

HASKELL—A town of Good Schools, Churches—and the best Citizenship on Earth. . . .

# The Haskell Free Press

There may be Bigger Towns than HASKELL—But There Are None Better. . . . .

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FORTY-EIGHTH YEAR

## OKLAHOMA MAN IS SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Guy O. Danielson of Oklahoma City is in a serious condition in a Stamford sanitarium as the result of a head-on collision between the car in which he was riding and a bread truck driven by Charles Rose for the Harcrow Bakery. The accident happened about three miles east of Weirton on Highway 30, Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Danielson and E. L. Miller, who are employed by the Brauer Machine and Tool Company of Oklahoma City, were en route from Abilene to Wichita Falls in a light sedan. Rose was returning from Weirton to Haskell at the time of the accident. Both the car and truck were demolished and all three men painfully cut and bruised but Danielson has been unconscious practically all the time since the accident and his recovery is said to be doubtful according to reports from the sanitarium. Both men in the sedan were thrown clear of the car, and Rose, who was less seriously injured, was able to remove their baggage from the machine before it burst into flames and burned. G. G. Bradford of Wichita Falls stopped to render aid to the injured men and called an ambulance from the Kinsey Funeral Home in this city, in which they were taken to the Stamford sanitarium. J. B. Draper of the State Highway Patrol was in Haskell and took the ambulance into custody. Miller was not seriously injured. Miller was released from hospital Monday and returned to Oklahoma City.

## O. E. PATTERSON IS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF CROP LOAN BODY

O. E. Patterson has been appointed chairman of the Haskell County Crop Loan Committee to handle loans of the Agricultural Credit Corporation according to announcement made by A. E. Thomas, vice president and general manager of the corporation. The appointment was made last Saturday along with a number of other county chairmen in this section. Those named Saturday were: Lubbock county, L. C. Ellis, Lubbock; Donley, J. D. Swift, of Clarendon; Stonewall, L. C. Edwards, Swenson; Hardeman, A. P. Pierce, Quanah; Palo Pinto, J. L. Miller, Mineral Wells; Jones, F. E. Marrow, Stamford; Foard, R. L. Kincaid, Crowell; and Nolan, G. E. Bradford, Sweetwater. The first application through a loan committee was received by the District office at Fort Worth from Red River county. Thomas explained there were eight counties which have cooperated with neighboring counties in setting up committees which will serve the combined areas. This arrangement will be continued unless the eight counties desire separate committees of their own. The counties were: Haskell, Bailey, Cochran, Hockley, Johnson, Borden, Gaines and Anderson. The Fort Worth office's statement of totals to Saturday night follow: Total applications received, 681 for \$1,177,884; 317 applications for \$5,000,000; 184 applications for \$1,000,000; 231 applications for \$200,000 pending.

## SERVICE CLUB HAS INTERESTING MEETING TUESDAY

An interesting meeting of the Haskell Service Club was held Tuesday noon at the Club Cafe. About 25 members were present. At the request of County Judge W. M. Conner for a committee to work with the County Commissioners on the highway problems of the county, Chairman C. B. Bredlove appointed French M. Robertson and W. M. Conner as a highway committee. The proposition of organizing a Retail Merchants Association was brought before the club by J. F. Kennedy. After discussing the matter, a committee was appointed by the chairman composed of J. F. Kennedy, Leo Southern and E. C. Hunter to take the matter up with the retail merchants and determine such an organization was desired by those most interested. A. C. Pearson, J. P. Kennedy and F. F. Fouts were appointed on a committee to see if it is possible to Haskell to secure a new post-office building.

## 5.5 PER CENT OF STATE AND COUNTY TAX PAID THIS YEAR

Fifty-five and five tenths per cent of the State and County Taxes were paid on February 1st. The following are the taxes collected: State, \$1,000,000; County, \$500,000. Total, \$1,500,000. The balance of the taxes for 1932 was \$2,500,000. The total taxes for 1933 are \$4,000,000. The balance of the taxes for 1933 is \$2,500,000. The total taxes for 1933 are \$4,000,000.

## BANKS WILL CLOSE MONDAY FOR HOLIDAY

Both banks will be closed Monday for the day. Sunday being Lincoln's birthday, the banks will be closed Monday as a holiday in honor of the day. The banks are required to arrange their banking business so that it may be transacted Saturday or Tuesday.

## Chillicothe Mayor to Preach at Church of Christ Sunday

Minister A. F. Thurman of Chillicothe, Texas, who has been mayor of that city, will preach at the Haskell Church of Christ Sunday. Brother Thurman has given up his political work and intends to spend his remaining years in preaching the gospel. He has already spent many years in preaching for the Church of Christ and the First Christian Church. The Haskell Church of Christ is contemplating using him as their resident minister. Brother Thurman announces the following subjects for next Sunday: "Romance of Faith," 11 a. m.; "God's Love," 7:15 p. m. The Church of Christ extends a cordial invitation to all Haskell people to attend these services; and a special invitation to the members of the First Christian Church of this city.

## FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. FITZGERALD FRIDAY MORNING

The funeral services of Mrs. W. Fitzgerald was held at the family residence last Friday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. A. W. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church. The deceased passed away Thursday morning at 4:10 o'clock after an illness of several days. Mrs. Fitzgerald was 73 years of age, having been born near Raleigh, North Carolina, on May 10, 1859. At an early age her family moved to Virginia and after the Civil War moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Johnston to Gonzales, Texas. She was married to Walter (Wat) Fitzgerald in Gonzales on January 9th, 1878. Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald moved to Haskell in May, 1894, before the county was organized and took an active part in the organization and development of this section. The deceased was a kind mother and neighbor and a devoted Christian. She was reared in the Episcopal church and joined the Methodist Church after her marriage. She is survived by her husband, Wat Fitzgerald, 7 children, 8 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Aside from their own children, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald reared an orphan niece and nephew. The children are: Mrs. Ada Rike, Haskell; Mrs. R. E. Ellis, Ft. Stockton; Mr. Ernest Southern, Wichita Falls; Mrs. George Clifton, Knox City; Mrs. Frank Terrell, Ft. Stockton; Miss Ruby Fitzgerald, Haskell; Robert Fitzgerald, Haskell; niece, Mrs. Clarence Burt, Haskell; nephew, Warren Fitzgerald of South America. Funeral arrangements were in charge of W. O. Holden of Jones, Cox & Company. Active pall bearers: Tommie Ballard, Frank Draper, Press Baldwin, Oscar Oates, Jerry Irby, Arthur Foster, Rule, Texas. Honorary pall bearers: Cal Wilfong, Henry Ballard, Tom Ballard, Virgil Hudson, Chas. Jones, Al Cousins, Clyde Gordon, M. B. Watson, H. M. Rike, C. L. Lewis, R. C. Montgomery, F. G. Alexander, T. J. Lemmon, J. T. Ellis, B. Cox, R. E. Sherrill, G. R. Couch, Sr., M. A. Clifton, Dr. W. A. Kimbrough, T. J. Arbuckle, Witt Springer, Sr., Aspermont, Texas; W. B. Anthony, Austin; Walter Meadows, Amarillo; and Wayne Koonce. Flower Girls: "North Ward teachers": Mrs. H. K. Henry, Mrs. Virgil Reynolds, Mrs. Theodore Jones, Mrs. Cresta Brooks, Mrs. M. D. Crow, Miss Lewis Manly, Miss Madeline Hunt, Miss Mae Fields. Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ellis, Fort Stockton, Texas; Mrs. Frank Terrell and daughter, Margaret and Marie, Fort Stockton, Texas; Mrs. Ernest Southern and children, Walter, Mary Frances, Ruby Gerald, Wichita Falls, Texas; and Jack Southern, Pampa, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clifton, Knox City; J. W. and C. E. Fitzgerald, Brownfield, Texas; Mrs. G. H. Cobb and family, Stamford.

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## Members of Debating Teams Announced

Boys and girls of the Haskell High School whose names will appear on the debating teams this year are as follows: Boys: C. B. Bredlove, Jr., Hubert Watson and Roy Baldwin. Girls: Norma Ann Gilstrap, Maxine Simmons and Louise Warren. The first appearance of these debaters will be Wednesday morning on the chapel program. Friday of this week they go to Seymour and next week they debate against Munday. With Mrs. Geo. V. Wimshill coaching and assisting these boys and girls we feel sure they will come out ahead.

## DISTRICT COURT TERM IS ENDED

District Court adjourned for the January term Wednesday afternoon after a very busy session. The trial of Myron Dumas, charged with robbery by firearms, resulted in a hung jury and the jury discharged Wednesday morning. Dumas was charged with robbing E. N. Fulton on or about January 15 on the highway between Stamford and Sagerton. \$2000 was taken from Fulton in the hold-up. A southern court has ruled that a man has a right to speak his wife if she divorces it. He may have the right, but divorced her have the nerve to try it. Strange as it may seem, some banks require "bonds" issued by the banker not giving some borrowers the cold shoulder. The principal difference between a bank and a hardware is the size of the bill.

## COLDEST WEATHER OF SEASON HITS HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Haskell has been in the grip of winters most severe weather this week. A raging blizzard swept down from the northwest Monday night. Sleet and snow driven by a hard, fast wind fell with the first blast and caked the sidewalks and streets with ice. Within a period of a few minutes weather which had been warm and balmy had changed to icy winds and overcast skies as the mercury tumbled. The northern struck Haskell about 9:30 o'clock and Tuesday morning the thermometer registered 3 above zero and continued cold throughout the day. Wednesday morning the temperature had gone down to 7 below, which is the coldest since January 1930, and probably equalled that blizzard in intensity which broke a record of 30 years. Today the sun is shining and the weather has moderated to some extent, but the temperature continues around the freezing point. Livestock has suffered, but the losses are expected to be light. Little damage was done to growing crops, and the fruit trees were not far enough advanced to be seriously injured.

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## Program at North Ward School Next Thursday Evening

A program put on by the North Ward High School pupils and sponsored by the North Ward P. T. A. will be given at the high school auditorium Thursday night Feb. 16 at 7:30 o'clock in honor of the patrons of the North Ward and the High School. There will be no admission charge and the public is invited to attend. The program rendered will be as follows: A short one act play by Roselle Jones, Jaunita Stone, Ollie Frazier, Crockett English, Leo Roberts. Special Talks by Norma Ann Gilstrap, Bernice Wilmon, C. B. Bredlove, Jr. Musical numbers by Lois Fouts, Mildred Sadler, Louise Warren, Mary Francis Collier, Maxine Simmons. And last but not least the mystery part of the program will be a birthday cake celebrating the 26th anniversary of the P. T. A. made on the stage by a number of high school girls which will be auctioned off by Rev. C. A. Tucker.

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## CAR LICENSE BILL IS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

The Texas Legislature's first tax payers relief proposal was perfected Friday when Governor Miriam A. Ferguson made law, with her signature, of a bill extending the time limit for payment of motor vehicle registration fees to April 1. The bill suspending for sixty days penalties against delinquent automobile and truck registration fees became law immediately when Mrs. Ferguson signed it, since it was adopted by each house with the two-thirds majority necessary to apply the emergency clause. The pen used by the woman governor in enacting the relief to tax payers pinched just now by stringent financial conditions, was presented to Senator Albert Stone of Brenham, author of the bill finally accepted by both branches. February 1 was the last date, under the old law, motor vehicle owners could pay their fees without detouring from using their conveyances on the public streets and highways and being subject to 25 per cent penalties when they did pay up.

## Sagerton Woman Dies In Stamford

Mrs. Scott Crabtree, 24, resident of Sagerton, died at the Stamford Sanitarium early Wednesday morning of complications resulting from influenza. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. A. Irwin at the Methodist church in Sagerton Thursday at 3 p. m. Burial was in the Sagerton cemetery. Mrs. Crabtree is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Glass, her husband and two small daughters.

## Rochester Girl Heads Writers Club at Canyon College

Canyon, Texas, Feb. 8.—The Scribblers Club, freshman organization for the development of creative writing ability, was re-organized at the beginning of the winter term at the West Texas State Teachers College with Miss Genevieve Bragg of Rochester as president. Membership to the club is based on essays of original compositions in both prose and poetry, which material is submitted to an English faculty committee who pass or reject applicants. Applicants are eligible to membership in the Writers' Club, upper class organization, when they have completed their freshman year. Miss Bragg has done outstanding work in the club. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bragg of Rochester.

## SUSPENDING COUNTY AGENTS WORK TO BE PROTESTED MONDAY

### DIRECTORS VOTE TO HOLD COUNTY FAIR THIS YEAR

At a meeting of the directors of the Haskell County Fair Association held Tuesday afternoon it was unanimously decided that a Fair would be held here this year. The exact date was not set at the meeting, but the plans are to hold it about the first of October. The announcement is being made at this time in order that there will not be any question regarding the holding of a Fair, and farmers and others interested in the exhibition of products at the Fair are urged to begin now to plan such an exhibit with the assurance that the Fair will be held. The directors expect to announce the dates as soon as possible, which will probably be governed by the dates of other district and county fairs, which have already been set, in this section of the state. Work will begin at once in an effort to make the exhibition this fall one of the biggest and best shows ever held in Haskell county. A committee was appointed for the purpose of arranging details for a celebration on the Fourth of July, which will probably include a free barbecue, details of which will be announced later.

### 4-H Clubs Plan Yard Improvement

With an attendance of 67 4-H Club girls four cutting bed demonstrations have been given and 16 cutting beds reported made for rose shrubs and various other plants to be used in a very definite yard plan made under the supervision of the Home Demonstration Agent, have been set out. Two goals for accomplishment during the year have been set by adult sponsors of 4-H Clubs for all members, that of cleaning the yard thoroughly and setting a cutting bed for rooting plants for use later, in carrying out a definite planting plan. A demonstrator in each club has been appointed as follows: Hazel Jenkins, New Mid; Virginia Hutchins, Jud; Little Mae Cox, Tonk Creek; and Marjorie Stewart, Lake Creek. Every member of the New Mid 4-H Club has a cutting bed, reports Miss Alta Frierson, teacher in the school and also sponsor.

### RED CROSS ROOMS TO BE OPENED EACH AFTERNOON

Mrs. Mary A. Oates, who has charge of the Red Cross clothing room announces that the room will be open each afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock (except Sunday) until all sweaters, underwear and hose have been distributed. A large quantity of wearing apparel has been distributed to the needy during the past few weeks and has been of untold benefit to a number of families who probably would have suffered from the severe cold weather which has prevailed during the past week, if it had not been for the assistance received through the local chapter of the Red Cross.

### SUMMONED AS PETT JURORS, CO. COURT

The following petit jurors have been summoned to serve in County Court for the first jury week of the January term, on Monday February 20th at 10 o'clock. O. A. McKinster, Jess Miller, O. A. Allison, Edward Melton, A. A. Harrison, J. M. Sloan, M. D. Sloan, A. L. Lambert, Fred Keating, W. Akin, E. W. Standfield, Jack W. Green, Sr., C. A. Shinn, G. W. Wilson, R. A. Alvin, W. A. Montgomery, Chas. Stark, E. W. Anderson, A. Sullivan, and W. J. Kline.

### There may be Bigger Towns than HASKELL—But There Are None Better. . . . .

A mass meeting has been called to meet at the courthouse next Monday afternoon, February 13, at one o'clock for the purpose of protesting the action of the Commissioners' Court in discontinuing the work of the County Agent in Haskell county. The call for the mass meeting has been made by the Haskell County Agricultural Board, composed of some of the leading farmers of the county. Several hundred letters have been mailed throughout the county setting forth a few facts regarding the work and the cost to the county. Extracts from the letter are as follows: "Do you favor County Agent work in Haskell county? Do you know how much it will cost you to keep an agent in 1933? "If your total property valuation is \$2,000 it will cost you less than Twenty Cents for the year. Or if it is as much as Ten Thousand Dollars it will cost you less than \$100. Do you also know that if the Court turns off both agents that your taxes will not be lowered One Penny? That practically all that you get from your county taxes is the services of the County and Home Demonstration Agents? "Did you know that your Commissioners are drawing all that they can possibly draw under the law, \$1200 per year? That the old Court cut the valuations 20 per cent and not the new Court or present one? Which automatically put the present Court on a \$1200 per year basis. That they have not cut their salaries ONE CENT? "Practically 60 per cent of all taxes paid in the county is paid by non-residents and utility companies such as railroads, telephones and other utilities. "If the Commissioners Court will pay as much as \$800 the state and federal government will keep the work on in Haskell county. "We are calling a mass meeting here in the Haskell county courthouse Monday Feb. 13th at 1 o'clock. We urge that you meet with us whether you have anything to say or not. We want all the people of the county who want this work to be on hand for the meeting with the Hon. Commissioners' Court at the above date and place. If you fail to come we may lose the work of the agent for good. Tell your neighbors and come. Yours very truly,—Haskell County Agricultural Board."

# THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



"Does he take the woman for the lawn-ventured wife?" asked the columnist, glancing at the diminutive, water-eyed, bow-legged groom, who stood beside two hundred and ten pounds of feminine assurance.

"He takes nothing," gloomily responded the bridegroom. "All's been trooked!"

or insurance. Agent: "What kind of throat trouble?" Applicant: "I don't exactly know; all I remember is hearing them say 'Cut him down, boys, he's dead!'"

## OPPOSES GENERAL STATE SALES TAX

Hasbrell, Texas, Feb. 8, 1934.

To every liberty loving citizen of Texas who is long enough to get that sense of duty you owe to your home country and fellow citizen and do everything in your power to defeat the proposed General Sales Tax Law, before the Legislature of the State of Texas.

Article Eight, Section One of the Constitution of the State of Texas, reads as follows: "The tax shall be equal and uniform; poll, occupation and income taxes, limitation upon counties, cities, etc."

The Constitution of the State of Texas does not authorize or empower the legislature to impose a general sales tax upon the people of the State of Texas. It challenges and defies any attempt to write a general sales tax law that is equal and uniform, that will balance the budget of Texas and keep a balanced, with increasing taxes and the taxpayers' ability to pay decreasing, as commodities would bring out of production and the slowly falling prices, placing unbearable tax burdens upon suffering humanity.

A general sales tax is one of the most unfairly distributed burdens that could be put on the people of Texas. Nature, forces the urban to consume through its mother thousands upon thousands of innocent children that do not know right from wrong and do not know the definitions of the words tax and pay, but to consume to live. Nature forces people to consume, regardless of the price or source of supply. It is not based upon the ability of the public to pay. It will get the money, right or wrong, just like the bank robber gets the money at the point of a gun. Money he wants and money he gets and dashes away, leaving you with an empty sack to hold, in despair, with nothing left to pay.

With taxes going up and commodities coming down, with mortgages and interest piling up, our whole financial structure is in danger and our strongest statements are sounding warnings, that we are on the eve of bankruptcy. If we do not lower the tax burdens on the common people. In this hour of the world's greatest known depression, it is no time to borrow a general sales tax law that is new and untried from dear old Mississippi, who said last year, seven million acres of farm lands and sixty thousand homes for taxes. What can Mississippi do with farm lands and homes, as she can not balance her budget with farm and homes? She taxed these poor farmers and the people in the city, until they lost their homes and in this unbearable condition, she put a general sales tax on what they eat and wear or what they consume. When she gathers up the few dollars that is left, with her general sales tax law then what can poor old Mississippi do? She is almost dependent upon agriculture for a living and her people are not getting out for what they produce. In the name of high Heaven what can these poor people do? That old saying is true: "that a drowning man will catch at a straw." Webster's unbridled dictionary, with thousands of words, has failed to have strong enough words to express the condition of the taxpayer.

We have no intention of the ad valorem tax on lands, for some new and untried general sales tax law, as Congress has tried this law, and failed to balance the budget. The International Bankers through their agents have loaned nine billion dollars on the farm lands of the United States and the farmers cannot pay the interest and taxes on these loans on the land. Texas got her part of this nine billion dollars and she has a bonded debt of six hundred and seventy five million. If the International Bankers could get the legislature to abolish the ad valorem tax on land and get them to pass a general sales tax, they

would have a rope around the people's neck, as they would foreclose their loans on every foot of land, they have a loan upon. DON'T YOU SEE THAT NEGRO IN THE WOODS PILE? He has the same old smell. So it is necessary to have an ad valorem tax on land, to reach people that do not live in Texas that own land. They could live in New York and own every foot of land in Texas and not pay one cent of taxes. The ad valorem tax should be reduced to about one-third of what it is now.

We need an occupation tax to reach a class of people that don't own and do not want to own any real estate or personal property. If the Texas gives protection to any person or property, she should have a reasonable tax for her services.

We need an income tax to reach about seven or eight billions of dollars invested in securities in Texas, that do not pay any tax to help run the state government. We do not need a general sales tax in Texas, all we need, is all taxes equal and uniform.

Y. L. THEOBALSON.

## SIDELIGHTS

(By Marvin Jones, Member of Congress from Texas)

I feel that the people of our section would be interested in the program on which a number of us have been working during this session of Congress.

We have been doing everything possible to get the members of the House and the Senate to realize just how serious conditions are. Ordinary remedies will not be sufficient, for there are not ordinary times. We are face to face with grim facts which call for emergency action.

In the first place, there should be a stay of foreclosures until such time as the necessary legislative program can be worked out. The House has already passed a measure of this kind. I hope the officials of the various states will take such action as is necessary to supplement the work of the Congress.

In my judgment, it is absolutely essential that a program of refinancing and, if possible, a scaling down of principal and interest must and a refinancing of farm mortgages on a long-time basis be accomplished. A number of us have been working in every possible way toward this end.

This republic is anchored in the farm homes of America. Wholesale foreclosures on the part of mortgage companies would be detrimental to the companies as well as to the farmers and others who are interested. I hope they are beginning to realize the truth of this proposition.

Another matter that needs immediate attention is a complete re-vamping of our entire currency system. The price of the American dollar is too high when measured in the terms of commodity prices. There should be a readjustment in such a way as to make our unit of money a true measure of value. This would automatically increase commodity prices and enable people to pay debts.

Every thinking person realizes that taxes bear too heavily on the farm and ranch. While this is largely a local matter, depending upon action of state and local authorities, nevertheless, the expense of the federal government should be reduced in every possible way. Many burdens should be abolished and the activities of others curtailed. I have especially urged this before the currency committee and have offered numerous amendments to accomplish this end.

Our freight rate schedule are too great a burden on the products of the farm and ranch. Freight rates at the present time are all out of

proportion to the value of commodities. I am also glad to know that the President-elect has declared that something must be done in reference to the excessive stock selling and gambling in the stock market. He has declared for a curbing of these evils and I shall be more than happy to join him in supporting such a program.

The individual members of Congress are sometimes criticized for not making action move quickly. Some of this criticism is just. However, I think it is but fair to detail some of the difficulties under which we who represent farming districts are working.

There are 435 members of the House, each representing a different

district. A majority of the members represent consuming or other producing districts. A clear majority, however, 228 of the 435 members of the House of Representatives, live north of the Mississippi river and east of the Mississippi river takes a majority of the members of the House to pass any kind of legislation. I mention this fact to show the complications which any program must face.

Practically all of the members of Congress who represent farming or livestock districts have been working toward a solution of the grave problems which confront our country, and I feel it is but fair that the public should know the fact.

Again, not all of the difficulties will yield to legislative remedy, but certainly there are some conditions that can be helped. Most certainly our financial system can be revamped in the interest of the people, and the long-time discriminations in our tariff barriers, freight rates which have had the effect of paralyzing the agricultural sections can be removed, and an unbridled opportunity for equality in the operation of the laws of our country.

RADIO SERVICE and Radio Free Information; all work paid and done by a Radio Engineer, Call McNeill & Smith Elec. Co., Payne Drug Co.

"So your son isn't going to see that girl you objected to, eh? Did you do, tell him you'd 'beat him'?"

"No, I told the girl."

Crosby Goffer (no charity called) When I want advice I'll ask in 'Caddy—Ah! But I'm not alone in the mood to give it.

# "A \$10 Gold-piece for Sale Cheap"

Not so long ago, an interesting experiment was made, to test the "sales-resistance" of the public. Several men paced the down-town streets of a large city, hawking their wares. And the wares, believe it or not, were ten dollar gold pieces—offered for sale at a dollar. No one bought; the price was reduced to fifty cents; finally to a quarter . . . still no sales!

Only after this experiment appeared as news in the papers did those who turned down the bargain gold become convinced of their mistake. They doubted the evidence of their own senses when they were offered something for nothing, but they believed in the opportunity they'd lost when the newspapers told them the story.

In the papers that you read, you are offered a parallel opportunity—equally genuine, and sponsored by people of proven responsibility. What! You've never seen it? Stop for a minute and think. This newspaper cost you a trifle—which you gladly paid to learn what's happening in the world, to read about people and events. But there's other news here of vital importance to you—about things and services, about automobiles, clothing, food, household wares—about all those things which you pay money for, to live.

The advertisements! Your newspaper-pennies buy this news too. If you read the advertisements, let them show you how, where, what and when to buy; they will save you dollars . . . and put money in your pocket just as surely as if you purchased a bargain gold-piece.

## IMPORTANT

When you ask for a product by name, as a result of advertising, do not accept a substitute—substitutes are offered not as a service to you, but for other reasons.

## RED & WHITE STORES

Before placing your next order—investigate Red & White products and prices. It will prove worth while to you.

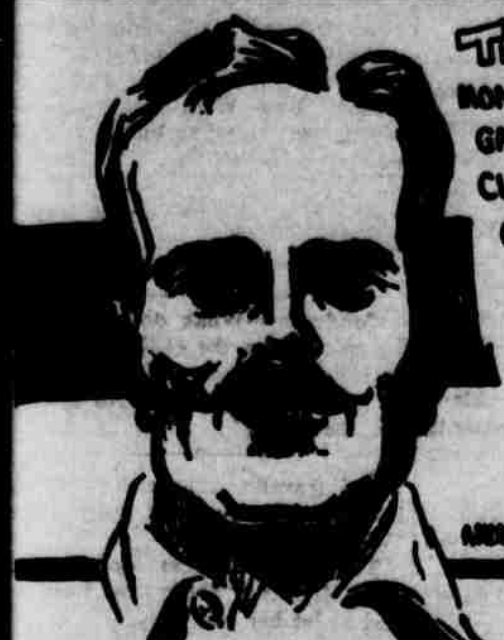
Friday and Saturday, February 10-11

- LARGE—ORANGES, Red Ball, dozen 27c
- FANCY DELICIOUS—APPLES, Large dozen 27c
- LETTUCE, Hard Head, 2 for 9c
- BEANS, fresh and green, lb. 10c
- Fresh Bunch Vegetables, bunch 5c
- SPUDS, No. 1, 15 pounds 22c
- BLADE & WHITE—OATS With Premium 21c
- SUN-UP COFFEE, pound package 19c
- CRACKS UNFROSTED—APPLES 4 pounds for 39c
- Uncle Bob SYRUP, Gallon 55c
- SALMON, Nile Brand, No. 1 2c
- BLADE WHITE—CRACKERS, 2 lb. pkgs. 22c
- BLADE & WHITE, 9 cents doz—MINCE MEAT 3 packages 25c
- BLADE & WHITE—WHEAT CEREAL 28-oz. pkg. 19c
- BEANS Pintos, 7 pounds 25c
- Soap Giant Size, 10 for 39c
- Lye Red & White, 3 for 25c
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THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1932 GAVE THE WORKING CLASS OF PEOPLE ONE OF THE BEST HEALTH RECORDS THEY HAVE EVER HAD



WHY THE CHANCE AT ONLY ONE END—SEE?



AT THESE PERIODS IN HISTORY, THE LEARNERS GO TO THE SEASIDE, IN LARGE NUMBERS AND JUMPING INTO THE SEA, COMMIT SUICIDE



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IN BERLIN, THEY GIVE YOU A TICKET IF YOU TOOT YOUR AUTO HORN TOO MUCH

## Rural Community News Items

### Rochester

Every wide awake farmer is preparing their ground for another big crop. The land is in fine shape for sowing.

### Abilene

Rev. Elmer Crabtree, wife and children of Abilene, and Reuben and Lois Mae Lambert from Abilene all attended the funeral services Thursday evening at three o'clock at the Methodist Church for Mrs. Scott Crabtree.

### Dallas

Mrs. E. A. Laughlin and son Lloyd and Mrs. Newport of Oklahoma, aunts of Mrs. Scott Crabtree, attended her bedside while she was so low at the sanitarium, staying with her until she was laid to rest.

### Saginaw

Miss Alpeena Aker, teacher in our school, attended her sister's wedding last Wednesday in her home at Roscoe. Miss Thelma Aker, a bride, was a student in Miller College at Abilene.

### Spur

Mrs. W. F. Watts from Spur, visited from Friday evening till Monday evening here with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert. She returned to Abilene where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Griffin.

### Center Point

Most of the farmers are busy farming this pretty weather. We are sorry to report Mrs. P. C. Patterson on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Corzine of Rule visited their son, Alvin Corzine and family Saturday night.

### BOY SCOUT WEEK BEING OBSERVED

Boy Scout Week February 8-14 is being celebrated throughout the nation with appropriate ceremonies and special efforts are being made to dramatize Scouting during the entire week.

### NEURITIS

If you have been searching for relief from neuritis and have not found just what you need, you will be glad to hear how thousands have gained relief from this terrible ailment.

President Walter W. Head of the Boy Scouts of America writes: "Only one quality marks the boy who will be a successful man when he has grown a few inches and a few years, this is character."

**Quick Action Counts and BAYER has it!**

Insist on genuine Bayer Aspirin! Not only for its safety, but for its speed. The tablet stamped Bayer dissolves at once. It gets to the seat of pain without delay. It is many minutes faster than any imitation you can buy, and time counts when you're in pain! For quick relief of headaches, colds, sore throat, neuritis and rheumatism, periodic pains, and other aching, stick to the tablets of Bayer manufacture. All druggists.

**Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN**

**It Will Pay You to Follow These Signposts**

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It will pay you to employ Electric Cookery and Electric Refrigeration. The modern Electric Range will give you more healthful, more appetizing and more attractive meals . . . at a great saving in food and fuel! The Electric Refrigerator will give you increased efficiency and dependable convenience. It will improve food-flavors, assure safe, healthful refrigeration and eliminate the waste and danger of food-spoilage. And, like Electric Cookery, the Electric Refrigerator also will save substantial sums for you.

Don't consider these modern and efficient automatic Electric Servants as longed-for luxuries . . . recognize them as dividend-paying necessities . . . for that's what they are! They pay for themselves!

We will be happy to arrange an interesting demonstration of proofs for you. No obligation, of course. Convenient Terms on one or both of these household necessities simplify immediate purchase.

Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule . . . and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

**West Texas Utilities Company**

happiness than they could have had without me."

**Holy Ghost**  
"Did you hear Robinson snoring in church this morning? It was simply awful."  
"Yes, I did—he woke me up."  
Some of the depression sufferers are like the darkey who had been playing poker.  
He said: "Tell you, boys, I dun' los' a heap o' money las' night."  
"How much, Mose?"  
"A hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fourteen cents."  
"Gilly! Dat wuz a heap o' money."  
"Yes, siree, and de wuzt of it wuz, de fourteen cents wuz cash."

## They've Never Tasted a Tonic!



THESE are not patent medicine children. Their appetite needs no coaxing. Their tongues are never coated, cheeks never pale. And their bowels move just like clockwork, because they have never been given a habit-forming laxative.

**M SYSTEM**

Select Your Foods From An "M" System Shelf.

Prices for Fri., Sat., and Monday

Mother's Oats only 20c	Pure Cane SUGAR 10 lbs. only 45c
Sliced Bacon Sunflower 10c lb. Dexter 15c lb.	ALASKA SALMONS CHUM 3 tall cans 23c FANCY RED 2 for 35c
Bak'g Powder B. C. Brand. Satisfaction Guaranteed 10 lbs. 98c 2 lbs. 23c	Brown Sugar Old Fashioned 4 lbs. 23c
Chase & Sanborns Dated Coffee Package Royal Gelatine FREE! Pound can 33c	Tomato Paste Can 5c Fine on a Meat Loaf
Seed Potatoes RED OR WHITE Peck 30c	Onion Sets RED OR YELLOW Gallon 28c
Sun Kist LEMONS Dozen 15c	Quality BROOMS 5 Strand Only 19c
Heinz Beans 3 Cans 25c	COMPOUND 8 lb. Pail 54c
Brokers' Canned Hams Pound 29c	Naptha Soap 5 Bars 8c

Market Price for Your Eggs. See the Jubilee Sack of Gold Medal Flour in Our Window.

**Abelson's**  
HASKELL, TEXAS—WEDNESDAY

# ENCAMPMENT AT LUEDERS WILL BE HELD JULY 11-23

A business meeting of the Board of Directors of the Lueders Baptist Encampment grounds Thursday, January 26, at 2 p. m. President C. A. Powell, pastor of the University Baptist Church of Abilene, presided over the meeting.

Those attending were Mrs. J. L. Rucker of Abilene, 1st vice president and chairman of recreation; Rev. Roy Shayhan, 2nd vice president and chairman of camp and grounds.

Three vice presidents were absent. Rev. Russ A. Smith of Breckenridge, 3rd vice president and chairman of reception committee; Rev. E. D. Dunlay, chairman of publicity and 2nd vice president; and C. D. Davis, 3rd vice president and chairman of music.

Others present were Rev. J. H. Littleton of Hamlin, past president; Rev. Olie Dennis and son Bryan Dale, E. E. Acree and Mrs. L. M. Kay of Rochester, Rev. H. D. Blair, associational missionary of Cisco Association; Rev. J. L. Smart, pastor of East Cisco; Rev. E. S. Jones, pastor of the first Baptist Church of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Driver and daughter, Olie Mae, Mrs. Virgil Lewis and Mrs. Robert Lee Collinsworth of Graham; Rev. Roland C. King of Abilene, pastor of 2nd Baptist Church; E. Collier, superintendent of West Texas Baptist Seminary; Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Berman of Simmons University; Mrs. O. H. Cooper and Mrs. George L. Paxton of Abilene; Rev. J. J. Kellum of Dallas, representing Buckner Orphan Home; Rev. J. H. McLaughlin, pastor of Lamar Street Church of Sweetwater; Rev. and Mrs. Perry King and Mrs. C. O. Davis of Rule; Rev. O. B. Darby, Eastland; Tate May, Hamlin; Rev. L. A. Davis, pastor of Anson Baptist church; A. S. Barkley and Mrs. T. L. Holland, Anson; Rev. J. W. Briscoe, pastor of New Hope and Hanna Baptist churches of Anson; Rev. W. T. North of Stonewall, Mr. and Mrs. Carter King and daughter, Ruby; Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Joslin, pastor of Baptist Church of Albany and Miss Lillian Penick of Lueders.

There was a vacancy in the assistant business manager's place. Walter Jackson, former holder of that office having moved to Houston. E. M. Collier was elected assistant business manager.

The President read the dates of other Baptist Encampments to be held in Texas this summer. They are as follows: Palacios, July 2-10; Woodlake, near Sherman and Denton, June 26 to July 2; Alto Frio, near San Antonio, July 21-30; Menard, July 21-30; Milan, July 23-28; Panhandle and Bell county, in August. Since July 11-23 the original date suggested for the Lueders Encampment is open, the executive board recommended the Encampment to begin Tuesday night, July 11 and close Sunday night, July 23.

Rev. H. H. Littleton business manager made a report on his plans for refinancing the \$7,500 indebtedness on the buildings and grounds. He said there were at least thirty-five towns within a hundred miles of Lueders Encampment and thousands of Baptist, and he believed in starting a slogan, "Save Lueders Encampment for the Baptists and West Texas." Since the closing of Christoval Encampment, Lueders has enlarged territory, he pointed out. Three years ago the indebtedness was \$9,500.00, and has been reduced \$2,000 during the depression. The plan is to bond the indebtedness and sell bonds.

Laughter without spirit is contempt.

Missouri is the "show me" state and it showed what to do with the "same ducks."

Nowadays half the world wonders how the other half keeps going.

A college professor says that the average man has a greater vocabulary than a woman. He has to have.

"A new source of revenue" merely means hitting the taxpayer in a new spot.

Experience makes some people sadder and wiser, but with some only the first effect is noticeable.

The pessimist is the fellow who insists that we're going to pay for this nice weather later on.

A health expert says that if you eat greens you won't have the blues.

That bonus army invasion promises to be dwarfed by the size of the army of would-be postmasters that will invade Washington after March 4.

We've often wondered why some people's affections should be valued so highly when they're so easily obtained.

## Brian to the Rescue

By ALICE DUANE

IT HAD been an unusually uneventful morning for Brian Kent, sitting at his perfectly appointed desk in one of his uncle's spacious offices.

Brian was getting into shape a report his uncle had asked him to have ready that afternoon.

Once or twice that morning he had been on the verge of interrupting this report business, finding an excuse to dictate a letter so that even for a short few minutes he could have had a reason to have his uncle's very charming young secretary sitting at the opposite side of his desk. But there was always a chance that his uncle might come in unexpectedly—and the report was urgent.

The steady dull drone of machinery was becoming almost unendurable—and then the low, throaty growl followed by the high deafening shriek of the fire alarm.

No special need for alarm, Brian quickly assured himself.

The factory side of the building Brian knew was practically fire proof, but this older section that housed the executive offices and the office staffs was of wooden construction. There was a sprinkler system and numerous fire exits, but even then things sometimes happen—

Brian quickly gathered up the papers strewn on his desk, crammed them into his coat pockets and dashed into the large bare room where the typists and stenographers had their desks. Most of the desks were already deserted. Girls were hurrying across the floor to an exit beyond. He called to some who lingered and told them to go without delay.

"Where is Miss Mason?" he called to one of them.

"She ran into the accounting department," the girl told him.

Brian muttered an oath to himself and dashed forward to the accounting department. Miss Mason was kneeling beside a small safe in one of the smaller offices.

In a fraction of a second he reached her, took the papers from her hands, threw them in the safe and without waiting to explain lifted her in his arms.

"What are you doing?" she asked, and then realizing that there was no alternative let her slender young body relax in his strong young arms.

"There is no terrible hurry," she told him, as he hurried down the hall. But Brian assured her that he was taking no chances. He would have carried her down the fire escape if she had not so seriously objected.

Alice Mason breathed a sigh of relief when she had reached the ground and realized that none of the girls had been looking on.

"They will all be over at the other side," she told Brian, who stood looking down at her in a friendly, possessive way.

"You had me worried for a minute," he said. "And don't you ever take time to put letters in the safe again."

"But that's orders from your uncle," Alice said. "There's always the chance that a letter might be valuable—so just as a matter of drill we always do it."

"Matter of drill?" Brian repeated blankly. "Always do it! What do you mean?"

"Just that every time we have a fire drill we are supposed to do precisely what we would if there was a real fire—"

Brian looked amazed and then laughed.

"The joke's on me," he told her. "But how did I know it was only a drill? No one told me."

"How did you happen to run across me?" Alice asked. " weren't you going to leave the building?"

She was trying not to laugh at him. "Not until I found you," he said.

"You see, that's the first thing I thought of when I heard that shrieking siren. I suppose I thought I was saving your life or something—anyway, I'm glad for your sake the other girls didn't see the rescue—"

He looked a little crestfallen and foolish.

"I wouldn't have minded, if you hadn't," Alice told him. "I started to cry out at first, because I was so surprised. But—I didn't mind. I'd been hoping all morning you'd need for me to take some dictation—"

"And I'd been wishing I had a chance—"

A gong rang. Alice said it was the signal to return to the building. She wasn't laughing now. "I'm very grateful to you."

"Oh, please," Brian told her. "I really made a mistake—and incidentally let you know, as you must know now, that I'm seriously interested."

"Couldn't we talk about that some other time?" Alice suggested.

"That is—I've got to get back in line to go in with the other girls—"

she was walking away from him now—"but I'm interested, too."

"Let's talk about it tonight at dinner," he called softly. "I'll call you in for dictation and we can make plans—"

So long, Alice—"

"So long, Brian. Thanks for the rescue. And next time there's to be a drill I'll let you know."

# SOCIETY

## IK KLUB

Last Friday night Miss Lewis Manly entertained members of the IK Klub with a few guests with a contract bridge party. The Valentine motif was carried out throughout the party. After the games Mrs. Roy Killingsworth and Mrs. C. V. Payne were presented with Valentine boxes of candy for high and second high score. Miniature boxes of candy were given as cut favors at each table. At a late hour Miss Manly served lovely refreshments with sweet peas as plate favors to the following: Mesdames Roy Killingsworth, Douglas Davis, Lola Welsh Bledsoe, Oscar Oates, C. V. Payne, Ralph Duncan, Misses Nettie and Margaret McCollum, Madeline Hunt, Ruth Milstead, Ermine Daugherty, Eunice Huckle.

## Rives-Harrison

The recent marriage of Miss Mary Ann Rives and Mr. Douglas Harrison was announced last week, the ceremony having been performed on December 26th at Lawton, Okla. Mrs. Harrison is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stone Rives of Throckmorton. Mr. Rives will be remembered here as former superintendent of the Haskell schools some 25 years ago. Mrs. Harrison is teaching school in Throckmorton county, a position she has held for the past three years. Mr. Harrison is employed by the Reynolds Land and Cattle Company, where he has been for a number of years. Their many friends throughout this section wish them much happiness and prosperity together.

## Elaborate Martha Washington Seated Tea at High School Thursday Evening at 7:45

So seldom are we privileged to see royalty from abroad and the great mountains and prima donnas of our own land that on the above date when these great personages will reside at the Haskell High School auditorium, the sponsors are cordially inviting everybody in Haskell and surrounding communities to be present.

When the curtain rises, George and Martha Washington (Joe Maple and Jess Conner) will be seen in their drawing room and as the housemaid (Mattie Ruth Davis) announces the guests they will be seen coming down the main aisle. There will be solos, duets and choruses and readings, complimentary to George and Martha Washington. Following will be the professional as viewed by the audience: Lord and Lady Hunnicut (Eugene Rogers and Margaret Breedlove); Count and Countess Chesterfield (Igen Gordon and Janice Morrison); Her Majesty, Queen Mary and sons (Hazel Foote, Jerry Crawford and Billy Mack Perdue); Major and Mrs. Braddock (Bobby Joe McLain and Inez Parks); Captain and Mrs. Parkhurst (Oran McClain, Jr. and Dorothy D. Welsh); Professor and Mrs. Zimmerman (John Guest and

Anna Jene Gordon); Duke and Duchess of Northumberland (Labry Ballard and Eula Fay Glass); Lord and Elizabeth Wombles; His Majesty and Lady Salisbury (Wallace Parish and Rosellen Morrison); General and Mrs. Baltimore (Jimmie Crawford and Beverly Gilbert); Count and Countess Hungerford (Paul Kuenstler and Martha Jane Harris); Duke and Duchess of York (Bob McAnulty and Dorothy Jossett); Lord and Lady Loringworth (Erwin Thompson and Bobbie Nell Cass); Dr. and Mrs. Van Dyke (Tommy Adkins and Eloise Koonce); General and Mrs. Lafayette (Clair Warren and Josephine Parish); General and Mrs. Washington and General and Mrs. Lafayette will dance the minuet.

This program is sponsored by the junior members of Mrs. C. M. Kaigler's Expression Class assisted by several numbers from the Morrison Studio. Also it will be comparable to the little wedding that this class put on at the First Christian Church a few years ago and the costumes will be as attractive and the setting as unique. There will be no charges as this is our spring recital for the two junior classes, North and South Ward pupils.

Everyone is cordially invited to be present.

## Library News Notes

During the month of January the Library loaned 278 books to girls, 134 to boys, 378 to adults making a total of 790. The library board wishes to thank all who have contributed magazines and books during the month.

Mrs. J. Mack Nelson gave the following books: Kidnapped; Prince of the House of David; Getting On; Essays On Burns; Selections From Poe; Schah and Bostum; Mowgli's Speeches on Toppity; L. Perceval; L'Allegro; Fanny; Lucides; Treasure Island; Washington's Farewell Address and Webster's First Inaugural Address; Echo Arden; Courtship of Miss Standish; Vision of St. Lannfal; Lucky, the Young Navy Man; Uncle Wiggily Goes Swimming; Around the World with Bob; Jack the Giant Killer; Ralph Bernard donated Dick Hamilton's Fast Ball Team. Mrs. Courtney Hunt gave La Bodega and five volumes on the Life of Lincoln. The Magazine Club placed in the library East Wind; West Wind; and The Good Earth.

If you are a borrower of library books, please remember that you are responsible for any book you take from the library and books are not to be returned except during the specified hours: 2:30 to 5:30 every day except Sunday and Monday. If you return a book out of these hours and it is carried away by some unscrupulous person, then you have to pay for the book. Since the building is used by a number of organizations it is sometimes left unlocked. If you find it unlocked out of hours, please do not leave

your books. The library board will appreciate your cooperation.

## The Sophomore Class

The Sophomores are still existing. Yes, they were very much alive at the class party last Friday night. When the guests began to arrive they were given little butterfly tally cards. Various games were played such as 42, Polly Anna, Truth or Dare, Wink 'em and Pleased or Displeased. Fred Sanders and Alvin Sherman were kept busy moving from place to place in the "pleased or displeased" game.

The Sophomore group is noted for its eating and someone was always saying, "When do we eat?" The refreshments were served early. Heart shaped cookies and sandwiches and hot chocolate were served. The following reported an enjoyable time: Geraldine Hunt, Anna Lee Pittman, Chrystine Watson, Ava Grindstaff, Virginia Williams, Beatrice Wheeler, Leroy O'Neal, Vida Lee Nichols, Louise McAnulty, Era Cass, Vera Cass, Carrie Bell Brooks, Maxine Quattibaum, Louise Roberts, Odell Williamson, Alberta Orr, Alvin Sherman, Edwin Bledsoe, Fred Sanders, Jr., Woodrow Dishough, Lewis Hamilton, Alvin Bruton, Crockett English, John E. Fouts, the hostess, Mary Ben Chapman and her mother, Mrs. Chapman, and our sponsor, Miss Davis.

## Vontress

Last Sunday afternoon at four-thirty there was quite a large crowd out at the preaching service which was conducted by Rev. Ashley of Weiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McNeil entertained a number of their friends last Sunday by giving a fine dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Rhody Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Speck Sorenson of Ferris community, Mrs. T. E. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. "Peg" Beachem, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire of the Roberts community and Misses Willie Mae and Ila Stewart. There were also children from the various churches above represented. This year the old man depression has gone when one person can give such a splendid meal to such a large crowd. Everyone reports having had a real good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arend entertained quite a large crowd on last Sunday evening with a musical program.

Miss Ouida Fendlecon spent the week end in Haskell visiting her aunt, Mrs. Leslie Self.

Don't forget that we have a singing at Vontress every Sunday night. A good sized crowd was out last night and the singing was greatly improved due to the large number from here having attended the singing at Roberts the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oldham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson of the Cottonwood community.

## Sayles

Several farmers in this community still have cotton to be gathered. The health of this community is very good at this writing. Mrs. H. E. Melton has been sick for several

days. Little Fred Draper is on the sick list.

The Sayles basket ball girls played ball at Haskell Friday evening. Sayles and Rose played, the score being in favor of Sayles. However the Haskell team beat us. Mrs. Richey entertained the girls with a theatre party that night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Guinn and Audra Lee visited their daughter, Mrs. Robert Morris at Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Strickland spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bland of Haskell spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Odie Bland.

Miss Minnie Ellis visited Sayles school Monday.

Miss Emma Wiseman spent last week with Mrs. Lorell Kirby of Sagerton.

Mrs. Redwine and Eunice spent Monday with Mrs. Odie Bland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Moore and little daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cogburn of Old Glory.

Mr. Ben Wingo of Ross was a pleasant caller in the Kennamer home Sunday.

Small Boy—Grandpa when you go going to start playing football? Grandpa—Football, why son I am too old. Why?

Small Boy—Well, I heard father say he was going to buy a new car when you kicked off.

He—What do you say to a little kiss?

She—I've never spoken to one.

Conductor—What do you mean by spitting on the ceiling?

Burly Passenger—Well, what do you mean by the sign "No spitting on the floor"?

The traveling salesman called the head waitress over and complained, "Where's my honey?"

The head waitress replied, with great dignity: "She got so fresh we had to let her go."

Professor—Tell me one or two things about John Milton.

Student—Well, he got married and wrote "Paradise Lost." Then his wife died, and he wrote "Paradise Regained."

Don't be too good to live on earth nor to had to enter the kingdom of Heaven.

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# Coat and Coat Suits

Will meet with your approval at first glance. They come in light weight Tweeds, Wool Crepes and Polo Cloth. Visit our Ready-to-Wear Department and let us show you these smart garments.

# Millinery of Distinction

New distinctive styles arrived this week, making our stock complete in the New Headwear for Spring. We are proud to be able to show our trade such a complete stock this early. These styles will be worn throughout the spring season.

# Hunt's Store Haskell, Texas

# Theatre

## "ME AND MY GAL" SHOWING SOON

"Me and My Gal," a comedy-romance with Joan Bennett and Spencer Tracy dividing the love interest, comes to the Texas Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday. It is based on an original story by Barry Conners and Philip Klein and was prepared for the screen by Arthur Kober.

It is a Fox Films production, directed by Raoul Walsh, and tells the story of a radio-car cop who falls in love with a blonde cashier, following a flirtation that results in the thrilling capture of a killer on whose head rests a reward of \$10,000.

## JANET GAYNOR AND CHARLES FARRELL IN NEW FILM "TEAS OF THE STORM COUNTRY"

With the coming of "Teas of the Storm Country," to the Texas Theatre next Thursday and Friday, the army of Gaynor-Farrell fans will see their favorites in what is said to be the most exciting and dramatic offering they have yet made and a picture very different from any of their previous vehicles.

The story deals with the hectic adventures of a sea captain's daughter who comes to live ashore for the first time in her life.

With its opening sequences aboard the Captain's schooner and the picturesque settings of the shore scenes, the production adds a scenic realism to its swift-moving story. Miss Gaynor's work as the fiery and independent fisher-girl and Farrell's performance as the carefree youngster who encounters love for the first time, are reported to rank among the stars' finest portrayals.

## DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS BECAME ACTOR SOON AFTER COLLEGE GRADUATION

Douglas Fairbanks, who comes to the Texas Theatre on Sunday in "Mr. Robinson Crusoe," was born in Denver, Colo. In that city he was educated at the Jarvis Military Academy, at East Denver High School

and at the Colorado School of Mines. His boyhood training at Denver included fencing, dancing, dramatic literature and a wide range of athletic exercises beside regular academic studies.

When he was seventeen, Frederick Warde, a family friend, met young Douglas Fairbanks and added him to his repertoire company in New York, where the youthful aspirant ran the whole gamut of Shakespeare, acquiring valuable experience which he supplemented in special courses in Harvard University. Before long, Douglas Fairbanks was a Broadway star, the youngest of his rank.

Remarkable eyesight of some old people is attributed to excellent care of their eyes in their youth. But women's styles were different then.

That bandit killer who was sentenced to over 200 years in prison will find the first hundred the hardest.

### Helen Bagby Circle

The Helen Bagby Circle met Monday February 6th in the home of Mrs. R. P. Glenn with eleven ladies present. Opening song was "What A Friend We Have In Jesus." Prayer by Mrs. Coolie. The devotional was given by Mrs. L. P. Taylor reading the 86th Psalm. She also made a good talk on Prayer. There being no business, Mrs. Reynolds, our Bible teacher, taught a very interesting lesson from the Book of Titus.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends who were so thoughtful and courteous to us in the loss of our father and grandfather. Especially do we thank you for the beautiful floral offerings. May you find the same consoling friends should sorrow enter your home—Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Whiteker and family; Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Whiteker and family; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harcrow and family; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harcrow and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Whiteker; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Atkins; Mrs. Jessie Lieper.

## Roger's Press Agent

By MARK HEALEY

ROGER TRUE always had dreaded parties, but that night of the Shaw's dinner party everything seemed different. The charming Mrs. Shaw greeted him with a beaming smile and Mr. Shaw, whom he had met only once before, had greeted him like an old friend. After that Shaw and he had gone arm in arm into the drawing room while Mrs. Shaw had presented him to the other guests.

"I do want you to meet Mr. True," she would say to one of the older women, "Roger True, you know. It's a great treat to have him with us." Or to another guest, "Molly, dear, this is our friend Roger True. You and he must have a chat together." And then Mr. Shaw again taking his arm led him into the study to two of the older men. "This is Roger True," he told them. "He's doing great things at the Durand plant—put over that new dehydrated process." And then Roger True forgot all about his sandy red hair, his spectacles and his large awkward hands, and felt as much at ease as he would have felt at the Durand plant.

Naturally Mrs. Shaw didn't present him to Stella Howe because it was Stella who had introduced him to the Shaws just ten days ago at the Country club. Stella, talking to one of the younger men when Roger came in, had merely smiled and said "Hello, Roger," as Mr. Shaw led him to the library.

That half-hearted sort of greeting from Stella had been a little disconcerting and as Roger talked easily with the men in the library he had it in mind that later he must have a talk with Stella.

In the back of his mind Roger tried to figure out what had happened. Either Mrs. Shaw was one of those perfect hostesses whose object is to make shy and awkward guests feel at home, or else her guests were much more responsive than any he had met at parties at home.

Mr. Shaw insisted on driving Roger back to his hotel, an arrangement that made it impossible for him to go home with Stella.

"I'm sorry I didn't have a chance to talk to you," he told her when they chanced to meet in the hall. "Maybe I can see you tomorrow evening."

"Maybe," said Stella rather vaguely. Roger sat thinking things over in his hotel room after the party trying to account for his amazing success as compared with the sense of complete failure that he usually experienced. The odd thing had been that of all the guests he had met, Stella and the Shaws were the only ones he had known before, and the Shaws he had met but once before. "They treated me as if I were somebody important. That's why I didn't feel shy."

The next day Roger was too absorbed with conferences and consultations at the plant to worry much about the situation, but that night when he went to call on Stella his embarrassment amounted almost to humiliation.

"I'm afraid I made a fool of myself last night," Roger told her. "I'm sorry for your sake."

"Fool of yourself?" said Stella. "You were gorgeous. Mrs. Shaw has telephoned me twice to tell you how wonderful you are and two of the other people have called up to find out how much longer you'll be here in the East. They're planning to have more parties. Mr. Mason told Mrs. Mason you were the most brilliant young man he'd ever met. They want you for dinner Saturday."

"But how did they—" Roger began, and then stopped, as his eyes met Stella's. "What made them think I was somebody? I felt like the worst chump in the world. As a matter of fact, I've nothing to offer."

"Don't you ever say that again, Roger True," Stella said. "You know what you've done for Durand. I know, because you've told me and because my husband told me when he wrote that you were coming on."

"If I have done a little something—how do they know?"

"Because I told them. I told the Shaws that you were one of the cleverest men I know. I told them you were a comer. I told them that some day you'd be famous. I told them because I knew that if they didn't know it to start with they'd know you and that when people ignore you, you are like a soap. I know that what you need is a press agent."

"But, Stella, you had no right—" Roger realized he had made a false start. All that counted to matter then was that Stella thought he was somebody. How since he had not he had been fighting against his feelings of inadequacy, fighting against the claim that she moved over him—and here she was telling him that he was somebody, telling him he was the cleverest man she knew.

Roger left his chair and took her in his arms. "I can't figure it out, Stella," he told her. "I know I love you. But were there that I love you?"

## SUGGESTS CHANGE IN PROPOSED SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Y. L. Thomason, who was a candidate in the primary last year for State Senator from this district, objects to the bill now under consideration at Austin for redistricting the state. The proposed bill cuts Haskell county out of the 28th Senatorial District and places the county in a new district with a group of counties north of here.

Thomason has interviewed practically all the business men of Haskell regarding the proposed bill and he states that he finds the business interests of Haskell practically unanimously in favor of the district suggested by him and others here. The district as proposed in the bills contains the following counties with the population of each:

County	Population
Jones	24,223
Fisher	13,565
Scurry	12,188
Borden	1,505
Dawson	13,573
Gaines	2,900
Taylor	41,023
Nolan	19,323
Mitchell	14,183
Howard	22,888
Martin	5,785
Andrews	736
Total	171,900

The district suggested is as follows, with practically the same population:

County	Population
Jones	24,223
Fisher	13,565
Scurry	12,188
Taylor	41,023
Nolan	19,323
Mitchell	14,183
Knox	11,368
Haskell	16,669
Stonewall	5,667
Kent	3,851
King	1,193
Dickens	8,901
Total	171,902

It has been pointed out that the interests of Haskell, is and always has been with the counties represented in the proposed group and it is to our interest here to remain in the district if possible to do so.

## STATE TAXPAYERS TO "MARCH ON AUSTIN"

The All Statewide Meeting of the State Taxpayers Association of Texas will hold a two days' meeting in Austin, Friday and Saturday, February 10 and 11, with headquarters at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel. Regular sessions in Ball Room of the Hotel. Ex-Governor James E. Ferguson will make the principal address Friday night dealing with matters of State Government and Taxation.

The call to "March on to Austin" is to all taxpayers of the state, stated George B. Latham, secretary, at Association headquarters in Dallas, and the program of two days will be devoted to the reasonable demands now for Tax reduction to give relief which is justly due the Taxpayers of Texas. The special representatives of the Taxpayers Association who are attending the Legislature in the interest of the Taxpayers will make reports.

## Funeral Services Mrs. Lucy Cobb Friday Morning

The funeral services of Mrs. Lucy Cobb, 72, was held at Roberts last Friday morning at 10 o'clock conducted by Rev. C. Jones. The deceased died Thursday morning after an illness of several months. She moved to Haskell county with her husband in 1906; Mr. Cobb died exactly 11 years ago to a day.

Mrs. Cobb was a native Texan and had been a member of the Methodist Church since she was 12 years of age. Funeral arrangements were in charge of J. H. Kinney of the Kinney Funeral Home.

The deceased is survived by seven children, four sons and three daughters: C. M. Cobb, Houston; J. E. Cobb, Franklin; Mrs. L. W. Carter, Marathon; Mrs. W. E. Atchison, Haskell; T. C. Cobb, Haskell; D. L. Cobb, Basin, Wyo.; Mrs. L. W. Cain, Arabada, Wyo. Pallbearers: J. L. McGuire, J. C. Lewellen, J. A. Mapes, J. P. Wheatley, Ed Stanford and W. D. Darden.

Mesdames Eula Mapes, Willie Cobb, Willie Force and Floyd Mapes acted as flower girls.

A Scotchman went to the dentist to have a bad tooth out. He decided to take gas, even if it did cost extra. Just as the dentist started to get busy the patient took out his pocketbook.

The dentist remarked: "Oh, you needn't pay me yet. I'll trust you." The patient replied: "Yes, but I thought if I was going to be unconscious I might best count my money first."

Magistrate—Do you mean to say such a physical wreck as he, gave you that black eye? Plaintiff—Yer Honor, he wasn't a physical wreck till after he gave me the black eye!

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Editorials

SPECIAL HOLY YEAR

An anniversary which perhaps few thought about until the Pope called attention to it recently is at hand, it being 1900 years since the death of Christ, according to popular belief.

In proclaiming a special holy year for observance by Catholics from Passion Sunday, April 2, 1933, until April 4, 1934, the Pope said: "We are not sure whether the anniversary should fall in 1933 or 1934. The year 1933 is generally associated in the minds of simple citizens with 33 A. D., when Christ is believed to have died."

It is quite universally agreed by scholars within the church and without, that our present calendar is in error with respect to the beginning of the Christian era. Most authorities believe from exhaustive historical researches made concerning the matter that Christ was born three or four years earlier than our calendar year indicates.

The period of his active ministry is also uncertain, but it is thought to have been about three years, ending in his crucifixion at the approximate age of 33. The Gospels give little definite information with respect to any of these dates, and secular history is almost silent regarding the life of Christ.

In any event the special holy year will be observed as stated. The Pope said in his proclamation: "If the men of 2033 find more certain calculations for fixing the exact date they will know how to do their duty as we do ours now."

CURBING A NUISANCE

For many years numerous individuals and firms have greatly annoyed citizens throughout the country by sending them articles of merchandise, which have not been ordered, by mail "on approval."

Recipients of these unsolicited packages of merchandise, usually hosiery, neckties and other articles of no great value, have apparently accepted the stuff and paid for it in a large percentage of cases, thus encouraging the spread of the practice.

Senders of these goods have attempted to secure payment from unwilling customers by means of tracers sent through regular postal channels, thus apparently making the Post Office Department a party to the scheme. This has been resented by the Department, which now proposes legislation making these annoying practices an offense against the postal laws, a measure which will doubtless meet with general approval on the part of the public.

Until this nuisance shall be curbed by official action, intended victims might adopt measures of their own, similar to that employed by a certain physician, who received a \$2 package of socks which had not been ordered. Instead of sending the money, he wrote a letter enclosing a prescription which he assured the sender of the merchandise to be worth \$2 and asked that the account be balanced. The mail order man evidently possessed a sense of humor—at any rate he accepted the prescription and let it go at that.

With the ratification of the Norris "lame duck" amendment to the Constitution the administration of President-elect Roosevelt will end on January 20, 1937, instead of March 4, as heretofore. He will, therefore, have the distinction of serving a shorter entire term than any other president, past or future.

Baseball records show that attendance at the major league parks this year was about sixteen per cent below last year. Football statistics indicate that the crowds at the gridiron combats have shown a decline of about fifteen per cent this fall. The argument is not yet settled, it appears, and proponents of both sports insist that each is the leading American pastime.

Congress is certain to take up the question of banking reform in this country. The manner in which so many banks collapsed under the strain of the depression undoubtedly constitutes a national disgrace and presents a challenge to financial and legislative leaders.

The only woman traffic manager of an air line is said to be Miss Dorothy Boyd, who directs the airplanes of the Ludington line which fly between New York and Washington.

Pathfinder's definition of a hick town: Where the sewing circle is still the grand jury. Where the gossips get excited when a widower shaves on Wednesday. Where the natives are deferential to the college boy home for the holidays.



Haskell County History

40 YEARS AGO TODAY

The meeting of the citizens called together by Capt. B. H. Dodson and other leading citizens was held in the County Judge's office Monday to discuss ways and means of securing the establishment of the flour mill for Haskell. County Judge P. D. Sanders, was elected chairman and R. C. Lomax, secretary.

Dr. J. G. Simmons has returned from a trip to his old home in Arkansas.

F. G. Alexander of the Alexander & Company store has gone to St. Louis to buy the firm's spring stock of dry goods.

F. P. Morgan our popular and efficient county attorney left this morning for California where he will spend several months visiting. H. R. Jones will look after the duties of Mr. Morgan during his absence.

30 YEARS AGO TODAY

The residence and all its contents on the C. D. Grissom ranch 12 miles east of town was destroyed by fire last Friday. The fire was accidental. Mr. Grissom being out at the ranch at the time it occurred. He estimates his loss at between \$400 and \$500.

J. L. Baldwin shipped about 175 head of cattle to Kansas City by the way of Seymour. He has had these cattle on pasture and feed in Knox county.

Miss Mattie Comegys who has been visiting with the family of C. D. Grissom, left this morning for her home at Merkel.

Mrs. Major Smith of Stamford is visiting Mrs. W. J. Sowell, having come over from Throckmorton where she has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. N. G. Buchanan who died last week.

20 YEARS AGO TODAY

On the 12th inst., State Bank Examiner J. O. Jackson was here and checked in the Farmer State Bank for business and the bank opened up the next morning as a state institution. This bank succeeded to the business and good will of the Farmers National Bank, and will hold forth in the same building on the northeast corner of the square. The officers are the same as had charge of the Farmers National Bank for years, as follows: T. L. Montgomery, O. E. Patterson, H. S. Post, J. F. Pinkerton, J. L. Robertson, R. C. Montgomery, M. A. Clifton.

County Commissioner G. W. Sollock of Sagerton, J. S. Menefee of Rochester, E. L. Ridling of Weinert, and S. R. Rike of this city were in attendance upon the court this week.

Mrs. R. D. Lackey of Wichita Falls who has been visiting in this community returned to her home Sunday.

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Another Fish Story

A fisherman spied a snake which had just caught a frog. Desiring the frog for bait, he tried unsuccessfully by prodding and other means to make the snake release its prey; finally he pulled out a flask and poured a little liquor in the snake's mouth. The snake dropped the frog and slithered away.

Sometime later the fisherman felt a tug at his trousers, and found the snake, looking up expectantly—another frog in his mouth.

Young Lady (coming in with partner from room where progressive whist is played)—Oh, mummy, I've captured the booby.

Mother—Well, my dear daughter, come and kiss me both of you."

Snap Shots

Socialists are too impatient. Why can't they wait until we get to heaven, where all will be equal, if any?

Bet Senator Glass thinks that Senator Huey Long's filibuster against the Glass banking bill was a lot of huey.

Whatever else the President-elect may need for the great tasks ahead of him, he'll not lack for advice.

The Sing Sing football team does not have to worry about the disadvantages of playing on strange fields.

After all, it ought not to be such a hard job for Roosevelt to pick his cabinet. The political writers have picked a dozen or so for him.

Marriage statistics are deceptive, because there are so many repeaters nowadays.

Some people live to work, but more work reluctantly to live.

Newspapers that are "organs" generally play a monotonous tune.

It's said that one-fifth of the country's population is in school. And the other four-fifths are in the school of hard knocks.

The farmers might stand a chance of getting the present Congress to pass a bill condemning the corn-borer.

Nagging Pains are Warning Signals

TEMPORARY pain relief remedies may save you much suffering at the moment, but putting a mask over a warning signal does not clear up the condition it was telling you to avoid.

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The employer might be more in favor of the five-day week if he were sure it meant five days of real work.
It would be a lot better if people would live within their means and without their meanness.
The condor, says a natural science note, lays but one egg a year. About this time of year a lot of poultrymen probably wonder if some of their hens aren't related to that bird.
A scientist is conducting experiments to determine the elasticity of the human tissue. When he gets through with those tests he might try his hand at determining the elasticity of the human conscience.
The ideal husband is one who was caught young and properly trained.
Wouldn't it be fine if the law could find swindlers as easy as the suckers find them?
An economist is a fellow who tells you what to do with your money after you've done something else with it.
About the only place you can find a simple country girl anymore is in the milkmaid chorus of a musical revue.
Some girls' idea of thrift is to buy a half dozen new dance records at a time and play them for a week with the same needle.
The funny thing about a business revival is that those who have faith are never found on the mourners' bench.

Had a Woman
In illustrating a point he wished to make at a political gathering in the West a noted politician told of an epitaph which an Indiana man had caused to be inscribed upon the monument of his wife who had died after a somewhat tempestuous married life. This legend read:
'Here lies a wife. Tears cannot bring her back. Therefore her husband weeps.'
An engineer is said to be a man who knows a great deal about a very little, and who goes along knowing more and more about less and less until finally he knows practically everything about nothing; whereas, a salesman on the other hand, is a man who knows a very little about a great deal, and keeps knowing less and less about more until finally he knows practically nothing about everything.
Don't act like a mourner when you are not attending a funeral.

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An aged couple had been sitting in front of the fire a long time without speaking. At length the husband inquired: "What were you thinking?"

The wife replied: "I was just thinking how long we had lived together and that it couldn't go on forever like this and the time will soon come when one of us will have to go."

"Yes," assented the old man, "but it's no use to worry about that now."

"No," was the reply, "but I was just thinking that when it does happen I would like to go to California to live."

"It is the duty of everyone to make at least one person happy during the week," said a Sunday school teacher. "Have you done so, Freddy?"

"Yes," said Freddy promptly. "That's right. What did you do?"

"I went to see my aunt and she was happy when I went home."

"Dar is always sumpin' to be thankful about," said Uncle Eben. "When de watermelon fades away, de pork chop is right in its prime."

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Court of Jones County, Texas, on the 28th day of January, 1933, by Robert Cross, Clerk of said Court directing the sale of certain property therein described for the purpose of paying the sum of Fourteen Hundred, Sixty-Five and 00/100 Dollars, and costs of suit, under a certain judgment rendered by the said District Court of Jones County, Texas, in favor of Miss Sallie Davenport, in that certain cause in said Court, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5690, and styled Miss Sallie Davenport vs. H. H. Pennington, et al., said Order of Sale having been placed in my hands for service, I, W. T. Sarrels, as Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, did on the 2nd day of February, 1933, levy on the certain real estate described in said Order of Sale, the same being situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being described as follows, to-wit:

A tract of 61 acres, a part of Coryell County School League No. 60, Abstract No. 100, described by metes and bounds, as follows:

Beginning at the S. E. Corner of said School League No. 60; thence north 1119 varas to N. E. corner of said tract, a point in the east line of said League No. 60; Thence W. 307 varas to point for the N. W. corner of the 61 acre tract; Thence S. 1119 varas to corner, being a point in the S. B. line of said League No. 60; Thence E. with said S. B. line 307 varas to the place of beginning; being the land conveyed to Mary A. Livengood by deed of partition of the estate of R. L. Livengood, deceased, which deed is recorded in volume 90, page 343 deed records of Haskell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of H. H. Pennington, and that on the first Tuesday in March, 1933, the same being the 7th 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 order of sale I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. H. Pennington.

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 newspaper published in Haskell County, Texas.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of February, 1933.

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

**LE PENDING NOTICE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded immediately to make publication of

notice of the pendency of the hereinafter described suit once in each week for three consecutive weeks in some newspaper of general circulation published in your county; said suit being one filed and now pending in the District Court of Taylor County, Texas, wherein E. A. Calloway et al are Plaintiffs and Truscon Steel Company et al (including a co-partnership firm known as Sampson Construction Company, and F. O. Bennett and J. W. Sampson and O. O. Sampson, the members thereof; and Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland; and Haskell County, Texas) are defendants; said suit being numbered on the docket of said court No. 9170-A, and the nature of said suit being:

The various parties plaintiff and interveners in said suit seek recovery against the defendants Sampson Construction Company and the members thereof, and the Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland, and Haskell County, Texas, for labor and or material alleged to have been furnished to and used by said Sampson Construction Company, as contractor, in the construction of certain improvements and additions to the Court House of Haskell County, Texas, located in Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, under a contract between said Sampson Construction Company and Haskell County executed under date of August 10, 1931. Various parties plaintiff and interveners seek recovery against the said defendants Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland as surety for said contractor, Sampson Construction Company, on a certain surety bond alleged to have been executed by said contractor and surety pursuant to the requirements and provisions of Article 5160 of the current Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; in which suit all parties having claims against said surety on said bond and or in connection with said job are required to intervene under Articles 5161, 5162, 5163, and 5164 of the current Revised Civil Statutes of Texas.

Notice, therefore, is hereby given of the pendency of said suit to the end that all parties having any claims against said contractor and surety and or against and in connection with said job may intervene in said cause, become parties thereto, and assert such claims therein; the notice being given pursuant to Article 5164 of the current Revised Civil Statutes of Texas.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1933.

**BELLE WELLSBORN,**  
Clerk, District Court, Taylor County, Texas.

Our Mammoth Incubator is now running. Set each Monday. Custom Hatching, \$2.00 per tray of 120 eggs. Have White Leghorn Baby Chicks for sale now. W. P. Trice. 2

**FARM FOR RENT** or sale. Ready to plant. You move in; I will move out. C. W. Goodwin, Haskell. 1p

**RADIO SERVICE** and Repair. Free inspection; all work guaranteed and done by a Radio Engineer. Call McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co., or Payne Drug Co. 1tp

**WANTED**—Middle-aged lady to do housekeeping on farm. Mrs. H. E. Melton, Sayles community, Haskell Texas. 2tp

**FOR RENT**—Nice front bedroom, adjoining bath; private entrance. Gentleman preferred. See Mrs. Gladys Pace. 1tp

**NOTICE!**  
The Hughes Ranch is posted. Wood haulers stay out. J. D. Hughes. 2tp

**FOR SALE**—Seed oats clean of Johnson grass, 20c per bushel. G. E. Cearley, 1 mile south of square. 2p

**WANTED**—Two single men to work crop on shares; board and lodging furnished and will give free rent on 20 acres land. J. D. Roberts, Weinert, Texas. 2tp

Go to college, but don't stay there too long.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Jersey milk cows, also one white faced registered bull. One and one-half mile southeast Howard school. W. L. Johnson. 3tp

**BABY CHICKS**—Reds or Barred Rocks, \$4.95. Buff or Black Minorcas \$4.95. English White Leghorns \$4.50. Heavy assorted \$4.50. Postpaid. Write for prices other breeds. We are serving satisfied customers in eight southern states. Why should you pay more? Hamlin Hatchery, Hamlin, Texas. 4c

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
Sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County at its next regular term, which is February 13, 1933, from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker in Haskell county that may desire to be

selected as the depository of the school funds of the Common School Districts of Haskell county. Said bids will be received until 10 o'clock a. m. on the above date at the office of the county judge, Haskell, Texas, at which time bids will be opened. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This notice is given in compliance with Chapter Two, Article 2544, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925. Chas. M. Conner, County Judge, Haskell county, Texas. 2c

**MORE SCHOOL SCRIP NOW PAYABLE**  
Scrip issued by the Haskell Independent Schools District of the series of 1931-32 is now payable up to and including No. 1860. Series of 1932-33 is now payable up to and including No. 34. Parties holding these numbers and below may present them to the Secretary of the board for payment.

Haskell School Board.

**NOTICE TO BANKING CORPORATIONS**  
Notice is hereby given to all banking corporations in Haskell county, Texas, that the Commissioners' Court of said county will on the second Tuesday in February, A. D. 1933, the same being the 14th day of said month, receive proposals from any banking corporation in the county aforesaid, that may desire to be selected as a depository of the funds of said Haskell county, Texas, and also as depository for the trust funds of the District and County Clerks of Haskell county, Texas. Said proposals shall be delivered to the County Judge of Haskell county, Texas, on or before 10 o'clock a. m. on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1933.

All proposals must be sealed and each proposal must state the rate of interest that said banking corporation offers to pay on the funds of the county, for the term between the date of such bid and sixty days after the second Tuesday in February, 1935.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check payable to the County Judge of Haskell county, Texas, in the sum of \$1,000.00, the same being not less than one-half of one percent of the County revenue of the preceding year, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if his bid shall be accepted said banking corporation will enter into and give the required bond. Upon the failure of the Banking Corporation that

may be selected as such depository to give the required bond the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages.

Done by order of the Commissioners' Court, Haskell County, Texas, in regular session on this the 14th day of January, A. D. 1933.

Chas. M. Conner,  
County Judge Haskell County, Texas.

**CITATION**  
The State of Texas.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to notify all persons, firms and corporations, their heirs and assigns, who furnished labor or materials, for which payment has not been made, for use in or which were used in the construction of the Haskell County Court House located in Haskell at Haskell County, Texas, during the year, A. D. 1931, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Taylor County, 42nd Judicial District of Texas, at the Court House in Abilene, Texas, on the 20th day of February A. D. 1933, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's Petition, filed in suit in said Court on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1932, wherein D. A. Callaway, operating under the firm name of West Texas Tile Company, is Plaintiff, and Truscon Steel Company, a Michigan corporation; Bedford Carthage Stone Company, a corporation, Universal Building Products Company, a corporation; A. H. Wain, Wichita Sash & Door Company, a Kansas corporation; Franklin Plumbing & Supply Company, a corporation; J. B. Klempfner & Laundry Company, an Oklahoma corporation; Jones, Cox & Company, Inc., a Texas corporation; W. B. Brazelton; T. B. Brazelton and C. M. Brazelton, copartners operating under the name of Brazelton Lumber Company; West Texas Builders Supply Company, a Texas corporation; E. G. Ford and W. E. Ford, operating as Ford Bros. Roofing Company; Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company; Pennsylvania Corporation; H. L. Spencer; K. T. Spencer, A. G. Yates and Mrs. A. G. Yates, Mrs. Kate Lattimer Spencer, a feme sole, and John A. Couch, operating under the firm of R. B. Spencer & Company, as partners; A. T. Kasch; Reliance Clay Products Company, a corporation; Carthage Marble Corporation, a corporation; John P. McCall; Sweetwater Sash & Door Company

a corporation; Burton Lingo Company, a corporation; Clow Gastean Heating Company, an Illinois corporation; J. D. Curd; J. S. Sellers; T. I. Avery; O. G. Ave.; Floyd Rogers; D. W. Knight; Chas. M. Conner, operating as Conner Nursery & Floral Company of Haskell County, Texas; Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Corporation, a Texas corporation; Haskell County, Texas, a political subdivision of the State of Texas; J. W. Sampson, Oran Sampson, and F. O. Bennett, operating as Sampson Construction Company; West Texas Utilities Company, a corporation; M. C. Butler, F. L. Butler, Hugh Dyer, operating as copartners under the firm name of The Butler Company, architects of Lubbock; Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland, a Maryland corporation; are Defendants.

File No. of said suit being No. 9170-A.

The nature of the Plaintiff's demand is as follows, to-wit: Suit on contractor's bond and conditions for payment for all labor and materials used in the construction of said building, alleged to have been executed by J. W. Sampson, Oran Sampson and Frank Bennett, operating as Sampson Construction Company, as principal, and by defendant Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland as surety, and you will give notice of the pendency of such suit, by causing publication of this notice to be made in some newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Haskell, in the county of Haskell, Texas, once each week for three successive weeks, the last of such publications to be made at least one week prior to the return date of this writ.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1933, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Abilene, Texas, this the 17th day of January 1933.

(Seal) Belle Weiborn, Clerk District Court, Taylor County, Texas

Out in Colorado they want a simplified government. All states should have it if things remain in the control of the simple-minded politicians.

According to a news dispatch, President-elect Roosevelt is a good poker player. He'll need all his skill when he sits in with that European crowd.

# ONLY A FEW DAYS LEFT

Until The Close Of Our  
**Bargain Day Offer**

**THE HASKELL FREE PRESS \$1.00**  
In Haskell And Adjoining Counties  
**ONE YEAR FOR . . . . .**

# NEWS FROM OVER WEST TEXAS

## Old Glory Pioneer Buried Friday

From The Radio Review— One of the early settlers of Old Glory, Mr. Fritz Mischer, died of heart disease Wednesday, January 25. He was laid to rest Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Old Glory cemetery.

Mr. Mischer was born December 29, 1857, at Roundtop, Fayette county, Texas. He moved with his family to Stoneham county in 1907.

Funeral services were conducted by Mr. B. Walters, assisted by Mr. L. Gerloff, president of the Sons of Herman Lodge.

Surviving him are his wife, two daughters, Eddie and Cuno Mischer, Mrs. Ollie Wendeborn and Mrs. Alvin Trudner, also six grandchildren, all of Old Glory.

Decased was loved and respected by all who knew him, and many hearts were made sad at his going.

## Only About Half City and School Taxes Paid at Monday

From The Radio Review— City taxes to the extent of approximately 45 per cent were paid to Tuesday evening, the final date for payment without penalty and interest, according to D. T. Mauldin, tax collector.

School taxes came in a little better, there being collected approximately 31 per cent of school taxes paid in the Monday Independent district, however, some of these payments were made in scrip that had been issued by the district, and the schools are therefore in dire need of funds. The city has issued no scrip to date.

## To Celebrate Opening of Bridge

From The Radio Review— At last Friday's meeting of the Service Club plans were discussed for celebrating the completion of the new bridge across the Brazos river which is going to be completed and ready for traffic in a few short weeks.

## Stanford Lumber Yard Safe Robbed of Cash

From The Radio Review— Burglars "knocked" the knob off the C. D. Shamburger Lumber Co.'s safe and robbed it of between \$18 and \$20 Wednesday night. The burglar gained entrance to the office by climbing the back fence and forcing open the door between the lumber yard and the office. Tom Smith discovered and reported the theft when he opened up early Thursday morning.

## Seymour Bank Pays Another Dividend

From The Radio Review— Another dividend of 12 per cent was paid this month by the First State Bank to the depositors. This added to the one of 11 per cent previously paid makes a total of 23 per cent paid to depositors.

Other dividends will be paid in the future as collections are made on notes held by the bank. However, of necessity such collections are bound to proceed somewhat slowly for several months to come, and it would be too much to hope for another dividend any time soon.

## County Wide Test for Tuberculosis in Castle is Started

From The Radio Review— Arrangements have been made to begin a comprehensive tuberculin test of all cattle in Jones county. This work is being done under the direction of the State Licensed Sanitary Commission of Texas, the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, co-operating with the County Commissioners. There will be no expense to the stock owner for the county for this work.

## Hunt's Store Has Moved to Haskell

From The Radio Review— The stock of merchandise of Hunt's Store was moved to Haskell this week. It is with deep regret that we see this good firm leave Rochester. Hunt's Store has made a great deal to Rochester. Mr. Curran Hunt, who has been in charge since the firm opened here about four years ago, has always been identified with every good movement for the progress of Rochester. In fact has taken the lead in many instances for things that would help Rochester. We believe in spreading flowers around the pathway of the living and not wait until they are dead to heap encomiums upon them. The people know that Curran Hunt has been their friend. Many towns can testify to that fact. He was ever ready to contribute his share to the unfortunate, and if the needy ever had a friend in this community it was Curran Hunt. Big hearted and generous to the extreme in his nature, the can't resist the plea of those in need.

## Weaver

At this writing there is a great deal of sickness scattered over our community. Mr. Ralston reports a very sick baby at their place. Mr. Nelson Whitehead has been in bed and also part of his family the last few days, and little Paul Cox is reported very sick at this time.

We had a very nice crowd out to hear Bro. Hammer deliver his messages which were preached Sunday, his regular meeting day. Also had nice attendance at Sunday School. Everybody has a cordial invitation to come visit with us and help carry on the Lord's work.

Mr. Tom Wiley and family were in our midst Sunday visiting with relatives. Also Grandma Cox of Howard, Mrs. Rose Bischoffhausen was visiting in Stoneham Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Howard of Old Glory was visiting in our community Sunday night.

Mrs. Emma Cox and family were visiting in Albany Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Andress returned home from a visit with her daughter who lives close to Rochester, Saturday.

Mrs. S. J. Noonkester of Hamlin, a sister of Mrs. E. C. Capers, was visiting in their home Saturday night and Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson of Trent spent a short while Sunday in the Capers home.

A good many farmers have begun plowing their land for another crop. Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald was called away from her school last Thursday on account of the death of her mother-in-law. They have the deepest sympathy of the community.

Stomach trouble is often helped by skipping one meal. Drink lots of water. Add a spoonful of Adierika each morning to clean out poisons in stomach and bowels. Oates Drug Store.

M. E. Church Society The W. M. M. Society met in business session Monday afternoon with four teen present, Mrs. H. M. Smith presiding.

Opening song, "More Love to Thee" Prayer—Mrs. Kimbrough. Minutes read by Mrs. Jno. Wilson. Reports from Officers. Devotional—Mrs. B. Cox. Mrs. Smith, president, reported that year books would be issued soon and that the Bible course would constitute the study of Hosea, Micah and Amos, with Mrs. Wallace Cox as superintendent. Mrs. B. Cox was made chairman of the Flower Fund.

The Society has decided to observe each third Monday as visiting day. Meeting closed with prayer.

The one bill that never meets with any opposition in the Legislature is the one providing for the remuneration of the law makers.

# SPORTS

## WITH THE PEE-TOPPLERS

### Thursday Night, Standard vs. Haskell, at Haskell.

Stanford	144	233	147	524
Overyby	148	177	162	487
Meredith	142	155	117	417
Capps	172	225	184	581
Vetetto	149	160	128	447
Totals	604	708	610	2002

### Wednesday Night

Decker	121	125	177	423
Short	195	194	160	549
Bradley	137	179	174	490
Cummins	181	245	158	582
Watson	174	150	161	484
Totals	709	698	626	2039

## Texas Cafe

McAnulty	163	213	141	517
Roberts	275	131	183	589
Killingworth	174	143	179	496
Patterson	192	192	180	564
Bettis	209	176	201	586
Totals	911	655	684	2250

## Stanford vs. Haskell, at Stanford

Stanford	186	148	180	514
Black	158	193	201	552
Adams	173	175	200	548
Vetetto	175	152	165	492
Capps	240	131	202	573
West	191	168	171	530
Totals	911	800	1008	2719

## Haskell

Meadors	194	145	150	489
Warren	155	190	180	525
Patterson	187	168	171	526
Watson	93	172	194	469
Dr. Smith	204	188	160	552
Totals	533	663	774	1970

Stanford will play at Haskell Thursday night.

# Free Swap Ads

LOST—Billfold, containing ocean tickets, keys, papers and two one dollar bills. Reward for return to Free Press office.

WILL SWAP—Milk cows, yearlings or hogs for anything of equal value. W. A. Holt.

WILL EXCHANGE pure Mebane cotton seed for Half and Half. Call Tom Pinkerton farm, Frank Lewellen.

SWAP—Barned Plymouth Rock roosters, cockerels, and hatching eggs for what have you? Paul Zahn.

SEVERAL nice roosters of different breeds, for breeding stock, will swap for turkey eggs. W. W. Johnson, Route 1.

WANT TO SWAP a disk goaded with knives, in good shape for a battery radio in good shape. J. C. Solomon, Box 196.

SWAP 45 Colt automatic, and a 22 Winchester repeating rifle for better yearlings. Clay Smith.

SWAP practically new P & O walking beater for almost anything of value. Frank Lewellen.

WILL EXCHANGE evergreen, tube rose bulbs, canna bulbs, all colors, snapdragons and stock plants for home cured meat, and chickens, for immediate or later delivery. Mrs. Chas. Conner, Haskell, Texas.

WELLYS KNIGHT auto to trade for Bronck, males, cows, hogs, 3 row stalk culture, 2 cow cultivator. New rubber battery, No 1 shape. C. W. Goodwin, Haskell, Texas.

WANT TO TRADE 100 400 4000 matic incubator, good as new, for better heating. First house south of Pleasant Valley schoolhouse. Louis Free.

WILL SWAP—Good bright bundled cane for anything of value. Call Tom Pinkerton farm, Frank Lewellen.

TO SWAP—One refrigerator, holds 21 lbs, for a good bedstead and springs, or china cabinet. W. J. Kendrick.

R. J. RED hatching eggs from 3 grand matings and the best stock making we ever put together, to swap for good maize, hay or good pigs, eggs to be valued at \$1000 to \$1500 per setting. J. W. Pritchett, Sagerton, Texas, 9 miles south of Tulsa.

TO SWAP—One two hundred and fifty egg incubator, almost new, for a good break plow or good wood cook stove. W. J. Kendrick.

Specially prepared cotton is now used to protect metal pipes which in through alkaline soils.

The world's largest ocean liner, which will be 1005 feet long, is under construction in France.

LET'S SWAP!—Good P & O Sulky Plow for incubator, good gentle saddle pony, or would trade for saddle. T. M. Patterson, Haskell, Route 1.

TWO GOOD electric cook stoves, will trade for anything of equal value. Tom Lemmon.

WILL SWAP A good electric washing machine for piano. Babies high chair, baby bed and mattress for anything of equal value. Phone 379.

FOR SWAP — Walking middle busser for bundle feed or pigs. See J. E. Walling.

FOR TRADE—A saddle for a 22 pump rifle. W. L. Harrow, Rochester, Texas.

TO EXCHANGE—3 14 foot bath tub with legs for good milk cow. H. J. Hambleton.

WILL TRADE a good C. G. Conn C Melody Saxophone and old style Singer sewing machine for an electronic sewing machine or anything of equal value. Phone 287.

WILL SWAP carpenter or paint work for hogs, chickens, cows, feed, wood, or in fact anything I can use. W. R. Cook.

WILL SWAP Model A roadster body, in good shape, for pigs. Panhandle Garage.

WILL SWAP you gas, oil, accessories, batteries, mechanical works, parts, or anything we handle, for 10x12 tires. Panhandle Garage.

FOR TRADE—One good 37 model T Ford coupe, will trade for cattle or horses. Five miles southeast of Sagerton. J. E. Newton.

FOR TRADE—Two good single row cultivators, several sets of chain harness, collars and bridles. Five miles southeast of Sagerton, Route 1, Box 21. W. W. Newton.

SWAP—Hogs for heifer or bull yearling or milk cow. Frank Bodeker, Stamford, Route 2.

WILL SWAP milk cow or yearling for second hand windmill, overhead tank and pipes. W. W. Griffin, Haskell, Route 2.

WILL SWAP—Good horse and tub, two cows, one horse harrow, or gentler team, Hereford or red cows or pigs. Only good stuff offered. Kate Snyder.

FOR TRADE—A single row plow and sulky breaking plow for a two row plow. W. L. Harrow, Rochester, Texas.

SWAP—Have some nice young Leghorn breeding cockerels to swap for pigs, young Jersey heifers or what have you? W. P. Trice.

WILL SWAP Sanders double disc making plow for cow, cultivator or what have you? E. B. McDur.

SWAP good 2-wheel trailer for pigs, chickens or fed. Dr. A. Q. Gentry.

WILL SWAP 14 inch moleboard plow for anything of equal value. J. A. Blake, Haskell.

LET'S SWAP—Good P & O sulky plow for incubator or saddle pony. Must be gentle or would trade for saddle.

I WANT TO TRADE a tent and feed for a good two-row cultivator. Jewell Day, 8 miles west O'Brien.

WILL SWAP fancy quilts, for corn, wheat, oats, hogs, or second hand lumber. Mrs. W. L. Norgon.

WILL SWAP Fordson Tractor with belt pulley, for chickens or anything of its value. W. M. Cass.

WILL TRADE hemstitching for eggs, chickens, home-cured meat or home canned food. Mrs. E. A. Irby.

SWAP YEARLINGS for most anything of equal value. E. B. McDonald.

TO SWAP—Dodge coupe, one mare, one cow and 200-egg incubator. What have you? G. E. Davis, 4 miles west Weinert.

TRADE—One new weed slide for electric radio. W. A. Carline.

WILL SWAP—Peterson Tractor and breaking plow for cows or horses. A. J. Josselit.

SWAP pigs for anything. L. J. Isham.

WILL SWAP child's saddle for heifer yearling. L. J. Isham.

SWAP White Leghorn baby chicks for headed maize delivered or place. Can use 20 tons bright maize. W. P. Trice.

# TEXAS

FRI., FEB. 10—

ROCK-A-BYE with Constantine BERRYETT Joel McCREA

SAT., FEB. 11—

Tim McCoy in End of the Trail Children under 12, 5 cents.

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Joan Bennett, Spencer Tracy in "Me and My Gal"

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