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LOW RATES OFFERED FOR C. OF. C. CONVENTION

The lowest rates ever offered for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Annual Convention will be in effect this year. These rates will go on sale May 13 and have a final rate limit to May 19. The convention will be held in Wichita Falls May 16 and 17. These rates will apply from all points in Texas and are effective on a zone basis with a minimum selling fare of \$1.00. Under the zone basis there is a graduated scale of fares providing for a one fare plus one-half fare for points within 299 miles of Wichita Falls. For 600 miles or over the rate will be one fare plus \$1.00, while for distances ranging from 300 to 599 miles the rate will be a one way fare plus one-fith to onethird. Indications point to many special trains. It is expected the New Mexico delegation will start from Roswell in a special train and delegates will be picked up at other New Mexico towns. New Mexico is planning for the big-gest delegation that State has ever had at the convention.

Chevrolet Car Found Abandoned on Road Southwest of Town

A Chevrolet touring car, practically new, was found abandoned a few miles southwest of Haskell, Priday morning. Farmers who had noticed the car on the road notified J. C. Turnbow, who brought the car to town and placed it in storage, under the assumption that it had been stolen by parties who abandoned it where it was found. Mr. Turnbow states that the engine numbers had been destroyed, probably by filing, in an attempt to change the numbers.

The license plate on the car was issued in Callahan county, but it is more than likely that the original license numbers had been thrown away and others substituted. Sheriff Turnbow stated that so far no one had claimed

SINGERS WILL MEET AT ROBERTS SUNDAY

The East Side Singing Convention will be held at Roberts next Sunday, April 10th, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Every singer and lover of good music is cordially invited to attend, and take part in the singing. Roberts is located ten miles northeast of Haskell.

MARRIAGE LICENSE **ISSUED PAST MONTH**

County Clerk, Emory Menefee record ed the issuance of the following mar-riage license during the month of March: James Navby Ballard and Miss Ruby

tae Adkins Damon Brooks and Miss Nannie Wil

W. L. Berry and Miss Robin Dillard A. D. Houston and Miss Ruby Belle Cannon

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Wm. P. Schmidt and Miss Beatrice Scott Crabtree and Miss Irene Glass

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Mr. John Hicks of Hicks-Howard Mfg. Co. El Paso spent Thursday night with his brother-in-law, P. L. Daugher-

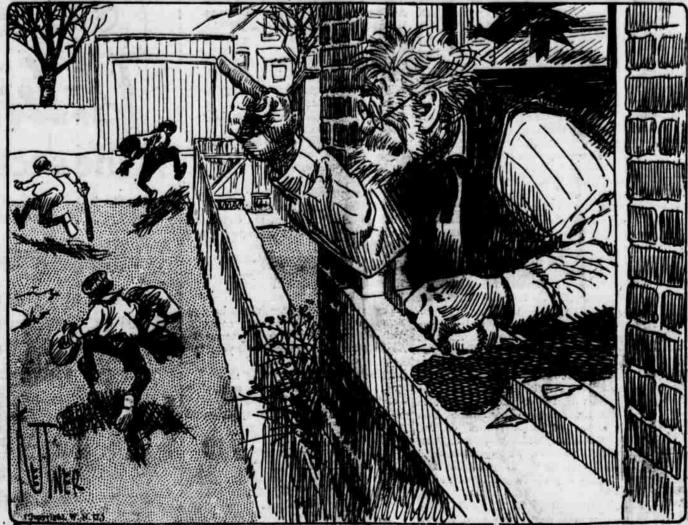
We are sorry to report that Mrs. Allen Adams of the Cottonwood community has been ill for the past week. She has many friends who wish her a speedy recovery.

Haskell Lodge No. 682, A. F. & A. M will entertain the 91st Masonic District on Monday April 11th, and extensive preparations are being made by officers and members of the local lodge in connection with the meeting.

An open program will be given at the Texas Theatre at 4:30 p. m. Monday at which time the committee on Mason ic Service and Education will render an Educational Program, consisting of motion pictures and addresses.

Monday night at 7:30 p. m. a closed meeting will be held at the Lodge room where other important matters will be

The Baseball Season Opens



Election of school trustees for Haskell Independent School District was held Saturday, with three trus tees to be elected. A total of 144 votes were cast, as follows: Oscar Oates. Sam A. Roberts. E. I. Christian. L. D. Ratliff .. Jno. F. Fouts ... J. M. Crawford... Oscar Oates and E. I. Christian were

John A. Couch who has served as trustee for sixteen years. At a meeting of the board held Tuesday night, organization was perfected and officers for the following year elected. The resignation of T. E. Ballard was accepted, and R. C. Couch was elected to serve as his successor. R. V. Robertson was elected president of the board; and R. C. Couch secretary.

ADDITION TO LINDS **BUILDING COMPLETED**

The extension recently completed on the building occupied by Fouts & Dotson filling station on the southwest corner of the square, is now occupied by these enterprising young men. In the new addition they have installed equipment for handling automobile repair work of all kinds, and this department is under the management of Mr. Bert Smith, an experienced mechanic who has been connect with Bert Welsh for the past several months.

These young men have enjoyed good patronage since opening their business, and the new addition was quately serve their many patrons. They now advertise complete garage service, from overhauling the motor to cessories, casings and tubes.

Death of Miss Catherina Josselet

Miss Catherina Josselet age 17 years 5 months and 27 days died at the home of her father in Sierra Blanca Texas, Wednesday, March 23, at three o'clock

The deceased is survived by he father, one sister and two brothers and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church on Friday at two thirty p. m. and the body was laid to rest in beautiful willow cemetery. May the bereaved find comfort in our Heavenly Father who does all things

Suffers With Appendicitis

We are sorry to report that Miss Ethel Childress of Ballew suffered with a severe attack of appendicitis last week. She has many friends who are wishing for her a speedy recovery.

Latin Class Scores Fifth Place In Contest at Abilene

The three teams from the latin classes of the Haskell High School, comprising, Ist. year, Annabel Burt and Evelyn. Reaves; 2nd year, G. W. Reynolds and John English, 3rd year Lewis Smith and Mary Couch, tied for fifth place in 123 Abilene with ten towns competing.

107 This is a splendid showing for many of the towns were larger than Haskell. These winners are loud in their praise 40 of the hospitality shown them by the 16 Abilene citizens. Every moment was of only two as has been the case in the occupied, comprising a drive to every Clarene Brannom

With the above changes the board is now composed of the following: Rs Vernow composed B. Post and G. B. Piolds were Post and Fields had no opposition. Only 126 votes were polled in the elec-

> The two gentlemen are now serving as Aldermen, and their re-election retains the same City Council for another year, which is composed of J. B. Post, G. B. Fields, A. H. Wair, N. I. Mc-Collum and M. F. Spurlock.

The annual meeting of the Board of City Development was held in the new City Hall Tuesday night, at which time officers and directors for the ensuing necessary to enable them to more ade. year were elected, as follows: R. C. Couch, president; Jno. W. Pace vicepresident; Leo Southern, secretary. The board of directors elected were: J. U. Fields, O. E. Patterson, C. V. washing and greasing. In addition they J. U. Fields, O. E. Patterson, C. V. Payne, R. C Couch, Hollis Atkeison, F. T. Sanders, L. J. Isham, H. M. Smith, Jno. W. Pace, J. A. Couch, T. C. Cahill, his moving to the present location. He E. Siegel, Jesse Foster, H. C. King and asks his friends and customers to bear L. Southern.

> rectors, plans were discussed pertaining to the activities of the board for the ensuing year. The organization of a Luncheon Club was discussed by those are moving to the Midway community present and a committee consisting of this week. Mr. Hooten has rented Mr. Jesse G. Foster and H. M. Smith was ple extend to them a warm welcome appointed to arrange for a meeting of into their community. the business men looking toward the organization of a luncheon club, which

will be held next Tuesday, April 12th A number of activities planned for the future were discussed, and it was the opinion of all present that the ensuing year will be a busy one for the board if all matters now under advisement are carried out.

The April term of the District Court will convene in this city on Monday April 18th. This is the first regular term of District Court since the redistricting bill affecting this district was passed by the Lamblature several

months ago which cut down the size of the district and gave Haskell three terms of district court each year instead

been a burden upon the Court with only two terms yearly.

The following men have been summoned to appear for Grand Jury ser- and child in the city visit the new vice for the coming term, and from this building. list twelve Grand Jurors will be selected: M. D. Abbott, J. W. Adcock, P. H. Campbell, J. P. Cooner, B. Cox, O. L. Darden, J. W. Derr, J. W. Gammill, J. D. Hughes, A. H. LaDuke, M. J. Lane, W. Z. Wadsock, A. W. McBeath, G. D.

The interior of the "M" System store s being given a new coat of paint this week, which adds much to the already attractive appearance of this popular establishment. All fixtures and woodwork throughtout the store are being repainted, and Manager Hillis Atkeison states that their advertised motto of "The Cleanest Store in Town" is being carried out, and he invites the people of this section to visit their store.

BATTERY STATION MOVES TO TONKAWA HOTEL

Frank Kennedy, who for the past vear has been located at the Fouts & Dotson Service Station, where he has operated a battery station, has moved to the Tonkawa Hotel building, where he has installed his machinery and equipment for this work.

He has been engaged in this business for a number of years in Haskell, and states that his rapidly growing business required larger quarters, hence in mind his new location where he will After the election of officers and di- be better prepared to serve his patrons.

Moves to Midway Community Mr. Hooten and family of Megargle . U. Fields, T. C. Cahill, C. V. Payne, R. C. Ware's farm. The Midway peop

> Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery have returned from Graham where they attended the announcement party of her niece, Miss Eloise Morrison and H. L. Thornton, both of Graham. The an-nouncement cards bore the date, May throughout, and will add materially to the 3rd, 1927.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Holcombe of the Cottonwood community are the proud parents of a daughter born April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Quinn and Miss Lola Highnote left Friday night to attend the Confederate Reunion at Tampa Florida.

BOY SCOUTS TO HAVE IMPORTANT MEETING

Friday evening troop number 35 Haskell will have a very important meeting. It will be the first investiture of the troop. The boys who have passed their tenderfoot tests will be given their badges and will officially take the oath. A visiting Scout man will be present and conduct the ceremonies. It is also expected that a troop of Boy Scouts from Munday will be guests of the meeting. All parents of boys in the troop are especially invited to attend this meeting. The public is also welcome. A demonstration of the work will be given. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock.

Graduate of H.H.S. Awarded Fellowship Harvard University

The many friends is this city Gaines Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S Post, who is attending Harvard University, for his profiency in his studies, has been awarded the Sheldon Fellowship. the highest award bestowed by this famous University.

Gaines is a graduate of the 1920 class of Haskell High School, and of the University of Texas, and is now in his third year at Harvard. He passed examination for his Ph. D. degree in November of last year, and the award ing of the Sheldon Fellowship, which carries also an award of \$1500 and one year's study in Europe, is further evidence of the progress which Mr. Post is making in his work. According to information received by his parents, he expects to leave about the middle of August for Europe, where he will spend one year doing research work in France Italy, Austria, Germany and England Most of his time will be spent at the University of Paris, France, and the Vatican Library in Rome.

It is probable that Gaines will spend several weeks with relatives here before

Haskell's new city hall, which was recently completed, was taken over by facts concerning the towns accompany the city last Friday, April 1st, and is the illustrations, and set forth the wonre-elected members of the board of place of interest in the city with a trustees, with Sam A. Roberts elected banquet one evening at the Abilene session, and will make it possible to now being occupied by the city officials. The huilding is a credit to our town derful development of this section of building is a credit to our town, and should be an object of pride to every citizen, and the city officials will be glad to have every man, woman building.

Offices are provided in the building for the Mayor, City Secretary, and Water and Sewer Commissioner, in addition to the equipment of the fire department, the city jail, and living quarters for the fire department driv-

On the second floor is the courtroom and auditorium, and club room and two private rooms for members of the fire department. While all the furnishings have not as , yet been installed throughout the building, when this is done the building will be as well-equipped, if not more so, as can be found anywhere.

The plumbing fixtures installed in clude hot and cold water throughout the building, with the very latest type installations. Plumbing work on the building was done by the Hastex Plumbing Co., a local concern. Another item which adds a great deal to the appearance is the lighting fixtures, which would be a credit to a building of any size.

Teacher Returns to Her School Miss Amelia Boyd returned Sunday to take her place in the Center Point school. She has been away for some time on account of her health.

Mr. J. F. Leonard of Tuscaloosa Ala. who has been visiting his brother-inlaw, J. K. Quinn left Wednesday night for El Paso Texas.

Work was started this week by D. Scott, local contractor, on a one-story brick building on the south side of the square, between the V. W. Meadors Building and the "M" System store.

This property is owned by J. C. Mc-Kinney, who is having the building erected. The building will be 30x80 ft, the appearance of this side of the square, which is being rapidly filled in with modern buildings. While it is understood that the building has been leased, no definite announcement to this effect has been made.

KILLED IN ACCIDEN

Ora Carter, 15, a high school junior of Sagerton, daughter of J. W. Carter. a pioneer resident of Haskell County was killed when an automobile loaded. with high school girls overturned Friday en route to Fort Phantom Hill for a school picnic, and Mary Guinn, Marie McMillan and Etna McCoy, high school girls, were injured. The accident occurred about eight miles from Nug-

The car contained five high school girls and one boy. The driver was a high school senior, Leon Schroeder, 19, son of L. H. Schroeder, member of the Sagerton school board. The entire high school student body was en route to Fort Phantom Hill to view that historic shrine in connection with their ocal history work.

The automobile was traveling at about 15 miles per hour, according to testimony of a number of school patrons and parents of pupils, who also went on the ill-fated trip, when apparently without cause or warning, the death car overturned in the middle of the road. Investigation revealed that a tire on a front wheel blew out, throwing the car sideways across the road. crushed a rear wheel rolled completely over, pinning the occupants beneath.

Doctors and an ambulance were summoned from Stamford at once by Principal O. K. Davis, in charge of the party, who was driving a car ahead of the others a few hundred feet. The injured were given treatment at the Stamford Sanitarium and two of the girls, Marie McMillan and Etna McCoy were able to walk from the hospital after preliminary treatment.

The third girl. Mary Guinn is still onfined to the hospital with a broken collarbone and an injured back.

UTILITIES CO. ISSUES ATTRACTIVE BOOKLET

One of the most attractive booklets to come to our desk has been received from the West Texas Utilities Co. It consists of over fifty pages, attractively printed and bound. containing illustrations portraying business scenes, offices and stations of the company in the numerous cities and towns in this section which they serve. Pertinent the state, as well as its future possibilties. The booklet is a worthwhile ac-Texas Utilities Company, who have meant much in the upbuilding of this section of West Texas.

Local Methodist Minister Conducting Revival at McKinnew

Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the Methodist Church left Monday for Me-Kenny, Texas where he will conduct a two week's revival. In his absence his pulpit will be filled as follows. At the 11 o'clock hour next Sunday morning, Mr. C. B. Breedlove, of Rule, who is our District Lay Leader will deliver a lecture. At the evening hour 7:45, the Senior Epworth League will give a program. On Sunday morning April the 17th which will be Easter Morning. there will be an Easter program by all of the teachers and members from every class in the Sunday School, Committees are working hard on these various programs and every member of the church should be in his or her place at each of these services in the absence of our pastor. Every body is invited.

Trustee Elected

The Trustee Election was held at the Howard School house last Saturday. Mr. Boo Cox was elected school trustee. We are sure he will make a good trustee There were about 55 votes cast and for county board trustee, the vote was 7 and 45 in favor of Mr. Lee Medford. We haven't heard at present who was elected, but if Mr. Medford is elected. we are sure he will make a good county board trustee, for he has served as county board trustee for the last year, filling out Mr. Montgomery's place.

Funeral of J. T. Lawley

J. T. Lawley, a resident of Haskell for many years, was buried here last Thursday at 3 o'clock. His death occurred Wednesday night March 30th, in Wichita Falls, where he had been living for the past year. Mr. Lawley had been in failing health for several years, but his death came as a shock to his many friends in this city. A more detailed account of the passing of this good man will appear in next

E. Siegel of the Haskell Bargain Store spent several days in Dallas this week

The bodies and legs of flies are covered with hundreds of bristly hairs which pick up disease producing germs. Despite the hoax which flies perpetrate when they make a great show of cleaning their feet they do not clean their feet in a manner that is satisfactory to those whose food they often walk on after coming into the house from some filth outside. Even if they did they would still have a worse habit to answer for, and that is their habit of comiting bits of partly digested food windows should be religiously kept shut sectivorous vertebrates. on anything they happen to be resting cm. These are not pleasant thoughts. but they should serve to focus attention on the fly menace which will be

flies carry the germs of typhoid fever, an inch or more above the porch on time these birds have been held alfantile diarrhea. They are suspected of be led past the crack instead of into it. has been erected to commemorate While on his is playing transmitting other diseases, but this is enough to class them as more deadly than a poisonous snake in the house, whether or no. A sweetened poison in States Department of Agriculture of That call to one s heart core, Snakes do catch rats and mice, themselves carriers of diseases, but if there a biotting paper placed in a saucer over eighty-eight cases of local suppression is anything that can be said to the self-renewing and satisfactory unless of insects by birds, many interesting As he called to those others of yore credit of a fly I have failed to hear

Hundreds of persons will die this year as a result of diseases carried by flies, and some of the readers of The Semi-Weekly Farm News will be among them. The matter is too serious to be ignored or to be passed over as a necessary evil, for the presence of flies in great numbers is not necessary. But if we are to control the number of flies around our homes this year it is neces. sary that we begin the fight against | them at once. One fly killed in March is equivalent to killing millions in August.

Enormous Layers of Eggs

The number of eggs laid by an individual famale at one time averages around 120, and one fly may lay from two to four such batches. Less than twenty-four hours is ordinarily required for these eggs to hatch. The maggots which result grow rapidly. reaching the pupal stage in four or five days if food is abundant and other conditions favorable. Just before they enter the pupal stage they become restless and collect in the straw around the manure or burrow in the ground.

The pupal or sleeping stage lasts from three to ten days, four or five days being the average. The shortest known time between the laying of an egg and the emergence of an adult fly is eight days. When the pupal stage is compelted the occupant of the shell breaks out dries his or her wings for a time, then flies away. In midsummer, when conditions are most ideal for flies, the period from egg to adult averages between eight and ten

Flies often breed in little suspected places, such as in moist trash heaps and in garbage itended for hogs but which has been permitted to stand some days. The favorite breeding place of flies, however, is horse manure. It follows that if we are going to make a serious effort at controlling flies this year we should not let manure stay in one place as much as ten days without treatment.

A chemical substance often used or manure to render it unfit for a breedink place is hellebore. This powder may be bought at almost any drug store. To one-half pound of hellebore add ten gallons of water, stir thorough ly and let stand for twenty-four hours. sprinkle the mixture over the manure pile at the rate of ten gallons to every ten cubic feet (eight gallons) of com post. This will destroy the larvae.

Insecticides Useful Some persons prefer to use borax as an insecticide and find it easier to get. Add one pound of the chemical to sufficient water to hold it in solution and sprinkle over the compost at the rate of one pound of borax to every sixteen cubic feet of manure. If desired spread the borax evenly over the pile and throw the water over it to wash

it down into the manure. By adding one-half pound of cal cium cynamid and one-half pound of acid phosphate for each bushel of maure one can not only kill the fly grubs, but will materially increase the fertilizing value of the compost. Wash down in the usual way.

Fly larvae are seized with a desire to burrow just before entering the pupal stage. One may build a trap which will take advantage of that tendency. Construct a slatted platform on which to throw the manure as it is removed from the stalls and under this platform have a basin of concrete or other suitable material. Fill the basin with plain water, oil and water, or any other fluid. As the larvae burrow downward they will drop into this fluid and be drowned. About 99 per cent of them can be destroyed in this manner.

When the barnyard has been cleaned up or provision made for trapping the flies, attention should next be turned to the premises around the dwelling. Open, outdoor privies breed many flies yearly and it is largely from this source

that flies get the typhoid fever germs BIRDS PLAY IMPORTANT PARTS which they distribute. The most obvious remedy is to rebuild the privies so that they will be flyproof. It this seems too expensive-it really is notthen a weekly application of ashes. quick lime or any creosote preparation spots found about the farm.

Value of Screens

which escape or which come drifting in when it is not necessary that they be A historical and most picturesque As he's cu-

small children.

As a last line of defense we must fall back on fly swatters. A swatter should tent caterpillars. be kept in every room and certainly in Sparrows are noted for feeding on Yes, there he goes over the hillside, the kitchen. A surprising number of by being dipped in boiling water.

The battle against flies is an endless one, nor is it easy one to win, but any success we attain is well worth between sickness and health for the

FORESTRY MORE THAN COLD ECONOMICS

"Forstry is not wholly a matter of of the world were forest-bred. The forest gave them their Christmas spring. trees, open wood fires, and love of the chase. The sentiment for forest preservation and forest growing is instinctive. The forward nations of the world have been quick to recognize the public interests jeopardized by forest destruction and to safeguard them by legal principles which transcend the laisses-faire doctrine and poitical economy. And the people of the United States, who lead the world both as users of wood and as lovers of wild places, can least of all afford to veiw their forest problem solely as an equation of supply and demand. Nevertheless, there must be and there is solid economic ground for timber growing, with a reasonable backing in public policy as a permanent form of land use on all fours with scientific

Birthday Celebrated

agriculture."-W. B. Greeley, Chief.

"U. S. Forest Service.

Mr. George Turner celebrated his seventeenth birthday at his home in the Bunker Hill community. Eighteen guests took dinner with him. Mr. and Mrs. Knuger of Sagerton were among the guests.

Mr. Turner gave a Singing Sunday night, which was well attended by Bunker Hill, Vernon, Center Point and Plainview people. Everyone enjoyed

Fort Davis The major projects of the Fort Davis Chamber of Commerce, recently affiliated with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, are: securing of a designated Federal highway which will connect with the Bankhead at Pecos, running through Balmorhea. Fort Davis, Marfa and Shafter to Presidio: increased hotel facilities for tourists; increase school facilities; building cottages for the benefit of tourists; and a golf course.

Eastland-The Eastland County News" has made its appearance in the press of West Texas. It is a constructive sheet devoted to interests of the farmer, ranch, and poultryman.

Ropesville-Work is progressing nice on the new Ropesville High School The school is under direction of Superintendent C. V. Roberts, and is work ing on state affiliation.

West Side Barber Shop

Pirst Class Barbers only Ladies and Childrens Hair Cutting a Specialty

and Shower Baths Hot and Cold Water T. J. HARDY, Prop.

PINKERTON DAIRY

Get your milk on schedule time twice every day, morn-

ing and evening. Whole milk, cream and butter milk.

When the whole milk sets awhile, one third of the

top is pure cream. The cream on delivery is all cream

and the butter milk is fresh and thick, no whey.

Once a Pinkerton customer, always one.

IN CHECKING INSECT PESTS

Without birds the country would be overrun with insect pests, in the opinion of many ornithologists and entomologists. Credit for eating obnoxious insects should also be given to a will prevent the flies from laying eggs number of other vertebrates, especialin the night soil. The same insecticides by to bloads, lizards, shrews, moles, should be used on any other insanitary bats, and skunks, but because of the numbers of birds, and their eppetite. The Piper and shadowy train, for insects in all stages, their powers. And on his pape he is playing house should be thoroughly of swift locomtion, and their tenden. A wild and poset refrain screened to keep out any of the flies cy to concentrate wherever unusual He is playing shaunting melody numbers of insects appear, they are of That calls from other places and the doors and chief economic importance among in And help red us away from our loved

open. A garbage can should not be example of birds saving a crop from kept just outside the kitchen door, as insect destruction was given by Caliit attracts flies which will dart into fornia gulls in pioneer days in Utah, And the with us as soon as the weather grows the house at every opportunity. To when they swooped down on the Mor- He was going to fight for his country keep flies from crawling in at the bot mon crickets that were devouring the And the same that he spoke were tom of the kitchen door have it set up wheat of the arly settlers. Since that which it opens so that the flies will most sacred in Utah, and a monument Fly paper and poisons are effective their services. In an investigation by A wild and must refrain in killing flies which get into the house the biological survey of the United He still plays that haunting melody a glass which has been inverted over 109 cases of satisfactory control and And he a mg us away from our there is danger that small children will food habits were brought to light get it. Strips of fly paper hung from Contrary to popular belief, various Many long munitispassed by the ceiling are best where there are birds eat even the hairy types of An the Bor was not under the tree; caterpillars, like those of the tussock, But he looked out from the trenches gipsy, and brown-tail moths, and the And the words that he spoke were

> ants, cabbage bugs, cicadas, green The Piper and shadowy train, day by a vigorous use of a fly swatter. bugs, alfalfa weevils, army worms, While on he tope he is playing The swatter can be cleaned at intervals and caterpillars. Meadow larks eat A wild and sweet refrain. grasshoppers and crickets. White He is playing that haunting melody breasted nutthatches have been ab That call to my heart's very core, served to reduce greatly the numbers And I know that he is calling to me. of pear psylla and the codling moth. As he called to those others of yore. while, for it may mean the difference Goldfinches like plant lice of several species. Woodpeckers are among the Another day passed by most effective enemies of bark beetles. And the Boy lay under the trees. and wood borers of various kinds, as But the Piper paused a moment, well as the European corn borer, and And the words that he spoke were they also eat leopard and codling moths and many other woodland pests. Crows, blackbirds, and grackles are cold economics. The northern races fond of white grubs in quantities and A Piper with shadowy train, will follow a plow to get them in the But the Dance of Death will go on

Forty-five species of birds were A wild and sweet refrain. found to feed exteentively on the al. I'll still play that haunting melody falfa weevil, while sixty-six attack the That calls to your heart's core, cotton-boll weevil. Orioles will pick And you and the rest must follow, weevils out of the squares of flowers As did the others of yore." buds, of the cotton, while swellows feed on them when in flight and extending their range.

Mallard ducks have been effectively used in ponds for mosquito control. Red-eyed vireos seem to be attracted form a large part of the diet of star lings, crows and jackdaws. Blackbirds help to keep down the number of boil worms and many other pests. Sparrows and other birds have been observed to clean up infestations of

According to the Biological Survey, birds may be looked upon as an everto check outbreaks of insect pests, a Nature rewards you with health. present force that automatically tends force that should be kept at maximum efficiecy by protective measures so that age, containing full directions. Only their services may be utilized wheneve 35 cts. At any drug store. (Adv.)

Miss Estelle Calloway Entertains Miss Estelle Caloway of near Haskell entertained a number of young people in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Caloway. The guests departed at a late hour thanking Miss Caloway for the nice times they had had.



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To Improve Your Health Gene All Druggists

They sat there in the valley, While the leds twinked soft in the

tance And the words that he spoke were

And many seats passed by

How stood under the trees.

The Piper and shadowy train,

"Yes, I will go over the hillside,

Martha Lou Rogers,

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The play staged at the Roberts school house, Priday night was well attended. This same play will be staged at Weinert Friday night April 8 and a small admission fee will be charged.



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had a nice time.

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Entertains With Party

Case of Mumps

Entertains With Party

On Saturday night the 19th Mr. and

Mrs. Charlie Marion of Curry Chapel

entertained a number of young people

Gives Party

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pennington

night. They all reported a nice time.

We wish they would give another one

No. 406
Official Statement of Financial
Condition of the

Weinert State Bank.

at Weinert, State of Texas, at the close

of business on the 23rd day of March.

1927, published in the Haskell Free

Press, a newspaper printed and published at Haskell, State of Texas, on

the 7th day of April, 1927. RESOURCES

lateral security....

Other Real Estate ...

Furniture and Fixtures.

curities ...

Cash on hand.

on demand

anty Fund

Capital Stock.

is paid.....

(school)

ing

agents ...

Loans and discounts, undoubt

Loans secured by real estate,

worth at least twice the

amount loaned thereon....

Overdrafts, undoubtedly good

Bonds, stocks and other se-

Real Estate (Banking House)

Due from approved reserve

Due from other banks and

bankers, subject to check

Interest in Depositors' Guar-

Acceptances and Bills of Ex-

change, undoubtedly good

Individual deposits subject to

check on which no interest

Public Funds on deposit

Cashier's Checks Outstand-

Other liabilities assumed on

other real estate.

LIABILITIES

Grand Total.

Certified Surplus Fund.

Undivided profits, net...

7,900.00

10,140.00

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17,251.92

\$111.855.79

\$ 15,000.00

7,500.00

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74,691.80

119.66

4,000.00

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G. R. Couch, President,

Reserve District No. 11

G. R. Couch, Jr. Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me

Directors

this 29t hday of March, A. D. 1927.

W. O. Sargent,

P. R. Bettis,

C. T. Jones.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

HASKELL NATIONAL BANK

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other

banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorse-

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Missionary

of the membership sionary Society of nd heard the unusout and prepared Responsibility and aken from the leafuncil and from the by Mrs. H. M. so interesting that discussion The usual n by the singing. I Have," followed chapter and 16th On neext Monday O. Campbell of Mun-Lewis sang a duet on, "The Standard the district meeting onth, this comes besociety is on the

ing at Roberts Sun- ful or lovely. ery body is invited

Elaborate Pageant Planned For Easter at Methodist Church

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. W B. Vaughn of the Methodist church, the committee, from the Sunday School Council, Mrs. C. M. Kaigler, Chairman, Mrs. Guy Mays, Mrs. Wallace Cox, Mrs C. L. Lewis and Miss Ruby Fitzgerald is planning an elaborate pageant on "The Dead and Risen Lord," interspersed with appropriate music. Practical ly every teacher in the school will have a part in the program as well as students from every class. The entire setting will be in white with the choir in robes and added to this will be the picturesque oriental coloring of the mob, come to view the open grave. Let every Methodist help to make Easter day a memorable one, especially for the children who are so easily impressed. "The Dead and Risen Lord," at the Methodist church Easter morning April the 17th.

Mrs. Virgil Meadors Entertains With Bridge

Quite the outstanding social event of the week was the lovely Bridge party complimentary to a host of her Haskell and Rule friends by Mrs. Virgil Meadors on last Monday afternoon at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Cummins. Adhearing to the color scheme, the brick cream was refreshment white and yellow and the iced squares Guy Mays of cake were centered by lighted yellow candles, easter egg mints were served in cunning baskets, sent by Miss LaVerne Cummins of Ft. Worth. Mrs. Wiley Reid won high score and Mrs. Dave Earnest of Rule low score. The guest list follows: Mesdames Marlin Wilson, Bill Hills, Server Leon, Dave Earnest, and Winifred Cole of Rule; Mesdames J. B. Post, J. G. Foster, Dennis Ratliff, Hall, Guy Mays, J. F. Morrison, John Draper, W. P. Trice, Bruce Bryant, R. R. English, Paul Kuenstler, W. H. Murchison, J. P. and Clayborn Payne, Hill Oates, J. E. Bernard, Clyde Grissom, H. D. Neff, Elmer Irwin, Theron Heaven and earth help him Cahill, Wayne Koonce, Norman Kelly, Myrtle Crow, Wiley Reid, Wallace Cox, Rev. Vaughn, in Leo Southern, Joe Hendrix, Misses times, ten days Florence Shook and Maybel Taylor.

CIVICS CLASS STUDY PROB-LEM OF "THE SCHOOL GROUND BEAUTIFUL

The Civics Class of Haskell High re: Rev. R. R. Gil- this scrap book in tan and brown. Miss Grace Talbott. Books will be on display when com-

> Why can we not have a beautiful that would mean more to the community. There is no need to enumerate the many good features of the "School Ground Beautiful."

The grounds should be attractive to the 1st Scott's with flowers, vines shrubs and shade and big time was trees that the students' artistic nature may receive culture too, but it is not . All of the out only the most beautiful school ground big spread at the they are striving for, but the most helpful one.

a member of the ! A committee has been selected having as their able captains, Miss Maurene Shook and Mr. Horance O'Neal. Before school is out three disinterested judges will decide which side has won. An entertainment will be given for the and the First winning side by the defeated side.

"The time for the singing bird is

What we need now is the co-operation of every citize to help put the thing

Now is the time to start planning started the sooner the students will some of the things. The earlier it is fixing the flower beds and planting reap it benefits.

There are lots of things needed at this time; we can have many of these ch was present last things this year without much cost to anyone, and since it is my lot to superintendent the planting of trees, shrubbery and flowers, I want to make a personal appeal to everyone that has a

surplus of anything in this line. Remember those cannas you were gong to throw away or the rose bush and flowering shrubs. Now perhaps you are sowing seed and will have a surplus of annuals. We can use these,

Another important thing is evrgreens. We can hardly begin our 'clock, the District planting correctly without a few evergreens. As this is an item that no one ladies. Mesdames is apt to have a surplus of; it becomes necessary that we have some cash to g. This organiza- buy these plants. Those who care to feel proud of its give a few dollars may call Miss oung People's work Shook or Mr. O'Neal.

You will have opportunities to make the impressions received here serve in forming right habits-highly to be desired at this opportunity, since "hab its form character and character des tiny." For the student all this is fun; but it is training too. It foreshadows, or should, an interest in all things use-

Let us give the students a play

live, worship, meditate and revel as their nature calls for.

Each thing around us speaks, A language all its own. And through me may have grown, Hardened and dull of ear.

The children hear.'

PLANT A TREE

He who pants a tree Plants a hope: Rootlets up through fibres blindly

grope; Leaves unfold into horizons free, So man's life must climb, From the clods of time. Unto heaven's sublime,

Canst thou prophesy the little tree.

What the glory of thy boughs shall

He who plants a tree Plants a joy:

Plants a comfort that will never cloy Every day a fresh reality, Beautiful and strong. To those shelter throng Creatures blithe with song.

If thou couldst but know thou hap py tree, Of the bliss that shall inhabit thee!

He who plants a tree; He plants peace. Under its green curtains paragons cease,

Shadows soft with sleep. Down tired eyelids creep, Balm of slumber deep, Never has thou dreampt thou blessed

Leaf and zephyr murmur soothingly;

Of the benediction thou shalt be.

He who plants a tree. He plants youth; ... Vigor won for centuries in sooth; Life of time that hints eternity! Boughs their strength uprear; New shoots, every year, On old growths appear ;

Thou shalt teach the ages sturdy Youth of soul is immortality.

He who plants a tree. He plants love. Tents of coolness spreading out above, Wayfarers he may not live to see.

Gifts that grow are best: Hands that bless are blest; Plant! life does the rest! plant a tree. his work its own reward shall

be. -Lucy Larcom.

Forty-Two Party

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bailey gave a forty-two party Thursday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McNealey. School, under the direction of Miss Six tables were arranged and some in-Anna Mae Wood, Bernice Adkins, Alice and Velma Frierson, Miss Hana, Miss Pitman, Gladys Lawson, Bertha Lain school ground? Other cities not so Edwards, Floyd Lusk, Felix and large as Haskell have. There is nothing Ralph Keith, Ervin and Felix Frierson Notary Public, Haskell County Texas. Melton Wood, Ivan Adkins, Mr. and CORRECT-ATTEST: Mrs. McNealy, Tom Baker, Spencer Lain, Mr. Henry Smith of Haskell and the host and hostess Mr. and Mrs.

ment of this bank.

Miscellaneous cash items.

Capital Stock paid in.

Surplus Fund Undivided profits

TOTAL.

Less current expenses paid

Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, \$618.79.

Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank

Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.

ed outside of city or town of reporting bank.

Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value).

Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., owned.
Banking House, \$25,628.02; Furniture and fixtures, \$11,675.30

Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank

Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) locat-

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer

U. S. Government Securities owned:

Total of last two above items....

Resolutions of Sympathy

Ma are here this week visiting the

Misses Opal and Jimmie Campbell en-Where as in the early days of March 1927, it was the will of Our Heavenly tertained a number of young people Father, to say to Mrs. A. G. Jones. with a party Friday night. Every body Well done good and faithful servant thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over Little J. T. Taylor of the Cook many, enter now into the joys prepared Springs community has been confined for thee." And in response this good to his room with the mumps. There woman winged her way to realms beare several more cases of mumps in this

yond the sky. In view of this lamented death, and in respect to her memory, therefore be it resolved: First: That we express our willing submission to an all-wise Providence

who orders the events and determines the destiny of all things earthly.

with a party. They all reported nice Second: That we record the sorrow that we feel in the loss to this community of a woman of such rare graces of character and whose presence was ever like a ray of sunshine. Myers entertained a large crowd of

Third; That we extend to the famyoung people with a party Saturday ily our deepest sympathy, and may the grace of God whose love is abundant, keep and sustain them in this great

Be it further resolved, that this be published in the Haskell Free Press, The Texas Christian Advocate and that a copy be furnished both the son, Mr Charlie Jones and the daughter, Mrs. George Fields and that a copy be spread on the minutes.

Very respectfully submitted Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough. Mrs. Ethel Irby. Mrs. C. M. Kaigler. The Committee.

Stage Play at Roberts

On Friday night April the 1st, the Ballew community staged the play "The Daughter of the Desert" at Roberts school house, A very small crowd attended on account of sickness in the community of which we are very sorry. All present enjoyed the play very

J. C. Lewellen Improving The many friends of Mr. J. C. Lewellen of Roberts will be glad to learn that he is improving fast since he came home from Stamford Sanitarium. This fact causes us to rejoice as Mr. Lewellen has a host of relatives and friends in Haskell County.

Singing at Roberts There will be singing at Roberts church every second and fourth Sunday afternoon. So next Sunday afternoon is singing time and every one is invited Singing Convention

The East Side Singing Convention good singing was heard.

Party Enjoyed The party given at the home of Mr and Mrs. Thompson's Saturday night in the Gauntt community was enjoyed of sorrow is our prayers. by a large crowd of young folks. Every one departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Thompson would give them another party soon.

Ball Game Friday

The Vontress girls and the Roberts girls will play a game of base ball Friday afternoon on the Vontress base ball diamond. Every body come out and watch the girls play.

Vontress Sunday School

Sunday school opened Sunday morning at the usually 10:00 o'clock hour A large crowd was out. Let every body come back again next Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express our deepest gratitude and appreciation to each and everyone for all the kindness shown us during the death of our husband and father. We especially thank those for the floral offerings.

Mrs. J. T. Lawley. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawley. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Coker.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciations met at Roberts Sunday evening. A to our neighbors for the kindness and large crowd was present and some real help shown us at the death of Catherina and the beautiful floral offerings from Sierra Blanca and also Woodman Circle and may Heavens blessings rest

on each one of you in your dark hours

Mr. W. J. Josselet and family.

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\$ 60,000.00 40,000.00 \$22,782.78 15,974.02

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Demand deposits (other than deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of April, 1927. Sam A. Roberts, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:
L. F. TTAYLOR.
J. U. FIBLDS.

State of Texas, County of Haskell, ss:
I. A. C. Pierson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. PIERSON, Cashier.

A. Roberts, Editor and Publishe

red as Second-class mail matter at the Haskell Postoffice, Haskell, Texas.

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Haskell, Texas, Thurs., April 7, 1927

CO-OPERATION

The standards of success in these days of super-achievement are such that great deeds are rarely ever accomplishment by individuals. Unselfish co-operation is the power that conquers opposition and removes all obstacles. Individualism is never constructive, but always destructive, be cause it feeds upon misfortune. The individualistic theory is the greatest of fallacies for it is the antithesis of the scheme of a successful life. No person has ever gained favorable immortality through selfish deeds. United we stand," has been the slogan of those responsible for the outstanding achievements in the history of the world and is will continue as the battle-cry of success forever. It is jussible that most of us regard the chances of immortality lightly for the reason that its rarity discourages along about the middle of a prosaic and unevential life but again we err for this is evidence of selfish ness of purpose and ingrown self-interest. For instance, if one of us were alone in the world we couldn't be great for there would be no one to appreciate us therefore the rest of the world is vitally necessary and personal greatness is only measured by the importance of your service for the general good of all of us. Wee unto him who attempts to take more than he contributes for he will wake up some day and find his hoardings dross. West Texas has wonderful possibilities and any town can hold up its end-but not while the spirit of individualism throtties every attempt to broaden its op portunities and not while petty envy of another's initiative and high spur pose dominates our actions. Let's adopt the slogan, "All for one, One for

TIME TO GET BUSY

According to the almanae spring will son be here, and on one of these nice sunshiny days why not get out house and give your home grounds the once over, and ask yourself if they are a credit to Haskell and your street.

Disorder is as contagious as meas les, and the results are often much worse. If you have allowed your back to become a dump heap, you neighbors will probably catch the same idea, and you will all give the impression of indolence and indifference.

Neatness and beauty are also catching. If you are seen carting off refuse and cleaning up your premises, an impression is made on the neighborhood consciousness. The wives anxiously ask their guilty looking husbands when they are going to get busy. Pretty on they too are seen removing their coats, and operating wheelbarrows and rakes and hammers. If you all keep it up with lawn and garden work as the

It is quite possible the Clean-up campaign will assume international porportions if they don't behave over in the Far East. The broken China will have to be gathered up.

warm weather comes on, one can fore-

see that your neighborhood will be on

the upgrade and there will be inquiries

about the price of real estate there.

The latest quotations on dead Chinamen are \$2,500 per head, according to the recent despatches. \$87,500.00 manded from Great Britain by the Chinese authorities for the drowning of quite a number of potential laundry.

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For all orders placed for chicks for delivery on and after May 1st, we will give a cash discount of

May hatched Leghorns will make the finest winter layers of chicks hatched any other month in the year. This will be an op-portunity for you to get some real egg bred chicks at greatly reduced prices. Book your order early.

CUSTOM HATCHING

We will have plenty of room for your eggs from now (April 12) on, just bring your eggs on Saturdays or Mondays, and we will take care of them for you. Hatch all the April and May

chicks you possibly can, they are less expensive to brood, as the seather is much warmer, and they will make the best winter

Sunset Poultry Farm D. O. DAVIS RULE, TEXAS

The rapid development of aircraft is not being given due credit nor are it's possiblities as alleviation of the ills of isolation in muddy weather in case we decide never to build any good

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A valut that is surrounded by water and provided with a bomb-proof roof has been given to the Bank of France.

Homer could recite the Odyssey and the Iliad from memory.

Among the relics displayed each year at the Wateloo banquet, held at the home of the Welligtons on the anniversary of the Battle of Waterloo, are some artificial flowers, which were among the decorations at the ball at Brussels the night before the battle.

A forty-two-year-old bill of thirty-four dollars for sixteen sacks of wheat was discovered undelivered in a deserted log post office at Red Landing, Mis-

A Hindo artist is planning a world our, during which he hopes to pay his expenses by writing on grains of rice. Working four hours, he is able to write four hundred letters on a single grain.

Paris bus conductors have started wearing sabots, or French wooden tended it as a monument to the many shoes, during the coldest weather. With thick woolen socks they are the warm- net. est of footwear.

Tons of pumice stone are mined annually from the Lipari Islands, off the coast of Sicily. Pumice is made from ava, the crust of which has hardened before the bubbles inside have had time

Springfield is the name of forty-nine numities in the United States, five n Canada, and one each in South Afria and New Zealand

The soil of Hawaii is entirely volcanic

A bull near Hayden, Ohio, disliking the looks of a red box car, charged a freight train. He derailed one car containing dynamite. There was no explosion but the bull was killed.

There is nothing in the Koran which orders that women should be veiled or that they should not receive education

Less than one per cent of the beet produced in this country is exported.

The piano was invented about 1710 by Bartolommeo di Francesco Cristofori, in Italian.

With a collection of 2,500.00 speci mens representing 113,000 species, the Smithsonian Institution in Washington qualifies as the world's largest bug-

New York City has more than one hundred buildings that could be termed skyscrappers.

A whale shark has 24,000 teeth set in eighty rows of three hundred teeth

The largest ballroom in the world is The new radio control law seems to be built in Chicago. Its construction to cover everything but the control will cost more than one million dollars of static. and it will provide for 7,500 dancers.

During 1926 in Premier Poincare's home department of the Meuse in Frence it was unnecessary to hold a single session of the criminal court.

Kentucky chamis America's prize fat Meredith Taylor, four and one years old, weighs 125 pounds. wears size 42 overalls, a size 17 shirt and 7 1-2 cap. Almost as broad as he is tall, he is still growing.

LONG DISTANCE CALLS

SHOW BIG INCREASE Ten years ago there were 280,000.

000 toll telephone calls a year in this country. Five years ago there were 485,000,000 such calls. A year ago there were \$00,000,000. In 1915 the average speed of ser

vice of toll calls was 5.5 minutes. Due to post-war conditions, there was a slowing up to about 7 minutes in 1920. but since that date there has been a marked improvement, with the result that the average today is 2.6 minutes. By the speed of service is meant the interval from the time the subscriber places his toll call until the call is completed, or until he receives a definite report that the telephone station desired does not answer, or that the called line is busy, or that the particular person desired is not available.

Recently improvements in toll board service from an average speed of five or six minutes to an average of from two to three minutes have been made possible by the development of a new method known as the combined line and recording method. So fast is this method that many calls, on which the calling subscriber gives the number of while the subscribers remain at the telephone-just like local calls. The introduction of this method is going ahead rapidly.

It is important that the calling subscriber should give the operator the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Lampe number of the telephone desired, even Their father, Mr. S. N. Neathery acon calls for particular persons, al companied Mrs. Oates and has remain though, of course, this isn't absolutely ed for a longer visit. necessary. If the number is not given, however, the operator must recure it from a directory operator before she can proceed with the completion of pistol away during a blizzard. The pisthe call, which slows up the service on tol has just been found in a shallow

FACT AND FICTION

The average taxpayer would prefer to substitute an "f" for the "t" in internal revenue.

The duty on onions and garlic is to be revised, but the odor will remain

After a man reaches the four score mark in years one of his hardest or band sewed to his coat. deals is the birthday interveiw.

A monument to the apple has been erected at Cornelia, Ga. But why neglect "Peaches."

Henry Ford is opposed to capital punishment, but engaged in manufacturing an instrument of torture.

sealed when milady decided that her hosiery must be silk all the way. Italy is a peculiar country. Over

The fate of the cotton farmer was

there II Duce acts like a royal flush. Maybe China's sudden apathy for Americans is due to the introduction of American chop sucy over there.

A Chicago merchant leaves \$3,000. 000 for an equarium. Perhaps he inpoor fish that came into his business

New York is installing new tele phone instruments of the "cradle"

An editor wrote a clever paragraph in which he referred to "wild oats, but the linetype operator made it read " wild cats," which made the editor as wild as a wild cat.

When some men brag about being self-made, one can't help but wonder why they made such a rush of it.

Who remembers the time when nobody knew whether a woman's stockings had silk or lisle tops?

The great trouble with the fellow who has pronounced views is that he keeps continually pronouncing them.

A good citizen is one who doesn't break any laws except the unpopular

A hick town is a place, big or little where the residents think the people who live five miles out are hicks

Blond hairs are the finest, say the barbers. Also they're the most conspicuous on a blue serge coat. Spring is here, B-r-r-r

Miss Spring is finding it just a little

We would welcome spring more warmly if it didn't bring house clean-

Now "Peaches" has lost her "Sugar Daddy" and her alimony too.

Pleasing fiction will not die so long as obituary notices are written.

At the new Paris school of has

bands, the M. A. degree will probably signify Master of Alibis. Agriculture is the backbone of the

nation, but just now is seems to be in

About the only good that will come out of Dr. Hopkins' suggestion for the regulation of college football is that a lot of fans have learned who is presi dent of Dartmouth.

Memory courses may appeal to some, but a lot of folks would rather learn to

There were bores in the old days too, but they didn't talk radio, automobile and golf

With a view to making our army as strong as possible, each soldier is now allowed an ounce of onion a day.

Fifty-four thousand parrots were imported into the United States las year. Which increased the country's

number of yes-men just that many. Alabama will soon celebrate "Wind Mill Week." It's probably in the nature of a home-coming welcome for

Brig. Gen. Butler probably finds China rather tame after his experience with political snipers in Philadelphia.

Senator Heflin.

Mrs. Harm Yates, Mr. Denver Yates and wife all of Big Spring, have been visiting in the Cottonwood community the past week. Their many the telephone desired can be handled friends were glad to have them in this community once more and are wishing they will come again soon.

> Mrs. John Oates has returned from Amarillo, where she was a ten days

tourist, climbing Mont Blanc, threw his stream at the foot of the glacier.

A man in South Africa has just pa pered his room with 500,000 used postage stemps.

A movement is under way in Japan

for the passing of a law permitting women to be admitted to the bar.

King George of Great Britain has

adopted the style of wearing violets on his lapel, held in place by an elastic Although it is famous as the home of

skyscrappers, New York City has only about twenty buildings with thirty stories or more. The highest is the Woolworth Building at 223 Broadway. It is 792 feet high and consists of sixty

"There is nothing more odious than the majority; it consists of a few powerful men to lead the way; of accommodating rascals and submissive weaklings; and of a muss of men who trot after them without the least knowing their own mind - Johann Wolfgang Goethe, Maxims and Reeflections.

A contract for fifteen million tins of beef for the British army was awarded American packers. Australian packers lost the order, it is said, because the previous consignments were carelessly

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A senator declares that a short session of Congress would involve an enormous waste of public money. Granted, but what about the long sessions?

Henry Ford is being sued for a cool million. That's pretty mgn the the most simple but little more to Henry than nickel the most simple so unintelligible. million. That's pretty high stakes, radio is how the edge to the average man.

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he Baptist church, The Adults, the Intermediates and the Juniors studied the B. Y. P. U. Manuel all of last week on each evening at the church. A large attendance upon the entire school was Hester. comprised of the above classes taught as follows, The Adults, Rev. Whatley; the Intermediates, Miss Winnie Biggerstaff; and the Juniors by Mr. A. C.

Baptist Women's Missionary Society The members of the Baptist Women's Missionary Society met in regular quartefly business meeting and splendid reports were made by all departments, special attention was made however to the fine report made of the progress in the young peoples division, whose Sup erintendent is Mrs. I. N. Simmons. A Royal Service program was given with lowing ladies assisting: Mrs. R. J. Rey nolds, Mrs. Bob Glenn, Mrs. K. D. Mrs. Chas. Connor. Mrs. B. M. White-

At The Baptist Church

ker sang Amazing Grace.

9:45 Sunday School. Our Sunday school is having a steady growth. There were three hundred and forty five in at tendance last Sunday. There are about forty teachers and officers who are lead ing in the great work. These men and They will prove a blessing to you and your children if you will give them a

oul's Conflict with Satan. 6:45 p. m. all B. Y. P. U.'s will meet

7:45 p. m. The Simmons University Quartet will have charge of the night quartets, duets and solos. It will be a great hour. If you enjoy good singing, you cannot afford to miss this opportunity to hear the best.

Sunday Services at Roberts

nicely due largely to the untireing ef fort of our superintendent, Mr. I. A. Leonard and the growing co-operation of the christians of our community. We and called a pastor for the church who want to make the rest of the 1927 year

Preaching every 2nd Sunday at II ; day and be with us, as Sunday is our Christian Endeavor Program

Topic: "Why is the Bible the great-Leader: David Solomon

Scripture Reading: Romans 2:4; imothy 3:14-17. Leader's Talk

Chain sentence prayers. The Word of God: Psalm 19:7-14read by Ola Frazier.

11 Timothy 2:15; 3:14-17 with com

nents-Rachel Solomon Duet: Mary Pearsey and Joe Thomas. The Bible is the greatest Book in the world-Hamby Wimberly. Song-"How Firm a Foundation."

Bible Drill led by Miss Branom. How we got our Bible and the hief proof of Inspiration-Mrs. Sher-"When you read the Bible through

poem by Betty Ann Hancock.

held Wednesday night. April the thir-Simmons, Mrs. Jno. B. Lampkin and Christian to Marry a person who is not Christian. On the Affirmative side and Hazel Redwine and Messrs Maurice rawford and Donnie Campbell. Negative-Miss Vivian Johnson and Messes Earnest Wright, Charles Rose

Presbyterian Church

There is no preaching service on

The Junior Christian Endeavor will neet at five o'clock in the afternoon. The public is most cordially invited

Organizes Sunday School The people of the Pleasant Valley

a attend these services.

ommunity have organized a Sunday School. Every body is cordially invited to come. Also we will have preaching every first and third Sundays.

Sayles community met at the church

Preaching at Roberts

There will be preaching at Roberts day morning at 11, and also Sunday preaching time. Every body is invited to come and bring some one with you

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Haskell, Texas, Thurs., April 7, 1927

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Easter is the time every one wants to look their best. We are going to make it possible for every woman and girl in Haskell County to turn out Easter in a new frock by placing on Sale Friday and Saturday and next week, or as long as they last, 100 Dresses for \$1.00

These Dresses are Classy Dresses and will be sold for \$1.00 when you have bounght another dress at regular price amounting to \$19.75 or more. Mind you, we mean our regular price and not an inflated price. This gives you a wonderful opportunity to pool with your neighbor and get your Easter Frock at a low price.

Ladies Spring Coats One Half Price, 18 only, New Spring Coats to Close out in our Easter Sale at exactly Half Price.

Complete Showing of Nelly Don Aprons and gowns for \$1.00, \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95 and up to \$7.95. Nelly Don Pure Handkerchief Linen Dresses \$7.95.

CORRECT EASTER MILLINERY

Here you can buy the Correct Easter Hat to match your Frock at the very low price of \$9.95, \$7.50, \$5.75 and down to \$1.95. Take advantage of these unusually low prices to lay in your Easter and Spring wardrobe.

KEEP YOUR HAIR LOOKING ITS BEST



Make regular appointments. The fashionable thing to do is to have regular appointments each week for shampoo, hair cut, finger wave, water wave or marcel. Then one is assured of always looking her best, no matter what unforseen invitation turns

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CUSTOM HATCHING-Am now starting my Mammouth Incubators and will continue through the season. See me for space and dates. Phone 287 Crawford Hatchery, Haskell Texas.

EGGS-Thoroughbred Rhode Island Reds, \$1.50 per setting of 15, or \$5.00 per hundred, Hall strain, none better, W. W. Ashby, Weinert, R. 2.

COTTON SEED-For sale, pure Kasch and have some good half and half at \$1.00 per bushel. Also a few bred gilts, worth the money. Geo. Best, near Foster School house.

FOR SALE-The following implements; two row planter, two row cultivator and go-devil, located one mile northeast of town. W. W. Johnson, tf SEWING WANTED-At Davis

Economy Store, Mrs. J. G. Maples, tfc. BUFF ORPINGTON-Eggs for sale \$1.00 per setting of 15. or \$5.00 per 100. during March and April. Mrs. J. S.

FOR SALE-S. C. White Leghorn eggs \$4.00 per 100. The kind that lay

FOR RENT-1 three room furnished apartment and I two room furnished apartment. Mrs. J. C. Holt, Haskell,

LEGHORNS Breeders of White and Buff Leghorns, White Leghorns, large type. Big Looped Comb. Ancestors bred for high egg production for over twenty years, from the Nation's best strains. Buffs beautiful, heavy laying hens. Chicks from our best Leghorns, priced right. Can deliver Wednesday. Write for prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Roberts Farm, Nugent,

FOR SALE Several bull calves from best registered Jersey Cows and by my fine Jersey male, Adelaides' Fairy Lad. Will register and Transfer to buyer. \$25.00 each, or will trade for maize at \$12.50 per ton delivered. J. M. Woodson.

NOTICE

Beginning April 1st, all water and sewer bills will be paid at the City Hall. City Water Works.

FOR RENT-My store house will be vacated and for rent the first day of April. T. H. Hancock.

FOR SALE-The J. L. Odell home place in West Haskell; five room house barns, chicken houses, fences, fruit lots all fenced. For immediate sale halance \$40.00 per month without interest. Write me for details. Letcher D. King, Abilene, Texas, owner. 4tc

see NOTICE-See me if you have eggs to sell, I want them. Bring me your cream also. I will pay the best prices. M. A. Clifton.

Bring your harness troubles to us we will solve them. Electric Shoe and Top.

FOR SALE-R. I. Red eggs. per setting \$1.00 or \$5.00 per hundred, from prize winners Airheart & Coffman strain: 2 miles N. W. of Ballew School House, C. M. McDonald.

DID YOU KNOW-That you could multiply your profits and insure your success with poultry with the world's famous English White Leghorn hen of oht type. W. B. Gregory, Weimert.

SINGLE COMB-White Leghorn eggs, per setting of 15, \$1.00. Per hundred, \$4.00. O. H. Harrell, Rule Texas, Route I. Box 89

EGGS FOR HATCHING Buff Weardalte eggs from prize winning cnampion pullets. \$1.50 per setting of 15 at the house. Champion pen and champion pullets at the Haskell County Pair. W. Applegate, Haskell, Texas. tf

KASCH COTTON SEED-We have 150 bushels of Pure Kasch planting seed belonging to Will Weise for sale at \$1.00 per bushel. See W. A. Duncan at the Duncan Gin Company.

FOR SALE-First Year Kasch Cotton Seed, \$1.00 per bushel. W. M. Wheeler, Route 1. 2 miles east on Throckmorton road.

FOR SALE Good Milch Cow and calf. See W. D. Koonce.

FOR SALE-50 tons maize. model Ford Touring car, cash or credit. Hardy Grissom

Abilene, Texas.

Genuine McGee and Early Anna and place thereof by posting three Tomato Plants. 25c per dozen, or 20c notices for three consecutive weeks

FOR SALE-White Leghorn Chicks two weeks old. 15c each. Telephone 333. Mrs. C. Wheatley.

LOST-Last Sunday night, between can be made, will accomodate you as the Church of Christ building in Haskell and Rule a leather hand bag containing many sermon outlines, other books and papers. Also a leather sack containing about \$35.00 in money and checks. Checks payable to Starnes and Co. Satisfactory reward guaranteed for the return. W. W. Starnes, Rule Tex.

> Don't forget the West Side Barber Shop when you need barber work.

Brooder Lamp Explodes

Walter Hudson, of the Howard community lost a bunch of chickens Saturday night. Their brooder lamp exploded and burned 140 chickens for them. They were the R. I. Reds and about four days old and were looking pretty. They saved the brooder house by turning it over.

Play A Success

The play "Daughters of the Dessert' given at the Howard School house last Tuesday night, by the Pleasant Valley people was enjoyed by a large crowd. They made the neat sum of about \$22 of which the Howard school received a

Rain and Hail in Howard Community Last Wednesday afternoon about 1:30 o'clock the Howard community was visited by an awful rain and hail Grand, Route 4, Haskell, Texas. 8tc. storm. Down in the south east part of the community the hail was four or five inches deep, and lots deeper in and hatch. J. O. Jackson, Rule Texas deal of hail fell over the entire community, but not so severe as it was in the south east part.

Moves to San Angelo

Bill McCormick of Stamford will eave Monday morning for San Angelo, where he will make his home. We hope that he will like his new home. He is well known in the Vernon community

Entertains With Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson of Say les community entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night. Every one left at a late hour thanking them for such a nice time.

Attend Singing Convention

Some of the Howard people attended he East Side Singing which was held at Roberts last Sunday. They had some real good singing. We were in opes it would go to Howard the next first Sunday, but it went further away, as it went to Grasshopper.

No. 664 Notice by Guardian of Application to Make Mineral Lease

In Re Guardianship of Willie Inez Roberts et al, Minors. In County Court Haskell County, Texas. March Term A.

Notice is hereby given that I, J. H. Roberts, guardian of the estate of Wil- the S. E. corner of said survey; he Inez Roberts, Sallie Jewel Roberts and John Henry Roberts, Jr., minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause will take \$4000.00, cash payment \$200.00 for an order of the County Judge of Haskell County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may direct and or der, of the following described real es tate of said wards, to-wit:

An undivided 1.7 interests in and to 160 acres of land, situated in Wheeler County, Texas, being the SW 14 of Sec No. 103, Block No. 23, of H. & G. N. Ry Company surveys.

Said application will be heard by the ounty Judge at the court house in the city of Haskell, Texas, on the 9th day of April A. D. 1927.

J. H. Roberts, Guardian NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, on the 18th day of March. 1926, J. A. Underwool and F. W. Underwood executed to C. B. Bryant, trustee, a deed of trust on the lands hereinafter described, located in Haskell County, Honey Grove, Texas, by deed of record Texas, for the purpose of securing the

indebtedness therein set forth, to-wit: Two notes for the sum of \$12,250.00. each, dated March 15th, 1926, payable to the order of the Sherman Loan and Trust Company on October 15th, 1926. bearing interest from date at the fate of 8 per cent per annum.

dated May 7th, 1925, payable to the Trust Company and an unpaid balance Commercial National Bank of Sherman, Texas, on November 15th, 1925, bearing interest from date at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

One note for the sum of \$16,500.00. dated May 7th, 1925, payable to the Merchants & Planters National Bank prior liens thereon evidenced by: of Sherman, Texas, on November 15th, 1925, bearing interest from date at the rate of 7 percent per annum; said deed of trust being recorded in Vol. 30, page 25th, 1922, and recorded in vol. 25, page 289 of the Deed of Trust Records of 291 of the Deed Records of Haskell Haskell County, Texas,

And, Whereas, said deed of trust provides in substance that at any time after the maturity of said notes given order, and to the Sherman Loan and Trust Company, upon the request of the then holders of said notes, said trustee, or Willie L. Robertson, trustee, dated his successor or successors, if any, shall March 9th, 1922, recorded in Vol. 25, proceed to sell said property at the page 294 of the Deed of Trust Records WANTED-Good reliable man with door of the court house of Haskell of said county, securing note for \$1, car to represent us in this territory.ex. County. Texas, between the hours of 500.00 payable to the Empire Mortgaperience unnecessary. A good open- 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. ge Company of Wichita Falls. Texas. ing for some one who is reliable and m., on the first Tuesday in some willing to work Write M. E. Bourland, month to the highest bidder for cash, April, 1927. care of Singer Sewing Machine Co., and that before making any sale, 2tc. the trustee shall give notice of the time

per dozen in lots of 100. Ed Fouts, Itc prior to the time of sale at public places in Haskell County, Texas, one Haskell County Greeting of which shall be at the door of the court house thereof. And said deed of trust further provides that upon the death, refusal or failure from any cause the said C. B. Bryant to act, the then

tion in some newspaper published in the County of Haskell, once in each week previous to the majority of said notes and privileges conveyed to or conferred upon the said C. B. Bryant.

And, whereas, said notes are all past due and the unpaid balance of the notes held by the Sherman Loan and Trust Company amounts to the sum of \$6031.00 on each note and the amounts now due and unpaid on each of the two notes payable to the Commercial National Bank of Sherman, Texas, respectively, amounts to the sum of \$17,436.00: and after default in the payment of said notes, and each of them, after maturity, the Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman, Texas, and the Merchants and Planters National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Replace of the said Court on the lith day of National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman Loan and Trust Company and the Commercial National Bank of Sherm ders of said notes, made demand on C B. Bryant, trustee, that he should proceed to advertise and sell said lands as provided in said deed of trust, and the said C. B. Bryant, having failed and refused to comply with said demand. and having resigned as trustee, by an instrument of writing, and the Sherman Loan and Trust Company of Sherman, Texas; the Commercial National Bank of Sherman, Texas, and the Merchants and Planters National Bank of Sherman, Texas, having by an instrument in writing appointed C. B. Dorchester to act as substitute trustee under the provisions of said deed of trust, and having further demanded that C B. Dorchester as substitute trustee should proceed to advertise and sell said lands under the provisions of said deed of trust:

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that C. B. Dorchester, as substitute, trustee under the aforesaid deed of trust and acting under the provisions thereof, will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the door of the court house of Haskell county, Texas on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1927, being the 3rd day thereof, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m., all the right, title and interest of the said J. A. and F. W. Underwood in and to the following described lots or parcels of land situated in Haskell ounty, Texas, to wit:

FIRST TRACT-On the waters of Paint Creek in Haskell County, Texas, about 60 1-2 miles S. 83 W. from Fort Belknap and known as survey No. 67, certificate No. 3831, issued to Herbert DeFaaz, containing 640 acres, Patent No. 281, Vol. 7, abstract No. 140, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the N.W. corner of said DeFaaz survey:

Thence with the North boundry of said survey S. 89 deg. 16' E. 2080 vrs. to the N. E. corner of said survey;

Thence along the East boundary of said survey S. I deg. 30' W. 2023 vrs. to Thence along the South boundary of

said survey 2112 vrs. to the S.W. corner of said survey; Thence along the West boundary of

said survey N. 2 deg. 15 E. 2917 vrs. to the place of beginning. SECOND TRACT-Being the West 1.3 of the W. G. McDaniel survey 640 acres patented to Ezekiel Green by

Patent No. 385, Vol. 33, being situated on the waters of Paint Creek and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the N.W. corner of said McDaniel survey;

Thence S. 1 deg. 30' W. with the West boundary of said survey 2023 vrs. to the S.W. corner of the same;

Thence East along the south boundary of said survey 729 vrs. to the S.E. corner of this tract: Thence North 15' E. 2011 vrs. to the

N.E. corner of this tract in the north boundary line of said McDaniel survey;

in Book 50 at page 121 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas,

Said sale of the aforesaid land will be made under the provisions of said deed of trust to pay the amounts owing on the notes thereby secured, being unpaid balance of \$6031.00 on each of the two One note for the sum of \$16,500.00 notes payable to the Sherman Loan and of \$17,436.00 principal and accured interest on each of the two notes payable to the Merchants and Planters National Bank and the Commercial National Bank of Sherman, Texas. Said lands will be sold subject to

> (1) Deed of trust executed by John A. Underwood and wife to Willie L Bobertson, trustee, dated February County, Texas, securing note for \$15, 000.00 payable to the Empire Mortgage Company of Wichita Falls, Texas, or

> (2) Second deed of trust executed by John A. Underwood and wife to Witness my hand, this, the 1st day of

C. B. DORCHESTER. Substitute Trustee.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

around the country with a man of immoral habits; and that about January 1925, she left plaintiff and went to Wichita Falls on pretext of hunting work, remained three months associating with men and women of immoral and dissolute habits; and about March, 1926, while plaintiff was living near Breckenridge, she accompanied a woman of immoral character to Breckenridge, boldly associating with her and other men and women of bad characters for several weeks.

That defendant's said excesses, cruel treatment, and outrages thus committed towards plaintiff caused him mental and physical suffering, and were of such a nature as to render their any longer living together insupportable. Plaintiff prays for a divorce, and the custody of their five-year old daughter, Reba, who is making her home with him, and for general relief

Herein fail not And have you before said Court on the day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, this the 10th day of March, 1927, ESTELLE TENNYSON LEE

Clerk District Court Haskell County

No. 689 Notice by Guardian of Application to Make Mineral Lease

In Re Guardianship of Jessie Estel Bland, Minor. Is the County Court Haskell County Texas. March term

Notice is hereby given that I, J. II Bland, guardian of the estate of Jessie Estell Bland a minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Haskell County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said ward to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the lowing described real estate of said ward, to wit

An undivided 7-48 interest in and to 293 acres of land in Haskell County, Texas, and being subdivision No. 1 of Wm. Walker Survey No. 63, Cert. 361. 460, Pat. No. 793, Vol 12, said Subdivi sion No. 1 being fully described and shown on a plat of said survey recorded in vol 2 Page 199 of the Surveyor's records of Paskell County, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the courthouse in the city of Haskell, Texas, on the 2nd day of April A D. 1927.

J. H. Bland, Guardian of the Estate of Jossie Estell Bland a minor ----

Bring your harness troubles to us we will solve them. Electric Shoe and Top

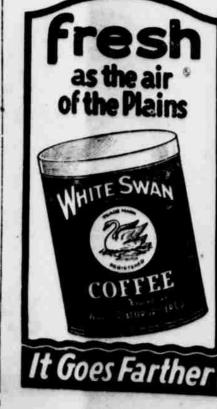
CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES

Thence West along said north boundary line 690 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Said tracts of land being the same tracts as were conveyed to J. A. Underwood by the First National Bank of Honey Grove, Texas, by deed of record in Book 50 at page 121 of the Deed

Worms and parasites in the intestines of children the intestines of children in the intestines of children in the intestines of weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest in the intestines of children in the intestines of

Ontes Drug Store



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THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sherif to any Constable of Haskell County GREETING

Haskell County Greeting

You are hereby commanded. That summon, by publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Haskell, once in each week for four consecution means and a summon in the county of Haskell, once in each week for four consecution means and the constant of the constant of this citation in any newspaper published in the 39th indicial district but it there be no newspaper published in the some paper published in the name of the solution of this Citation in any newspaper published in the solution of this Citation in some newspaper published in the solution of this Citation in some newspaper published in the county of Haskell, once in each week for four consecution weeks for four consecution weeks for four consecution of this Citation in some newspaper published in the county of Haskell, once in each week for four consecution weeks for four consecution weeks previous to the return four consecution of this Citation in man, by making Published in the County of Haskell in the some newspaper published in the county of Haskell in the some newspaper published in the some newspaper published in the some newspaper published in the county of Haskell in the some newspaper published in the county of Haskell in the some newspaper published in the some newspaper newspaper newspaper newspaper news

less, however, 80 acres in a square out of the Northeast corner of said section. Third Tract: The A. Houston Survey No. 144, Abstract 174, Certificate 784, patented to the State of Texas by Patent No. 891, Volume 2, less, however, 80 acres in a square out of the Southern Corner.

said three tracts of land.

That the plantiffs and defendants are the sole owners of said land and premises so far as is known to your plaintiffs herein and that the estimated value thereof is \$5000.00.

That your plaintiffs, S. W. Scott and Natalie Harris Hammond, desire that their joint undivided 13-14 interests in said three tracts of land, owned jointly by the two of them, be set aside to them jointly and not partitioned as between hemselves so that your plaintiff, S. W. Scott, will own an undivided 8-13 interest and your plaintiff, Natalie Harris Hammond, will own an undivided 5-13 interest in and to the tracts of land set aside to the two of them jointly.

two of them jointly.

WHEREFORE, plaintiffs pray that the defendants, R. C. McCullough and the heirs of R. C. McCullough, deceased, be cited by publication ac-McCullough, decrased, be cited by publication according to law to appear and answer this petition and that on a final hearing of this cause that they have judgment for the partition and division of said lands and premises against said defendants, R. C. McCullough and the heirs of R. C. McCullough, deceased; that the 13-14 interest in nd to said three tracts of land be set aside to you plaintiffs. S. W. Scott and Natalie Harris Hawmond, jointly, and that the undivided 1-14 interest in and to said three tracts of land owned by R. C. McCullough and the heirs of R. C. McCullough, decrased, be set aside to them in severalty, that commissioners to partition said land by R. C. McCullough and the side to them in sev-cralty, that commissioners to partition said land be appointed; that a writ of partition issue and that they have judgment for the title and posses-sion of that portion of said land that may, by the judgment of this court, be ascertained and declared to be the property of the plaintiffs herein, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity that they may be justly entitled to, etc.

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HIRFIN JAIL NOT, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the det my hand and seal of said Court Haskell, Texas, this, the 16th day o larch A. D. 1927. (Seal) ESTELLE TENNYSON LEE, Clerk District Court Haskell County, Texas, By V. W. Meadors, Deputy.

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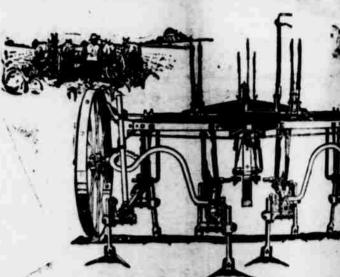
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There's just one miserable blamed

Christie changed the subject instantly. "Wherever we go we couldn't and a kinder friend-father said this morning. It's when trouble comes that real friends count. And your influence would be good on father." Selwood started a little. "I'm so afraid now of his running with these awful gamblers, down in River street." Selwood looked away. Christle spoke on very seriously: "Of all men in the world I think gamblers are meanest

Selwood coughed. "To tell the truth." he said simply. "I never thought much about it. But," he added, pausing, "I guess maybe you're right. I'll be going. You'll remember to do just as I've told you? And please don't say anything whatever to your father about the matter til! it's all over."

They walked together to the tent. then he turned his steps, reflectively un-street in the direction of Fyler's store building; this he sauntered circumspectly about, inspecting each side with deliberate care and walking away from it thoughtfully. It looked like a hard nut to crack. He walked thence to the hotel, went upstairs, followed the narrow, low corridor to his room, unlocked the door. and went in. He lighted a lamp, adjusted the wick and the shade, and sat down on the side of his shabby bed. On the wall opposite him hung a framed woodcut of a missionary padre. In the silence Selwood looked long and thoughtfully at the old print. A cloud had long hung ove: the story of his own life, a cloud that selwood had always felt might possibly be lifted by this old manif he were yet alive. The uncertainty of this was one reason that helped to paralyze Selwood's resolve to find

Tonight the gambler acted with his natural determination. He rose, took the picture from the wall, turned down the wick of the lamp, blew it out, and with the woodcut under his arm, returned to the hall.

Carrying the picture to his office. he wrote and painted on a sheet of paper a sign and, returning to the hall, hung the picture on the wall beside his desk-about the most conspicuous place in the room. Underneath the picture he tacked the writ-

For reliable information as to the whereabouts of this o 3 padre I will pay one hundred oun es of gold dust JOHN SELWOOD.

Bill Pardaloe watched him put the portrait up. He read the sign haltingly at least twice before he turned to ask a question. "Where is he?" "If he's alive," answered Selwood. "he's wandering somewhere around the mountain country among the In-

Pardaloe studied again the features of the long-haired old man in the print. "Won't any other padre do?" he snorted, picturing to his imagination the good times latent in one hundred ounces of gold dust.

"No other padre," said Selwood unfeelingly, "will do." "What do you want with him?" de-

manded Pardaloe. The answer was prompt and decisive. "That's my business. Get hold of Bob Scott, Bill, and bring him

in here." For ten years John Selwood had wanted to meet-yet lived in a certain dread of meeting-this padre; he had finally resolved to face him and, if it must come, to know the

Other frontiersmen, drawn by Pardaloe's talk, crowded up to look at the picture. Selwood rid himself of the first rush of questioners and retired to his room, with Pardaloe, who had reappeared, bringing Scott. "There's been a mean deal put over this trader, Fyler," Selwood began, addressing both men. He told them the facts in the case, about which they had already heard the town talk. "And after robbing him of his stock of goods," continued Selwood, "they called him out of his tent, knocked him on the head, and took all his money, to make things easy for themselves. Fyler's girl is an innocent sufferer. Now this is what I called you both in for. I'm going to clean those fellows out of Fyler's store tonight. I'll need some help. Do you two want to join me? There'll be a fight. Take it or leave it, just as you like-no harm done either way." Bob Scott never responded, to Selwood at least, with anything more than an affirmative grin; he wasted

no words. . Pardaloe, however, had to have his talk. "Look here, John," he growled, "I know who's in that store."

"So do I," assented Selwood, un sympathetically.

"It's Atkins and Bartoe and Big Haynes." "What then?"

"Yes, that's all right-'What then? -but those fellows are loaded. They'll shoot. How' you going to do it? Goin' to coax 'em out with

candy?" Selwood, speaking low and quietly, laid out his plan. It promised the warmest-kind of a time. Pardaloe's backward, skeptical expression changed into an anticipative glow. He offered neither further comment nor criticism, but rose on his bony shanks. "Let's go. John."

Scott ventured an amiable inquiry -he was, after all, the more prudent of the two adventurers that Selwood had called to his aid. "What kind of firearms have them fellows got in

"Atkins is a little dangerous," said Selwood, for he fate he must be rea- tent

Atkins is handy with a Colt's. Bartoe carries a bottle. He may not wake up until it's half over. He and Big Haynes use shotguns. They're as likely to hit each other as to hit us. What do you say?"

Pardaloe was ready. "I'll take the old gun along," he mused in cheerful

Selwood was firm. "No artiliery on

Pardaloe protested with some violence. Selwood overbore him, threatening that if he persisted he should be left wholly out of the venture.

"I'll meet you at the barn at twelve',' said Selwood finally, "See Abe Cole, Bill and get a sledge-hammer. I'll bring a couple of axes from the barn. By the way," he added, "here's something I want you two to do before you go."

The three men passed unnoticed through the hall, and Selwood stopped them outside. He pointed to the big sign over the wide doorway:

JOHN SELWOOD, GAMBLER

"Get a ladder," he said to the two en, "and take that sign down, It never should have gone up there. Dave coaxed me into putting it up. after he got wounded that night down at Bartoe's sald it was too good advertising to lose. "Well," he continued with an acid touch, "I'm advertised! Everybody along the Mountain divide knows I'm a gainbler. Why advertise it any tonger?"

"Yes," growled Pardaloe, "they know you're a gambler. But if you haul down your sign how's everybody going to know where to find you? he demanded triumphantly.

"Better for some of 'em if they didn't find me," retorted Selwood in differently, "Stop your talk, dash it. Bring out the ladder and pull down the sign."

CHAPTER VII

An Early Morning Party

Filling in for one of his men, Sel wood sat dealing at the large faro table near his desk. It was two hours since he had left Christie. In that interval she had had another visitor at the tent. Her father had already wakened, when Christie was called to the tent door by a voice and. looking cautiously out, saw Starbuck standing in the moonlight.

"I didn't want you to think I went away with any hard feelings," be sald, explaining himself calmly to Christle and throwing into his words that touch of sympathy and interest he was always able to summon. Christie listened with reluctance. But as her caller was at no loss for words he was soon heard by her father, who, raising his voice, called him, over-Christie's protest, into the

"Here's the man." he said. "that can give us the help we need. Christie, if you'll treat him in the

way you'd ought to. Christle burst into tears. The ob ligation of secrecy was on her-she thought she knew why, now; but she would not resist the satisfaction of a covert threat. "If Mr. Starbuck won't help us," she exclaimed, "we may find somebody in Sleepy Cat

She was sorry the instant she had spoken, but it was too late to recall her words.

"Anybody that goes near the store without me," Starbuck said calmly, "will get riddled with buckshot-so," he added, looking first at Christie and then at her father, "don't make any mistake like that."

He marched with dignity out of the ent. Fyler kept up a weak fire of reproach. Christle was used to such things on more subjects than one, and only continued to listen silently. What thoughts were in her mind, her father, least of all, could have surmised. She gave him some refreshment presently, and he fell into an uneasy sleep. That moment seemed to rouse her from her apathy and signalize her resolve.

She rose cautiously but hurrledly. caught up a shawl that lay across her cot, opened her little trunk, and

stealthily drew out a scarf. Pausing, and looking at her father only long enough to be sure he slept. she carefully lowered the wick of the lantern, blew out the light, and stepped with as little noise as possible to the tent door. Wrapping herself in her shawl, and winding her scarf about her head and neck, she pushed open the fly and stood alone out in the moonlight.

Once started, Christle did not hesitate. She walked swiftly along the street, hardly knowing which way to look in her quest, but determined to follow it. The only place where she hoped she might make a successful inquiry was at the big barn; and toward this she directed her steps.

She was being trailed, though she did not realize it. Believing herself unobserved and unseen, she pursued her course, and it was only when Bob Scott stepped out of a shadow in front of her that she was fright-

"Were you looking for somebody lady?" he asked. Christie jumped, but Scott's inof-

fensive manner reassured her. She had seen him in company with Selwood at the store, and some instinct told her he meant no harm. "I am looking for some one."

"Who is it?" "He's the superintendent of the freighting line." "I guess I know who you mean. He

was down to see your father tonight." "Oh, she cried in confusion. "I don't mean Mr. Starbuck."

Scott was conndent, "I cop't, either.' You mean John Selwood. you do want to see him, I think I can find him. But I'll have to be gone a few minutes. Now, here's the barn" -he pointed to the big structure close at hand, "If you'd walk down with me and wait a few minutes in the office, I'll have him here."

Still in fear and trembling, Christle accompanied her guide to the barn office. Two formidable-looking dogs rushed to the door as Scott opened it. Admonishing them, he turned with a quiet grin. A lighted lantern on the desk revealed the interior to Christie. "If you can sit here for five minutes." said Scott, "these dogs will guard to warn me?" he asked. you better than anybody in Sleepy Cat could do it. Just pet them a ilttle." Christle made friends cautious ly with the two dogs. "We call one Chloe," explained Scott, "and this is Sweetheart. They're Mr. Selwood's favorite wagon dogs-half bull and half mastiff-and if anybody tries to come into this office while I'm gone. they'll eat 'em up. Are you willing to wait with them?"

Christie smiled rather mournfully "I suppose I can't help it," she said uneasily. "Please hurry!"

Scott lost no time in getting to Sel wood, whom he found at his desk The Indian whispered to him. Selwood selzed his hat, followed Scott out the back door and the two, singly, and walking in different directions joined Christie.

Chloe and Sweetheart, barking furiously, sprang up to be fondled when Selwood opened the door. Scott took the dogs outside, and Selwood turned to Christle. "T've been looking everywhere for you-and if I hadn't seen Mr. Scott, I never should have found you. Are you in business here, Mr. Selwood?"

"Why-yes."

"What is it, may I ask?"

He answered haitingly-glad it was dark. "Well, I'm mixed up in different kinds of business here that's what got me into trouble with your father." He spoke with a laugh-or tried to. "I run this Russell and Wentworth freighting outfit," he continued, "I suppose if I called myself anything, it might be a mining man. What has happened?"

She was so confused and overcome now that she could hardly summon the words she wanted. "Nothing has happened. I feared what might happen-tonight. You didn't tell me," she ventured, "just what you were she added, disconnectedly, "Mr. Starbuck came over again."

Selwood looked keenly at her "What did he want?"

"First he said," she began brokenly, "he wanted to turn the store back to father." "Was that all?"

"No." "What else?" "If-what?" "The same condition he name! be-

"If you'd marry him, eh?"

"Yes."

"Well, what did you say?" "I said-what I said before, Then he made a threat. He said that anybody who went near the store without

him would get killed." "And you wanted to let me know?" She fingered the fringe of her scarf, but looked steadily at him.

"To be careful," she said. He took her back to the tent and parted with her, hard as it seemed to do, at the fly. "Why did you want

"To repay your kindness." They snoke in low tones.

"Well," Selwood said lightly, "If I get hurt, you'll know it was while I was trying to follow your advice." He was still laughing as she alipped hurriedly into the tent.

Shortly after three o'clock that morning two men with the barest of shifts for disguise, and followed by two dogs, whining and leaping at their heels, left the stage barn. One



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man carried three common axes, of going to do about the store." Then the heavy type used in the tle camps along the river; the other carried a sledge of a size and weight that would have rendered it useless in the hands of an ordinary man. But Pardaloe, Scott, and their companion in the adventure were not ordinary men; the first was a glant in physique, the second dangerous in encounter, and the third fertile in re-

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French spent several days on business Mrs. J. P. Payne and Mrs. A. C. Pierson have returned from Chillicothe and Vernon where they visited their sis-

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Maxwell and grandson Curtis Jordan went to Wichi- enjoyed by a large crowd. Several court-martial. ta Falls Tuesday of this week to visit games were played and at a late hour

Sam A beerts returned Saturday from Marlin, where he accompanied his brother, Barnest L. Roberts of Dalhart to a sanitarium in that city. * *

Mrs. Joe Kleaker and little son Rob of Ryland spent last week visiting Haskell. She formerly war Miss Elsie

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Birthday Party.

Miss Felicia Siegel was hostess to a birthday. Thirty guests were present, covered coiled in a bookcase near the and a delightful afternoon was spent playing numerous games and contests. Refreshments were served to all present, and the honoree was the recipient of many beautiful presents and each of her little friends wished her many more such happy birthdays.

Party

and Mrs. Tidwell Saturday night was native village, Vollins, and are facing a they departed expressing thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Tidwell for their good enter-

Magazine Club.

The Magazine Club met in regular session at the library Friday afternoon, girls marrying peasants. with the president Mrs. Courtney Hunt presiding. Mrs. Hill Oates was hostess for the afternoon and Mrs. H. M. Smith directed the program on "Study n Art" The roll call response was muzzle-loading, flintlock pistols, a silver Notable Old WorldPictures Now in mold for making balls and a wooden Mrs. W. H. Murchison America." talked on "Notable Art Centers in America." Special Study "Andrea Del Sarto," Mrs. H. S. Wilson, Current Art Notes, Mrs. R. J. Earnest. The di- West says. rector gave an interesting talk on Technique, Hiustrate Pderapcetive and omposition.

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Sweetwater-Monte Owen, formerly secretary of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, is on the job here as secretary of the Sweetwater Board of City Development. Ower succeeds W. Scott Barcus who now holds the scretaryship at Pampa.

Dublin-R. M. Milholin, vocational is position to become Hale County

Barstow-A 4200 acre tract has been opened here recently for colonization by farmers.

Gun toting may become a felony in Montana, now that wild animals. In dians and old-time outlaws have van-

The congregation of the Mount Zion Church at Shaker Bend, Kentucky, was number of her little friends on Thurs thrown into a near panic when a four day March 26th, honoring her eleventh and a half foot black snake was dis-

> The Chinese were probably the first people to use coal

Two French deserters of the World War have been living for twenty years in the forest caves of the wooded The party given at the home of Mr. | mountains. They returned to their

> The Babylonians were the first to use the arch in building.

To keep the country girls on the farm everal departments of France have proposed giving of dowries by the state to

Lawrence Bonet of Washington has presented to the West Point Mflitary Academy a brace of old-fashioned, ramrod owned and use by Napoleon I.

Covotes will hunt silently for hours for field mise, a park naturalist in the

-English history shows that when thievery was punished by death, pickpockets plied their trade among the dense crowds watching the public execution of pickpockets.

Miss Estelle Calloway Entertains

Miss Estelle Caloway of near Haskell entertained a number of young people in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Caloway. The guests departed at a late hour thanking Miss Calo way for the nice times they had had

SENIOR ALPHABET

is for Alvis; a boy we know as Jim, Also for Agnes a girl who was never slim.

is for Burwell whose last name is Cox, Physically and mentally as strong as an ox.

is for Coburn just Stella Mae, Also for Conner the heroine in the play.

is for dandy we, Seniors of thirty and three. is for Ernest and Elmore both brave and bold,

The leaders for us! Pure Gold! is for bonny and blithe and gay,

is for Grissom, Charles you know, Also for Guest who was called Joe.

H is for Hazel, a girl true blue, Hester and Hayes, Jessie Maud and Mary Sue.

is for Iola, popular and free, Never satisfied yet longing to be

J is for Jerene who was lovely and kind, Also for Johnson, a quieter girl you'll never find

is for Katherine who stuck to the end, Not one, but evreybody's friened

is for Lonnie, Loreda, and Lewis; the three, Loving and loyal they'll always be

is for Mask, our friend Earline, A better sport has never been seen. Also for Marion and Maurine,

Who were favorites of all, To remember them is pleasant memories to recall is for none in our class,

Who is not a good true-hearted lass. is for Patience, Prudence and Pep.

You can get them with or without help. is for quit, who never went far. That's not us; you can tell by the scar.

is for Ruby who greets all with a smile The clouds are rugged; it remains all the while. Also for Ratliff, everybod's chum Always happy and ready for fun.

is for Smith, Stroker and Stone, They'll be missed when they are gone.

T is for those who have gone on before, Things they have done will live evermore

is for useful, and applies to everyone. Of our class; what more could you have done? is for Vaughn who is known by his deeds;

Gets what he wants, leaves what he needs. is for Wadzeck; we know him by his Marks, Alsi for Whitaker; who always takes parts,

is for X's when we're good, And Wolf, a girl with the kindest of hearts. We could get them if we would.

is for Young and Youthful today, Seniors of 27! Up and away!

is for zeal which we all claim, nothing but good are we to blame.

By Paye Atkins, 11th Grade.

earning Love's

And school begins again today! Though years have swiftly sped away, Hawthorne Sweetheart, don't you remember?

Don't you recall the long ago (When you and I were young, you know)-That morning in September?

Have you forgotten how I tried So hard to get a seat beside, In front of, or behind you? Don't you remember what I wrote In that first ardent little note, Or must I now remind you?

Remember how I failed to know Where any of the rivers flow-Or when or why or whether? Do you recall that afternoon (For me it ended all too soon!) When we walked home together?

Oh, little did we realize That what we saw through lovers' eye Was wisdom Nature brought us! But here we are today, and know That things we dreamed of years ago Mean more than what was taught us

were played and at a late hour the tertain them again soon. guests departed wishing they would entertain them again soon.

Entertains With Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobs of east of periments now under way prove suctown entertained a number of the cessing

young people with a party Friday night The party given by Mr. and Mrs. Seat. The guests departed at a late hour Cox, Saturday night was enjoyed by a thanking Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs for the arge crowd. "42" and other games nice the and wishing they would en-

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Now is the time to cull your hens and give your young chickens more room while the price is good. We will pay you the following prices April 7th, 8th and 9th at Haskell.

Heavy Hens, 4 lbs and up per lb. 18c Light Hens, per pound 14c All Leghorns, per pound 15c Fryers at Market Price.

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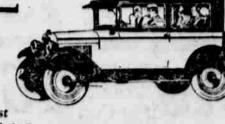
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The Presbyterian Auxiliary met at | The Wor he church last Monday afternoon and nity gave Mrs. Sarah Son enjoyed a good program with the fol- party last Thursday as owing ladies taking special parts, Mrs. home of her son C. H S. Wilson, Mrs. J. W. Pace, Mrs. lady brought ber I. P. Kinnard, Mrs. C. P. Petty and to let her know that a Mrs. R. R. English, the latter lady is gotten her. Several in the president and she conducted a were played after which business meeting in which it was de- of cake, sandwiches, cided to have an open house meeting on coffee were served to April the 18th, and invite all church five women, adies in Haskell to a Kitchen Shower for their new church kitchen. They

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