



# Rural Community News Items

## GAUNTT

Mr. John Wheeler reports that Mr. Frank Wheeler and Mr. Pat Lewis of McKinney, Texas, visited Old Contry Wheeler last week, of the Gauntt community and they surely do like fried chicken.

Mrs. Deannie Hudspeth of Rochester is spending this week with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Snowden.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill vestal of Sherman spent a part of last week with the latters sister, Mrs. Jess Miller. They were accompanied by Mrs. Vestal's brother, Dutch Moore who has been visiting in this community the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Culppepper of Tanner Paint spent Sunday in the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Bob Spurlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carrigan and Mr. J. A. Carrigan of Rose spent Sunday in the W. E. Fowler home.

Miss Oca Turnbow spent a week with Mrs. Moore of Ballew community.

Mrs. Herbert Foster is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Pace of Knox City.

Miss Coline Wheeler spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Milton Walker of Pleasant Valley.

We are sorry to report Mr. Melvin Miller was on the sick list last week.

Miss Norene Spurin started to school at Rule Monday. We hope she has a successful term.

Mrs. Alford Fowler is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Medford of the Howard community.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thorne have returned home from their vacation spent in East Texas. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Russell's brother, Mr. Henry Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Toke Snowden, Mrs. Geo. and Mrs. Loyd Snowden, and Miss Margie visited Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers of Center Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Wheeler and Mr. Frank Wheeler spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker of Pleasant Valley.

## SAYLES

Mrs. Ella Adams and children of Bomarton and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Arthur of Woodson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Eastertling.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harris Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Harris and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Harris and son, Mrs. H. E. Melton, also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman and children of Haskell.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Mrs. M. H. Harris spent Thursday with Mrs. Johnson's mother of Rule.

Mrs. Ruth Draper spent last week with Mrs. Davis of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Guinn and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Harris Saturday evening.

Woody Roberts of Haskell is visiting his sister, Mrs. Leonard Banks.

Mrs. E. A. Fouts is visiting in Haskell.

Mr. Joe Grametbauer and family called on his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Harris Friday evening.

Arthur Pouts of Rule was in this community on business Friday afternoon.

## BUNKER HILL

Sunday School was well attended Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Boedeker have returned home after spending several days with relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton are the proud parents of a big boy born August 15th.

Miss Ruth Paddy of Luaders spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Turman.

Misses Minnie and Tilda Schluter of Ft. Worth returned home Friday.

The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bon Johnson Saturday evening was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams of Rochester visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knippling Sunday.

Mrs. Rogan Bell and little son of Rusk spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Cornelius.

Miss Bessie Mae Chatwell spent the weekend with her sister Mrs. J. A. Williams of Rochester.

The people of this community sure would be glad to see a good rain fall as we are needing rain on

## FLAT TOP

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Morgan visited at Stamford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schroeder and daughters of Albany spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schroeder and children.

Cecil Baumbach, who for some time has been visiting his sister, at Taylor returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nienast and children of Bunkerhill were visitors in the August Stremmel home, Sunday afternoon.

The party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baumbach and family Sunday evening was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thane were guest at the home of Mr. Thane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thane and daughters at Stamford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nienast and children of Sagerton, visited Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Teichelman and family.

Miss Christina Ender spent Saturday night and Sunday with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. August Ender, Jr.

Misses Lurline Dipple and Alora Lammert were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baumbach and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ender and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer and children and Miss Frances Pesch were visitors in the Albert Stremmel home Saturday evening.

## SAGERTON

Mrs. E. D. Engleman, and Miss Ann Smith, attended the Baptist meeting at Center Point.

Mrs. Engleman taught school there the past term, and will teach there again for the 1931-32 term.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gibson and family of Rochester spent last Sunday here visiting her mother.

A number of people from Sagerton attended the meeting at Stamford, Friday night.

Mr. R. H. Horne of Lorenzo came Saturday after his wife, who has been here visiting the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LePeters, along with a group of young people took their niece, Pauline LaPeters to Abilene last Sunday to meet her uncle there. They carried a picnic dinner and report having a most wonderful time on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Poird and daughter, have been stationed at another place as foreman on the Santa Fe Rail Road. We wish them good luck in their new location.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Curtis and son I. W. Curtis, with their grandson Malcome Curtis, of Hillsboro, Texas visited Mrs. Curtis' brother, G. A. Lambert and family the past few days.

Mrs. Price Martin organized a Junior Epworth League here last Sunday. All Juniors are invited to join this happy band.

The Laughlin brothers with their families visited their father and mother of Rule last Sunday. It was Mr. Laughlin's birthday.

Mrs. D. C. McMillian of Farwell, Texas with her children have come to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King of Tanner Paint. Her many friends are glad to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Massia and baby spent last Sunday in Catoe visiting their aunt.

Miss Wynne Ross of Dallas spent the past week here visiting her parents. Miss Wynne works for the Y. M. C. A. there and is well known here, her friends were glad to see her again.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lee and little daughter of Spur visited friends here last week.

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F. L. Daugherty

Mrs. Frank Batson and little daughter with her mother Mrs. Joe Smith visited in Stamford last Monday in the home of Mrs. M. D. Smith.

There was a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sims Saturday night. Quite a number attended. All report a good time.

Miss Rebecca Smith visited friends in Rochester Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark are spending the week-end in Rochester with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gibson and family.

The Baptist meeting is now going on. Every one is invited to come.

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## ROBERTS

Most of the farmers of this place are busy heading maize.

Charlie Redwine was a noon hour guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewellen Sunday.

Johnnie Vee Tucker of Rule spent Tuesday night with Lois Mapes of this place.

Rev. J. Hardesty and Rev. J. E. Tucker, who have been holding a Revival Meeting at this place, and J. A. Mapes of this place went to Abilene Thursday and were accompanied home by the former's wife, who stayed the remainder of the meeting.

The Revival Meeting closed Sunday morning with one addition to the church.

Jennie Tucker of Rule spent Tuesday night with Dorothy Nell Lewellen.

Flossie Mae Sullivan who has been visiting in this place for some time has returned to her home in Glen Rose.

Bill Hudson of Rochester spent the latter part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stanford of this place.

Mr. Frank Burgess of Carlton, Texas has been visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Clyde Pace of O'Brien spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mapes of this place.

Bernice Tucker of Rule spent Saturday night with J. L. Mapes of this place.

Rev. J. E. Tucker who has been in the Revival Meeting here was accompanied home by Flossie Mae Sullivan and Dorothy Nell Lewellen, Tuesday afternoon.

Ruby Lilly Densmore of Howard spent last week with her sister Mrs. Marvin Wheatley of this place.

Arlene Mapes had the following guests Sunday, Bernice, Jennie, Winston and Johnnie Vee Tucker of Rule; J. L. and Lois Mapes and Emmett Couch, Jr.

Lillian Lewellen who is working in Haskell spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lewellen.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Tucker and two little sons, Melvin and J. E. Jr. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mapes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Fry of Haskell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanford of this place.

Mrs. C. A. Lewellen and son Hugh Alton and Eufaula Stanford of this place spent Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hudson of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards of

## Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Haskell.

Notice is Hereby Given That by virtue of a certain Execution (Alias) issued out of the Honorable County Court of Haskell County, of the 9th day of July 1931, by Jason W. Smith, Clerk of said County Court for the sum of \$635.40 and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Mays Dry Goods Company, a private corporation in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1867 and styled Mays Dry Goods Company, a private corporation vs. I. S. Grindstaff and E. M. Grindstaff, placed in my hands for service, I, W. T. Sarrels as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 18th day of July 1931, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being 120 acres of land off of the North side of the N. E. 14 of Section No. 35, Block No. 1 of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey in Haskell County, Texas, being part of the same land deeded to I. S. Grindstaff by Jno. R. Evans and wife on the 6th day of December, 1916, by their deed recorded in Vol. 65, page 315 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, reference to which is hereby made, and also being the same land deeded to I. S. Grindstaff Jr., by I. S. Grindstaff and wife, by deed dated May 1st, 1931, and recorded in Vol. 181, page 191-192 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, to which reference is hereby made. And levied upon as the property of I. S. Grindstaff and pointed out to me as belonging to the defendant, I, S. Grindstaff and levied upon as the property of I. S. Grindstaff and that on the first Tuesday in September 1931, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, proceeded to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand all the right title and interest which Allen White had on the 30th day of July A. D. 1931 or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

200 acres of land out of Section 51, in Block No. 1 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Sur. land in Haskell County Texas, Cert. No. 946, Abst. No. 211, Patent No. 397, Vol. 77, described as follows:

Beginning at stake in W. B. Line Sec. 51, Block No. 1 of H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, for the S. W. Cor. of 303 acre tract off of the N. W. End of this survey for the N. W. Cor. of this tract; Thence S 75° 12' Vrs. to the S. W. Cor. of this Survey; Thence 1493 Vrs. to the S. E. Cor. of this tract and the S. E. Cor. of the 303 acre tract off of this section; Thence W 1493 Vrs. to the place of beginning; said property being levied on as the property of Allen White to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$56.35, in favor of A. J. Smith Jr. and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July A. D. 1931.

W. T. Sarrels, Sheriff Haskell County, Texas.

By Hettie Williams, Deputy.

## Notice of Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable J. P. Pre. 1 Court of Jones County, on the 8th day of July A. D. 1931, in the case of A. J. Smith Jr. versus P. J. Kelley and Allen White No. 2408, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied, upon this 30th day of July A. D. 1931, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the first Tuesday in Sept. A. D. 1931, it being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand all the right title and interest which Allen White had on the 30th day of July A. D. 1931 or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at stake in W. B. Line Sec. 51, Block No. 1 of H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, for the S. W. Cor. of 303 acre tract off of the N. W. End of this survey for the N. W. Cor. of this tract; Thence S 75° 12' Vrs. to the S. W. Cor. of this Survey; Thence 1493 Vrs. to the S. E. Cor. of this tract and the S. E. Cor. of the 303 acre tract off of this section; Thence W 1493 Vrs. to the place of beginning; said property being levied on as the property of Allen White to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$56.35, in favor of A. J. Smith Jr. and cost of suit.

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W. H. McCANDLESS, Secy-Treas., Rule, Texas

## WARNING!

We wish to call the attention of all persons to the fact that anyone entering upon the premises of the courthouse, where construction work is under way, between the hours of 6 o'clock p. m. and 7 o'clock a. m., is guilty of trespassing. Parents are warned that it is extremely dangerous for children to play in and around the premises; and it is especially hazardous after nightfall, when no one connected with the construction work is present. Parents are urged to impress upon their children the dangers involved in entering upon the premises at any time, in order that possible injuries or property damage may be avoided.

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**F. L. Daugherty**

# NEWS FROM OVER WEST TEXAS

THE HASKELL FREE PRESS

Haskell, Texas, Thurs. Aug. 27, 1936

## Rule Oil Mill To Be Rebuilt

From the Rule Review.  
It is with a spirit of appreciation that we learn of the decision of the Rule Cotton Oil Mill to rebuild in Rule. The main part of this institution, as you remember, was destroyed by fire several weeks ago.

The Rule Cotton Oil Mill is one of the pioneer business firms of this city, coming here when our town was in its infancy. Throughout the years it has meant much in a financial way, as the annual payroll runs something over \$27,000.00.

The tonnage by rail road and by trucks of cotton seed runs up into thousands of tons. This gives employment to a number of truckmen as well as tonnage to the railroad on the cottonseed shipped in and the manufactured products shipped out.

## Stamford Store Holds Customer With a Shot Gun.

From the Stamford American.  
Business picked up at the Bryant-Link store early Wednesday morning! Joel Johnson, manager of the men's department, had just opened the doors when two negro customers entered. One wanted to see a pair of shoes and while Mr. Johnson was trying to fit him up, the other colored man "waited on himself" for three pairs of pants, placing them in a box which he carried under his arm.

Being curious to know what was in the box, Mr. Johnson opened the lid. The negro started away, leaving box and pants, but Johnson grabbed him by the arm with one hand and picked up a hat stretcher, the only available weapon.

The negro drew a long knife from his pocket but was unable to open it as Johnson held the other hand. Johnson called to Earl Keese in the hardware department, who appeared on the scene with a shot-gun and Swenson Davis arrived and called the police.

Chief G. G. Flournoy came for the prisoner and smiled broadly when he recognized a familiar face. The colored man and the chief had met many times before and the negro was soon back in his old boarding place, the city jail.

The other negro who had wanted the pair of shoes walked away during the excitement and failed to return for the new "kicks" which he had asked Mr. Johnson to "put away for him until the bank opened."

## Rochester Man Injured In Car Wreck.

Rochester Reporter.  
Mr. C. C. Palmer of Weinert sustained serious injuries in an auto wreck at Haskell a few days ago. He was taken to the Stamford sanitarium and given medical attention and we are advised has been brought home. Mr. Palmer is well known in Rochester, having had a position with Mr. Dick Mullin in his barber shop some time ago, and has many friends here who trust that the injuries will not prove as serious as first reported and he will soon be up and going about again.

## Peducak Man Killed by Nephew.

From the Peducak Post.  
C. C. Wilks, who lived about three miles east of town, was killed Tuesday afternoon, between 3 and 4 o'clock. Following are the reported facts in the case:

Wilks was shot by a man named George Clark, who is a nephew. A shot gun was used by Clark. Wilks was shot in the face, part of his teeth being shot away; his nose being badly injured; one eye was said to have been shot out, and the other one injured; several shot striking in the forehead. It was said that the upper part of both shoulders received a portion of the load from the shell.

Immediately after the shooting Elmer Clark, a brother of George, came to town and notified Sheriff Payne, who went to the scene of the trouble. The wounded man was brought to the hospital, but died shortly after being brought there.

The report gave it that the shooting occurred in a lot on the premises of Elmer and George Clark, whose place is close to that of Wilks. It was said a pistol was found beside Wilks.

So far as known there were no witnesses to the affair. There is no known fact that the men had a quarrel previous to the shooting, or that there was any kind of trouble between them at this time other than the shooting itself.

Clark was brought to town by Sheriff Payne, and his examining trial had shortly afterward. Bond was set at \$2,000 by Justice of the

Peace Crump, which was made. Both men were well known in Cottle County, having lived here several years. Wilks leaves a wife and several children. Clark is a single man, living with his brother and father.

## OUT OF GAS! GOT A FLAT! PHONE 294

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## Request Telephone Rate Reduction.

From Baylor County Banner.  
At a meeting of Chamber of Commerce directors Tuesday morning a committee was appointed to draft a request to the telephone company for a reduction of rates.

The matter of gas rates was also taken up, but as an investigation as to these rates had already been started some time ago by the city council, no action was taken by the directors.

## Snyder Man Dies As Result of Gunshot Wounds.

From the Scurry County Times.  
R. W. Milhollen, 55 years old, died Saturday morning at the family residence in the Strayhorn community, southwest of Snyder. Death resulted 40 minutes after a charge from a shotgun entered the man's head, part of the brain being torn from his skull. Verdict of suicide was rendered by Dave Nation, justice of the peace, following an inquest held Saturday morning at the home. Financial reverses was given as the cause of the act.

## Stamford Jewelry Store Looted Sunday.

From the Stamford Leader.  
The jewelry store of R. H. Dobyns was burglarized here Sunday night at some hour of the night. The thieves got in their work by smashing out a corner of the plate glass, when they thrust in their hands and took three watches that had been overlooked when Dobyns was putting away his stock in the safe. There is not the slightest clue as to the thieves, so G. G. Flournoy,

## Chief of Police, informs us.

This is one of the boldest robberies we have heard of for some time, as the marauders stood in the electric light and let go a missile that smashed the window with the above results.

## Refinery Being Built In Stamford.

From Stamford Leader.  
One of the things to come Stamford's way is a refinery for gasoline. The building is located near the viaduct on the Abilene-Anson road and will soon be in operation. This refinery is the property of L. D. Prewitt, who owns a similar place in Abilene. We learn the business will start right up as soon as the machinery can be placed in position, which will be about September 1.

## Thus Does Another Man Show Faith in Stamford.

## Merkel Gets First Sale Last Week.

From the Merkel Mail.  
Merkel's first bale of cotton for the 1931 season arrived Wednesday. It was raised by Dee Teaff on his farm southeast of Merkel and was ginned at the E. P. Hamm gin.

The weight of this bale was only 432 pounds. It was classed as middling and was bought by George F. West at six cents per pound, about half a cent above the market price.

## Flour Mill Will Begin Operation About Sept. 1st.

From the Munday Times.  
After being closed down for several years the Munday flour mill will again be put into operation about September 1st. This was assured this week when Jack Mayes and Lyle Stodghill took over the property and announced that work would start immediately upon repairing the machinery preparatory to operating it. The mill will operate on a toll basis and farmers who have wheat, which is now selling at a very low price, may exchange it for flour on a basis that will give them a much better return for their wheat.

The corn mill and elevator were taken over some weeks ago by Jack Mayes, who has been operating this branch of the business, and it is gratifying to learn that the entire mill will be put into operation and an excellent grade of flour manufactured here.

Misses Imogene and Evelyn Rousseau have returned from Mineral Wells where they spent the past two weeks with their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Oxford.

## Man Reports Loss of \$2,000.00 and Car Friday Night.

From the Western Enterprise, Anson.  
W. M. Groom, for years a resident of Nugent, reported the loss of his 1926 Chevrolet car and \$2,000 in cash from his home last Friday night.

Mr. Groom was in town Wednesday, when he stated that he had no trace of the stolen goods. The money was all he had, he states. The money, in \$5.00, \$10.00 and \$20 bills, was in a suit case. He says no one knew where the money was kept.

## Stolen Hat Used by Youth to Nail Its Owner for Car Ride.

From the Foard County News.  
O. E. Connell of the Foard City community had the experience Monday of seeing a young man using his own hat to hail him for a ride near the bridge crossing on Wichita River.

After discovering that clothing had been stolen from his home Mr. Connell, in company with E. V. Halbert, followed clues which led them to the Wichita River, several miles from his home and near which point two young men were seen walking along the highway, one of whom was waving the stolen hat.

The young men admitted the robbery and after the clothing was recovered it was decided to let them go.

## More Fish Arranged For to Stock Benjamin Lake.

From Benjamin Post.  
Arrangements are being made by City Secretary Leroy Melton with Commission for more fish with which to stock the Benjamin Lake. The order includes bass, crappie, blue bream and goggle eyed perch. Delivery of the fish will probably be made in the latter part of Oct. or the first part of Nov. The lake was stocked with black bass and crappie about two years ago and there is now some very good fish in the lake as will be attested by many of the local anglers. It is the aim of the City Council to make the Lake a real fishing place which will be taken over for the people of this section and they are well on their way toward accomplishing their purpose.

## DeLeon Child Run Over By Car.

From the DeLeon Free Press.  
An unfortunate mishap occurred in the principal street of this city Saturday afternoon when the little 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

J. R. Treadway, residing some five miles east of town, was run over by an automobile. The child had gotten out of a car which was parked in the middle of the street about even with Howell and Dabney stores, and had started to walk across the driveway to the sidewalk. Elmer Timmons, local young man, came by just then a Chevrolet sedan and the child stepped in front of the machine and was knocked down, both wheels passing over the body, it was reported. The child was hurried to the office of a local physician where first aid was given. She was unconscious for about an hour. She will painfully bruised but will recover.

Timmons was reported driving at a very reasonable rate of speed and those who saw the accident are not inclined to blame him for it.

Rev. E. Gaston Foote left Monday for Wellington where he will hold a revival meeting this week. He will return home the latter part of this week.

Miss Marie Piland of Lubbock is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Jeter and Mrs. Parsons.

Edwin Parsons has returned home after spending the week-end with his uncle Mr. G. W. Piland and family.

## Fifty-Fifty

He: "Mabel says she thinks I'm a wit."  
She: "Well, she's half right."

"How come you always carry that satchel with you?"  
"I'm in the secret service now. I'm a bootlegger!"

"Ha," cried the doctor, on seeing his patient, "you're looking much better. Have you been following my instructions, and eating only what a three-year-old child would eat?"

"Yes, doctor," was the sad reply. "I've eaten mud, coal dust, a button hook, and heaps of matches."

"Why does a red-headed girl always marry a quiet fellow?"  
"She doesn't. He just gets like that."

## Nose Trouble

"A sharp nose indicates curiosity," says a critic. A flattened nose often indicates too much curiosity.

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# SOCIETY and Club

### Family Reunion.

On Sunday August 23, the children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of Mrs. L. A. Bolles celebrated her seventy-eighth birthday with a reunion on Paint Creek north of Stamford. These relatives all gathered about 10 a. m. and spent a very enjoyable morning, this being the first time in many years that they had all been together. Each family contributed a well filled basket of delicious food to the bountiful feast which was spread at the noon hour. At this time the honoree was presented with many beautiful and useful gifts. Later the relatives departed after each had expressed their desire to make this an annual affair. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Owens and family, Hedley, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Archer and family, Anson; Mrs. Bell and children, Alarred, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sego and family; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sego and family; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Oates and son; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brite and daughter, all of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lees and daughter, Throckmorton; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wheeler and family, Rule; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sego, Rochester; Cassie, J. W. and Harley Bolles, Anson; and the honoree, Mrs. L. A. Bolles of Haskell.

### Baptist W. M. S.

The Baptist W. M. S. met at the church Monday, August 17, with twenty-two women present. Opening Song—"Wonderful Words of Life." Reading of the 119th Psalm and prayer—Mrs. R. J. Paxton. Song—"Thy Word Have I Hid In My Heart"—Mrs. Whiteaker and Mrs. D. Scott. Mrs. Whiteaker conducted the Royal Service program. Topic—"Adventuring With the Gospel in South America"—Mrs. Whiteaker. "The Other America"—Mrs. Whiteaker. "After Fifty Years"—Mrs. Brooks. Song—"The Morning Light Is Breaking." "Adventuring With The Word"—Mrs. Cate. "Adventuring With The W. M. U."—Mrs. Trice. "Adventuring With 'Schools'"—Mrs. Lamkin. "Adventuring With The Printed Page"—Mrs. Glenn. "The Adventures of a Bible"—Mrs. Burton. "The Adventures of a Missionary Ford"—Mrs. Scott. A reading by Lois Fouts and Norma Ann Gilstrap. Prayer—Mrs. R. C. Couch. A business session followed.

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### Love Party in Compliment To Mrs. Frank Draper.

Many friends of Mrs. Frank Draper were guests for a love shower Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. E. Davis with Mrs. J. A. Shriver associate hostess. Guests had assembled before the arrival of the honoree, and as she entered the home, games were started. Mrs. Eugene Hunter gave the much enjoyed musical programme. Contests were held with much merriment, the booby prize awarded to Mrs. Henry Ballard and the grand prize to Mrs. Frank Draper. Ice cream and cake was served.

The following friends registered: Mesdames W. E. Woodson, O. O. Akins, Jesse Smith, Thos. L. Ballard, H. S. Gibson, T. E. Ballard, Clarence Pyeatt, Edwin Pope, Eugene Hunter, A. J. Sego, R. C. Gannaway, Mother Gannaway, L. T. Newsom, R. L. Foote, Tom Goodwin, M. D. Crow of Lubbock, Virgil Bailey, J. A. Shriver, Henry Ballard, Misses Lucile and Eleanor Foote and Nadine and Lyle Newsome; honoree, Mrs. Frank Draper; and hostess, Mrs. G. E. Davis.

### Thursday Luncheon Club.

The Thursday Luncheon Club met with Mrs. R. J. Paxton. About 12:30 luncheon was served to eight members and four visitors. Those present were: Mesdames O. E. Patterson, R. J. Reynolds, B. M. Whiteaker, R. C. Couch, J. A. Couch, T. J. Arbuckle, P. L. Daugherty and the hostess and visitors, Mrs. Ethel Banister of Evansville, Ind., Mrs. J. M. Diggs, Mrs. C. H. P'Pool and Miss Lucy P'Pool. "84" was the diversion of the afternoon.

### Gypsy Ramblers, Ho!

Tuesday afternoon at six o'clock, the Gypsy Ramblers met in the home of Mrs. Geo. V. Wimbish and elected officers for the coming year. They were as follows: President—Margaret Richey. Vice-President—Norma Ann Gilstrap. Secretary—Lois Fouts. Treasurer—Mary Frances Collier. Sergeant-at-arms—Betty Ann Hancock. Reporter—Lucile Akins. After several new members were voted in, the meeting adjourned. Those present were: Vada Thomas, Janie Lyle Martin, Irene McGregor, Mattie Murel Walling, Gladys Moser, Mary Frances Collier, Lois Fouts, Margaret Richey, Norma Ann Gilstrap, Lucile Akins, and Mrs. Geo. V. Wimbish.

### Watermelon Feast.

The Hi-League of the Methodist Church met Tuesday night for a watermelon feast at the Humble Park. After playing many games iced watermelon was served to: Christine Tucker, Ruth Josselet, Eula Mae Davis, Mildred Grissom, Era and Vera Cass, Anna Belle Stanton, Mary Eleanor Diggs, Ruth Morgan, Jo Marie Chapman, Artie Pippen, Crockett English, S. A. Moser, J. D. Tidwell, J. C. Allen, John Kimbrough, Fred Sanders, Mrs. E. Gaston Foote, and Misses Lucile and Eleanor Foote.

### C. E. Program For August 30.

Leader—Mary Wilson. Topic of Worship: "Reverence When We Hear the Voice of God." Prelude: "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind." Scripture: I John 1:8-9; Isa. 1:18; Rev. 22:17. Prayer: "That We May Be Still and Know That He Is God." Hymn 211. Offering. Topic: "What Is God's Ideal for the World." Leader's Talk. The Ideal of Love—Veima Frierson. The Ideal of Respect of Life and Law—Alta Frierson. An Ideal Press—Mollie Hester. The Economic Order—Eileen Parry. Concluding Talk—Reynolds Wilson. Business. Mizpah.

### Japanese Garden Party.

On last Wednesday evening Miss Lillian Kaigler entertained with five tables of bridge on the lawn of her home. With a back ground of flower beds in full bloom and vines and potted ferns the tables were spaced on the lawn beneath Japanese lanterns that shed a soft light over the setting. Miss Kaigler introduced as honor guest, Miss Lucile Corley of Rochester to Misses Anita Collier, Frances Walling, Annie Maud Taylor, Frances Ratliff, Maurice Eaton, Contine Guest, Wilda Pippen and Felix Mullino, James Mullino, Fred Akin, Bob Herren, Ed Hester, Robert Sego, Doyle Eastland, Vernon Stoker, Rogers Gilstrap and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arbuckle. The hostess and honoree served a delicious salad plate and iced tea carrying out the color scheme of green and orange.

### Surprise Birthday Party.

Misses Hazel Wilson and Marguerite McCollum assisted Mrs. Frank Davis in entertaining with a lovely lawn party honoring the birthday of Miss Aletha Fay Davis at her home last Friday evening. Miss Davis was out of town and did not know of the affair until she was sent for and when she reached home the party was on. Many lovely gifts were left for the honoree by the guests. Six tables of bridge were enjoyed by Misses Lucile Corley of Rochester, Lillian Kaigler, Wilda Pippen, Louise Warren, Frances Ratliff, Kate Darnell, Maurice Eaton and Bates Thornton, Clarence Whiteaker, James Mullino, Felix Mullino, Robert Sego, Ed Hester, Doyle Eastland, Fred Akins, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arbuckle, the honoree and hostesses. Combination salad, sandwiches, pickles and iced tea were served by Miss Eula May Davis and Ruth Josselet.

### League News.

Even though most of the boys were crippled everyone had a fine time at the business meeting of the Senior League Wednesday night. The business session was held at the West Texas Utilities Park. The budget of the league for the year was adopted and ways and means for going to Rule Thursday were discussed. The fourth department won the watermelon for record attendance, but most of the fourth department didn't see that watermelon. After all the business had been discussed the Midnight Serenaders started forth to sing for people who had never heard real singing before. Someone appreciated the fine singing so much that they handed us a lot of cold water. With dampened hair and clothing but not dampened in spirit we set out again to find more amusement. After singing until thoroughly convinced

that everyone in town was awake we started for home.

### MUSIC SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER 7TH.

For High School Students, the Progressive Series offers the only Standardized Course of grading in America. Credits given the Progressive Series Pupils are recognized in any Conservatory in the United States.

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Mrs. Geo. H. Morrison, Itc

### How To Watch a Ball Game.

The Methodist girls baseball team can give good lessons on this subject.

The team walked to Rule last Thursday for the purpose of watching a game. They started from Haskell at 8:30 and arrived at Rule at 10:15. The team didn't have enough walking so they walked on to Rochester. At 11:15 they were buying an ice cold watermelon in Mr. Hunt's store at Rochester.

They started back at 12:35 and hung a ride into Haskell at 2:30. A thirsty baseball team stopped at Mrs. Foote's.

They haven't decided whether to skate to Stamford or not. Games were matched at both places. The team will play Rule, Thursday and Rochester Friday of this week.

### Intermediate Study Club.

Members of the Intermediate Study Club met Tuesday evening at eight o'clock in the last lesson of the summer, "Calvary and After," was the subject of the program. A very impressive part of the program was the singing of the hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross," while the lights were turned out and candles were lighted. This was followed by sentence prayers. After the lesson, and a special song, "Love, Led Him To Calvary," the program was concluded with the singing of the hymn, "The Cross Is Not Greater."

We have had some very interesting meetings during the summer, and we regret to close our Study Club now, but after considering the many school problems which we are entering into, it was decided to close the Study Club during the school term.

All members of this Club will meet at the Humble Park Friday evening at eight o'clock for their picnic. Any pupil who has attended just one time, is invited, as this is for the Intermediate pupils only, and those who have attended the meetings as much as one time.

Those who have not paid your dime for the expense of the picnic, will please pay it to Fred Sanders, Jr. or Mrs. Frank Williams, either on or before Friday evening.

All members are urged to be present at the picnic as we are planning a wonderful time.

—Reporter.

About this time of year a person begins to wonder if he'll be able to survive the annual round of family reunions.

Some young men seem to think that their financial rating depends upon the expensiveness of their cigarette lighter.

Every once in a while a fellow gets up feeling like a treasury surplus and goes to bed feeling like a big navy man's description of the fleet.

### Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable J. P. Pre. 1 Court of Jones County, on the 8th day of July A. D. 1931, in the case of A. J. Smith Jr. versus P. J. Kelley and Allen White No. 2408, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied, upon this 30th day of July A. D. 1931, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the first Tuesday in Sept. A. D. 1931, it being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand all the right title and interest which Allen White had on the 30th day of July A. D. 1931 or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

200 acres of land out of Section 31, in Block No. 1 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Sur. land in Haskell County Texas, Cert. No. 946, Abst. No. 211, Patent No. 397, Vol. 77, described as follows:

Beginning at stake in W. B. Line Sec. 31, Block No. 1 of H. & T. C. Ry. Co. land, for the the S. W. Cor. of 303 acre tract off of the N. End of this survey for the N. W. Cor. of this tract; Thence S 75° 12' Vrs. to the S. W. Cor. of this Survey; Thence 1493 Vrs. to the S. E. Cor. of this Survey; Thence N. 75° 12' Vrs. to a stake for the N. E. Cor. of this tract and the S. E.

Cor. of the 303 acre tract off of this section; Thence W. 1493 Vrs. to the place of beginning; said property being levied on as the property of Allen White to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$36.35, in favor of A. J. Smith Jr. and cost of suit. Given under my hand this 30th day of July A. D. 1931. W. T. Sarrels, Sheriff Haskell County, Texas. By Hettie Williams, Deputy

## DEWITT SCHOOL OF MUSIC OPENS SEPT. 7

Miss Edythe De Witt is expected to arrive Sunday, August 30th, to resume her teaching duties of DeWitt School of Music, which was opened last year.

Miss DeWitt has employed two other teachers for coming year, making her teaching faculty composed of 3 teachers; Miss Cannon, who will have charge of the Expression Department; Miss Rosseau, Voice and Class Work; Miss De Witt, Piano and Director of School.

Miss Cannon is a graduate of Miss Cokes School of Expression of Dallas, Texas, and has done finishing work in New York and Boston. She is a very interesting reader as well as a most successful teacher. She teaches the very best methods in such an attractive way, including; Story Telling, Drama, Pantomime, Effective Speaking and Physical Education.

Miss Rosseau is a graduate of Kidd Key Conservatory of Music in both voice and piano, and has done finishing work in Cincinnati, Ohio and Chicago. Miss Rosseau is quite popular over the State as a soloist and is an experienced teacher of private schools.

By having these teachers employed, Miss DeWitt will give lessons in all three departments for the price of one. Pupils having private piano lessons may have lessons in voice and expression free of charge. Pupils in expression may have voice and music free, and voice pupils may have music and expression free. There will also be free classes in hymn playing, choir conducting, directing, composition and accompanying, besides clubs for harmonica and ukulele. A complete musical education for \$5.00 a month.

Since adding these graduated teachers to the faculty the DeWitt School of Music has become affiliated with any Conservatory of Music in the United States. Thus enabling their pupils to enter Conservatory without any form of entrance examinations. This unusual advantage proves of most interest to high school pupils.

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# Rural Community News Items

## Center Point

Health of this community is good. Mrs. Bryant Bristow and son of her spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morgan. F. C. Patterson and wife spent Sunday with their son Frank Patterson at Rose. Mr. Fred Morgan visited relatives near Spur last week. Mrs. R. J. Moore and children of Wehita Falls returned home last Friday after visiting relatives here several days. Miss Ruby Stodghill of Cottonwood is spending this week with her parents. Tony Patterson and family spent Sunday with Clifford Rose and family of Rose. Mrs. W. T. Morgan is on the sick list. Mrs. Buck and Horace Bland are pleasant callers in Haskell every night. Center Point H. D. Club will meet at Mrs. Ethel Bird first Thursday in Sept. Every lady has a special invitation to come. Remember Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:30 and be on time. Wallace and Oneta McLennan, Katharine and Oleta Gregory planning to start school at Center Point next Monday. T. Johnson of Big Spring and Mrs. T. J. Johnston of Haskell spent Tuesday with relatives.

WANTED—Two girls to board for school term. For further information see Mrs. J. S. Boone. 2tc.

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**FOR SALE**—Model T. Tudor Ford Sedan, good rubber and in good condition. See W. H. Pearsey, Haskell, Texas. 3tc.

**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the board of trustees of Sagerton Independent School District, in Haskell County, Texas will receive bids for the depository of the funds for said Sagerton Independent School District for the biennium of 1931-33 and will award same at a meeting of the board of trustees Friday August 28, 1931. Said meeting will be held at the school building at Sagerton, Texas.  
G. L. Lambert, Pres.  
J. H. Parsons, Secy. 4tc.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness to us during the illness and death of our darling babe. May God's richest blessings rest upon every one of you.—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chitwood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jetton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Graham.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We take this means of expressing our gratitude to our many friends and neighbors for their many words and acts of kindness and sympathy and the beautiful floral offerings during the illness and at the death of our dear mother and grandmother. May the Lord bless and keep each of you always in our prayer.—Mr. and Mrs. Manley Branch and children; Mrs. D. A. Newland and children; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Branch and children; Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Branch and children; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Branch; Rev. and Mrs. Claude Wingo and children; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thornton and children; Mrs. Era Sanders' children.

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**Sheriff's Sale**  
The State of Texas, County of Haskell. Notice is Hereby Given That by virtue of a certain Execution (Alias) issued out of the Honorable County Court of Haskell County, of the 9th day of July 1931, by Jason W. Smith, Clerk of said County Court for the sum of \$635.40 and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Mays Dry Goods Company, a private corporation in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1867 and styled Mays Dry Goods Company, a private corporation vs. I. S. Grindstaff and E. M. Grindstaff, placed in my hands for service, I, W. T. Sarrels as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 18th day of July 1931, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Haskell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being 120 acres of land off of the North side of the N. E. 1-4 of Section No. 35, Block No. 1 of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey in Haskell County, Texas, being part of the same land deeded to I. S. Grindstaff by Jno. R. Evans and wife on the 6th day of December, 1916, by their deed recorded in Vol. 65, page 315 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, reference to which is hereby made, and also being the same land deeded to I. S. Grindstaff Jr., by I. S. Grindstaff and wife, by deed dated May 1st, 1931, and recorded in Vol. 181, page 191-192 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, to which reference is hereby made. And levied upon as the property of I. S. Grindstaff and pointed out to me as belonging to the defendant, I. S. Grindstaff and levied upon as the property of I. S. Grindstaff and that on the first Tuesday in September 1931, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Haskell County, in the town of Haskell, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said I. S. Grindstaff. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Haskell Free Press, a news paper published in Haskell County. Witness my hand, this 18th day of July 1931.  
W. T. Sarrels, Sheriff  
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Vacation days will soon be over for the millions of boys and girls who have been enjoying a well-earned rest from the complexities of complex fractions and the demerizing effects of decimals.

THE TONIC OF HARD TIMES

It's pretty bitter medicine to take, but it's good for what ails us. A long period of good times leads to extravagance, indifference, laziness, discourtesy, conceit and shiftlessness.

Fortunately, the common sense that is pounded into us by the pain of hard times is worth the loss of income and the readjustment that we are compelled to endure.

IT CAN'T BE DONE

It is said that a fool is born every minute. This time a young man in New Jersey decided to try out the old theory that a lighted match would be extinguished if quickly plunged into gasoline.

Theoretically a lighted match could be extinguished by gasoline if it could be quickly plunged through pure air into the liquid.

As an interesting sidelight of this experiment, The National Board of Fire Underwriters reported a 1929 fire loss of \$15,500,000 caused by petroleum and its products and listed under the heading "Strictly Preventable."

BABSON BULLISH

In a message to the convention of the Advertising Federation of America, Roger Babson shows that he has become definitely bullish.

"The country today is like a man lying on his back. There is only one way that he can look, and that is upward, if he looks honestly and is not 'short' at stocks.

"Therefore, irrespective of what happens to the stock market in the next year, I am willing to stake my reputation, based on thirty years' experience, (1) that business has seen its worst; (2) that although the change will be slow, it will be in the right direction; and (3) that within a reasonable time this country will again enter a period of marked prosperity.

"The old law of action and reaction teaches now that unparalleled prosperity will again follow the present depression. Statistics now indicate that business has seen the worst, even though the recovery will be slow and tedious.

Right About Face at the Fair



Along the Way

Laugh and the world laughs with you. Cry and somebody will go your bond.

What has become of that "day by day things are getting better and better?"

This is the melancholy period of the year for the school kiddies as vacation is nearing an end.

That Lindbergh baby soon will be getting the idea that his dad's a traveling salesman.

They call Oklahoma's Governor "Alfalfa Bill," but he don't let any grass grow under his feet.

"Alfalfa Bill" came into office holding up his pants because he forgot his suspenders, and he's had his hands full ever since.

That snake that threw parts of two states into darkness by crawling across high tension lines certainly got burned up with success.

And then there was the divorced husband of number six who thought that his five precessors didn't understand women.

After listening to various candidates tell what's wrong with their opponents a fellow begins to wonder whether he ought to go and vote at all.

There may not be anything in a name, but what about Captain Hawks?

A lot of men who regard themselves as leaders will follow a golf ball all day long.

We're still watching for the announcement of the first grand-mother flying across.

Makers of limburger cheese say there isn't much demand for that delicacy any more. We never could understand why there ever was any demand.

One of the world's richest perfume manufacturers is said to have started out without a scent.

The prisoner who claims that he's been "framed" generally is the picture of despair.

Beauty contest winners, as a rule, may be found in the third row of the chorus.

Stonewall County Judge Advocates No Cotton be Planted In South in 1932

The recent estimate of the cotton crop together with the large surplus on hand has completely demoralized the price of this year's crop, and unless we get a better price there will be general disruption of and a financial collapse of the cotton industry and all other business connected with it.

The South had become alarmed over the situation and as a result there has been several remedies offered. The latest is to get the farmer to plow up every third row of his cotton. This is a big piece of foolishness and does not meet the approval of any thinking man.

It is my candid opinion the only logical thing to do under present conditions is for the south to prohibit the planting of cotton for the year 1932. Now before you pass judgement on this too quickly hear the argument in favor of this proposed move.

If the south will put a ban on the planting of cotton next year it could and I believe will give us as much as fifteen cents for our cotton this year and save the situation.

There is just one way to get a fair price for cotton and that is to get this enormous surplus out of the way and under the present conditions the only way to do this is to stop raising of cotton for one year.

T. C. CAHILL INSURANCE

Twenty-five years as local agent in Haskell. No desirable risk too large for us to handle. We represent only responsible stock companies through which we write all forms of insurance, bonds and casualty business.

Haskell, Texas. Phone 51

VACATION RATES

The Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, announces very low rates for those who desire a real health vacation. Excellent room with outside exposure, ceiling fans, circulating ice water and private bath as low as \$1.50 per day.

Crazy Water Hotel Company MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS

be impossible for such a move to cause so much distress as to allow it to go on the way it is going at the present time. It is common reason to believe if we can rid the cotton industry of this ruinous surplus it will put confidence and new life in all kinds of business and will enter upon the year of 1932 with a bright future for the southern states otherwise with all due respect to the optimist, I can see no future for our blessed and beloved Southland.

Now to you farmers, bankers, business men and all others depending on a fair price for cotton this year to save your necks and from going to a financial grave, let's get busy and put this thing up to our representatives and ask our Governor to call a special session of the legislature to make a desperate effort to remedy this deplorable condition of the cotton farmers.

Everyone of you that reads this article write me a letter stating your views as I want to know how you stand and I will take this to the proper authorities and do my best to put this thing over.

Leonard Westfall, County Judge of Stonewall County.

A Railroad Accident

Smith: "Have you ever been in a railway accident?"

Jones: "Yes, once when I was in a train and we were going through a tunnel I kissed the father instead of the daughter."

The Funnies

"Any thing new in the comedy section this morning dear?"

"Well, it seems that the latest put the Woop family out in the street; Little Orphan Elsie is brutally treated by her kidnappers; old Grandpa Zowie isn't getting that broken leg very well and Bingle took a turn for the worse last night—she isn't expected to live the Sunday supplement."

"Hand it over, darling—I must have a good cry."

A Modern Man

"I called on Mabel last night. I was hardly more than inside the door before her mother asked my intentions."

"That must have been embarrassing."

"Yes, but that's not the worst of it. Mabel called from upstairs and said: 'That isn't the one, mother!'"

"The time will come," shouted the speaker, "when women will men's wages."

"Yes," said the little man in the corner. "Next Saturday night."

DR. R. L. CARVER

Chiropractic Massage. 10 years experience, 6 years Jones County Graduate. Graduated from College. Located at McHarg, Stamford, Phone 628.

KILLS GOLF Venom Flies Mosq. Advertisement for a golf-related product.

Exercise Economy

By letting us put your clothes in good condition and appearance for future wear. We'll take every atom of grime and dirt out of them. A mighty good investment when the cost is so low.

The Model Tailors DRY CLEANERS AND HATTERS

A GOOD TITLE IS THE FOUNDATION TO YOUR HOME

We specialize in good titles. See us first.

MENEFEE ABSTRACT & TITLE CO. Office in Haskell National Bank Building, Haskell, Texas.

Texas Theatre "Talking Pictures at their Best"

Monday and Tuesday MARION DAVIES in "IT'S A WISE CHILD"

Wednesday and Thursday BETTY COMPSO in "THREE WHO LOVED"

Friday and Saturday KEN MAYNARD in "THE FIGHTING LEGION"

THURSDAY NIGHT IS FAMILY NIGHT \$25.00 in Merchandise Given Away Bring the Whole Family for 25c

TIME—Saturday Matinee 2:30. Night Shows Start at 7:30 o'clock. ADMISSION: Matinee 15c and 25c. Night, 15c, 25c, 35c

Do YOU LET THE 'ROSY' PROMISES OF NEIGHBORING TOWN MERCHANTS BLIND YOU TO THE WELFARE OF YOUR COMMUNITY? Advertisement with illustration of a man holding a sign that says 'NEIGHBORING TOWN MERCHANTS - COMMUNITY INJURY'.

**Plymouth Smashes Round Trip Cross-Continent Record**

A new Plymouth stock sedan driven by L. B. Miller completed the fastest round trip ever made on land across the continent arriving at San Francisco at 5:09 Sunday, August 9th. Total elapsed time 132 hours, 9 minutes. Average speed 47.53 miles per hour for 6,287 miles. Average miles per day 1,140. Trip east 63 hours 33 minutes. Trip west 64 hours, 24 minutes. Best train time 78 hours. Stop in New York 1 hour, 33 minutes. Beats best previous round trip between San Francisco and New York by 35 hours and 50 minutes. Illustration shows official time table recorded by Western Union at every control point. Lower right—Miller and Plymouth at halfway point in New York City. Upper right—first to greet Miller at end of trip his wife. Lower left—Western Union representative putting final check on time table at end of trip.

and Will Hills. The sermon by Bro. Rogers was excellent and his words sank deeply in the hearts of all present.

That servant girl who won a cup in a beauty contest probably will drop it and break it before long.

"Autos Blamed for Missing Persons." They shouldn't be blamed as they probably don't miss them intentionally.

**Classified Ads**

**CREAM WANTED!**

We buy cream every day. Correct test. Highest market price guaranteed. Will be glad to trade you groceries for cream. Lee's Cash Grocery, Haskell, Texas. 4p

FOR RENT—Business Building, near Postoffice, 30x140 feet. Best location in town. See J. L. Baldwin. 2tp

WANTED—Two girls to board for the school term. For further information see Mrs. J. S. Boone. 2tc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Special rates to school teachers and school children. Mrs. B. H. Dodson. 1tc

TRADE—Will trade city property for good used car. C. V. Payne. 2tr

WHITES  
**CREAM**  
VERMIFUGE  
For Expelling Worms  
OATES DRUG STORE

**Haskell County History**

**Twenty Years Ago Today—1911**

Last Tuesday at the home of father W. H. Parsons in this town Miss Fay Parsons was married to H. Garrison of Hollis, Okla. Fredy Grison has returned from St. Louis where he has been for some time purchasing his stock of merchandise for his store.

J. Johnson and G. J. Clough returned from Hubbard City where they have been on business. Wyche who has been working for the Goree Enterprise for a week was in Haskell last week and says that he has accepted a position on the Throckmorton.

R. Couch, Cashier of the Western State Bank and W. A. Bergfield, president were in the city Monday.

and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery returned Sunday from an extended trip in Colorado.

E. Langford has returned from his trip and reports that Mrs. Lang is getting along nicely. She has been operated on for appendicitis.

L. Daugherty has returned from South and East Texas where he has done a good land business. He says that land in South Texas is sold rapidly.

Docia Wynn has returned from Alvin, Galveston and other Texas points where she has been the summer.

H. S. Wilson and children returned from Kentucky where they have been visiting Mrs. Wilson's parents.

Miss Carrie and Francis Sherrill returned Misses Mildred Foster and Miss Jones of Rule.

T. Therwanger of the west returned to the city Thursday and reports that he has cotton that will make a quarter of a bale per acre.

W. Robertson of Robertson Company is in the eastern part of the week purchasing the stock for their firm.

**Forty Years Ago Today—1901**

Laura Garren visited in Haskell Tuesday.

Young folks had a pleasant time at the home of J. F. Pinn Monday night.

Fannie Hudson entertained at the Soci Club Tuesday night. Much left yesterday for Goddard County where he will be school.

H. H. Morrison who has been here for parents here, returned home at Hico this week.

Jones left Tuesday for his home in Schleicher County.

Shook and family have returned to town from their ranch. He is informed that the new school established four miles north of Haskell has been officially named New School and will be designated School No. 2, in District 10.

Scott returned Wednesday from Austin, where under the direction of the Commissioners he arranged for the refunding of the County's bonded indebtedness. The County is now paying 4 per cent interest on some of the bonds and 5 per cent on the remainder. refunding them the interest is reduced to 4 per cent.

Mayor of Lancaster, Texas.

**History**

has bought an interest in the R. H. McGee store and they have entered into full partnership, where they will continue a first class dry goods and grocery business.

Miss Elva Coker has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Posey during the week.

Judge P. D. Sanders went to Austin this week presumably to look after his district lines, which the legislature is threatening to disturb. They are still coming and buying land in Haskell County. Ten or twelve prospectors have bought farm land here this week.

Mr. Price of Abilene has been visiting the family of his relative D. M. Winn of this city.

F. J. Long left Monday for his old home in North Carolina and we hope that he will soon return much improved in health.

Mrs. House, mother of Mrs. M. H. Gossett left Monday for her home in Ellis County.

Mattie Preston and Mrs. Johnson left Friday to visit relatives on Clear Fork.

A. H. Tandy one of our leading stockmen is in Ft. Worth. We hope that he will make a deal while there to move the beef cattle of this county.

**A New Shipment**

— of —

**STAFFORD'S**

**SHOW CARD INKS**  
All Colors

**MUSCILAGE**  
In Handy Ever-Ready Bottles

**STAMP PAD INKS**  
All Colors

**Carbon Paper**

**Typewriter Ribbons**

**Adding Machine Paper**

**Roberts Printing Co.**  
Haskell, Texas



**P.A.-**

*world's greatest tobacco for*

**HOME-ROLLED CIGARETTES**



That's a pretty broad claim, but I stand ready to make good on it. Just get yourself some Prince Albert and the makin's papers. As you open the package, take a deep whiff of that wonderful fragrance. Then go ahead and roll! Now... light up. Cool as a hinge on the ice-house door. Delightful as a dip in the surf. Mild and mellow as can be. You'll say so. And this goes for P.A. in a pipe, too.

**PRINCE ALBERT**

—NO OTHER TOBACCO IS LIKE IT!



—AND HERE'S THE BEST PAPER. A book of the best cigarette papers the world ever produced. Made especially for the O.C.B. by the Overseas Cigarette Company by Robert, France's foremost maker of Great cigarette papers. With a book of 250 leaves of O.C.B. for a shilling and with good old F&W, for 2/6, you've got the greatest cigarette you ever rolled.

AMPLE TIME TO GET GOOD YIELDS FROM FALL GARDENS

There yet remains ample time to plant fall gardens in this section, according to H. K. Henry, agriculture teacher of Haskell High School...

The following suggestions as to planting time of the various vegetables are furnished through the courtesy of Mr. Henry

Collards and Cabbage—Should be set between now and Sept. 15th. Collards will head before Christmas and cabbages will furnish greens.

Turnips—Should be planted at once. Turnips may be fed to livestock or in November or December may be pulled and stored in "banks."

Fall and English Peas—Plant between August 15 and Sept. 10th. Luxembourg and Telephone are best varieties for this section.

Onions—Plant onions during last half of September or early October, both seed and sets. White Pearl, Silver Skin, or Prize-taker variety good for winter onions next year.

Carrots may be sown now. Lettuce seed should be sowed and transplanted before cold weather.

Spinach may be sowed even later than lettuce. King of Denmark and Bloomsdale Savory best varieties.

Winter Radishes—Chinese, Rose China Winter and long Black Spanish may be used.

Kale for greens may be sowed until late October, Siberian and Curled Scotch may be broadcast or put in rows.

Several varieties of peas and beans will make good yields in the fall gardens.

High School Band Will Meet Monday

The High School Band will meet at the Baptist Church next Monday night, August 31st. Mr. Meacham asks all old as well as new members and those who expect to become members be present at this meeting.

Funeral Services Mrs. F. M. Branch Tuesday Morning

After a lingering illness that confined her to her bed for a number of months Mrs. F. M. Branch, Sr., passed away at the home of her son Manley Branch last Monday night and was buried at Willow Cemetery Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. Funeral services were conducted at the First Christian church at 10 o'clock by Rev. Morris U. Lively of Shreveport, La. Rev. Wilson, who is conducting a revival at the Church of Christ, and Rev. George H. Morrison of Haskell. A grandson, Rev. Claud Wingo, pastor of the First Christian Church of Floydada, paid a beautiful tribute to the Christian character of his grandmother. By special request W. M. Free and daughter Miss May Free sang the special song numbers. Mrs. Branch joined the Methodist church when very young but when two sons joined the Christian church with their father she did also in 1889 and has lived a beautiful Christian life ever since, quiet, unassuming, a home keeping heart, as her grandson expressed it wiping her hands on her apron after some loving service, she greeted the children home from school to the warmth of a home keeping fireside. Miss Margaret H. Wilson was born in LaFayette, Alabama, November 20, 1856 and was married to F. M. Branch in 1880. The family moved to Haskell in 1917. Her husband succeeded her in death some ten years. To this union were born three children, two dying in infancy. Mr. Branch had been married before and all of the grandchildren number 24, the great grandchildren 10. Besides Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Branch and children, Marvin, Mavis and Myrta Bob Branch of Haskell, other children were: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Branch and family of Vera; D. D. Branch and daughter of Seymour; W. L. Branch and wife of Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thornton and children of Ft. Worth; grandson Rev. Claud Wingo of Floydada; and other relatives and friends of Wichita Falls. Fall bearers were: R. D. C. Stephens, W. N. Huelsbeck, George Fields, L. D. Ratliff, J. U. Fields and Lynn Pace. Funeral arrangements were in charge of W. O. Holden of Jones, Cox & Co.

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION LAW IS AMENDED

Miss Minnie Ellis, county school superintendent, has received the following information from the State Department of Education relative to the high school tuition law recently enacted by the Legislature which restores the benefits of the high school tuition law:

"To All City and County Superintendents:

"S. B. 41—Senate Bill 41, passed by the special session of the Forty-second Legislature, restores the benefits of the high school tuition law to all students who reside in districts that levy a local maintenance tax for their public schools. This new law takes care of all students who live in taxing districts who are not eligible to be transferred as well as those who are eligible. Children eighteen, nineteen, and twenty years old can attend school free of tuition in their home districts if a local tax is levied, and can have their tuition paid in any public high school if their home districts do not offer their high school grade. In short, this new law takes care of all high school children in the high school grades of each district that levies a local maintenance tax. The Supreme Court ruled that the overers could not participate in the benefits of the state school fund as they were not enumerated on the census. In consequence such students who live in a non-taxing district must pay their own tuition regardless of where they attend school. Governor Sterling has signed the bill and it is now the law."

Respectfully submitted, S. M. N. Marrs, State Superintendent.

RULE MAN RUNS OVER COYOTE ON HIGHWAY

As W. H. Handley, manager of the West Texas Utilities company of Rule, was returning a few nights ago from a meeting in Hamlin, about five miles south of rule, he saw three large coyotes. Two of the coyotes jumped off into a bar pit, the other one making a blue streak down the road. Mr. Handley chased the wolf down the road for some distance before running over and killing it. Mr. Handley brought the dead wolf home and exhibited it at his office here.

Around Our Town

Mrs. P. D. Sanders returned Tuesday from Alto, New Mexico where she has been visiting her brother for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pouts spent last Sunday in Abilene the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts and children, Audrey Gayle and Paul Wesley, returned Saturday from a ten days vacation at Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Mr. Preacher Henshaw visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Piland, Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Jeter Mrs W. H. Parsons and Miss Marie Piland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Piland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bevers, Mrs. Sue Elliott and Miss Ruby Elliott of Dallas visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pace and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Frazier last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bevers and daughters Allene and Maurine of Munday are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pace.

Mr. Julian Frazier left last week for Slaton, Texas where he will be relief operator in the Western Union office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kincaid of Stamford are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kinney.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan of Stamford were guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kinney.

Miss Sue Kinney spent the week with her cousin, Miss Lois Kinney of Stamford, and also visited in the home of her friend, Miss Charlie Kincaid, also of Stamford.

Hollis Atkinson accompanied by his brother and three sisters from Munday went to Abilene Wednesday. Two of the sisters were going to Hurley New Mexico to teach school and the other to California to enter college.

Mrs. John V. Davis is spending a few days this week with her sister in Albany.

Mrs. Guy Robinson and little daughter Arlene and Mrs. Frank Williams of this city spent the past week-end in San Angelo, Texas, the guests of Miss Arlene Brown of that city, they also visited at Christoval and Carlsbad, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Highnote left Wednesday morning for a weeks vacation in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sarrels were visitors in Seymour Tuesday afternoon.

Jno. A. Lee from Rule was a business visitor in Haskell, today. A. H. McWilliam and son Gaymon from Vernon arrived here last night to be at the bedside of the former's brother-in-law, Mr. R. T. Adams who is very low.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Post and daughter have returned from a two-weeks vacation spent at Galveston, where they visited Mrs. Post's brother, Dr. Wm. L. Marr.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reynolds spent part of last week in Austin visiting Mrs. Reynolds father, Judge Bruce W. Bryant. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Bryant and sons Billy and Frank who had been visiting there.

Mrs. E. L. Tucker and daughter and Mrs. George Baldock and daughter Miss Ollie of Dallas, are visiting Mrs. Tucker's brother, W. H. Pearsey and family.

T. J. Lemmon Jr. and son Charles left today for Dallas. Charles and his mother will leave Dallas Sunday morning for Los Angeles for a ten days vacation. They will go by airplane.

METHODIST GIRLS ARE CHAMPIONS OF CHURCH BASEBALL LEAGUE

The girls baseball games end Wednesday when the Methodist and Baptists play. The Methodist girls are already the champions of the church teams. The Methodists have won three games from the Presbyterians and four from the Baptists. The Presbyterians have won two games from the Methodists and the Baptists have won two. These baseball games have been enjoyed by the teams. Through these games the girls have learned to be good winners and good losers. Good natured rivalry has resulted. The Methodist team has matched a game with the Rochester team for Friday, Aug. 28. Everyone is invited to go to Rochester to witness the game. We need some cars to take the players. Come and yell for the Methodist team.

DUCK SEASON IS REDUCED TO ONE MONTH THIS YEAR

The hunting season on ducks, whose numbers have been seriously depleted by drought was shortened to one month by proclamation issued Tuesday by President Hoover.

The proclamation also applies to geese, brant and coots throughout the United States and Alaska.

In the northern part of the United States, except Alaska, the season under the new regulations will open October 1 and close October 31.

In the south the season opens November 16 and closes December 15 except in Florida, where it will begin November 20 and continue until December 19.

Under the old regulations the length of the seasons averaged about three months.

Haskell Student Receives Degree

Among the eighteen who received degrees at the close of the summer session was Henry S. Wilson, Haskell. He received the degree of Bachelor of Arts, in a class of eighteen, while five degrees of Master of Arts were conferred. By special faculty action, the degree was conferred on Mr. Wilson in absentia, due to his inability to be present for the commencement exercises, which were held in Sherman Hall.

While a student in Austin College, Wilson was very active in the work of the college Y. M. C. A. He took part in track events and intramural athletics while he was in college. During the past year he has been teaching.

Miss Marie Piland of Lubbock is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Jeter and Mrs. Parsons.

Local Students May Attend Austin College

Substantial gains made at Austin College under the new administration installed last year promise to continue the coming year, Dr. E. B. Tecker, the new president, states. The enrollment last year, and likewise in the present summer school, broke all previous records, despite the business depression. A vigorous summer campaign for students has been waged, and advance registrations are heavy. This will be the eighty-third year of the College, which was established in 1849.

Students of Haskell who attended the College last year are: Marion Felker and David Ratliff.

"Why does a red-headed girl always marry a quiet fellow?" "She doesn't. He just gets like that."

Beautiful Play To Be Given At Methodist Church

The Junior Church will be in charge of the evening service at the Methodist Church, August 31st. Junior ushers, Junior choir and lovely one act play, "Color Blind."

The cast of characters follows: An Artist—Marise Eaton. A Mother—Nella V. Wheatley. Issy—Dorothy Josslett. Jakey—Gilbert Wheeler. Baby—Patsy Ann Bailey. Picture Children: Jason and Delias Smith; Rhoda Bell; Madeline Bennice Faye Ratliff, Juanita Brother Scott, Sherman Stinson Nancy Sue and Junior Wair and others.

Other Children: Barbara Jordan Frank and Frances Martin, Kinney Tucker, Gracie V. Jerry, Caldwell Patterson, Dave Broadhead and others.

B. AND B. MARKET (In The "M" System Store)

Under New Management

After Sept. 1st, Mr. A. W. Cox will be the proprietor of the B. & B. Meat Market. Mr. Cox has had 15 years experience in the market business, and is thoroughly qualified to serve you courteously and efficiently.

WE CARRY THE VERY BEST OF FRESH AND CURED MEATS AT ALL TIMES

"You'll Like Our Service and Our Prices"

B. AND B. MARKET (In The "M" System Store)

Monday Sept. 7th - WILL BE - Trades Day IN HASKELL. Trade in Haskell and attend the Trades Days on First Monday each month. Many profitable and entertaining events will be staged on these days. Free Picture Show! at the Texas Theatre from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4:30 p. m. FREE to everybody—showing all-talking pictures and good comedy. Music by Haskell Band. A number of events for your entertainment will be arranged for Trades Day. TRADE IN HASKELL AND ATTEND THE TRADES DAYS EACH MONTH.

"Better Things to Eat" Don't Cheat Yourself by Buying Cheap Merchandise Cheap. Our Merchandise is of the very highest quality and is always sold at a reasonable price. SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. ORANGES (Full of Juice) Each 1c. LETTUCE Nice Crisp Heads 5c. Syrup Steamboat Brand Gal. 59c. Salt Pork lb. 9 1/2c Sat. Only. Sunbright Cleanser Regular 10c pkg. 4c. Bananas Nice Ones, lb. 4 1/2c. POTATO CHIPS Extra Fresh. Package 5c. See Our Lard Prices Before You Buy! CUT BEANS Stringless. No. 2 Cans 3 Cans for 19c. Fresh Peaches Nice Large Ones Doz. 15c. Plums Solid Pack Baker's Choice Gallon 49c. BLACKBERRIES East Texas, Solid Pack Gallon 51c. R. J. Reynolds & Son