

# POULTRY FACTS

## PUSH LAYING HEN FOR FIVE MONTHS

Five months per year is enough in which to push hens into extra laying by extending the feeding hours through the use of lights. The North Carolina experimental station has just completed its second three-year test with laying hens and finds that the period between November 1 and April 1 is the period to use lights. For the remainder of the year, the birds should be allowed to feed during the normal daylight.

"Beginning with the present year, we have supplied them to 36 chickens five months of 14 feeding hours per day, extending the extra hours by six electric lights," says Dr. E. E. Kemp, head of the poultry department at that station. "This plan worked the complete of the second year test. Our results show clearly that a hen can give a larger period between each egg of eggs than the extra hours. This is evidenced by the longer intervals between the stores of yolk, between the yolk and the egg, and by the shorter intervals between the egg and the next yolk. It is not wise to expect a hen to the extra feeding hours to more than five months of the year, and the time between November 1 and April 1 is recommended."

Doctor Kemp and his associates have found that a regular reduction of the feeding hours will be accompanied by premature molting and that regular lighting will always give poor results in wintering extra eggs.

## Cod Liver Oil May Be Detrimental to Fowls

Dr. Eric Agner of Stockholm, Sweden, has issued a report which confirms reports as to the bad effect of cod liver oil on chickens. In his experiments with white and black Leghorns, he found that the birds fed with cod liver oil made the smallest gains. He found that the birds fed with cod liver oil made the smallest gains. He found that the birds fed with cod liver oil made the smallest gains.

## Sodium Fluoride Useful to Destroy Parasites

The best thing to treat hens for lice is sodium fluoride. The best way to apply it is to dip each hen, but this can be done only on a warm day. One ounce of sodium fluoride to each gallon of lukewarm water. Grasp the hen by the wings in your left hand and immerse her in the water and rub up the feathers with your right hand so that the water will get to the skin. Then hold your hand over her nostrils and mouth and check her head for a few seconds.

## Poultry Squibs

Poultry parasites are birds and are free from four to six months after chickens hatch. They are most common in the hen house unless a strong disinfectant is applied.

Without some form of vitamin food to replace the sunlight and the warm, fresh air, laying hens will never be free-handed you are with grain. This need is supplied by feeding yeast, molasses, ground green bone, or skim milk or buttermilk.

Pullets of the heavy breeds can be too fat for laying while it is difficult to get Leghorn pullets overly fat.

The poultry breeder should not be influenced by trifling incidents that irritate the market. He should select and grade his poultry.

The poultry house is both the home of the hen and the factory where white eggs are produced, and unless it provides suitable living and working conditions the hen cannot be expected to lay well.

Soy bean and other hay, if properly cured, may be used to take the place of alfalfa in the poultry ration.

It is much easier to prevent lice and mites getting a start than it is to get rid of them once they get a toe hold.

### NEW ITEMS FROM THE GAULTY COMMUNITY

The Literary Society meetings were postponed for a while on account of the winter fever and influenza. We hope to continue them soon. Sunday school was also stopped until the danger is over.

James Brown is suffering from a broken arm. He received the injury when one of the swings at the school broke.

Mrs. Nellie Yale of Wichita Falls spent Sunday night with her sister Mrs. Jess Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Foster have moved to the Maxwell farm to make their home for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Booth have moved on the Norman farm. We are glad to keep these good people with us another year.

Mr. Lloyd Schneider has gone to Ft. Worth to continue his course at DePaul University.

A group of the young people of the community met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephens Sunday night at 8 o'clock where they enjoyed some good music and sang a few songs.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM HOWARD COMMUNITY

Mr. R. L. Beard and Mrs. M. J. Beard of The Christian Church visited their sister Mrs. H. J. Pugh and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Pearl Medford visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thorne in the Haskell community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Josselyn of Haskell visited at our community last Sunday.

The Home Demonstration Club met at the teachers' Feb. 10. The girls are now working on their uniform caps and aprons.

Ray Kany, pastor of the Methodist Church here, preached Sunday morning and evening to an interested congregation. There was an addition to the church at the evening service.

An Epworth League was organized here with the following officers: Frank Underwood, president; Pearl Medford, vice president; Grady Hammer, treasurer; Lona Nantz, secretary. There were 25 young people who joined the league.

Rhona Pearl Graham of Midway visited Leda Williams last week.

Mrs. W. H. McCann of Hale visited her father Mr. Will Terrell and sister Mrs. Frank Elmore Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ora Burnette of Stamford visited

### CLARA BOW SHOWS HOW TO TEST SWEETIE IN "HULA"

Here is a new way to test the love of your sweetie. First, offer him a gift. Second, be sure he knows it's for you. Third, mount your horse. Fourth, ride with him to the edge of a cliff. Fifth, jump—and then, well, the rest should not be hard to imagine.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM DOUGLAS COMMUNITY

Tuesday afternoon the children of the Douglas school were entertained with a Valentine party and program. Little Miss Helen, Mabel Hamilton gave a few minutes talk on why we celebrate Feb. 14 on St. Valentine's Day. Miss Lela Mae Howard and Sylvia Payne read out the names and little Miss Lela Marie and Bertie Howard distributed the valentines among the children. Each student received a candy heart as a token of love from the children. Miss Alma Sprowls, an airplane "The Spirit of St. Valentine" which was constructed by the teacher and pupils contained the valentines which were distributed to those present.

### Primary and Junior Department First Christian Sunday School

Although we have been so busy with our school work, our children have not attended school for some time. We had two new pupils last week. Also had some back who have not been with us since before Christmas.

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"Hula" was directed by the same man who made "Marina" and "The Way of All Flesh." Clara Bow is accompanied by Edna Roberts, Arlette Marshall, Arnold Kent, and Arlette Marshall. Lead Miss Bow's supporting cast.

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**FOR SALE**—Brown Leghorn Eggs for hatching \$1.00 per setting of 15 or \$4.00 per hundred. Mrs. W. G. Pope. Star Route 2, Haskell. 4fr 2fr

**STRAYED OR STOLEN**—One black and white dog, blue speckle and black around eyes, black spot on hips. \$300 reward for information leading to recovery. Ben F. Bruton, Weiner, Route 2. 2fr 2fr

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**FOR RENT**—Three south rooms for light housekeeping unfurnished, phone 43. 1fr 2fr

**FOR SALE**—Star windmill, tank and tower. All in good condition. Will sell worth the money. Call at County Attorney's office. 2fr 2fr

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V. O. Stamps will hold three weeks singing school at O'Brien Baptist church beginning March 12, 1928. Tuition \$5 per scholar. All are invited to attend. Lomas, Texas. 1fr 2fr

**LOST**—Between the square and the old Carlisle place in the east part of town. Laniolium Rug 9x12. Finder please leave at the Free Press office. J. R. McCloud. 1fr 2fr

**CARD OF THANKS**—We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our friends who were so kind during our recent bereavement, and who extended to us their sympathy and floral offerings on the death of our husband and father. May God's richest blessings rest upon you and yours. Mrs. Ed Mills, Elaine Mills, Marie Mills.

**NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS**—After March 1st we will discontinue the Free Press to all subscribers who have not sent in their renewals or otherwise arranged for the paper. It is always regrettable on the part of the Free Press to drop the names of our readers from our mailing list, but after you are notified and we do not hear from you there is nothing left for us to do. Any paper that is stopped at the end of expiration is more appreciated than one that you can not stop under any condition even by threats of danger. We know our readers appreciate this feature of the Free Press and we trust that you will send in your renewal at that you may not miss its weekly visits to your home. We thank each and every one for your patronage and trust to have your renewal at once. Don't wait send it in today!

**FOR SALE**—Choice building lots east or west fronts in north part of town. Payne Drug Co. 2fr 2fr

**CARD OF THANKS**—We take this means of thanking our friends for their kindness during the sad death of our darling mother. We especially thank Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clifton and Rev. Ben F. Roberts for their kindness and the T. E. L. class of the Baptist church for the beautiful flowers. May Heaven's richest blessings rest upon each of you is our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tucker.

If the party who is known to take a package from Mask's Store with my name on it will return it to the store or the post office, will save cost and trouble. J. A. McKee, Haskell. 1fr 2fr

Mrs. Sallie Carmichael of Dallas is visiting her daughter Mrs. Jess Edwards and son Jerry of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dean of Howard were here Wednesday morning and received a shipment of 25 Buff Orpington baby chicks from a reliable breeder. Mr. and Mrs. Dean are making good with poultry and like Buff Orpington's line.

Mrs. W. M. Mask has returned to her home from the Stamford Sanitarium and her many friends hope for her a speedy and complete recovery of her former health.

## Snap Shots

About time for that hot spring. Hope we don't have a hot spring weather later.

Everybody believes in the navy, but there seems to be different interpretations of the meaning of "Snappers."

After all there was nothing surprising in Bobby Jones' return that gift of a \$50,000 home. What we thought a golfer have to do?

President Coolidge has given us his provincial viewpoint in assuming that newspapers will be destroyed rather than lack of one side of the foreign interests.

An Iowa man was supposed to be in a runaway but they were not going to the episode. He was going to town to buy his first automobile.

Anyways, Noah didn't get any more about getting out a new month, but every year to compete with other builders.

Somebody has invented a machine that will pluck a few in 45 seconds. Some birds get skinned in less time than that.

There seems to be something in a name after all. San Francisco has a telephone operator by the name of Chin Chin.

An exchange tells of a fellow being charged with striking a clock, but he was acquitted when he proved that the clock struck first.

A woman can generally keep a man guessing especially when she begins to make hand signals from the car ahead.

The Mexicans might retaliate against us by criticizing our Congressional Bull shooters.

Cooks are decorated in France. And we feel like crowning some to ours.

A professor finds that a girl baby triples her weight during her first year. And tries to have glowing hair at 16th.

Golf is recommended to add to a man's physical assets. It also increases his liabilities.

The next time the telephone operator gives you the wrong number, please member to be thankful that it was not one of those \$75 calls to England.

In establishing values for the teaching of "truthful sales talk" a Portland form appears to be superior upon a single field.

The secret is out. Newsweek typewriters were invented by the signature of the sound-proof beam in music stores.

Correct this sentence: "Before I go shopping I always drive around and see what is advertised in the billboards."

The office shell says that the girl who took to the basketball game the other night is so dumb that she thought the temporary bleachers were portable blondes.

**H. J. Hambleton**  
RESIDENCE PHONE 257  
**Plumbing and Electrical Wiring**  
ALL WORK GUARANTEED  
Located at McNeill & Smith Hardware Company  
Phone 145

# Extra Special

We are offering for this Friday and Saturday another nice assortment of Ladies Dresses in Flat Crepe, sorted colors—all new Dresses, extra good values for only—

## \$8.95


Other Dresses marked down for special selling event at prices cannot afford to overlook.

### SPRING MILLINERY

Three shipments of Spring Hats just received this week, for Friday and Saturday's Specials, which will enable you to select a new Spring Hat from a stock that has not been picked over.



# Mays Dry Goods Co



## Gas with A Push

Cities Service Gas and Oils are Trouble Insurance for your Car.

More distance per gallon—less gallons per mile. That's what CITIES SERVICE gas means. Just fill your tank with clean-firing, power-producing CITIES SERVICE, and notice the difference on your engine—it leaves no carbon behind. Just drive up to our station and give the word.

Coupe (118-inch Chassis)	\$1260
Sedan (Kumble base; 60 extra)	1325
Couche	1250
Standard Sedan (127-inch Chassis)	\$1450
Custom Victoria	1650
Custom Landau Sedan	1650
Custom 7-Pass. Sedan	1950

All prices f. o. b. Detroit, plus tax and license fee.

Financing can pay for cars out of income at lowest available charge rate, interest, handling and insurance.

CITIES SERVICE GASOLINE AND OILS  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

# Fouts & Dotson

Sales and Service Headquarters for Buick Automobiles.

### SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, has bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 50c. Sold by

ALL DRUGGISTS

## For colds, grip and flu take



# alotabs

Relieves the congestion, prevents complications, and hastens recovery.

## Capping the Great Pyramid of Value to the Greatest Reception in Hudson History

Hudson's long, constantly improved leadership of chassis values, riding qualities, performance supremacy, and operation smoothness, is this year rounded out with the most beautiful modern and varied line of body designs we have ever presented—and to the greatest public applause in all Hudson's long score of triumphs.

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# The NEW HUDSON Super-Six

## King-Lawson Motor Co.

P. D. SANDERS... VAS. P. BINNARD... Ratliff & Ratliff...



Mr. Odham—Our family fortune is founded by my earliest ancestors...

Unsung Reporter... While one of the easiest tasks imaginable is to go around picking out unsung heroes...

Women at Oxford... There seems to be nothing to do about women except to tolerate them. No effort to bar them ever lasts...

Industrial progress is more secure, though less spectacular, when small factories owned by a small group of men skilled and experienced in the business...

FARM POULTRY

HATCHABILITY OF EGG INCREASED

Feeding and housing are the most important factors affecting hatchability of eggs but they are by no means the only ones...

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Haskell. By virtue of an alias execution issued out of the District Court of Grayson County, Texas...

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Haskell. Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Jones County, Texas...



Cosmos is only one of the many garden annuals suitable for cutting.

Grow Your Own... At Your Dealers... Most of the standard size Flower packets 5¢... A few of the more rare varieties 10¢... Northrup, King & Co's Seeds

Baby Chicks and Eggs from my Flock... SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORNS... Setting Eggs \$5.00 per hundred. Baby Chicks \$18.00 per hundred.

A SPLENDID FEELING... That tired, half-sick, discouraged feeling caused by a torpid liver and constipated bowels can be gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using Herbine.

Faith is a great curative agency, and no one can doubt the popular confidence in a prescription. The blacker and more bitter the mixture the deeper the belief in it.

Young men who do not know what they are talking about often say that there are not the opportunities to get on in the world that there used to be.

For years we have been doing the hog an immeasurable injustice. We say a man eats like a hog to designate a gross and uncontrollable appetite.

The wife of a man whom a Sioux City girl sued for breach of promise because he failed to keep his pledged troth to get a divorce and marry her.

It has been common to refer to a dastardly criminal as "the Cat" or "the Fox." Cats and foxes are rather clean animals with dependable traits of character.

We read that an ancient English church rose briefly again from the sea. The trouble with so many of these news dispatches is that they are annoyingly incomplete.

The aviator confidently announces a "hop-off." The cautious air expert seeks to impress the desirability of studying conditions with care.

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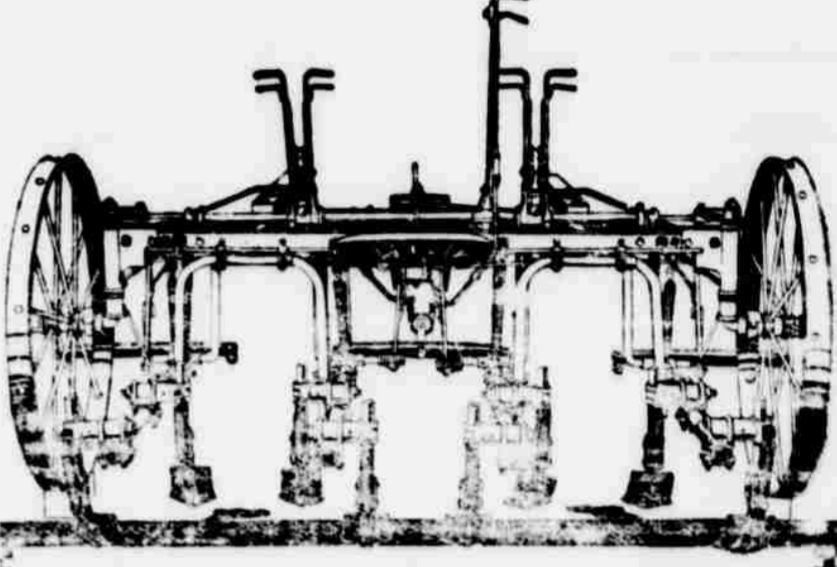
Hens Earn More

Hens in the flocks of the 543 Ohio farmers who last year kept cost records in co-operation with the agricultural extension service of the Ohio State University, earned more for their owners in 1926 than in any years since the co-operative record keeping began.

Poultry Items

It is best to treat pullets and place them in permanent quarters sometime before they begin laying, to avoid checking egg production by handling them.

Miss Minnie Davis of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her parents here. Henry King, local manager of the West Texas Utilities Co. and J. M. Diggs, salesman for the company, returned Sunday from Dallas...



Rains Came; Work Stopped and the Weeds Flourished... JOHN DEERE ND TWO-ROW... In one wet season, increased yields due to ability to get over the entire field in time would much more than pay for the ND.

OUR OWN CUSTOMERS... Know the nature and quality of the service rendered by this Bank, and we could number many more among our customers if we had the opportunity of discussing the matter of Modern Banking Service which really serves. We would appreciate a call at any rate. "Ask Our Customers" THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK The Old Reliable Since 1890 Capital and Surplus \$100,000.00

SO HE WOULD KNOW



"Why do you pay such attention to what that crank tells you to do?"

"So I know what not to do."

Too often the jury gets hung and the verdict doesn't get handed.

Between radios and planes most of us have been up in the air this year.

The only miss that has registered in the Atlantic States is Miss Forsythe.

Silk stockings have become so cheap that even the musical comedies can afford them.

What's become of the old-fashioned parents who told the children they must be home by midnight?

"Why did you leave the paintistry business?" "Oh, I don't know—I couldn't see any future in it."

The Skjellerup comet is said to be invisible to the naked eye as well as being a strain on the naked ear.

The frequency with which filling stations are robbed is attributed to the fact that they do a cash business.

We never did find out really whether Lindbergh cares for genuine Mexican tamales canned in Kansas City.

In an office full of new cigar lighters, it is a little tough being the only old-fashioned fellow with matches.

One that seems to have no difficulty rising on a wet morning is the stopper on the milk bottle on the back porch.

Those quaint, old-fashioned unprogressive states, Massachusetts and New York, have never adopted a gas-vine tax.

An editor on social snags looks up. It is bad form to talk about the weather. And useless. The weather speaks for itself.

Funny, with all the paving the state highway department boasts about, that our car always hits two-foot mud when it rains.

All in all, nothing else emphasizes the need of a paint job on the old boat like a pair of brand-new, shiny 1928 license plates.

There never was any order in Nicotina to speak of, so naturally the official excuse is that our machines are there to "restore" it.

A "whispering" lemon is reported to be paid an average of \$1,250 a week so probably for a few hundred more he would refrain entirely.

An ingenuo is that more or less young party in the picnic who, once upon a chair like a kitten, the situation north-south-southeast.

The more lies that an politician to speak in, the more public opinion has been accepted as a sign of sanity, since that the worse a lie is.

We can't see the value of having two for a 1928 car. Did you know that one of the 1928 cars had 25 cylinders in it and never ran the first time?

A theory now being generally well-accepted is that a comprehensive marriage arrangement is one where our folks retain custody of the bride.

Those Floridians are made of the proper metal. When a cold snap hits their fruit they advertise that the frost puts the bouquet into the fruit.

Telephone Bells.

Two French engineers have invented an apparatus which substitutes the song of a nightingale for the clamor of the telephone bell, according to the South Bend Tribune. It is said many French householders find the sharp ring in use now so unpleasant that a change was believed advisable. The new device has not been accepted by the government, which owns the telephone systems, however, and there is no assurance that it will meet with official approval. The defects in the scheme are obvious. While it might be more pleasant to be summoned to the telephone by musical notes it is clear that prompt attention might not be given to calls. The anesthetic telephone bell now in use cannot be ignored. When it rings the householder or business man is forced to answer immediately in order to avoid wear and tear on his eardrums. The fact that many telephone calls are worthless because the callers have given wrong numbers need not be taken into consideration. To hear "wrong numbers" after dropping important matters to answer the phone would not be much more pleasant because one had been lured by a bird call.

When is a lady? The old standards are rather wobbly of late, and a woman's insistence on that term sometimes marks her as eminently entitled to deserve it. People are coming around gradually to an acceptance of the good plain term "woman," and it is a healthy sign of the times, says the Philadelphia Record. A London Justice recently remarked publicly that woman was a better word than lady, as things are nowadays. "In these times, nearly everybody is a 'lady,'" he reflected. "I think better of the other title." Today we have this and that women's college, or hospital, or union or club. But it was not so long ago that one heard only of ladies' seminaries and other feminine institutions. Although associations of women were not exactly plentiful then, they always wished it known they were ladies and nothing else but.

If airplanes come into general use as pleasure vehicles in the future it will serve the parents of the next generation right, says the Kansas City Post. Then they will be able to understand why we parents who were brought up in huggies are inclined to fret a little when our children are spinning around in automobiles. These children of today will be the old-fashioned people of that time and they will tell their youngsters how they were satisfied to remain on the ground. We didn't sail around in the air when we were young, they will say, but were content to drive on the streets at forty or fifty miles an hour. Each younger generation can be trusted to do something to cause the parents of the time to become prematurely gray.

Anything that checks initiative, that prevents us from taking charge of our own lives and facing up resolutely to our own duty and responsibility can never by any chance be of much help. Multitudes of lives have been spoiled and disappointment because people have waited to be shown or directed or helped instead of venturing forth heroically to work out their own destiny. The things that anyone can help you to are few and poor indeed, but the things that you can do for your self are the things that make life.

It has recently become known that thirty of the large life and accident insurance companies of the country have agreed to issue policies as protectors of airplane pilots and passengers. The fact that such a big company are about ready to accept the safety of the air as no more than an ordinary risk should stimulate considerably the public's acceptance of the plane as a natural means of travel. Safe flying is not a development to be awaited. It has materialized.

UNMANNED



Mrs. ... I hear Miss Pisse is a wreck from losing the man she expected to marry.

Mrs. Smith—It's completely un-manned her, my dear.

An optimist is one who received a pocketbook or billfold with glee.

Georgia's roads lend in some particular—billboards and tack signs.

In spite of the experts, in their yearly resume, saying business is better, it is.

The good old days were the ones when we denied doing what is now being done openly.

They may play bridge by radio, but it is yet to be seen if we will have crossword puzzles over the air.

"Papa," said Little Willy, who wants to know everything, "which is the front of a revolving door?"

California has produced a seedless lemon and now just watch Florida produce a squirtless grapefruit.

As we understand it, a young murderer is a fox as long as he gets away with it, and after that he is crazy.

Disturbances inevitably break out owing largely to the fact that Lindbergh cannot be everywhere at once.

An Egyptian mummy often finds his press agent too late to be of any great service in his practical political affairs.

The dollar went farther in 1927 than any time since the World war. But the farther it goes the harder to get back.

If he sighs for the good old days he probably means that with his present salary he could have afforded a swell surrey and the best pair of boys in town.

"I think I'll stay in this evening," remarked Paul Bunyan, the mighty woodsman, as he filled his saxophone with tobacco and sat down for a smoke.

The man who wrote the songs of a nation was once regarded as a power. The man who reads the lying for a nation is now regarded as the leading influence.

Bertrand Russell, the great English philosopher, says love cannot be turned on and off, like an ordinary faucet. It must be more like the one in a pullman.

A Belgium woman shot her sweetheart because his dancing made her ridiculous. We'll have to admit that it is almost impossible to keep step with the times.

"If I thought it would enhance the value of my pictures any," remarked the commercially minded young artist, "I would spread the rumor around that I am dead."

But does the lexicographer who urges an alphabet of 35 letters reckon with the powerful opposition of the manufacturers of spelling books and alphabet noodles?

Dr. Knight Dunlap, professor of psychology, claims that primitive minds that children were mosquito nets. Just as we claim—there is nothing new on the scene.

The funny thing about the new synthetic rubber, perfect all around after many years of experiment, is that it isn't being retailed as Aunt Dinah's cream waffles.

CANDIDATE FOR OFFICE BELIEVES IN FRANKNESS

The following announcement of a candidate for office in our sister county of Throckmorton, is taken from the Wichita Falls Times, and we do not believe has ever been equaled in frankness by a political aspirant.

"To the voters of Throckmorton county:

"Having been strongly solicited by my wife, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county attorney. I shall be opposed in this race by two of your best known citizens, Hon. B. F. Reynolds and Mr. James F. Wright. Concerning them, I shall have nothing to say except that they are upright and honorable men deserving of your confidence and support.

"Mr. Reynolds came to Throckmorton county before most of us were born when it represented the last outpost of civilization and lay far out on the edge of the wild frontier. But for such men as he, who came here when every step was attended by danger and existence meant a battle and a march, there would be no Throckmorton county and no county attorney's office to fill. For this labor and sacrifice we are all grateful. A life of noble deeds and great achievements recommended him to the voters. He is my friend and I love him. I have served for the past year and am at present his assistant.

"Mr. Wright is a native son and was born in the county he seeks to serve. He is capable and qualified to fill the office and is deserving of the trust he asks you to bestow. He also is my friend, and should you elect him as your servant, I am sure your confidence would not be misplaced.

"As for myself, I am an "Arkansas Hill-Billy," born and raised in the Ozark mountains. Out ran the dogs on Sunday morning to keep from having my face washed—did my sparring barefooted—never saw a train until I was 15 and was almost grown before I learned that Republicans walked on their hind-feet like people.

"Have farmed with a bull-tongue plow—taught school—practiced law—and am a first class mechanic, having worked a right smart around a molasses mill. Came to Texas two years ago and married the finest little girl in Throckmorton county. I want the office because I think I can make a living out of it and will promise, if elected to try and make thieves and bootleggers think hell ain't no fear from the court house.

"So I expect to spend the time between now and the election, kissing babies, complimenting the ladies' cooking and bragging on the Old Man's crop.

"Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

—Jeff Fowler"

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haliburton and son and daughter of the Foster community were in the city Saturday. Mr. Haliburton is one of the leading Rhode Island Red breeders of this section. He has made a success with these birds and has done much toward making Reds popular in this section of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Cavalry who have lived in Haskell county more than 20 years and who own a good farm and are well improved in the Gaunt community 5 miles west of town were in the city Saturday shopping. Mrs. Cavalry has been a fan of the Barred Plymouth Rocks for many years and she has bred them up from year to year until her birds are among the best in this section. She brings to the city a well filled egg basket and sells them to our local merchants each week.

Miss Emma Lee Hammett of Blue Worth is visiting her parents, Miss Verma Clanton of this city.

The day of the unscrupulous of Virginia, which they have the right on the table, is passing. The law has been entered the Blue Hills of the Confederacy has been returned to the state. Gradually good fellowship between North and South is being established, says the Washington Times-Democrat. We predict a time when the people of the South will be quite as friendly with the people of the North as they are for example with the people of England. There was a time when we thought every Yankee had horns and carried around with him a pitchfork with which to impale young boys from this section. We don't think that any longer. He has any horns and he carries no pitchfork. What the heart of him is we don't know, but we do know that his outward appearance is remarkably like that of his southern neighbor.

An enthusiastic advocate of the simplified spelling system has figured out that the complexities of the present conventional method is costing the people of this country \$2,000,000,000 annually in its publishing, writing and teaching bills. It is concluded that the common abbreviation "each" cost a half of the first time costs of using school text in our country to make the intricacies of our present system of spelling. This represents a considerable sum, but, in addition to this there is 15 per cent waste in the use of superfluous letters in our writing and printing, which brings the total up to the astonishing amount named above.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MIDWAY COMMUNITY

The school is progressing nicely. The parents met at the school house last week and the men cleaned off the school grounds and the women set out flowers and fixed places to plant many more. They have brought several large pictures to the school rooms.

There will be singing at the school house next Sunday February 19. On that day Sunday only a few were present and the singing class was not organized as officers elected. We hope there will be a large crowd present. Sunday we can get organized and begin of the best singing classes of the county. We also expect to have some new books.

Miss Edna Griffin and Mr. Jim Griffin were married on Sunday February 12. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tate Griffin of the Midway community and the groom is of the Midway community.

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R. C. Montgomery of Farmers State Bank attended the Seventh District meeting held in Wichita Falls February 22. He returned Tuesday night.

Lawson Hays of Wichita Falls was in Haskell city Saturday.

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This blend of the World's **FINEST** coffees

**White Swan COFFEE**

WHITE SWAN LUNCHEON PEAS ARE JUST

### Chickens Wanted

We are going to load a car of chickens at Haskell on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 24 and 25, and Monday Feb. 27, and will pay the following prices:

Heavy Hens, per lb.	16c
Light Hens, per lb.	12c
All Leghorns, per lb.	12c
Roosters, per lb.	6c
Stags, 3 to 4 lbs., per lb.	10c
Fryers, 2 to 2 1/2 lbs., per lb.	16c

Turkeys and Eggs at Market Price.

### WESTERN PRODUCE COMPANY

Haskell, Texas

### TEXAS THEATRE HASKELL

Thursday—Last Day Showing  
Florence Vidor  
in  
"ONE WOMAN TO ANOTHER"  
COMEDY AND FABLES

Friday Only—February 24  
Blanch Sweet  
in  
"SINGED"  
WITH LADY OF VICTORY

Saturday Only  
THE WONDER SHOW  
Lon Chaney  
in  
"MR. WU"  
WITH COLLEGIANS

Monday and Tuesday  
"THE 'IT' GIRL"

**FREE! \$10. In Cash!**

# Hog Calling!

**FREE! \$10. In Cash!**

CONTEST SATURDAY FEBRUARY 25th 1:30 P. M.  
ENTER YOUR NAMES AT ONCE

Folks here is where you can try your voice out. Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in front of our store we will stage an old fashioned hog calling contest. Any person, grown-ups, can take part. Just be here. Enter your names as soon as possible. It costs you absolutely nothing.

**\$7.50 Will Be Given to 1st. Best Caller** **\$2.50 Will Be Given to 2nd. Best Caller**

**COME JOIN IN THE FUN!**

## SIEGEL DRY GOODS COMPANY

**Star BOW**

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**Crunchy, Crisp Pop Corn**  
 That fairly melts in your mouth — that's what you get when you buy our **JOLLY TIME Brand Pop Corn**.  
 Freshly popped and seasoned just right. You'll say it's good — just try it.  
 B. MILLER—2nd. Door West Texas Theatre



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When you spend as much as \$1195 for a car you're entitled to Buick quality, luxury and reliability—as well as Buick beauty, performance, stamina and long life.

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**MAIN REASON WHY THE LAUNDRY SHOULD DO YOUR LAUNDRY IS BECAUSE THE LAUNDRY IS A SAFE PLACE TO SEND YOUR CLOTHES!**

**Haskell Laundry Co.**

### WITH OUR READERS

Personal and Otherwise

Last week we had a goodly number of our friends who have given us their names for renewal and new subscribers for which we thank each of you more than we can find words to express.

We begin our notes by telling you that W. B. Harrison one of our best citizens who drives an express wagon and carries the mail from the post office to the train called and extended his date for a full year in advance. Mr. Harrison is one who keeps the home paper coming all the time.

Mrs. Boothe English of this city renews for the paper for a year. We are glad to note Mrs. English among our readers who appreciate the home paper.

W. P. Ruff, one of our citizens who keeps the Free Press paid in advance has again renewed setting his date forward 32 weeks. Mr. Ruff is a good painter and paper hanger and is busy all the time.

W. F. Draper Jr. is one of Haskell's best young men who is engaged in farming on the Draper farm just outside the city limits. Frank renewed for the home paper for a year in advance. The Draper family is one of the pioneer families of Haskell County.

S. O. Clark who once lived in the Midway community but who moved to Lubbock about a year ago sends us a check for eight months to the home paper.

J. P. Wheatley one of the best known citizens in Haskell county sends the Free Press to E. L. King and family at Post City for a half year. Mrs. King is a daughter of Mr. Wheatley.

C. R. Cook who operates one of the leading filling stations in the city sends the paper to his aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cook at Athens Texas, to let them read the news from Haskell County. Mr. Cook also renewed his own subscription and is paid up for a year in advance.

W. J. Jeter of the Center Point community renewed for the home paper which is an annual occurrence with him. He is one of the leading farmers of his community and likes the home paper best of all.

Wm. Welch who has owned and operated a filling station on Main St. in the north part of town for a number of years but recently sold it, always keeps his subscription to the home paper paid in advance. We acknowledge the remittance for a year in advance.

W. B. Lindley living across Mule creek on the Haskell and Stamford road made a special trip to the office and set his expiration 12 months forward. Mr. Lindley has been reading the home paper many years and appreciates it very much. He is a good farmer and makes a support for his family by the sweat of his face.

J. F. Posey a former Haskell business man sends us his subscription from San Angelo where he is making his home. He has many friends in the county from whom he wishes to hear.

R. E. Reeves on Haskell Route 1 is one of our habitual readers who is again paid up a year in advance. He is a good farmer and makes his support from the soil.

Paul Zahn who is a long time reader of the Free Press renews for the home paper. He moved to the city two years ago and erected a nice home on a small tract of land and has one of the best improved homes in this section. He still owns his farm north west of town where he lived for many years before moving to the city.

Will Pace who does job hauling for his friends in the city renewed for the Free Press for a short while, but he

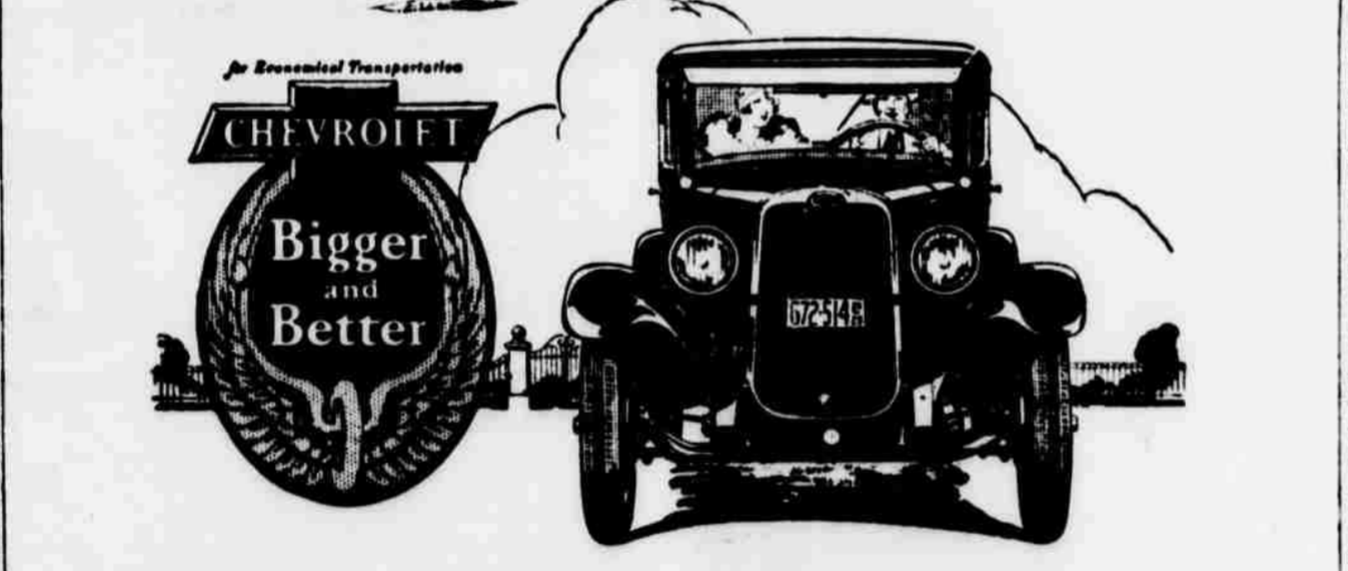
### WATCH FOR THE HOOK

Some smooth, slick talking salesman may come talking gilt-edged stock some day, But you had better not crack down Till you have all about it found.

For stock in many a quick paying scheme Is not what it at first might seem And no matter how the bait may look It pays to watch out for the hook. The Farmers State Bank will help you find The worth of stock in every kind.

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Haskell, Texas



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 The Sport Cabriolet . . . \$665  
 The Imperial Landau . . . \$715  
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Offering marvelous new bodies by Fisher, styled with all the artistry and originality for which the Fisher name is famous . . . and providing all the brilliant performance advantages of an improved valve-in-head motor—the Bigger and Better Chevrolet is hailed throughout America as a sensational achievement in beauty and performance!

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 Haskell, Texas

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J. L. Tubbs manager of the Haskell Laundry sends the paper to E. W. Churchwell, Asherton, Texas. John keeps the paper going every year to his friend.

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E. A. McPartly, Jeweler and Doctor of Optics of this city had us place his name on our mailing list, that he might better acquaint himself with the people of Haskell county.

Earl McNeill a young farmer north east of town called and renewed for the Free Press and is now paid up until Jan. 1, 1929. We are always glad when our young men begin life by becoming a habitual reader of the Free Press.

R. E. McNeil of Rule Route 2 renewed for the paper while in the city not long ago. He is one of our best farmers and is known as the best roasting ear farmer in Haskell county. He always has roasting ears if they are grown in the county.

J. D. Josslet formerly of Haskell County but now of Sierra Blanca, Texas (away out west) sends in his renewal to the Free Press. He has many relatives and friends in Haskell county whom he is always anxious to hear from, and the Free Press keeps him posted.

R. L. Foote one of our good friends renews for the Free Press for a year. Bob is now fit up with the Free Press and Record News for a year. If you want to know what happens just ask Bob.

A. A. Frierson of Midway who has two daughters attending Howard Payne College at Brownwood sends the

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

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

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

**RULE NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION, RULE, TEXAS**

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

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—You can know about our Service, try us out at our Service Station. You will find that Good Gulf Gas, Gulf Cities Service, Mobil and Goodrich Tires and Tubes. In our Sheet Metal Works we pride ourselves in having the machinery and being able to turn out your order large or small. Our Black Smith Shop doors stand open, early and late three forces going, large supply of materials, fitted and blank plow points on hand.

## JONES & SON



COME! See the Most Marvelous Price Reduction ever known in your life time.

COME PEOPLE!! ALL PAST RECORDS  
The Most Terrific Price Reductions Ever

Thousands of Bargains impossible to list here for lack of space. Sold at less than anywhere on earth. Supply your wants for months.

SIEGEL DR

QUIT BUS

Read These Sensational Specials

THURSDAY 10 A. M.

- 20c Outing yd. 5c
- 20c Cotton Checks yd. 5c
- 25c Turkish Towels each 5c

THURSDAY 11 A. M.

200 yds. Fancy Cotton Suiting up to 65c yd. value. One hour only per yd.

15c

THURSDAY 2 P. M.

9-4 Sheeting, 50c quality. One hour only per yard.

29c

5 yards to customer.

THURSDAY 3 P. M.

32 in. Prints, 25c value. Sale Price

15c

THURSDAY 4 P. M.

100 Pairs 75 Cent Felt House Slippers All Colors.

39c

SPECIAL

One big lot of Underwear for Men, Women and Children up to \$2.00 value for—

50c

AN APOLOGY---

Folks we wish to apologize for not being able to give you our usual service during the opening days of our gigantic Quit Business Sale—crowds stormed our store to such an extent it was impossible to wait on you and give you first class service. We have made added preparation to handle crowds fro this coming event and we extend to you a hearty invitation to attend this sale the remaining days.

FRIDAY 9 A. M.  
ANOTHER ONE DOLLAR



Bigger than ever including Merchandise valued as high as \$25.00, Silk Dress, Man's Suit in fact every thing. Choice—

\$1.00

BE HERE FRIDAY 9 A. M.  
SEE BIG WINDOW DISPLAY

FRIDAY 10 A. M.

Men's 20c Lisle Hose, Pair

5c

FRIDAY 11 A. M.

Ladies \$1.00 Outing Gowns

49c

FRIDAY 2 P. M.

200 yards 15c Bleached Muslin per yard

9c

FRIDAY 3 P. M.

Men's 75c Athletic Union Suits one hr.

29c

FRIDAY 4 P. M.

25c Cretonnes per yard—

13c

CHILDREN'S SHOES

One lot of Childrens Shoes, values up to \$4.00. Sale Price

\$1.98

LADIES NEW SPRING SLIPPERS \$7.50 values

\$4.49

\$6.50 values

\$3.98

LADIES \$3.50 BUNGALOW HOUSE DRESSES

Quit Business Sale Price

\$1.98

ABOUT 100 PAIRS OF LADIES SLIPPERS

All sizes and kinds values up to \$10.00

Sale price—

\$2.98

Extra Special!!

Extra Special for Thursday morning at 9 o'clock

PIECE GOODS  
Two Cents yd.

To the first 50 grown people to enter our store at 9 o'clock Thursday morning we will sell 5 yards Piece Goods worth up to 25c yd. for only—

10c

WE WILL BUY EGGS

We will pay 5c per dozen above Market Price.

FRIDAY In Trade SATURDAY

\$5.00  
FIRST PRIZE

To the farm family bringing us the most eggs for trade Saturday up to 7 p. m. This offer restricted to farmers only. Get receipt slip in rear of our store and use as money for trade.

\$2.50  
SECOND PRIZE

Folks you've got to hurry, all good things must end these prices will sweep counters, shelves and racks mighty reductions.

Doors Open and Sell

SIEGEL D.

STOCKS NOW BEING CL

200 LADIES



VALUE GIVING IS KNOCKED ASIDE!!  
In This Part of the Good Old State of Texas

**WALKER SYSTEMS CO. HASKELL TEXAS**

You have never seen such a Sale. It would take us several hours to give complete details. You could not take the time to read it over. Come expecting values—The Tidal Wave of Prosperity is within your reach. Let nothing keep you back!



**QUIT BUSINESS SALE! Opportunity THUNDERS AT YOUR DOOR**

**THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY**

**NEW DRESSES AND COATS  
REDUCED TO GO AT  
QUIT BUSINESS SALE PRICES**

Some purchased some time ago and arrived at this sale. This was an order which we made in order to make a quick close out of it. Now, we now offer them at Quit Business Sale prices.



**ONE DAY ONLY \$3.95**  
Values up to \$35.00. One day only

**LADIES COATS**

New Spring Coats just arrived. Beautiful fur trimmed, silk crepe lining \$22.50 up to \$37.50 value. Sale price

**\$12.49**

One lot of Ladies Winter Coats, values up to \$27.50. Buy one and lay it away for only

**\$9.95**

Look Women at this knock out price. One big lot of ladies coats all kinds. Values up to \$25.00 your choice to close out

**\$4.95**

One special group of Childrens Coats size two to eight, values up to \$12.00 Sale price

**\$3.98**

One big rack of Ladies and Childrens Wool Dresses, values up to \$15.00 to close out at

**\$3.49**

Ladies \$6.50 and \$7.50 Spring Hats  
Ladies 75c Felt House Slippers—

**\$4.98 45c**

**WE THANK YOU!!!**

We wish to thank everyone who attended our Quit Business Sale the opening days and we appreciate the fact that people realized what bargains we had for them by making purchases much larger than we anticipated. We have gone through our entire stock making still further reductions in order to close out entire stocks at once.

**BROOMS ONLY ONE CENT**

Saturday Morning at 9 O'clock

To the first fifty adults—grown-ups to crowd and push your way into the store and make a purchase of \$1.00 we will sell a broom for one cent. No restrictions, just be one of the first fifty in, that's all!

**SATURDAY 9 A. M.**

Just buy \$1 worth of Merchandise and take a broom for—



**MEN'S DRESS SHOES**

Values up to \$10 Sale Price

**\$4.49**

**MEN'S \$1.25 OVERALLS**

**89c**

**MEN'S \$1.50 DRESS SHIRTS**

**89c**

**\$1.50 TENNIS SHOES**

Sale Price **89c**

**MEN'S \$5 HATS**

**\$1.98**

**Men's 2 Pocket Work Shirts**

**49c**

**Men's \$3.00 Work Shoes**

**\$1.79**

**Mens Suits**

One lot of Men's Suits including Curlees values to \$35.00 sale price

**\$14.95**

**PIECE GOODS IN BUNDLES 50c**

SATURDAY ONLY

These bundles include piece goods of all kinds valued as high as \$5.00 per bundle. Get yours for only—

**50 cents**

SATURDAY 10 A. M.

We will sell 100 pair of Ladies \$1.00 Silk Hose all colors and sizes. Two pairs to customer. Per pair—

**25c**

SAT., 11 A. M.

**SUGAR**

2c Pound

To each customer to purchase \$1.00 or over Saturday at 11 o'clock we will sell

5 lbs. of Sugar for—

**10c**

SATURDAY 3 P. M.

Men's \$2.50 and \$3.50 Khaki Pants, one hour only—

**\$1.25**

**Mystic Package Sale**

Saturday 2 p. m.

200 Big Packages containing Merchandise valued as high as \$15.00, some with money in them. One containing a Ladies' Silk Dress.

Price per Package—

**25c**

The lights of this store will go out. So come quick as the decks of an ocean liner. Entire stock goes at

**THURSDAY, 9 A. M. HASKELL**

WALKER SYSTEMS SALES CO.

### TELLING THE WORLD

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

It has been ours to see the wonderful improvements which have taken place in Haskell county during the past ten years. The change has been very gratifying indeed, especially in farming, stock and poultry raising. Thousands of acres of new lands have been put into cultivation and a forward move for better cattle and hogs and better poultry.

Haskell county has stepped into the show ring with many exhibits of the best of all kinds of farm products and takes a pride in the things she has accomplished. The farm products have made good winnings at the Dallas fair and a number of our poultrymen have also taken first prize at many different shows over the State. Also maize grown in Haskell county has taken first prize in the International Farm Exhibits of the north and many other things too numerous to mention have been placed on exhibit with creditable winnings. Haskell county should feel proud of herself.

With this in mind no wonder it is a pleasure to us to mix and mingle with people who are among the worlds most successful producers. We have always been what you might call a chicken crank and when we see the large flocks of poultry at the homes of the farmers and poultrymen every where, it fills us with joy to see the thing we have advocated most taking such strides forward and bringing into the purses of those who are giving close attention to the business a neat sum of money with a profit.

The rain came last week and kept us in town Thursday and Friday, when we had planned to begin our house to house work, but the rain was a great benefit to the farmers and will keep the ground in condition for plowing until most of the farmers can get their land ready to plant. According to reports here in town we had almost 34 of an inch of rain. That is the amount that fell here in town. We cannot speak for the county over for we have no report on the rain from other parts.

We spent the day on the streets Saturday and saw many of our friends from the country. They all had a smile on their faces and felt fine about the good season in the ground and the prospects for the ensuing year. We have not had the rain that most of us hoped for but not one of the sturdy farmers of Haskell county are discouraged. We gathered quite a lot of news from the boys from the country and received quite a number of renewals and new subscriptions. Thanks to our friends for both. Say if you have a news item tell me. It takes that to make a good paper. If you are keeping books on your poultry, four cows or your hogs or any thing bring in the figures so we can tell the world.

We note that Webb Stark was back at the Ghoson Grocery Store Saturday. He has not come back to stay but just to help through the rush. He resigned his place and moved east of town and is now engaged in farming. Webb is a good old boy and we would not mention or accuse him of being the least bit lazy, but when the sun comes down and the rows get long and grassy in the

heat of the day we imagine that the shady lobby of the grocery store will look good to him. The memory of former days will pray upon his energy no little.

We note that our friend R. L. Bruton bought a bushel of seed Irish potatoes from a local groceryman while he and Mrs. Bruton were in the city Saturday. Mr. Bruton is going to make an effort to grow his living at home and will plant these potatoes. We trust that he gets his seed back and pay for his trouble. Some times we do not succeed so well with this crop.

Lawson Baily of Weinert was in the city Saturday. He formerly lived south of town, but for the good of the community in which he lived he moved near Weinert where it is more thinly settled. He is getting along nicely and we hope that he has good luck over in his new location. He is always trying to get us to pick cotton for him, but insists that we board ourselves. This has been the main obstacle in the deal.

We attended the singing at Ballou Sunday afternoon where we found a fine bunch of boys and girls who brought their parents along and we had a real singing. This is a splendid community and they are anxious to build up. They prevailed on us to teach them a ten nights music school which we consented to do beginning next Friday night at 7 o'clock.

We drove to the Cottonwood Baptist church Sunday night for the singing and the people there made a music school for our girls to begin right away. They will have a good school and there is some real musical talent in that community. There is much enthusiasm over the proposition and the attendance will be good. We thank these friends very much.

One thing we would like to mention before we close our story for this week. We know of a truth that Haskell county farmers grew more hogs last year and put up more meat for their home supply than was ever known before. This means much to the saving of the farmers. With plenty of meat and lard, cows milk and butter and plenty of hens the farmer is on the top row. The way to keep successful is to repeat the directions and take the same medicine. When the farmer grows his living at home and sells the surplus for money it brings happiness and contentment and it really makes no difference who is president of the United States.

### NEWS ITEMS FROM GAUNT COMMUNITY

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blake of this community entertained the young people last Friday night with a party at their home. Refreshments were served to a number of young people and good entertainment provided for all.

Carl Fowler and Lee Stephens spent Saturday night with Alfred Fowler of the Howard community.

The many friends of Mrs. J. G. Mulkey will be glad to hear that she is at home again and her health is improving.

Mrs. Threet of this community entertained the young people with a party Tuesday night of last week.

The farmers of this community are very busy preparing their land for the 1928 crop.

### BUNKERHILL HAS A PROGRESSIVE SCHOOL

W. C. McKinzie, principal of the Bunkerhill School in the South Western section of the county was in the city last Saturday afternoon and made this office a pleasant call. He has taught this school for a number of years and with each year the school goes forward with new zeal and progress. He made mention of a few things regarding the school that we are glad to give out to our readers.

Twenty five pupils and their teacher attended the Ben Hur picture which was shown at Rule last Tuesday night making the trip in Mr. E. J. Boedeker's large truck. A good time was reported by all the pupils.

Luther Watson, principal of the Rule High School was a visitor to this school last Wednesday for a short while. He complimented the progress the school was making.

It is reported that this school enjoys more visits from the patrons than most schools of the county and last Friday afternoon a large number of patrons were visitors to this school and noted the work carefully their children are doing.

Mr. McKinzie reports the epidemic of Flu which struck the community a short while ago, to be about over and the attendance is back to normal again.

He also reported the farmers going forward with their plowing and were rushing getting ready for the planting season.

The musical interest is above par in that community and they meet in a song service twice each month. The Baze Bros of Tuxedo were with the singing class last Sunday afternoon and all enjoyed their music very much.

### Twenty Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Free Press of February 22, 1908)

Mr. A. E. Tigon Deputy Sheriff of Rule was in the city Thursday.

D. R. Livengood one of the old timers of Paint Creek community was in the city Thursday.

Mrs. S. A. Hughes spent several days with her mother Mrs. W. M. Wood near Weinert this week.

Mrs. N. McNeill entertained the Intermediate Endeavor Society with a Valentine party on Friday night of last week.

Dr. L. D. Nolen who came from Alabama to attend his father, Dr. A. J. Nolen's funeral who died on the 13th returned Monday to his home and will ship his household goods to Weinert where he has decided to locate permanently.

Editor Hall of the Rule Review was in Haskell Monday.

W. J. Cather and wife of Brenham were here several days this week visiting the former's sister Mrs. Oscar Martin.

Mr. T. J. Lemons resigned his office as constable and left Monday for Holtville Cal. where he has secured a lucrative position.

Mr. W. H. Parsons left Monday for a prospective trip to California.

Mr. S. W. Panchard of the Sagerton community was in the capital city Tuesday.

B. M. Whiteker's new house in the

north part of town is nearing completion.

I. J. Harcrow of the west side was in the city Tuesday.

J. J. Campbell was in the city Saturday on business.

Miss McKelvain entertained a number of her young friends Friday evening with a 42 party.

Mrs. A. W. McGregor entertained Tuesday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Symes of Waco.

G. W. Bischofshausen of the east side was in the city Tuesday on business.

J. P. Ashley of the Pinkerton community was in the city this week and reported the farmers doing nicely with their work.

M. A. A. Simmons of the Carney neighborhood was in the city this week and said that everything was doing nicely in his section.

Sheriff M. E. Park appointed M. S. Edwards, Deputy Sheriff this week, his bond was approved and he has gone to work. We believe he will make good.

Mr. E. L. Ridling of Weinert was in the city Thursday. He reported that most of the farmers out his way had most of their land put up.

Capt. B. H. Dodson came in Tuesday from a trip over several counties and reported farming moving on nicely.

Mrs. Will Atchison died at her home on last Sunday. The funeral was held Monday and her remains buried in Haskell cemetery.

Miss Ira Draper and Mr. William J. Lowery were married Monday night February 17th. Rev. J. N. Thomas officiation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carmichael of Dallas are visiting their son and daughter Jerry Carmichael and Mrs. Jess Edwards.

H. H. Pool of the plains was in Haskell Saturday. He formerly lived in Foster community where he has friends.

Many a good man of careless attire Has brought on his head the boss' full ire, And many a man who could prove his stuff Has lost his job through a dirty coat cuff. So, when with the boss in executive session It's up to you to make a decent impression. (Continued Next Week)

## HENDERSON DRY CLEANERS

Phone 183

### The ABC's of Success with Chicks

ONLY 50% of chicks fed an average ration live. When fed properly, at least 90% can be saved. Chicks need a feed to give them warmth, strength, energy and vitamins for life and growth. This is the reason 1592 hatcheries say feed Purina Chick Startena, the buttermilk starting ration which contains Cod Liver Oil. We will be glad to tell you of a feeding plan that is as simple as A B C. You'll be chicks ahead, money ahead. Come in.

## HASKELL MILL & GRAIN CO.

## CHIROPRACTIC

Chiropractors now treat many a case Due to accidents years ago that took place. A slight twist of the spine, however obscure, May develop nerve pressure it takes years to cure. Be the source of the trouble recent or old. A Chiropractor will shake off its hold.

(Continued Next Week)

**GEORGIA M. MOORE**  
Office Hours: 9-12 a. m.  
2-5 p. m.

**Cahill Building**  
Office Phone 71  
Residence Phone 290

## We Will Help You Build

Your Home is what you make it and it is Economy to plan the best.

Study first the plan books which we supply without one cent of cost to you. Then let us assist you in selecting the best materials for your needs for construction. Our service is free.

We carry a complete line of building materials.

## Brazelton Lbr. Co.

Haskell, Texas

## You Really Need a FRIGIDAIRE

PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

Do you throw 10 per cent of your food away because you can't keep it?

Would you eat food that you did not know was pure?

Would you like to know that the food you keep for 12 hrs. and longer is kept pure?

The average family throws out 10 per cent of the groceries they buy because they will not keep until the next meal.

Government laboratory tests show that food kept 12 hrs. at a temperature above 55 degrees may be dangerous.

Frigidaire will maintain a temperature of 43 degrees in the storage compartment, which is below the Government requirements.

See our Display of Frigidaires and let us tell you more about them.

## West Texas Utilities Company



# Courtney Hunt & Co.

## As Others See You



### New House Frocks

Dainty new house frocks as gay as spring, cleverly fashioned of gay prints, attractively trimmed with crisp organdy and novelty pockets, in large assortment of pleasing styles, sizes 14 to 44, specially priced—

**\$1.95**



### Spring Frocks

A glance at these attractive new arrivals recalls the fact that a woman can become smartly yet economically dressed at "Hunt's." Such an assortment of winsome styles, each so striking, and in every instance fulfilling the demand of fashion. Wool Crepe, Ghorgetto and Printed Crepe are lovely in the tailored effects and in the beautiful two piece ensembles.

Sizes 14 to 44. Priced far below dresses of such value—

**\$12.50 \$19.75 \$23.75**



## New Spring Silks and Woolens

### SPRING COATING

All wool, soft finish, smart, manish weave coating. Will make a most attractive Spring Coat. 54 inches wide and comes in a number of plaid designs and tweed effects. At most unusual values per yd.

**\$1.75, \$2.25 to \$3.00**

### DRESS WOOLENS

Some of the seasons favored woolens, all wool flannels and all wool sheen twills and kashas. Makes up beautifully into sport dresses, suits and coats. Comes in the most popular shades, 54 in. wide. Priced—

**\$1.75, \$2.25 to \$3.50**



### Modish Millinery

New visca, straw and felt combinations favored for spring. All smart new hats in colors to match your new spring costume.



### Modish Millinery

Styles for every type in large, small and medium head size. Grouped and specially priced for—

**\$2.95, \$3.75 \$5.75 to \$9.50**

### CHIFFON HOSE

**\$1.95**

### PURE SILK HOSE

**\$1.00**

Wear all Silk Chiffon from top to toe, full fashioned peccot edge, built up foot all perfectly in season's most favored shades, a fine value for hose of such wonderful quality.

Silk Chiffon and Service Weight Hose with reinforced heel and toe. Fashion markings in new spring shades.

### At the Baptist Church

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Our attendance has fallen off to around three hundred. This decrease should not be there should be four hundred in Sunday school every Sunday. If this falling off is your fault you ought to right the wrong by being present Sunday.

11 a. m. preaching service, subject, "Some Warnings for the Christian."

6:30 p. m. all B. Y. P. U.'s meet. The total attendance for all the unions is about one hundred. This work is just as important as the Sunday school and is certain to bear a great harvest in the future.

7:30 p. m. preaching service, subject, "The Need of a Revival in Haskell."

### Post Home Demonstration Club Met Friday

Miss Gunn met with the Post Home Demonstration Club on Friday Feb. 10. The roll call was answered by each lady present telling if she had or could use a braided rug. The year book was received and very much admired. The contests are a great help. Then the business was attended to. Mrs. Bill Griffin, Mrs. W. A. Montgomery, Mrs. Bosse were appointed by the president to be the garden committee. They will decide on several helpful things for our garden contest. They are to report next meeting.

The meeting was then turned over to Miss Gunn, who before beginning the demonstration gave a lovely talk on the history of braided rugs. She then gave demonstrations on how to make several different braided rugs and also a chair mat.

Incubation, selecting and setting eggs and why chicks hatched with the hen are stronger than incubator chicks was some of the interesting discussions.

The club received \$60 from the valentine party and carnival, valentine night with which they will send a lady to the A. and M. Short Course. The club thanks all who helped them. Reporter.

### The Irby School

On special invitation a representative of the Haskell Free Press, Mrs. C. M. Kaigler visited the Irby School last Monday. We went with Miss Minnie Ellis as she went in her official capacity. It was the morning hour for the opening of the school and good fires were ablaze in the venturatory heating system, that all rural schools must install in order to secure state aid. This system ventilates the building without the necessity of having the windows open. This is the third school that we have visited where we have found excellent. Mr. Lewis W. Pearsey is the principal.

with Mrs. T. T. Morris teaching the primary grades. The school is a two room structure with passage way where neat racks are kept for hats and wraps. Valentine decorations were partly up and others were in the process of making, this was to be the background for the program that was to be given on Valentine's Day. There was a large cabinet in Principal Pearsey's room where school books and library books and a planetarium were kept. The latter with a supply of bats, balls and play ground equipment were purchased from the proceeds of a pie supper, that the community had a few weeks ago. Good health placards were on display and individual score cards on health are kept. Very attractive books done by the students were on exhibit on the "Story of Curron," taking the product from the planting through the harvesting, by-products and marketing.

In the primary room taught by Mrs. Morris were exhibited very clever posters, teaching phonics. The Irby school is fifteen miles east of Haskell and is surrounded and supported by a splendid class of citizens. The last fact is evident to the most casual visitor for the clean well kept farms, good homes and splendid school building are substantial proofs. A filling station was in the process of erection just across the road in front of the Irby school. As we go over Haskell County and note the marvelous advantages made within the past 25 years, from a stretch of prairie land dotted all over with mesquite trees and prairie dog holes, to the forty-five community centers, with many schools of today, we are deeply impressed with the honor due the men who serve without pay on the school boards of these communities.

The Irby school is a live factor of Haskell County.

### Methodist Women's Missionary Society

The Missionary Women of the Methodist church met last Monday in the study of the second chapter of the study course, "Straight Way Toward Tomorrow." The devotional was given by Mrs. West and next a vocal solo, "Home Sweet Home," by Mrs. J. L. Southern accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Wallace Cox. The title of the interesting chapter was, "The Starting Point, The Christian Home." Mrs. R. C. Montgomery directed the lesson in such a way that quite a number took part, something like round table discussion. The attendance was good and the noticeable feature was the number of young women present. The third chapter will be given next Monday and the director Mrs. R. C. Montgomery is anxious for all to study the chapter as

much as possible. Make arrangements to borrow a book if you do not have one. In connection with the lesson there will be a business session of a few moments.

### Along the Way

Some weather we've been having. Why go to Florida when we have such winters as this here?

While considering legislation for flood control, Congress might also take steps to stem floods of oratory.

What a dull place heaven must be to the reformer.

Some people brag about having open minds when they're merely vacant.

Remember the time when almost every horse would shy at an automobile?

The Republicans all seem afraid of Al Smith, and a lot of the Democrats are also.

If some naval critics had their way we would have only companionate sea relatives of the navy.

Lindy has shown that in the matter of creating better international feeling the sky is the limit.

Now that Mr. Hearst's Mexican war has flopped, what'll he do for something sensational to print?

How those old Puritans would have enjoyed the title of the current song hit, "My Blue Heaven."

The only difference between a theorist and a politician is that the former don't shoot the bull.

It pinches the husband when his wife spends twenty dollars for a pair of nifty slippers.

Probably what Paris means when it says that "curves are coming back" is a poet sings of the "rhomboid trombonial omnivorous Me."

His omnivorousness apparently led him to eat something that didn't agree with him, outcurves.

Doubling the tariff on Swiss cheese probably accounts for the larger holes in the imported variety.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr. says that "law, good or bad, should be obeyed." And "should" is the correct word.

The Russian novelist, Feodor Solzghub, desiring a simple and easily remembered pen name, hit upon that of Kazmich Teternikov.

Dr. Agnes Rogers of Bryn Mawr declares that "algebra is more amazing than radio." And her students might add more fearome.

A neurologist says that excessive piano practice may cause nervous disorders. Particularly with the tenant of the flat above.

Just because a skull found in Arizona is a half-inch thick, scientists think it is a thousand years old. Not necessarily.

One-fifth of the population of the United States is in the public schools, according to statistics. And the other four-fifths in the school of experience.

"No, that's no inducement," replied the prospect to the sergeant who was trying to recruit him for the marines. "I know Spanish already."

An excellent opportunity for the enrichment of the language was overlooked in not including Messrs. Dawes, Bease and Reed of Missouri in that Mexican plot.

It's hard to keep local color out of the news. A leading Italian newspaper recently referred to the American Farm Bureau Federation as the American Peasants' Union.

President Hindenburg of Germany declares that he has never felt nervous. He says that truthfully after having gone through a wedding ceremony he ought to be awarded the Iron Cross.

A cafeteria might be described as a restaurant run by the patrons for the benefit of the proprietor.

Strange as it may seem, the thing most feared by the "blind pig" is the squeal.

Another surplus seems to be that of stolen Mexican "secret documents."

Radio: A device used chiefly to broadcast a tune called "My Blue Heaven."

Wonder why General Motors doesn't hire a funny man to make up some Chevrolet jokes?

Lindy will have to get a bit more chesty to be able to wear all the medals he has collected.

The Mexican general who escaped by changing the color of his hair and whiskers apparently thought it was better to dye than die.

The modern girl doesn't have to wait for leap year if she's made up her mind on the man she wants.

Slogan for suppressing a Latin-American revolution: "Shoot the generals and you shoot all."

Those prohibition agents' fingerprints may indicate whether bootleggers' money is likely to stick to their fingers.

Of all the unheeded advice given, the most futile is that offered young folks concerning marriage.

Some fellows who think they ought to be elected to public office, at least show that much originality of thought.

Possibly we might have more great statesmen in the future if we would build more log cabins for them to be born in.

An economist declares that the copper industry is on a sound basis. Brass appears to be producing its customary dividends, also.

East Side SQUARE

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## Cash Grocery

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### Friday and Saturday Specials

<b>Uvalde Extracted</b>	<b>Honey</b>	<b>10 Pound Bucket</b>	<b>\$1.11</b>
<b>Jolly Time</b>	<b>Popcorn, box</b>		<b>13c</b>
<b>Qt. Bottle</b>	<b>Vinegar</b>		<b>14c</b>
<b>Certo</b>	<b>For making Jams and Jellies. Per bottle</b>		<b>29c</b>
<b>Qt. Jar</b>	<b>A.A. Brand</b>	<b>Sour Pickles</b>	<b>33c</b>
<b>5 lb. Bucket</b>	<b>DEL MONTE</b>	<b>JAMS</b>	<b>76c</b>

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Haskell, Texas, Thurs Feb 23, 1928

A new industry, the Kraft Cheese factory which has been established and put into operation in Wichita Falls...

Political Announcements

The following announcements are subject to the Democratic Primary to be held next July.

- For District Clerk: Miss Lois Earnest, Estelle Tennyson Lee (re-election)
For County Judge: Jesse G. Foster (re-election), Joe A. Jones
For County Attorney: Arthur C. Foster, French M. Robertson
For County Superintendent: Miss Minnie Ellis (re-election)
For County Clerk: David H. Perrin, Mrs. C. M. Kaigler, Jason W. Smith, Reynolds Wilson
For Tax Collector: Leon Gilliam, Ed. Potts, F. M. Snyvers
For Tax Assessor: Mike B. Watson (re-election), Frank L. Sloan
For County Treasurer: J. E. Walling (re-election)
For Sheriff: Al Cousins (re-election), W. T. Sarrels, C. H. Richards
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: C. W. McKeivain, O. J. Corrine, J. S. Abarnatha (re-election), H. M. Cowser
For Commissioner Precinct 2: R. B. Guess (re-election)
For Commissioner Precinct 3: L. M. Monroe Howard, J. F. (Frank) Simmons, G. H. Taylor, Wayne Perry
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: T. D. Strickland, W. E. Bunkley, W. R. (Bill) Cook, John A. Fairbright, L. C. (Level) Philips (re-election), Tom P. Foster
For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: Geo. B. Fields, Frank B. (Slim) Reynolds, A. L. (Boo) Cox, M. B. (Bunyan) Howard, Gies Kemp, Mart Clifton (re-election), T. A. Williams, J. H. (Jim) Lawson, A. J. Josslet, Jess Edwards
For Public Weigher Precinct 2: M. F. Medley (re-election), O. E. Howard
For Constable Precinct No. 1: J. W. Connally

CITY OFFICES

(City Election to be held in April)
For City Marshal: J. H. Ivy, W. E. Welsh (re-election)

With the big news of the day coming from the automobile showrooms, it may be that the world is getting better after all.
A no wpross has been found for making paper money last longer. Now if they would just find some way to make it go further.
Dr. Will Durant says a man over sixty years of age is incapable of loving. But some of them come close enough to the real thing to get by with it.

AN ORDINANCE

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

On this the 20th day of January, 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, A. H. Wair, N. I. McCollum, M. F. 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 City of Haskell, to-wit: Campbell, Houston, Lamar, Hughes, Walton and Clark, 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 Engineers; 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 Number 1, being Campbell Street, from the North line of Walton Street to the North line of Standifer Street;

Unit or District Number 2, being Houston Street, from the North line of Walton Street to the South line of Bradford Street;

Unit or District Number 3, being Walton Street, from the West line of Clark Street to the West line of Houston Street;

Unit or District Number 4, being Walton Street, from the West line of Houston Street to the West line of Lamar Street;

Unit or District Number 5, being Walton Street, from the West line of Fannin Street to the West line of Reynolds Street;

Unit or District Number 6, being Walton Street, from the West line of Reynolds Street to the West line of Brown Street;

Unit or District Number 7, being Walton Street, from the West line of Brown Street to the West line of Roberts Street;

Unit or District Number 8, being Clark Street, from the South line of Hughes Street to the South line of Hinds Street;

Unit or District Number 9, being Lamar Street, from the North line of Walton Street to the South line of Bradford Street;

Unit or District Number 10, being Clark Street, from the North line of Standifer Street to the North line of Walton Street;

Unit or District Number 11, being Hughes Street, from the East line of Campbell Street to the East line of Fannin 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 Four Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Six Dollars and Fifty Seven Cents (\$94,776.57); 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 Tibbetts 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 five inch concrete base, together with all incidentals and appurtenances, as shown on "SPECIFICATIONS FOR PAVING," as made by the City Engineers; and

WHEREAS, a written contract has been entered into by and between the CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS, and the said TIBBETTS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, on the 6th day of January, 1928, for the construction of said improvements, therefor.

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 Engineers 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 value 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

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 1.

Campbell Street from the North line of Standifer Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 1 to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include Farmers State Bank, J. U. Fields, H. B. Lancaster, Chas. M. McGregor, Grover V. Myers, Mrs. S. L. Robertson, R. B. Spencer & Co., O. E. and Hill Oates.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 1: 7025.36

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 2.

Houston Street from the North line of Bradford Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 2, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include M. S. and M. O. Shook, First Christian Church, D. M. Winn Estate, O. W. Patterson, R. W. Whitman, J. P. Payne, W. C. Norton, J. A. Bailey, C. W. Bledsoe, J. E. Bernard, Chas. M. Conner, Haskell M. E. Church, First Christian Church, Emory Menefee, T. P. Brooks.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 5.8772
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 9873.91
Total Amount of City's Part: 5973.59
Total Cost of District No. 2: 15847.50

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 3.

Walton Street from the West line of Clark Street to the West line of Houston Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 3, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include Haskell National Bank, Haskell Telephone Company, M. S. Shook, Mrs. Jennie Shook, M. S. and M. O. Shook, Sam A. Roberts, R. E. Sherrill.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 3: 7025.36

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 4.

Walton Street from the West line of Houston Street to the West line of Lamar Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 4, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include T. P. Brooks, R. E. Lee, Olivia Mayes, Roy Gilbreath, R. D. C. Stephens and W. H. Pearsey, W. A. Carlisle.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 5.8339
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 3546.54
Total Amount of City's Part: 2145.05
Total Cost of District No. 4: 5691.59

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 lien 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 of 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:

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 5.

Walton Street from the West line of Fannin Street to the West line of Reynolds Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 5, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include H. H. Hardin, A. H. Wair, R. E. Sherrill, B. P. Davis, J. F. Pinkerton, D. B. Scott.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 5: 7025.36

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 6.

Walton Street from the West line of Reynolds Street to the West line of Brown Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 6, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include Haskell Electric Gin Co., First Baptist Church, J. E. Lefflar, M. A. Clifton, Martin A. Clifton.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 6.560
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 5116.67
Total Amount of City's Part: 3065.58
Total Cost of District No. 6: 8182.25

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 7.

Walton Street from the West line of Brown Street to the West line of Roberts Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 7, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include J. W. Meadors, W. M. Meadors, Heirs of Mrs. McKindra Smith, Wichita Valley Ry. Co., W. M. and T. B. Bond, Young Elkins.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 7: 7025.36

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 8.

Clark Street from the South line of Hughes Street to the South line of Hinds Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 8, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include F. G. Alexander, J. F. Kennedy, Haskell Hotel Co., Winn Bros., C. Jones and Jesse Jones, C. Jones, N. J. King.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 8: 7025.36

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 9.

Lamar Street from the North line of Walton Street to the South line of Bradford Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 9, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include R. E. Lee, J. T. Ellis, Mrs. Bertha McNeill, J. T. Finley, Ed Spruwis, W. B. Reid, A. H. Alexander, L. F. Taylor, C. V. Payne, Addie R. Long, R. P. Simmons, Chas. M. McGregor, R. J. Reynolds, Vaughn Bailey, J. A. Gilstrap, Mrs. B. I. McCollum.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 5.8772
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 9873.91
Total Amount of City's Part: 5973.59
Total Cost of District No. 9: 15847.50

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 10.

Clark Street from the North line of Standifer Street to the North line of Walton Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 10, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include Haskell National Bank Corporation, Lee Pierson, G. W. and Y. L. Thomason, P. F. Barham, Haskell Lodge No. 682 A. F. & A. M. and Haskell Lodge No. 181 R. A. M., Lee Pierson.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 10: 7025.36

ENGINEERS ROLL OR STATEMENT

District No. 11.

Hughes Street from the East line of Campbell Street to the East line of Fannin Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 11, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Table with columns: OWNER, LOT No., Block No., No. Front Feet, Total Assessment. Owners include Haskell County, Horace Pinkerton, V. J. Josslet, Mrs. J. B. Rike, C. G. Gay and Earl Morrison, J. E. and Albena Lindsay.

Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 11: 7025.36

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Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 5: 7025.36

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Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 7: 7025.36

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Assessed Rate per Front Foot: 7.8164
Total Amount of Property Owners Part: 4377.18
Total Amount of City's Part: 2648.18
Total Cost of District No. 11: 7025.36

That said units or districts shall be wholly separate and independent units of improvement. The assessment herein provided for in each unit or district shall be made in accordance with the prices of the improvements of that particular unit or district, and 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 improvements 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 8th day of March, 1928, at 7:30 P. M., in the Council Room at the City Hall, in the City of Haskell, and said hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time, as may be necessary to give all interested parties, 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 benefits thereof, to their said property, or to any other matter or thing in connection therewith, or to contest an assessment, and at such hearing a 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 said 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 on all other matters necessary, and by its finance to close such hearing and after such assessments, before, during, or after the construction of such improvements, but no part of any assessment shall be made to mature prior to its acceptance by the City of the improvements for which assessment is levied.

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 provided, 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, against their respective properties, in accordance with 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, Texas.

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 to advertise and directed to give notice to the property owners, their agents or attorneys, and to all interested persons, of 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 names of the City of Haskell, and 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 not less than ten days before the date of 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 herein named are in urgent need of the improvements contemplated, created an emergency and an imperative necessity for the preservation of public peace, public benefit and property, and which requires that the rule requiring that ordinances be passed 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 26th day of January, 1928.

T. C. Cahill, Mayor, City of Haskell, Tex.

ATTEST: Marvin H. Post, City Secretary.

# SOCIETY and Club

## Haskell Bankers In Wichita Falls Convention.

R. C. Montgomery of the Farmers State Bank and O. E. Patterson and A. C. Pierson of the Haskell National Bank attended the Seventh District Bankers Convention in Wichita Falls last Wednesday.

## Weinert 4-H Club

The Weinert 4-H Club held its regular meeting at the school house February 15th with Miss Gunn.

The lesson for the afternoon was the construction of the club caps and aprons. Miss Gunn gave the instructions and supervised the cutting of the garments, then gave the directions for making them.

The following members were present with their materials ready for a profitable two hours work: Irene Morgan, Thelma Therwanger, Louise Boone, Hortense Cook, Ruby Reeves and Laura Mae Fox.

The next regular meeting of the club will be held the first Wednesday in March.

Club Reporter.

**The Magazine Club.**

The Magazine Club met last week in a joint business program meeting. After a short business session, Mrs. W. N. Huckabee directed a lesson on "England." Contrast in Art of Reynolds and Gainsborough, Mrs. Tom French; Light as treated by Turner, Mrs. J. U. Fields; Atmosphere of the Country Sides, as reflected by Constable, Mrs. T. C. Rogers; round table pre-arranged lights, Mesdames H. S. Post, Wallace Cox and B. M. Whiteker.

## Tuesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Theron Cahill used the George Washington theme in house decoration and menu last Tuesday afternoon when she was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club. The theme was carried out in table, nut cups and stickups. Guests who were served chicken salad, olives, crackers, individual cherry pie were: out of town guests, Mrs. Frank Kimbrough, Plainview; Mrs. Marlin Wilson Rule; and Mesdames Clyde Grison, Wayne Koonce, R. E. Hall, Tom French, Wallace Cox, Misses Mildred Shook, Mary Ella Pace and the hostess.

## Sophomore Party.

Miss Pauline Walthall entertained the Sophomores at the home of her sister Mrs. J. F. Morrison last Friday night February 10th. Indoor games were played and refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, hot chocolate and fudge were served to Grace Mitchell, Annabel Burt, Mavis Branch, Clara Weaver, Clara Lampkin, Bessie Bee Kaigler, Lois Stoker, Wynona Johnson, Vivian Bernard, Lou Ella Woodson, Selma Maples, the hostess and Spencer Watson, Elzie Whatley, Bob Mitchell, J. E. Walling, E. W. Johnson, Leo Duncan, Belton Duncan, Jim Ferguson and Joe Bryant.

## Mrs. C. M. Kaigler Makes Announcement.

Being unavoidably detained with special work last week I did not get my personal announcement in the various county papers and will do so this week. I am a candidate for County Clerk of Haskell County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. I am making this race solely on my own conviction and feel that I am competent to hold this responsible position that is the gift of the people. If the Haskell County people by their vote elect me to the above office, I shall at all times remember that I am a public servant and will give my entire time and careful attention to the duties of the office. I was educated in the Waco public schools, Southwestern University, Georgetown, and Toby's Business College, Waco, Texas and have had experience from time to time in clerical work.

Very truly yours,  
(Mrs.) C. M. Kaigler.

## South Ward P. T. A.

On account of the bad weather last Thursday the South Ward P. T. A. did not meet, but will have a George Washington Program this coming Thursday Feb. 23, sponsored by the South Ward teachers. After the program there will be a business meeting. Let every patron of the South Ward come out to this program, and back our teachers who are doing efficient work in our school.

## The Harmony Club.

The Harmony Club met in weekly meeting in the Magazine Club last Wednesday afternoon with vice president Mrs. W. C. Williams presiding during the business session at which time the roll was called and all business dispensed with. The afternoon was then devoted to choral practice with Mrs. Wayne Koonce, choral director in charge.

## The Lucky Eight Club.


The Lucky Eight Club met with Mrs. Frances Sutherland last Saturday evening in her home. The evening was spent in playing "42." At a late hour the following members and guests were served a delicious plate lunch: Annie Maud Taylor, Ernie and Lucia Mask, Wilda Pippin, Felicia Siegel, Judith English, Winnie Thompson, continue Guest, Eloise Couch and Rob Simmons, David Ratliff, John Oates, Jr., Myrton L. McDonald, Marvin Gholson, Morris Lancaster and Jeff Davis McDonald.

Mrs. Henry and daughter Miss Ruth of Abilene spent the week end with Mrs. H. R. Whatley of this city.

## West Texas Women In Temporary Organization.

West Texas women from twenty-four towns gathered in Abilene last Saturday and went into immediate temporary organization of "Temporary Council of West Texas Women." This was to more strongly protest the action of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in asking Mrs. J. U. Fields to resign from the chairmanship of the Biennial, Mrs. R. W. Potter, Texas President of Women's Federated Clubs, has repeatedly refused to act upon the demand from clubs and outstanding club women all over the state. And the West Texas Club Women deem the above action a direct insult and injurious to their section of the state and not to an individual. Mrs. O. T. Anderson of Olney was elected chairman, Mrs. E. T. Brooks Abilene, vice chairman, Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, Abilene, secretary, Mrs. Rea Anderson of Olney, corresponding secretary. A telegram was sent to the state president, Mrs. R. W. Potter demanding a state board meeting to thoroughly investigate the matter in hand. No response was had from Mrs. Potter during the session. A copy of the telegram, was also sent to Mrs. Grace Morrison Toole, secretary of the General Federation. A reply was received from Mrs. Toole acknowledging the receipt of telegram and stating that she had forwarded it to Mrs. Sherman, General Federation president. Those in attendance upon the meeting at Abilene from Haskell, were Mesdames J. U. Fields, Courtney Hunt, C. L. Lewis, F. T. Sanders, J. E. Bernard, W. H. Murchison, Misses Madalin Hunt and Lewis Manley.

# ATKEISON'S



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## Prices for Friday and Saturday

<b>SAUSAGE</b> ALL PORK Country Made. Per pound	<b>MEAL</b> Just Received a Fresh Car 24 lb Sack
<b>25c</b>	<b>64c</b>
Only Eighty pounds to sell.	The Very Best Grade.

<b>Pancake Flour</b> 12½c	<b>Cake and Pastry Flour</b> 32c	<b>SOAP</b> BIG FOUR, 10 BARS FOR <b>37c</b>
Sun Ray Products		

<b>COMPOUND</b> 8 POUND PAIL <b>\$1.12</b>	<b>DATES</b> Large Packages, absolutely Fresh <b>19c</b>
One to Customer.	Per Package

<b>MILK</b> CARNATION BRAND Large Small 11c 5c	<b>BLACK PEPPER</b> 8 OZ CAN GROUND <b>33c</b>
	Per Can

<b>BANANAS</b> YELLOW RIPE FRUIT <b>29c</b>	<b>NEW SPUDS</b> <b>5c</b>
Per Dozen	Per Pound

We have plenty of red and white Seed Potatoes

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Haskell, Texas

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## BATTERIES

## CORRECTION!

It has come to our notice that some people in the Haskell territory have been led to believe that the Stamford Mutual Life Insurance Association and the Home Insurance Company of Stamford are one and the same, or are affiliated in some way.

The Stamford Mutual Life Insurance Association is a Local Mutual Aid and has operated here for several years. Its officers and directors are all well known Stamford business and professional men. It is not connected in any way whatsoever with the Home Mutual Aid or Home Mutual Insurance company or association.

If any one has joined the home Mutual under the impression that it was the Stamford Mutual and will write us or see our Haskell agents, we will make them a special transfer offer to our Class A which has a surplus and has paid \$1000 on all its death claims for a number of years.

We also have an excellent Accident insurance policy which we give free to all who join the life insurance class.

Yours for mutual protection,

## Stamford Mutual Life Insurance Assn.

(A Local Mutual Aid Society)

J. C. Harlan, Agent, Haskell. E. D. Jefferson, Field Mgr.

## Recital.

The intermediate pupil of Mrs. Geo. Morrison will appear in recital, Friday evening, March 2, at the Magazine Club library at 7.30 o'clock. Every one is invited to attend.

## Ruby Anniversary Party.

The Baptist women met in the basement of the church on Monday afternoon for a Ruby Anniversary party, this being the fortieth year of our W. M. U., Auxiliary to the Southern Baptist Convention.

A splendid program had been arranged by Mrs. D. Scott, chairman, who presided during the afternoon. A number of good talks were made, including: Forty years of W. M. U. History, Mrs. R. J. Reynolds; Prayer, Mrs. E. J. Paxton; Our Young People, Mrs. E. M. Simmons; Stewardship, Mrs. B. Whiteker and Missions, Mrs. J. A. Ginnap. A beautiful Acrostic was given by fifteen little girls and a special song by Mesdames Bailey, Stalcup, Jim Pope and D. Scott. A number of songs in keeping with the program were sung by the congregation.

The goal set by Southern Baptist Women this year, as an anniversary tribute is forty thousand new members and four million dollars in gifts, to denominational causes. Following the program a social hour was enjoyed and iced cream, with valentine center, with cake was served.

## Junior Christian Endeavor Party.

On last Saturday afternoon from three until five o'clock, Mrs. M. L. Baker entertained the Junior Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian Church with a Valentine party. At the appointed time the members and their friends gathered at the Presbyterian church and were shown into the room fixed for the afternoon's games. It was decorated with ferns and pot plants. Chains of tiny red hearts were effectively roped about the room. The Queen of Hearts, Ruth Marie Morgan greeted the guests and pinned a large white score-card on each.

The little guests had much fun in trying to shoot cupid's dart. Some of them were not so successful in "Mending Broken Hearts." About the middle of the afternoon a King of Hearts was chosen and the guests were presented before court, each receiving his mighty fall. Many lively Valentine games were played. Crockett English won the prize for the highest score during the afternoon.

The doors were now thrown open to the refreshment room. The table was sprinkled with tiny, red hearts. The center piece was a large, white, Valentine cake decorated with nuts and candy hearts. Small Valentines served on plate favors. The guests took their places about the table. Alta Mary Stalcup, acting as postman, entered and gave each one a large Valentine. Ice cream, small cakes topped with a little cupid, and red lemonade were served. Evadell Squyres, Dixie Orr, Mrs. Roberts, Marcellie Frazier, Nina Treadwell, W. E. Green, Ruth Morgan, Alberta Orr, Mary Williams, Alta Mary Stalcup, Crockett Shook, Louise Treadwell, Oma Faye Johnson, Mollie Hester, Doris Oliphant, Massengale, Maydell Barnett, Mrs. Williams and Mary Pearsey, Superintendent.

### Frequent Bilious Attacks

I suffered with severe bilious attacks which came on me two or three times every month," says Ollie Miller of Murray, Ky. "I would become dizzy. My head would ache terribly, feeling as if it would almost burst. It was exactly like a tight band being drawn closer and closer around my temples. My stomach would be so upset I could not retain any kind of nourishment for hours. I had to quit work and go to bed. My color was awful. I was pale and my skin was drawn and dry. I did not have any energy—no ambition to work. I was just about half sick most of the time because of these spells. One day one of my neighbors, who has used Theford's Black-Draught for years, said he had noticed how bad my color was and thought it would help me. I got some Black-Draught immediately and began to take it regularly until I got my system out of the poison I had been absorbing. I soon began to feel better and developed a fine appetite. I had no more bad headaches or bilious spells."

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### BARGAINS for Friday and Saturday

Picnic Hams a good one, per lb.	<b>19c</b>
Lard, Armour's Vegetole 8 lb. bucket	<b>\$1.16</b>
Old Fashioned Peanut Brittle Candy Try a 1 lb box for	<b>29c</b>
Bananas, plenty of 'em per dozen	<b>25c</b>
Green Cabbage per lb.	<b>3½c</b>
Spuds have made a considerable advance, however we will make the following prices 15 lbs for	<b>39c</b>
100 lbs. sack for	<b>\$2.43</b>

We have a limited number of Boston Bags that retail for \$2.50 each. With the purchase of a \$5.00 Meat Book we will sell you a Boston Bag for only **93c**

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FORTY-FIRST YEAR

## NUMBER OF COUNTIES GET ROAD AID

According to press reports five counties were promised future State Aid for road projects. Various requests of ten other counties were granted and contracts to cost \$320,000 for improvements in five additional counties were let Monday February 20, by the State Highway Commission in regular session. Knox County has authorized the survey of Highway 21 which is thirty-two miles in length across the county and commission of plans grading and drainage structures at an approximate cost of \$120,000.

## ANSON MAN NAMED ON INSURANCE COMMISSION

A press report announces the fact that W. S. Pope of Anson has been named by Governor Dan Moody to be a member of the State Insurance Commission effective March 1st. Mr. Pope will succeed G. N. Holton whose term expired on February 1st. Mr. Pope is a lawyer of Anson and graduated from the State University in 1907.

## WAYNE PERRY FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 3

We are authorized this week to place the name of Wayne Perry in our announcement column as a candidate for office of Commissioner of Precinct 3, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Perry has lived in Haskell county for 39 years—in fact he has never been outside of the county. He is well qualified for the office to which he aspires in every respect, and further, we can truthfully say that he has had as much or more experience in highway construction and road work than any other man in the county. He has served as Commissioner and also several years had charge of Haskell county roads under the State Highway Department, and is familiar with every detail of road work, not only in his district, but the entire county as well. We have no hesitancy in saying if he is elected he can "fill the shoes" of the Commissioner in every respect, satisfaction to all. He states that if he is elected, that he will serve the county to the very best of his ability in matters pertaining to his office, on this basis he solicits your vote and influence.

Mr. Perry intends to see each and every voter in his Precinct before the election is held, and present his claims for office. In the meantime, we ask you give his candidacy your fair and impartial consideration.

## W. H. HASKELL COUNTY TEACHER TRAVELS 190 MILES TO ATTEND CLASS

Now we are giving a press report of the former superintendent of the Seminole schools, O. C. Southall, driving 190 miles to take special work in attending classes.

Traveling 150 miles each day he attended classes at Seminole. Superintendent of schools at Seminole, O. C. Southall, who is expected to have established a record in driving to Lubbock from each Saturday to attend the Saturday classes which are principally to teachers in service. Distance from Seminole to Lubbock is 190 miles and as Mr. Southall makes a round trip each day he attends a little simple arithmetic will find that his class mileage is one hundred and eighty miles.

## Death of Haskell Woman Dies

Haskell relatives were notified of the death of Mrs. O. Rice, father of Mrs. M. Rice and Mrs. I. N. Alvis last night. Death occurred in the home of Mrs. Rice in Abilene where Mr. Rice had his home for a number of years. Haskell residents will remember Mrs. Rice as he visited his daughters and their families here from time to time. Funeral services were in Point, where he was buried. Mr. Rice was seventy-two years old and is survived by four children.

Mrs. W. C. Pippen and daughter, Mrs. E. Bell and Artie last week end in Cisco.

Mr. Sam A. Roberts left Sunday morning where he expects to rest for several days, taking treatment for an injured hand, which has been bothering him considerably.

Mrs. Chas. Mays of Munday was the guest of friends in the city Monday.

## SIEGELS BIG SALE NOW IN PROGRESS

Siegel's Dry Goods Company's big Out Business Sale which opened last Thursday, has been a merchandising sensation in this section, according to Mr. E. C. Hampton, of Oklahoma City, who has charge of the big event. Sales for each day since the opening have exceeded by far the highest expectations of the management, according to Mr. Siegel, who stated that the crowds last Saturday literally jammed his store during the entire day, with customers coming from several adjoining towns and counties.

The sale is to continue for several weeks, or until the stock is entirely sold out, according to their advertising with special bargains and attractions offered each day for their customers. Both Mr. Siegel and Mr. Hampton, who is connected with the New System Sayles Company of Oklahoma City, are firm believers in newspaper advertising which is evidenced by the two-page advertisements appearing in this and last week's Free Press.

## Hog Calling Contest Saturday Siegel's Store

A contest that is entirely new in this section of the state—a Hog Calling Contest—has been announced for next Saturday afternoon at 1:30 by Siegel Dry Goods Company in connection with their Out Business Sale now in progress. Ten dollars in prizes will be given those winning first and second place in the contest, which will be held in front of the store promptly at 1:30 Saturday afternoon. At least a half dozen entrants had filed their names with Mr. Siegel Wednesday, and probably as many more will enter the contest before Saturday. Mr. Siegel states that he would give out the names of those already entered for publication, but he fears that the novelty of the contest might call for too many rehearsals of the entrants for their admiring friends and this might incapacitate the vocal powers of some of the "hog callers" to such an extent that they could not take part in Saturday's contest.

## THE "BELLE OF BARCELONA" PRESENTED LAST FRIDAY

The Haskell Choral Club with the assistance of a few other pupils presented an operetta entitled, "The Belle of Barcelona," last Friday evening. Much talent was displayed in this operetta which people didn't realize the student body possessed. The operetta was directed by Miss Chrisman with the assistance of Miss Patterson, who coached the dramatic part and Marjorie Rogers as accompanist. We should appreciate Miss Chrisman more than ever after seeing the result of some of her work. She has worked in an untiring manner with the Choral Club and we appreciate the co-operative spirit of Miss Patterson and Marjorie Rogers. The public would be pleased to see another such program presented.

## SIMMONS UNIVERSITY TEACHER PREACHED HERE SUNDAY

Rev. W. D. Bond, teacher of English in Simmons University Abilene filled the pulpit at the First Baptist church of this city last Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour in the absence of Rev. Whaley who was speaking in the interest of the conquest campaign. Rev. Bond brought a great message and his sermon was enjoyed by a large congregation.

## FIELD REPRESENTATIVE OF INSURANCE CO. HERE

J. P. Tibbetts of Seymour, field representative of the National Security Life Insurance Company was here this week with Mr. D. D. Eoff the local representative. Mr. Eoff reports his business doing nicely and he is planning an active campaign the ensuing year.

Horace Hilliard a good farmer of east of town was in the city Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. C. Schwartz of Sagerton was in the city Saturday marketing eggs and butter. She always brings some thing to sell to the city.

G. C. Stark living east of the city made his weekly visit to the city Saturday bringing produce from the farm to sell. He makes a living for a big family with eggs, chickens, milk and butter and has his crop for a surplus.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bruton of east of town were shopping in the city Saturday.

Leap Year!  
MATRIMONY MARCH

## WHISKEY AND MASH SEIZED IN RAID

Fifteen gallons of mash and a small quantity of whiskey was seized by Constable J. H. Ivy Wednesday morning when he raided a negro dwelling on a farm about eight miles southwest of town. A negro man whose name we did not ascertain was arrested in connection with the finding of the whiskey and mash, and his bond was set at \$300 by Justice of the Peace R. P. Simmons, in whose court the hearing was held.

## WORK IS STARTED ON BIG GENERATING PLANT

Excavation work for the building to house the first unit of the 60,000-horsepower electric generating plant by the West Texas Utilities Company at Lake Pauline, near Quanah, was started last week by J. Lee Vilbig and Company holders of the excavation contract. General construction work on the building will be started by R. E. McKee Construction Company, contractors, within the next week or two. Much of the material to be used in the building has been shipped and will be ready for use as soon as the excavation work is completed. The Vilbig Company also will excavate two flumes, totalling one-half mile in length, which will require the removal of more than 400,000 cubic yards of earth.

The spur track three miles long built by the R. V. Stroup Company from the main line of the Fort Worth & Denver for the West Texas Utilities Company has been completed sufficiently to permit shipment of materials and equipment. The Stroup Company now is placing 2500 yards of earth and 4000 yard of strip on the Lake Pauline dam, strengthening and repairing its entire length.

The Lake Pauline project is the largest generating plant yet planned by the West Texas Utilities Company. The units to be erected in the future, as they are needed, will add 40,000 horsepower, making the Lake Pauline plant one of the largest in the Southwest.

Floyd Rose and family of Foster were in the city Saturday shopping.

J. W. Cerveney a good farmer of Vontress community was here Saturday.

Miss Mable Guess of the Pleasant Valley school was in the city Saturday.

J. W. Lile and family of Gilliam were shopping in the city Saturday.

F. J. Trimmer and family of Josslet were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Self of Pinkerton community were in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Trimmer of Howard were in the city Saturday.

Miss Ruth Clough and Miss Eunice Wilson spent the past week end in Dallas visiting relatives.

M. T. Mauldin a planter of the Rule trade territory was here Saturday on business.

Mrs. Chas. Mays of Munday was the guest of friends in the city Monday.

## HASKELL HOST TO I. O. O. F. LODGE

Four County Odd Fellows association met in Haskell, Tuesday and Wednesday. Men's degree work was held Tuesday evening. Officers elected were: President, F. M. Locke, Stamford; vice president, J. E. Harrell, Rochester; secretary-treasurer, W. E. Sherrill, Haskell; the next meeting in August at Aspermont. There were 145 registered delegates and 200 present from out-of-town. A dress parade headed by the Haskell band began the all-day program at the First Christian church, Wednesday.

Jack Sills of Haskell was master of ceremonies. Special music by Haskell Harmony Club and Free Trio. Reading, Virginia Sills; reading, Sada Mae Smith; Messrs. H. R. Jones and W. E. Sherrill of Haskell presented as only charter members of local lodge. Prominent speakers of the day were Ray Rector, grand warden elect of Stamford; Mrs. Ada Ramsey of Wichita Falls, president of Rebekah assembly; Major Joe H. Anderson, P. M. degree of Chillicothe; Hon. R. C. Thomas, Stamford; Mrs. Blackstark of Anson; E. A. Vestal of Dallas; J. E. Edwards, Munday; Ben C. Richards of Dallas.

Just before the adjournment, H. R. Jones and W. E. Sherrill gave the history of Haskell lodge. Luncheon and six o'clock dinner was served by local members. At 7:30 p. m. a contest in Rebekah degree work was held at Elks hall.

## INCOME TAX MAN HERE MARCH 1ST

For the convenience of those who are required by law to file Federal Tax Returns, a Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue will be at the Haskell National Bank in this city on March 1, 1928, to assist taxpayers in preparing their returns. No charge will be made for this service. The matter of filing Income Tax Returns should be given immediate attention, in order to avoid penalty and interest. Returns for the calendar year 1927 should be filed not later than March 15, 1928, with the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the taxpayer resides or has his principal place of business.

The Deputy Collector will be in Rule at the First National Bank on March 2nd, and at First National Bank in Knox City on March 3, to assist citizens in preparing their returns. George Tanner of Rule was in Haskell on business Monday.

Little Miss Mary Beth Menefee returned from a month's visit to her uncle and aunt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maples of Lubbock last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Menefee met her at Spur.

Mrs. W. M. Mask has returned to her home from the Stamford Sanitarium and her many friends hope for her a speedy and complete recovery of her normal health.

## O. W. MALOY OPENS BUICK AGENCY HERE

O. W. Maloy, who has been connected with the Welsh-Maloy Motor Company, local dealers for Chrysler automobiles, has disposed of his interest in the company and has accepted the Buick agency for this city, under a contract with the Hardy Motor Company of Stamford. Mr. Maloy states that sales and service headquarters for Buick automobiles will be established at the Pouts & Dotson Service Station, where the new models will be on display in the near future.

## A. J. COMBS BURIED IN FT. WORTH FRIDAY

A. J. Combs, a pioneer in the telephone industry in Texas, died at his family residence 2015 Fairmount St. Ft. Worth of ether pneumonia last Tuesday February 14th, after an operation the previous Saturday.

Mr. Combs came to West Texas from Illinois in 1907 and consolidated the John W. Profit Telephone Co. which was a large concern with the Haskell Telephone Co. in 1908 and remained the active general manager until 1921 at which time the present manager, Mr. John W. Pace took over the management. Mr. Combs moving to Ft. Worth. Funeral services were held at the family residence on Wednesday afternoon February 15th after which interment was made in the Ft. Worth cemetery. Mr. Combs was a man with a keen business mind and was widely known over this section. Messrs. John W. Pace and George Couch attended the funeral services from Haskell. The deceased is survived by his wife, their son having preceded his father in death a few years.

## FATHER OF HASKELL TEACHER KILLED IN ACCIDENT

The sad news reached Haskell last Wednesday afternoon of the serious accident that had befallen Mr. Ed Mills father of Miss Elaine Mills teacher of English in the Haskell High school. Mr. Mills was driving a road tractor near Columbus, Texas where he lived, when in crossing a bridge it caved in and Mr. Mills fell 40 feet to almost immediate death. Recent rains made progress slow and Mr. Mills had to carry 80 miles to the nearest sanitarium. He was placed on the operating table and before there was time to administer the ether, he passed away. Mr. Mills was buried at Canton, Van Zandt Co. last Friday. He is survived by his wife and two daughters. Miss Elaine of this city and Miss Marie Mills who teaches in the Munday schools. Both young ladies left at once on hearing of the sad accident and were accompanied by their uncle Mr. J. W. Martin. All three returned to Haskell Sunday.

Foster Bunkley of the First State Bank of Seymour was a business visitor to the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McDonald were Haskell shoppers from the Howard community Saturday.

## LYCEUM NUMBER HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Alton Packard the noted Harmonist-Cantors will give a Musical and Fiction Comedy Review in the High School auditorium on Monday evening March 12th. This is the 10th and last number of the season's lyceum course and we are sure will be one of the very best. We have been most fortunate this year in securing splendid numbers at a minimum expense each one being better than we could expect. The proceeds from Mr. Packard's performance will go exclusively to our Parent-Teachers Association so those who attend will be supporting a good cause as well as securing an evening of real pleasure. Look for further notices and don't fail to hear Mr. Packard.

## Mother of Haskell Lady Ill

Mrs. J. B. Post was called to Rails Monday because of the illness of her mother Mrs. Will Marris. A later report stated that Mrs. Marris was seriously sick and the loved ones and friends are very anxious about her condition.

## The Co-operative Marketing School At College Station

A school of Co-operative Marketing designed to serve men and women who are engaged in agricultural work, field representatives, and others will be held at College Station for three days, Feb. 29, March 1st and 2nd, 1928. A comprehensive program has been arranged, and a large attendance is expected during the three days of the school. Several Haskell county farmers have signified their intention of attending this years school and those desiring information regarding the school can secure same from County Agent, W. P. Price, or Miss Matilda Gunn, Home Demonstration Agent.

## MEETING OF FARM BUREAU CALLED

Farm Bureau will meet the first Wednesday in March in the District Court room in the court house in Haskell at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

We will have a Mr. Stokols of Ballenger, head of the gin co-operation of the bureau with us at this meeting. We have secured the acreage for the gin plant and Mr. Stokols will be here for the purpose of completing the gin organization. We urge all members to be present. New members are invited. B. Walters, president. S. A. Moser, secretary.

## NEW AWNING ERECTED ON WEST SIDE OF SQUARE

J. A. Frazier, local carpenter erected a new and up-to-date awning in front of the R. J. Reynolds Grocery Store and Reid's Drug Store. The work was done for Mrs. Mary A. Gates owner of the twin building. This is another step toward making the west side more attractive in appearance.

## WIFE OF FARMER UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Jesse Josselot underwent an operation at an Abilene Sanitarium Thursday morning at 8 o'clock and on last report she was doing nicely. Mrs. Josselot has many friends in the city who are very anxious for her early recovery.

Rev. E. A. Sagbiel, who is traveling in the interest of the Seguin Lutheran College was here Saturday afternoon meeting friends. He preached at Irby school house in the morning at 11 o'clock to a large congregation. He is the educational secretary of the college.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hutchins of Munday were here Saturday renewing their acquaintances with their many friends. They formerly lived in the Midway community, where Mr. Hutchins was engaged in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNeely of Milano Texas are here this week visiting their children Mrs. Virgil Bailey and family of the Midway community and Henry W. Smith of this city. Mr. Smith made the trip to Milano and brought them back with him Thursday of last week.

H. B. Jenkins of Haskell Star Route 2 was in the city Tuesday on business. Mr. Jenkins is a good farmer who does not depend on cotton alone for his success as a farmer. He is a diversifier and grows most of the supplies for his family at home. He is one of our best melon growers and markets his melons in Haskell during the season.

## BIG RABBIT DRIVE PLANNED WEDNESDAY

A big rabbit drive has been planned for the Cottonwood community on next Wednesday, February 29th, according to H. H. Hawes of Weinert, who was in the city Wednesday of this week.

Everybody is invited to come and take part and rabbits are reported plentiful in that section. Free lunch with hot coffee will be served by the community. Everybody in the community at noon and several hundred hunters are wanted for the occasion. Ammunition will also be furnished all taking part in the drive at a special price, according to Mr. Hawes. All persons wishing to take part in the drive are asked to assemble early Wednesday morning in the Cottonwood community, and a big day's sport is promised all who will attend.

## HASKELL MAN TEACHES AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

B. M. Whiteaker of Haskell, agricultural manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce recently completed an agricultural school for Dawson county sponsored by Dawson and Lamesa Chambers of Commerce. Mr. Whiteaker has been very active in his work and much has been accomplished by him in educational work of better farming.

## HASKELL COUNTY BOY DIES SUNDAY

Henry F. Lewellen died at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewellen of the Roberts community Sunday February 19th at 4:30 a. m. after an illness covering a number of years. He was 23 years and 15 days old when the end came and he had been a great sufferer but he bore his pain with fortitude and was seldom heard to complain. He was born and reared in Haskell county and his friends were numbered by his acquaintances and his passing has brought sadness to many hearts. He was a member of the Baptist church having professed his faith in Christ several years ago and followed his Lord in Baptism. He realized that the end was near a few days before he passed away and told his parents and other loved ones that he was ready to go. He also requested the songs which he wished to be sung at the funeral and made other requests which were carried out by his loved ones.

The funeral services were held at the Roberts Baptist church where he held membership, at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon and one of the largest congregations of people was assembled to pay their last respects to this beloved boy that was ever known in this community on a like occasion. Rev. C. Jones of Haskell who received and baptized him into the church conducted the funeral services assisted by Rev. Tucker of Rule, the present pastor. After which his remains were laid to rest in the Roberts cemetery beneath a bank of beautiful flowers of richest hues and sweetest fragrance placed there by loving hands in remembrance of him.

A large number of his young friends of Haskell, Roberts and other communities attended the funeral in a body and the pall bearers were his friends and school mates. May He who alone can pour balm into broken and bleeding hearts comfort the bereaved loved ones in this dark hour of sorrow.

## HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB ORGANIZED AT COTTONWOOD

On last Monday evening Feb. 20th Miss Matilda Gunn met with the ladies of the Cottonwood community and organized a Women's Home Demonstration Club. There were more than twenty present and we had seventeen, to join the club.

Miss Gunn demonstrated a new pressure cooker with pinto beans and an old rooster which were well done and ready to serve in less than an hour.

The ladies served cake and hot chocolate and all enjoyed the afternoon very much. The ladies present were Mrs. W. M. Bledsoe, Mrs. J. O. Merchant, Mrs. C. M. Overman, Mrs. L. E. Newton, Mrs. Glendon Newton, Mrs. L. D. Holcombe, Mrs. Frank Nicholson, Mrs. Slover Bledsoe, Mrs. Cube Furrh, Mrs. Floyd Maxwell, Mrs. J. P. Jones, Mrs. J. L. Mayfield, Mrs. D. R. Holcombe, Mrs. L. A. Stratton, Mrs. Floyd McGuire, Mrs. W. A. Tanner and Mrs. W. D. Dryden. They elected as officers president, Mrs. W. M. Bledsoe, vice president, Mrs. W. A. Tanner; secretary Mrs. Floyd McGuire; reporter, Mrs. J. L. Mayfield. The club will meet on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 2:30 p. m. We invite all the ladies to come out and see part.