

End of Month Beginning Friday Morning May 25th, at 9 O'clock

# SPECIALS



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**DINNER PLATES.** To match the above cups and saucers. Month end Special Set. **79c**

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Pretty new Spring Patterns, also solid colors. All fast and 36 inches wide. E. O. M. Special **24c**

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32 inch Gingham. Nice quality. Per yard **12c**

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Batiste and Voile Gowns hand embroidered—  
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**VOILE TEDS AND STEPINS**  
Splendid quality of voile, neatly made, lace trimmed. A real wonderful value at—  
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**CHILDRENS DRESSES**  
Dainty wash dresses, very well made and hand embroidered, organdy trim; ages 6 to 14—  
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Cross bar bloomers in pink and white. Ages 6 to 12 years. Regular 65c values—  
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Made of nice muslin. Ages 10, 12, 14. Values at 95c.  
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**SILK RAYON SLIPS**  
Ages 4 to 12 years. Regular \$1.25 values—  
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Ages 2 to 12 years. A beautiful quality—  
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**SEEDS FOR SALE**—Half and Half Cotton, Government Pedigreed Maize, Spur Feterita and Sudan. Also Leg burn eggs. W. H. Cunningham, 3 miles east Rochester. 4tc

**BED ROOM**—For Rent. Phone 415

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We have some good second hand lumber for sale. Brazelton Lumber Co. 2tc 5-10

**FOR SALE**—Two Span of Good Work Mules, cash or fall time. See J. E. Pinkerton. 4tc 4-12

Realizing that the reputation of our business depends wholly upon the quality and workmanship of our shop we have taken every precaution to give you absolute satisfaction. Electric Shoe and Top Shop. C. Wheatley, Prop. 4tc

**FOR RENT**—Three nice unfurnished Rooms close in, North of Square Phone 118. 4tc

**FOR SALE**—Ford truck with dump body. Fouts & Dotson. 4tc

**ELECTRIC STOVE**—For Sale. Also several pieces of furniture. Phone 94 3c

**NOTICE**—To Wood Customers, Don't come after wood when ground is wet. Will sell each Monday from 8 a. m. to 12 a. m. when ground is not wet. When the land is too wet to cultivate it is too wet to drive wagon over pasture. R. W. Herren, Sr. 4tc

**FOR RENT**—Two attractive unfurnished rooms close in. See W. J. Sowell City. 4tc

**WANTED**—To do plain sewing. See Mrs. H. B. Weaver, four blocks north and four blocks west of high school 4tc

**FOR SALE**—Good Jersey Milch Cow for cash or will take good note. See R. C. Couch, at Farmers State Bank. 4tc

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## TELLING THE WORLD

Outside and Inside Dope on Haskell County People As Told By Our Rambling Representative.

Our excuse for not getting out in the country the past week is well founded. It rained and the roads were muddy even boggy and travel by Ford was just a little uncertain and really perilous.

But our friends came to town and were happy; smiles that had been restrained for weeks were visible. The rain came in time, is the universal opinion of the farmers. But the apprehensions before the rains began falling Saturday May the 12, were any thing but optimistic, and was beginning to tell on the morale of the people of this section.

The conditions were getting serious, some stockmen were being to ship their cattle because of the scarcity of water and some of the boys were predicting another 18, but now since it has rained they are a little ashamed of their prophecy.

According to press reports the recent rains have covered a large area of West Texas and Northern Oklahoma. Prospects are brighter every where the rain has fallen and thousands of acres of feed and cotton will be planted within the next ten days. Some storm and flood damages are reported at various places and some loss of life which is to be regretted.

Some of our farmers report different amounts of rain in their sections. So we made it a point Friday and Saturday to get an expression from as many farmers as we could so that we could send out to our readers over the county state and nation how the folks of Haskell county received rainfall.

**R. D. Lackey.**  
Mr. Lackey lives about three miles south from the courthouse and is engaged in farming. He is an old timer and has lived and farmed in Haskell county many years. He says the rain was fine. He has plenty of rain to bring up all crops and is anxious to get to planting. He stated that he had nothing to complain about now and is ready to hit the ball.

**C. E. Jones.**  
Mr. Jones is a cattle man who owns a farm east of town. He says it can't rain too much for him. He says he had rather take a stalk cutter and cut the weeds than for the weather to continue dry. He liketh the rain.

**J. A. Carrigan.**  
Mr. Carrigan of Post says that his section had a good rain. He stated that it was the first time water had run through his yard since last June. He is ready for planting but has no feed or cotton growing.

**H. C. Wyche.**  
Mr. Wyche reports a gully washer at his place near Weaver schoolhouse. He was having to buy feed for his milch cows but he says the rain will bring the grass and cut out that expense. He says he has never bought feed for his horse stock since he has lived on the present farm. He is milking five cows that pay him more than \$30.00 per month above expenses.

**C. O. Scott.**  
Mr. Scott lives a few miles west of town. He said more than 4 inches of rain had fallen at his place and that the ground was thoroughly soaked. He has some maize which he dry planted that is up to a fine stand and is looking good. He is ready to plant the remainder of his crop.

**FOR SALE**—Three Registered Hereford Males. See Press Baldwin, 10 miles east of Haskell. 4tc

**FOR SALE**—Police Pups, Males \$15, and Females \$10. C. D. Forman, Haskell, Texas, Box 108. 1tp

**FOR SALE**—Kasch Cotton Seed, \$1 per bushel. W. A. Hise, Howard community. 2tp 5-24

**Bob Dandy.**  
Mr. Dandy says that he has plenty of moisture to bring up all crops. He had maize, corn and cotton planted but will have to plant it all over. He got a stand on his first planting but for lack of moisture it died until his stand was depleted.

**L. W. Lusk.**  
Mr. Lusk, the man of smiles, of the Pinkerton community says that it rained as much as six or seven inches at his place and he wants it understood that he is not joking about it. He has 25 acres of maize up to a good stand but will have to plant a little of his land over. He also had planted some cotton but will have to plant it over.

**Jesse B. Smith.**  
Mr. Smith who is a farmer by choice and is now living on his well improved farm five miles north west of town says that he has plenty of moisture to bring up his crops. He had some maize planted but will have to replant.

**Rud Westbrook.**  
Mr. Westbrook recently moved to this county and lives on the Howard and Haskell road about seven miles out of town. He says the rain came at last and gave to him the much needed moisture for his crop planting. For several days the rain clouds missed him, but finally one came over that poured out the juice filling the middles and overflowing the beds in his field. He is now ready to plant with plenty of moisture to insure a stand.

**M. Brown.**  
Mr. Brown lives in the Ballew community a few miles north of town. He reports a bountiful rain with plenty of moisture for all planting. He says the ground is in fine condition.

**E. B. McDonald.**  
Mr. McDonald owns a farm at Weaver school house and he says that the whole section had fine rains and that business would pick up in a few days with the farmers.

**L. C. Phillips.**  
Mr. Phillips is commissioner of precinct four and is living at McConnell. He stated that the rain seemed pretty general over his precinct and that the water had done some damage to the roads and bridges in his district, but nothing serious. He says the rain is worth much to the people of the county.

**John Breigh.**  
Mr. Breigh of the McConnell community says that the rain was fine with no wind or hail to damage any thing and that it all went into the ground. John is hopeful of the future.

**J. W. Tidwell.**  
Mr. Tidwell has farmed a number of years in Haskell county and knows the game and he says this is one of the best rains he ever saw and came at the right time to save the country. He says it fell just right. Not in hard packing rains but the kind that goes into the ground and wets it is his version of this rain.

**Frank Simmons.**  
Mr. Simmons of Post was in the city Saturday and stated that they had a real rain in that section. The most rain that has fallen in that section since the big rain of last June that some others mentioned. He says the county is alright now with a few days of sunshine and the crops will all be planted.

**G. S. Medford.**  
Mr. Medford lives in the Howard community. He reports about three inches of rain all told. He says that he had his ground terraced and the beds filled with water and broke the terraces in a few places, but he expects to repair them and keep the water which falls on his ground. He likes the terracing and says it will sure help to retain the moisture. Sid is just a little hard headed, any thing must prove its worth to him or he will not have it. But he has tried

terracing and says it will do what he wants done. Mr. Medford has some maize which he dry planted that is coming up nicely. He has about 25 acres in this planting.

**M. E. Oldens.**  
Mr. Oldens of the Post community verifies the statement of his neighbors that his community had a real rain. He thinks more than three inches of rain fell in the Post community. He had some maize planted but will plow it up and replant.

**D. J. Burson.**  
Mr. Burson lives in the Midway community where the rains came down with slow and steady precipitation to the flooding of the fields and supplying bountiful moisture to the parched earth. He says the weeds are coming alive and the farmers must get busy with planting their crops and killing the weeds.

**W. M. Porter.**  
Mr. Porter of the Brasby Community was in the city Saturday and stated that they had plenty of rain in that section and the every thing would go forward from now on with a stern march.

**M. E. Harris.**  
Mr. Harris lives in the Savles community where he has resided for a number of years. He is one of our leading farmers and is not much on complaining, but he says the recent rain was a welcome visitor and brought much relief to the farmers. He says his tanks are all filled with water and the ground is thoroughly soaked. He says now its up to farmers to make good.

**J. T. Kirby.**  
Mr. Kirby lives a way down on Paint Creek but comes to Haskell for his supplies. He is optimistic over the good rain and reports a good snaker down his way. He says he has nothing to kick at. He has plenty of stock water and grass will grow good in a few days.

**C. Schroeder.**  
Mr. Schroeder of Roberts says that at his place there is plenty of moisture to bring up his crops. He is jubilant over the prospects of the farmers.

**J. P. Moeller.**  
Mr. Moeller says that the rain was plenty for planting in the Irby community where he lives but they are still short on stock water in their tanks. It seems that the rains were lighter east of town.

**T. A. Payne.**  
Mr. Payne living a few miles south of town says that he had plenty of rain and that he has about ten acres of maize up and doing nicely. He planted about 30 acres in March but he will only be able to save the ten acres. The other will have to be replanted.

**Willie Harrell, Jr.**  
Mr. Harrell lives in the Foster community and states that he has 25 acres of maize up to a stand and doing nicely. He reports lots of rain and said that general planting would be in order when the ground dried up.

**Rev. I. N. Alvis.**  
Bro. Alvis reports good rains at his farm in the Howard community and said they had plenty of stock water in the tanks.

**J. C. Lewellen.**  
Mr. Lewellen of Roberts says that the rain came in time, but says that they need more rain in that section before they will claim a thorough season. He has twenty acres of cotton up which he dry planted and has some fine radan growing for pasture. He will plant all of his crop right away.

**C. L. Thomas.**  
Mr. Thomas of Josselet Switch says that he has thirty acres of maize planted and it has come up now and will not have to be replanted, but he says it varies very much in size. Some of it is up and growing nicely and in other places it has just come up. He reports a nice rain.

**W. E. Bland.**  
Mr. Bland living in the Center Point community reports that he has careless weeds for sale. He does not know of their particular value other than to get rid of them himself. He believes

that they will grow and thrive for any one if they should use any care in transplanting them. He says the rains are fine and among these weeds he has 15 acres of maize up to a good stand and growing nicely.

**F. J. Trimmer.**  
Mr. Trimmer says that the rains were fine around Josselet Switch and that he is well pleased with the conditions which now confronts the farmers of this section. He is ready to plant his crops and his ground is in fine shape.

**G. W. Piland.**  
Mr. Piland lives in the Rose Chapel community and says that the rains were lighter in his section than reported in other sections of the country. They have enough moisture according to Mr. Piland to bring up the crop if planted right away and the rain furnished some stock water, but not enough to last very long.

**Shelby Harris.**  
Mr. Harris lives between Center Point and Savles and says that there was a good season in the ground for all purposes. He thinks about four inches of rain fell during the week up to Saturday. He has twenty five acres of maize up to a good stand and growing nicely. He further states that the weeds were growing and would demand his immediate attention. He reports the tanks all full of water.

**G. L. Walker.**  
Mr. Walker lives southwest of the Gauntt school house and he believes that at least 6 inches of rain has fallen in his section during the down pour of last week. He will have his crop to plant over which he had planted before the rain. He also stated that the tanks were all full of water and the prospects was looking good for the farmers of his section.

**B. F. Scruggs.**  
Mr. Scruggs of the open section says that plenty of rain fell in that community for a good season for planting and the tanks were all filled with water. He says that good prospects are before the farmers for a bumper crop.

**A. F. Force.**  
Mr. Force reports about 2 1/2 inches of rain at his place between Roberts and Vontress. He says that there is still dry dirt in the beds in some places and that some of his neighbors are still haling water. He thinks that they can get a stand up with the moisture they have but will need more rain shortly.

**J. L. Wright.**  
Mr. Wright states that they had been blessed with good rains in the Midway community and that prosperity looked like it had come to the farmers after the long wait for moisture.

From the statements the rain varied

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over the county but most every section had a little rain. While some of the districts had plenty. From reports over the state the rain was spotted, some places having a flood and other places nearby light showers. But it was a blessing and came in time to save us

from the experiences of a dry let it rain. More next week.

Miss Ruby Fitzgerald, uncle and family. Mr. and Cobb and other relatives of community the early part

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AN ORDINANCE

The State of Texas, City of Haskell, County of Haskell.

On this 24th day of April, 1928, the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, convened in Recessed Regular Session, duly called by the Mayor, at the regular meeting place thereof in the City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members: T. C. Cahill, Mayor; G. B. Fields, Leo Southern, C. V. Payne, M. P. Spurlock, J. B. Post, Aldermen.

Marvin H. Post, City Secretary. The Mayor placed before the Council the following ordinance:

"AN ORDINANCE by the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against property and the owners thereof on portions of certain streets in the said City of Haskell, to wit: Campbell, Hughes, Houston, Clark Streets, for a part of the cost of improving said streets; fixing a time for the hearing of owners, or agents of owners of said property, or any persons interested in said improvements, as provided by Chapter 106, of the General Laws passed by the Fortieth Legislature of Texas, at its first Called Session, in 1927, and the ordinances of the City of Haskell, Texas directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing; examining and approving the statement or report of the City Engineer; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, has heretofore, by ordinance duly passed and adopted, ordered the improvement of:

Unit or District No. 12 being Campbell Street from the North line of Standefor Street to Center Line of Bradford Street.

Unit or District No. 13 being Campbell Street from Center line Bradford Street to North Line Block D, Morgan Addition.

Unit or District No. 14 being Hughes Street from the West Line of Clark Street to the East Line of Houston Street.

Unit or District No. 15 being Houston Street from the South Line of Bradford Street to the North Line of Blk. 8, Meadors Addition.

Unit or District No. 16 being Houston Street from the North Line Block 8, Meadors Addition to the South Line Meadors Street.

Unit or District No. 17 being Houston Street from South Line Meadors Street to South Line Williams Street.

Unit or District No. 18 being Clark Street from the South Line of Bradford Street to the North of Block A Tandy Addition.

Unit or District No. 19 being Clark Street from the North Line of Standefor Street to the South Line of Bradford Street.

AND WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the improvement of said streets have been duly prepared and approved as required by law, and

WHEREAS, as required by Section 4, of Chapter 106, General Laws passed by the Fortieth Legislature, at its First Called Session, in 1927, this Council has caused the Engineers acting for said City to prepare an estimate of the cost of such improvements, and which said estimate of cost has been duly approved by this Council and filed with the City Secretary, and the cost of such improvements as made in the aforesaid estimate, is for the sum of Ninety Nine Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety Three Dollars and Thirty-Four Cents (\$99,993.34); and,

WHEREAS, after due notice or advertisement for bids for said work and improvements had been made, said work of improvement was awarded to the Tibbets Construction Company to improve said streets by raising, grading and filling, and installing concrete curbs and gutters, and paving with two and one-half inch vertical fibre brick on four inch concrete base, together with all incidentals and appurtenances, as shown on "SPECIFICATIONS FOR PAVING," a made by the City Engineer; and,

WHEREAS, a written contract has been entered into by and between the CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS, and the said TIBBETS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, on the 19th day of April, 1928, for the construction of said improvements; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS:

I. That the report or statement of the City Engineer filed with the City Council describing the abutting property and giving the names of property owners and number of front feet, and the cost of improvement chargeable against each abutting property and its owners having been duly examined, is hereby approved.

II. That the estimate of cost of such proposed improvements, as made by the City Engineer and filed with the City Secretary, having been examined by this Council, is hereby approved.

III. That the City Council of the said City of Haskell, Texas, does hereby determine to assess against the abutting property and the owners thereof, two-thirds of the total cost of all of such improvements, excluding the cost of engineering and excluding the cost of constructing storm sewers, and which said assessment is made under authority of, and in accordance with, the provisions of Chapter 106, of the General Laws passed by the Fortieth Legislature of Texas, at its First Called Session in 1927, and under authority of the ordinances of the City of Haskell, Texas.

IV. That the City Council of the said City of Haskell has hereby determined to assess all the cost of making and constructing improvements in any area between rails and tracks and two feet on each side thereof of the Wichita Valley Railway Company, and which assessment shall be paid by and assessed against the true owners of such Wichita Valley Railway, and shall be a lien as provided by Section 5, Chapter 106, of the General Laws of the Fortieth Legislature, passed at its First Called Session in 1927.

V. That such assessments shall be made after notice to such property owners and all interested persons, and after the hearing herein mentioned, and that the said portion of the said cost of improvements to be assessed against any of such property owners and their property, shall be in accordance with the front foot plan or rule; provided, that after such hearing, if in the opinion of this Council, in particular cases, the application of this rule would result in injustice or inequality, this Council shall then apportion and assess said costs in such proportion as it may deem just and equitable, having in view the special benefits in enhanced value to be received by such parcels of property and owners thereof, the equities of such owners, and the adjustment of such apportionment so as to produce a substantial equality of benefits received and burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and in no event shall any assessment be made on any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced values of such property by reason of such improvement.

VI. That the proportionate cost of such improvements which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their properties, shall become due and payable as follows: One-sixth cash thirty (30) days after the completion of said improvements in front of said premises and their acceptance by the City of Haskell, Texas; the balance of said total sum shall be paid in five (5) equal installments, the first installment to be paid one (1) year after said date of completion and acceptance; the second installment to be paid two (2) years after said date of completion and acceptance; the third installment to be paid three (3) years after said date of completion and acceptance; the fourth installment to be paid four (4) years after the said date of completion and acceptance; and the fifth and last installment to be paid five (5) years after the said date of completion and acceptance, together with interest from said date at the rate of Six Per Cent (6 per cent) per annum, payable annually, and reasonable attorney's fees, if incurred, and all costs of collection in case of default, if incurred; provided, that any owner shall have the right to pay any installment at any time before maturity by paying principal and interest accrued to date of payment; and provided, further, that if default be made in the payment of any installment promptly as the same matures, then the entire assessment upon which such default is made, shall at the option of the Contractor constructing such improvements, or his assigns, be and become immediately due and payable.

The fact that any improvement is omitted in front of exempt property shall not invalidate the liens of assessment made against other property not so exempt.

VII. That the total proportionate part of such improvements which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their respective property, and the names of the streets proposed to be improved, the names of the owners of property abutting upon said streets, aforesaid, the properties to be improved and the description of that property, the estimated amount or amounts per front foot, proposed to be assessed against the owner or owners of such property, the estimated total cost of the improvements on each portion of each street herein proposed to be improved (the description of the properties and the amount proposed to be assessed against Wichita Valley Railway Company), each, respectively, for paving and for curbs and gutters, and the grand total thereof, is herein set forth as follows:

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 12. Campbell Street from the north line of Standefor Street to center line Bradford Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 12, to be paved approximately 30 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 13. Campbell Street from Center Line of Bradford Street to North Line Block D, Morgan Addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 13, to be paved approximately 30 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 14. Hughes Street from the west line of Clark Street to the East line of Houston Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 14, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 15. Houston Street from the South line of Bradford Street to the North line of Block 8, Meadors Addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 15, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 16. Houston Street from the North Line Block 8, Meadors Addition to the South Line Meadors Street. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 17. Houston Street from South Line Meadors Street to South Line Williams Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 17, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 18. Clark Street from the south line of Bradford Street to the north line of Block A, Tandy addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 18, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 19. Clark Street from north line of Standefor street to the south line of Bradford street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 19, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 18. Clark Street from the south line of Bradford Street to the north line of Block A, Tandy addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 18, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 19. Clark Street from north line of Standefor street to the south line of Bradford street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 19, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide. Table with columns: Owner, Lot No., Block No., Front Feet, Total Asmt.

The said units or districts shall each be and constitute an entirely and wholly separate and independent unit of improvement. The assessments herein provided for in each unit or district shall be made in accordance with the benefits accruing to the property by reason of said improvement in that particular unit or district, wholly and entirely independent of the cost and of the benefits accruing by reason of the improvements in the other unit or district. The construction of said improvements in each particular unit or district shall be made wholly independent of and separate from the improvement in any other unit or district.

VIII. That the hearing shall be given to said owners, their agents and attorneys, and to any person or persons interested in said improvements, before the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, as provided by Chapter 106 of the General Laws, passed by the Fortieth Legislature of Texas, at its First Called Session, in 1927, and the ordinances of the City of Haskell, Texas, which said hearing shall be had on the 24th day of May, 1928, at 8 o'clock p. m. in the Council Room, in the City Hall, in the City of Haskell, and which said hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time as may be necessary to give all said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, a full, complete, fair and impartial hearing, and said owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, or firm or corporation, shall have the right to appear and be heard in any manner concerning the said improvements, or said assessments, or the benefits thereof, to their said property, or to any other matter or thing in connection therewith, or to contest said assessment; and at such hearing a full, complete, fair and impartial hearing will be extended said property owners, and each one of them, or their agents or attorneys, and to all interested persons, to be heard with respect to such improvements.

IX. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS: That this Council shall have power to correct any errors, inaccuracies, irregularities, and invalidities, and to supply any deficiencies; and to determine the amounts of assessments and all other matters necessary, and by or after the construction of such improvements.

X. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS: That, after the conclusion of the hearing, above mentioned and herein ordered, such sum or sums as may be determined by the City Council to be payable by said property owners, shall be assessed against them, respectively, and against their respective properties by ordinance or ordinances in the manner prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 106, of the General Laws passed by the Fortieth Legislature of the State of Texas, at its First Called Session, in 1927, and the ordinances of the City Council of the City of Haskell.

XI. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS: That the City Secretary of the City of Haskell is hereby authorized, ordered and directed to give notice to said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and to all interested persons of said hearing, as prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 106, of the General Laws passed at the First Called Session of the Fortieth Legislature, particularly Section 9 thereof, and the ordinances of the City of Haskell, and such notice shall be by advertisement inserted at least three times in a newspaper published in the City of Haskell, the first publication to be made at least ten days before the date of the hearing.

XII. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS: That, the fact that the above described portions of the streets hereinabove named are in urgent need of the improvements contemplated, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the preservation of the public peace, public benefit and public property, and which requires that the rule requiring that ordinances be read at three separate meetings of this Council before final adoption, be suspended, and such rule is hereby suspended, and that this ordinance be in force and effect from and after its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 24th day of April, 1928.

T. C. Cahill, Mayor, City of Haskell, Texas. ATTEST: Marvin H. Post, City Secretary.

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An Incentive to Better Work

A rooster by perseverance rolled an ostrich egg into the chicken yard. He called the hens and said, 'Now girls, I'm not casting any insinuations or reproving any of you, but I just want you to see what is being done in other places.'

INTERESTING NEWS FROM SMITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY

We are glad of the good rains we have been having. The farmers will be very busy planting their crops now. It has been so dry that very little crops had been planted before the rains came.

The Mothers' Day program was very good, but the rainy weather cut down the attendance, but all who came enjoyed the program.

We have several new cases of Mumps in our community this week. Loyd Stephens, Ben and L. C. Vance, and Melba Little. We trust that they will soon recover.

Mrs. Pearl Mathison of Weinert is visiting her sister Mrs. Ernest Dennis this week.

Mrs. Tom Webb is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craddock. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stanfield and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Craddock were in the city of Munday early in the week.

Miss Audie Traff spent the week and in the Post Community at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Livengood.

Friday is the day for the picnic at the close of Dennis Chapel and Cliff schools. All are expecting a big time if the weather is favorable.

Clifford Williams has been real sick but is doing nicely at this writing.

Vera McGuire, Thelma Beason, Rosie Lane, Ina Alexander and Lassie Hand visited Lillian Craddock Saturday night and Sunday.

A large crowd from here attended the play at New Mid Friday night.

Willie and Lorena Alexander visited in Mrs. C. A. Webb's home in Munday on Saturday.

Clavis Stephens is home again from school. He has planned to enter school in the near future at Denton.

Florene Lewis visited in the Traff home Tuesday.

Margret Maxfield is planning to give the B. Y. P. U. class a tacky party one night this coming week. We are all looking forward to see who will win the prize.

The party at Mrs. Della Adams was well attended Wednesday night.

Miss Hazel Flenniken spent the week end with Mrs. Theima Oman of near Weinert.

How She Relieved Him

'Have you given him anything or done anything to relieve him?' asked the young doctor who had ridden far into the backwoods to see a patient in the dead of a stormy night.

'Well no doc—that is to say, nothing to speak of,' said the wife of the patient. 'I had him soak his feet in almost bilin' water with a lot of mustard in it, an' I clapped a red-hot plaster on his back, an' another one on his chest, an' I've put a couple of blisters I had in the house under his arms, an' a bag o' cracked ice on the back of his neck, an' had him drink a pint o' ginger tea with a dash o' rum in it, jes' as hot as he could swaller it, an' I follered that with some yarb bitters one of the neighbors sent over, an' I had him take five or six pills out of a box I got one day from a man that come along with medicine to sell, an' he's had three or four spoons o' Quakem's pain-killer an' one o' these sidelit powders, but I didn't feel like as if I ort to give him much o' anything, or try to do much o' anything, for him, until you come an' see what you think ailed him.'

The Joke Was On Him

A railroad man was ready to make his regular run. His wife instructed him to get her some turkey eggs to set.

In passing through a small town, a dirty youngster approached the engine and asked the engineer "if he didn't want some buzzard eggs."

Seeking to play a joke on his wife, he gave the lad a nickle for them.

About a month after that, he asked his wife, "how the turkeys were getting along?"

"Oh, I decided it was getting too late for turkeys so I just put them in for your lunch."

Waste Prevention

Pat was hired in a lumber office. The proprietor was a young man and he decided to have some fun with the new hand, so Pat was left in charge of the office, with instructions to take all orders which might come in. Going to a nearby store, the proprietor called up the office:

"Hello! Is this the East Side Lumber Company?"

"Yes, sorr."

"Send me up 1,000 knot holes."

"What's that?"

"One thousand knot holes."

"Well, now ain't that a shame! We are just out of them. Sold them all to the cooperage."

"To the cooperage? What do they want with them?"

"They use them for bungholes in barrels."

MODERN CHICKENS

Farmer Gillespie—I crossed all my hens with parrots.

Farmer Hilton—What was your idea?

Farmer Gillespie—Well, when one of my hens lays an egg now, instead of cackling, she comes to me and says "Charlie, I laid an egg—go and get it."

JOSH BILLINGS ON MARRIAGE

By all means, Jos get married. If you have a fair show, don't stand shivering on the bank, but pitch right in, stick your head under and shiver it out. There ain't any more trick in getting married than there is in eating

peanuts. Many a man has stood shivering on the bank until the river runs out. Don't expect to marry an angel—they have all been picked up long ago. Remember, Joe, you ain't no saint yourself. Do not marry for beauty exclusively; beauty is like ice awfully slippery and thaws dreadfully easy. Don't marry for love, either love is like a cooking stove, good for nothing when the fuel gives out. But let the mixture be some beauty, becomingly dressed with about \$250 in her pocket, a good speller, handy and neat in her house, plenty of good sense, tough constitution and by-laws, small feet, a light step, add to it sound teeth and a warm heart. The mixture will keep in any climate and will not evaporate. Don't marry for pedigree unless it's backed by bank notes. A family with nothing but pedigree generally lacks sense.

INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS FROM ROSE COMMUNITY

The school at this place closed last Friday after a very successful term conducted by Prof. H. L. Thompson, Misses Gibson and Walker. Much credit is due these splendid teachers for the progress attained. A short program was given last Wednesday night followed by a play on Saturday night which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Tony Patterson and family spent Sunday in the Center Point community visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Siover Bledsoe of Cottonwood spent Sunday here with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scheets of Weinert Route One spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scheets of this community.

The H. D. Club will meet next Friday May the 25th at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. G. D. Payne. All ladies are urged to come whether they belong to the club or not.

Misses Walker and Gibson teachers in the school here left for their home at Sagerton early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thompson will leave this week for South Texas where they will attend Summer Normal.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM LAKE CREEK COMMUNITY

Mr. Dan Hancock is visiting John Murphy this week.

Rev. Lewis filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lige Hendrix.

Misses Pearl and Doris Murphy have been on the sick list with flu this week.

Roy Scarborough and Clayton Brackett spent Sunday with Raymond Brackett.

We are sorry Mrs. Sallie Collins is sick at this writing. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weimely spent last week with Mrs. Weimely's parents of Abilene.

All the farmers are ready to begin work now since we have a fine season.

NEWS ITEMS FROM IRBY COMMUNITY

The farmers of this community are proud of the rain which fell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moeller and family of Douglas community spent the week end with Mr. George Moeller and family.

Mr. Trummie Morris of this community spent Wednesday night with Will

Ceremony of Irby.

Mrs. Jeff Jeffers and baby of this community visited relatives and friends at Breckenridge. Mrs. Ray Frasse spent Sunday with Miss Lena Moeller.

Mr. Joe Heden and Ernest Morris of this community left for Dallas where they are hunting a job.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Morris is on the sick list this week.

Arlidge-Lee.

Roy Arledge, young business man of Rochester, and Miss Lois Lee a member of the Rochester school faculty were married in Rule Thursday evening. After a short honeymoon trip to various West Texas towns, they will make their home in Rochester.

Rule Produce Sold

The Rule Produce Company which has been run for the past four years by T. Kelley, has been sold to H. R. Glass, depot agent of Rule. It will be known in the future as the Farmers Produce company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stephens were in Haskell for the graduation exercises of the Haskell High School and left Wednesday for their home in Longview. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Helen Barron.

LOCUST DUE TO PESTER CAPITAL THIS YEAR

"Seventeen-year locusts" are due to emerge from the ground this year in 10 states and the District of Columbia, repeating the 1911 experience when thousands of the cicades swarmed on tree trunks in such numbers that the whirr of their drums was "deafening."

The thieves who stole 120 chickens from a California man and lost \$800 in his chicken coop probably didn't think so much of that job.

Mr. I. D. Killingsworth, Mrs. J. P. Payne and Mrs. Grady Roberts and Mrs. Earl McPherson of Chillicothe are in Dallas this week, guests of Mr. H. L. Killingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates have returned from Ft. Worth where they have spent some months. Mr. Oates completed a course in pharmacy and will be found in his old place at the Oates Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields are in San Antonio this week, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin.

Mr. J. F. Kennedy was in Wichita Falls last week and purchased equipment for Kamp Kennedy.

Mrs. W. J. Sowell and grand daughters Elizabeth and Beverly Gilbert left this week for Los Angeles, Calif. where they will spend the summer with Mrs. Sowell's children.

Kenneth Oates who went an operation was few days recuperating to Sherman where he is in hospital.

A Hot Show for Saturday

5 lb. Box Blue Ribbon Peaches

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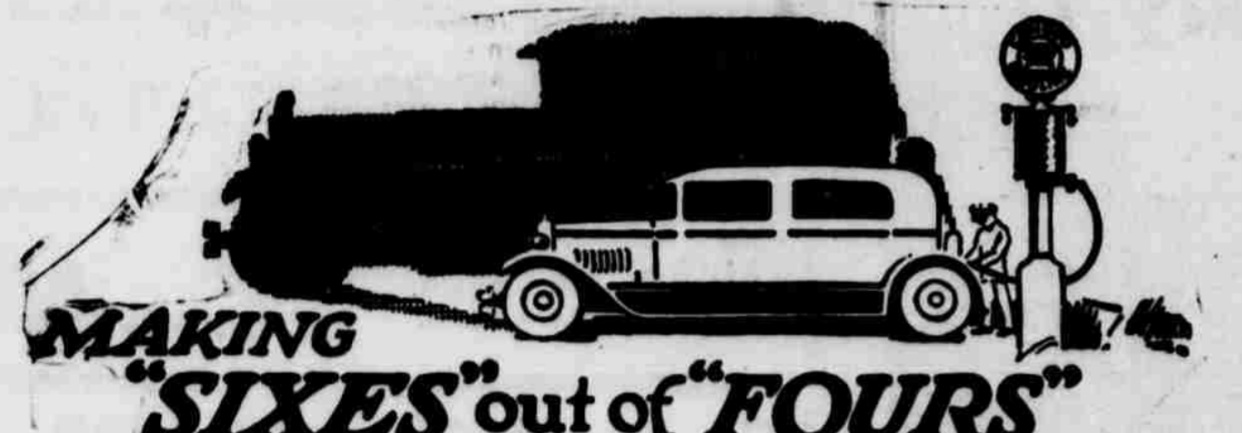
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**NEWS ITEMS FROM BRUSHY COMMUNITY**

Members around here are enthusiastic about the good rains they have been receiving.

Teachers and pupils were entertained Wednesday with a delicious luncheon. All reported an enjoyable time.

Marjorie Bowman has returned from her vacation where she has been in school.

Bowman will give her "Blessings" oration at Aspermont May 26, at 2 p. m.

Plasentview and Brushy will soon be finished. Rev. Fox will give services in it next Sunday.

Mothers' Day program which was held on account of the weather, was held again Sunday.

The Fair of Throckmorton, visited Bowman Sunday and reported down there.

S. Fall of Haskell visited Jim and his wife last week end.

Mrs. J. A. Landless of Howard visited in the city Saturday.

Barber Shop on Depot Street will be at home. Three-chair barber will keep you waiting and shagging.

**NEWS OF INTEREST FROM OVER WEST TEXAS**

**Coleman**—Coleman territory is being advised as to WTCC convention rates in a letter from Sim O'Neal, Coleman secretary.

**Gustine**—Several structures are being erected here in the reconstruction program following fire in the business section.

**Floydada**—Floydada's municipal band will enter the annual band contest in connection with the Fort Worth convention of the W.T.C.C.

**Robert Lee**—Old walnut stumps buried in the ground here are being sold at a good price, ranging from \$15 up.

**Seymour**—Seymour will be 1929 host to the Green Belt District of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, the 1928 Quannah session voted.

**Clyde**—Grape growers of this section have perfected an organization to develop their industry.

**Hale Center**—A poultry anti-theft association has been formed here.

**Sweetwater**—C. S. Boyles is the first man in this city to register for the W. T. C. C. convention, it will be his eighth time to attend.

**Quitaque**—Membership in the newly organized Quitaque Business Men's Luncheon Club is now over 30.

**Alpine**—Alpine will be host to the 1929 meeting of the Texas Woman's Press Association.

**Spearman**—Spring Park, Spearman's new recreation center, will be opened June 5 and 6.

**Colorado**—After being featured on a W. T. C. C. district meet banquet menu capons in this section have been sold out at a record price.

**Hamilton**—A new \$45,000 high school auditorium is to be built here at once.

**Goree**—The local grain elevator will soon be housed in a new building of enlarged capacity.

**Canadian**—Secretary W. A. Miller is seeing fruition of many months work in letting of a contract for the Washita Bridge on Highway 4 near here.

**Clifton**—Clifton's new and modern sewerage system is now in successful operation.

**Snyder**—Two beaves are already donated for the 1929 celebration to be held on the Cap Rock scenic Highway.

**Fredericksburg**—After 60 years, Fredericksburg has become an incorporated city.

**Albany**—Albany's water improvement program has been completed.

**De Leon**—The De Leon ice plant is now operated by the Texas Water Utilities Company.

**NEWS ITEMS FROM TANNER PAINT SECTION**

Twelve ladies of this community met at the home of Mrs. B. Walters with Miss Gunn and organized home demonstration club. Mrs. George Kitley was elected president. Mrs. Woody Culpener, vice president. Miss Nora Walters secretary and Miss Vera Crow reporter. They will meet on the second and fourth Tuesday afternoon of each month at the home of Mrs. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Handrick of Albany visited the latter parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quade last week.

Mr. Frank Wyatt who has been working on the pipe line at Garden City, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Luther Gunn who has been visiting relatives at Lockhart the past month has returned home.

Mr. C. H. King and family of Rochester visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. King and Mrs. Fred Quade who have been on the sick list are improving at this writing. Also Walter Quade who was hurt when his team ran away with him.

On account of so much rain, we have not been able to have Sunday School for the past two Sundays. We have preaching every first Sunday by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Tucker. Sunday school has been changed from 3 p. m. to 10 a. m. Our B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday night and every body is cordially invited to attend all these services.

**LOCAL NOTES**

W. P. Whitman of Abilene was in the city several days this week looking after his business affairs.

W. C. Allen of Alpine is in the city this week visiting his mother, Mrs. A. M. Allen, who is seriously ill at her home here.

Mebane Cotton Seed for Sale—Clay Kimbrough, Haskell, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Terry of Huckabee are the week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lebo.

Messrs. L. H. Cummings and Harry Cole of Des Moines, Iowa are guests of Miss Lydia Tonn.

Mrs. Everett Rayborn and children of Seymour are guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Spurlock this week.

Joe Spurlock left Wednesday for Casper, Wyoming where he will learn ranch life on his brother's ranch.

Miss Virginia Sills is the guest of relatives in Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morrison and children are here from San Angelo.

Mesdames Elmer Irwin, Owen Fouts and T. J. Arbuckle motored to Wichita Falls one day last week.

Mrs. H. B. Conner left Friday for Tioga where she will visit a sister for several weeks.

No. Hortense, spring fever does not necessarily mean Hot Springs.

The erstwhile movie star who reduced and came back reminds us that all's well that ends well.

**SONG SERMON GIVEN AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY**

Last Sunday night at the First Baptist Church in this city a song sermon was given to a large congregation by the Pastor Rev. H. R. Whatley assisted by the members of the church. The program was well arranged and was enjoyed by the entire audience. The scripture reading was from the book of Isaiah, and the subject was salvation.

Because of the good rains and the many other blessings received the song of "Count Your Blessings" was sung by the congregation, after which the good old hymn "Jesus Paid It All" was sung to illustrate the fact that in Jesus death he made a complete sacrifice for our sins. To further illustrate this great truth "There Is A Fountain Filled With Blood" was sung by the entire congregation.

In order to stress the work of both church and individuals in soul winning "Throw Out The Life Line" was rendered by a church quintet consisting of Jim Fouts, First Tenor; W. M. Free Second Tenor; Tom Holland Baritone and Rev. Whatley and John Fouts Basses.

In being saved it is necessary to trust Jesus, so the good old song of "Only Trust Him" was sung by the congregation, also the song of "Why Not Now" was sung and the unconverted urged to trust now in Christ their only Savior. "Just As I Am" was next rendered as another plea to the unsaved. To show Christ's love for the world and how he died, Misses Ollie and Mae Free sang the "Old Rugged Cross," after which the congregation responded with "Win Them One By One" followed by a solo by Mrs. W. C. Williams "Does Jesus Care" which told of the love of Jesus for his children in the world.

Rev. Whatley in a strong plea urged the congregation to hold up Jesus to the dying world. The song "Life Him Up" by the congregation closed the services.

**Piano Recital**

A Piano Recital by the pupils of Mrs. Geo. H. Morrison, assisted by violin pupils of Mrs. Virgil Meadors, will be given at the Baptist Church in this city on Friday evening June 1st, at 8:30 o'clock. We solicit the presence of all interested in music in young people.

Miss Rosella Chrisman, teacher in the Haskell schools returned this week to her home at Gatesville to spend the vacation with her parents.

Mrs. George McKinney is in Dallas spending two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. McLaughlin and also with the parents of her husband.

**RECEIVES CARLOAD OF SHEET METAL**

Jones & Son, local tinners and manufacturers of sheet metal products, received a carload of sheet metal this week to be used in their shop here. This is the largest single shipment of sheet metal ever received here, and shows the growth of this local manufacturing enterprise in an unmistakable manner. The carload of metal came direct from the factory of the Wheeling Corrugating Co., Portsmouth, Ohio.

C. Jones, manager of the firm, states that they are having quite a demand for their work from the guns over this section, and have installed quite a bit of new machinery lately in order to care for their increasing business.

**A Correction**

The pianos for the Music Week Massed Piano Program were furnished by the Baldwin Piano Co., headquarters at Dallas. Mr. N. T. Cochran, distributor, instead of the Hall Music Co., as stated last week.

Miss Mary Patterson teacher in the Haskell Schools left Monday for Missouri where she will spend two weeks visiting friends.

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## WITH OUR READERS

There is joy in continued patronage and satisfied customers. The fellow who does not appreciate loyalty and true friendship is void of one of the greatest attributes that God gave to man. We wish to state that we have something for which to feel elated. Our friends are flocking in large numbers with new and renewal subscriptions from every where in our trade territory and over the state and nation. Why should we not appreciate them. The many words of encouragement given us along with the price of subscription urges us on to the utmost to give them a real county paper. It is always painful to drop a name from our list. This we regret to do so much and still it is one thing that is appreciated by our readers. They do not want something for nothing. They often say that one thing they appreciate most in the Free Press that the paper is discontinued at the end of the expiration date, unless paid or otherwise arranged for. We thank you for this expression of your indorsement of a good business principle. We thank you again for your patronage and we continue the list of names who have recently paid for their home paper.

W. W. Haley one of the substantial farmers of the old Whitt Chapel community north of town called us aside and paid for his paper until February the 1st, 1929. He has been a reader of the paper since the present management has had charge and he has prospered and thrived and doubtless he has never missed the little amount it has taken to keep the home paper coming. But has had hundreds of opportunities through the advertising columns to save many dollars on bargains offered for sale of the things he wished to buy. Walter is a fine man and to know him is to be his friend.

F. M. Long, Weinert R. 2 gave our traveling representative his subscription at Weaver's Store. (Vestress) some time back and has been getting the news off the reel ever since he made himself known to us. Glad to have Mr. Long on our list. He is an intelligent farmer and is cultivating a large acreage of land. He has good teams and tools and is progressive. Some day he will be among Haskell county's contented land owners.

D. G. Tidwell one of our good farmers east of town is renewed up until September this year. Dec is our good friend and likes the paper and we appreciate him on our list. He is one of the best cotton growers in the county. I do not mean grows the most bales, but he knows how to farm and make the ground produce the goods.

Mrs. Y. L. Thomason of this city renewed again for the paper. She appreciates the news from the columns of the paper and keeps her subscription paid up.

Dr. J. Frank Cadenhead of Weinert renews for the paper from the capital city in order to get the news from the county. Dr. Cadenhead has a large practice and many friends who appreciate him as their family physician. He has been at Weinert a number of years and is contented to live with his friends.

E. C. Brown who is running a dray line for the merchants of the city of Weinert where he has a prosperous business and is thriving, gave us his subscription for six months in advance. Ed is one of the best boys of that city and has many friends who appreciate him and the smile he wears.

J. C. Holt a Haskell County boy who is connected with his brother W. A. Holt in a General Merchandise Store in the city of Weinert gave us his renewal for the home paper when our man was in Weinert the other day.

Leslie Gibson of this city is a new subscriber on our list for a few months. He is a Haskell County boy and married a Haskell County girl, so they are really Haskell County folks who know how to live contented and happy. The news of home is their delight and it is found in the home paper. It is easy to see why they are readers of the Free Press.

S. H. Woodard of O'Brien Route two, who owns and operates a good farm in the Cliff Community. He never lets his subscription expire and is now paid up until the 15th of March 1929.

B. T. Bridges a strong robust fellow who looks strong enough to almost up set a house is again paid up on our list for six months. Ben is farming near Weinert and has lived in the county a number of years. He used to be a chicken crank, but we do not know what he has in that line now.

J. T. Therwanger of Weinert Route one sends the Free Press to his friend R. M. Thompson at Austin for a year. Mr. Therwanger knows that he would enjoy reading a real county paper.

W. A. Holt brother of J. C. who is engaged in the mercantile business in Weinert is now renewed up on our books for a year to the Free Press. Walter has been in business in Weinert for a year or so, going from Haskell to Weinert. He has had experience in the mercantile business and is doing a good business and enjoys a large patronage.

Mrs. M. J. Malcolm gave our man a subscription to the Free Press when he called on her at her home north west of Weinert where she lives on her good farm. She gets her mail from Munday Route One.

J. L. Malcolm one of the pioneers of the Lone Star Community paid our man for a year when he called on him

at his home. Mr. Malcolm has been in ill health for some time, but he is courageous and hopeful and has lots of energy. He enjoys getting out in his car and riding when he feels like taking exercise. He owns a fine farm and has it well improved and is getting along nicely financially.

C. F. Oman who came from Clay County a few years ago and bought some good farms in this section, but is now living near Weinert where we are mailing him the Free Press which is paid up for a year in advance.

S. L. Coggins an old time friend of the Free Press force who has spent most of his time teaching is now living in Weinert where he is night watching the city at present. He likes to read the Free Press and keeps the paper paid in advance.

Jim F. Ivy of Lueders Route One, who lives in the Cobb community in the south eastern section of the county keeps the Free Press coming to his address all the while. John is one of those successful farmers in that section and is a public spirited boy and works hard for the best interests of his community.

A. M. Jackson of Haskell Route One, is a new subscriber to the Free Press for six months. We appreciate Mr. Jackson trying out our paper. We know he will like it.

H. Coffield called and had us send him the paper to Route A, out of this city for a whole year. He is pleased with the paper we learn and hope that we can continue to do so. He is farming and we learn that his section had a fair rain during the down pour.

M. D. Hudson a Haskell boy who is now living in Fort Worth and working for one of the Fort Worth Packing Plants where he has been for a number of years. He was reared in Haskell and that's why he keeps the home news coming. He was in the city visiting relatives not long ago and paid up his subscription for a year.

G. C. Conwell a farmer and poultryman of Goree Route One, living in the Brushy community paid our man for a year to the Free Press when he called at his home some time back. Mr. Conwell is a good farmer and has a large bunch of White Leghorn hens and Jersey cows which pay the bills.

E. C. Lowe another good farmer of the Brushy community who gave our man his subscription when he called at his home is getting the news of the county especially the county political dope and who is running for office.

R. L. Gaines of the Brushy community is again on our list for six months

Bob is a big farmer of that section and has lived there many years. He owns a good farm and has a two row outfit to cultivate with.

Mrs. T. J. Brittain of Weinert Route Two gave her subscription to our field man when he visited the Brushy community. T. J. Brittain is a thrifty farmer and is making good on the farm.

W. L. Posey of the Ferris Ranch subscribed for the paper from our field man when he visited in his home and is glad to get the news from Haskell county. Walter is one of the old timers who moved away for a few years but was very glad to get back home again.

J. H. Bush of Sagerton gave our field man a check for a year's subscription when he was in Sagerton some time back and is getting the news from the Capital City. Mr. Bush stated that he always took his county paper.

W. J. Medford of the Moward community one our habitual readers gave us his subscription while in the city. Jack always keeps his paper paid in advance. He watches that part of it and we never worry.

G. F. Moore always calls in and pays when his subscription expires. He lives on route one out of Haskell and has been reading the paper a number of years. We appreciate Mr. Moore's promptness always.

### Snap Shots

Maybe winter's lingering in the lap of spring was just another one of those petting parties.

Now, if Mexico will only recall the pink boll worm, all will be lovely.

Forestry week is over, but the fuse over presidential timber continues.

Cigarette prices have been reduced, giving the poor a chance to become opera singers.

Nearly everyone knows the saxophone was invented by Adolphe Sax but nobody seems to know why.

George Remus is planning to write a

book. First thing we know, this versatile citizen will get religion and turn evangelist.

A French woman who shot a man is now going to marry her victim probably with the intention of finishing him later.

First a boy adores his mother, then his teacher, and finally grows up and wants to marry Peggy Joyce.

Some singers claim they smoke cigarettes because it helps their voice, which makes us suspicious that the singer we heard on the radio the other night smokes a cornob pipe.

A woman Democratic leader wants to abolish party platforms. Might as well, since nobody ever stands on them. Maybe they tried to kill King Emanuel because they thought he wasn't kingly enough to earn his keep. It might be well now to investigate whether any manufacturer has received orders for a dozen automobiles a block long.

Some prophets are predicting the end of the world, and others are predicting that Congress will do something about Muscle Shoals.

No, Hortense, spring fever does not necessarily mean Hot Springs.

The erstwhile movie star who reduced and came back reminds us that all's well that ends well.

One-piece bathing suits are losing favor, says a fashion expert, which proves that even fashion experts grow old.

Now that Mayor Thompson has explained that bombs are "pineapples," a "canning week" would probably be a good thing for Chicago.

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of decided interest in so and a hospitality of beau- ment was the party given at the J. C. Chrisman, Jr. Mrs. J. C. Chrisman, Jr. G. Gilder as joint hostesses, the engagement and ap- marriage of Miss Rosella and Mr. W. B. Welsh of



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cream and angel cake. The plate favors which were placed in the salad, were tiny blue balloons tied with pink ribbon, when untied was found a miniature envelope containing the news, "Rose to Bert, June 12."

Miss Chrisman has chosen as her wedding party Miss Ruth Sadler, maid of honor, Misses Dorothy Ayres, Lela Welsh, Hazel Saunders and Mary Patterson as bridesmaids; Dr. H. C. Welsh of Houston, best man, Barton Cox, Eugene Alvis, Ayres Compton and Allen Davis; Little Misses Margaret Gilder, Ruth Welsh of Haskell, Nina and Pauline Sadler of Dallas, Beverly Chamlee, Ruth Raby Franks and Linza belle Dickie, as juniors; Mary Ella Sadler and H. K. Jackson Jr. as ring bearers.

Miss Orpa Mayo will play the piano for the occasion; Miss Mary Smith Monk of Fort Worth, will play the violin and Mrs. W. W. Nichols of Waco will sing.

Miss Rosella Chrisman is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chrisman Jr. of Gatesville. She is a G. H. S. graduate and a graduate of the Dunning System of Music in Dallas, and student of Southwestern University at Georgetown. She has been the teacher of Public School Music at Haskell this year.

Mr. William Bert Welsh is the versatile son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welsh of Haskell. He is a prominent citizen and business man of that city, being the agent for the Chrysler automobile and Gulf States gasoline—Gatesville Messenger.

### Payne's Drug Store Has Annual Reception for Graduates.

After the commencement exercises last Monday night the seniors, Dr. J. W. Hunt of Abilene who delivered the address of the evening, Supt. and Mrs. J. Horace Bass and Miss Elaine Mills attended the annual reception that the Payne Drug Company tendered the graduating class. The menu and favors were in the class colors black and gold. Black and gold cream with cake was served to the guests and the girls were given coin purses with pastel color-boys were presented with bill folds. And thus closed one of the most interesting chapters of a life time for the 1928 Haskell High School Seniors.

### Master Hassell Hunter Has Birthday Party

On last Tuesday afternoon from four until six o'clock Master Hassell Hunter entertained a number of his little friends with a birthday party. Daisy Bell Pierson and Mazie Beth Key helped the little folk in their games and later had an impromptu program of readings and songs. Cream and cake with novelty candy as favors was served to the following guests: Dan Oates, Sam Hugh Smith, Louise Pierson, Huey Cook, Jr., Doris Jean Glenn, Billie Key, Daisy Bell Pierson, Mazie Beth Key, Wallace and Josephine Parish, James Leo Southern, Ruby Jerald Sutherland, Jerry Cahill, Paul Roberts, Tommy French, Josephine Alexander, Joe Billie Stacy, Eloise Koonce, Billie

Joe Lancaster, Grace Ann Martin, Emory Marie Ballard, J. L. Shriver, J. Frances Carmichael and the little honoree, Hassell Hunter.

### Y. W. A. Meeting.

The Y. W. A. Girls met at the English Park, last Tuesday Evening for an out door meeting. The first part of the meeting was a business session. Miss Maybelle Taylor gave her resignation as president. The new officers elected were: Miss Marjorie Whitaker, President and Hazel Wilson, Secretary. After the business session, games were played then lunch was spread, sandwiches, olives, pickles, potato chips, punch and cream. The following were present: Maybelle Taylor, Marjorie Whitaker, Ruth Clough, Eunice Wilson, Velma Clanton, Eudora Bradley, Ethel Lou Clanton, Hazel Wilson, Mrs. B. M. Whitaker, Mrs. H. R. Whatley, Mrs. J. N. Simmons and sponsor, Mrs. W. C. Williams.

### Supt. and Mrs. J. Horace Bass Honor Haskell Teachers and Miss Rosella Chrisman and Mr. Bert Welsh

A party, complete in every detail and appointment was given by Superintendent and Mrs. J. Horace Bass in their home last Monday evening honoring the teachers of the Haskell schools and naming as special guests the bride and groom to be, Miss Rosella Chrisman and Mr. Bert Welsh. When the guests had been received, each was given a program bearing on the cover commensurate. Chrisman-Welsh, Class, June 12, 1928. Motto "Two In One" colors, pink and violet; flower, pink rose; the program was listed, song by the class; history, Mrs. Scott W. Green Jr.; prophesy, Miss Lewis Manley; class poem, Miss Mary Patterson; Class Will, Miss Rosella Chrisman; awarding of diplomas, Mr. J. Horace Bass, who found when closely scrutinizing the individual records that only Miss Chrisman and Mr. Bert Welsh were eligible to at once embark on the matrimonial sea and in awarding them their diplomas he also presented them from their class mates, a metal Columbus Flag Ship Forty-two was played during the remainder of the evening and the hostess served brick ice cream in the bride's colors, pink and violet and pink squares to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lebo, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sprowls, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Covey, Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Crow, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Davis, Mr. O'Dell Dodson, Mr. Bert Welsh, Misses Rosella Chrisman, Elaine Mills, Ruth Clough, Lela Welsh, Lewis Manley, Ruby Fitzgerald, Maybelle Taylor, Mary Patterson, Dolly Louise Chambers, Mrs. Irene Ballard, Mrs. Scott W. Green, Jr. and the host, Mr. Bass.

### Elizabeth Gilbert Gives Farewell Slumber Party.

Last Saturday night Miss Elizabeth Gilbert gave a farewell slumber party, before leaving for Los Angeles, Calif., where she will spend the summer. A general good time was had in-doors and out until six thirty when sandwiches and iced tea was served by Mrs. Sowell. Games and stories followed each other until midnight when soda pop was enjoyed and not long after this all were asleep. They were Misses Anita Collier, Lillian Kaigler, Judith English, Wilda Pippin and Madge Hambleton.

### Methodist Missionary Society.

The Methodist Missionary Society met in regular weekly session last Monday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth Martin directing. It was a Missionary Voice program. Mrs. Martin gave the devotional, Discipleship Motive and she used Mark 10:32-46 inclusive. Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough discussed Medical Missions after Fifty Years; Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, Personalities and Our Council Jubilee Celebration; Mrs. J. M. Gose presented the bulletin. On next Monday a box will be packed for one of the Wesley or Settlement houses and

### Anita Grissom to Represent Abilene At West Texas C. of C. Convention

The Abilene Reporter of Tuesday May 22nd announces that Anita Gris-

son has been chosen as Abilene representative to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention which convenes in Ft. Worth this year. The article follows: "Miss Anita Grissom, blond and blue eyed, has been chosen to represent the local chamber of commerce at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Ft. Worth next month, as Miss Abilene," it was announced last night by Charles W. Barnes, president of the Abilene organization. "Miss Abilene" is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Grissom, Elmwood addition. She is a sophomore in Simmons University. Anita is blue eyed and golden haired and a more beautiful girl will not attend the convention from any West Texas City. This honor reflects its glory on Haskell where Anita Grissom has lived all of her life and where she counts her friends by the hundred.

### The Fidelis Class Entertained By Six Hostesses.

In the home of Mrs. Tom French, she with five other hostesses, Mesdames Ed Sprowls, C. V. Payne, McCarty, Frank Thomas and Scott W. Green entertained members of the Fidelis Class of the Baptist Sunday School last Monday afternoon. Business was first dispensed with and then 42 was enjoyed the rest of the afternoon. The hostesses served a plate luncheon to Mrs. Grady Roberts, Mrs. Earl McPherson of Chillicothe, Mrs. George Vardeman Wimshis, nee Miss Eillon Clifton, Misses Marjorie Whiteker, Nettie McCollum, Hazel Wilson, Ruth Clough, Lela Welsh, Mesdames R. E. Hall, Roy Killingsworth, J. P. Payne and Wiley Reid.

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### Mrs. J. W. Medley and son Ellis, of Weimert were guests of her sister and family, Sheriff and Mrs. Al Cousins Sunday and Monday for the graduation exercises Mrs. Medley's son, Manuel, was in the class.

### At the Baptist Church

9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
11 a. m. Preaching service, subject "A Heart Searching Question for the Christian."  
7:15 p. m. All B. Y. P. U.'s meet.  
8 p. m. Preaching service, subject: "Weighed in the Balance of God."

all members of the Methodist church are invited to donate any kind of wearing apparel. Take your packages to Mrs. W. B. Vaughn a tthe parsonage.

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### At the Baptist Church

9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
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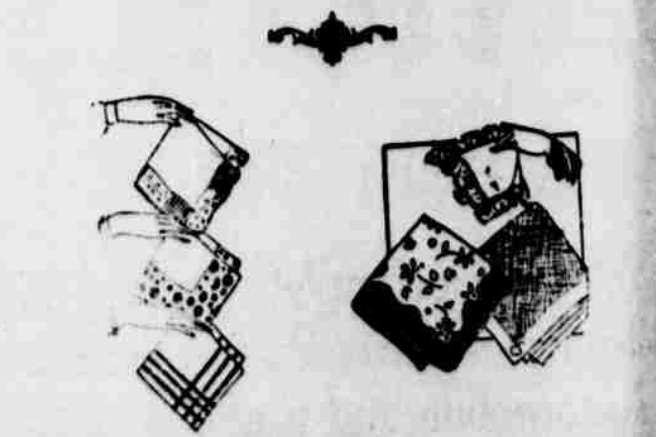
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FORTY-FIRST YEAR

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## RAIN AND HAIL IN BENJAMIN AREA

Hail stones as large as hen eggs fell in Benjamin last Thursday afternoon, May 17, driving their way through the roofs of houses and barns and ripping the branches from trees. Young cotton and grains were beaten to the ground and window lights broken. More than two inches of rain fell there Thursday afternoon in less than an hour's time. Benjamin Thursday night was water bound.

## To Place Double Electric Signs In Seven Towns

Double electric signs will be installed at ice sales stations or plants of the West Texas Utilities Company in seven towns in Districts D, E and J. The communities in which the signs will be placed are Munday, Haskell, Crowell, Quanah, Vernon, Childress and Memphis.

The signs will carry the illuminated letters "Ice." Beneath this in smaller non-illuminated letters will be "West Texas Utilities Company." The signs will be decorated with ornamental iron. Located at the corner of the West Texas Utilities Company property they will be visible from two streets.

## JONES & SON ADD NEW MACHINERY TO THEIR PLANT

Jones & Son of this city who are ever on the lookout for anything in the way of improvements which will further advance their progressive business, have within the past few days added to their machinery a large Unishair which is known to be the best machine for cutting sheet metal on the market. This machine is massive in construction, weighing about 1500 pounds. Its use is indispensable in the cutting of sheet metal into any shape or pattern desired and it is speedy and exact in its work.

There are only two of these machines known to be in use in Texas, one at Dallas and the one Jones & Son recently installed. This firm is engaged in the manufacture of flues, telescopes, in fact any thing used in this line by cotton gins of our country and their trade has grown so that they were compelled to get away from the hand snips and employ machinery to speed up their work. This plant is one of the most complete to be found in Texas with the addition of this machine the most output of their trade which is extended over a large area of Texas and other states.

Frank Rhodes of Throckmorton a well known citizen of West Texas was in the city last week meeting his many friends in Haskell.

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## Wichita Physician Will Speak Here On Child Health

Dr. A. F. Leach of Wichita Falls will speak on "The Child's Health, a Home, School and Community Problem," in the Methodist church Friday, May 25th at 3 p. m. A health program will be rendered at the time by the Primary Children. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## HOGG TO CONDUCT SEYMOUR REVIVAL

The Will Hogg Evangelistic Party will begin a three weeks revival campaign in Seymour on Sunday night May 27th. Rev. S. J. T. Williams, Campaign Director, will arrive in Seymour Saturday the 19th. The Seymour Churches are entering into the Campaign with much interest and zeal. The Hogg Party is now in a Community wide campaign in Hubbard. Delegations are coming from Waco, Corsicana, Hillsboro, Temple, Belton and many of the towns in the immediate vicinity of Hubbard.

## LARGE CROWD HEARS SPEECH OF BLANTON

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, candidate for the United States Senate, spoke in Haskell Monday.

District Court was in session, but District Judge Bruce W. Bryant dismissed court for one hour to make the courtroom available for the speaking. Mrs. J. U. Fields, former president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, introduced the speaker. Blanton in acknowledging his introduction referred to Mrs. Fields as being nationally known and that the town of Haskell and the State of Texas should be honored in owning such a distinguished person.

Blanton spoke briefly of his fight in banishing graft from the various departments of the Government at Washington. A large audience heard the address.

After leaving here Blanton spoke at Rule at 1:30 and Aspermont at 3 p. m.

Attending Democratic Convention. Leo Southern of this city is in attendance upon the State Democratic Convention at Beaumont this week. Mr. Southern, we learn, is the only delegate from this city to the convention, and is representing Haskell county at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Post are visiting in San Antonio. Mr. Post has promised his friends here that he would attend the meeting of the National Federation of Women's Clubs.

R. C. Couch was in Henrietta this week attending the closing exercises of the Public Schools, and Thursday night was Toastmaster at the banquet of the Alumni Association held in that city.

## HEAVY RAINS OVER COUNTY

More than three inches of rain is reported for the city of Haskell during the week's precipitation beginning Saturday May 12, and continuing at intervals throughout the week. The sun came out Monday morning and up to this (Wednesday) afternoon the sun has put in its appearance every day. Different reports come from various sections of the county ranging from 2 1/2 to 7 inches. No damage from hail or wind has been reported from any section of the county and rainfall was just what the farmers needed to wet the ground thoroughly.

## 11 GRANDPARENTS OF BABY LIVING

There came to live with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lain Jr. of the Roberts community a young man who is rich in ancestral grandparents. This youngster made his arrival April 6th and was given the name of James Albert. When the ancestral record was looked into it was found that James Albert has at this time Eleven Grand parents living. This is remarkable, doubtless there are very few if any who can claim a greater record of surviving grand parents.

The grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lain and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hurt of the Roberts community; Great grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lain, Sr., of Cleburne Texas, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Griffin of Davy Texas, Mrs. Martha Hurt and Mr. Mart Groce of Tennessee; the great great grand mother, Mrs. S. E. Griffin of Davy, Texas.

## REMOVAL OF ELECTRIC LINES FROM RULE STREET BEGUN

Electric distribution lines will be removed from the principal business streets at Rule and nine and one-half blocks of three phase primary and three phase, four-wire secondary lines of the distribution system will be rebuilt by the West Texas Utilities Company.

Mrs. B. Q. Furch Undergoes Operation. News reached here that Mrs. B. Q. Furch of Cottonwood had undergone an operation in Stamford Sanitarium for an acute case of appendicitis. We have not been informed as to her condition since the operation but we trust that she is doing nicely.

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## LOCAL BANKS WILL OBSERVE TWO HOLIDAYS

Both local banks will be closed on Wednesday May 30th, Memorial Day, and on Monday June 4th, the latter date in observance of Jefferson Davis birthday, June 3rd, which falls on Sunday. Patrons of the banks are requested to keep these dates in mind and transact their banking business accordingly, in order that no inconvenience may occur.

## GIN PLANT FOR O'BRIEN ASSURED

C. G. Barnett, H. A. Ricks and S. N. Reed were in the city from O'Brien Monday and stated that they had arranged all matters for the erection of the O'Brien gin and that work would begin before very long in order to have the gin ready to make the season. The gin will be a single plant with five eight saw stands and will be as near fire proof as it is possible to make a gin plant. The cost will exceed \$30,000.00 and it will be the last work in modern equipment. As was stated last week both the gin plants in O'Brien were destroyed by fire and ten of the O'Brien citizens have organized a stock company.

## WHAT SENATOR WALSH THINKS OF MRS. MINNIE FISHER CUNNINGHAM

Senator Thos. J. Walsh of Montana is quoted in the Boston Globe of April 13 as saying to a Boston audience which he was addressing on politics, "A Democratic woman of ability is seeking nomination for Senator in the State of Texas. I think that she is easily the peer of any of those who are contending for that high office."

"I have no business to express a preference, but I'll say this, that if among the various contenders in the State of Texas she receives the honor, I do say that if Mrs. Cunningham should be the Senate by her presence, but will give the chance she will not only graciously contribute materially to the work of that distinguished body."—Huntsville Item.

## SINGING SCHOOL TO OPEN AT KNOX CITY JUNE 4

The Stamps Music School will begin at Knox City Monday night June 4th for a term of three weeks. Knox City and O'Brien are promoting the School and the attendance is expected to exceed any school ever held in this section of the State.

V. O. Stamps will have charge of the class in theory, harmony, sight singing, methods, etc. M. L. Yandell will have charge of voice and piano. Mr. Giossupp will be first assistant in all the work.

The promoters of the school urge every one every where to avail themselves of the opportunity to study music during this school.

## HOWARD SCHOOL CLOSED FRIDAY

School closed at Howard, Friday, May 18. The Primary and Intermediate program was held Thursday evening. The Grammar Grade exercises were to have followed Friday evening but due to rain these were postponed until Saturday evening. The following program was rendered.

Class Song.  
Salutatory—Fay Medford.  
Class History—Jewell Tidwell.  
Class Colors, Old Rose and Silver—Joe Balthrop.  
Duet, Solitude, Marie Hammer, Edith Foote.  
Class Grumbler—Colen Hammer.  
Class Flower, Daisy—Edith McMahon.  
Tell It Again—Buiyan Hqward.  
Class Creed—Veda Williams.  
Class Prophecy—Edith Foote.  
Class Will—Orville Cox.  
Valedictory—Oleta Wells.  
Presentation of Diplomas—Mr. Foote Song, Farewell to Thee—Class.  
Six boys and nine girls received their diplomas.

These splendid programs were well attended and appreciated by the community.

Miss Lillian and Jewel Paxton have arrived home from their schools. Miss Lillian has been teaching three years at Gore and Miss Jewel has been teaching two years at Royce City. Miss Lillian goes back to Gore and Miss Jewel has accepted a place in the Munday schools. She was elected to her former place at Royce City, but declined for the school at Munday. Miss Hattie Lucia who is now teaching at Lufkin will be at home in two weeks.

## BACCALAUREATE SERMON SUNDAY

Last Sunday morning the eleven o'clock hour marked the beginning of the annual commencement exercises of the Haskell High School. The faculty used excellent judgment in electing to use the largest auditorium in the city for both services and then the great crowd on both occasions could not be accommodated. For the Baccalaureate sermon the Harmony Club, assisted by a number of the best male voices available from the several choirs, rendered five choruses that from a standpoint of spiritual beauty and harmony of tone could hardly be excelled. As the fifty graduates, clad in the conventional cap and gown, marched down the aisle to their reserved seats in the front a thrill of pride and ownership ran through the heart of the audience. Mrs. O. E. Patterson presided at the piano; the professional was Holy, Holy Holy; Come Unto Me, Harmony Club; Invocation, Rev. G. R. Forrester pastor of the First Christian Church; response, Harmony Club; scripture reading, Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the First Methodist Church; Holding Fast, Harmony Club; sermon, that was very fine and carried the theme that, All Science Points to God, Rev. H. R. Whately, pastor First Baptist Church; My Shepherd Leads, Harmony Club; benediction, Rev. M. L. Baker, pastor First Presbyterian Church.

## Workers Conference Will Meet With Bethlehem Church

The Workers' Conference for the Haskell Baptist Association will meet with Bethlehem Church in the Hood community next Monday, May 28th, at 10 a. m. for an all day service with dinner on the ground at noon. The programs are published and all arrangements made for the services. Hood is a few miles north east of Munday.

Below we give the program in full: Song Leader—W. M. Free. Devotional—W. M. Free. The Being and Nature of God—J. A. Kinser.

The Origin of Man—E. J. Barb. The Fall of Man—C. E. Ball. The Scheme of Human Redemption—J. Q. Herrin.

W. M. U. Program—Mrs. J. O. Bowden in charge. Subject: Womens Part in Teaching the Doctrines.

1. In the Home, Mrs. H. R. Whately.
2. In the Sunday School—Mrs. J. Q. Herrin.
3. Business Session.

## METHODISTS ORGANIZE MENS BIBLE CLASS

A Mens Bible Class was organized at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening, when a large group of members of the church were present for the occasion. A permanent organization was perfected and the following officers were elected:

- D. H. Parsons, president.
  - R. L. Harrison, vice president.
  - W. M. Cass, secretary-treasurer.
  - W. G. Russell, Teacher.
  - A. H. Wair, substitute teacher.
- The class will meet regularly each week, and a number of interesting programs are being planned. A hearty welcome is extended to all men who are not affiliated with any other class to attend this class. Visitors are also welcomed to the class.

## RULE SEWER INSTALLATION WORK GETS UNDER WAY

The contractors who are to install the Rule sewer system have two ditches at work in the city this week. The disposal plant, which will be placed on the R. H. Penick farm, was started last week. With crews at work at present it will not take long to get the mains laid. With the addition of a sewer system for Rule, and coming of gas, Rule will have all the modern conveniences of a city.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Atchison of the Irby community were shopping in the city Saturday. Besides being successful farmer, Earl is giving his attention to the poultry business and from his White Leghorn hens he is realizing a nice profit. They feed their flock well and call them closely.

Editor Sam A. Roberts spent several days in Chillicothe this week and business.

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