

TANNER PAINT

(By Mrs. N. C. Smith) We are having some pretty weather. Farmers are all beginning to farm with a smile.

There are still a few cases of the flu and quite a few colds.

Our school is progressing nicely with large attendance.

Mrs. S. B. Spurlin and children went to Knox last week to visit her son and daughters.

O. J. McCain and C. N. Smith were in Haskell Thursday on business.

There was one new trustee to be elected for the Tanner Paint School April 3rd. Mr. Elbert Martin's term expires, leaving O. J. McCain, Mr. Quade and C. N. Smith to serve next term.

Mr. and Mrs. McCain spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Kitley north of Rule.

George Kitley and wife went to Hamlin Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Pain Patterson.

Mr. Sherron Martin of Temple is visiting home this week.

POST

(By Mrs. W. W. Griffin)

The health of the community is fair at this writing everyone is able to enjoy the big rains we are having.

Mrs. M. L. Middlebrook is recovering from the "flu".

Mrs. H. C. Adams and baby Maxine and Mrs. Billie Kestron are visiting their relatives in Sherman this week.

Mrs. J. B. Narny and family of the Howard community visited Mrs. J. L. Earle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Middlebrook of Stamford visited relatives in this community this week.

Every one enjoyed the splendid play entitled "Deacon Ship" given at the Post school building Wednesday evening by the high school pupils.

Mrs. Clayton Adams and baby and Mrs. Bill Kestron and baby of the Post community left Sunday for an extended visit to relatives in Sherman.

CENTER POINT

(By Ethel Bland)

We have certainly had plenty of rain here, and from the looks of the weather we are to have some more. These good rains have been appreciated and are fine on the feed and cotton that has been planted.

On account of the weather there was no Sunday school Sunday.

The teachers of this community and several others decorated our booth at Haskell Thursday afternoon.

We are sorry to report Mr. Tom Morgan ill.

Mr. Omer Jeter was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gentry and sons of Ballew visited the latter's parents Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harwell.

Mr. Frank Jeter has filled in the low places between his home and the road in order to have a better driveway in rainy weather.

Mrs. Lloyd and sons of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby this week end.

Everybody remember that this week end is church time and be there Saturday night, also Sunday morning and night.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

Most all the young people attended the singing at Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bland of Sayles Sunday night.

Mrs. Fred Sanders of this city who has been in the Stamford Sanitarium for several weeks returned home Tuesday improved in health very much.

BALLEW

(By Clara Childress and Teria Patterson.)

The rain that fell in this community Friday was not needed. The farmers that had their maize planted had to plant over.

The health of this community is not very good at this writing. Mr. Odis Price's baby has been real sick but is improving.

The party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. York Saturday night was enjoyed by all who were present.

Mrs. Frank Dodson and Miss Floy Mullins of Haskell were visiting in this community last Friday.

Miss Gladys McMillin has been out of school part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott and the latter's mother Mrs. Ella Cobb and children were in this community Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Pauline Bledsoe of Cottonwood spent the week-end with Misses Teria and Lennie Patterson.

Miss Minnie Lee Dendy is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dendy of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown had business in Rule Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Owens and children of Post were visitors in the Childress home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Slover Bledsoe were visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

The children at the school house had an Easter Egg Hunt Friday. Toney Turnbow won the prize.

The Easter Egg Hunt given at the home of Mr. W. C. Childress was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. Henry Pinkerton of Throckmorton is visiting in the home of A. M. York.

PLEASANT VIEW

(By Veda Edwards)

Most all of the farmers who had their feed in the ground will have to plant over on account of the rainy weather.

Our school is doing nicely and is planning on a big time the last of school.

The writer spent the week end in Weinert last week.

Mr. Bird Edwards who is attending Draughtons Business College of Abilene was at home the later part of last week but has returned.

We have started our Epworth League again and we invite every one to come and help us out in our work. We are trying to make a better record than we have in the past.

Entertainment for Young People

All of the young people are cordially invited to attend church, and afterwards the entertainment Saturday night April 17 at the Center View church. Come a welcome awaits you.

LOOK!

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

WEST TEXAS MULE BARN

Ben F. Roberts & Son, Props.

PLAINVIEW

(By Ruth Deisman)

April Fool Day was an enjoyable day to the school pupils in the higher grades. They, with their teacher, Miss Belle Lawrence, all "ran off" and spent the day on the creek. After a real good dinner, we made swings and played until about two-thirty, then we all went to a baseball game. After the ball game we went home and that night gave Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hurst an April Fool party. Everyone enjoyed it and we thank Mr. and Mrs. Hurst for being so kind to us.

Mr. Hubert and Kenneth Nollner of Haskell and Arthur, Faye, and Wretha Moody of this place are spending a few days in Vernon, Texas.

The Primary room enjoyed an Easter Egg Hunt Friday afternoon. Richard Nanert received a prize for finding the most eggs.

There were several baseball games played here last week. They were only practice games and we think before long that our boys will have a real good team.

Miss Jannie Haney spent Sunday at Sagerton with relatives.

Mr. Hunter Bruce and wife have just returned from Wichita Falls. Mrs. Bruce has been sick, and we hope for her a speedy recovery.

Several enjoyed Easter Sunday at Flat Top. They took dinner and made pictures. Everyone present enjoyed the occasion.

Misses Autry Bruce and Ruth Deisman spent Sunday afternoon in Haskell.

The singing at the home of A. W.

Hanson Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. Mrs. J. A. Haney and sons of Sagerton spent the week-end with W. T. Haney and family. The writer enjoyed a party at Post Saturday night.

RECEIVES LETTER FROM CHIEF SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS

Below is a letter from Chief Supervisor of High Schools and an official report to Superintendent H. D. Neff, Supt. H. D. Neff, Haskell Texas.

I take pleasure in enclosing the official report of the supervisor who recently visited your high school. A copy of this report is also sent to the president of the school board for his information. As this report is official it should be filed for future reference. Thanking you for your co-operation in the improvement of the schools of the state, I am

Very truly yours, Mary Jo Pappewell, Chief Supervisor of High Schools, The Report.

The work of classifying and accrediting the public schools of Texas is under the direction of the State Committee composed of six members chosen by the public schools and six by the colleges. This committee determines the condition upon which high schools are classified and accredited for the purpose of establishing educational standards, encouraging schools to attain these standards, and certifying those that have attained them so as to facilitate the transfer of students to any other school or college.

The regulations as prescribed by this committee are administered by the State Department of Education through High school supervisors. In the visits of supervisors and their reports to school authorities, recommendations are offered in the spirit of co-operation and helpful suggestion, with the earnest desire that all school authorities will join with the State Department of Education in their efforts to maintain the necessary standards of secondary education in Texas.

In order that the schools may be properly certified it is essential that minimum requirements be met. To that end the supervisor who recently visited your school makes the following recommendations:

- 1. That larger quarters be found for the physical laboratory and that suitable cabinets be furnished for the equipment.
2. The problem at Haskell is the old, wholly antiquated grade building with its painted windows, and in some rooms wholly inadequate light. This is so pronounced in one grade room that there was not sufficient light on a bright sunny morning. Then the seats in over half of the rooms are double. The building should be reconstructed and the class room in the attic should be used for recreation purposes on some days.
3. The grade library is inadequate and needs at least \$100 worth of new books to meet the minimum requirements.
4. The school is to be commended for the good organization and discipline observed.

COTTONWOOD

(Last Week's Letter)

Mr. Arlin Agnew has returned to his home in Cisco after a short visit with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gossett and family.

Several from this community attended the singing convention at Weinert Sunday afternoon. They all report a

fine singing. The next convention meet at Brushy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gossett spent Saturday night and Mrs. G. A. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gossett church at Weinert Sunday.

A crowd of young people report an excellent play.

Advertisement for Dr. Price's Phosphate Baking Powder. Includes an illustration of a child and a tin of powder. Text: 'Growing tots need lots of food! LIGHT, feathery cakes and cookies, when perfectly leavened as with Dr. Price's Phosphate Baking Powder, are wholesome, nourishing and good for children. Good, body-building cake is far better for them than candy. Always have cake in the pantry!'



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Will It Be Cool and Comfortable?

MRS. STELLA FLOYD, Home Economist Will be Here All Next Week Demonstration From 2:30 to 5:00 each day

West Texas Utilities Company

AMUSEMENTS AT THE HASKELL THEATRE

Thursday April 15th. "Daniel Boone Through the Wilderness" WITH ROY STEWART

Friday April 16th. "WOMAN OF THE WORLD" WITH POLA NEGRI Also "Adventures of Maizie," and Aesop's Fables

Saturday April 17th. "GALLOPING JINX" WITH BUDDY ROOSEVELT, A REAL WESTERN. ALSO FOX COMEDY

Monday and Tuesday April 19th and 20th "AMERICAN VENUS" WITH ESTHER BALSTON. Paramount's Famous Screen Entertainment. Color in Picture Lavishly Made "CONNECTICUT YANKEE" With Pauline Starke and Others. Mark Twain's Masterpiece.

Wednesday April 22nd. "STREET OF FORGOTTEN MEN" WITH ALL STAR CAST

Coming Soon— Tom Mix in "Lucky Horse Shoe"

HASKELL THEATRE

SOCIETY and Club

Spacious home of Mrs. C. D. ...
 on last Wednesday afternoon, ...
 ay of the week, Mrs. Clyde ...
 was hostess to the two Bridge ...
 Haskell. The Thursday and ...
 day. Early Spring flowers ...
 of the reception suite and the ...
 aster frocks of the guests ad- ...
 m to the Bridge tables. Mrs. ...
 Payne made high score and ...
 in a Telephone book and Mrs. ...
 ward was consoled for making ...
 a hand painted bud vase. ...
 son served her guests apricot ...
 and white cake and her favors ...
 de umbrellas of dainty hand- ...
 in pink and orchid. Members ...
 no clubs present were: Mrs. ...
 idas of Tyler, Mrs. Marlin Wil- ...
 Mrs. Jess Campbell of Rule and ...
 e J. E. Bernard, W. H. Mur- ...
 roy Shook, C. V. Payne, John ...
 ill Oates, J. P. Payne, Wallace ...
 y Reid, Theron Cahill, Wayne ...
 Bailey Post and Miss Mildred

Days, Stage Play
 by Mrs. H. D. Neff.
 Days, as the name indicates, ...
 college play with all the high ...
 at make College life so inter- ...
 esting and college romances ...
 ing the members of the facul- ...
 ty a big success last Friday eve- ...
 ning in the High School audi- ...
 torium. D. Neff directed this play ...
 and was such a decided success ...
 not production but in door receipts ...
 fully appreciated when it is gen- ...
 erally known that the proceeds are ...
 to be used for the purchase of a ...
 piano for the North Ward ...
 school. Those in the cast were: ...
 Mr. Mary Sherrill, Frances ...
 Kenneth England, Carlton ...
 Lewis Pearse, Ernest Wright, ...
 Mrs. Milton Simmons, Ray East- ...
 E. Patterson, Kirby Kirkpat- ...
 mer Ferguson, and between ...
 were two splendid readings ...
 Ward Boyce and Miss Brucile

Cahill
 His newly elected Mayor T. C. ...
 and Miss Harby Hancock, dau- ...
 Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hancock, ...
 and their closest friends last ...
 Monday driving quietly off to Brecken- ...
 where they were married in that ...
 ding word that they were off ...
 nights trip to points in Central ...
 th Texas and to the Rio ...
 Valley. On their return they ...
 at home to their friends at the ...
 residence on Main Street. All ...
 wishing for the Mayor and Mrs. ...
 happy voyage on the matri- ...
 monial.

JUST BAKED
 you think of anything you ...
 appreciate more when you ...
 company than to have your ...
 decorated with the good, ...
 Pies, Cakes and Pastries and ...
 of ...
ilk Dandy Bread
 hot from our oven?
FLOUR, FINE TEXTURE,
ALWAYS FRESH
HASKELL
BAKERY
HARCROW, PROPRIETOR
 South Side Square
 PHONE 32

Parent-Teachers-Association
Elect Officers.
 The Parent Teachers Association ...
 met in regular semi-monthly meeting ...
 last Thursday afternoon in a business ...
 meeting. The president Mrs. Chas. ...
 Parsons, presided and before going into ...
 the business meeting, Superintendent ...
 H. D. Neff in a short talk brought be- ...
 fore this body some vital facts concern- ...
 ing the Haskell schools that need con- ...
 sidering and in some way settling. ...
 Then the president asked for reports of ...
 the years work and these were given ...
 by the various departments. This ad- ...
 ministration has done some splendid ...
 work this year. At the opening meet- ...
 ing last fall, the president stated ...
 among a number of things that the as- ...
 sociation hoped to do during the year, ...
 two goals were outstanding, one that ...
 the Parent-Teachers-Association would ...
 be to altogether materialistic, but ...
 would put on programs that would ...
 bring out the talents of the students ...
 and at the same time be artistic and ...
 educational, credit not only is due to ...
 the president for such a high ideal but ...
 to the splendid program committee, ...
 who has fostered splendid programs at ...
 each meeting, the other was the estab- ...
 lishing of a student loan fund, and ...
 this too is being done then payments ...
 have been made on the electric clock ...
 and on a set of maps and check for \$25.00 ...
 given on payment of the piano that is ...
 to be purchased for the North Ward ...
 school and \$25.00 made in favor of the ...
 City's Federated Missionary Societies ...
 for the beautifying of the school ...
 grounds, Mrs. H. M. Smith is the chair- ...
 man of this work. The P. T. A. indor- ...
 sed the movement of the City's Feder- ...
 ated Missionary Societies in going be- ...
 fore the Haskell School Board and ask- ...
 ing that some action be taken toward ...
 building a new ward school. Again we ...
 repeat that every patron of the Has- ...
 kell schools should be a member of the ...
 Parent-Teachers-Association and help ...
 in the great work of caring for the ...
 greatest asset that this or any other

community has, boys and girls. It was ...
 voted to have open house next Thurs- ...
 day April 22 at which time all of the ...
 ladies of the town are invited to come ...
 at 3:30 o'clock and besides being giv- ...
 ing some definite idea of what the P. T. ...
 A. is doing and hopes to do, the dele- ...
 gate to the recent Eastland Convention ...
 Mrs. Date Anderson will give her re- ...
 port and those who remember hearing ...
 her last report will not want to miss ...
 this one. The new officers for next ...
 school year are: President, Mrs. Date ...
 Anderson; 1st. Vice President Mrs. B. ...
 M. Whiteker; 2nd. Vice President Mrs. ...
 H. M. Smith; 3rd Vice President Mrs. ...
 H. D. Neff; Treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Ber- ...
 nard; Corr. Sec. Mrs. John Oates; Re- ...
 cording Sec. Mrs. Press Baldwin; Pub- ...
 licity, Mrs. C. M. Kaigler.

NOTICE
 Every woman in the county who is ...
 interested in a county federation and ...
 in securing a county home demonstra- ...
 tion agent is cordially invited to an all ...
 day meeting April 30, ten o'clock, Bat- ...
 tist church Haskell. Every woman is ...
 requested to bring a basket lunch.
 Mrs. Hugh Smith
 Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Com.

Mrs. Brock Presents Piano
Pupils in Recital.
 On last Tuesday evening at 8:30 ...
 o'clock, Mrs. Brock presented her piano ...
 pupils in recital to an appreciative ...
 audience. Mrs. Brock is one of the ...
 oldest music teachers in the county ...
 and does her part to maintain a high ...
 standard in the world of music. This ...
 classical recital was given by the fol- ...
 lowing pupils: Julia Baumhenn, Avis ...
 Lawson, Geneva Williams, Eloise ...
 Couch, Minnie Ola Davis, Mildred Sim- ...
 mons, Mary Pearsey, Chester Strick- ...
 land, Mamie Jones, interspersed by a ...
 vocal solo by William Young and ten- ...
 or banjo accompaniment to a num- ...
 ber of the piano selections.

Harmony Club
 The Harmony Club is practicing ...
 daily on the operetta "Miss Cautners ...
 Returns" which will be put on in the ...
 very near future the date to be an- ...
 nounced soon. It is full of fun and ...
 music and cunning dances, being a ...
 musical comedy of high character.

Methodist Revival
 A revival will begin at the Methodist ...
 Church in this city Sunday April ...
 25. A full announcement will be made ...
 next week.

Church and Sunday School

Methodist Church
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and ...
 7:45 p. m.
 Subject for the morning, "Do we ...
 need a revival?"
 Evening Subject "Symptoms of Back- ...
 sliding."
 Senior League will meet at 7 p. m.
 We wish to make this Sunday a ...
 special day in several ways.
 We want the best attendance both ...
 in Sunday School and church thus far ...
 this year.
 In the morning service we want to ...
 have all the officials of the church and ...
 all the Sunday School teachers.
 We are anxious to see whether there ...
 will be more men or women present.
 There will be good music and a ...
 hearty welcome for all who come.
 Make a special effort to be one of the ...
 number.
 W. B. Vaughn, Pastor.

First Christian Church
 April 18, 1926.
 Bible School meets at 10:00 a. m.
 Communion Service 11:00a. m.
 Morning Sermon By the Pastor, ...
 11:20 a. m.
 Evening Service 7:45 p. m.
 Church Night, Wednesday evening ...
 7:45 p. m.
 Haskell still leads Stamford by near- ...
 ly eight hundred points in the Bible ...
 School contest. Points for last Sunday ...
 were: Haskell 992, Stamford 620.
 Total points up to and including last ...
 Sunday are: Haskell 2010, Stamford ...
 1277. We cordially invite everyone ...
 who will to come and help us hold this ...
 lead over them.
 Please keep in mind also that our ...
 evangelistic campaign will start on ...
 June 2nd and will probably last for ...
 four weeks. Rev. A. B. McReynolds ...
 will lead in this campaign assisted by ...
 his sister as singer and helper. The ...
 public is cordially invited to any and ...
 all of our services.
 G. Robert Forrester, Minister.

First Baptist Church
 The meeting closed last Sunday night ...
 with good interest. Our church is ...
 stronger in the faith, and the interest ...
 is better in every line of the work.
 Several Sunday School classes are mak- ...
 ing special effort this week to reach ...
 the absentees.
 Our superintendent, Mr. A. C. Pierson ...
 and Mrs. B. M. Whiteker are attending ...
 the State Sunday School Convention in ...
 Waco this week. They will have some ...
 live reports for us next Sunday.
 All of the services will be at the us- ...
 ual hours next Sunday. Make your ...
 plans now to be there on time for the ...
 Sunday School. We begin at 9:45.
 You are always welcome.
 W. H. Albertson.

Christian Endeavor Program
 Topic—The Sabbath.
 Leader—Mary Sue Hester.
 Song 81.
 Scripture Reading—Rev. 1:9-11.
 Song 115.
 Leader's Talk.
 The Sabbath and Sport—Rachael ...
 Solomon.
 Selfish Sabbath Breakers—Travis ...
 Solomon.
 Debate—Resolved That the present ...
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 a downward one: Affirmative, Lewis ...
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Song Business.
 Mizpah.
Presbyterian Church
 Sunday School begins at 9:45.
 Morning worship at eleven o'clock, ...
 and the pastor hopes for a full atten- ...
 dance of the membership.
 Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 ...
 and the evening service at 7:30. Vis- ...
 itors are cordially invited to attend ...
 these services.

\$1,000,000 To Lend Through the Rule
National Farm Loan Association
 of Rule, Texas, by the Federal Land Bank of Houston, on Land located in Haskell, Knox, and ...
 Stoneval Counties. Rate, 5 1/2 per cent. Time, On or before 34 1-2 years. The Government's ...
 Plan for cheap money on easy terms.
 \$65 per \$1000 loan paid annually will retire the loan in 34 1-2 years, costing the borrower ...
 a total of \$2242.50.
 \$1000 loan at 8 per cent, (the usual rate) running for the same length of time will cost ...
 the borrower \$3750.00.
 By comparison we find a saving in favor of the Federal Land Bank Loan of \$1518.50 on ...
 the \$1,000.00 borrowed.
NO TROUBLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.
The Rule National Farm Loan Association
 W. H. McCANDLESS, Secretary-Treasurer.
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What Would You Be Paying for Groceries If There Were No "M" System Store

Specials For Friday and Saturday

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	PURE CANE Not more than 25 lbs to customer	\$1.55
	25 LB. SACK.....	
Green Beans	FRESH AND TENDER We will have plenty. PER POUND.....	12 1/2c
APPLES	LARGE SIZE WINESAP PER DOZEN.....	34c
LEMONS	EXTRA LARGE RED BALL BRAND PER DOZEN.....	21c
PEACHES	SUNKIST BRAND NO. 2 1-2 SIZE EACH.....	24c

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Every need is taken care of in this **Wonder Sale of New House-keeping Supplies at Only 19c!** You'll hardly believe such values possible! **SALE STARTS SATURDAY AND LASTS 2 WEEKS.** Be here early and get the best selection.

A Few Specials from Our Varied Stock—Values You Cannot Afford to Overlook!

32 inch Dress Gingham.....	12 1/2c
Red Seal Gingham, 27 inch.....	15c
36 inch Dress Prints, a real value and good selections, at per yd.....	23c
Silk Crepe Scarfs.....	\$1.89
Latest styles and colors.	
Ladies \$3.50 Printed Broadcloth Dresses.....	\$2.95
\$4.95 values for.....	\$3.29
Ladies Gingham House Dresses.....	98c
36 inch Dress Voiles.....	23c
Ladies Chiffon Hose. All colors Per pair.....	89c
Ladies Silk Hose in good range of colors.....	49c
Men's Dress Shirts and Dress Pants.....	10 Per Cent OFF 19c
All Men's, Womens, and Childrens Shoes at.....	10 Per Cent Discount
Men's Blue Work Shirts.....	65c

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NO. 2 LAMP BURNERS—A brass burner that will make your lamps give better and cheaper light. Scientifically constructed and economical to use. 2 for 19c.

FANCY HUCK TOWELS—Best bleached huck towel for every day or guest use. Past color novelty borders. 17x37 inches—19c each.

A KNOCKOUT VALUE!—Lisle Finish Hose for Men. Full seamless fine gauge lisle finish hose. Look well—wear long. Black and cordovan. 19c.

SCARF AND BUFFET SET—Stamped to Match. Three piece buffet set and an 18x45 inch scarf. White or tan art crash. Each 19c.

MARCEL WAVING IRON—You can easily keep your hair in delightful waves. This iron will help you do it. Each 19c.

Get in on This Bargain! **GOLD BAND CUP AND SAUCER, Semi-Porcelain**—19c. Light weight, highly glazed chinaware decorated with handsome gold band. An outstanding value during this sale!

FLOUR SIFTER SPECIAL—Famous Bristol pattern with crank conveniently projecting through handle. Sturdy construction and fine workmanship throughout. Only 19c.

Beautifully Decorated SALAD BOWLS: 9 inch—Floral decorated, deep shape. Fancy embossed scroll light weight semi-porcelain bowls, edges. An unequalled value at 19c.

CHILDREN'S KNEE-LENGTH HOSE—Full mercerized, fine gauge hose. Cuff tops are of artificial silk in striking color effects. Choice of colors. Good range of sizes 19c each sock.

HEAVY TURKISH TOWELS—Take a look! Soft, fluffy absorbent towels that make possible an invigorating rub-down after your bath. Best bleach, fast selvages. Each 19c. Size 18x36 inches.

14 Trade Qt. ENAMELED DISH PAN—75c value. Surely and unequalled value. NOT SECONDS— but first quality. (Limit One to a Customer.) For 19c.

Slightly Imperfect Grade of the Best Dollar **SILK HOSE** in America at 19c each hose. A wonder value in the season's most wanted colors. Lustrous pure silk reinforced with artificial silk.

LEATHER FACED GLOVES, Per Pair 19c. Full size, light weight, long wearing gloves. Canton flannel with leather facing, knit wrists.

We Challenge Comparison! **BUTCHER KNIFE SPECIAL**—Think of it! Highly tempered, keen cutting 6-inch steel blade with cocobolo handle. A marvelous value for 19c.

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Haskell, Texas, Thurs. April 15, 1926

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

The Board of City Development has located a supply of bottles and cases and would like to discuss some plan under which a bottling works and ice cream factory might be established in Haskell.

A little investigation, as to our territory, local consumption and adjoining towns now served from many miles distant suggests such a business would meet with success here, according to Manager F. N. Clifford. With a little patience and proper management and stickability Haskell and surrounding territory ought to support a soda water plant and ice cream factory, he said.

For example, the Haskell Steam Laundry has proven what determination can produce and the field served by this institution could just as well be a field for the bottling works and ice cream factory, he added.

Interested party or parties can secure additional information by calling and getting first hand information.

DODGING TRAFFIC BLOCKS

With the earnest desire to correct a practice that is going to cause a smash up and perhaps a life some day, the attention of the auto drivers of Haskell is called to the fact that the turn west at the Burt Welsh filling station is being made to the left of the traffic block and is wrong.

Why folks will fool themselves into thinking they can do these things and continue to get by with it is a puzzle to those who follow the law and try to avoid accidents.

Keep to the right of the street and turn west at the traffic block, and do not turn and cross west, south of the block as is being done, or somebody is going to pay a fine as well as cause an accident that might prove fatal to some one.

Clark street is a highway, strangers not being aware that Haskell folks disregard highways, laws and traffic courtesies will expect the driver on the right to keep to the right until the traffic post is reached, then go west. With this in mind the car going south will keep going at a good speed, as then maintained, and the driver making it a practice to cut west, south of the traffic block is going to meet the car coming from the north and the smash follow. A little care and proper application of common sense will save a smash up and perhaps a life, think it over. The ladies seem to be as thoughtless as the men and boys at this point in particular. Why not stop the practice before some innocent person is injured?—An Observer.



The great need is to educate the people to respect the laws and the in-laws.

Poor grandad had to buy his snappy stories on the train and read them in the barn loft.

Technically the husband is the head of the house, but in most cases the technicality is overruled.

It wouldn't be so bad to marry a girl who is "beautiful but dumb" if she'd only stay that way.

A pedestrian rises to remark that a Ford like a well known snake, always rattles before it strikes.

"Fresh air for Senate," says a newspaper headline. More fresh air and less hot air is the need of the Senate.

The radio may sometimes sound like a baby with the colic, but you never have to walk the floor with it.

Those who want the Bible rewritten wouldn't be satisfied with any version they did not write themselves.

If the archeologists could be induced to dig up coal instead of mummies and bones there'd never be any fuel shortage.

Growing old is just a slow process of losing the enthusiasm which in youth made brighter days seem just ahead.

Art critics, it is said, are returning to Venus de Milo as an example of the perfect feminine figure. Looks like the girls with the stream line bodies will have to dig up grandmothers bustle.

The western doctor who bought an airplane to make emergency calls should take the precaution of telling the ambulance driver where he is going when he makes such a call.

Along the Way

It isn't home as an institution that has failed. It is the neglect of the home that's causing the trouble.

Florida is sending green stuff to the North and in return the North is sending Florida a lot of "green" things.

A Georgia Judge has ruled that a man has perfect right to spank his wife. Right and nerve, however, are two different things.

An Ohio woman who fell out of an automobile wasn't missed by her husband until he got home. Apparently she isn't a rear seat driver.

A Wisconsin train bandit was sentenced five years after his arrest, and thereby Illinois was given an object lesson by her sister state.

As we understand Luther Burbank's recently uttered views on religion, the plant wizard admits that he knows more about plants than the hereafter.

Now that Billy Mitchell has slipped the army halter, he will probably make it warmer than ever for the higher ups on the aircraft proposition.

The Prince of Wales has taken his 15th tumble from his horse in five years. Wales had better borrow Gal's mechanical dobbie until he learns to ride.

The fact that bankers sometimes have what is known as "frozen credits" may explain their occasionally turning a cold shoulder to loan requests.

An editor wants to know what would induce anyone to cross the Sahara desert in an automobile. Probably to get out of town without making a left turn.

It is reported that Europe is trying to lure away America's best jazz hands. If Europe will agree to lure hard enough, we'll do our bit by pushing our best.

The Prince of Wales is said to live in fear of growing fat. He probably realizes that the bigger they are the harder they fall.

Locomotives are being made larger, but still the flivvers are game.

Glue is now being made from garlic. No doubt the odor will stick indefinitely.

Fish are said to have the keenest sight of any living creature. The human variety, however, are short on foresight.

Excessive horsepower under the hood is not so dangerous when it's accompanied by horse sense under the driver's hat.

The arrest of coast guard personnel for conniving with the rum runners would indicate that some of the teeth of the Volstead law are false.

Another hopeful sign is that no man is as tough as his old hat looks.

The leader of jazz band never has to listen to his doctor tell him to get more exercise.

It was probably a dry proof reader who let it get by as "Dr. Nicholas Murray, butler of Columbia University

A swimming instructor says women learn to swim quicker than men. That's probably because the men have to teach themselves.

CLIP AND COMMENT FROM ABILENE MORNING REPORTER

Clip and comment of the Abilene Morning Reporter gave favorable expression to an article contained in the Free Press recently which we believe will be helpful to the up building of the interest of the club work of the county showing to our readers the views of this splendid paper which is interested in the identical work on a larger scale in West Texas.

Much interest is being manifested in club work among the boys and girls of the rural schools according to County Agent Trice who is now busily engaged in organizing clubs for the year. Girls are being allowed to join the clubs this year and will have the same opportunity to compete for premiums at the Haskell County Fair in the fall as did the boys during the past year. During the past year the club exhibit of poultry at the Haskell Fair was the best in this section of the State, yet if the present plans of the County Agent materialize for the Fair this fall the exhibit will be much larger than the past year with much better birds to exhibit.—Haskell Free Press.

Undoubtedly, the boys and girls clubs of the rural schools are helping in the development of the youth of Haskell county. Every once in a while the Free Press prints an article showing what these clubs are doing and what they are accomplishing in promoting the welfare of the boys and girls and thereby aiding in the welfare of the county in its entirety. Every county ought to organize boys and girls clubs for through this work the greatest kind of good can be accomplished. The clubs provide means for the boys and girls to occupy their spare time when they are not in school and teach them something that will be of value to them.

Births Recorded With Co. Clerk During March

The following is a record of the births filed with County Clerk Emory Menefee for the month of March 1926.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pogue, O'Brien March 3, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cunningham, Haskell, March 6, a girl.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hardy, Haskell, March 10, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cox, Rule, March 16, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts, Pinkerton Community, March 16, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Patterson, Rule, March 14, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Edwards, Haskell, March 21, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Person, Haskell March 4, a girl.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Liven, good Haskell, March 21, a girl.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Hurd, Rule, March 22, a girl.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cox, Rochester, April 1, a boy.

HASKELL STUDENT TO SAIL FOR ARGENTINE

John J. Arend, who has been in school since finishing Haskell High here and just completed a tour of the Southern States, is spending a few weeks with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Arend. John has accepted the position as assistant manager and bookkeeper for the Messer Oil Company in Argentina South America where he will sail the latter part of May.

John deserves a great deal of credit as he has worked and studied hard for what he has been chosen, and not only his efficiency, but kind heart friendly disposition and everlasting smile has made it possible for him to step into such a responsible position.

Seemingly the best asset a candidate can have these days is the need for vindication.

The crusades against extravagance of dress have eliminated much that was formerly worn.

SUNSET FARM

S. C. White Leghorns

BABY CHICKS & HATCHING EGGS

From the most profitable strain of White Leghorns in Texas. They are bred to lay. Flock average for 1925 208 eggs per hen. Individual records up to 291.

Big Catalog tells all about our farm, equipment and progress for the past 8 years. Write today—It's Free. Or better still, come over and see us.

C. O. DAVE,
SUNSET POULTRY FARM
"Old Where the Sun Goes Down"
RULE, TEXAS

Jim Edwards couldn't see such Extravagance



Instead of letting rust and decay "get" them, Jim safeguards all his buildings, also his tools and implements, with Acme Quality Paint. He says neglect is an extravagance he won't stand for, and that the paint not only protects, but beautifies his property, and makes it worth more. Be sure you, too, use

ACME QUALITY Paint & Varnish

This Acme Quality Paint and Varnish Station is being conducted for your benefit. Take every possible advantage of it. Come in today.

FOUTS & MITCHELL



No Faith in the Wire

In a fall from the roof of a high building, a workman grabbed hold of a telegraph wire and hung there suspended. Seeing his plight his fellow workmen told him to hold on until they could get a mattress to place beneath him and thus break his fall to the ground. But after a few seconds he shouted, "Stand from under," and let go the wire. After he had recovered consciousness at the hospital and was questioned as to why he did not hold to the wire until aid came, he replied, "Shure, I was afraid the wire would break."

The Testimonial

Manufacturer—I don't know whether to accept this testimonial or not.
Advertising Manager—What is wrong with it?
Manufacturer—It says I used to have three bald spots on the top of head, but since using your hair restorer I have only one.

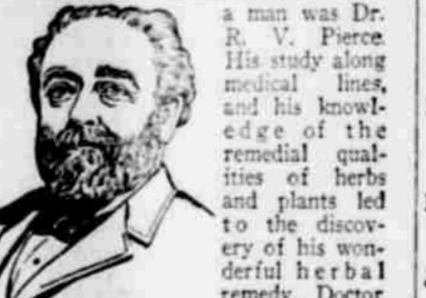
Harold the Only Victim

Ethel—Dad, you never told me you had the garden bench painted yesterday?
Father—I put up a sign. Didn't you see it?
Ethel—In the dark? Of course not. And Harold and I sat on it and Harold got paint on his trousers.

We now hear a lot about severance taxes of which alimony was probably the first.

A MAN OF INTEGRITY

A physician who reaches out to benefit humanity leaves a record behind him that is worth while. Such a man was Dr. R. V. Pierce.



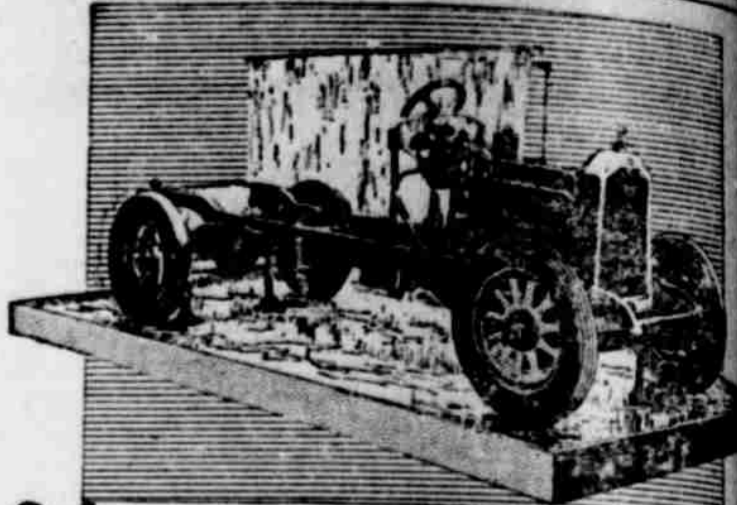
His study along medical lines, and his knowledge of the remedial qualities of herbs and plants led to the discovery of his wonderful herbal remedy, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is just the tonic required if a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings at regular or irregular intervals, by nervousness or dizzy spells, headache or backache. Favorite Prescription can also be had in tablet form as well as liquid at drug stores.

Political Announcements

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

- For District Attorney: CLEM CALHOUN.
- For District Clerk: MISS ESTELLE TENNYSON.
- For County Judge: JESSE G. FOSTER, R. E. LEE.
- For Sheriff: W. T. SARRELS, J. C. TURNBOW, AL COUSINS.
- For County Clerk: EMORY MENEFEES.
- For Tax Assessor: MIKE B. WATSON.
- For County Treasurer: J. E. WALLING.
- For Tax Collector: CHAS. M. CONNER, E. F. (Ed) FOUTS, DAVID H. PERRIN.
- For County Superintendent: A. A. BEATHINGTON, MISS MINNIE ELLIS.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: J. S. ABARNATHA, J. A. ROSE, F. A. WEST, H. D. GAMMILL, CHESTER JACKSON, J. F. GILLILAND.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: ED HOWARD, R. B. GUESS, JAS. AYCOCK.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: CLYDE GORDON, L. M. (Monroe) HOWARD.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: L. C. (Cleve) PHILIPS.
- Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 1: R. P. SIMMONS.
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: MART CLIFTON, G. B. (George) FIELDS.
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 2: M. F. MEDLEY.

Mr. Terrel Jeter Has Chicken Ranch
Mr. Terrel Jeter of Center Point has recently installed a chicken ranch. He has just completed three 20 by 40 Brooding rooms. Also an incubator room for his 250 egg incubator. He also has one 500 brooder. Mr. Jeter thinks modern equipment he can make chicken raising. He lost about baby chicks during the first



Only a Buick Could Stand this Test

Buick has the only chassis built today that can take a "shower bath" while the engine is running and driving the wheels.
Only Buick provides the design which can undergo such punishment. Of all cars built today, Buick alone has the complete protection of the "Sealed Chassis" and "Triple Sealed Engine."
Every Buick operating part is "sealed" inside a dirt-tight, oil-tight, water-tight iron or steel housing. The "Triple Seal" (air cleaner, gasoline filter, oil-filter) keeps dirt, grit and moisture out of the engine.
Road slush and grit cannot reach Buick vital parts. Rain and moisture cannot cause short circuits in the Buick electrical system. Even the spark plugs are protected!
Come in and see, with your own eyes, why Buick motor cars are more dependable. Only a Buick could stand the "shower bath" test!

The Better Buick

R. M. KINARD MOTOR COMPANY
STAMFORD, TEXAS.
W. B. SILVERS, Local Representative.

have you tried "NO-NOX"

HAVE you had your tank filled with the Orange Gas, NO-NOX—didn't the carbon knocks disappear as if by magic—isn't your car performing a hundred percent better? If you have not done so, get busy—you will be amazed and delighted.

NO-NOX Motor Fuel is guaranteed to be Non-Noxious, Non-Poisonous, and no more harmful to man or motor than ordinary gasoline.

NO-NOX is priced only three cents per gallon higher than That Good Gulf Gasoline.

Try it out today at any Gulf Station.

GULF REFINING COMPANY

The ORANGE gas at the sign of the ORANGE DISC

Makes Drive for Better Livestock and Poultry

Reading his community and doubt the farmers of the County W. M. ... of Brushy school district in the eastern section of Haskell county ...

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The freeze Monday night killed all fruit that was in bloom but the ... days since is bringing out a new ... of blooms which seem to be un- ...

north east corner brick recently purchased by him, which adds considerable to the convenience and value of the property.

Mr. J. W. Allert of the north west corner was doing business in the county capital Thursday.

Mr. W. G. Dorris of Crawford has purchased a site for a gin in Haskell and has contracted for the machinery for an up-to-date gin plant which he proposes to have ready for business by the time the next crop comes in.

Mr. S. Bevers, who was up the line the other day, tells us that there is about seven miles of rail bed completed for Wichita Valley railroad south of Munday and that the graders are now at work in the Cummings pasture north of Haskell.

Mr. W. H. Smith came in the first of the week from Missouri and expects to take personal charge of his farm and ranch in the eastern part of the county.

FREE PRESS RECEIVES BLUE BONNETT SONG

One of the most beautiful songs entitled "Blue Bonnetts of Texas" came to our desk this week written by Mrs. G. T. Scales a former Haskell lady who now lives at Lubbock.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rose has been sick for about two weeks with appendicitis, and last Friday morning about 5:30 a. m. the parents left with her for Stamford Sanitarium for an operation.

Haskell Farmer Returns From Waco Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Helm returned from Waco Thursday night after a weeks visit with friends and relatives.

Friday If you are superstitious about Friday read this: Lee surrendered on Friday. Moscow was burned on Friday. Washington was born on Friday. Shakespeare was born on Friday. Richmond was evacuated on Friday. The Mayflower was landed on Friday. Queen Victoria was married on Friday. King Charles I was beheaded on Friday. Fort Sumpter was bombarded on Friday. Napoleon Bonaparte was born on Friday. Julius Caesar was assassinated on Friday. The Battle of Marengo was fought on Friday. The Battle of Waterloo was fought on Friday. Joan of Arc was burned at the stake on Friday. The Battle of New Orleans was fought on Friday. The Declaration of Independence was signed on Friday.

Hurrah for the Hen The codfish lays a million eggs. And the helpful hen lays one. But the codfish doesn't cackle. To tell us what she's done: And so we scorn the codfish coy. And the helpful hen we prize, Which indicates to you and me, That it pays to advertise. —College Wit.

SUGGESTIONS FROM LOCAL FIRE CHIEF

Chief George Fields, of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department offers the following suggestions in connection with the handling of fire alarms as well as protecting the firemen and assisting the telephone service, day and night.

First, it is suggested that the party reporting a fire call central (the telephone operator) in the usual manner and ask for the Fire Station, if there is not time to call the number; at the same time say there is a fire.

Wait until the driver answers and take time to have him understand exactly where the fire is. He will be called from a sound sleep, should he have retired, and your hurried statements may not be understood correctly.

In taking time you save time. Should he misunderstand you he will go to the wrong section of town, perhaps in the opposite direction, and the fire gain headway and cause a loss much greater than a prompt response would prevent.

The Telephone Operator needs your cooperation as she is called by every fireman or some of his family, as he dresses or is getting his car out, as well or both, and this throws many drops into action on the switchboard and the operator cannot select the fireman's telephone from the many and you who are asking out of curiosity detain her in replying to the firemen and they are delayed in reaching the fire.

Nights, the driver of the truck can be a little service should he reach the fire alone, and the signal given by the fire siren is to notify the firemen as well as awaken the general public to the dangers that might prevail.

Hundreds having telephones hurry to the telephone and call central and ask where the fire is. This causes the delays to service the firemen are entitled to. The public is asked to discontinue this practice and if they wish the location of the fire, kindly wait until ample time has elapsed for central to have notified the firemen who jump to their telephones the first thing when the siren sounds.

In the day time, as well as nights, the public is earnestly asked to discontinue racing with the trucks or taking the street ahead of them keeping in the way. Please give the Fire Trucks free use to the streets as every moment is precious to the fire fighters and accidents are also avoided.

Unless more consideration is shown in the telephone practice it is possible the telephone company will have to make regulations and forbid central to tell where the fire is to all subscribers and the numbers of the phones used by firemen be answered only.

Chief Fields states, he understands that the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company will not answer calls about fires nor receive them and notify this Fire Station, as is now enjoyed in our little city, and unless the telephone company is protected in this and the firemen given preference this step will have to be taken here before some one takes a delayed fire report or a fire report incorrectly repeated into court and causes damages to be paid them.

Also, Chief Fields, states, many subscribers ask central for the time of day, several times during the day and at night and this is a traffic delay that will some time cause fire signals to be delayed and some one suffer accordingly.

The larger telephone exchanges in larger cities as well as larger corpora-

tions in cities th size of Haskell refuse to give the time any longer because of traffic being delayed while the operator is giving this information, so it is suggested that this be stopped or practiced as little as might be found absolutely necessary.

The operators have been requested to blow the fire signal long and assure the public of fire dangers and when the report is given them by the one reporting the fire, instead of the call going direct to the station, as the Chief asks now, give the operator time to learn exactly where it is and don't ring off and not feel sure she understands you so she can notify the fire station.

The public is earnestly requested to co-operate with the operator, the fire station and the firemen in these suggestions and in so doing assist in having prompt response to the calls and help the telephone operators serve the firemen first.

There has been almost 50 new homes built here within the past 10 months, causing people to move to new locations, both the owner of the new home and the family that moves into the vacated house, so try to be sure you have the right name or if not sure, say next door to Mrs. So and So and the driver of the truck will be sure as well as central be able to give the right information to the firemen.

Speak clearly to central, tell her you wish to report a fire to her or to the station and she will help you get it right and listen so she can advise the firemen. Keep as cool as you can and assure yourself central and the driver know what you say and understand the location.

Road Repaire.

A motor car had just knocked a man down and run over his toes, and the victim was claiming damages.

"Great Scott!" gasped the astounded owner of the car; "you want forty dollars for a damaged foot! I'm not a millionaire, you know."

"Perhaps you ain't," tersely replied the victim, "and I aint no centipede, either."

Not Much in Him.

A very fat man, having some time to wait at a railway station, decided to weigh himself on the slot machine. As he approached the machine, he noticed two small boys watching him with great interest.

The machine proved to be out of order and the arrow moved slowly around until it indicated fifty pounds on the dial, where it balked and refused to go further.

"See, Bill!" exclaimed one little chap. "he's holler!"

The Bear and the Skunk.

Once there was a mamma skunk and a papa skunk and two little baby skunks and they went for a walk in the woods. They had not gone far when they met a cross old grizzly bear. "Oof! Oof!" said the bear, and he showed his teeth and raised the fur upon his back. The little skunks were much frightened but not the mamma skunk. She was a very religious mamma skunk. "Let us spray," she said. And the big bear said "Phew" and ran away.

General Feng executed a few deserters in order to stiffen the morale of his army. Incidentally it stiffened the deserters also.

The country is going to get a demonstration from the Department of Justice that whitewash will stick to aluminum.

Look What's Coming to The Haskell Theatre.

We say flowers for the living and for those institutions that are alive.

The Haskell Theatre and management are very much alive when they show week after week and night after night big pictures that daily papers coming to Haskell from near by cities advertise will show in their town some weeks hence. As you plan your diversion calendar for next week, leave off some things but don't fail to see American Venus with Esther Ralston which contains romance, thrills, pathos and comedy, the bathing beauty scenes were actually filmed in Atlantic City during the annual pageant which was held in September 1925.

Also a real style show, April 19th and 20th. Then April 21st, Mark Twains story, Connecticut Yankee, featuring Pauline Starke funnier than the book, for you see the situations as described. April 22nd, Street of Forgotten Men, and all star cast. Of course we will all want to see Bebe Daniels as a burglar in Splendid Crime, April 23rd. Then watch for the date for it is coming, that old stage favorite of nearly a century ago, adapted to the screen from the book by the same name, East Lynne, a story, whether in book form, on the stage or through the latest medium the moving picture, never fails to grip the heart and hold attention.

Farmers Visit Free Press Albert Stremmel and P. B. Busby of the Bunkerhill community were in the city Monday and while in the city made this office a very pleasant call. Mr. Busby had us place his name on our mailing list for the Free Press for a year stating that he had moved from Jones County last year and believed a man should take his county paper in which he lives. Mr. Stremmel is also a reader of the paper and has it paid up until June. Both of these men are good farmers and are diversifying farmers especially with poultry and growing plenty of feed. Mr. Stremmel says that he sells two cases of eggs a week which has been netting him around \$12 for the two cases and that goes a long way on paying his living expenses. Mr. Busby is also a heavy poultry raiser and pays much of his expenses with poultry and eggs. Mr. Stremmel terraced his land last year and said that the moisture was plenty and realy at times too much because of the numerous rains which fell in that section last summer. He also stated that some of his cotton under terraces made a little more than a bale per acre. This is not guess work. Mr. Stremmel keeps books on his farm products and knows what he says to be true and accurate. Thanks to these gentlemen for their patronage and their interesting visit.

Center Point Elects Trustees

In the Election held at the Center Point School House on Saturday April 3rd, Mr. Storrs of that place was elected. Messrs. Tonnie Patterson and Gene McAllen are the two others. It is the hope of the entire community that these three men will work for betterment of the school.

Installs Light Plant

Mr. W. E. Bland of the Center Point community has had a Webb lighting plant installed in his new home, by Mr. Tucker of Haskell. The lights have been installed several weeks and have given satisfaction so far. Mr. Bland and the entire family are sure proud of the lights.

TOOLS FOR THE LAWN OR GARDEN

Perfect lawns and better gardens are acquired through careful attention—and this you can do with the necessary tools for taking proper care of it.

Don't worry along with a kitchen knife and an old spoon, and then wonder why your garden isn't as nice as it should be.

It won't cost much to have the right tools, and you will get many times the satisfaction out of them. Whether your need is for rubber hose, sprinklers, plows, hoes, lawn mowers or seed, we can fill your requirements.

M'COLLUM, ELLIS & COUCH

MARLIN HOT WELLS

Where Life Giving Waters Flow Come to Marlin, the year-round health resort, for rheumatism, neuritis, stomach trouble and all chronic diseases. Modern up-to-date hotels clinics and bath houses. Golfing and dancing. Ask your neighbor who has been here or write, The Marlin Chamber of Commerce MARLIN, TEXAS

Advertisement for Lee fabric work clothing. Features 'The Latest and Greatest Improvement in Work Clothing in 50 Years'. Includes 'The Lee Guarantee' and 'Get a pair today!' slogan. Lists various models like Lee Polo, Lee Mustang, Lee Express, Lee Mustang White, Lee Heavy Duty. Contact: The H. D. Lee Mercantile Company, Kansas City, Missouri.

Advertisement for Chevrolet cars. 'Know what Chevrolet offers at these Low Prices'. Lists models and prices: Touring \$510, Landau \$765, Roadster \$510, 1/2 Ton Truck \$395, Coupe \$645, Sedan \$785, 1 Ton Truck \$500. Includes 'Modern Design', 'Modern Appearance', and 'Modern Equipment' sections. Contact: BELL-MOORE CHEVROLET COMPANY, Haskell, Texas.

Advertisement for Prest-O-Lite tires. 'You Save Money at no sacrifice of quality when you buy from us.' Includes 'FRANK KENNEDY' and 'Genuine Columbia \$11.95'.

"SOMETOWN"
 The community of Sometown had a...
 and inhabitants nearly all of them...
 with the place. That was the...
 thing about it. Any way you...
 at it with its dull red depot, it's...
 tanks, it's high tin clad elevator...
 little brick bank and it's only gar...
 it was just like a flock of others...
 if you looked at it from a stand...
 of health and sanitation it was...
 like it's neighbors than ever...
 hotel was without a real bath...
 In fact, there were only four...
 rooms in town—the banker and...
 hardware merchant had both rooms...
 actual operation. There one thous...
 inhabitants enjoyed bathing but...
 was no way to run the drainage...
 from the bath tub without over...
 from the cess pools. Nobody want...
 to overflow the cess pools for ev...
 had wells in their back yards and...
 wanted to drink drainage from...
 tube even out of a well. So when...
 wanted to take baths in Somet...
 they shut down the kitchen for...
 and the women folks carried...
 heated it on the cook stove and...
 tybody took a bath. This was...
 town's idea of convenience.

the well aired wash rooms, the long line
 of porcelain wash basins, the shower
 baths for the athletes.
 This made it all the easier for the
 City Council to enforce the ordinance
 compelling the abandonment of the ty-
 poid castles and to get everyone con-
 nected to the sewer. Bath tubs arrived
 in Sometown on every freight. Folks
 lived in better air in better comfort.
 They didn't stop at cleaning up the
 yard and alleys. The whole town be-
 gan to clean up. The pond disappear-
 ed. So did the muddy ruts. The mos-
 quitoes went out of business. The old
 doctor retired on his income. The
 young doctor made more money as a
 prevention expert. In no time it was
 all different. But you know all about
 Sometown. You've seen it. Perhaps
 you've lived there.

NEW MID
 (By Mrs. Mary A. Blakley)
 Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Pool are visiting
 her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jones near
 Wilson Oklahoma.

Mr. Mark Emerson and his daughter
 Miss Mattie Belle Went to Quitque
 Wednesday. He returned Thursday,
 but Mattie Belle remained with her
 sister Mrs. Hasty, who has been seri-
 ously ill.

Irby Trimier of near O'Brien visited
 Nasby Ballard Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Ballard returned
 from Spur Thursday.

This community was visited by a
 heavy rain Friday. There is a good
 season in the ground but the farmers
 would be glad to see some fair weath-
 er as it is about planting time.

Mr. Harley Brown who has been in
 bad health for some time is seriously ill.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Beason and family
 visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beason near
 Knox City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Walker were in
 Munday, Friday.
 Boyd Wright, who has been attend-
 ing school at Arlington is at home to-
 day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Henry and Mr.
 and Mrs. B. H. Harwell of Gillespie
 visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hammonds
 Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles King and family
 visited Mrs. Kings parents Mr. and
 Mrs. W. T. Clark of the Cottage Hill
 community.

Mr. J. R. Frazier is not so well as
 he was a few days ago.
 Mr. W. E. Wright returned from
 Dallas Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bevel from
 O'Brien visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H.
 Bevel in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson and
 family were in Haskell Sunday.
 Mrs. H. S. Howard has 225 little
 chickens and is not using an incubator.

Mr. Bud Greenwood and Miss Vera
 Clark a niece of Mrs. John Strickland
 were married Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. LaFever and daughter Mrs.
 Crouch of the Dennis Chapel commu-
 nity visited her sister, Mrs. T. J. Brown,
 Friday night and Saturday.

The hotel keeper was the first to
 speak out in open dissatisfaction. He
 told the outsiders, he knew from the
 traveling public that the town was in
 bad shape, that other towns offered
 better accommodations, better health
 and better schools and he wanted
 Sometown to be a real place. He took
 up with the council, they said we'll
 build a new school house with a
 sandstone front, the
 man said that is only trimmings.
 That we need is basic improvements.
 He called on resident farmers and
 those owning automobiles said let's
 pave the streets and he said no we
 can't build a street pavement without
 drainage. So he called on the merch-
 ants and they went to see the old
 doctor, he said I make money enough
 from typhoid, malaria and en-
 teritis and other diseases easily cur-
 able by good sewerage to pay for a sew-
 er system every few years. You're
 asking me to work myself out of a job.
 Well I'm not against you. Go see the
 young doctor. He has more time for
 preventive measures I'm too busy cur-
 ing 'em.

The young doctor was strongly in
 favor of sewerage system and said if
 we lost any business through lack of
 health he'd get it back when more
 citizens moved in and they could elect
 a Commissioner of Health some day
 as a reward.

So the community of Sometown got
 itself a Board of Improvement and dug
 its streets to put in a sewer system
 with a neat little disposal plant by the
 creek. The conditions of the school
 changed completely. For the first
 time in their lives the children had
 modern plumbing and sanitary improv-
 ements. They told about it at home,

TO MY FRIEND
 He has crossed the Great Divide at
 the end of the long trail. He has lain
 life's burdens down, he has gone past
 the dark and solemn veil that no man
 has been allowed to lift and look be-
 yond. In his going he has met the fate
 that is looming in the offing for us all.
 He had his faults as the Great Father
 has said that every man has. Human
 perfection is not attainable in this
 world. There are those who will criti-
 cize his life despite the edict "Judge
 not that ye be not judged." Let us not
 forget that the Savior of the world
 was not only criticized but was murder-
 ed by a mob.

Bunk Rike was my friend. I knew
 him as probably nobody else on earth
 knew him. I owed him a debt of grati-
 tude that I shall not live long enough
 to pay. He was a friend of my Father
 who loved him as he did his own sons.
 I would be an ingrate, unfit to cumber
 the earth if I permitted myself to for-
 get the kindness he bestowed upon me
 when I was a struggler trying to
 fight my way along in the world.
 Cheering words and heartening reassur-
 ance came to me when at zero hour I
 almost gave up the fight. I am one of
 Bunk Rike's investments, not in silver
 and gold but in that eternal something
 that he instilled into me that made me
 fight against obstacles that today, I
 cannot understand how I ever sur-
 mounted. I want everybody who knew
 my friend who passed on to know that
 whatever I am today, Bunk Rike de-
 serves a lot of credit for. As an ignor-
 ant, unsophisticated country boy he
 counseled me against the things that
 spoiled his own life. There were those
 in the town who snubbed me for my
 ignorance and my crudeness. This al-
 ways brought anger to his face but he
 patted my shoulder and said, "Fight on
 my boy, you will win." His kindly
 words came to me when my fate was
 hanging in the balance. More than
 once he revived the ambition that was
 dying within me. I have seen life from
 many angles, I have studied men of
 every caste, condition and kind and my
 standard for measuring men is not
 based on what they do in the market
 place at high noon, but rather on the
 deeds of the still silent hour that the
 world knows not of. My friend had an
 affliction that he could no more control
 nor cure than the cripple can cure his
 withered limb. Aside from this, as a
 man, he ranked favorably with the
 rest of us and may I say ahead of
 many of us? I have seen a professed

follower of the lowly Nazarene turn a
 widow and her children into the street
 without food or shelter, I have seen a
 man from the drippings of the sanc-
 tuary turn to sharp practices in busi-
 ness. I have seen a woman of the
 church, diamond bedecked wait for a
 shivering newsboy to dig with his
 numb fingers the penny in change from
 his ragged pocket. I have seen a
 churchman press the hiring in his
 wage. These are not only sins but are
 crimes against God.

None of these were included in my
 friend's ritual of life. The crime of
 hypocrisy can never be laid at his door
 He has no stereotyped standard of ac-
 knowledging the Great God before men
 but he knew that omnipotent God that
 may be found in the busy marts, on the
 wide still plains or on the high seas.

He was my friend when friends were
 few, he extended the staying hand
 when I was tottering, he gave me
 cheers when I was discouraged, he
 made me fight on until I turned the
 battle back from the gate. I am thank-
 ful that he came into my life. His
 friendship is one of the good things
 that has come to me on the trail of
 flying years. Whatever his faults and
 deficiencies may have been they are no
 graver, nor do they outnumber those
 of other men. If human perfection ex-
 isted in this world the Babe of Bethle-
 hem would not have been called to
 Gethsemane to pay the greatest debt
 that mankind ever owed.

W. H. Cousins.
PLEASANT VALLEY
 (By Bessie Thornton)

Mrs. Harry Ashby and Miss Flossie
 Carter left last Monday for Coleman,
 Texas, to visit relatives and friends
 for a week or ten days.

Messrs. Martin and Mansel Robert-
 son and sister were in the Roberts
 community last Sunday.

The girls of this community are
 planning to go on a picnic Saturday.
 Mr. Henry Russell of the Rose com-
 munity was in this community Wed-
 nesday evening.

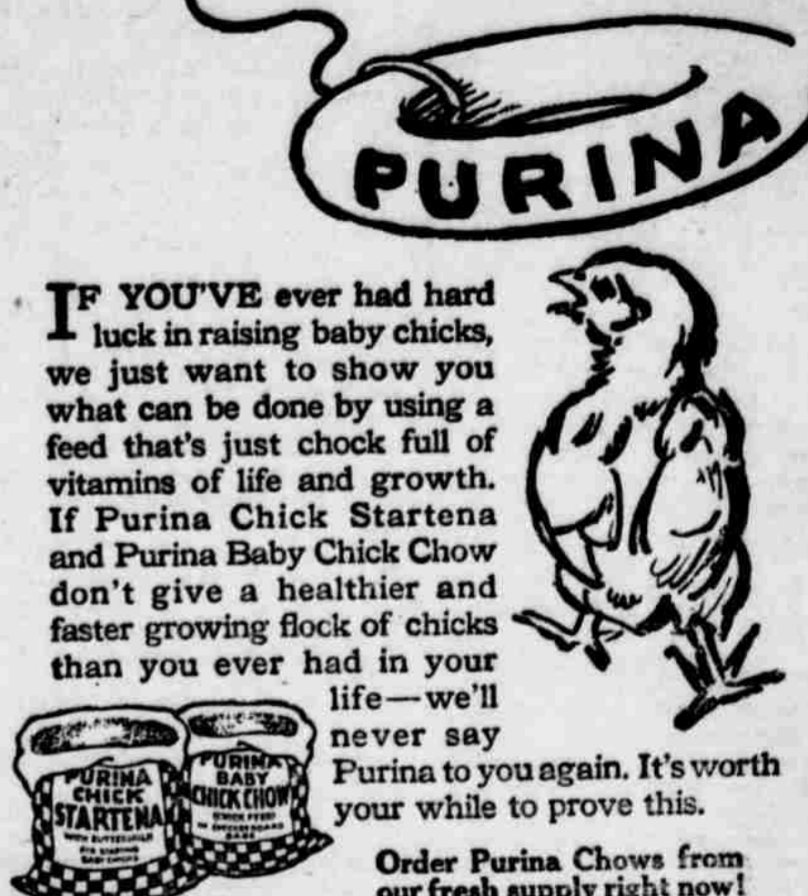
Miss Flossie Carter and Mrs. Harry
 Ashby were shopping in Weinert last
 Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Reed of Weinert was visit-
 ing her mother, Mrs. J. W. Derr Tues-
 day.
 Miss Aileen Ashby has been on the
 sick list for the past week.
 Mrs. Harry Ashby was very sick last
 week but has recovered now.
 Mrs. Free's daughter arrived Thurs-
 day afternoon for a short visit.
 The school election was held last
 Saturday and Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Mc-
 Guire and Mr. Green were elected as
 trustees for the following term.
 Most all of the farmers of this com-
 munity planted their feed the past
 week.

Haskell Man Enlarges Dairy
 J. F. Pinkerton has taken over the
 Middleton Dairy and has enlarged his
 capacity for dairy production and ac-
 cording to Mr. Pinkerton he is now bet-
 ter prepared to serve his customers
 than ever before. There is room for
 expansion in the dairy, poultry, and
 bee culture in this section. Better pro-
 ducts are always in demand when cou-
 pled with good service and that is what
 our people are fast learning, and with
 it, they are making a success.

Fritz Ganzert of Round Rock was
 here last week looking after his land
 interests and city property in this
 section. He says that they now have
 plenty of moisture in his home country
 this year. Last year it was very dry
 in that section and the cattle industry
 suffered severely, but this year the
 rains have come and the grass, accord-
 ing to Mr. Ganzert, is coming fine.
 G. T. Scales of Lubbock was here
 this week on business.
 Rev. J. O. Heath of Abilene, form-
 erly of Munday, passed through the city en-
 route to his former home Thursday.

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Club Boy Tells of Success in Letter to the Free Press

Ralph Merchant a club boy who began with poultry last year with County Agent Trice from the Howard school has written the Free Press a letter giving in detail the methods he used in beginning with his club work.

His letter shows that he meant to succeed by the care that he gave his chicks in the hatching and cackling until they were grown. It further shows that he kept an accurate account of every thing, even the dates his eggs were set and when the chicks were hatched. We are glad to give his letter below that others might profit by his energy and ability.

"I bought two settings of eggs from my uncle, Andrew Josselot of the Howard community last year. He is an experienced breeder of Rhode Island Reds and I liked the breed and so I began with the reds. I set the eggs under hens. I made my first setting on March the 5th last year. From the 15 eggs 12 chicks were hatched. The hen killed one in the nest, but I raised the others to be grown. My best cockerel of this bunch got an injury in a fight which caused chicken pox from which he died, but the other cockerel of the two made a fine bird and I still have him on my poultry yard. I set my next hen three weeks later on March the 26th. This hen hatched 9 chickens and two of them died. All my chickens grew off nicely and I fed them butter-milk, startena and at the end of three weeks I began to gradually change to grain food mixing it my self and giving them a mash which kept them healthy and growing nicely.

About a month ago I culled my pullets and penned only the best. I bought a fine cockerel from a reliable breeder and placed in the pen with the pullets to head my flock and now I am selling setting eggs at a fancy price. I only have 8 pullets in my pen and I get from five to eight eggs daily. I have 65 eggs setting which will hatch by the time this is in print. I expect to raise show birds this year for the Haskell County and other fairs over the state. I have gotten 155 eggs the first 23 days from my pen and I know that I am keeping them pure and expect great results from my birds.

Yours for better poultry,
Ralph Merchant,
Poultry Club Boy.

THINK WHAT A ONE CROP SYSTEM MEANS

Poor soil, the credit system, work unevenly distributed, cotton money sent away from home for farm products, scarce money and higher rates of interest, small crops, injurious insects, plant diseases, poor people, poorly equipped farms, uncomfortable homes, bad roads, poorly paid teachers and preachers.

Haskell County should adopt a five year agricultural program, for:

1. The building up of the soil.
2. Increased yields per acre.
3. More and better cash crops.
4. The improvement of farm poultry.
5. The improvement of farm livestock.
6. Better farm management.

There should be a County Agricultural Advisory Board to provide a program of rural life education; to promote Boys and Girls Club work; to create and promote "THE COUNTY PLAN" for:

We believe in Haskell County. Her People and Her Soil.
We live to Build our Church, our School and our Home.
But when we build the land we build all.

W. P. Trice, County Agent.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED DURING MARCH

The following are a list of the marriage licenses issued for the month of March by County Clerk Emory Meneese.

- Willie Bland and Miss Juanita Warren.
- E. J. Hanson and Miss Abilene Callahan.
- J. P. Trimmer and Miss Ruth Mc Alexander.
- Roy Brown and Miss Dora Alexander.
- John H. Phillips and Miss Mary Hargett.
- Andrew W. Swearingen and Miss Alma Dennington.
- R. L. Banks and Miss Aline Henderson.
- Frank M. Dotson and Miss Ella Lee Mullins.
- O. T. Foll and Miss Sarah Eunice Prichard.
- Willie Hall and Miss Zulaie Kelley.
- R. V. Hagle and Miss Mary Chatwell.
- W. J. Sompkins and Miss Lillian Lee Allred.
- J. E. Newton and Miss Alice Reese.
- C. E. Harrell and Miss Mayme Hooker.
- B. C. Abbe and Miss Beulah Linville.
- J. M. Craft and Miss Oline Armstrong.
- T. A. Huckabee and Miss Kester Midkiff.
- Samuel Edgar Ward and Miss Minnie Lee Parsons.
- Eddie Hornsby and Miss Hettie Huff.

METHODIST TRAINING SCHOOL IN STAMFORD NEXT WEEK

There will be a Sunday School Training School conducted at St. John's Methodist Church, Stamford, Texas, April 18 to 23. This school is for teachers and others who are interested in Sunday School work. The classes will be conducted each evening beginning Monday. Those taking this work will be given credit on Diplomas.

The pastor and several workers will attend from here, going down and return each evening.

Chicken Drive

Mrs. H. D. Bland, Mrs. W. E. Bland, Mrs. Johnson Ivy and Ethel Bland of the Center View church took two days off last week and scoured the country for chickens. The total of 50 hens and 2 roosters were collected besides the ready cash and eggs. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the Center View church.

COLORED INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET HELD AT ANSON

In the meet held at Anson, Haskell school won first prize in the following events:

- Literary Events: Declaration Senior Boys—Fred Ferguson.
- Girls—Maggie Wilborn.
- Junior Boys—Cearchus Ferguson.
- Girls—Georgia Todd.
- Sub-Junior Boys—C. L. Wasty.
- Essay: Senior Girls—Maggie Wilborn second.
- Spelling Senior—Fred Siplo.
- Sub-Junior—Lucie Hannah.
- Junior—Louisa Foster.
- In the track events, Senior High Jump—Fred Siplo and Willie Justice (tie).
- Girls High Jump—First Josephine Williams, Second Rachel Scott.
- Girls Relay—Leatrice and Josephine Williams, John Nell and Rachel Scott.
- Poll Vaulting—Second Place Fred Siplo.

PLAY TO BE GIVEN AT WEINERT AUDITORIUM

The play "Gollivog in Fairyland" will be given at the Weinert School Auditorium Friday night the 23rd of April by the expression class of the school.

Martin Middlebrook Leaves for Rio Grande Valley

Martin Middlebrook of Stamford but formerly of the Post community left Monday morning for the Rio Grande Valley where he intends to locate. He was connected with the Stamford Cotton Oil Mill until recently when he accepted a position with the Mutual Life Insurance Company of the Rio Grande Valley.

"Deacon Slip" Staged at Post

Deacon Slip a comedy drama in three acts which was staged at the Post school building Wednesday evening by the high school students was enjoyed by a large crowd. Small admission fees were charged of 15 and 20 cents. The neat sum of \$28.00 was made.

Heavy Rain Falls at Vernon

A heavy rainfall fell over the Vernon community Friday night, rain was not needed at the present time, but the farmers had always rather see a good rain than a sandstorm.

HASKELL BOOSTER BAND WILL GIVE CONCERT

The Haskell Municipal Booster Band will render a concert Wednesday night, next, when new pieces recently mastered, special numbers in solo, other musical treats and a full turnout by the membership, as has been their record for some time, will be presented to homefolks from the north-house lawn beginning at 7:30 sharp.

The first concert of the season was almost frozen out by the weather, the second drew a nice audience and the band appreciated it, stated Director Colburn.

From Wednesday on weekly concerts will be given and the public is urged to attend them. The band is a part of our citizenship. It is composed of some boys and girls and the organization is supported by the city government and is a part of the city as a whole, therefore solicits the attention deserved, according to Director Colburn.

Each member labors weekly to render the best there is within their power be continued. Practices at home and the weekly practices in a body under the Director means work and lots of it and when the home folks want even come out to hear one concert a week so we can show what we can do and in this manner express our appreciation for what the people are doing for us, we feel they are not interested. The bigger the audience, the louder and longer the auto horns, and hand-claps and cheers, the better we feel; and the better we play, added Hugh Ratliff, the boy that beats the big drum.

A GOOD FARMER WHO IS WELL SATISFIED WITH HASKELL CO.

J. O. Lain of the Roberts community was in the city last week and reported that the cold spell had killed all the Johnson Grass in his section down below the surface of the ground, but he is not jubilant over the matter for he knows the habit of Johnson grass is not to be defeated on the first go-around and he expects it to rally and come again as a new bride adorned for the altar when spring comes and the days get warmer. Mr. Laine has been here one year from Johnson County but likes this section fine and is going to cast his lot with us for years to come. If Johnson County any more men like Mr. Laine are ready for them. He also invited the editor to come out and see the chicken with him. He now has 100 coming on.

FUNERAL SERVICES OF J. J. READ HELD WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for J. J. Read, pioneer settler and one of the oldest citizens of the city, were held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at Willow Cemetery.

Mr. Read passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. U. C. Goodman of this city, Tuesday morning. He had been in ill health for several months and due to his advanced age he gradually weakened, death claiming him one day after he had passed his eighty-first birthday. He had been a respected citizen of Haskell for many years, numbering his friends by hosts, and his passing brings sadness to the hearts of all. A full account of the services will be given next week.

Senator Copper proposes a national law forbidding the marriage of weak-minded persons. Apparently the senator aims to put Dan Cupid completely out of business.

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H. B. LANCASTER

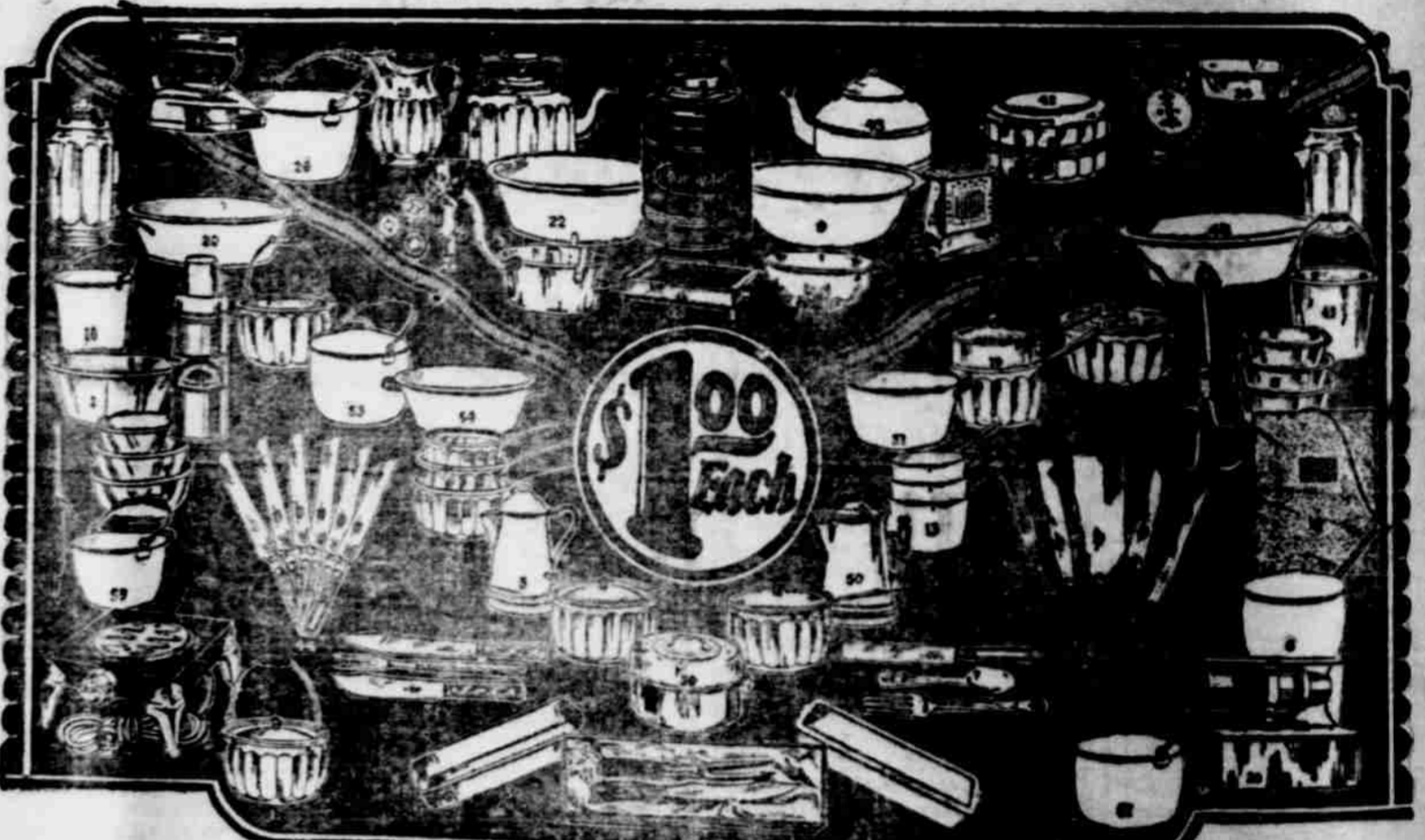
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8	1 1/2-qt. Enameled Sauce	26	Electric Carving Knife	69	2-qt. Aluminum Water Pail
9	18-inch Aluminum Ware Sets, Solid Steel, Nickel Plated (4 Sauce, 8 Forks, 6 Spoons)	27	8-qt. Enameled Preserving Kettle	70	6-qt. Aluminum Water Pail
10	6-qt. Aluminum Pan, Col. Searer	28	2 1/2-qt. Aluminum Pan, Cracked Ice Producer	71	6-qt. Aluminum Water Pail
11	1 1/2-qt. Aluminum Colanders	29	Aluminum Wire Carving Pan, 10 1/2 x 11 1/2 inches	72	6-qt. Aluminum Water Pail
12	Enameled Lipped Sauce Pan, 1, 1 1/2 & 2 Qt.	30	Aluminum Wire Carving Pan, 10 1/2 x 11 1/2 inches	73	6-qt. Aluminum Water Pail
13	1-qt. Vacuum	31	6-qt. Enameled Cooking Pan	74	3-piece Carving Set, King Handle
14	Aluminum Mixing Bowl Set, 1, 1 1/2 & 2 Qt.	32	6-qt. Aluminum Colander	75	3-qt. Aluminum Coffee Pot
15	1-qt. Enameled Water Pail	33	Aluminum Pan, Col. Searer Pan	76	1-qt. Enameled Col. Searer
16	6-qt. Aluminum Pan, Pres. Kettle with Cover	34	Family Scales	77	2-qt. Enameled Col. Searer
17	Electric Heating Pads, 110 Volts	35	4-qt. Aluminum Pan, Tea Kettle	78	10-qt. Enameled Round Dish Pan
18	18-inch Enameled Roast Pan	36	18-inch Enameled Roast Pan	79	6-qt. Enameled Preserving Kettle

On account of the disagreeable weather last Saturday a great many of our customers could not get here to take advantage of our Aluminum Ware Sale, and as requested we are having this Sale extended over until Saturday April 17th. We have several hundred pieces now on display, all useful items and the values are great, so if you have not supplied your needs in this line let us suggest that you come in as soon as possible in order to get your choice. YOUR CHOICE OF ANY PIECE FOR ONLY

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