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FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

PARADE AT 11:00 WILL OPEN 7TH ANNUAL FAIR

Her Majesty, Queen of the Haskell County Fair, and the West Texas Beauties Who Make Up Her Court



1. MISS MARINE ROWLAND 2. MISS FAYE McCANDLESS 3. MISS ELIZABETH STEELE 4. MISS LILLIAN McGLATHLIN 5. MISS MARY TOM BRAGG 6. MISS ERMINE ALVIS 7. MISS NORMA YORK 8. MISS TOMMYE ECHOLES 9. MISS ANNA MAUD TAYLOR 10. MISS MILDRED JONES 11. MISS WONNA WILLIAMS 12. MISS IRENE McGREGOR 13. MISS OLLIE BREWER

More Entries Than Ever Comprise This Year's Event

With the largest number of entries of any year since the inauguration of the Haskell county fair, the seventh Haskell county fair will open at 11 o'clock tomorrow at the Haskell fair grounds. . . .

At noon of the parade is over the gates to the Fair Grounds will be opened to the public and according to those who have the different departments in charge, the exhibits that are being displayed will be a revelation to those who attend especially to the entries who will be in attendance from all neighboring counties. . . .

The queen of the fair will take her seat at the head of the grand stand which promises to be the best ever seen at any attempt to hold a fair.

The fair will be the main attraction over the week, and will be the biggest of the kind ever held in Haskell county. . . .

Weather Outlook Promising With the heavy clouds the first of the week and a clear sky this morning the weather promises to be favorable and the largest number ever in attendance at the fair is expected.

Delegation from every town in the section including 250 from Wichita Falls, 100 from Abilene and large numbers from Stamford, Archer, Hamilton, Rule, Rockledge, Knox City, Weimar, Munday and Throckmorton and other neighboring towns are assured.

TWELVE NEGROES ARRESTED IN RAID ON DICE SHOOTING

Over a dozen of Haskell's dusky boys whose pennies for winning at dice became their best friend were placed under arrest yesterday afternoon following a raid by Sheriff Sartell and Deputy Hays on a negro home near the city where a lively dice game in progress. Eleven men and one woman were participating in the festivities when the uninvited guests in the persons of "the law" made an abrupt halt in the festivities.

Funeral Services of Weibert Lady Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Stella Weibert, 25, wife of Elmer Williams, were held Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 15, at 2:30 o'clock at the Weibert Baptist church, with pastor, Rev. Duff, officiating. Burial was in the Weibert cemetery. Mrs. Williams' death occurred Sunday, Oct. 14, at the family home after an illness of only a few days. The deceased is survived by her husband and four children. Mrs. C. E. Robertson of Seymour and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. V. Robertson last weekend.

Archer City to Join Caravan To Haskell Fair

Archer City will add several cars to the caravan leaving Wichita Falls Thursday to attend the Haskell county fair, according to Wilburn Page, secretary of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Wichita Falls. Grady Bell, manager of the Archer City Chamber of Commerce, and Frank Power, former mayor of Archer City, were in Wichita Falls Friday to attend the business council meeting and expressed enthusiasm for the proposed trip to Haskell, expressing a desire to add an Archer City group to the caravan.

9,646 Bales of Cotton Ginned in the County

There were 9,646 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Haskell county from the crop of 1930 prior to Oct. 1st, 1930, as compared with 4,339 bales ginned to the same date last year. This information is furnished by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Mrs. J. U. Fields attended a luncheon given in her honor in Abilene last week.

In the center at the top of the picture above is Her Majesty, Miss Elizabeth Steele of Rule, Texas, queen of the Haskell county fair which opens on October 16. Surrounding her are her twelve ladies, chosen from the beauties of West Texas. Miss Steele is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Steele of Rule. Her attendants are Miss Maxine Rowland, maid-of-honor, Stamford; Miss Faye McCandless, maid-of-honor, Rule; Miss Lillian McGlothlin, maid-of-honor, Munday; Miss Mary Tom Bragg, maid-of-honor, Rockledge; Miss Ermine Alvis, princess, Rockledge; Miss Norma York, princess, Stamford; Miss Tommye Echols, princess, Throckmorton; Miss Anna Maud Taylor, Haskell; Miss Mildred Jones, lady-in-waiting, Haskell; Miss Wonna Williams, princess, Munday; Miss Irene McGreggor, Haskell; Miss Ollie Brewer, princess, Archer City. Photos through courtesy Wichita Daily Times.

18 YEAR-OLD GIRL COMPLAINANT IN ALLEGED ASSAULT

Funeral Services of B. C. Duke Held Monday Afternoon B. C. Duke, age 81, died at his home in this city Sunday, Oct. 12th after a lingering illness. Funeral services were held at the family residence Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. E. Gaston Foote, pastor of the First Methodist Church after which the body was laid to rest in Willow cemetery. Deceased was born in Mississippi, Dec. 15, 1849. He had lived in Haskell for several years and is the father of Mrs. Frank Partain of this city. Surviving him are eight children and several grand-children, surviving children who were here for the last time were Mrs. Griffin of Abilene; Mrs. Joe Blair of Rule, and Mrs. Frank Partain. The other children were unable to be here. The deceased ones have the heart alt sympathy of a host of friends in their sorrow.

McCutley was arrested in Rule early Monday morning by Constable Will Farley of that city, and later was brought to the county jail for confinement. Officers said that the deceased man had served a term in the State Penitentiary upon a conviction, received at Silverton, on the same offense.

Curtis Robin Monoplane Here to Carry Passengers

Visitors to the Haskell county fair may have the added thrill of an airplane ride in a Curtis Robin monoplane should they desire, as Pilot Peter Kimes arrived in Haskell Wednesday in his plane. To remain for the remainder of the week. The plane is using the Kite field in east of town as a landing field. Mr. Kimes states that his plane is a sister ship to the St. Louis Robin, which holds the world's endurance record.

Infant Son of Mr. Mrs. O. H. Andress Buried Thursday

Funeral services for Oscar Hurley Andress, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Andress of the Weaver community were held at the Baptist Church in this city Thursday afternoon Oct. 9, after which the little body was laid to rest in Willow cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. E. H. Dickerson, former pastor of the Weaver Baptist Church. Death occurred Wednesday, Oct. 8th, after about three weeks illness. Oscar Hurley Andress was born Sept. 5th, 1929, and is survived by his parents, one sister, and a number of relatives who mourn his passing. The bereaved ones have the sincerest sympathy of a host of friends in their hour of sorrow.

TWO PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM JAIL HERE SUNDAY NIGHT

Two inmates of the county jail, J. E. Marvin and Harold Henderson, escaped from their cell on the third floor of the building Sunday night, between twelve and one o'clock, after they had sawed a chair in two and picked the lock on the cell door. A wooden key which the prisoners had fitted to the lock was found in the cell Monday morning. After escaping from their cell, the inmates lowered themselves to the ground with an improvised rope of blankets. Mrs. Sartell, wife of the sheriff, was awakened by the escaping men, and tried at them in an effort to halt the looting, but the men ran from the jail yard before she could summon help. Mr. Sartell had been called to Rochester earlier in the night, and the subjects evidently timed their escape aware of his absence. Marvin was being held on a larceny charge, and Henderson only last week received a two-year penitentiary sentence on a conviction for burglary. They were the only inmates of the jail at the time. Fort Worth officers having taken three other prisoners who were confined here to that city the latter part of last week. Officers of surrounding towns were notified of the jail break, but no trace of the fugitives has developed to date.

Miss Ora Mae Haynie of Ft. Worth visited her grandmother, Mrs. B. McNeill last weekend.

Miss Lois Welch, who is teaching in Wichita Falls is spending this weekend at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch. She was accompanied by her roommate, Miss Mary C. Williams.

FUNERAL HELD FOR CECIL TURNBOW VICTIM GAS FIRE

Bullin received ten days ago from Ganning gasoline, which enveloped his body, proved fatal early Tuesday morning to Cecil Turnbow, 14, at the Tompkins farm six miles south of town.

The accident which cost the youth's life occurred as he was striking matches in order that Leslie Cox, another employe of the farm, could see to draw gasoline from the tank of an automobile.

As a bucket of gasoline which he was handling became ignited Cox gasfied it from him, unaware that the contents were being thrown in the direction of the youth. Turnbow's body was enveloped and Cox burned his hands and arms severely as he tore the boy's clothing away and fought out the flames.

The youth was a son of J. C. Turnbow, former sheriff of Haskell county. The family no longer resides in this section and the boy was employed at the Tompkins farm.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church here Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The Rev. H. K. Whitley, pastor, officiated.

Preaching Sunday Afternoon at 2:30 Courthouse Lawn

F. S. Lockridge, Primitive Baptist minister, will conduct services at 2:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon at the courthouse lawn, a number of other ministers. A cordial invitation is extended to all who will attend.

Physical Fitness, Ability to Concentrate Helped Bobby Jones Win Title Matches

"King" Bobby Jones, the Atlanta Georgia, barrister, is the crowned head of goldfom today because he has learned the lesson of physical fitness and the value of a reserve well of energy, ready for use in emergencies.



Above: Bobby Jones teeing off at Merion during his smashing victory over Hornum. Left: The American Amateur Cup won by Jones, making his fourth major conquest during 1930.



Gas Use Growing

An interesting aspect of American progress is the tremendous increase in the amount of gas use for home heating. In 1927, according to a recent report, 12 billion cubic feet of manufactured gas was used for this purpose, and in 1929, 27 billion cubic feet of manufactured gas was used for this purpose, and in 1929, 27 billion cubic feet—an increase of more than 125 per cent in two years. The records for 1930 will undoubtedly show another great increase.

The figures tell a remarkable story of domestic progress. The American home owner has received gas with enthusiasm because its efficiency, economy, cleanliness and adaptability to automatic control. It may be that in a few years the home without an automatic heating system will be as rare as today's home without electric lights.

Rose H. D. Club

The Rose H. D. Club met with Mrs. Bert Davis last Friday morning with nine members and Miss Partlow present. The meeting was in the morning in order that Miss Partlow could be present to help see about the score card for the fair. Most of the card has been filled and the rest will have been finished by Thursday. The place of the next club meeting will be announced later.

Like Lupe Velez and Armida, Nita Rey, petite Mexican beauty, who plays opposite Bob Steele in Tiffany's all-talking western drama, "Oklahoma Cyclone," a Trem Carr production gained her first professional experience on the stage singing and dancing. Her lovely voice is heard with Steele in the theme song of the picture, "Song of the Range." J. P. McCarthy directed the production. "Oklahoma Cyclone" comes to the Texas Theatre on Friday and Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our many friends for the loving kindness shown us during the illness and death of our darling babe boy. Especially do we thank Mrs. Cappers, Mrs. Hartsfield and Miss Juanita Dunlap for their kindness and Bro. E. H. Dickerson for his comforting words. Also thank our friends for the beautiful floral offering. Should trouble ever come your way may you have the same loving kindness. May God's richest blessings rest upon you all in our sincere prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herley Andress and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Andress and family; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lackey and family. ltp

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Heard of a fellow the other day who bet he could kiss the first girl he should come to, and reports are that it took him a half hour to come to.

Another old saying that is no longer appropriate is the one about looking a gift horse in the mouth. Nobody ever given a horse away these days.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, etc., required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Haskell Free Press published weekly at Haskell, Texas for October 1st, 1930, State of Texas.

County of Haskell, ss. Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Sam A. Roberts, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner of the Haskell Free Press and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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Sam A. Roberts, Publisher. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of October, 1930. (Seal) O. E. Patterson (My commission expires June 1, 1931.)

Snap Shots

A movie note says that a song writer for a Hollywood film company wears number twelve shoes. Apparently he's not the guy who tipped through the tulips.

If television is perfected a woman will have to powder her nose and use her lipstick before answering the telephone.

It is claimed that weeds cost the American farmer three billions a year, which represents about sixty billion five-cent cigars.

Coins used in the South Sea Islands, we are told, sometimes weigh as much as a half pound apiece. Only a shot putter could pitch pennies there, it would seem.

The fellow who sings his own praise generally does it in a high key.

Classified Ads

PIANO FOR SALE—Or Trade. Good as new. See Mrs. Vaughn Bailey.

FOR SALE—Jersey Cow, good milker. L. J. Isham, at H. H. Har-din, Lumber yard.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—New Mexico Farm and Ranch. J. C. Orton, Rule, Texas. 2tp.

PLUMBING—Gas Fitting, Standard Plumbing Supplies, Phone 100. Jones & Son, Haskell, Texas. 1tc.

FOR SALE—Two Ford trucks in A1 shape; new casings all round. Will trade or take good notes. See R. C. Couch at Farmers State Bank.

FOR SALE—Mules, second hand implements, (good shape, no junk). Taken in trade on Farmall Tractors Jones, Cox & Co. 1tc.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—My 100 acre farm 7 miles north, and residence in city of Haskell. T. M. Potteet, P. O. Box, 171. 2tc.

FOR RENT—Furnished bed rooms, hot and cold water, four blocks square, Hudson home place. Meals if desired. Phone 347. Mrs. J. M. Diggs. 1tc.

FARMS WANTED—I have some prospective buyers for several 100 acre improved farms, in Haskell County, Texas. Henry Johnson, 204 Flatiron Bldg. Ft. Worth, Tex. 3tc.

FOR RENT—3 Room House, all modern conveniences, 3 blocks from square, \$20.00 per month. Leo Southern. 1tc.

FOR SALE—Lot 1, Block 86 Peter Allen original survey, Texas Address Owner, 717 Stewart, Ave. Houston, Texas. 1tp

5 1/2 Per Cent Federal Land Bank Loans. The Federal Land Bank of Houston has reduced its lending rate to 5 1/2% with 3 1/2 years time with liberal options for paying at any date. Other lending concerns have raised their rates. This 5 1/2% rate is now full 1% below any rate offered in this section. Why Pay More? Rule National Farm Loan Assn. W. H. McCANDLESS, Secretary-Treasurer

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Remember the old fashioned stenographer who used a pompadour for a pencil-holder?
Notice of Execution Sale
The State of Texas, County of Haskell.
By virtue of an execution issued out of the county court of Throckmorton county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 12th day of August, 1930, in favor of Donnell Service Station and against Tibbetts Construction Company, in the case of Donnell Service Station et al vs Tibbetts Construction Company, I did on the 24th day of May, 1930, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land, situated in the county of Haskell, State of Texas, as the property of the said Tibbetts Construction Company, to-wit:
The west 45 feet of Lot No. 1, Block No. 68, Original town of Haskell, Texas; Also Lot No. 9 and the South 20 feet of Lot No. 8, Block No. 3, of the J. W. Meadors Addition to the town of Haskell, Texas.

And on the 4th day of November, 1930, being the First Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right title and interest of the said Tibbetts Construction Company in and to said property.

Dated at Haskell, Texas, this 15th day of September, 1930. W. T. Swain Sheriff Haskell County, Texas.

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Rural Community News Items

LOCAL NEWS FROM ROSE COMMUNITY

The good rain that fell last week put smiles on the face of the farmers and many of them are talking of planting fall grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Patterson of Center Point visited his parents, Mr. Patterson and family last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and family from Lovington New Mexico visited Mrs. Johnson's parents, H. J. Coer and family last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Washburn and family from Washburn visited Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Coer last Friday. Mrs. Washburn remained in the Coer home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coer entertained a party last Saturday. Mrs. Coer kept several guests, these present reported a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kindrick visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kindrick last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hurt visited his parents, W. C. Hurt and family last Sunday.

Mr. C. Menahay spent last week with Elmer Spinka. Marvin Menahay spent the weekend with his family.

Miss Hazel Leblowsky entertained the girls of this community with a party last Saturday.

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM MCCONNELL

The farmers of this community are rejoicing over the fine rain that fell Saturday night and Sunday. It will put a good season in the ground for the grain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rae and family have moved to Asperment where he has secured work. The community regrets to have them leave.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wilburn have moved back to our community from Girard. Mr. Wilburn has his old job back as cotton grower.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Coe and family spent Sunday in the Plainview community.

Mrs. Chris Jones and baby from Abilene spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. West of this community.

Mrs. Rabe Jones is visiting friends in Asperment this week.

Mrs. Davis of Haskell has moved to her community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorrell Curby spent the week end with Mrs. Curby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiseman of the Sayles community.

Herman Sharro spent Sunday with Paul Fischer of Weaver.

Miss Timmie Davis of this community and Creed Parwood of the New Hope community surprised their many friends by getting married, October 3rd. The entire community wishes them much happiness in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. West and

family and Mrs. Chris Jones and baby spent Thursday and Friday in Swenson visiting relatives.

Mr. Lonnie Crowley and son went to the Plains Thursday on business.

Mrs. Arthur Gardner and children of Swenson are visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. West.

L. C. Phillips of this community and Judge Jones of Haskell were in Ft. Worth and Wichita Kansas last week transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones and baby of Abilene visited their parents the past weekend.

The McCord school opens October 27th. Mr. and Mrs. Crowley and Mr. George W. will see the teachers.

Every one is invited to attend Sunday school at this place at 10:30 each Sunday morning.

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM SAGERTON

The Sagerton Public Schools has reopened from the two weeks of discontinuation for both pupils. During the two weeks that school was stopped it rained so much that much benefit was not received for the farmers who had children in school.

The rain which fell two weeks ago was appreciated by every one. A few days of clear weather followed and the rain broke the clear weather again when it started late Saturday evening.

Many of the farmers here have been making business trips to Haskell to get the wheat seed donated by the Red Cross as a drought relief measure. This will be a great help to those who have livestock.

Miss Edith Manske, high school graduate of 1930, left a few weeks ago for Dallas. Miss Manske is training as nurse in a Sanitarium there. She has many friends here who regret to have her leave, but wish her success and happiness in her work.

Mrs. W. P. Caudle and Mrs. Bennett Hess visited Mrs. Tid Clark and Mrs. J. A. Clark in the latter's home Friday afternoon.

The friends here of Mrs. M. L. Laughlin of Rule were very sorry to hear of her illness. Many are the hopes for her quick recovery.

We feel grateful to the Rule and Haskell Boosters who showed their spirit of friendliness toward us of the invitation to the two fairs. Several from here planned to attend the Rule Fair but were disappointed on account of the rain which did not cease before the Fair was over. Many are hoping to attend the Fair at Haskell this week end.

Miss Martha Ross went to Haskell last week to have some dental work done.

Mrs. S. E. Crabtree honored her husband with a birthday dinner last Sunday. A few of the relatives,

LOCAL NEWS FROM CENTER POINT SECTION

The health of our community is very good at present.

Everybody is wearing a smile over the fine rains we've had recently. We were visited by a big rain here Sunday morning. A lot of the farmers are sowing grain.

Mrs. Vate Benton has been suffering severely with a thorn in her hand.

W. J. Jeter is in Abilene transacting business.

Miss Inez Patterson left last Wednesday for Wichita Falls, where she will take a course in Beauty culture.

Mr. Overby and son Roy of Plainview were in our midst Friday on business.

Sunday school has been rained out three Sundays in succession. Let's don't forget Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. the first pretty Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Bland and children visited her father, D. L. Barton, near Goree, Friday.

T. M. Patterson and family spent Tuesday with T. J. Johnson and wife of Haskell.



—A John Knott Cartoon, courtesy of The Dallas News.

that could, attended and all had a pleasant day together.

All parents of Sagerton school children are asked to attend the P. T. A. meeting at the school building Friday afternoon, October 17, at 3:00 o'clock for re-organization of the P. T. A. This meeting is very important. Be sure to come and bring some one else who is interested.

Mrs. Frank Batson and mother, Mrs. Joe Smith spent Friday in the home of Mrs. M. D. Smith and family of Stamford.

Mrs. J. R. Laughlin visited Mrs. M. L. Laughlin of Rule one day last week.

The town which has the motto "Everyone for himself and the devil take the hindmost" can expect to find the devil taking the whole community.

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The linotype operator and the proof reader will be glad to learn that Sir. Radsashankar Patterskterbrenkar is the poet laureate of India.

Mrs. D. James of Washington, Oklahoma, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Ellis of this city.

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Program for Week of Oct. 20 to 25

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SALT PORK		1 lb. 17 1/2c
CHEESE	MADE IN TEXAS Pound	23c
GREENS	Fresh Mustard and Turnip Greens, 3 bunches	10c
SALMONS	HAPPYVALE CHUMS Large Cans, each	11c
Pan Cake Flour	PILLSBURY'S 3 Pkg.	25c
Corn Meal White or Yellow		
Hominy Grits		
PEANUT BUTTER	GENOVA ONE POUND JARS, Each	24c
BEANS	COLORADO CHOICE FAVORITE, 6 Pounds	29c
POTTED HAM	3 cans	10c
COMPOUND	SWIFT JEWEL, COCO-NUT WILSON, 3 lb. Pail Only	93c

Fresh Shipment of Tear Garden Preserves, Jams and Jellies.

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 FIRST TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SAVING EVENT — COURTNEY HUNT &
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 —But be the First One to
 Attend This Great Sale!

Remember This Sale Opens Thursday Oct. 16

OPENING HOUR

1 to 2 O'clock

THURSDAY

We will sell unhemmed Sheets size 81x90 for one hour, worth \$1.25. For one hour—

69c

Limit 2 to Customer.

SPECIAL

Silk Hose, 1 lot Pure Silk, Full Fashions, Picot Top, French Heel, regular \$1.95 value—

\$1.29

SPECIAL

Silk Bloomers, 1 lot Ladies and Misses Silk Rayon Non-Run Bloomers, regular and out sizes, \$1.25 value—

89c

VISIT OUR STORE AND WE WILL SHOW YOU MANY OTHER ITEMS FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES!

OPPORTUNITY IS KNOCKING AT YOUR DOOR—

Now is the time to save on all your needs. Hunt's is the place to do your buying now. If you are not buying your Dry Goods cheaper, you should—cotton is lower, all farm products are lower, all commodities are lower—Dry Goods are lower. We saw the slump coming and unloaded our stock last spring and summer. Now we are replacing at much lower prices and selling to our customers at Lower Prices. We are selling you New Clean Goods at Lower Prices than you pay for carried over goods. Come let us prove to you how cheap you can buy now.



Ladies Ready-to-Wear & Millinery

This is one sale in which you will find only New High Grade Fall Merchandise at Special Low Prices.

1 lot Ladies' Silk Dresses, all good styles, colors and materials for Fall and Winter. Special this Sale **\$4.95**

1 lot Ladies and Misses Silk Dresses, all styles and materials. All regular \$12.50 values now **\$9.85**

1 lot Ladies Silk Dresses, beautiful new styles, all leading colors for Fall and Winter wear, \$19.75 val **\$14.85**

Ladies Newest Fall Style Coats, plain tailored and fur trimmed, all sizes, colors and styles. at \$19.75 values **\$16.85**

Ladies Fall and Winter Coats, all the newest styles, colors and materials. Plain and fur trimmed. All \$29.75 values **\$24.85**

Ladies and Misses Fall and Winter Hats, all leading styles shapes and colors. Hats that range in price from \$2.95 to \$10.00. Prices—

\$4.95 98c \$1.95 \$2.95

SPECIAL

Wool Lumberjacks, all sizes and colors, values to \$7.50—

\$2.95

BARGAIN BASEMENT SPECIALS

1 lot Ladies' Coffinroy Bath Robes, good sizes or colors, values to \$8.98 **\$1.95**

1 lot Ladies' Winter Dresses, both Silk and Wool, all sizes and good material, values to \$36.00. Priced now **\$1.95 and \$2.95**

1 lot Ladies' Winter Coats and Coat Suits, plain fur trimmed, sold formerly up to \$75.00. Priced now **\$2.95**

Ladies Shoes



You can find just the kind of shoes you need here, at prices that will save you money.

1 lot Ladies' Dress Shoes, all sizes, styles and colors, values to \$8.98 **\$1.95**

1 lot Ladies and Misses Shoes, all styles in straps, pumps and ties, values to \$5.00 **\$2.95**

All Ladies and Children's Shoes included in this Sale at **PROFIT SHARING PRICES**



DOLLAR SPECIAL

1 lot 36 inch Outing, all colors, extra heavy, 8 yards—

\$1.00

Quilt Bundles

All new material, good patterns. This Sale—

39c

Courtney Hunt

Bargain

1 lot Heavy Outing, all colors, per yard

Canvas Gloves good grade

Cotton Check, all colors, per yard

Palm Olive Soap 4 bars

SPECIAL

Vanity Fair Silk Vests, beautiful quality. This Sale—

\$1.00

SPECIAL

Vanity Fair Bloomers, beautiful quality \$1.75 value. This Sale—

\$1.50

SPECIAL

1 lot Chiviot Shirting, grade, plain and striped 38c value, per yard

1 lot Men's Fancy Sox, all colors and patterns, 58c value

ARE COMING. MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW AND BE ONE OF THE ENTIRE STOCK TO BE PLACED ON SALE AT PRICES THAT WILL EARLY AND STAY LATE

SHARING SALE

1 o'clock—Regardless of Weather Conditions

A SALE WITH A PURPOSE—

We want to make friends at our store, therefore we are sharing our profits with our customers. We can afford to share our profits, as we have made our yearly profit by selling our good friends and customers on time during the spring and summer months when other stores were sitting around doing nothing. We more than doubled our volume on the same ever head, thereby reducing our selling cost more than half. So now it is not necessary that we make our years profit during the Three Fall Months. We can afford to and expect to sell you New Goods for less than any of our competitors. One visit to our store will convince you.

Men's, Boys Suits & Furnishings

Take advantage of this Great Profit Sharing Sale and save on all your needs.

1 lot Men's Dress Suits, all sizes and each Suit a good style for Fall. Values to \$27.50. This Sale **\$9.95**

1 lot Men's Dress Pants, all sizes and all wool materials. Values to \$10.00. This Sale **\$3.95**

1 lot Men's Overcoats, all wool material. Values to \$18.50 **\$4.95**

1 lot Men's Dress Shirts, all leading styles and fast color materials. \$1.50 to \$2.50 values **\$1.19**

Men's Curlee Certified Suits, Guaranteed all wool, 2 pairs pants. \$45.00 values. Sale Price **\$35.00**

1 lot Men's and Young Men's Dress Suits, all sizes and styles, extra good grade. This Sale **\$14.95**

1 lot Men's Dress Hats, all good styles, Standard Brands. \$8.50 to \$10.00 values **\$4.95**



OPENING HOUR

1 to 2 O'clock

THURSDAY

When we open this Sale, for one hour we will sell one lot 36-inch Domestic, 15c value, 15 yards for—

\$1.00

Limit 15 yds. to Customer.

SPECIAL

Part Wool Blankets, extra fine grade, size 70x80, bound edges. This Sale—

\$3.45

SPECIAL

Men's Work Coats, Leather and Leatherette, all sizes, value to \$41.50. This Sale—

\$6.95

SPECIAL

Prints and Cretonne, beautiful patterns, 36 inches wide, fast colors, worth 25c. Now, per yard—

15c

HUNDREDS OF BARGAINS NOT LISTED IN THIS AD CAN BE FOUND BY COMING TO OUR STORE!

Men's Shoes



Every Pair of Shoes in stock are included in this Great Sharing Sale. Every Pair is Guaranteed all leather.

1 lot Men's Work Shoes, all sizes and good styles **\$1.89**

1 lot Men's Dress Oxfords, all new Fall Goods and Guaranteed all leather **\$3.95**

Men's Florsheim Dress Shoes and Oxfords, all styles, values to \$10.00 **\$8.85**

BARGAIN BASEMENT SPECIALS

1 lot Wool Dress Goods, extra good quality, values to \$5.00. This Sale per yard—

39c

1 lot Ladies and Misses Shoes, all sizes and styles. This Sale—

29c

1 lot Boy's Knee Pants, all wool material, extra good grade, values to \$10.00—

\$1.95

SPECIAL

Boy's Pants, all sizes and good styles, band-ed bottoms, values to \$8.00—

\$1.00

SPECIAL

Children's Rain Coats, extra good grade, values to \$5.00—

\$1.95

SPECIALS

Beautiful Quality, De. Ray, Silk, all colors, \$1.00 per yard **79c**

Men's Dress Sox, all sizes, 4c value **9c**



DOLLAR SPECIAL

1 lot Boy's School Coats, extra good grade, worth to \$5.00—

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Children's Bloomers
1 lot Children's Silk Bloomers, all sizes, beautiful quality, worth regularly \$1.00. This Sale— **49c**

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1. Permit University of Texas to invest its permanent fund in its own securities, thus advancing its building program.

2. Permit West Texas counties to tax for local purposes university lands within their borders. This has the approval of university regents.

3. Abolish enforced quarter-year vacations of appellate courts. This has the endorsement of the bar.

Home Town Thoughts

If people wish their home town to grow, they must feed the business of that town with the sustenance it needs through loyal patronage with its home stores.

A few people do most of the work of the organizations of Haskell and other places, but they have no more time in their day than the rest of the people who cannot spare any of their hours for community work.

It costs money to advertise, and it costs still more to hold non-advertised goods and carry them over from season to season.

Era of Over Caution

In a time when business is slow, recovery is postponed by the tendency of business concerns to be very cautious in their buying. They are fearful of being stocked up with goods that will not sell as they restrict their purchases to immediate needs and keep their inventories down to the lowest possible limit.

Millions of wage-earners catch the spirit of caution. They hear about a good many people being out of work, and the fear of unemployment spreads among them. They restrict their purchases as much as possible, and lay aside all the money they can against a day when they fear to be out of work.

Caution and prudence are fine qualities. Every family ought to be setting aside some portion of its income for future contingencies. But there is such a thing as carrying the cautionary spirit so far that the progress of business is hampered. Whenever people buy less than their normal volume of goods, their production falls below normal, and people are laid off or work only part time. This seems to be the principal reason why business has not fully recovered this fall from the depression that hit it when the stock market broke last year.

There seems no logic whatever in any further continuance of business depression. Such periods rarely last over a year. The stock market break did not occur until October, 1929, but business had been slowing down for several months previous to that time, so that the recession can be considered to have lasted now for 14 months. The thing that prevents prompt recovery is this spirit of over caution that pervades the country, both among the managers of business and the masses of the people.

If people went ahead and bought supplies confidently the way they ordinarily do, it would seem as if business would be normal within a few weeks here in Haskell, and everywhere else.

Curbing Speculation

President Hoover, in addressing the American Bankers Association, referred to the excessive use of credit to finance speculation in times of unusual prosperity. He spoke of the power of bankers to encourage wise policies and restrain people from those that are hazardous. Excessive use of credit for speculation, he said, creates rates of interest that strangle ordinary business.

Excessive speculation in 1929 was the main reason for the stock market crash, which had such a depressing effect on business. What can be done to discourage the speculation from such follies another year?

People do not seem to learn in such matters from the losses of the past. The burnt child is said to

frown the fire, but speculators will keep losing money over and over again in the same kind of game.

Theoretically it ought to be possible to prevent any such use of the country's credit for speculation as occurred in 1929. So much of the country's credit was tied up in stock market chances, that business concerns found it difficult to obtain loans they needed at reasonable rates.

Yet the bankers would say that they can't always tell when money is borrowed, what it is going to be used for. They would say that if they refused to loan money because they thought a borrower wanted it for speculation, that the borrower would go to some business house and borrow it of them, and thus business concerns would never get the money at the banks where it did business. But if some do good, it is not all of speculative business men. The speculative lender per se is not the only one who is not to be trusted. There are many who are not to be trusted. The speculative lender per se is not the only one who is not to be trusted. There are many who are not to be trusted. The speculative lender per se is not the only one who is not to be trusted.

Reward of Service

People very frequently refuse to work in community organizations because they feel their time is too valuable. Leaving aside their obligation to take a reasonable share in the work of the community, these people forfeit great personal advantages.

The persons who serve in community organizations make many friends. If they go into politics, these friends help them obtain votes. If they are in business, these friends bring in trade. If they are wage-earners, these friends help them advance in their occupation. Carrying on organization work is useful training, and it helps anyone to obtain success in any line of work.

Soldiers and War

An idea of the way in which men of military experience regard war was given at a church service held in connection with the American legion convention at Boston, in an address by Gen. Everson, chief of U. S. militia bureau. Gen. Everson denied that soldiers start wars, and he said that no one hates war more than the soldier who has been through it.

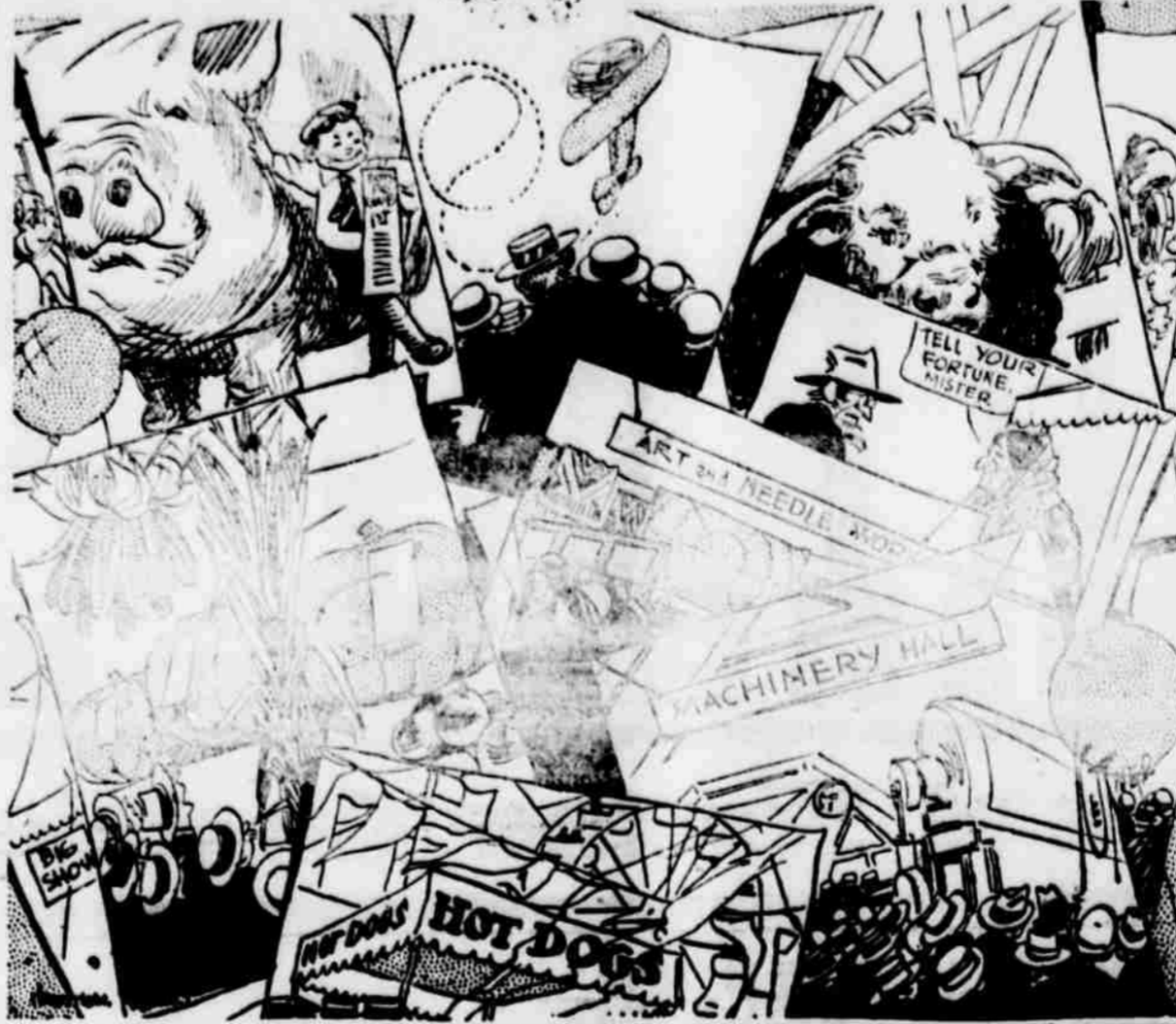
His idea was that wars are due to "under cover treaties" to racial hatreds, and various manifestations of selfishness.

It would seem as if this military leader had about the right idea. There would never be any wars, if the nations and the peoples of the various countries could discuss their problems in a spirit of mutual tolerance and adjustment. It is the same as it is in labor controversies. If the employers and employees of an industry have friction, but if each side has a disposition to make compromises and concessions, they are likely to avoid any strike. Labor difficulties are created by capitalists and wage-earners who will make no concessions.

It is just the same with international quarrels. They are created when the statesmen of the various countries refuse to make concessions to each other. They show an uncompromising spirit that makes trouble everywhere it is manifested. Husbands and wives, parents and children, employers and employees, have to see each other's point of view, if they are going to work together harmoniously and avoid trouble.

When the statesmen of any nation take the position that they will consider the interest and rights of that nation alone, and will not give any consideration to the interest and rights of other nations, then they pursue a course that leads straight for trouble. It may not lead directly into war, but it creates those antagonisms in which the war making spirit grows, so that a war may be finally provoked by some relatively unimportant incident.

Snap Shots at the Fair



Good Enough to Buy In

It is a good general proposition that a town that is good enough for people to live in is good enough for them to spend their money in. If the town has enough of public advantages and business enterprise so that it makes people contented and gives them a living there must be enough life and progress in its local business so that it is good judgment for people to buy their supplies of the community that supports them.

There seems something wrong in the policy of making one's living out of a community, and then declining to make a return to that community by patronizing its home business places.

The Farm-to-Market Roads

Recently the Federal government, as part of its drought relief program in various sections of the country, advanced four months Federal road money, with the request that work be started as soon as possible so as to relieve and give employment to farmers in the damaged areas. The American Farm Bureau is urging such home money estimates to cooperate in every instance with state highway departments in seeing that proper facilities and individuals receive needed aid.

This will tide many families over a slack period and prevent or relieve such suffering. Every farm and every community in the sections to which money has been advanced will benefit from stimulated road construction. Long after the drought has been forgotten, the roads will be arteries of commerce, bringing prosperity to a multitude of farms.

Another encouraging announcement came last month from the Department of Agriculture, which stated that the counties of the United States improved 45,481 miles of local and county roads in 1929, at a cost of more than \$800,000,000.

When a majority of farms are served by water-proof surfaced, year-round farm-to-market highways, we will have taken a long step toward the solution of agricultural problems.

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Good Residence Towns

Some towns are called "good residence towns," while some are not able to achieve that distinction. What constitutes a good residence town?

Comfortable and attractive homes, good schools, good organizations with pleasant social life, and good recreational facilities, are some of the characteristics of good residence towns.

All these facilities and advantages can be had if people will only

give a little of their time to making their homes more attractive, and to creating these community facilities that make a town desirable to live in.

After expressing hopes for the prosperity of their own town, many folks then proceed to make some other town more prosperous by going away to buy goods.

There seems to be no skin remedy for the itching palm.

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"The next time you spend an evening out—leave lights burning in one or two of your rooms. Notice the sense of security with which you enter your home—then check your light bill. You will be surprised at the extreme economy of this efficient Burglary Insurance. Watch for me next week, I'll have some more ideas for you."

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We Extend a Hearty Welcome to Every Fair Visitor and a Cordial Invitation to Visit This Store—

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In temporary periods of slump in business conditions, brought about by any causes, it is well to remember that adversity develops resourcefulness that continued prosperity dulls one's productive activities.

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SOCIETY and Club

Peasey Pyle.

The following account of the wedding of Lewis Peasey son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peasey of Haskell and Miss Elizabeth Pyle of Jacksonville, Florida appeared in a recent issue of the Oklahoma City Times. Lewis Peasey has lived in Haskell practically all his life, and has a host of friends who extend congratulations. He accepted a position with the Shell Oil Company last summer and has been stationed at Arkansas City where they will make their home.

Surprises have blazed the trail of romance for Lewis Wallace Peasey, 21 year old, of Arkansas City, Kansas, and Elizabeth Earle Pyle, 18 years old, of Jacksonville, Fla., who Friday became the 45,000th couple to apply for a marriage license here since the keeping of territorial records began.

"It all started two years ago when they met abruptly on a bus as she was going to Sherman, Texas, to attend Kidd Key college and he was going there for his junior year at Austin College.

"They were engaged secretly and agreed to marry next year. But when Elizabeth came to Oklahoma City to visit an aunt, Mrs. J. N. Byrd, 1221 East Park place, Lewis decided a year was too long to wait. Unexpectedly, he appeared in Oklahoma City Friday, and they became bride and groom No. 45,000.

The last surprise came when Geo. W. Clark, district judge who probably has performed more marriages than any other person in Oklahoma, celebrated the occasion with a true wedding.

Golf Widows.

Mrs. B. M. Whiteaker was hostess to the Golf Widows Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock in her home, with an exceptionally pretty party, carrying out the Halloween idea in decorations, favors and refreshment plate.

Yellow cosmos and yellow rose buds graced the living room where tables were laid for "42" and table decorations were in gold, plate favors being miniature bouquets of yellow cosmos tied with black ribbons.

The following were the Golf Widow guests and members: Mesdames J. A. Couch, R. C. Couch, W. H. Murchison, A. H. Wain, A. C. Pierson, J. M. Duges, C. M. Conner, R. J. Paxton, Elizabeth Martin, John W. Pace, John P. Payne, S. R. Rike, J. M. Martin, O. E. Patterson, Joe Jones, H. S. Wilson, O. V. Payne, H. M. Smith, H. S. Post, D. H. Persons, Jim Bailey, Elam Parish and C. L. Lewis.

Thursday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Theron Cahill was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club in their first meeting of the season last Saturday at her home.

An attractive color scheme of purple and gold was successfully carried out in tables, flowers and refreshment plate, which consisted of toast cheese sandwiches, grape punch, olives and apricot salad, topped with cheese balls.

The following guests and members were present: Mesdames, W. H. Murchison, Hill Oates, W. M. Reid, Clyde Grissom, J. P. Payne, French Robertson and Misses Ermine Daugherty and Lois Earnest.

The Baran Class, "The Class of Southern Hospitality."

We sure had a good crowd at Sunday School last Sunday if it did rain. Mud can't stop us from doing anything. Of course some might have been sick and couldn't get out.

You know if anyone takes a notion to do anything, he will do it regardless. This class will do it, too. We want to see more out next Sunday.

Mr. Harcrow is making good talks on our lessons. We like him and are going to do our best to help him.

All visitors are welcome. —Reporter.

Fish Entertained.

Miss Vick and Will Richey, who are the sponsors of the 1930-31 Freshmen Class of Haskell high school entertained the class last Friday evening with a party in the home of Mrs. B. R. Pike.

Many games were played throughout the evening and the cups were served to the entire company.

The class is very happy and will be glad to see you at the next meeting.

Officers: President, Mrs. B. R. Pike; Vice Pres., Mrs. J. A. Couch; Secretary, Mrs. W. H. Murchison; Treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Duges. —Reporter.

North Ward P. T. A.

North Ward P. T. A. is moving along nicely under the leadership of Mrs. Wain, but more mothers should be helping out this work over.

Our regular meeting was the second and fourth Thursday afternoon in each month at 4:45.

The first regular meeting of the year was a good one, the first so many were present. At that time Dr. Armstrong gave us a very instructive talk on the care of children's teeth. Mrs. Rike's poems gave some readings which were enjoyed. The business session of this first meeting was very important, because the president gave her message and read out the committee.

At our next regular meeting, which was the fourth Thursday in November, we had a fine program given in three parts.

Mr. Meacham and the H. J. School Band gave the first part, which consisted of three numbers. It is needless to say we enjoyed their number because we did, and we appreciate the work Mr. Meacham is doing among our boys and girls.

Mrs. Klinger's classes furnished the second part of the program and it was fine. Mrs. Klinger is another teacher who never refuses her services.

The last part of the program was given by Mrs. Gaston Poote, who presented a real Dutch costume, wooden shoes and all, gave a very interesting and instructive talk on Dutchland, we thank her so much. We found only one fault with her "speech" it was not long enough. A short business session followed and plans were made for our annual Halloween carnival.

Last week was National Fire Prevention Week, so the program was in keeping with the day. A play "The Trail of Fire" was presented by pupils of the fifth, sixth and seventh grades of North Ward. A number of "Dons and Don'ts" were given by other pupils. Altogether the thought of "fire prevention" was well carried out.

W. W. W. Class Party.

The W. W. W. Class of the Presbyterian Church was entertained Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hester with Mary, Sue Hester, Ethel Frierson and Olive Hester as hostesses.

There were six tables laid for progressive "42". After the game the tables were covered with cloths and napkins carrying out the color scheme of Halloween and a plate containing hot chocolate, pimento cheese sandwiches, olives, potato chips and cake were served to the following:

Bessie Frierson, Mary Sharill, Dixie Orr, Ola Frazier, Velma Frierson, Olive Frazier, Muriel Orr, Lucille Akina, Pay Eaton, Alta Frierson, Willie Bell Frierson, Ruby Pruitt, Mary Peasey, Mollie Hester, Blanche Frierson, Mary Frazier, Alice Frierson, Mrs. Baker, Ethel Frierson, Mary Sue Hester, Olive Hester, Julia Frazier, Eugene Frierson, Felix Frierson, Reynolds, Wilson, Calvin Frierson, Bruce Wilson and Rev. M. L. Baker.

Mrs. Elizabeth Martin and Mrs. B. M. Whiteaker returned this week from a twelve-day trip to Wellington, and other points on the plains. Mrs. Martin visited her daughter, Mrs. P. A. Womble, in Wellington, and Mrs. Whiteaker spent several days with her son, John Wiley and wife of Wheeler, and her daughter, Miss Marjorie of Mobeetie.

Center Point H. D. Club.

The Center Point H. D. Club met with Mrs. T. M. Patterson last Friday eve, with eight members and two visitors present. We had an interesting discussion on fair products and decorating booths and quite a lot of business. Miss Partlow failed to be with us and we were all very much disappointed.

Club adjourned at a late hour to meet with Mrs. W. T. Morgan the Second Friday in November. —Reporter.

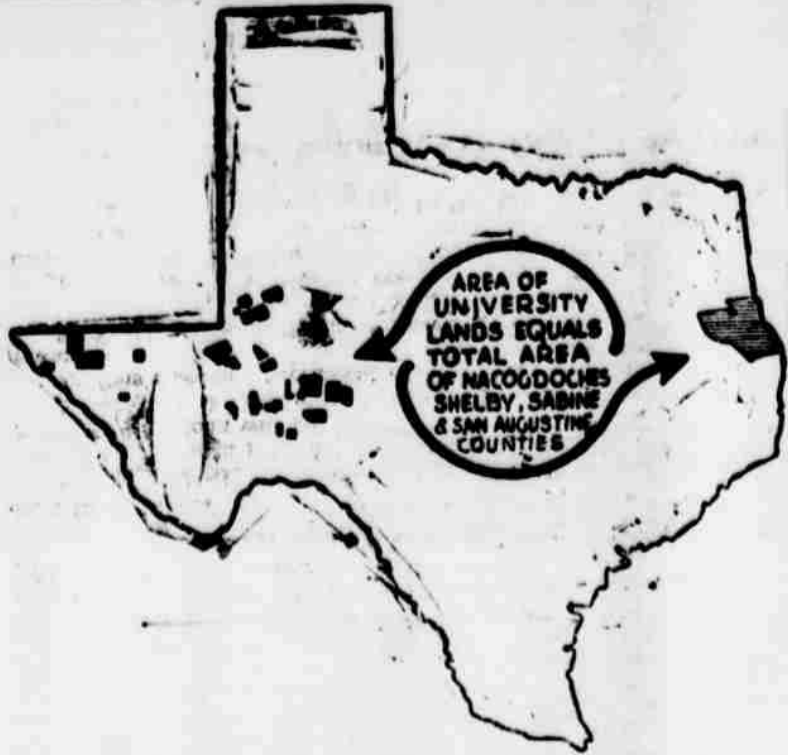
Undergoes Operation

Robert Howeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howeth of the Center Point community was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium Thursday afternoon where he underwent a serious operation. This young man has a host of friends who wish for him a speedy recovery.

Miss Juanita Howeth has been ill for the past few days. But is reported to be improving rapidly.

Ralph Dugan, who has been with the West Texas Utilities Co. for a number of years in Stamford, has been transferred to Haskell and will make his future home here.

Miss Hattie Paxton, who is teaching school in Abilene this year, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton last week-end.



There are fewer acres by two and a half sections in the four counties of Shelby, Sabine, San Augustine and Nacogdoches, blockaded off on the map than there are in the combined holdings of the University of Texas in 17 counties, the accompanying map portrays. The map illustrates one of the reasons back of submitting the university land amendment on Nov. 4. The university holdings pay nothing now to county development, whereas it is claimed that exemption of four such counties as those shown in the map would be rank injustice and discrimination. The amendment would correct the present status.

GRAND JURY MAKES FINAL REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER TERM

The Grand Jury empaneled for the September term of District Court adjourned for the term Wednesday afternoon, after having been in session eight days. Twenty-three indictments were returned by the body, seventeen for felonies and six for misdemeanors.

Their final report made to District Judge Bruce W. Bryant, is as follows: In the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, September Term A. D. 1930.

To Hon. Bruce W. Bryant, Judge of said Court: We, your grand jury empaneled for said term of court respectfully report that we have been in session eight days; we have examined about 138 witnesses and have diligently inquired into all violations of the law known to us; we have returned indictments in all cases for the offenses that under the law and evidence were shown to have been committed.

We have heretofore presented seven indictments for felonies and herewith present seven indictments for felonies and six indictments for misdemeanors.

We have inspected the county jail and recommended to the Commissioners' Court of the county that new cells and other equipment be installed in the jail to the end

that escape of prisoners will be prevented and that the officers may safely handle the prisoners. We further recommend that the jail be repaired.

Having completed our labor we now respectfully request permission of the court to finally adjourn.

R. J. Paxton, Foreman.

FOR SALE, TRADE or LEASE —2 acres land, three room house, good well of water, chicken house that will accommodate 100 hens, one half mile south of old oil mill, Haskell, Route B. Curtis McDonald, Haskell, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. N. I. McCollum and family have had as their house guests for the past week, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Blauvelt of Olympia, Washington. Mrs. Blauvelt is a sister of Mrs. McCollum. Also Mrs. McCollum's brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. Paul M. Woods of Cisco are visiting here.

Miss Elizabeth Pettie, who has been visiting her brothers and families for the past several months has returned to her home in Brownwood.

Milton Simment, who is working in a bank in Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simment last week.

Mrs. J. L. Southern and two boys, who have been visiting relatives in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rice, of Aspermont, are here for the Haskell County Fair.

Miss Eunice Huchabee is visiting friends in Abilene this week.

HELP WANTED

Ladies or men to sell splendid staple lines, direct from factory to user. Full or part time. Splendid commission. "Eunice Prooka" well made, moderate priced dresses for women and children, including boys clothing. "Quaker" shirts, ties and underswear. A better shirt at moderate price. Also work shirts and underswear. "Boys' Suits and Overalls" outstanding value in quality merchandise. Made to order, size 3 to 18 years. "Harrison Knickerbocker" and Children. Big assortment. All lines sold on a money back guarantee. If interested in one or all lines, write L. H. North, 350 F. Mulberry Ave., San Antonio, Texas.

Haskell Baptists

THEY COME RAIN OR SHINE

It is well understood that there will be services at the Baptist church regardless of the weather. The last two Sundays have been rainy, but good crowds have attended all the services. Two hundred and fifty-three came through a down-pour of rain to Sunday school last Sunday. The night service was well attended. There were nine members of the church orchestra present and we enjoyed one of the best song services we have ever had. We urge others to forget about the weather and remember that we will always have a good comfortable house prepared for you.

COME TO THE MEN'S BIBLE CLASS SUNDAY

We are making a special study of the 20th chapter of Revelation. We have spent three Sundays on the chapter and will continue the study for at least two more weeks. The subject for next Sunday will be "The Characteristics of the Thousand Year Reign." You will be intensely interested in this study. Try it just one time and be present at 9:45 a. m.

11:00 a. m. Subject, "GOD'S FINAL SETTLEMENT WITH HIS CHILDREN"

This subject will be an exposition of Matt. 19:27-30:16. This scripture deals with rewards at the final judgment. Some of the following questions will be answered:

1. What is the difference between salvation and rewards?
2. Can a soul be saved and go to Heaven and not receive a reward?
3. Will there actually be a difference in rewards?
4. Will a person fifty years of age who has spent five years in Christian service receive as great a reward as the person fifty years of age who has spent forty years in Christian service? You are urged to read this interesting scripture many times this week. It is filled with great truths that will delight your soul.

7:30 p. m. Subject, "TURNING MEN FROM THE PATH WAY OF DESTRUCTION."

THE CHURCH WHERE EVERYBODY IS SOMEBODY.

Stores to Close For Attractions Friday Evening

We the undersigned merchants and business men of Haskell agree to close our places of business, Friday, Oct. 17th, 1930 from 1 p. m. until 6 p. m. We do this in order that we, with all our employees may attend the fair, entertain our visitors and assist in making the fair a success.

W. W. Fields & Son, Courtney Hunt & Co., Jones Cox & Co., The Haskell National Bank, Lee Grocery Co., Service Cleaners, Peggy Bros. Inc., Peasey & Stephens Christian Bros., Adkins & Parks, Barker Shop, Payne Drug Co., Fouts & Mitchell, Cash Meat Market, R. J. Reynolds, Groceries, Mays, Dry Goods Company, Oates Drug Store, Model Tailor Shop, Puppen & Bradley, C. Westly, R. B. Spenser & Co., McCall & Smith, Porter, White & Price, Haskell Marble & Granite Works, City Market and Groceries, Collier Bros. Grocery, The Manhattan, Broadway Lumber Co., W. H. Hurdin, L. B. Co. McCarty Barber Shop, Robertson's, J. T. Hubby, West Texas Utilities Co., Martin's Drug Store, "M" System, F. G. Alexander & Sons, Johnson's Barber Shop, Davis Economy Store, Reid's Drug Store.

R. V. Robertson Co., McCollum & Couch, Arthur Edwards, J. W. Gibson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the kind neighbors and friends for their kindness and help through the illness and death of our beloved husband and great grandfather.

Mrs. D. C. Duke, Mrs. Cora Griffen and Lesha Belle, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Partain and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blair and E. J., Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilford, Mr. and Mrs. John Grand, Fred and Mary Walker and John Ellen Miller.

MAUREL AND HARDY CROWN IN "ROGUE SONG"

It takes brains to be dumb in the movies.

There in a few words, lies the secret of the funniness of Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, called the screen's dumbest dumbbells.

Their intelligence enables them to be convincingly and convincingly dumb. Any fool, for example, can throw a cooked pie, but it is a wise man who knows when and where and how to hurl it to capture the biggest laugh.

Any out-wit comedian can gaze glass-eyed into space, but it requires real mental force behind the mask to rock audiences with laughter.

"Spontaneity is the secret of good comedy," averred Oliver, when asked his "formula" for creating laughs.

Brain agreed, nodding his derby-crowned head. They were in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer sound stage, in Culver City, resting in between scenes of "The Rogue Song." The new musical picture starring Lawrence Talbot is the first straight production in which the two comedians have made an appearance. It will be shown next Monday and Tuesday at the Texas Theatre.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to our many friends who were so kind during the illness and death of our dear wife, daughter and sister.

Albert Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Howes and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Oates have returned from Dallas, where they spent a few days.

Jack Bettis, who is attending school at Brownwood is spending the week with relatives of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradley spent last week-end in Fort Worth visiting relatives.

Here are Bargains

for Friday, Saturday and Monday

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50 BOYS SUITS 4 to 8 years age. Close Out. Your choice—

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50 PAIRS MENS TAN OXFORDS Bostonians included. Formerly sold \$4.50 to \$10.00

\$3.45

ONE LOT GINGHAMS Sold regular 20c to 25c. Close Out

10c

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98c

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