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FORTY-FIRST YEAR

WORKER'S COUNCIL MEETS AT RULE

Worker's Council of the Haskell Association held a very interesting session with the First Baptist Church at Rule last Monday November 27th.

A. N. Davis conducted the song program which opened the session.

Rev. H. R. Whatley, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Rule, presided.

Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Haskell, presided.

Rev. J. W. English, pastor of the First Baptist Church at DeLeon, presided.

Rev. C. E. Ball, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Aspermont, presided.

Rev. W. B. Vaughan, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Hutto, presided.

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Championship of 18 Counties At Stake In Friday's Game

When the Haskell and Sweetwater football teams meet here Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the championship of District Three will be at stake.

The football affairs of the district are in the hands of an executive committee composed of the Superintendents of Haskell, Stamford, Anson, Gorman, De Leon, Merkel and Big Spring schools.

HASKELL DEFEATS DE LEON 12 TO 0

Haskell defeats DeLeon at DeLeon on Thanksgiving Day for the championship of Sections B and C of District 3.

The game started with Haskell kicking off and after De Leon had punted back, Haskell plunged thru De Leon's line to the 20 yard line.

Haskell failed to make first down on their own 40 yard line and with a series of passes carried it to Haskell's 28 yard line where they were stopped by the stone wall line that seemingly few teams can penetrate.

Haskell took the ball and using straight football battered the line and marched through for another touchdown, Banks carrying the ball over the goal line.

The balance of the game consisted of wild passing attacks whenever De Leon got the ball and punting out of danger when that failed.

Only once did De Leon threaten the Haskell goal line and that was when by a series of successful passes they advanced the ball to Haskell's 15 yard line where the line stiffened and held, the ball going over Haskell kicking out of danger.

The fourth quarter was featured by Henshaw's interception of a pass that might have spelled disaster if it had been completed.

In spite of the fact that De Leon is reputed to have one of the best kickers in the district Kimbrough bested him in punting through the whole game.

Henshaw, Banks and Pitman, with the powerful E. Kimbrough running interference and tearing holes in the line seem to be something that is not easy to stop and the game was easily Haskell's from the beginning when Haskell demonstrated its non-stop offensive strength.

Any attempt to say that there were individual stars is silly for every man on Haskell's team is an ace. They are the best Class B football team in the state and the only thing that can keep them from winning the Championship is not to be able to play it out.

It is probable that we will play Sweetwater here next Friday as the district board ruled that the game was a tie and is no game, forcing the play-off again.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB AT SAGERTON

Wednesday afternoon, November 16, a number of the women at Sagerton met at the Methodist church and organized a Woman's Home Demonstration Club.

After having the purpose of the Home Demonstration work and the plans for the ensuing year explained by Miss Gunn, County Home Demonstration Agent, the following officers were elected: Mrs. John Walton, president; Mrs. J. G. Stevens, vice president; Mrs. E. D. Engleman, secretary; and Mrs. T. C. Stuart, reporter.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. D. Engleman Tuesday afternoon, December twentieth at 2:30 o'clock.

EAST SIDE SINGERS WILL MEET AT ROSE SUNDAY

The East Side Singing Convention will meet at Rose Chapel 4 miles east of Haskell next Sunday afternoon, Dec. 4th at 2:30 o'clock.

Everybody is invited to attend and a good program will be rendered. Come and bring someone with you.

R. G. Stoker of Crystal Falls was in the city this week looking after his property and visiting his children. He is a subscriber to the Free Press and called around to the office and renewed for another year. Thanks.

Mrs. E. E. McElroy of Ballinger was here last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leon Pearse, who returned home with her early in the week.

Back on the Air



CLOSES TERM DIST. COURT AT ASPERMONT

Judge Bruce W. Bryant was here Saturday from Aspermont where he had just closed an important term of District Court for Stonewall county.

He reported a number of interesting cases and a number of convictions. Among them was B. J. Cochran, the man who was alleged to have been buried a few years ago, but showed up later very much alive.

He was given two years in the state prison, this term, on a charge of possessing liquor for the purpose of sale. One or two murder cases were disposed of. Four men have accepted their sentences and will go to State Prison and two more convictions are on appeal from this term of court.

Judge Bryant went to Throckmorton Monday for a three weeks term of District Court for Throckmorton County, after which he will return home and begin his first new term of court here the first Monday in January, which will continue for six consecutive weeks.

A number of important cases will come up in the new court term here.

YOUNG MAN OF BRUSHY COMMUNITY PASSES AWAY

Barney Williamson, the 19 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson of the Brushy community passed away Sunday morning at 2 o'clock at the family home.

The young man had typhoid fever and it was thought a short while before his death that he was doing nicely, but complications set up that could not be relieved and the end came unexpectedly. The burial of the remains of the young man occurred Tuesday, in the Routh cemetery, the funeral being delayed because of a sister who was coming could not reach here earlier. The bereaved loved ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

Sweetwater Team To Be Playing for Gold Footballs

The Abilene Reporter states that the Rotary Club of Sweetwater is to buy gold footballs for the Mustangs if they can trample the Indians.

So the Mustangs will be out for a championship plus the gold emblems. That ought to pep them up as far as possible to win. J. O. Dodson and Company have decided to save the Rotary Club the money although they would be glad to see the Sweetwater boys get the emblems. It would cost too much and has too many strings on the promise.

SHERIFF COUSINS HOST AT THANKSGIVING DINNER

Sheriff Al Cousins was host to the peace officers of this city at a Thanksgiving dinner given at the jail last Thursday.

A sumptuous banquet was served to the local peace officers and a few invited guests. Officers present were: City Marshal W. E. Welsh, Deputy Marshal R. A. Hays, and Deputies Martin Gregory, J. H. Lawson, and R. E. DeBard.

HUTTO SCHOOL IS MAKING PROGRESS

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowrance, teachers of the Hutto school were here last Saturday and made a glowing report of the things that the Hutto school was doing this term.

They report a live Parent-Teachers Association organized here last Thursday and a splendid program was given by the pupils of the school to commemorate Thanksgiving.

After the program the association was organized with 18 charter members. Much interest was manifested in the interest of the school. They have erected a nice and very attractive school building for Hutto and the school children are comfortably housed.

Local Banks Post Reward for Dead Bank Robbers

Large placards bearing the caption, \$5,000 reward—Dead bank robbers wanted, made their appearance Friday in Haskell banks.

The standing reward for dead bank robbers is offered by the Texas Bankers association. The reward will be given when a person is killed in the act of robbing a member bank of the state association, the wording of the cards states.

According to the statement on the cards "there is no limit as to place of killing—in the banking house, as the robber or robbers leave the bank, as they climb into their car, 10 or 20 miles down the road as they flee, or while resisting a posse giving chase."

The reward applies either night or daylight attacks. The cars further state that "the association will not give one cent for live robbers."

WEST SIDE SINGERS MET LAST SUNDAY

The West Side Singing Convention met with the Rochester class last Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in that city and a good musical program was enjoyed.

There were no visiting singers, but it was a get-together meeting of the home people and all present enjoyed the occasion. The James D. Vaughan 1928 song book was adopted by the body and they expect to have the new books by the time of the next meeting, which will be the fourth Sunday in January at the First Baptist Church in O'Brien.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

Letters are already pouring into this office for old St. Nick, and it won't be long now until he hooks up his high stepping reindeer and heads south to bring joy and happiness to the boys and girls.

Old Santa is anxious to pack his sleigh and wants all the boys and girls in this territory to write him and let him know what they want him to bring for them.

Mail your letters early in care of the Free Press and we will see that he has them without delay.

BOOTHE CASE SET FOR DECEMBER 19

On call of the case of the State of Texas against C. S. Boothe, in the District Court of Shackelford County, and which had previously been set for Monday, December 5th, the Court re-set the case for Monday December 19th, and all witnesses in the case are instructed to report at Albany, Texas, on the 19th day of December, instead of December 5th.

All witnesses are requested to take note of this change in the setting of the case and be governed accordingly. This information was given the Free Press by Ratliff & Ratliff, attorneys for Mr. Boothe.

GREGOR MCGREGOR BURIED TUESDAY

Gregor McGregor was laid to rest in Willow cemetery Tuesday afternoon under a mound of beautiful flowers sent by loving friends.

The sad message of his death at Waco reached Haskell Sunday afternoon at six o'clock and the entire community was shocked and grieved.

His father, Mr. Charles McGregor, accompanied by Mr. D. Scott, left on the evening train for Waco where they found the deceased in the Puckett Undertaking Parlors and they returned with the remains immediately, reaching Haskell Tuesday morning.

The funeral service was conducted at the McGregor residence by Rev. M. L. Baker, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after which interment was made in Willow Cemetery.

Gregor McGregor, a Haskell High school boy, had been in Waco about six months, a student in a commercial college there. He had formerly been a student at the Augusta Military School in Virginia. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. McGregor, one brother, Karl, and a sister, Irene McGregor of Haskell.

He has one uncle, A. W. McGregor and an aunt, Mrs. Hugh McLendon of Waco. He was a great grand-son of Charles Fordtran, an early Texas pioneer of Industry, Texas. The pall bearers were former class mates and close friends: Bailey Taylor, Frank Irby, Harry Bradley, Milton Simmons, Cecil Weaver, Robert Whitman, Jack Richey, Michael Watson and Quitman Gentry. The community heart is athrob with sympathy for the bereaved family.

"I can not say, and I will not say. That he is dead, he is just away."

BOX SUPPER AT BALLEW NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

A box supper will be given at Ballew school house Friday night, Dec. 2, and everyone is invited to attend and make the affair an enjoyable one.

The proceeds will be used in purchasing equipment for the school.

New Students in Haskell High

Monday of this week the enrollment of Haskell High School was augmented by the presence of Misses Ione and Helen Weaver and Joe Short. The Misses Weaver are seniors and come from Weinert and Joe is a former student who was tardy in enrolling.

Local Man Elected Vice-Pres. National Poultry Breeders

W. Applegate of this city, a Buff Wyandotte breeder and fancier, was elected Southern Vice President of the Buff Wyandotte Breeders Club of America. The announcement was received Friday from John Ver Tree of Holland, Mich., the chairman of the Election Committee. Mr. Applegate did not win this honor without competition, but he had a live opponent in another part of the south. But Mr. Applegate won by a nice majority, according to the report.

CITY TO ENFORCE SEWER ORDINANCE

At a recent meeting of the City Council, the City Attorney was instructed to enforce the sewer ordinance, which provides that all persons within 150 feet of the sewer line must connect their toilets, cesspools, septic tanks, wash racks, etc., to the sewer. The council instructed the City Attorney to file complaints against all persons failing to connect on or before January 1st, 1928. Failure to connect with the sewer is punishable under the ordinance by a fine, and each day is made a separate offense.

BUNKER HILL SCHOOL OBSERVES THANKSGIVING

Bunker Hill school is one among the outstanding schools of this section of Texas. W. C. McKenzie is now teaching his sixth term of school at this place as the principal and they have made going forward with each term of school their goal. And they have succeeded. The school has been in progress one month at this time and we are giving below a few of the things this school is doing. They have bought a new piano and other needed equipment have been supplied. The entire school made a recent trip to Stamford and went through the Stamford American newspaper plant in a body, giving many of the children their first insight of a newspaper plant and how newspapers are printed. For having the largest attendance of pupils, teachers, trustees and patrons on that day the American Legion of Stamford gave to this school a large U. S. Flag.

They had their annual Thanksgiving program last Thursday and according to reports it was by far the best day that school has ever pulled off. They had a well rendered school program in the morning and at noon they had their turkey dinner which was a spread of such proportions that the tables almost groaned to bear the burden. Everyone present had a feast and a day of great rejoicing.

After the noon hour games were played and a general social get-together was enjoyed by the entire community and many visitors from the communities and towns nearby.

ROBY HIGH SCHOOL PEP SQUAD TO THE RESCUE

The president of the Board of Education called Supt. J. Horace Bass Tuesday and said that Roby would be in Haskell strong to boost for the Indians. Among those to come from Roby will be the pep squad in full regalia.

SWEETWATER TO SEND AUTOMOBILE CARAVAN

According to the Abilene papers, the fans from Sweetwater will come to Haskell by the hundreds. The plan is to assemble a mammoth automobile caravan.

OFFICIALS SELECTED FOR INDIAN-MUSTANG CLASH

The game Friday afternoon will be directed by three of the most efficient and popular officials to be found anywhere. Coaches Morris and Scruggs of Abilene Christian College and Coach Cranfill of Simmons University will officiate in the game.

Moves Back to Haskell County.

John W. Wheeler and family moved back to Haskell county after three years sojourning at Sulphur, Okla. Mr. Wheeler was in the city Saturday and states that he was glad to get back home. In speaking of Sulphur he said "It was headquarters for the boll weevil industry." They all come back.

Mr. Harry Wheeler gave us his renewal for the Free Press for another year. He is one of Haskell's real estate and insurance men and is making good at his profession.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wilmon of Midway were in the city Monday.

CAN THE INDIANS TAME MUSTANGS?

The burning question is—"Can the Indians tame the Mustangs?" Coach Dodson and his band of plucky warriors say they can. Coach Griffin and his galloping Mustangs say not. A cool calculation would be that either team might win as the teams battled to a tie two weeks ago.

The Sweetwater team did one thing that no other Class B team has been able to do this season. They plunged the Indian line for a touchdown. By dint of their own power they crossed the last white line with the pig skin Coach Griffin has a team whose power cannot be denied. In Toler he has the most dangerous ball carrier the Indians have faced and had to stop.

The Indians are promising the Haskell supporters a win. Just as the Mustang backs carry a punch so do the Indians. Coach Dodson and his men do not believe Sweetwater can hold the plunging running, passing Kimbrough, Pitman, Banks, and Henshaw. It is not being done this season.

THANKSGIVING DAY OBSERVED AT HOWARD

Howard school celebrated Thanksgiving with an enjoyable day last Thursday. Clyde and Mrs. Foote and Mrs. Theima Medford are the teachers of this splendid school. Mrs. Medford has been teaching three years and Mr. and Mrs. Foote have been here for the second term. The program before noon was very interesting. After a number of songs led by W. M. Free of Haskell Rev. W. B. Vaughan, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Haskell delivered a thanksgiving address that was appreciated by a house filled with overflowing with people from Howard and adjoining counties.

At noon lunch was spread and all were invited to partake of this bountiful feast and after all had eaten, true to the spirit of the Howard ladies there was plenty of good things to eat removed from the tables to have feasted another congregation of like number. Games were played in the afternoon and most of the people remained to witness the basket ball game in the afternoon in which Andrew Josslet and Sid Medford were star players.

NEAT SUM RECEIVED FROM BOX SUPPER

A box supper was given at Center Point last Friday night for the benefit of the school playground equipment, and a total of \$78.75 was taken in from the sale of the boxes, merchandise and other articles. W. M. Mask and R. A. Bradley were the auctioneers and the folks who attended had a good time. Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Graham and Miss Lorena Liles are the teachers of this excellent school.

HASKELL GIRL OUTSTANDING MUSIC STUDENT AT WEST TEXAS TEACHERS COLLEGE

Miss Hassie Davis, a Haskell girl who is now a senior at the West Texas State Teachers College, is one of the outstanding students in the music department of that college. Her singing has delighted many audiences since she has been a student there.

Two other young women from Haskell who are attending the Teachers College are Louise Mullino and Fern Case. Hortense Reeves of Rochester adds another to the number of students from Haskell County.

FARMER BUYS HOME IN CITY AND WILL MOVE HERE

H. B. Weaver, a prosperous farmer of the Pleasant Valley community has purchased a nice residence from Virgil A. Brown in the northwest part of the city and will move at once to his new home in the city. Mr. Weaver is moving to the city for the benefit of the High School for his children.

Called to Jacksonville by Death of Mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Luper and Mr. Luper's brother, Hayden, of the Post community were called to Jacksonville, Texas, to the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Mattie Luper, who passed away Saturday night November 26th at 7:30 o'clock. The party left here about 2 a. m. Saturday morning in their car for Jacksonville, but it is not known whether they reached Jacksonville before she passed away.

L. M. Crouch and son Pearl and daughter Miss Nellie were Haskell shoppers from west of town Saturday.

W. M. Maak and family spent Thanksgiving with his father, W. G. Maak of Ferris, returning Friday.

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D. E. Girls of High School
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Mrs. Wayland and her D. E. Girls entertained with a formal tea for the North Ward and High School P. T. A. and faculty last Wednesday afternoon. The dining room of the Home Economics department was lovely with chrysanthemums, candles and vines with red berries. Miss Vivian Bernard was

hostess and greeted the guests at the door, and Misses Luella Woodson and Irma Monk supplied them with napkins, the following girls were maid and prepared the luncheon plates: Lucy Maddox, Rachel Solomon, Winona Johnson, Florence Gregory. At an appropriately appointed table, Misses Mary Couch and Bessie Bee Kaigler poured tea and coffee. The guest book registered the following names: Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, Mrs. W. M. McDonald, Mrs. Henry L. Smith, Mrs. Jessie L. Collier, Mrs. R. R. English, Mrs. J. E. Bernard, Mrs. A. J. Lewis, Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough, Mrs. M. B. Watson, Mrs. W. C. Pippen, Mrs. Scott W. Green Jr., Mrs. J. Horace Bass, Mrs. M. D. Crow, Miss Ruth Clough, Mrs. B. B. Covey, Mrs. A. E. Irby, Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mrs. R. C. Couch, Rev. M. L. Baker, Misses Elaine Mills, Miss Ruby Fitzgerald, Messrs. J. Horace Bass, J. O. Dodson, Glenn Marrs, John Banks, Cecil Bradley, Ted Stewart and Claud Pippen.

Misses Nettie McCollum and Eunice Huckabee attended the Thanksgiving Football game between A. and M. and State University at College Station. They went to Dallas and took the special train there. They were joined at Bryan by Miss Marguerite McCollum who is a student at Baylor Belton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson, Miss Mary Patterson and Mrs. E. D. Patterson of Taylor motored to Abilene last Sunday and took O. E. Patterson, Jr. who is a student in McMurray College.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1927, in a certain cause numbered 3837, in which judgment was rendered on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1927 in favor of F. C. Quade Plaintiff against Ammetta Williams and husband L. C. Williams, Eva Bryant and husband E. R. Bryant, Chester Cobb, Harvey L. Cobb and Paulene Cobb, Defendants, for the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty-seven & No-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of judgment, and cost of suit; whereas said judgment is a foreclosure of the Vendors' Lien on the herein-after described real estate, I have levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1928, it being the 3rd day of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the Court House door of Haskell County, Texas,

I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, the right, title and interest of the said Ammetta Williams, L. C. Williams, Eva Bryant, E. R. Bryant, Chester Cobb, Harvey L. Cobb and Paulene Cobb, in and to the following described property, to-wit: Lying and being situated in the County of Haskell, and State of Texas, and being as follows: 1st. Tract, being 55 acres of land off the east end of the South 1-2 of the S. E. 1-4 of Section No. 37 of the Wise County School land patented to the School Commissioners of Wise County, Texas, June the 25th,

1858 by Pat. No. 284, Vol. 13, Abstract No. 405 and Survey No. 76, and 2nd. Tract being 45 acres of land out of the N. E. Corner of Subdivision No. 30 of said Wise County School land and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. E. Corner of said subdivision No. 30 for the N. E. Corner of this 45 acres; Thence S. 600 varas to stake for Corner; Thence W. 451.6 varas to stake for corner; Thence N. 600 Varas to stake for Corner; Thence E. 451.6 varas to place of beginning, containing 48 acres of land less 3 acres out of the N. E. Corner of

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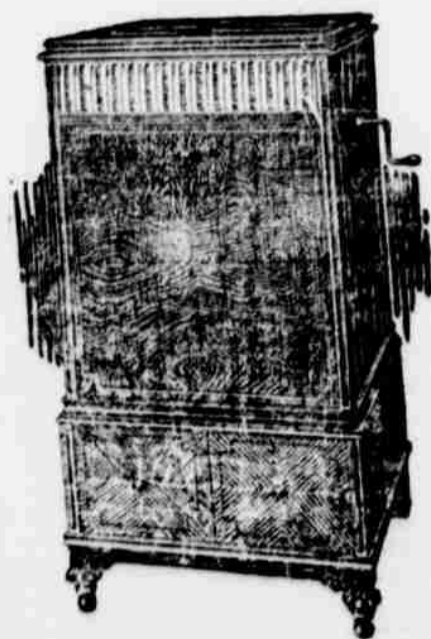
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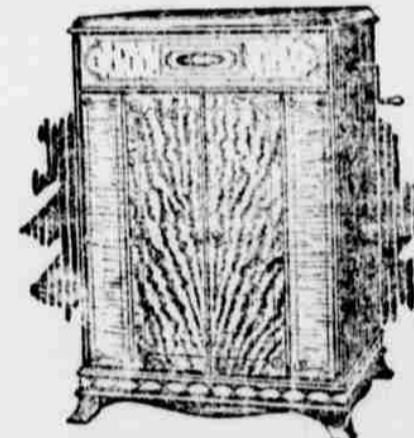
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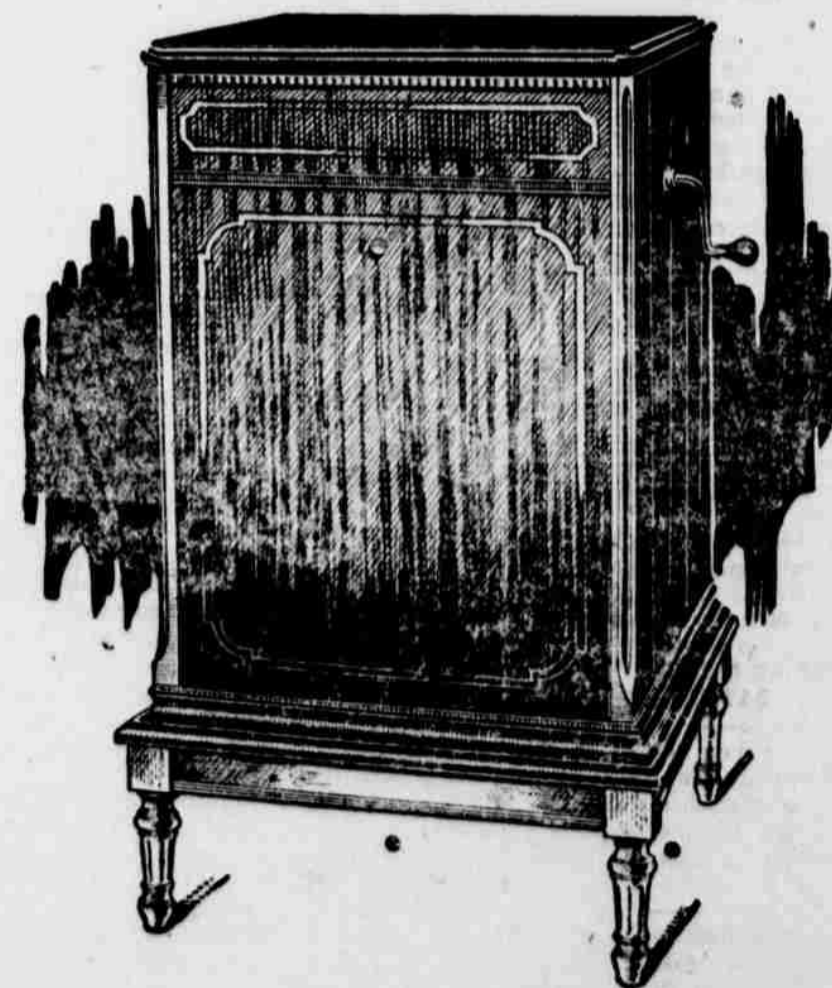
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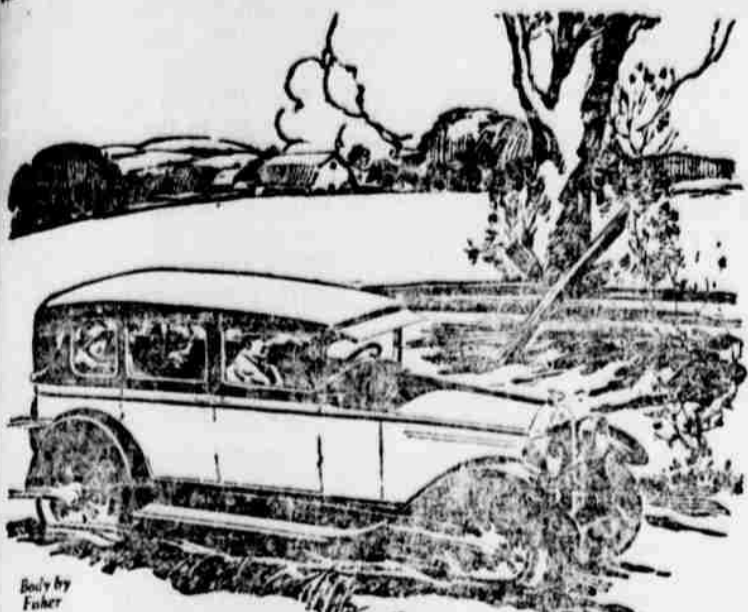
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Bible Class of Methodist S. S. Annual Banquet.

Monday evening of this week at the Neotan Bible Class of Methodist church Sunday school, teacher is Mrs. Fred Sanders, their sixth annual banquet at the

Tonkawa Hotel. Misses Lois Earnest and Agnes Cox met the guests at the entrance and showed the ladies to a room where they removed their wraps. The banquet table was beautiful with bowls of chrysanthemums and rose buds and the place cards carried out

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the Thanksgiving idea. The menu was a four course turkey dinner. Aside from the planned program there was more "pep" and enthusiasm in evidence than at any of the former banquets. The program was: vocal solo, Miss Rosella Chrisman; reading, Miss Cladda Dube; toast to the teacher, Mr. Mack Martin, president of the class; toast to the president, Mrs. Hill Oates; clever take offs on different members of the class, Miss Lois Earnest; reading, Miss Mary Patterson; toast to the class, that has been in her charge for so long, Mrs. F. T. Sanders. Mr. Emory Menefee was toast master. Class members and special guests were: Mrs. E. D. Patterson of Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sanders, O. E. Patterson, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn, Messers and Mesdames Demmitt Hughes, Marshall West, R. H. Chunn, Eugene Hunter, Guy Mays, Bert Trice, Hill Oates, Mrs. McElroy, Misses Agnes Cox, Joan Irby, Lois Earnest, Mary Patterson, Lela Welsh, Rosella Chrisman, Ruby Fitzgerald, Lewis Manley, Ermine Daugherty, Claudah Duke, Johnnie Morgan, and Messrs. Leo Southern, David Perrin, Henry Smith, Henry Atkeison, John Rike, Reynolds Wilson, Bert Welsh, Mack Martin, H. M. Moss and Emory Menefee.

Miss Elsie Scott Begins Active Work in Wichita Falls.

The following article taken from Sunday's Wichita Falls Record-News, will interest a large circle of friends, as Miss Elsie Scott is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott of San Antonio, but who for many years made Haskell county their home:

"Miss Elsie Scott, niece of Mrs. Roma Tandy, arrived this past week from New York to spend the winter with Mrs. Tandy, and to be associated with her in business.

"Miss Scott is a Texas girl, coming from San Antonio. She attended Southern Methodist university of Dallas and received her literary degree from the University of Texas.

"Following this, Miss Scott spent some little time traveling in Europe, being entertained quite extensively in the homes of prominent people in the various countries of Europe.

"Upon returning to the United States she entered the Parsons School of Fine and Applied Art in New York. Miss Scott has also studied at the New York School of Interior Decoration, both schools ranking as the finest of their kind in the country. Miss Scott has done intensive studying at the

Metropolitan Art Museum in connection with her school work. While in the New York School of Interior Decoration, she studied under Paul Theodore Frankl, leader of modernistic art in America, and Virginia Hamill, who assembled the art display at the Macy exposition of art and trade in New York. This display was regarded by outstanding critics as being perfect in every detail, and serves as a landmark in modern art.

"Miss Scott, because of her splendid education, both in America and abroad, and her association with the very finest in her line of work, is well equipped to give excellent advice in any field of interior decoration."

Mrs. J. L. Southern and little son Leo Jr. are in Dalhart the guests of a sister of Mr. Southern, Mrs. Ed Clifton.

Y. W. A. Girls Give Banquet in Honor of Mothers.

On last Tuesday evening November 22, in the basement of the Baptist Church, the Young Woman's Auxiliary gave a banquet honoring their mothers. The table was bountifully set for a Thanksgiving dinner, and tiny hand-painted turkeys served as place cards. The following program was rendered by the Y. W. A. members: Toast to the Mothers, Mary Couch; Response, Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, and in this she read the following poem of her own composition, dedicated "to the modern

girl":
"Old fashioned girls are scarce they say
In this time of progressive whirl,
And some folks sigh and look resigned
When they speak of the modern girl!
But I oftentimes think that back of
the smile,
And the carefree manner today,
You find our maidens as free from
guile
As in the old-fashioned day,
And tho they have knowledge beyond
their years,
Or a look that is calm and cold,
I believe that most girls are essentially
the same,
And carry a heart of gold.
So here is to you, our modern girl—
May you keep your ideals true,
And give to the world the best you
have
We are satisfied—with you!"

Mildred Simmons then favored the guests with a piano solo; and Miss Ruth Clough read Edgar A. Guest's Thanksgiving poem.

At the close of the program, each mother was asked to say a few words in regard to the interests of the girls of today. Many inspirational talks were enjoyed, one of especial interest being that given by Mrs. Angie Thompson, whom the Y. W. A. girls have adopted as their grandmother. The members and special guests enjoying the occasion were: Misses Maybelle Taylor, Ruth Clough, Hazel and Eunice Wilson, Faye Akins, Velma and Ethel Lou

Clanton, Mary Couch, Mildred Simmons, Gladys Conner, Leta Simmons, Mary Emma Whitaker, Ruby Faye Glenn, Verna Gilstrap, and Mesdames Taylor, Clough, O. O. Akins, R. W. Clanton, R. C. Couch, I. N. Simmons, Conner, K. D. Simmons, B. M. Whiteker, R. P. Glenn, J. A. Gilstrap, Angie Thompson, H. R. Whatley, Ora Pippen, Willie Stoker and W. C. Williams.



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**FATHER OF HASKELL WOMAN
CELEBRATES 95th BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. R. H. Sprowls of this place spent the past week end with her father, Mr. Sam Uhl of Dallas, who was ninety-five years old last Saturday. A birthday dinner was served Sunday at his home where his children, grand children and other relatives and friends had gathered. There were more than thirty present. This was indeed a great occasion for all.

In the afternoon a celebration was held at the little community church, which Mr. Uhl helped to establish and has attended for more than a half century. There were more than five hundred friends and relatives present. There were a number of splendid talks given on Mr. Uhl's life. He was presented a beautiful bouquet by the Oak Cliff Masonic Lodge, of which organization he is a charter member. Some splendid music was also rendered.

Others present from Haskell were Mr. R. L. Foote and daughters Eleanor and Hazel and Mrs. Maybelle Waviland.

Following is an article on Mr. Uhl's life which was printed recently in the Dallas Times-Herald when he won a loving cup for being the Oldest Dallas Citizen. Mr. Uhl has visited Haskell frequently and has a number of friends here and we are sure it will be of interest to them as well as others.

**SIXTY-NINE YEARS A
RESIDENT OF DALLAS CO.**

(Taken from Dallas Times-Herald)
Sam Uhl, winner of the cup presented by the Times Herald to the oldest Dallas citizen at the recent reunion of The Times Herald Half Century club and the Dallas Pioneers association, came to Dallas in 1858, a little more than sixty-nine years ago.

He and his two brothers, A. J. and Thomas Uhl, drove a herd of 1,100 sheep from Shelby county, Missouri, to Dallas. They started with a chuck wagon and a yoke of oxen in addition to their herd of sheep. By the time they reached Colbert's ferry, one of their oxen took sick and died on the Indian territory side of Red River, and the next day the other one died on the Texas side.

That was their first experience with Texas fever. Of course, at that time but little was known of its malignancy or cause, nor did they then realize that was the cause of their trouble. After the death of their oxen, they traded their chuck wagon and its contents for a pony and saddle and came on down the old cattle trail to Sherman.

Divided Their Herd
At that place they divided their herd into two lots. Thomas and A. J. Uhl took one drove and followed the McKinney road to Plano, where they sold their sheep or traded them for young

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mules.
Sam Uhl drove the others on the Preston road to Cedar Springs Crossing on the Trinity river and came out by the old French colony and thence out to Maj. John Penn's whose postoffice was Cedar Hill.

Major Penn had come out from Sagamon county, Illinois, several years before, and he and Mr. Uhl's family had been friends back in the states. In the following spring, Mr. Uhl sold his sheep to Nick Simms on Chambers creek in Ellis county, after which he rode back to Carlinville, Ill., in Sagamon county. The unique feature of this trip was that Sam Uhl walked all the way grazing his sheep as they came, and making about seven or eight miles a day.

In August, 1859, they bought another herd of 1,200 sheep and drove them through as before, along the same trail, which was the emigrant trail from Missouri to Texas, walking and grazing as they brought them.

Contraversy Arises

After wintering this herd in the valley west of Cedar Hill, they sold them the following spring to different parties in Tarrant county, near Mansfield. By this time the age-old contention between the cattlemen and the sheep men of the range arose, and a committee of cattlemen visited them early in the fall, as they wintered in the valley near Mansfield, and asked them to move on; but as they were on their grazing land by permit for the winter, they told their committee that if ownership was all that gave the cattlemen grazing privileges land was cheap, they would buy their own range if further molested. As the range was not crowded, this ended the contraversy.

After disposing of this flock in the spring, Sam Uhl, and a brother again went back over the same emigrant trail from Texas to Missouri, in a covered wagon, to Sedalia, Mo., and from there by rail to Calhoun county, Michigan where they bought a thousand head of two-year-old fullblooded Delaine sheep. They shipped them from there by rail to Quincy, Ill., and from there for the third time they took the emigrant trail to Texas. Leaving there in August, they proceeded on their way as before passing through Cedar Hill on the day of the presidential election, in which Lincoln was elected.

They drove this herd on to Hill county, and sold it at \$8 and \$10 per head—a big price in those days for sheep. After disposing of this third flock of sheep they came back to Major Penn's and spent the winter in the Cedar Hill vicinity.

In September, 1861, Sam Uhl enlisted in the Twelfth Texas cavalry, company F, Parson brigade, at Red Oak, and served during the entire war.

On Dec. 24, 1861, while home on a furlough, Sam Uhl was married to Miss Eleanor Branson, whose father came

here in 1853 from Illinois.

After the war he returned to what was then known as the Cedar Hill vicinity, but is now the Wheatland community—and it was so named by Mr. Uhl—and there settled down to farming and stock-raising. He has always kept sheep, good cattle, hogs and horses and has practiced diversified farming. At the close of the Civil war, land values were around \$5 an acre. There were no bridges and no roads other than what was known as the trail over the open range. There were plenty of deer and wild turkey also antelopes, but no buffalo nearer than Parker county.

In the early '80's, he and a partner built a gin in Wheatland which they operated for about three years. They then sold it and about a year later the gin burned.

About three years ago a second gin was built on the same lot that has been designated as the gin lot for nearly fifty years. Mr. Uhl does not own any part in the present gin.

He began freighting from Calvert on the H. & T. C., the nearest railroad point, soon after the Civil war, making consignments to many points in Dallas, Collin, Denton, Parker, Ellis and Tarrant counties. He had both oxen and mule teams. He accepted all kinds of commissions from lumber to millinery.

He brought on his freighter's van all the needs of the households that were scattered over the wide prairies along his route. There was hard work—there was humor, there were heart-breaks, that the citizen with his automobile, with his telephone, with his radio, knows not of. On one of his freighting trips, in the earlier years of his married life, his baby boy, at that time his only son, was taken sick with diphtheria. From the first it was known the child was seriously ill, and so runners were dispatched for the runner, who was already overdue on his return trip. But death outrode the messenger, and the child was buried before the father reached his home.

Born in 1832
Sam Uhl was born November 26,

1832, in Allegheny county, Maryland, near Cumberland.

At one time this place was Fort Cumberland, where Braddock's troops were assembled before starting on the march in which Braddock was killed. The house in which Mr. Uhl was born was built by his grandfather, Charles Uhl, in 1800, and is still standing and in good repair after an occupancy of its 127 years. The Northern boundary of the farm was the famous Mason and Dixon line. But in 1846 the family left Maryland and went to Carlinville, Ill., and in 1849 his father, Archibald Uhl, went to the California gold fields, leaving the family in Carlinville.

In 1850 word reached Carlinville that the father had died in the gold fields and for years the boys looked forward to going to California to learn more about their father's death.

On April 9, 1854, Sam Uhl, with twelve other men, started with a herd of 200 cattle, from Chicago to drive across country to California. There were three wagons for provisions and camp equipment. They traveled the same emigrant trail that Emerson Hough described in the "Covered Wagon."

But there were no Indian raids for at that time traffic was so heavy that within an hours' time a hundred armed men could be gathered together to meet any emergency. So heavy was travel this year that the cloud of dust along the trail marked the army of travelers that were seeking a change of fortune with a change of country as far ahead, or as far behind as the eye could see. So in numbers there was safety. They were five months crossing the plains but game was plentiful and there were as many buffaloes in the Platte river as he ever saw cattle on the Texas plains.

Cross Rockies

After leaving Fort Laramie they crossed the Rocky mountains at the South Pass and wintered the cattle in the Sacramento Valley.

Mr. Uhl left the herd at Gibsonville and began work in the field mines washing away the dirt from the nuggets with water. He also did under-

ground mining. He learned but very little of his father after reaching there, only that he had died of pneumonia soon after he got across to California.

The winter of 1852 and 1853 were the years of California's heavy snows. In 1856 the snow began in Nov. and lasted until May. During one snow-storm that winter the snow fell four feet in twenty-four hours. The next morning when they awoke they were a buried settlement. They had to open their cabin doors and shovel the snow into the cabin to make way for them to burrow out. They began the shoveling to clear their cabins and make access to the outside.

Lasted All Winter

This snow lasted nearly all winter. There were some snow-shoes but not many, so those who did not possess them remained inside rather than risk being buried alive in the loose snow outside.

The mail and express were carried by foot and by the snowshoe route. It cost 25 cents a letter to have mail brought into camp from Marysville, a distance of seventy-five miles, and the nearest postoffice.

The trees were cut at the snow line for fuel and next spring the settlement was filled with topped trees whose stumps were four feet high.

There were no cashier's checks in those days. What money you had you carried with you, so when he was leaving California he purchased a buckskin vest quilted in squares large enough to conceal and hold a \$20 gold piece. In this manner he was able to bring his earnings of \$1,800 safely out of the country with him and thus start into business for himself. In December 1859, he sailed from San Francisco harbor, by steamship to the Isthmus of Panama, crossing it by rail to Aspin-

wall, new Colon and again taking to New Orleans, and from there by boat to St. Louis and by rail home again at Carlinville, where he and his brothers set out in the sheep business for Texas. In Mr. Uhl's long residence in Dallas county he is still living on the farm he began cultivating so long ago.

In Masonic Lodge

He is a charter member of the Oak Cliff Masonic lodge. When Wheatland was first established as a voting precinct he served for over twenty years as the presiding officer of the elections. For years and years he was school trustee. For more than fifty-years he has been steward of the Methodist church here.

He has been a constant attendant of the pioneers' reunion of Dallas and has traveled thousands of miles attending various reunions of the Confederacy.

For the past five years he has been blind, yet he maintains an active interest in everything going on; listening over his radio, being read to by relatives and friends; his mind is brilliant and his memory clear. And thus he is rounding out his 95th year and

is looking forward cheerful, alert. He has seen all of the inventions come into use.

He has lived the span from coach days and the tallow candle and the factories, the tin facilities and the great civilization and commerce that wrested the plains from the Indians, the buffaloes and planted cities on the thousand hills. Thus he serene his century birthday joyously eagerly.

Mrs. Uhl has been dead for over years but his children Sue Uhl, Wheatland; Mrs. Adlett, Bridgeport; Chas. S. W. Mrs. Louise Sprowls, Haskell; est. of New York City; Mrs. Davis, Godley; Mrs. Carrie Dallas; and Leslie B. Fay, Ark.

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Christmas Seal Sale finds the festivities of the holidays tempered among those actively engaged in the campaign by the knowledge that the originator of the Christmas seal has died since the conclusion of last year's sale. The man who made financially possible the world-wide war on tuberculosis, Einar Holboell, postmaster at Charlottenlund, Denmark, succumbed to heart trouble in his sixty-second year, on February 23, 1927.

Twenty-four years ago he was a mail clerk in the postoffice at Charlottenlund, working far into the night on Christmas Eve distributing holiday greeting cards and letters. He saw

that as a rule they would go to comfortable homes, housing happy, vigorous families. But he knew, too, that often to those homes where kind Christmas wishes and good Christmas deeds were most needed, there likely would not come even a brief word of greeting. An inspiration seized him. Why not spend this money to alleviate the condition of the unfortunate. Perhaps by a tax on greeting cards this could be accomplished.

His fertile imagination soon pictured a device to encourage the practice of holiday cards and put a voluntary tax on it too—and thus in Denmark was born the idea of the Christmas seal, in 1903.

Holboell came to America in May, 1924, to attend the meeting of the National Tuberculosis Association at Atlanta, and those who saw him there will retain an ineffaceable memory of the kindly blue-eyed Viking; gentleman, philanthropist—a veritable Santa Claus in appearance and reality. During the meeting he thus explained the origin of the Christmas seal idea:

"The people of Denmark regard Christmas as the greatest holiday of the year. Everybody observes it, and all hearts and hands are open at this season.

"I saw at once that the Christmas stamp ought to be sold at postoffices and should cost only a trifle, so that

everyone could afford to buy it. The well-to-do, who send many letters, would spend more money, but the poor could have the pleasure of helping too.

"So a year after the idea came to me the first tuberculosis Christmas stamps were sold in 1904.

The first Christmas seal sale in the United States was in 1907 when Miss Emily P. Bissell, of Wilmington, Delaware, adopted the idea to raise funds to maintain a tuberculosis shack of eight beds on the banks of the Brandywine, securing \$3000. She in turn had read a magazine article by the great philanthropist, Jacob A. Riis, describing the Danish tuberculosis stamp he had received on the back of a letter from the city of his birth—Copenhagen.

Miss Bissell next aspired to extend the work by a national campaign, and interested the American Red Cross. The first national Christmas seal sale occurred in 1908, and brought in \$135,000. Each year since, the sum has increased just as it has in Denmark.

Einar Holboell, the inventor of the Christmas seal, could not possibly have foreseen its magic health value today, not only in raising funds to continue the work, but in carrying to millions of people every holiday season the stimulus to guard against disease. This tiny piece of paper, multiplied a billion fold has had an inestimable part in teaching the public that tuberculosis can be

prevented—can be cured. The double-barred cross which each one bears is the emblem of the anti-tuberculosis work throughout the world.

The Christmas seal has carried to the farthest part of America the news that people need not die of tuberculosis. During the period the seal has been in existence, the death rate in this country from the disease has fallen from 198 per hundred thousand population to 87, a saving of over 100,000 lives this year.

The Christmas Seal Sale in Haskell County has started this week with Mrs. H. M. Smith as county chairman and Mrs. J. B. Smith as local chairman.

Women's Council of Baptist Association Meets at Rule.

Each fourth Monday of the month the Woman's Council of the Baptist Church of Haskell County meets. On last Monday the Association met with the Rule ladies in an all day meeting, and women of the Missionary Union rendered a splendid program in the afternoon. The day was profitably spent and the Association president, Mr. J. O. Bowden, gave a good report of the Wichita Falls convention on November 21st. Another special feature was a talk by a returned missionary from China, Mrs. Herring. The association will meet with the Haskell ladies next on December 19th, the

third Monday, on account of the fourth being the next day after Christmas. Thirty-eight ladies from Haskell attended Monday's meeting at Rule: Mrs. Jim Gilstrap, Mrs. Ed Fouts, Mrs. John Fouts, Mrs. Ed Fouts, Mrs. R. W. Clanton, Mrs. Robert Malone, Mrs. Jno. Ellis, Mrs. Mary Clough, Mrs. R. J. Paxton, Mrs. K. D. Simmons, Mrs. Cates, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mrs. Harry Stalcup, Mrs. S. A. Roberts, Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mrs. W. P. Trice, Mrs. John Clough, Mrs. Tom Holland, Mrs. Will Whitman, Mrs. Marshall Pierson, Mrs. Mary E. Oates, Mrs. C. Jones, Mrs. Akins, Mrs. Parks, Mrs. I. N. Simmons, Mrs. Vaughn Bailey, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. R. D. Baughman, Mrs. Wiley Reid, Mrs. Ina C. Whiteker of Sulphur Springs, Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, Mrs. Alvy Couch, Mrs. Jeter, Mrs. R. P. Glenn and a young lady representing the Y. W. A. Miss Mae Free.

Mrs. R. C. Couch Entertains for Husband's Birthday With Dinner Party.

Mrs. R. C. Couch honored her husband's birthday with a Thanksgiving dinner on last Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. A turkey dinner with all accessories was enjoyed by the guests. Mrs. Couch had beautiful red roses in her living room and used varicolored snapdragons for her dining room

table. Games were played after dinner. Guests on this occasion were: The honoree, Mr. R. C. Couch, Mrs. J. A. Couch, Sr., of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. Musser of Abilene; Mr. E. C. Couch of Weslaco; Mrs. Ina O. Whiteker, Sulphur Springs, house guest of Mrs. Wiley Reid; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Reid; and the hostess, Misses Maurine Shook and Mary Couch served the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery spent Thanksgiving in Graham the guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Morrison. They enjoyed a big turkey dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cox spent Thanksgiving in Lubbock with their son, Burwell Cox Jr., and witnessed the Tech-Canyon football game.

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Methodist Missionary Society Has Last Business Meeting of Year.

There were twenty-seven ladies present at the last business meeting of the year of the Methodist Missionary Society last Monday. The president, Mrs. S. K. Rike, led the devotional and then reports from all officers and circle leaders were read. These were all exceptionally good. Next Monday is Harvest Day and the annual election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hendricks Honored.

Mrs. J. P. Payne gave a farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hendricks who are moving to Abilene, last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Payne served her guests toasted cheese, pimento and chicken sandwiches, hot chocolate topped with whipped cream, and stuffed dates. Guests were the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde

Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilson of Rule; and Misses Lois Earnest and Helen Harbison, Mr. Raleigh Lemmon and host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Payne.

Magazine Club.

The Magazine Club met on regular day last Friday afternoon in two interesting programs. The first one was directed by Mrs. W. H. Murchison on the "Study of Art in Italy." Mrs. Murchison was assisted by Mrs. T. C. Rogers, Mrs. K. J. Reynolds, Mrs. M. M. Smith and Mrs. C. L. Lewis. The second program was directed by Mrs. O. E. Patterson on the opera, "Tovarische." Mrs. Tom French told the story of the opera; Mrs. M. L. Baker and Mrs. O. E. Patterson played a selection from the opera, and Mrs. Claiborne Payne sang a solo.

Home Economics Department Honors P. T. A.

On Wednesday Nov. 23rd the Home Economics Department of Haskell High School honored the P. T. A. with a tea. Mrs. Wayland and members of the class were the hostesses. The room was beautifully decorated in red and gold. Coffee, tea, sandwiches and mints were served in a very attractive manner. The members of the class proved to have had very skillful training.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott of San Antonio were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery and left Haskell for Wichita Falls to visit their daughter, Miss Elsie Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Johnson and little daughter Mary Ellen left for their home in Espanola, Texas, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clifton for three weeks.

POST SCHOOL MAKING EXCELLENT PROGRESS

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Seventh Grade—Jodie Earles, Billie Louise Wilkinson, Woodrow Adcock and Ada Giddens.

Eighth Grade—Lucille Nanny, Arthur Watson.

Ninth Grade—W. J. Carrigan, H. W. Watson, Juanita Adams and Una Vey Adcock.

Tenth Grade—Otha Nanny, Floy West, Mildred Hisey, Montie Singleton and Edda Luper.

The first basket ball of the season for Post was played on the home grounds November 23rd, with McConnell. Post came off winner in both contests. Girls game: Post 14, McConnell 2; Boys game: Post 13, McConnell 13. New suits have been purchased for both teams. Much improvement has been made.

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to the school and grounds by the trustees since last year.

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For the girls industrial class they have a room 14x28 feet cut off into two rooms; this has been sheet-

rocked and painted and given a coat of paint. A new shop building 14x24 feet has been built for the boys.

Fifty dollars worth of reference books have been added to the supply on hand.

The trustees are intending to add an up-to-date light plant to the school equipment.

Post has a live set of trustees in the

persons of Frank Simms, cock and Ralph Ketron,

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 C. C. McDonald et al to J. H. Cole, 200 acres Thomas D. Owings Sur. Con. \$5,000.
 J. H. Cole to Preston Everett, 200 acres Thos. D. Owings Sur. Con. \$5,000.
 T. E. Ballard to Geo. H. Morrison, 200 acres A. J. Smith Sur. Con. \$5,000.
 J. E. Bubela to Frank Baston, Lots 4, 5, 6, 8, 19, 11; Blk. 6 and Lots 8, 9; Blk. 7, Sagerton. Con. \$750.
 C. H. Stanley to A. H. Wair, Lot 6, Haskell, Texas, Con. \$1500.00.
 D. M. Guinn to Frank Kainer, 1-2 int. Lots 13 to 18, Blk. 21, Sagerton. Con. \$1500.
 U. Z. Irwin to J. T. Hester, N 1-2 Sec. 206, Blk. 45, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Consideration \$24,000.00.
 J. F. Kennedy to Frank Sloan, part Lot 3, Block 1, Robertson & Day Add. to Haskell. Consideration \$250.
 G. W. Bischoffhausen to Owen W. Cox, 238 acres Thos. D. Owings Survey. Consideration \$5,950.00.
 R. C. Montgomery to C. D. Beasley, 54.7 acres Sev. 41, Block 1, H & T C Ry. Co. Consideration \$3,480.
 M. S. Shook to C. McDonald, 2 acres W. R. Standefor pre-emption, Con \$125.
 T. G. Cahill et al to L. J. Isham, part Lot 4, Block 3, Robertson & Day Add. to Haskell. Consideration \$300.
 Owen W. Cox to C. W. Shelley, 205-1-3 acres Thos. D. Owings Sur. Con. \$6,000.
 Owen W. Cox to C. W. Shelley, 3 acres Thos. D. Owings Sur. Con. \$75.
 S. S. Kouri to Healdton O. & G. Co. Assg. Oil Lease, 40 acres sur. 11, Blk. 3, H & T C Ry. Co. Con. \$1.00.
 J. C. Holt, Jr. to J. F. Cadenhead, 100 acres D. J. Woodlief Sur. Con.

J. R. Griffith to L. E. Newton, 131 acres Hiram Riggs Sur. Con. \$3,000.
 J. R. Posey to J. H. Parsons, Lots 1 & 2 Block A. B. C. Add. to Rochester. Consideration \$700.
 Geo. L. Willis to C. D. Grisson, 160 acres. Jno. Campbell Sur. Con. \$5,125.

Violin Recital.
 Announcements have been received in this city of a violin recital by little Miss Ada Beth Groom of Dallas. This little lassie was born in Haskell eleven years ago when her father, Dr. W. M. Groom, was pastor of the first Baptist Church of this city. She is attracting much attention in musical circles of Dallas. Dr. Groom is now pastor of Ross Ave. Baptist Church of that city.

Golf Widows Club in Regular Meeting.
 The Golf Widow's Club entertained in the home of one of their members, Mrs. A. H. Wair last Tuesday afternoon when club members and special guests enjoyed playing 42 until late afternoon. Bowls of yellow and red chrysanthemums brightened the entertainment suite and Mrs. Wair served a salad course to two invited guests, Mrs. J. Horace Bass and Mrs. T. C. Rogers; club members present were: Mrs. S. A. Roberts, Mrs. O. E. Patterson, Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant, Mrs. John Couch, Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Mrs. W. H. Murchison, Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, Mrs. T. J. Arbuckle, Mrs. John W. Pace, Mrs. H. M. Smith.

Throckmorton Epworth League Puts on Program in Haskell.
 On last Sunday evening the Throckmorton Epworth Leaguers of the First Methodist Church of Throckmorton came to Haskell and put on the pro-

Methodist Church of this city. There were twenty-one leaguers present with their president Mrs. T. R. Odell. It was a splendid program and they extended a cordial invitation to the Haskell Leaguers to meet with them in the near future. The visiting leaguers stayed for the evening service and sat in a body. Local president, Miss Imogene Scott was highly pleased that so many of the local leaguers were present.

Thursday Luncheon Club.
 The members of the Thursday Luncheon Club were guests of Mrs. T. J. Arbuckle last Thursday and as is their usual plan, each brought a delicious dish which comprised a lovely luncheon.

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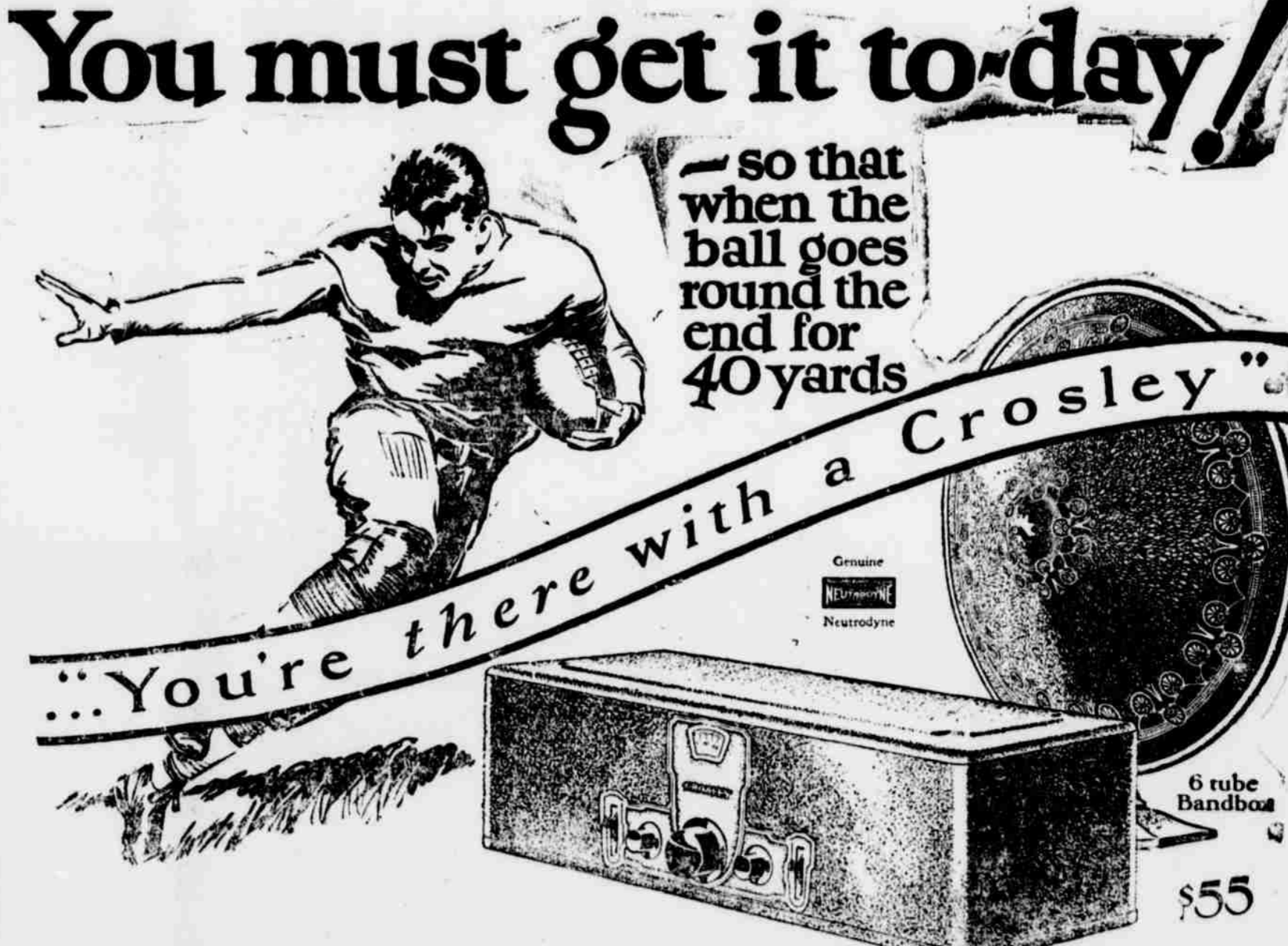
versation was the main diversion and the members were glad to have Mrs. Elmer Irwin with them again, she has been unable to attend through the summer months on account of sickness. Other members present were: Mrs. O. E. Patterson, Mrs. S. A. Roberts, Mrs. Wiley Reid, Mrs. John Couch, Mrs. M. B. Lebo, Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, Mrs. A. C. Pierson, Mrs. Dan Couch of Asper-

Wiley Reid, or daughter of the hostess' mother, Mrs. T. J. Lemmon.
 J. F. Marchbanks of Childress was in the county this week looking after his land interests.
 Dec the 9th is the date for the "Laughing Cure". High School Auditorium is the place. Come! Come!

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FOR SALE—Pigs for sale. Geo. Pfand, Haskell, Route 4. 2tp

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FOR SALE—Several spans of broken and unbroken mules at terms to suit purchaser, see Earl Atchison, 12 miles east of Haskell. 3t

LOST—One white-faced red heifer yearling branded "S" on left hip. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery. Cash Meat Market, Haskell, Texas, Phone 276. 2tc

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FOR SALE—Victrola, upright style, fumed oak, practically new, in excellent condition; 125 records. Will sell at sacrifice. J. E. Bernard, Phone 390

FOR RENT—Two room apartment furnished. Close in. Mrs. J. C. Holt, Haskell. 1tc

LOST—Three black pigs. Will weigh about 35 lbs. Strayed away Sunday from my farm 4 miles northwest of Haskell on Knox City road. Reward. Telephone 194F12. E. E. Welsh. 2p

FOR SALE—Two Jersey Cows both have heifer calves, one of them registered. Also high grade and registered young stock of my own raising. J. M. Woodson, two miles north east of Haskell. 2tc

The richest laugh of the season awaits you, Dec. 9th, High School Auditorium, Home Talent Play. 1tc

FOR SALE—Eight piece Walnut Dining Room Suite, first class condition, bargain for quick sale. Call 422 p

LOST—Rim and Federal Casing 28x4 75 between Haskell and Vontress last Sunday afternoon. Finder please return to J. E. Bernard.

WANTED—To rent 3 unfurnished rooms, prefer them close in. Phone 183. 1tc

FOR SALE—Canary birds, 3 singers at \$5.00 each, one mother bird \$2.50. See Mrs. John A. Couch. 1tc

Three unfurnished rooms for rent. Mrs. W. R. Hunt. 1tp. A few span of Broke Mules for sale. See J. L. Baldwin. 1tc

Josie Irvin.
On November 20th Miss Ruth Josie and Mr. Allen W. Irvin were united in marriage by Rev. W. B. Vaughn at the Methodist parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin live on Route 1 and left for their home immediately after the ceremony.

Stamford Has District Meeting.

Rev. W. B. Vaughn and Mr. J. L. Southern attended the one-day District Meeting of District Stewards and Laymen at the St. John's Methodist Church of Stamford last week. Plans and programs for the ensuing year were perfected. At the noon hour, the presiding elder, Rev. Hamblin, was host for luncheon at the Stamford Inn.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by M. H. Post, City Clerk of Haskell, Texas, until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on the 15th day of December, 1927, for paving, grading, curbing and otherwise improving, Campbell Street and Houston, Clark and Walton Street, involving the following quantities:
29,400 sq. yds. pavement.

8,800 lin. ft. curb and gutter.
450 lin. ft. concrete sewer.
Certified check in the amount of \$2,000.00 must accompany each bid.
Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the City Clerk and in the office of the City Engineers, Rady Engineering Company, Clarendon, Tex. Contractors desiring plans and specifications for their individual use may secure same from City Engineer upon payment of \$10.00 which will be refunded upon return of plans and specifications. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
T. C. Cahill, Mayor, Haskell, Texas.
Attest: Marvin H. Post, City Clerk. (Seal)

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Texas, will receive bids at Haskell, Texas, on December 12, 1927, for the purchase of one or more Caterpillar road tractors, and one or more Russell No. 3 Motor Patrol graders. 4tc
Jesse G. Foster, County Judge, Haskell County, Texas.
At Haskell, Texas, Nov. 14, 1927.

NOTICE

November 14, 1927, Haskell, Texas. To whom it may concern:
Bids will be received on the 12th day of December, 1927 at the office of the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County, Haskell, Texas for the furnishing and erection of one Page-Protection Fence made of Page Copper bearing steel wire as per plans and specifications on file with the Commissioners' Court at Haskell County, Texas. 4tc
Jesse G. Foster, County Judge, Haskell County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County on the 14th day of November 1927, in a certain cause numbered 3781, in which Judgment was rendered on the 22nd day of October 1927 in favor of T. G. Carney Plaintiff against Joe F. Hudspeth, Defendant, for the sum of Fifteen Hundred and One and 40/100 Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date of Judgement, and cost of suit; and whereas said Judgment is a foreclosure of the Vendor's lien on the hereinafter described real estate, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in January 1928 it being the 3rd day of said month between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said day, at the Court House door of Haskell County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Joe F. Hudspeth in and to the following described property:

to wit: Lots Nos. 3, 4, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in Block 34 of the Original town of Rochester in Haskell County, Texas, as shown by map of said town recorded in the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, for the satisfaction of said Judgment interest and cost.

Dated at Haskell this 16 day of November, A. D. 1927. 3tc
Al Cousins, Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas

Citation on Application for Probate of Will

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Haskell County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas,
To all persons interested in the Estate of Margaret Leon Deceased, C. E. Leon, H. S. Leon and H. C. Leon, have filed in the County Court of Haskell County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Margaret Leon Deceased, filed with said application; and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in January A. D.

1928, the same being the 2nd day of January A. D. 1928 at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, a toffice in Haskell, Texas, this the 12th day of November A. D. 1927.
Emory Menefee, Clerk County Court Haskell County, Texas

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance regulating traffic while the Fire Department is responding to fire alarms, and while engaged in fighting fire, and prescribing penalties for violations, and declaring an emergency.
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS

Section 1. Upon the approach of any vehicle or apparatus of the Fire Department of this City answering an alarm of fire, the driver of any vehicle other than a vehicle of the aforesaid Fire Department, shall drive as closely as possible to the right-hand curb and stop, and shall not follow within three hundred (300) feet after the said vehicle or apparatus of said Fire Department has passed. No vehicle, except

by direction of the Chief of the Fire Department, or other officer of said Fire Department, shall approach or park within three hundred (300) feet of a fire at any time.

Section 2. All vehicles pertaining to the Fire Department of this City shall have prior right of way upon all the streets and avenues of this City, and it shall be unlawful for any person, owner, driver, motorman, chauffeur, engineer, conductor, or any other person in charge or control of any buggy, wagon, carriage, street car, automobile, engine or train, or any other vehicle propelled by whatsoever motive power, to carelessly, wantonly, willfully or maliciously delay any fire apparatus of this City in going to or coming from any supposed

or actual fire.
Section 3. Any person who shall violate in any way any of the provisions of this ordinance, or who shall fail or refuse to comply therewith, shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not less than \$5.00 or more than \$100.00.

Section 4. Whereas, public safety, and the free and efficient operation of the Fire Department of this City, demands the immediate passage of this Ordinance. Therefore, an emergency exists requiring a suspension of the

rules providing for suspensions on three days. This ordinance is hereby suspended and final passage, passage and approval and in full force and effect on and after the 12th day of November, 1927.
Attest: MARVIN H. POST (Seal) City Secy

Nurse Advises WEAK, RUN-DOWN WOMEN To Take Cardui

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"I have been a nurse for several years and have often come in contact with patients who were run-down and weak. Often I have told sufferers of Cardui, and the way I, myself, had been helped after taking it, and advised them to give it a trial. Many of them have since thanked me for what I told them, so I am willing that other women should know about it, too."
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Methodist Church Sunday Dec. 4
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. A class for every one and a welcome to all. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

The subject for the evening hour will be "Passing the Buck" This will be a special sermon in which both young and old will be interested. There will be something for everyone. Come and bring your friends. Visitors are invited to all the services.

Harmony Club Begins Rehearsal For Christmas Cantata.
The Harmony Club met last Wednesday afternoon in regular session with the president Mrs. J. G. Foster presiding. After the disposal of business on hand, Mrs. Wayne Koonce, choral director, took charge in the first rehearsal of the Annual Christmas Cantata. The cantata is "The Holy Chimes of Christmas," and will be presented at the First Baptist Church on Christmas day evening, Sunday Dec. 25th, free to the public as has been the custom of the Harmony club for years. The members were loud in their praise of the selection, declaring it to be the most artistic and beautiful cantata they have yet presented. If that be true it must be rare, for the Harmony Club has sponsored some of the highest type and most beautiful programs that the music lovers have had the pleasure of hearing.

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...Following visited in the V. A. home Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wofford and daughter, Mrs. Bryant and children, Grandpa William, George and G. W. Willis Ray and family guests of the evening were singing and playing forty-two.

...present enjoyed the party... night at Mrs. Schibeteds... McIntyre left Monday for Oklahoma where he will

...and Mrs. V. A. Turner and family moving to Stamford. We regret them move very much as they good workers in our community. Turner was Sunday School Supt. Deacon of the church and his George was pianist for all religious... We wish them happiness and unity in their new home.

We have our lights paid for and expect to have them installed this week. Remember the services for next Sunday. Preaching and Sunday School in the morning and singing in the afternoon. Come be with us.

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Model 35—6 tube, one dial receiver, crystalline finished cabinet, gold-plated ship-model name plate, decorative rosettes and power supply switch
\$4900



Model 33—6 tube, one dial receiver, antennae adjustment device, unusual selectivity, solid mahogany cabinet, gold-plated name-plate, power supply switch and vernier knob.
\$7500

We can install an Atwater-Kent Today—Tonight—Now
McNEILL & SMITH HDW. CO.

ALEXANDER'S
Real Price Reduction Sale Is Still
Running
FULL BLAST

Our greatest expectations have been surpassed in this Sale—our annual Genuine Bargain Event. Haskell County folks know that after thirty-five years of fair and square dealing we mean what we say. Our price reductions are real and on regular stock.

READ THE PRICES — COME IN AND SEE

- Brown Domestic—**
Good, clean, smooth quality worth 15c to 17c yard, 36 inch, yard **11c**
- Quilt Cotton—**
Big 3-pound package, All in one piece **49c**
- Blankets—**
Good cotton—double **\$1.79**
- Leather Coats—**
Full length, wool lined. Heavy Leather. Best coat in Haskell **\$8.89**
- Wool Shirts—**
Pure Wool—Clean, smooth quality **\$2.98**
- Men's Shoes—**
Straight Last. Fine Kid Leather One pair to customer **\$4.69**
- Men's Kangaroo Shoes**
Genuine Kangaroo—Newest Styles **\$4.98**
- Young Men's Oxfords**
New Styles—Black and Brown Don't Miss This! **\$3.69**
- Young Men's Top Coats**
Just Received—\$22.50 Value **\$19.05**
- Men's Dress Pants**
\$5.00 Value **\$3.95**
- Men's Suits**
All new styles and Materials \$22.50 Value **\$18.95**

- 5-10-25c DEPT.**
- Honey & Almond Cream**
Hinds Regular **39c**
50c size **39c**
 - Bonnie B Talcum**
The tall can **19c**
 - Nadine Face Powder**
Regular 50c size **39c**
 - Quality Toilet Soaps**
Mfd. by the Palmolive Co. 5 bars **19c**
 - Men's Lisle Hose**
Regular 19c and 25c values. 7 pair **98c**
 - Men's Silk or Lisle Hose**
Regular 35c value All colors. 3 pairs **69c**
 - Ladies Fleece-lined Hose**
Regular 35c value Heavy tops. 3 pairs **69c**
 - Ladies 75c Silk Hose**
Pointed Heels. 2 pairs **98c**
 - Children's Sweaters**
Slip-over or Coat style **98c**
 - Ladies Rayon Bloomers**
Well made in all colors **39c**
 - Children's Kiddyalls**
Sizes 3 to 8 **98c**
 - Children's Bloomers**
Satinette All colors. 3 pair **98c**
- 5-10-25c DEPT.**

- English Prints**
New line fall and winter patterns Colors guaranteed fast. 36 inch, yard **26c**
- Silk Bloomers**
Special value in Children's Bloomers. Sizes 4 to 14 **98c**
- Allen A Silk Hose**
All Silk—extra length In best shades **89c**
- Silk Bloomers for Women**
All sizes All Colors **98c**
- Children's Coats**
Entire rack of splendid values. Sizes 6 to 16. Values up to \$10. **\$4.95**
- Martha Washington Shoes**
For Women. No flapper styles—but real conservative dress shoes. Most all have arch supports **\$3.95 to \$7.45**
- Boyd Welsh Shoes for Women**
Known the world over. \$8.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00 values **\$4.95**
- Women's Coat Suits**
Your choice of any suit in our store—Values to \$35.00 **\$4.95**
- Boy's Tom Sawyer Shirts**
Sizes 8 to 13. \$2.00 value **\$1.69**
- Sheep-Lined Coats**
Full 36 inches long **\$8.89**
- Heavy Wool Socks**
All wool **29c**

F. G. Alexander & Sons
HASKELL, TEXAS

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM THE HOWARD SECTION

The party given at the home of Mr. J. R. Dinsmore was enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Watson went to Denton Wednesday of last week to visit their daughter, Opal, who is attending C. I. A. Miss Opal returned home with her parents to spend the Thanksgiving holidays. She will return to Denton Sunday.

Mr. Ivan Terrell of Comanche county is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. L. Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wheatley returned from East Texas where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elmore and children left Saturday to spend the week-end with Mr. Elmore's brother, Throckmorton.

The P. T. A. met Friday night, and considerable interest was manifested in discussing the subject, "Health of the School Child." Plans also were made for improving the library facilities at the school.

L. M. Keel and family of Ballou visited W. E. Wells and family here Sunday.

Miss Ruby Medford who is a senior in Haskell High School spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Medford.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE VERNON COMMUNITY

A revival meeting is now in progress at this place. Rev. Fuller of Curry Chapel is doing the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Mr. Belton and John Calvin were called to the bedside of a brother in Mississippi last week.

Miss Erma Calvin who is teaching in the Fincher school spent Thanksgiving with home folks.

Miss Flora Fulbright of the Levett school spent the week-end with home folks.

J. C. Campbell of Stamford spent Sunday with home folks.

Jack Tidwell of Plainview visited in the Hardwick home Sunday.

Mrs. M. Davis has returned home after visiting for two weeks with her mother and other relatives of Bartlett, Jarrell, and Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fulbright made a business trip to Old Glory Saturday.

Mr. Johnnie Brewer of Wichita Falls is visiting relatives here.

Tom Rowan of Center Point visited in the Calvin home Sunday.

Misses Beatrice and Gladys Sanders of Haskell visited their aunts, Misses Libbie and Ruth Davis Sunday.

B. Y. P. U. was well attended Sunday night. A very good program was rendered.

Mr. Lee Cornelius of Flat Top spent Sunday with Fred Davis.

Miss Nannie Hardwick spent Sunday with Miss Beulah Austin of Bunker Hill.

Virgil Tillman made a business trip to Rule Saturday.

Quite a few people attended the party at Mrs. Schluters Thanksgiving night.

Most people are through picking cotton here, and school is progressing nicely.

Miss Nora Neal spent the week-end with home folks of Rule.

Rutland-Tysinger

Miss Johnnie Tysinger of this city was married to Durwood Rutland of Lexington, Texas, by Rev. W. B. Vaughan, pastor of the First Methodist Church, at his home in the city Monday night November 21st at 9 p. m. Miss Tysinger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tysinger of this city and is well and favorably known here. The groom is employed with the Western Union of Texas and learned the work here in Haskell. They will remain in the city for a while, after which they will make their home at Spur where the young man will find work with the company.

Farm Bureau to Hold Meeting

The Farm Bureau will meet Wednesday December 7th at 2:30 p. m., in the district court room for the purpose of taking a survey of the membership and see how much acreage and bales of cotton we control and if our survey justifies, then we expect to put in an application for the building of a cotton gin in Haskell. Also for the purpose of electing new officers for the coming year and delegates to the State Convention at Dallas which will be held January, 11, 12 and 13, 1928.

L. B. Patterson,
Field Rep. and Secretary

Thanksgiving Dinner Given by Mrs. Henry Lee

At her home in this city Mrs. H. C. Lee gave a Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday to her relatives and also Mr. Lee's. There were 17 present at the noon hour. Turkey was served with all the necessary things that go with it and a great time was enjoyed by the reunion of the two families.

Appreciative Letter From Subscriber

We had a nice letter from Emmett A. Howard of Thalia, Texas, who was formerly a citizen of Haskell county. Mr. Howard sent his check for renewal and added that the paper was worth a great deal to him not only as a newspaper, but it had been helpful to him and his good wife from the poultry advice given during the past year. He is a breeder of Rhode Island Reds and also a turkey grower and it had helped him to be the more successful and his strong plea in the letter was to keep the Free Press coming, they could not do without it.

Don't fail to see the Laughing Cure, Dec. 9, at the High School Auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mullins of Weaver were in the city Wednesday shopping.

W. D. Gilliland of Howard was here Wednesday spinning yarns with his friends in the city Saturday.

J. M. Glass of east of town was in the city Wednesday. This is the first year for Mr. Glass in this section. He has owned a farm east of town here for a number of years, and moved to it from Ennis in Ellis county early last fall. He seems to be a satisfied citizen of the county.

Ewel Lusk of the Foster community was in the city Wednesday on business.

S. W. Boone of Weinert was in the city Wednesday and while here renewed his subscription to the Free Press for a year. He says that his section made a good crop and that the cattle and other live stock are looking fine.

Mrs. W. E. Bland of Center Point was shopping in the city Wednesday.

J. N. Davis of Dallas brother of our fellowtownsman R. H. Davis is visiting his brother and family here this week. He is engaged in the insurance business in his home town.

W. T. Overby of Plainview was a business visitor to Haskell Friday. He reports his section of the county needing rain for stock water and grain sowing.

Mrs. J. O. Merchant of Cottonwood was in the city and renewed for the Free Press while here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stephens of Kilben are here visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carmichael of this city.

J. P. Harrison and one of his sons were in the city Friday and while here renewed for the Free Press and the Abilene Morning News. Mr. Harrison is a good farmer and we are glad to have him on our list of readers.

Haskell Lady Undergoes Operation
Mrs. Arthur Edwards was taken to an Abilene sanitarium Sunday night and had her tonsils removed Monday morning. On last report she was doing nicely. Her husband accompanied her, returning Tuesday night.

WANTED—Room and board in private home. Call Free Press.

FOR SALE—1924 Buick touring car, in excellent condition. Mrs. R. D. Baughman.

Misses Naomi Poteet and Erma Monke spent the week end in Vernon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Poteet.

J. M. Davis and family of southeast of town were in the city Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Frierson of Midway were shopping in the city Friday.

Mont, Mrs. Whitaker, sister of Mrs. Wiley Reid, of Sulphur Springs, and the hostess' mother, Mrs. T. J. Lemmon.

J. P. Marchbanks of Childress was in the county this week looking after his land interests.

Star Parasite Remover
Kills all water or feather parasites and destroys all insects, mites, lice, ticks, fleas, etc. Kills all parasites, including Lice, Mites, Fleas, Blue Bots; improves their health, reduces disease, increases egg production. Keeps hatch better. With stronger young chicks.

MORE EGGS

5 PER CENT FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS—5 PER CENT!

New Rate on all Loans closed after August 1, 1926. This is a net saving of \$10 per \$1,000 over any loan offered by any other lending concern in Texas.

W. H. McCANDLESS, Sec'y-Treas.

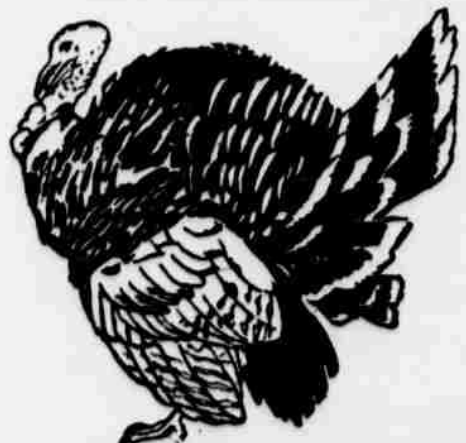
RULE NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION, RULE, TEXAS

Federal Land Bank, Capital Stock \$6,000,000. Loans \$137,000,000
Rule National Farm Loan Assn., Capital Stock \$60,000. Loans \$1,000,000

TAKE NOTICE

—and do not become alarmed and have some people make you think that you will not be able to get plenty of coal owing to the strike. The Swastika mines where I get the Diamond and Swastika Coals are not affected by the strike. Give me your order for 100 pounds to car lots, I will fill them.

M. A. CLIFTON



CHRISTMAS TURKEYS BRING THEM IN!

We are now ready to buy your Turkeys—and will pay the highest market prices.

WESTERN PRODUCE COMPANY HASKELL, TEXAS

Make Christmas Merrier with Furniture Gifts



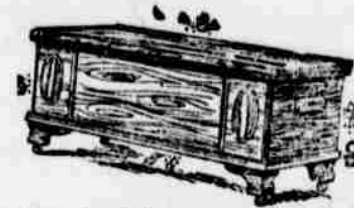
Everyone Appreciates Some Item of Furniture

Is there anyone you know of, friend or in your own family, who does not need a piece of furniture for some nook or corner of the house? Nothing you can think of would be so heartily appreciated or practical. You'll find remarkable values listed here. Anything bought for Christmas delivery will be stored and delivered Christmas eve.



END TABLE \$5.00

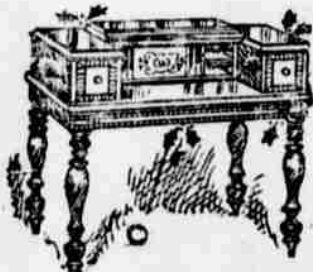
In red or green lacquer with floral decorations. Very substantially built.



RADIO CABINETS
Genuine Tennessee Aromatic Cedar Chest. Full selection. \$15.00 to \$37.50

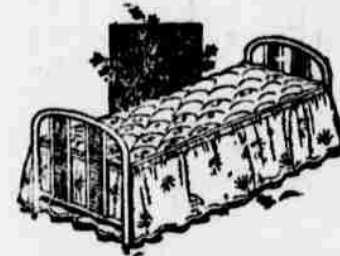
RADIO CABINETS

Priced from \$17.50 to \$55.00



SPINET DESK \$25.00

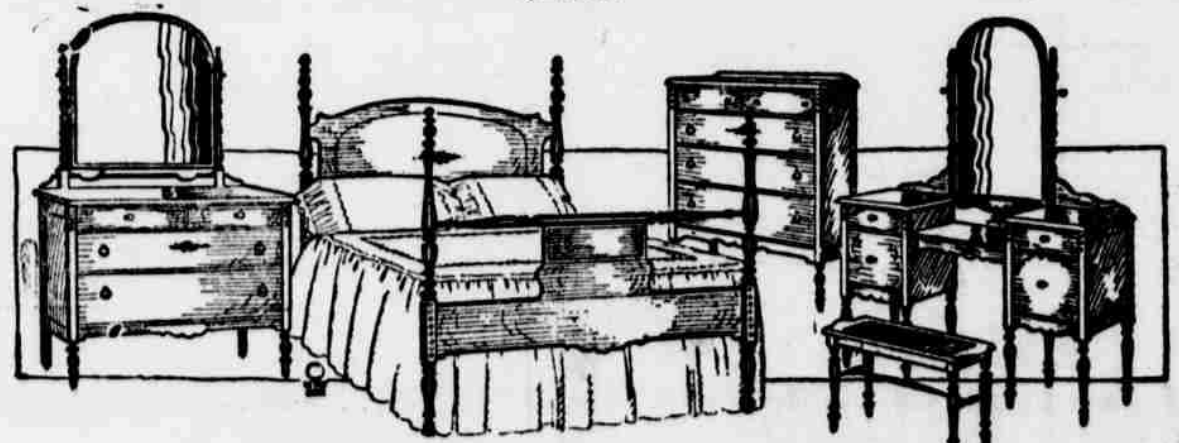
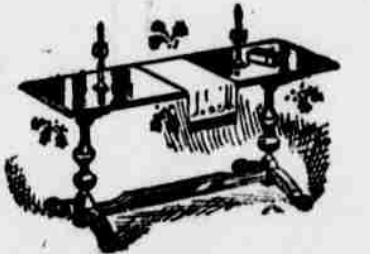
Mahogany Finish



SIMMONS DAY BED with Mattress \$27.50

LIBRARY TABLE

Walnut Finish \$14.00



BEDROOM SUITE

Colonial Highlight finish Walnut—consisting of Vanity, Poster Bed, Chest of Drawers and Stool.

\$122.50

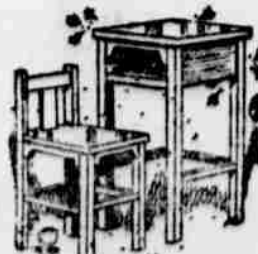
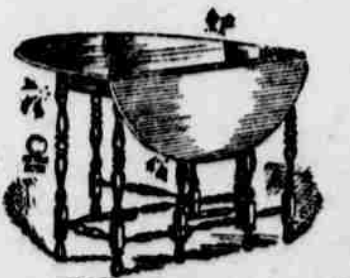


OCCASIONAL TABLE \$22.50

Hexagon—with beautiful turning. Highly finished.

GATE-LEG TABLE \$8.00

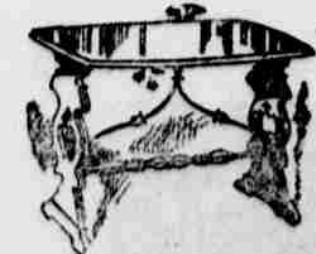
Large size with beautifully turned legs. Unfinished.



TELEPHONE STAND \$12.00
with Chair. Red lacquer.



PULL-UP CHAIR \$18.00
Genuine Mohair with Tap-stry back. Walnut frames.



TYPE END TABLE \$6.00
Ornamental wrought iron. Lacquered top. Special—



CONSOLE \$11.50
Table and mirror for your hall. Newest finish.

Jones, Cox & Co.