:15 p. m. Prayer Meeting each Wednesday at

Last Sunday was a good day at the hurch. Help us to make next Sunto see you at all the services.

for the sermon will be "The Open Win-

W. B. Vaughn, Pastor.

Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Program December 13. Topic: Bible Principles of Giving. Leader: Gladys Linville. Song Service.

Prayer. Scripture Reading-Lev. 27:30, 1 Cor. 16:14; 14.

Leader's Talk Responsive Invocation God, the Owner of All Things-Addie Mae Whitaker.

Reading. Making a Budget for Our Society-Lewis Pearsey. The Tithe-Mr. P. D. Solomon

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Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Young Peoples' Meeting Sunday 6 p.

Ladies Bible Class meets Monday 3:30 Children's Training Class Friday 3:30

The lesson Text for the morning hour will be Isa. 35:8; and the Subject for the evening service will be "The Conversion of the Pentecostians."

successfully some work in manual train-Someone has wittily said that Christing, agriculture and natural sciences. ianity may be divided into two classes -the workers and the grumblers. The grumblers never work and the workers worker then meet me at these meetings.

H. M. COOK VISITS

HASKELL SCHOOLS

In line with the policy of West Texas meet all the people and will be glad service to the former students who are teaching, as well as to all other teach-At the evening service the subject ers, certain members of the faculty have been visiting the rural schools of the Panhadle. Professor H. M. Cook of the Education department recently visited the rural scools in Haskell County and was highly pleased with the progress of the rural schools in that county.

Professor Cook visited 22 rural schools out of a total of 46 schools in the county. Prof. Cook stated that the schools all appeared to be in fine condition and were giving especial attention to heating, lighting, ventilation, and sanitation thus following out the state specifications on these important matters. The county board has ruled that the schools of the county shall be divid-

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ed into the following classifications All one teacher schools limited to 7 grades, 2 teachers schools, 8 grades, 3 teacher schools, 9 grades, 4 teacher schools, 10 grades. The most interesting schools visited were, Midway, Post, Howard and Bunker Hill. The Post school is the banner school of the county, having won the county banner, also the first prize offered at the county fair for the best school display. Mr. Cook stated that while only a three teacher school, Post was attempting

Prof. Cook reports a most enjoyable trip and stated that the Superintendent never grumble. Which are you? If a and co-operated in every way possible. Haskell county is located just southeast of the Panhandle. It is a cotton country and contains no large cities, but has several small towns, the most important as follows: Haskell, the day better. The pastor is anxious to State Teachers College is offering field O'Brien and Weinert. The county has two railroads, the Orient and the

> L. W. Jones of Rule was a business visitor to our city Monday.

Wichita Valley .- The Prairie, publish-

ed by the students of the West Texas

State Teachers College.

improved, 100 in cultivation, 2 1-2 miles that section of the state Mr. Cook is a Rochester lumber yard was in the to high school and R. R. town, on R. a good farmer and made good in Has- city Monday on business. P. D. Owner, O. Hawk, Sagerton, kell county during the years he has liv-Texas.

Moves to Wise County.

years has lived near Haskell moved his move back again and will remain with family to Wise County this week to their friends and relatives in this secmake his future home. Mr. Cook trad- tion. The best wishes of our people ed his place west of town for a home in follow them to their new location.

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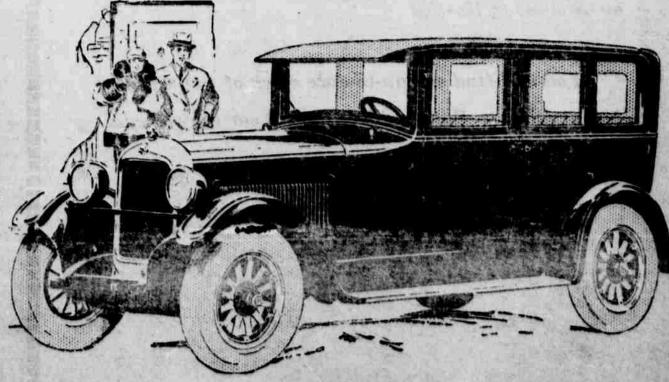
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(Continued from first page.)

Douglas-Miss Ella M. Snyder. Powell- A L McCarty

Vontress-Miss Ouida Fendlason. Perris Ranch-Miss Annie Latimer. Robinson, Mrs. Maude Mann, Mrs. J. Knox County Teachers.

The following is a list of the teachers of the Knox County Schools, who will strend the Consolidated Teachers Institute to be held here next week. Dec. 14-18, inclusive:

Benjamin-V. V. Graves, C. P. Garsett, Mrs. Myrtle Garrett, Cordelia Varsell, Willie Mae Glenn, Minnie Lee buck, Britton, Jewell Sewell, Mary Wilder, Plora Webster, Mrs. Ruby Moorhouse.

Truscott-T. H. Cunningham W. S. Cunningham, Miss Tonie Vick, Miss Viyian Winstead

Cottonwood- S. L. Coggins, Miss Salse Slowman, Miss Glenn Spinks. Hefner-E Nyffeler, Calvin Morotn, and

Mrs. King, Mrs. Nyffeler. Gillespie-W. O. Hines, O. Z. Porter, Miss Velma Heald, Miss Lois Mansell, Kiss Annie Dodson.

Gilliland-H. L. Waldrum, Mrs. Waldrum, Miss Sudie Hutton, Miss Sue Stover, Miss Lelah Jones.

Rhineland-John J. Hoffman, Joe A. Hoffman

Union Grove-Mrs. E. F. Branton, Miss Dicie Morton, Mrs. Leota Jami-

Hood-M. H. Stone, Miss Eva Osborn, Miss Grace Tidwell. Vera-Fred Kimmins, Miss Annie

Ground, Miss Rosa Mae Madole, Miss Lurlie Birdwell

Hughes, Hoyle Sullins. Brock-Miss Winnie Ferguson. Antelope Flat-Miss Vera Martin. Washburn-Miss Alice Wentworth.

Dixon-Miss Ruby Louder Prairie View-Miss Annie Freeman, Dessie Bank.

Red Creek-Miss Katie Coffee. Jungmann-Miss Clara Harvel, Ila

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Stonewall County Teachers.

The following is a list of the teachers morning. the Stonewall County Schools, who will attend the Consolidated Teachers Institute to be held here next week, December 14-18, inclusive.

Gladya Lisles, Zollie Kelley, Brown, call 105, the office of the Board of City Mrs. Sybil Prince, Othelo R. Deering, Development, so that this information Flossie Stewart, Miss Madell Scoggins, Miss Piccila Campbell, Miss Christine Brown, Miss Dennie Parkins. Miss Gladys Hoy, Paul P. Prich-

Vesta Mayes, D. K. Smith, Misses Gen- The afternoon train and the night train evia Davis, Maye Hilterbrand.

Aspermont, Texas, Route 2-Mrs. L. D. McAfee.

| Horace Bass.

chell, Gladys Burke, Hortense Reeves, keeping with the rules of the Institute. Naomi McIver, Blanche McLaury, Nina League-Jessie Hitchcock, Miss Lona Cross, Margeret Echols, Mineola Roth- the expression goes, in the past so you ermel, Agnes Halsell, Christine Smithey, Annie King, Mrs. M. A. Smith, M. interest in this meeting. Guests from A. Smith, Mrs. Lynn Flowers. Swenson Texas, Route 1-Miss

O'Neal Vencil, Mrs. Bettie Lassiter. Misses Louise Cearley. Winnie Yeager, kell is going to be For Sale, to every Opal Mingus, Iva Burleson, Grace Fitz- visitor, every hour of the week and it hugh, Billie Briscoe, Ola Gamel, Mr. is going to be the duty of every Has-Lone Star-R. N. Smith, Miss Lois Virgil White, S. L. Stewart, Mrs. S. L. Stewart.

> Osborne, Ethel Kirby, Linnie Mont- during this time. gomery, Mrs. Dorothy Davenport, J. E. Childers.

N. Lee.

Dorras, Texas-Clyde Boyd, Mrs. Tyde Boyd. Old Glory, Texas-Mrs. Eula Mae Geneview, Texas-E. D. McIver,

Miss Edna Haren. Rochester, Texas-Geo. Williams,

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with breakfast, \$1.10 per person. Registration Headquarters will be at the Haskell High School, being avail-

Transportation to and from railroad station Sunday afternoon and evening is to be handled by a Transportation committee from the Board of City De-Asperment, Texas-Miss Etta Roe velopment-Chamber of Commerce 1. P. Cross, Mrs. Violeta Man- However, if any one desires to register might be available for the Committee.

Automobiles listed and used will be supplied the official sticker, for the windshield. This is an item of work to be done by the Haskell Committees Asperment Texas, Route 1-Miss that suggests unusual co-operation at 9:15 should be met and those arriving be transported directly to the High School so rooms might be assigned Swenson, Texas-Misses Gladys Mit- them and registration be made in

Haskell has done herself proud, as are urged to take more than a passing four counties, as well as State Officials and heads of various institutions of learning are to visit Haskell during this Peacock. Texas-Julian P. Greer, institute period, of one week, and Haskellite to make every effort to see that no mistake of his or hers lends a cloud Hamlin, Texas-Misses Jettye Bess to the sunshine we all hope to scatter

Remember, ring Mrs. R. R. English about rooms and board and call 405 Jayton, Texas-Misses Lois McIver, if you will furnish an automobile. And, Zelma Chad, Esther Pearl Lee, Mr. I. if in doubt or you can help somewhere and you want to lend a hand, call both places and ask about what you have in

If there is some detail you would like arr, Misses Vera Walker, Mary Smith, to know about in connection with the A. C Sharp, Miss Ruby Pewer, Miss Mrs. Alvin Bristow, H. L. Thompson. Institute, call the County Superintendent's office in the Court House or call and see him or his Secretary.

Director C. V. Payne of the Board of City Development, at the Payne Drug Store, is Chairman of a committee on arrangements and will also be pleased was in the city Saturday and became a to answer any questions propounded H. D. Arnold, J. H. Bardwell, J. W. Tid- subscriber to the Haskell Free Press by those interested and wishing to stell, Miss Willie Swafford, Irene Carl and Abilene Morning Reporter for a help. Director O. E. Patterson is Chairman of the Board of City De-

velopment Entertainment Committee | FARMER MOVES TO CATT MAKE INSTITUTE A SUCCESS and will arrange for this feature of our

visitors. He will call to his aid such assistants as he deems necessary in due The citizenship is not to understand

that everything is to be left to the Board of City Development Directors from so-everybody can help and those having the details in hand as Chairmen ble ail day Sunday and Monday as assigned will welcome your help, so tion't stand back and wait to be called upon- step up and get your assignment and be happy in the fact that you are helping sell your hometown, Haskell, to three hundred guests.

W. B. McIver, E. M. Carter and D. Misses Addie Lea Morrison, an automobile in the meantime please Hefflefinger all of Plainview were here this week on business. Mr. McIver. lived in Haskell a number of years ago. He is a grand son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Marrs of this city.

PROM ROBERTS COMMUNITY

Haskell county for the past 24 years moved his family to the J. W. Looney place in the east part of the city last Thursday. Mr. Atchison has lived in the Poberts community on his fine or Committee Chaimen. Far be it farm all these years except eight months at one other time when he moved to the city to return to his farm at the end of the stated time, but he has moved to town for keeps this time and says that he wants all his friends to know that he is now a citizen of Haskell and at their services.

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