

**INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS FROM GAUNTT COMMUNITY**

Last Friday afternoon the Gauntt baseball team played the Rose team

and defeated them. The boys then suffered defeat at the hands of the Post team. Two real games of baseball were enjoyed by a large crowd. The box supper at Gauntt school

house was enjoyed by a goodly number. Clay Kimbrough bought it. Something over twelve dollars was realized from the boxes and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker entertained their friends with a party Saturday night. Various games were enjoyed by the young and old alike.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stephens chaperoned a group of young people to the Brazos river west of Rule Sunday morning. They returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephens about one o'clock and enjoyed a good dinner and some good music.

Mrs. Ollie Lees of Midway visited her daughter, Mrs. Nathan Foster, Sunday. The Gauntt baseball boys motored to Center Point Tuesday and defeated them in a game 19 to 10.

Mrs. Sam Jeter's mother visited in her home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pace entertained with a party last Tuesday night.

**INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS FROM LAKE CREEK**

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Smith, Mrs. Paul Duffie and family and Miss Lena Smith were here from Dundee to attend the funeral of their brother, Alanzo Smith.

Grandma Long spent this week with Mr. and Mrs. Lige Hendrix and family.

Earnest Smith spent Saturday with friends in Monday.

W. J. Collins spent this week with his brother Olen Collins of Truscott. LeRoy Elliott and Freeman Williams from Hood were visiting here

this week. Mr. Joss Meadow motored to Truscott this week.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mrs. Nettie Meadow. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lewis from Weinert were visiting here this week.

We were glad to have the Grass Hopper folks with us last Sunday afternoon. We enjoyed their singing and invite them to come back which they promised to do the first Sunday in each month.

Roy Scarborough returned this week from Mineral Wells.

Elvin Sorrels has been visiting his sister near San Angelo, the past week.

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Judge J. B. Thomas of Anson was in the city Monday on legal business in District Court.

**Attention, Members O. E. S.**

The regular meeting of the Haskell Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Thursday night, May 10th. All members are urged to be present.

**West Ratliff**

Judge and Mrs. I. D. Ratliff of this city announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Sula Mae, to Mr. Cody Thomas West of the Post community, on December 28, 1927, at Bowie, Texas.

Mr. Orin Johnson, who is attending Draughts Business College at Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson.

S. D. Gossett of Cottonwood was a pleasant caller to this office last Saturday. He is one of the leading farmers of that section with a good farm which is under a state of excellent cultivation.

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COTTON SEED—I have first year Kasch Cotton Seed grown on my farm last year for sale at \$1.50 per bushel. Re-created, washed and delivered at your station. J. W. Alexander, Albany, Texas. 12tp. 3-29

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## INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS FROM COTTONWOOD

Mr. Henry Wilson and Mrs. Pat Weaver closed a very successful term of school at this place Friday. The usual annual gathering of the patrons was well attended on that day. Lunch was served to a large crowd. The day was given over to baseball games. Thanks to Mrs. Weaver and Mr. Wilson for their faithful work.

The party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Kirkland of the Powell section was enjoyed by a large crowd from here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gossett, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Furrh and several others from here attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Weibert.

Mrs. R. Q. Furrh is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Biedsoe spent a few days in Winters last week.

Throckmorton was crowded very much Friday at their picnic; the report from here. Everyone had a wonderful time.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM LONE STAR COMMUNITY

Mrs. Oma Gains of Fort Worth is visiting her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Malinin and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Turpin entertained the young folks last Saturday night with a party.

Mr. W. A. King is hauling sand to build him a new house.

Mr. G. A. Linstead, principal of the Lone Star school the last term has returned to his home at Walnut Springs.

Miss Pearl Calaway spent Saturday night with Miss Ruby and Lillie Floyd.

Mr. C. R. Barnett has returned from Clay county.

Herman Floyd, Chester Laine and others went fishing on Miller Creek last Friday night.

Mrs. Ruth Crutcher of Goree spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Floyd.

## INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS FROM VONTRESS COMMUNITY

Vontress grammar school graduation exercises will be held at the school building Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, May 16th. The following program will be rendered:

Processional  
Invocation—Rev. Cecil Fox  
"Work for the Night is Coming"  
Congregation

Salutatory—Thelma King  
Special Music  
Validictory—Sophia Arend  
Address—Rev. Cecil Fox  
Announcements

Presentation of Diplomas—Miss Minnie Ellis.  
Class Song  
Benediction—Martin Arend.

The closing program of the school will be presented at the school house on Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

An Epworth League has been organized by the young people. Devotional meetings are held every Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM ROSE COMMUNITY

Mr. Levi Davis is visiting his sister Mrs. Joe Scheets at Weibert community.

Mrs. Maggie McKinnaw has been visiting her sister Mrs. Jim Henshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Patterson of Center Point and Mr. and Mrs. Siver Biedsoe of Cottonwood spent Wednesday night at Mr. Frank Patterson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scheets entertained Wednesday night with a 42 party. Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Phillips gave a 42 party Thursday night.

The community club met Saturday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henshaw on May 1st a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rose, May 4th, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spinks, May 6th, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirby and Mrs. Mary Ethel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Payne.

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Mrs. W. A. Tanner community was shopping Saturday and visiting Mrs. Alva Mitchell and Mrs. H.

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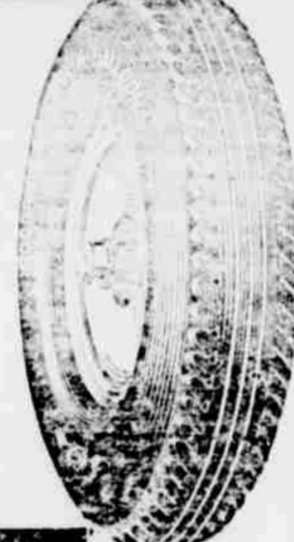
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AN ORDINANCE

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

"AN ORDINANCE by the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against property and the owners thereof on portions of certain streets in the said City of Haskell, to wit: Campbell, Hughes, Houston, Clark Streets, for a part of the cost of improving said streets; fixing a time for the hearing of owners, or agents of owners of said property, or any persons interested in said improvements, as provided by Chapter 106, of the General Laws passed by the Fortieth Legislature of Texas, at its first Called Session, in 1927, and the ordinances of the City of Haskell, Texas, directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing; examining and approving the statement or report of the City 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 No. 12 being Campbell Street from the North line of Standefor Street to Center Line of Bradford Street;

Unit or District No. 13 being Campbell Street from Center Line Bradford Street to North Line Block D Morgan Addition; Unit or District No. 14 being Hughes Street from the West Line of Clark Street to the East Line of Houston Street;

Unit or District No. 15 being Houston Street from the South Line of Bradford Street to the North Line of Block 8 Meadors Addition; Unit or District No. 16 being Houston Street from the North Line of Block 8 Meadors Addition to the South Line Meadors Street;

Unit or District No. 17 being Houston Street from South Line Meadors Street to South Line Williams Street; Unit or District No. 18 being Clark Street from the South Line of Bradford Street to the North of Block A Tandy Addition;

Unit or District No. 19 being Clark Street from the North Line of Standefor Street to the South Line of Bradford Street; AND WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the improvement of said streets have been duly prepared and approved as required by law and

WHEREAS, as required by Section 4, of Chapter 106, General Laws passed by the Fortieth Legislature, at its First Called Session, in 1927, this Council has caused the Engineers acting for said City to prepare an estimate of the cost of such improvements, and which said estimate of cost has been duly approved by this Council and filed with the City Secretary, and the cost of such improvements as made in the above-said estimate, is for the sum of Ninety Nine Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety Three Dollars and Thirty Four Cents (\$99,693.34); and

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, including the cost of engineering and extending the cost of constructing and extending the cost of 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.

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 properties, shall be in accordance with the true and just value, provided that after such hearing it is in the opinion of this Council in particular cases the application of this rule would result in injustice or inequality, this Council shall then apportion and assess said costs in such proportion as it may deem just and equitable, having in view the special benefits in enhanced value to be received by such parcels of property and owners thereof, the equities of such owners, and the adjustment of such apportionment so as to produce a substantial equality of benefits received and burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and in no event shall any assessment be made on any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced values of such property by reason of such improvement.

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

The fact that any improvement is omitted in front of exempt property shall not invalidate the 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 or amounts per front foot, proposed to be assessed against the owner or owners of such property, the estimated total cost of the improvements on each portion of each street herein proposed to be improved (the description of the properties and the amount proposed to be assessed against Wichita Valley Railway Company), each, respectively, for paving and for curbs and gutters, and the grand total thereof, is herein set forth as follows:

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.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 12. Campbell Street from the north line of Standefor Street to center line Bradford Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 12, to be paved approximately 30 feet wide.

Assessed rate per front foot: 5.1464. Total amount of property owner's part: 5761.97. Total amount of City's part: 3187.26. Total cost of District No. 12: 9251.33.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 13. Campbell Street from Center Line of Bradford Street to North Line Block D Morgan Addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 13, to be paved approximately 30 feet wide.

Assessed rate per front foot: 4.310. Total amount of property owner's part: 7117.58. Total amount of City's part: 4505.78. Total cost of District No. 13: 11953.36.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 14. Hughes Street from the West Line of Clark Street to the East Line of Houston Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 14, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Assessed rate per front foot: 5.895. Total amount of property owner's part: 3301.57. Total amount of City's part: 1997.43. Total cost of District No. 14: 5299.00.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 15. Houston Street from the South Line of Bradford Street to the North Line of Block 8 Meadors Addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 15, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide.

Assessed rate per front foot: 5.525. Total amount property owner's part: 14669.94. Total amount of City's part: 8675.32. Total cost of District No. 15: 23345.26.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 16. Houston Street from north line Block 8 Meadors Addition to the south line Meadors Street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 16, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 17. Houston Street from south line Meadors street to south line of Williams street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 17, to be paved approximately 35 feet wide.

Assessed rate per front foot: 5.130. Total amount of property owner's part: 10,809.97. Total amount of City's part: 6594.49. Total cost of District No. 17: 17,404.46.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 18. Clark Street from the south line of Bradford Street to the north line of Block A Tandy addition, known and designated as District or Unit No. 18, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

Assessed rate per front foot: 6.628. Total amount of property owner's part: 3157.37. Total amount of City's part: 1910.26. Total cost of District No. 18: 5067.57.

ENGINEER'S ROLL OR STATEMENT District No. 19. Clark Street from north line of Standefor street to the south line of Bradford street, known and designated as District or Unit No. 19, to be paved approximately 45 feet wide.

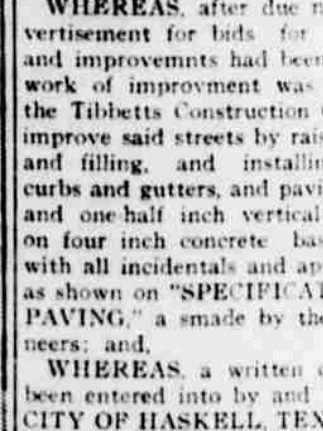
Assessed rate per front foot: 6.507. Total amount of property owner's part: 7343.84. Total amount of City's part: 4443.01. Total cost of District No. 19: 11786.85.

The said units or districts shall each be made to mature prior to the acceptance by the City of the improvements for which assessment is levied. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS.

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

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

Political Announcements. Democratic Primary to be held May 22nd. District: 10th (election). Attorney: ...



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Haskell, Texas, Thurs. May 10, 1928

**Methodist Church Sunday May 13th**

We are expecting a good time Sunday in all the services.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Come and wear a flower in memory of mother.

At the 11 o'clock hour the music and the sermon will be in memory of mother.

At the evening hour the service will be in memory of father.

If we love and appreciate our mothers and fathers who are living and love and honor the memory of those gone away, come and join us in these services.

Every one should go to church some where on Mothers' Day. You are welcome at our church.

W. B. Vaughn, Pastor.

**Men's Bible Class**

First Baptist Church.

H. R. Whitley, Pastor. Teacher, twenty one present last Sunday. Every man twenty one years and past urged to come, we will welcome you. We need your presence and in return we are striving to be a blessing to all who come. May we have you present next Sunday at 9:45.

Reporter

**Motherhood Throughout the Ages**

At First Christian Church.

The First Christian Church will observe Mothers' Day proper at the evening service Sunday May the 13th with an impressive and beautiful program. Motherhood Throughout the Ages. Mrs. Courtney Hunt is the director. A cordial invitation is extended to every lady to be present.

We are buying bags and paying the highest prices for them. See or phone, Sterling Edwards or Paul Frierson, the

**Annual Roll Call at First Christian Church**

Four years ago members of the First Christian church appointed a committee: Mrs. Mamie Draper Barron, Mr. J. B. Post and Mr. Dennis Ratliff to write an annual history of the local church and to prepare a roll call of the living members and an honorary one of those who died during the year. Last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the 4th chapter of the church's history was observed in a beautiful service. The choir rendered some beautiful music accompanied at four pianos by Mesdames Courtney Hunt, D. L. Cummins, J. B. Post and M. H. Post. The current history of the church and the annual roll call was conducted by the committee.

**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM JUD COMMUNITY**

Mr and Mrs Frank Harrow motored to Abilene last Tuesday.

Miss Annie Carnes returned home from the Plains last week.

Ned West, Bill Anderson, Earnest Nabb and Arlo Ivey left Monday for the oil field at Wink Texas.

Mrs. John Epley, Mrs. Ben Wolley, Mrs. Joe Allen and Mrs. A. B. Hutchens have been at the bed side of their mother, Mrs. J. W. Allen who is in the Knox City Sanitarium. We all hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. W. C. Chenauld and family and sister Zell have returned home from a visit to relatives and friends in Palo Pinto County and Erath County.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Miller are the proud parents of a fine baby boy.

Mrs. Joe Allen is on the sick list this week but is some better.

The picnic given at the home of Miss

Berties West was very much enjoyed by all who attended.

There was a large crowd at the singing Sunday night.

The play given by the high school pupils last Friday night proved to be

very successful.

Mrs. L. A. Martin of Bluff Dale has been visiting her daughter Mrs. J. R. Chenauld.

Grandma Lesley is improving very slowly.

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Below we Give a Few Prices as an Index of the Bargains we have Here for You

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Men's Work Shirts, 2-pocket, coat style, only 65c

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**Special for Saturday**  
From 2 to 2:30 p. m.

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# Fouts & Mitchell Variety Store



M. D. Ross of Sagerton was in the city Saturday on business. He stated that he was up with his farm work and was ready to plant his crops when the rain comes.

Mrs. W. W. Ashby and children of Pleasant Valley were shopping in the city Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Marian of Gilliam community were in the city Saturday.

### TELLING THE WORLD

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

The farmers of Haskell county are learning from actual experience that the one crop idea is not a safe plan. Cotton has been the principal crop of the south, yet there has been many times that the market value of cotton would not exceed the cost of production which brought depression and disappointment to the producer. This condition often repeated caused the farmers of this section to cast about for a surer plan of success. Diversification the farmers have found to be the greatest boon to profitable farming and the more used the greater the possibilities.

The cow, the sow and the hen have proven themselves to be the most profitable and the most practical for the tillers of the soil in this section. Under test they have proven their worth and the farmer who employs their usefulness is assured of the success that nothing else can bring. More hogs were killed for meat and lard last year than was ever known before in the history of the county, and the supply of pigs and shoats for this year is unlimited.

The poultry industry has become a great factor in the affairs of the farmer and many of them depend on this source for the needs of the family and all other crops grown come in as a surplus and investment. A full car load of eggs was shipped from Haskell by the recently organized Poultry association which is the largest shipment of eggs ever shipped from this section at one time. A few years ago a car load

of eggs would have been an impossibility for the whole county much less one little section. But production in this industry has increased so rapidly that there is no limit to the possibilities now. More than four hundred five gallon cans of cream are being shipped by local express from Haskell each month according to an estimate from Express Manager, C. L. Lewis, which brings into the pockets of the farmers more than \$3,000.00 every thirty days. The local milk and butter trade will run into the thousands which is consumed in the city every month, besides the sale of calves and fat cattle for the local and shipping markets.

The things one considered by the farmers to be trifles are becoming to be the leading industries in taking care of the family expenses and a profit besides furnishing ready cash at all seasons of the year.

Terracing is coming into favor with hundreds of farmers over the county. Soil conservation and moisture retention is being sought through this means. The virgin soil with its original fertility will not be depleted under the system of terracing as it has been in the older sections of the state. County Agent Tice has given much time to this work, and the results are very gratifying to the farmers who have put their lands under terraces. Within the next few years most of the farms of the county will be terraced is our prediction.

Good homes are being erected in all parts of the county and excellent school

buildings are seen in every section of the county which are well kept and the grounds are neat and clean, showing a civic pride unequalled in any section of Texas. These schools are making wonderful progress and the pupils from both independent and rural schools are making it hot in the state contests for all competitors. Keep your eyes on Haskell county, watch her progress.

#### R. L. Livengood.

Mr. Livengood might be termed one of the old settlers as he has resided in Haskell County for the past 11 years. He has seen the broad prairies of this section become the homes of industrious farmers, the man with the plow takes the place of the lowing herd. The graded roadways take the place of the cattle trails and the modern machinery take the place of the crude farming implements. This has been a country of wonderful advancement since this good man has resided in this section. He has lived on his farm in the Post community for 23 years. He is a successful farmer and his home shows thrift and progress. He has an interesting place from many view points. The long years he has resided in one place has given him a great accumulation of many useful things which he can apply to his needs. Mr. Livengood is a mechanic who can take one thing and make it do service in another place. He has a 1914 model Ford car which after serving his needs as a car for many years is now harnessed to a windmill pump and furnishes a water supply for the farm and live stock. He was making a test well drill from discarded machinery which he will use to find locations for other wells on his farm should he need them. He is a good black smith and always makes what he needs from what he has and saves the expense of buying machinery. It has been said if you will keep the accumulation of iron about the place for seven years you will find a use for them. Mr. Livengood has proven this fact beyond a doubt. He has his ground ready for planting and is waiting for rain. Mrs. Livengood and the children have around four hundred Rhode Island Red Chickens of all ages. They have a new modern brooder and incubator house built of tile and sheet rock which is fire and vermin proof. He also has a defec plant which furnished lights for all purposes and power for churning etc. He has plenty of cows for milk and butter and 8 head of hogs growing nicely. There is contentment on this farm. He and Mrs. Livengood have made good use of Mrs. Gunn the home demonstrator's help and have a large variety of canned meats which are put up for the family comforts. We

ate dinner at this home Friday and we had canned steak and other things put up through the demonstration process which was enjoyed very much by the writer along with the cordial association of our friends.

#### Howard School.

We made our way from the Livengood home to the Howard School passing the John Nanny home where we stopped a few moments watching him make a test for a well on his farm. The drought is causing him some anxiety and he is having to haul water for his stock. Lee Medford and Frank Elmore were at the Nanny home when we stopped. Mr. Elmore went home and Mr. Medford went with us to the school house where we visited the school for a short time before it closed. This school has made fine progress and is getting ready for the closing exercises. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Foote and Mrs. Thelma Medford have taught this splendid school for the past two years and Mrs. Medford has been teaching a still longer time. This has been a very successful school since the new building was erected and the consolidation with Whit Chapel took place.

#### Lee Medford.

We stopped for a few moments at the home of Mr. Medford who is one of the leading farmers of the Howard community. He is also Democratic chairman of the Howard voting box and is one of the leading men in the community. Lee has lived in that section many years. He owns a good farm with plenty of improved farm machinery, teams etc., to make farming a success. He never over crops his capacity to cultivate and enjoys life and ease in all his affairs. He is sending one of his daughters to high school in this city who will be a Senior graduate this term.

#### G. S. Medford.

We made a short stop at the home of G. S. Medford a brother of Lee who lives on an adjoining farm. He had just returned from the city of Haskell where he had been for some supplies. He is another progressive farmer, a diverter, raising hogs, cows, chickens and every thing that will bring cash in the family and cut down expenses. We did not take time to look over Mr. Medford's farm but we have been over it on other occasions and know that he keeps it up to the minute. He is a substantial farmer and an old timer in that section, owns his home and cultivates his farm with his own labor and the help of his children. We came back to town having spent a pleasant day in the country among our friends. No we did not go to Throckmorton where all the other folks went last Friday.

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### 4-H Club

Reported by Special Agent from Haskell County

The 4-H Club Girls of Haskell held their regular meeting on May 2, at the teachers' and 8 members were present. The club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Calista. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. We then served lunch. Also discussed raising money to send one girls to the A. & M. School. Decided to have a craft 15th for the purpose of raising money and ask the co-operation of the community.

The Midway 4-H Club April 24 at the home of Mrs. J. B. Smith. Mrs. Smith demonstrated on how to make sauce and soup. Lunch the club girls.

**NEWS ITEMS FROM SMITH CHAPEL**

The farmers of this section up with their 4-H work. There is to be a program at the church Sunday. The Senior B. V. P. in charge of this program is Leonard, David and Jack Bill Mayfield. Dennis Sunday with the 4-H team. Hazel Juanita T. W. Pierikien are visiting the Miles Collins at Hamlin. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Beane of Dennis spent Sunday at Mrs. Beane's sister, Mrs. Gillispie.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tice are visiting at Tye this week. Several of this community on Lake Kemp this week.

Mrs. Tom With of Manning in the home of Mrs. dock and Mrs. W. C. week end.

We are glad to report Lane who has been on the letter at this writing.

Quite a few of the young joyed the party Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grandmother Smith at R. been visiting in the home, Mrs. E. S. McGee home Tuesday.

Mrs. Hill who is visiting of Mr. J. V. Lewis has been we are glad to report she is Mr. Austin Galloway of who has been visiting Mr. H. Craddock returned home. Mrs. W. H. and H. K. Pater visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Monday.

The party given Saturday the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephens was enjoyed by young people.

Mrs. R. G. Garrett and Trula, are visiting her parents Mrs. C. W. McCown of East.

Miss Virge Leatherwood City is visiting her mother, Leatherwood in the home of Mrs. C. W. McCown of East.

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# SOCIETY and Club

**Willow Cemetery Association.** Willow Cemetery is one of the loveliest burying grounds in all of West Texas and is kept in a perfect condition and all of this is due to the association. And with these undisputed facts before the Haskell people many of the lots are not paid for and there is always an arrear in a large number of annual dues. The association has been embarr

assed many times because it could not pay the current expenses. Mrs. Courtney Hunt is the president and Mrs. T. J. Arbutle is the Secretary Treasurer and either of these ladies can tell you what your dues are. Let every body in Haskell County who owns a lot or has loved ones buried in Willow Cemetery give some serious thought to the above matter and help lighten this burden that is born by so few.

### South Ward Parent Teachers Association.

On last Thursday afternoon at 3:30 this association met for the last time this school term.

Reports were given from the Abilene convention by Maxwell Taylor and Mrs. John Potts, the two who were sent as our representatives.

Mrs. Date Anderson from the Midway community gave a report from Wichita

Falls and the foremost aim for our state next year is Child Health. This was very instructive.

Officers were elected for the term of 1928-29 as follows:

Mrs. John Fouts, president.  
Mrs. J. M. Crawford, vice president.  
Mrs. H. J. Hambleton, treasurer.  
Mrs. W. S. Pogue was appointed to see to the caring of the trees during the summer months. The work of this organization has been to purchase new books, put out hedging and trees around the school building. We are grateful for the co-operation and aid that has been tendered by the patrons and school supporters.

We also agreed to sign the contract to help bring the chautauques here next year. We are for a better Haskell.

### Married at Methodist Parsonage.

On the afternoon of May the 2nd, at 2 o'clock, Miss Lola Mae Nunn and Mr. Harvey Medford of the Howard community drove to the Methodist parsonage in Haskell, accompanied by friends and were united in marriage by Rev. W. B. Vaughn. Mr. and Mrs. Medford will reside in the Howard community.

### Grandmother of Mrs. O. E. Patterson Buried in Stamford Cemetery.

Mrs. Smith, grandmother of Mrs. O. E. Patterson was buried in the Stamford cemetery last Friday after a lingering illness of several weeks. Mrs. Smith has often visited Mrs. Patterson in the past years and had endeared herself to a number of friends here. The Free Press joins the entire community in offering condolence to the bereaved family.

A telegram to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clifton Saturday announced the birth of a grandson. This was Master Von-tress Jerome Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Espinosa, Texas born May the 4th, weight 8 lbs. Mrs. Johnson will be remembered as Miss Dorothea Clifton.

C. W. McCown of East of town was in the city on business, Monday.

### Honoring Miss Rosella Chrisman.

One of the most beautifully planned and carried out parties of the season was given last Friday evening by Miss Lola Welsh in the reception suite of the Elks Club, honoring Miss Rosella Chrisman. The rooms were made attractive with a profusion of rose buds, peonies and fern. The guests were met at the door by Misses Mary Ella Pace and Lois Earnest and they introduced the honoree Miss Chrisman and Mr. Bert Welsh and a sister, Mrs. Bledsoe of Abilene. Misses Nettie McCollum and Eunice Huckabee presided over the punch bowl that looked lovely in a nest of bridal wreath. Bridge was the diversion of the evening and ladies high score prize was won by Mrs. Tom French and she was given a Russian antique pin; ladies low won by Miss Marjorie Whiteker; gentleman's high score was awarded to Dr. Johnson of Dallas, given a double smoking set; Gentleman's low prize, a news paper rack, consoled Mr. Dotson. The honoree was presented with a set of antique vases. A lovely and delicious salad plate harmonizing with the color scheme of pink and green carried as plate favor to Misses Rosella Chrisman, Lois Earnest, Mary Ella Pace, Nettie McCollum, Eunice Huckabee, Mary Patterson, Ermine Daugherty, Maybelle Taylor, Majorie Whiteker, Agnes Cox, Madalin Hunt, Lewis Manley, Elaine Mills, Messers Bert Welsh, Emory Manfee, Lonnie Spurlock, Milton Simmons, Johnnie Banks, French Robertson, Kenneth England, David Perrin, John Rike, Cecil Weaver, Bailey Taylor, Reynolds Wilson and Hollis Atkinson. Messers and Meslames Clyde Grissom, John P. Payne, R. E. Hall, W. P. Trice, Johnson of Dallas; Courtney Hunt, Tom Davis, H. H. Hester of Ft. Worth, Theron Cahill, Bledsoe of Abilene, Tom French, Roy Killingsworth and Mack Martin.

E. W. Kreger of Curry Chapel was in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Massie of Roberts were in the city Saturday shopping.

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<b>Dainties</b> Black Hawk Brand Lb. 2 lb. Avg.	<b>36c</b>
<b>Candy</b> Log Cabin Sugar Mix-ed. 2 lbs. for	<b>25c</b>
<b>TOASTIES</b> Post Large Size, Each	<b>10½c</b>
<b>CORN</b> White Swan No. 2, Each	<b>13½c</b>
<b>Spinach</b> Fresh Tender per lb.	<b>4½c</b>
<b>SQUASH</b> Small White per lb.	<b>6c</b>
<b>DAVIS Baking Powders</b> 1 Spatula Free with Each San	<b>23c</b>
<b>Salt</b> Morton's Free Running Iodized or Plain	<b>11c</b>
<b>Ginger Ale</b> Canada Dry Large	<b>22c</b>
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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1928—5 PAGES.

FORTY-FIRST YEAR

## NEW BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

The growth of the town has necessitated the building of new structures within the past few weeks. The Haskell Free Press building on the south side of the street was finished two weeks ago and is now occupied by the present staff. The Haskell Free Press building on the north side of the street was also finished two weeks ago and is now occupied by the present staff. The Haskell Free Press building on the east side of the street was also finished two weeks ago and is now occupied by the present staff.

## ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING IS FATAL TO YOUTH

News reached here Friday of the tragic death of Alonzo Smith of the Lake Creek community, which took place last Thursday night May 8th. The cause of his death was the accidental discharge of a 410 gauge shotgun, the contents striking him in the side, causing a wound from which he soon passed away. Our information regarding the details are meager but it is reported that young Smith was the son of a farmer, and he with other youth were spending the night on a nearby stream fishing when the accident occurred. According to reports the young man was placing the gun in a car, with the muzzle of the gun toward him and in some way the gun was discharged and the contents took effect in the body of young Smith. He was carried home but his wounds were so serious that he soon passed away. He was buried at Weimert Friday afternoon. He is survived by his parents and a number of brothers and sisters. The deceased loved ones have the sympathy of their many friends.

## Haskell High School Teacher Accepts College Position

M. B. Lebo, for the past seven years teacher of Vocational Agriculture and Principal of the Haskell High School, has notified the Board of Education of his resignation, to take effect June 1st. Mr. Lebo has accepted a lucrative position with the North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington as Professor of Horticulture. The student body of Haskell High School together with the entire citizenship of Haskell regret very much to see Mr. and Mrs. Lebo leave. We all fully realize that we are losing one of the best teachers Haskell has ever had, but we wish for them the highest success in their new field of work. As Professor of Horticulture, Mr. Lebo will be able to give all of his time to a subject which he is intensely interested in and one which he has given most of his time and study to. He will do graduate work in A and M College this summer before assuming his new duties September 1st.

## ROSE TEAM HEADS SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE

The baseball team of the Rose Sunday School is leading the recently formed rural league with a percentage of 1000, having defeated the Cottonwood team last Saturday at the Fair Park here. The score was 15 to 13. Rose copping the big end. The Cottonwood team gathered 13 scores out of 12 hits; while Rose scored for every hit allowed them. The second game of the evening was between Pinkerton and Howard teams. Pinkerton staging a regular track meet to win with a score of 21 to 1. Attendance at the games was light due to the fact that the precinct conventions and a speaking was held on Saturday afternoon, but a large crowd is expected to see the games next Saturday. Standing of the teams is given below:

	W	L	Pct
Rose	3	0	1.000
Cottonwood	2	1	.667
Pinkerton	1	2	.333
Howard	0	3	.000

## Lankford Miller

Mr. L. E. Lankford and Miss Coquilla Miller were united in marriage by Judge R. P. Simmons in his office Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, May 9th. These happy young people were from Hawley and doubtless stole a march on their many friends by getting married here. The best wishes of their many friends will follow them through life.

## John L. Odell of Abilene

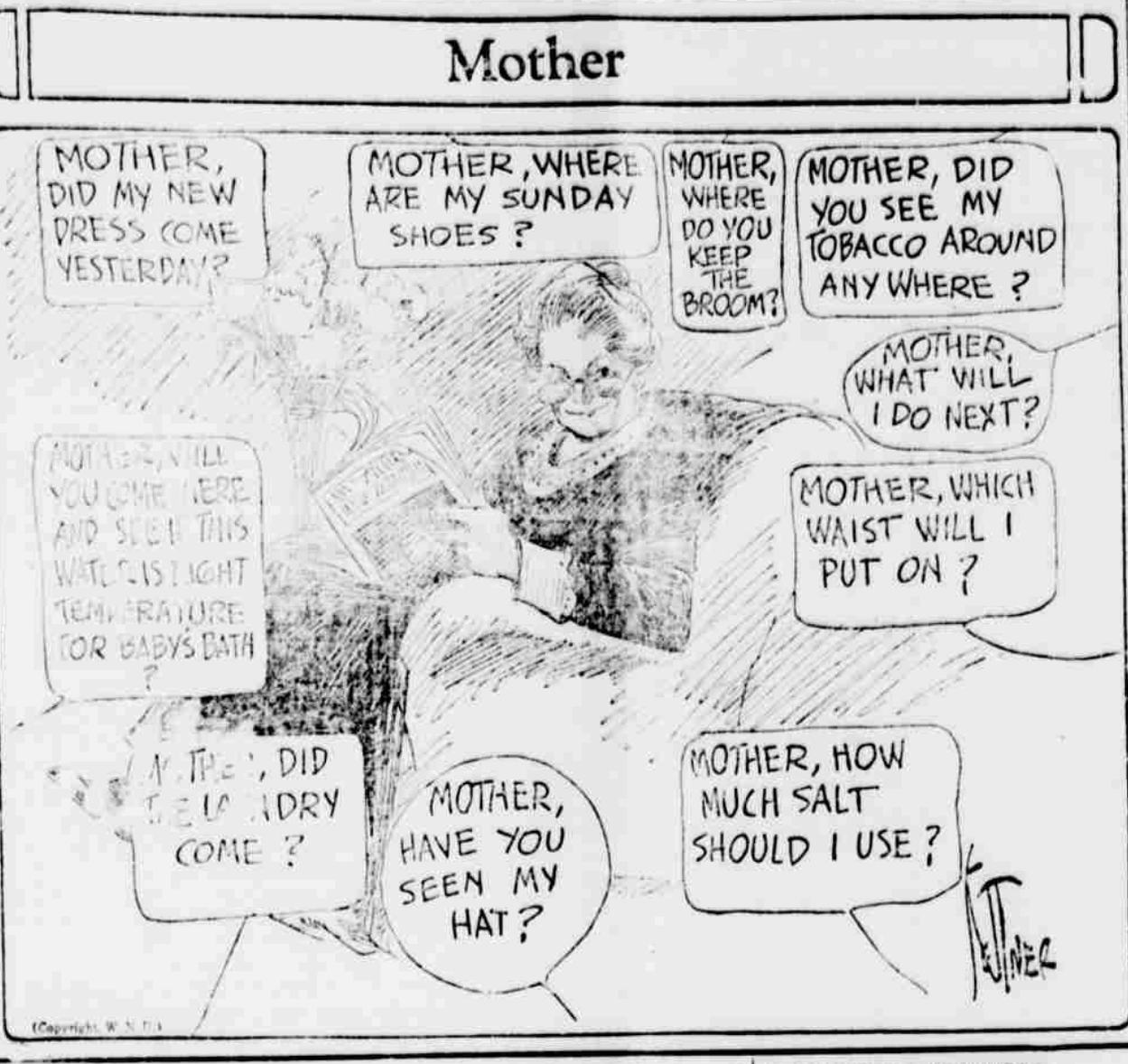
John L. Odell of Abilene was in the city last Saturday on business. He lived in Haskell many years and moved to Abilene a few years ago but has land interest in Haskell county and he makes frequent trips back home and visits his many friends and relatives here.

## Haynes Hambleton local plumber

Haynes Hambleton local plumber of this city is spending several days in Dallas this week attending the National Gas Convention which was held in that city Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. He expects to look over and study the equipment on exhibition in order to be able to help his friends and customers in their selection of their gas stoves and ranges when the gas gets here.

## Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tidwell of the Midway community

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tidwell of the Midway community were shopping in the city Saturday.



## METHODIST REVIVAL JUNE 10 TO 24

Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the First Methodist Church has announced that the Flowers Evangelistic party has been secured for June 10th to 24th inclusive to lead in the revival meeting at the Methodist church. Rev. R. L. Flowers will do the preaching. Mrs. Flowers will have charge of the music and Mr. A. J. Flowers will have charge of Sunday School and personal work. The party has recently closed a successful meeting at Stamford and comes highly recommended from various places where they have served. Let all Methodists make special preparation to attend every service. A cordial invitation is extended to every body to come and be one of us.

## POST SCHOOL CLOSURE WITH TWO PROGRAMS

The Post School closed Friday, with a two nights program. Thursday night the public was delightfully entertained by the entire school in a May Pole Drill. Miss Helen Hisey was crowned Queen of May by her Maid of Honor, Miss Lucille Nanny. The dancers (the girls) were dressed in beautiful designed crepe paper dresses, while the boys wore white shirts with dark pants. This entertainment was held outside on the basketball court and the whole court was used and covered by the performers. Everyone complimented the teachers and especially Miss Virginia Clark for her untiring efforts in preparing the splendid program. Friday night all present were entertained by a "Mixed" program. The seventh grade presented a play which was composed by home talent, and thoroughly enjoyed by the audience. The negro plays, songs and dances were excellent.

## Woman Candidate For U. S. Senate Here Saturday

Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, candidate for United States Senate of this district spoke in Haskell court house Saturday afternoon to a large attentive audience. Mrs. Cunningham was introduced by Judge W. H. Murchison. She made her views clear to all and spoke with frankness on the measures she advocated and also the things she opposed. She was questioned by a number of her listeners as to how she stood on various bills and she answered promptly for or against.

## Frank L. Welch of Comanche county

Frank L. Welch of Comanche county was in the city Saturday where he met many of his old friends who formerly lived in Comanche county before making their home in this section. He is a brother of Ed Welch of the Gilliam community and was visiting his brother for a few days.

## Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wyatt of near Weimert a baby girl

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright of the Sayles community a fine boy, Friday May the 4th.

## Stamford DeMolay To Put On Work Here Friday Night

Friday evening, May the 11 at the Masonic Hall in this city the Stamford Team of the DeMolays, will put on work here. This is said to be one of the best teams in this section of the state and will be a pleasure to all who are entitled to see this work to be presented and on time.

## NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK BEING OBSERVED HERE

National Music Week is being well observed in Haskell. Beginning last Sunday some of the churches had special musical numbers and some of the pastors paved tribute to the influence of good music and used only hymns for the devotional services that had been written by American authors. On Tuesday evening the Haskell Band rendered a concert on the public square. On Thursday evening Miss Duke's expression class will give a recital at the High School auditorium assisted by piano pupils of Mrs. Geo. H. Morrison. On Friday evening Mrs. Geo. H. Morrison will present her piano pupils in recital assisted by pupils of Miss Dike. On Saturday evening at the First Christian church there will be a massed piano recital by Haskell's talented artists interspersed with other attractions. These are Mesdames John W. Pace, O. E. Patterson, M. L. Baker, M. H. Post and others. On Sunday afternoon the week's program will climax with a community sing song. To all of these cultural and entertaining programs the public is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

## Lawson Bailey of Weimert

Lawson Bailey of Weimert was in the city Saturday and this writer had to apologize and make amends for some of the things we said about Mr. Bailey planting cotton seed the first time. He says this cotton is up to at least 80 per cent perfect stand and that if the second planting takes place something will necessarily have to happen to the cotton already up. It did look peculiar to see a fellow planting cotton seed under the conditions and we thought it might be that he was just practicing up for the real planting. Solomon said, "Sow in the morning and withhold not thy hand in the evening for who knoweth which shall be blessed." Again he said, "He that regardeth the wind and withholdeth his hand shall not reap." So Mr. Bailey had the promises on his side and went ahead. He has a chance to make good. We might want a job picking cotton if this cotton makes a bale per acre.

## Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Boatwright

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## 4 BLOCKS PAVING OPEN TO TRAFFIC

Practically all of four blocks of paving has been finished and opened for traffic since the beginning of the paving program several weeks ago, and within a few days several additional blocks will have been completed. Work of laying the brick on the street leading to the depot is under way this week, part of this street being opened to traffic Wednesday morning. The concrete base has been completed to within a block of the depot, and the work of laying the surface brick is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

## O'BRIEN DEFEATS GOREE IN TWO GAMES BASEBALL

O'Brien and Goree have played two hard-fought games of baseball, one at Goree and the other at O'Brien. It seems that the teams are pretty well matched but O'Brien won both games the past week. Wednesday O'Brien won over Goree in a score of 4 to 3 on the Goree grounds, and Saturday's game resulted in O'Brien defeating Goree on the O'Brien grounds with a score of 5 to 4. Large crowds were present to witness the games and much interest was manifested. Next Friday afternoon May 11, Peacock and O'Brien will play at O'Brien. This promises to be a real ball game.

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## THROCKMORTON HOST TO 15,000 PEOPLE

Upwards of 1,000 people from Haskell and this county attended the big celebration in Throckmorton last Friday, when the first train over the Throckmorton. The Haskell Band and representatives from practically every business house in the city were in attendance at Throckmorton during the day and enjoyed the entertainment programs arranged for the occasion. Reliable estimates place the attendance on this occasion at 15,000 people, with special trains bringing delegates from a number of towns and cities. Buses from a number of adjoining towns were much in evidence, and a mammoth parade was staged upon the arrival of the first train and the spectators from Dallas, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls. A free barbecue was served to everyone at noon, and a rodeo, buffalo hunt and many other features furnished entertainment for the thousands of people during the afternoon.

## Motorists Must Heed Traffic Stop Signs

City Marshal W. E. Welsh has been busy the past few days acquiring motorists with the new stop signs which have been placed at four corners leading to the public square.

An ordinance providing for the stop signs and regulating traffic was passed by the City Council at its last meeting and a penalty is provided for violation of the ordinance. According to the provisions of the ordinance, it becomes effective from and after its passage and publication, and motorists who do not heed the signs will be subject to a penalty of from \$1.00 to \$5.00. Publication of the ordinance is being made this week, and City Marshal Welsh states that beginning Friday of this week, the penalties will be assessed against motorists disregarding the signs.

## REPUBLICANS HOLD COUNTY CONVENTION

The Republican County Convention was held in the directors room of the Farmers State Bank Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. B. Cox was elected chairman of the convention, and Jas. E. Lindsey of Rule secretary. Delegates to the State Convention were instructed for Herbert Hoover for president and R. B. Creager of Brownsville for National Committeeman. Haskell county will have one vote in the State Republican Convention, which meets in Dallas May 22nd, and Messrs. B. Cox, G. R. Forrester, Wallace Cox of this city, and Jas. E. Lindsey were elected as delegates to the convention.

## SWEET HOME BAPTISTS OBSERVE B. O. H. DAY

Buckner Orphans Home Day was observed at the Sweet Home Baptist Church last Sunday May 6th, a large congregation was present and a splendid offering was taken. Six years ago this church set apart the First Sunday in May of each year to be known in that section as Buckner's Orphan Home Day and also a special invitation was extended to Dr. R. C. Pender of Abilene, representative of the home to be at every service and in connection is called Pender Day also. The services continued throughout the day with lunch at noon. The afternoon was given to the Simmons Volunteer Band. The services began at 10 a. m. with an excellent Sunday School with good attendance in all departments. After the Sunday School Dr. Pender arrived and preached the sermon at the 11 o'clock hour and more than \$200.00 was subscribed for the home in cash, besides four new quilts which the W. M. U. is making and will send to the home. A bountiful lunch was served to all at the noon hour which had been specially prepared by the ladies of the Sweet Home community and all present were given plenty to eat.

## Father of Mrs. Mack Martin Buried at Anson

Mr. George H. Baker of Anson, after an illness of only a few days, died suddenly at his home last Thursday and was laid to rest in the Anson Cemetery. Mr. Baker was the father of Mrs. Mack Martin of our city, and deepest sympathy of all is extended to her in this dark hour. The deceased is survived by his wife and four daughters and three sons.

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## COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION HELD

The Democrats of Haskell County assembled Tuesday, May 8th, in convention, which was called to order by Hermann Weimert, Chairman of the Democratic Executive committee.

The Convention was organized by the election of Hermann Weimert as chairman of the convention and John A. Couch, Secretary.

A motion, carried for the appointment of a committee of five to draw up resolutions to be presented to the convention. The chair was also appointed to appoint a credentials committee of five.

P. H. Sanders, Jas. P. Kinard, C. A. Delaney, L. B. Smallwood and A. B. Carothers were appointed as the committee on resolutions.

Credentials committee appointed were as follows: T. C. Cahill, C. B. Breedlove, Frank Piles, J. A. Gilstrap and Edwin Barton.

Provision Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 17 and 21 were the only precincts in the county to hold precinct conventions, the duly accredited delegates from the respective precincts were present at the convention.

The report of both the resolutions and credentials committee were adopted.

The following delegates were elected to the State Convention at Beaumont on May the 22nd: Clyde Grissom, Jas. A. Couch, J. L. Southern, L. D. Ratliff, C. B. Breedlove, J. N. Alvis, L. B. Smallwood, C. T. Ball, J. W. Adcock, T. C. Cahill, L. L. Chamberlain, P. D. Sanders, H. R. Jones, J. C. Parks, J. W. Coates, E. L. Kidding, Isom Loe, C. E. Orton, Hermann Weimert, O. E. Patterson, A. B. Carothers, Tom Davis.

Among the resolutions adopted was one denouncing the Republican party for bribery, graft and corruption in office, declaring unequivocally for the endorsement and enforcement of the prohibition laws of the United States and delegates to the State convention were instructed to vote for resolutions favoring such a plank. Delegates to the State Convention were also instructed to vote as a unit on all questions in accordance with the resolutions adopted, and to vote as a unit for Dan Moody as a delegate at large to the National Democratic Convention.

It was further resolved that no one could participate in the County Convention who did not state that "I am a Democrat and agree to support the nominees of the Democratic party."

## BUSINESS MEN OF RULE PLAN GOOD-WILL TOUR

As has been the custom for a number of years the merchants and business men of Rule are planning to make a good-will tour in the near future. These good-will tours will take in the nearby towns, all communities in the county that are in Rule's trade territory. Since the first good-will tour made by the Rule business men these tours have met with a hearty response from the communities, as well as the neighboring towns. Rule has grown within the past few years from a small town of 800 population to a bustling little city of 2400 population.

## STAMPS MUSIC SCHOOL AT KNOX CITY JUNE 4th

Monday night June 4th the V. O. Stamps Music School will begin its term of three weeks at Knox City. This promises to be a great music school and it is thought that many pupils from other communities will attend. Mr. Stamps closed a successful school at O'Brien a few weeks ago and the Knox City school is the result of the success of the O'Brien school.

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