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FIFTIETH YEAR

NO INDICTMENTS RETURNED BY GRAND JURY UP TO WEDNESDAY

Mayor Thurman Asks Telephone Officials For New System In Haskell

MAYOR PICTURES PRESENT SYSTEM WITH BRUSH AUTO

Telephone Officials Here Saturday for Discussion and Explain Plans

SLIGHT RATE HIKE

Change to More Modernistic Telephone System Would Entail Heavy Expense

With the abandonment of Haskell's present telephone system, and the substitution of the "flashlight" system in view, high officials of the Haskell Telephone Co. met informally with Mayor A. F. Thurman here Saturday and discussed the proposition from various angles.

R. B. Fairly, general manager; G. W. Williams, district manager; and J. Killingsworth, local manager, were present during the discussion with Mayor Thurman.

Only a slight increase in the prevailing rates would be necessary for the company to be justified in installing the more modern system, the telephone officials informed Thurman, but some increase would be necessary, on account of the fact that the change would cause the sending of several thousand dollars.

The question of a more modern system for Haskell has been under discussion here for years, according to Thurman, who again brought the matter to the fore again two months ago when he wrote the general manager that he believed Haskell was due a better system; that the old "crank" variety had been in use "since the days of the Brush automobile."

Action relative to the proposition expected to be taken within a short time by the telephone company, or through a local civic organization, to determine what part of the subscribers wish a change.

All cities of any size adjacent to Haskell are users of the "flashlight" system, Thurman also pointed out to the company representatives.

Maxwell Urges Return of 'Levels'

Warning that the farm levels which have been out of the local office may be improperly adjusted and therefore cause lines to be wrong, R. H. Maxwell, county agent, suggested today that all persons having levels return them at once to the courthouse.

Many of the levels have been away for months, the county agent said.

The demands for the use of farm levels to run lines is increasing, owing to the fact that this is the time of the year for terracing, and all farmers having levels belonging to the county commissioners, or the county agent, are urged by Maxwell to return them as soon as they have finished with them.

Small Son of C. A. Lewellen Injured

Hugh Alton Lewellen, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lewellen of the Roberts community, was injured last week when run over by an attachment on a tractor, which his father was driving. He was rushed to a hospital for treatment. About forty stitches were necessary to sew up his wounds.

It is said that young Lewellen had been driving the tractor and that the accident occurred just after he was relieved at the wheel by Mr. Lewellen.

New Haskell Justice Marries First Couple

In the presence of several court house visitors, Raymond Brooks, newly elected justice of the peace, in Precinct 1, performed his first marriage ceremony Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Miss Johnnie Mae Wolf and W. Curtis Love was the couple which Judge Brooks married.

Simmons Beauty



Miss Mildred Richeson of Mansfield, Texas, who has been selected by student vote as the most popular co-ed on the campus at Hardin-Simmons university, Abilene, Texas. She will be crowned queen at coronation ceremonies in the spring.

SIXTEEN MEN ARE TAKEN IN RAIDS

County and City Officers In Surprise Visit Saturday; Bag Law Violators

Swooping down on beer garden dance halls located near Stamford late Saturday night in a surprise raid, city and county officers arrested sixteen men, who were loaded into the county prison truck and brought to Haskell.

Charges of drunkenness and fighting were lodged against the various men, who were then placed in jail. Practically all of the prisoners pleaded guilty and were later released upon payment of fines.

Some of those charged were taken before Justice Raymond Brooks and the remainder before County Judge Chas. M. Conner.

Before being released, one prisoner set fire to a jail mattress, but no other damage was done.

Officers participating were Giles Kemp, sheriff; Al Cousins, city marshal; Mart Clifton, chief sheriff's deputy; Dan Kirkpatrick, Buddy Thompson and Henry Ivey, special officers.

Marriages in 1934 Exceed 1933 Total Local Record Shows

Eleven more marriage licenses were issued in 1934 over the year 1933, according to the records in the office of Jason W. Smith, county clerk. A total of 232 were granted in 1934 and 221 in 1933.

Marriage license have been issued to the following couples during the month of January, records in the County Clerk's office show: Don Bailey and Miss Dottie Dimple Newsom.

F. L. Peavy and Mrs. Mattie Raymond. C. W. Johnson and Miss Odell Snodgrass.

W. Curtis Love and Miss Johnnie Mae Wolf. John Bruster and Mrs. Rhoda Gambles.

X. V. Tate and Clarisa Davis. Leroy Malons and Vivian Allen.

Funeral For Rule Coach Held Jan. 7 At Hereford, Tex.

RULE, Jan. 8.—Funeral service for Bernard Seed, coach of the Rule high school and former basketball star of Hardin-Simmons university, was held Monday at Hereford, Texas, where he had been critically ill since undergoing an emergency operation two weeks ago.

Bernard Seed was born March 6, 1912. He was graduated from the Hereford high school in 1930, and entered Hardin-Simmons that fall. He was graduated last June.

During his four years in the university, he lettered every year on the Cowboy basketball squad, was a member of three championship teams and was picked as all-conference forward in 1933.

In 1932 Seed married Miss Angie McCurdy of Archer City, who survives.

COST OF TAXES TO AMERICANS YEARLY OVER NINE BILLION

Equivalent to One-Fifth of National Income, Survey of Industry Shows

DEBT INCREASING

Decline in Tax Collections Since 1930 Are Traced to Lightened Income

NEW YORK.—Taxes cost the American people \$9,500,000,000 a year, an amount equivalent to one-fifth of the national income, it is shown in a study of the cost of government just issued by the National Industrial Conference Board. Federal, state and local government expenditures, exclusive of debt retirements, are about \$15,500,000,000.

In the last four years the public debt has been increased at a more rapid rate than at any time in history except 1918 and 1919, so that it is now in excess of \$47,000,000,000, the study discloses.

Total tax collections despite the numerous taxes added in recent years are at a lower level than in 1930, when they amounted to \$10,300,000,000. The enormous decline in the yield of the federal income taxes and property tax delinquencies were the principal reasons for the decline after 1930. Federal income taxes declined from \$2,411,000,000 in 1930 to \$1,818,000,000 in 1934. Of the total collections for 1934, estimated at \$9,500,000,000, federal tax collections were \$2,892,000,000.

Normally there is a fairly large margin between tax collections and expenditures, the board's report points out, but this margin has been greatly widened by the federal deficits and now averages about \$6,000,000,000. Of this amount, roughly \$2,000,000,000 is covered by non-tax receipts, such as earnings of general departments and public service enterprises, special assessments, fines, rents, and interest. The balance of about \$4,000,000,000 has been reflected in increased indebtedness.

"The depression will have the effect of making governmental expenditures of the future more inflexible," the report continues. "The debt of the Federal Government is approaching and may soon reach a level twice as high as in 1930, and state and local debt also has increased but in lesser degree. Debt service requirements are the most inflexible of all expenditures. Their rigidity, more than any other factor, detracted from the effectiveness of retrenchment as a means of solving state and local fiscal problems during the depression. For 1932, the latest year for which complete data are available, debt service—interest and retirements—for all governments combined, was equivalent to 16.5 per cent of gross expenditures and 29.2 per cent of tax collections."

Lewis K. Sherman New Assistant-Cashier At Local Bank

Lewis K. Sherman was promoted from bookkeeper to assistant cashier of the Haskell National Bank at their annual election of officers held by the board of directors Tuesday. In the stockholders meeting all the old directors were re-elected. The personnel of the Haskell National remains the same with the promotion of Mr. Sherman as assistant cashier. The officers and directors are: Mrs. M. S. Pierson, president; Hardy Grissom, vice president; O. E. Patterson, active vice president; A. C. Pierson, cashier; Miss Nettie McCollum, assistant cashier; and Lewis K. Sherman, assistant cashier. Directors: Mrs. M. S. Pierson, Hardy Grissom, G. W. Waldrop, O. E. Patterson, J. U. Fields, Jno. W. Pace and A. C. Pierson.

Robert Darnell New Manager of Magnolia Station

Robert Darnell, who recently returned to Haskell from Fort Worth, has assumed management of the Magnolia Service Station, replacing Cecil Mason, who will travel for the same company, but use this city as headquarters.

GOVERNMENT IS BUYING MORE HASKELL CATTLE

Buying Will Be Done Here Friday and Saturday; 500 Head Is Quota

Midnight 'Burglar' Caught in Act By Goetze; Won't Talk

Bam, slam, bang! A burglar! thought George Goetze, local manager of Perkins Timberlake Co., early Sunday morning, when he was aroused from deep sleep by a loud racket in his bedroom. A prowler—or prowlers.

"Who's there?" he called. No answer. In a stealthy manner, Goetze clambered out of bed so as to not awaken his wife. He flipped the light switch and looked for his gun.

"It looks like an owl to me," Goetze remarked his wife, who had not been asleep.

There in the bathroom, perched upon the window sill, sat a beautiful grey owl, looking very wise, as if to say that he knew his way now down the fireplace chimney and only asked an even chance to be on his way.

Another owl, a red one this time, kept Mr. Goetze awake Sunday night . . . that and the moaning of the wind around the eaves of the house.

C. B. BREEDLOVE RE-ELECTED SUPT.

Present School Head Signed For Another Two Years; His Work Praised

Closing six years of successful management of the Haskell Public Schools, Superintendent C. B. Breedlove was unanimously re-elected by the School Board for another two years at their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

In speaking of the re-election and acceptance of the position by Supt. Breedlove, one of the members of the Board stated that two precedents, or records had been broken, as it was the first time a Superintendent had ever been re-elected to succeed himself for more than a six year period in the Haskell schools, and it was also the first time that Mr. Breedlove had remained with a school board for more than six years—having been offered a position with larger schools.

The schools under the management of Mr. Breedlove has been the most successful in the history of the city and his re-election will meet the approval of the entire citizenship. Mr. Breedlove is not only an able school man but he takes an active interest in the civic, social and community welfare of the community.

Bert Welsh Will Handle Products Cities Service

Bert Welsh, local wholesale gasoline distributor, announces today a change from the sale of Gulf Company products to the Kool-Motor gasoline and oils distributed by the Cities Service Company.

According to Welsh, he has handled Gulf products here for fourteen years as both wholesale and retail distributor. The wholesale agency was recently moved from here to another city. He then began investigating other companies and selected Cities Service, in order that he might give the Haskell territory good products and his usual service.

Welsh will continue to sell both wholesale and retail.

It Won't Be Long Now—Bargain Offer of Free Press Closes Jan. 19

You have until Jan. 19 to take advantage of the bargain rate now being offered on the Haskell Free Press. Midnight on that date, the offer is scheduled to be withdrawn.

Until Jan. 19, you may secure 52 issues of the Haskell Free Press for only \$1, which is two-thirds the regular price and will only cover part of the costs attendant to the mailing of the Free Press during the year to you.

The Haskell Free Press is your county newspaper. It is county-wide in scope—giving an account of each community. You'll find it worth much more than the small sum we ask. Take advantage of this low offer before Jan. 19.

If you receive a sample copy this week, please regard it as an invitation to subscribe after you have made a thorough inspection and figured out for yourself if the Free Press isn't easily worth \$1 a year.

Indignant

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The fainting spell was caused, so Dr. Williams believes, from a stomach ailment.

Mrs. Greenwade, of Rochester, Dies

Mrs. May Carothers Greenwade, 45, wife of R. A. Greenwade of Rochester, died in a Knox City hospital last Friday, January 4, after a lingering illness of more than a year's duration.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Rochester Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by Rev. Cargill, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Seymour, assisted by Rev. C. A. Tucker, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Haskell. The deceased had been a member of the Presbyterian church since early childhood.

Interment was in the Rochester cemetery.

Mrs. Greenwade was the daughter of Mrs. A. B. Carothers of Rochester, a pioneer citizen of Haskell county. Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Miss Margaret Virginia Greenwade, 14 years of age and four sisters and five brothers as follows: Mrs. Floyd Gaunt, Rule; Mrs. Jim Davidson, San Angelo; Mrs. Guy Speck, Post; Mrs. S. T. Curtis, Lubbock; G. C. Carothers, Stamford; Oscar Carothers, Toyah; Bill, Leslie and Gilbert Carothers of Rochester.

Kills Biggest Turkey HURRICANE DECK, Mo.—The prize for bagging the largest wild turkey of the season goes to Miss Sylvia Chaudet, Jefferson City. She brought down an 18-pound hen at 40 feet with a 20-gauge shotgun.

MANY WITNESSES BEING QUESTIONED BY JURY HOWEVER

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\$6,669.09 Paid In Taxes Up to Jan. 7

Almost \$6,670 were paid in taxes during the first five days in January, according to Mike B. Watson, assessor-collector.

The amount included sums received from all forms of taxation.

No comparison with the same length of time in 1934 could be made, office deputies declared, on account of the fact that no daily rating is kept ordinarily, but is checked on a monthly basis.

Rainfall In '34 Exceeds That of '33! Believe It?

Believe it or not, but more rainfall was recorded in Haskell during the year 1934, than fell during the previous year of 1933. According to the records furnished by Fred Sanders, Jr., official keeper of the U. S. weather bureau here, there was a total of 17.44 inches compared with 15.11 in 1933.

The coldest day recorded for 1934 was February 27th, when the mercury dropped to 16 degrees above zero. February 26 and February 28 tied for second honors with a low of 18 above.

June 13th was recorded as the hottest day of the year when the thermometer climbed to 108. May 30th and June 22nd both recorded 106, and on June 21st, 106 degrees was recorded for another scorching day.

Average annual rainfall in this section has been below normal during the past two years.

The Woman's Page

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gholson Honored.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gholson were honored with a shower at the home of Miss Louise Roberts last Wednesday evening. The guests arrived at 5 o'clock and were entertained with games of forty-two until served. Sandwiches, cake and coffee were served. The bride and groom were then led in fantastic fashion thru every room, blind-folded and finally to the gifts. After the gifts had been acknowledged by the bride and groom, the party joined in singing. The featured song was "Those Wedding Bells are Breaking Up That Old Gang of Mine."

Those present to wish them to live happy ever after were: Louise McAnulty, Maydell Barnett, Lorene Wright, Alberta Orr, Annie Barnett, Gladys Fouts, Audra Gayle Roberts, Winnie Darnell, Naomi Barnett, Frances Fouts, Messrs. Hugh Shelby, Woody Roberts, Moreland Glass, Robert Darnell, Alvin Sherman, Leroy O'Neal, Bill Reeves, John Darnell, Artie Phippen, Covell Adkins.

Mrs. Sam A. Roberts Entertains Golf Widows Club.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Sam A. Roberts entertained members of the Golf Widows Club at her home. Tables were laid for games of "42". At the end of the series of games Mrs. Roberts served a delightful salad plate with hot tea to Mesdames Jno. W. Pace, H. M. Smith, Alvy Couch, F. L. Daugherty, Server Leon, Anton Theis, R. L. Lemmon, W. A. Duncan, Sam T. Chapman, Jno. A. Couch, H. S. Wilson, T. J. Arbuckle, O. E. Patterson, E. Martin, R. V. Robertson and Geo. Herren.

Come Double Supper Club.

Members of the Come Double Supper Club were entertained Friday night of last week by Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith.

Unique place cards marked the places at the foursome tables, where a delicious turkey dinner was served.

In the contract games Mrs. Roy A. Sanders received high score prize for the ladies and Mr. Roy A. Sanders received high for the men.

An additional guest, Mrs. H. K. Henry, was present and the following members: Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Forgy, Mr. and Mrs. Troy V. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Sanders and the host and hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chapman Jan. 18th.

Peavey-Raymer.

F. L. Peavey and Mrs. Mattie Raymer of this city were married last Friday afternoon, January 4th, at 3 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage with the pastor, Rev. Orion W. Carter, reading the wedding vows.

Mr. Peavey is a well known contractor of this city and has been identified with the business interests of the town for a number of years. He served four years as one of the city commissioners, retiring from the position last April. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth and Mrs. Hill Oates visited in Ft. Worth last week end. They were accompanied home by Miss Mary Ellison Cannon from Arlington for a visit with friends.

Family Reunion in F. M. Mullins Home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mullins enjoyed a family reunion Christmas Day. They had eleven of their thirteen living children present for a bountiful holiday dinner.

At the noon hour two large tables were put together and a plate for everyone arranged. The table was filled with many different kinds of good things to eat from turkey down to old fashioned potato pudding. After all were seated and the noise ceased little Ruby Ehlers, age 5, seated by her grandparents, put her elbows on the table and folded her little hands and returned thanks.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mullins and baby, Dometra Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Means and children, Monroe, Mary Evelyn, James, Jr. and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ehlers and children, Ruby and Velma, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mullins, Freeman, Verdie, Brittie Lois, Minnie Lucell, Holman, and Burl Mullins, Miss Mattie Ruth Davis and Mr. Paul Ehlers.

The children who were not present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Max Lebkowsky.

Contract Bridge Club.

Mrs. Barton Welsh was hostess to members of the Contract Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon for their regular weekly meeting. After the games Mrs. Virgil Reynolds was given the prize for highest score. Mrs. Welsh served a delicious refreshment plate consisting of shrimp salad, hot rolls, almond cookies and coffee to Mesdames French Robertson, H. K. Henry, Bert Welsh, E. G. Post, Roy A. Sanders, Virgil Reynolds, W. G. Forgy, Clay Smith, B. C. Chapman, Hollis Atkinson, T. G. Cahill and Jim Williams. Mrs. Hill Oates and Miss Mary Ellison Cannon of Arlington were tea guests.

The Methodist Missionary Society

The Missionary Society met in a regular business meeting on Monday Jan. 7. This was the first meeting since Dec. 3, and was well attended, there being 21 present. The Society is looking forward and hoping to forge forward during the year 1935.

Promptly at 3 p. m. the president, Mrs. O. E. Patterson called the house to order. With Mrs. R. C. Montgomery at the piano, "Jesus Calls Us" was sung. The President had prepared a very interesting Devotional. For the Scripture reading, parts of three different Psalms were used. Mrs. Sowell offered a prayer. Mrs. Hugh Smith made the whole Society happy, when she reported that our 1934 pledge had been more than paid, that we had "gone over the top" in a big way. A beautiful ceremony was that, in which Mrs. Atkinson, in a very sweet and gracious speech, presented Mrs. B. Cox with a Life Membership in the Missionary Society. This gift was from the Mary Alexander Circle. In a few well chosen words, the recipient of this honor, expressed her thanks and spoke, touchingly, of her love for the Missionary Society. A letter of appreciation to the Society, was from the family of Mother Morris, who has recently passed on. A letter of good wishes from Mrs. P. D. Sanders, was also read. Mrs. Breedlove brought thanks from Mrs. Gentry, for the nice Christmas shower.

Mrs. Smith, superintendent of Mission Study, told of plans for the coming year. March and April will be devoted to the Bible Study, directed by Mrs. J. U. Fields. Those who miss these lessons, taught by Mrs. Fields, are indeed missing a treat and all the ladies of the Church are urged to join the Society and receive the benefit of these lessons.

Mrs. Wallace Cox was elected a member of the Board of Christian Education. Mrs. Hudson Pitman was elected as assistant to Mrs. Sowell in the Children's Work.

The ladies of the Church will be asked to serve dinner at the church on Jan. 23rd, the occasion being a District Missionary Institute, also a zone meeting of the women of the Missionary Societies of the district. Mrs. Server Leon, assisted by Mrs. Mason, will have entire charge of this dinner. All the ladies of the church are asked to cooperate.

Next Monday is the annual Pledge Day. A good program is being arranged and the President urges a good attendance and requests all to be on time—3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Josselot Entertain.

Among many lovely affairs of the season was the New Year's dinner Tuesday given by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Josselot at their home for members of Josselot H. D. Club and their families.

For the affair, the dining room was attractively arranged and lunch was served to about sixty guests.

Everyone played "84" in the afternoon until a late hour before leaving for home.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lancaster, Grandmother Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Josselot, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Toliver, Mr. and Mrs. Len Toliver, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monke, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Adams, Mrs. S. G. Perrin, Mrs. E. B. Callaway, Mr. P. J. Josselot, Grandpa Josselot, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Josselot, Misses May Cothron, Bonnie Brite, Fredia Schwartz, Dorothy and Patsy Ann Toliver, Alma Josselot, Janell Couch, Almeda Josselot, Eloise and Lucile Toliver, Muri and Louise Lancaster, Maurine and Gene Norton, Mr. Giles Lancaster, J. L. and Bailey Lee Toliver, Gene Schwartz, Johnny Perrin, Herman Josselot, Ray Hardin, Charlie Robinson, V. P. Terrell, Marion Josselot, Bill Cothron, J. C. Callaway, Sonny Boy Adams.

Center Point H. D. Club.

The Center Point Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. H. D. Bland Thursday evening with five members and Miss Taylor, our county agent, present. Miss Taylor demonstrated preparing and serving leafy vegetables, after which cake was served by the hostess. As Thursday was bad, we made a bad start for the New Year, but hope for a better attendance next time. We welcome visitors at all times, and urge members to attend regularly. Our next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. M. Patterson on the third Thursday.—Reporter.

Bride Honored.

Mrs. Buford Gholson, who was before her recent marriage Miss Marjorie Wright, was the honored guest at a very pleasant affair January 3, when Mrs. J. F. Carmichael entertained with an all day quilting shower and covered dish luncheon.

A color scheme of rose and white was carried out in decorations and favors. Two songs were rendered by the two sisters of the bride, Misses Mildred and Lorene Wright, and two classmates, Misses Louise McAnulty and Louise Roberts; and readings were given by Mrs. M. F. Williams and Dr. Josephine Morrison.

The event was climaxed by the appearance of an expressman in the person of Buster Gholson with a bill of lading for Mrs. Gholson indicating that a car of express with charges prepaid was awaiting delivery. The car, trailed to his automobile, was delivered by Cecil Gholson.

Those registering in the bride's book were: Mrs. Gene Smith, Mrs. Date Anderson, Mrs. Henry Barnes, Mrs. Joe B. Roberts, Mrs. Joe Harp, Mrs. Holt Eastland, Mildred Wright, Mrs. A. F. Thurman, Lorene Wright, Louise McAnulty, Louise Roberts, Annie Barnett, Alberta Orr, Dr. Josephine Morrison, Mrs. Grace Davis, Lois Davis, Blanch Davis, Dona Mae Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Wright, Mrs. Roy Perdue, Mrs. C. G. Stark, Mrs. W. W. Holland, Reba Anderson, Mrs. Austin Coburn, Mrs. Paul Frierson, Ethel Frierson, Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, Mrs. B. F. Cobb, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Irvie S. Williams, Elsie Gholson, Virginia Williams, Mrs. J. W. Gholson, Grandmother Clark, Mrs. J. L. Collier, Mrs. J. M. Crawford, and hostess, Mrs. J. F. Carmichael.

Harmony Club.

The Harmony Club had its annual business meeting to elect officers for the coming year. The following staff was elected: President, Mrs. George Herren; vice president, Mrs. T. C. Cahill; second vice president, Mrs. Emmett Starr; recording secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Thornton; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Ellis; treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Shriver. Mrs. C. L. Lewis gave a very interesting drill on Parliamentary Law.

Family Reunion.

Mrs. P. P. Quattlebaum enjoyed a family reunion Christmas Day when all her children were at home for a bountiful holiday dinner. They spent a pleasant day together, the afternoon being spent kodaking. They were very proud of the fact that there were six children, five "in-laws" and twelve grandchildren present, all with the name "Quattlebaum."

Those enjoying the day were: Mrs. P. P. Quattlebaum, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Quattlebaum and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Quattlebaum and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quattlebaum and Miss Eula Quattlebaum, of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Quattlebaum and three children of Johnson City, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Quattlebaum and five children of Woodson, and Mr. Bert Orr of Spur.

Helen Bagby Circle.

The Helen Bagby Circle met with Mrs. Ellis Monday at 3 o'clock in a Royal Service program.

Opening song was "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name". Mrs. Taylor led the devotional on the topic, "Our Great High Priest," reading from Hebrew 4th chapter. A prayer was offered by Mrs. Gilstrap for God's blessings on our work during the year.

Our subject for the lesson was "The Banner of the Cross in the Land of Our Lord." Very interesting parts were given by Mesdames Couch, Reynolds, K. D. Simmons and Glenn.

The meeting closed by a very spiritual and inspirational talk by our leader, Mrs. Taylor, expressing her appreciation of the cooperation and encouragement given her by the members of the Circle, and her hopes and plans that the coming year may be one of the greatest in our work. Ten members were present.

NERVOUS, RUNDOWN

Mrs. H. C. Reese of Salus, Ark., said: "Before I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I was run-down and nervous, had no appetite, and could not sleep well. Now, I am a different woman. I am relieved my pain, quieted my nerves and given me a better appetite."

Write to Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y. New size, tablets 50c, liquid \$1.00. Large size, tablets or liquid, \$1.35. "We Do One Part."

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25 New Silk Dresses, Sizes 14 to 20
\$1.98

25 New Silk Dresses, Sizes 14 to 20
\$2.49

LADIES SUEDE JACKETS

\$5.95 values for **\$4.49**
\$8.75 to \$9.50 values for **\$6.95**

WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR

1 Table Ladies Brown Calf Oxfords and Pumps; Kid Pumps with suede trim. \$2.98 to \$3.95 **\$1.98** values for

MEN'S OXFORDS

Men's all leather \$3.95 **\$2.98** Oxfords

MEN'S BOOTS

Broken lot of Men's Lace Boots, \$4.75 value for **\$2.49**

BLANKETS

1 lot of Heavy Double Blankets; part wool. \$2.69 value **\$1.98** for

MEN'S SHIRTS

1 lot of Men's pre-shrunk Shirts; fast colors. \$1.00 and \$1.25 **79c** values for

\$1.50 to \$1.95 Shirts for **\$1.19 & \$1.29**

OVERALLS

Men's Blue Overall; **69c** 89c values for

WORK SHOES

Men's all leather Work Shoes; \$2.98 values for **\$2.29**

UNIONS

Men's Heavy Unions; **59c** 89c values for

Boys Heavy Unions; **49c** 79c values for

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Indeed We Do!

When we say we have service to fit every financial need, we realize we are covering a great deal of territory, but we do mean exactly what we say.

The reputation which is our most valuable and most valued asset was built upon the foundation of serving all humanity well.

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Go Anywhere—Any Time
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FOOD STORES

Haskell — Rochester — Munday
If It Can Be Sold For Less— We'll Sell It!

FOOD SPECIALS

Fresh Texas Tomatoes, 4 lbs. 25c
GRAPEFRUIT, Seedless, dozen 25c
RADISHES, 2 bunches 5c

CARROTS, MUSTARD, COLLARDS, BEETS, 3 Bunches **10c**

LEMONS, Sunkist, dozen 15c
ORANGES, Texas, dozen 19c
Delicious Apples, size 88, doz. only 30c

POTATOES—

Burbank Potatoes, **2 1/2c** Pound
No. 1 Michigan Potatoes **19c** 15 lbs. **28c** 10 pounds

CABBAGE, pound 2 1/2c
BANANAS, pound 4 1/2c

FRESH STRAW-BERRIES **12c**

Pint box

POST BRAN, pkg. 10c
POST TOASTIES, pkg. 10c

PURE CANE SUGAR

10 Pounds **50c** 25 Pounds **\$1.25**

MACKEREL, 2 tall cans 15c
JELLY, assorted flavors, 1/2 gallon 29c
SALT PORK, pound 18c

LETTUCE **9c**

Arizona Iceberg
2 for

Motor Oil

100 per cent Pennsylvania. 30-40-50
2 gallons **\$1.19**

PEARS, 2 No. 2 cans 25c
PEARS, 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 35c

This list of prices good at the Haskell store only.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Jan. 13th

Bible School, 9:45 a. m.
Lord's Supper, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 5 p. m.
Preceding the Bible Study, Miss Meeker's class of young people will present a fifteen minute program. These young people are doing fine work, and if you want to hear something worthwhile, be on time next Sunday morning.

METHODIST CHURCH Orion W. Carter, pastor.

Last Sunday the Methodist Church had the largest Sunday School in over two years. This inspires us to continue to invite the public to our Church. We believe that there is something in the Sunday School for people of all ages. We are trying to make everyone feel that his time is well spent when in the School. The hour is 9:45.

The Morning worship will begin at 11 a. m. The pastor will preach on the subject "The Witness of the Spirit", or "How Can I Know That I Am a Christian?"

The evening services will begin with the young people meeting at 7:15 and the Evening Worship at 8:15. The pastor's subject will be "Those Good Old Days". The question will be, can we bring them back?

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST A. F. Thurman, Minister

Sunday, 9:45 a. m.—Bible Study and Class Work.
11 a. m., Sermon and Communion.
6:15 p. m., Young People's Classes.
7 p. m., Sermon and Communion.
Monday, 3 p. m., Ladies Bible Study.
Wednesday, 7:15 p. m., Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

Why not resolve to do and be better? Why not do the good thing that you resolve to put in practice? Our good resolutions should not be disappointed. Good resolutions are to be remembered, not forgotten. See to it that your resolution is good, and that it is able and kept. Why not give yourself a chance to do what you know you should do? Employ yourself, doing the right thing. One should not be out of work along that line. More work man hands, don't you think? Why not sign up? There is work for all. As our Master said: "Work while it is day." He also said: "The harvest is white, but the laborers are few." Do you want a good work? Yes, you say. Why not seek the Kingdom of God? Why not make it first? His promises are great. He will keep His promises. Come, we are always glad to have you with us. Come.

New Officers of Rule Federated Club Named.
RULE, Texas.—Officers for the coming year of the local Philadelphia federated club were elected here Thursday, Jan. 3, at the regular meeting of the club.
New officers are Mrs. J. E. Lindy, president; Mrs. J. E. Geer, first vice president; Mrs. C. O. Davis, second vice president; Mrs. Hazel Earnest, recording secretary; Mrs. M. Rogers, corresponding secretary; Ma. W. S. Cole, treasurer; Mrs. T. P. Hornback, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. M. Stelle, critic; Mrs. B. Harris, reporter; Mrs. O. Cole, mediator; Mrs. A. A. Bradford and Mrs. E. B. Harris, district delegates; Mrs. A. C. Foster and Mrs. H. C. Weaver, state delegates.
The Philadelphia Club was organized and federated in 1922, and has twenty-five active and five associate members.
The course of study in 1935 is social psychology.
No. a penny in the collection of red counts as a down payment on a harp.

Change of Management
I have assumed management of the Magnolia Service Station, replacing Cecil Mason, and wish to announce that the very best of service will be given all customers.
Use Magnolia Products
For Real Motoring Service
ROBERT DARNELL
The best grades Flour, Sugar, Feeds, and Field Seed at the lowest possible prices. We will appreciate the opportunity to figure with you.

J. B. Edwards Honored With Birthday Dinner

Sunday, Jan. 26, J. B. Edwards was honored with a birthday dinner at his home in the Powell community. Relatives and friends came bringing baskets of food which, when spread together, made a regular feast. The afternoon was spent in singing and visiting.

Four of the children were present, but one, Herman, was visiting in Tennessee, so the day lacked a little being perfect because of his absence.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Bird and sons Billy and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Edwards; Mrs. C. E. Lewellen and sons Jimmy and Jack; Glen Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fraley and children, Joe, Jr., and Kouweese; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fraley and children, Claude and Roy Gene; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fraley; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pryor and children, Mildred and Norma Gene, and George Tatum, all of Haskell and Weinert; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. John Burns and daughter Anne of Munday. We wish for Mr. Edwards many more happy birthdays.

Rochester

Alfred Turner and family and Arthur Howard left Wednesday for El Centro, Calif., where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Pool and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pool were shopping in Haskell last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baird of Gilliam visited in the Pool home before they left for California.

Mrs. B. O. Walker of west of town underwent a major operation at the Knox City sanitarium last week and is reported to be rapidly improving.

Glover McCarty and family of Knox City visited Mrs. Sallie Fields Sunday.

A nine and one-half pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Findley last Thursday in the Knox City sanitarium.

ROSE BUSHES, \$2.50 Dozen

Try our selection of 2 year field grown monthly blooming roses. Conner Nursery & Floral Co.

Want-Ads

OATS 50c per bushel. J. L. Tubbs, at Haskell Laundry.

LOST—White and black filly; weighs between 500 and 600 pounds; about 10 years old. Has left glass eye. George Free, 8 miles north of Haskell.

WANTED—Small place in Haskell or acreage property close; very easy terms. Address 1404 S. Lindsay St., Gainesville, Texas. Itp

FOR SALE—Need the cash! One 22 repeating Winchester rifle, \$5.00. One 12 gauge Remington automatic shotgun, 26 inch ribbed barrel, and one box shells; extra special at \$21.50. W. P. Trice. Itc

FOR SALE—Five rooms household furniture, and one set good harness. Chas. Frierson. Itc

FOR SALE—Immediately. A few nice Plymouth Rock cockerels at \$1.50 each. Also an incubator in good condition. Will SELL for immediate disposal. W. W. Johnson. Itp

WANTED—Maize; and a good middlebuster plow. J. J. Pace.

BARLEY FOR SALE—Clean and free of Johnson Grass. \$1.00 per bushel. J. H. Bland, 5 miles south and 1-2 mile west Haskell. Itp

PECANS are better shade trees than most any other tree planted. They produce great crops when given a little attention, and are a long life tree. Conner Nursery & Floral Co.

NEWS! NEWS!
See Leon Gilliam for your Free Press and daily paper renewals. If you fail to see me leave the amount at F. & M. State Bank and it will have my prompt attention.
Leon Gilliam.

FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments. See Mrs. W. L. Norton.

FOR SALE—Work stock; mares, horses and mules; 1-3 down and balance one and two years. Also four mule colts for sale. See T. L. Atchison. 2p

FOR SALE—Bundle feed, 1933 crop, \$15.00 per ton. Also some unthreshed baled oats with plenty of grain, at \$20 per ton. One mile west of Cottonwood school house. August Rueffer. 2p

IF A BETTER method for teaching Piano could be found, The Meacham School of Music would have it.

FOR SALE—Good and clean wheat seed for planting. \$1.00 per bushel. August Rueffer, Route 1, Weinert, Texas, near Cottonwood schoolhouse. 4p



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Starts Friday January 11th. Our ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE!

We're Forgetting About PROFIT . . . And Are Making a Clean Sweep of All Winter Merchandise to Give People VALUES In This SALE

JUST A FEW OF THE MANY ITEMS SHOWN HERE Look For Big Circular Giving a Complete List of Clearance Values!

You may have heard of values like these but I doubt if you really ever saw them. Even our famous "Scat" Sale last summer can't hold this value-giving event a "light." And you still hear people talking of the bargains they took advantage of then. Take a tip! Don't wait until your neighbor tells you of the bargains! Be one of the first ones here Friday morning!



DRESS SALE

Every women's Fall and Winter Dress marked for a quick sell out. Three groups—that include Street Dresses, Sports Dresses, Sunday Night Dresses, dresses for any and all occasions.

Values to \$5.95 . . . \$1.98

Values to \$9.95 . . . \$3.98

Values to \$16.95 . . . \$6.98



Close Out! Entire Stock Women's COATS and SUITS

It is a "crying shame" to put these ridiculously low prices on this quality garment, but we just won't carry them over, and we won't have to. You have seen them and wanted them—now's your chance to get your coat or suit for the rest of this year and next at a fraction of its real worth.

Values to \$9.95 . . \$3.98

Values to \$12.95 . . \$6.98

Values to \$35.00 \$10.98

Close-Out! 13 Only Baby Blankets

White with colored borders of Pink and Blue.

Size 36x50 . . . 15c
You'll have to hurry to get one

Close Out! One Group Boys' Wool Longies

Blue, Brown, and Grey. Values to \$2.98.

\$1.59 pair

Close Out! One Lot Buttons and Buckles

5c

January Clearance! Men's Shirts & Shorts

Men's Rayon Undershirts and elastic waist Shorts. Values to 89c —

Close Out 15c

PEPPERELL "BLUE BELL" CHAMBRAY

36 inch . . . 15c yard
28 inch . . . 12c yard

Close Out! About 16 Pairs Men's Semi-Dress Pants

Values to \$1.49

79c

SUITS MEN'S TWO TROUSER SALE!

Greys, tans, dark worsted and tweeds. Every Suit with 2 pair Pants.

\$15 SUITS, Sale Price . . . \$11.45

\$19.50 SUITS, Sale Price . . . \$14.45

\$25 SUITS, Sale Price . . . \$19.45

MEN'S TOP COATS

Entire stock takes a ridiculous "mark-down" during this sale. Blue, Oxford, and Tan. Values to \$19.50. \$10.50 January Clearance.

You can't afford to be without one at this price!



JANUARY CLEARANCE! Men's Work and Semi-Dress Pants

Just stacks of them—Grey covert, gamblers stripe and blue drill; heavy weight; splendid workmanship. We sold them regularly at \$1.29. Close Out this Sale, pair 98c

Change to These for Cold Weather! Men's Bleached Ribbed Union Suits

Long sleeve; Ankle length; A big value.

Sale Price . . . 59c

A MATCHLESS VALUE! "Our Special" OVERALLS

220 Weight—Made from Cone's Mill-Shrunk Denim. Extra full cut—shaped and fitted bib—heavy drill pockets—bronze buckle and buttons that won't rust—heavily stitched and reinforced to withstand the hardest wear. Made in blue and express tripe, in high back and chrome stripe with vest back. Sizes 30 to 50—January Sale, Pair . . . 98c

Jumper to match, 98c. Just try to beat these Overalls for honest-to-goodness wear!

JANUARY SILK SALE

40-inch All Silk; Ruff back Satin and Rough Crepe. Colors of Wine, Brown, Red, Black, Navy, Grey and Cream. Formerly sold at \$1.49 yard. Clearance Close-out, yd. 79c

January Sale PEPPERELL PRODUCTS

81x90 Sheets . . . 89c
81x99 Sheets . . . 98c
36x36 Pillow Cases . . . 21c
9-4 Bleached Sheeting . . . 31c
10-4 Bleached Sheeting . . . 36c
9-4 Brown Sheeting . . . 29c
10-4 Brown Sheeting . . . 31c
Other Pepperell items reduced proportionately.

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No. 11

DO YOU DARE?

Do you dare to do, or must life dare you? Must the world come along and shove you off, then pick you up when you fall? Or do you dare to exercise your initiative and either refrain from falling or else be able to take a fall when it comes? Did it ever occur to you that there is a reason for everything, and regardless of what you think you are, you are included in just one of many who get what they deserve and deserve what they get? If you think you were created especially to sit on a marble pillar, and "fall" when you have a wrong conception of life, you don't have to be an Edison and you don't have to wait for a rich uncle to die. Be yourself—depend on no one, and push ahead.

Learn to do the right thing without being told. This isn't a task, or a necessity of life, but it is necessary to gain the honor due a man's pride. Next to doing a thing without being told is doing it without being told twice.

"Learn to forgive and forget; and give and take without regret."

CLASSES IN CONTEST

The High School is having a contest between the four classes. The prize is a half-day holiday and the object is to sell all the basketball tickets that they can. We hope we get plenty of cooperation from the public in general and we assure the public that they are getting a great saving on these tickets, so buy these now for your sake and ours.

SENIOR GIRL FINDS LOST SISTER

One Senior girl, Mary Ben Chapman, was both very excited and happy today. She received a letter and also a picture of one of her sisters, Beulah, who is only one year older, and whom Mary Ben has never seen because of their separation at their mother's death.

AUNT MET ON SCHOOL TEACHING

One of my girls had her heart set on being a school teacher, but I talked her out of it. Teaching school is too much like being a preacher's wife. It's a high calling but people expect you to give more'n they pay for.

You take the teachers here in town. The only difference between them and Christian martyrs is the date and the lack of bonfire.

They were hired to teach and they do it. They teach the young—the one that fell on their heads when they was little. But that ain't enough. They're supposed to make obedient little out o' spoiled brats that never minded nobody, and nurse little wild cats so their mothers can get a rest and make geniuses out o' children that couldn't have no sense with the children they got. But that ain't the worst. They've got to get up plays an' things to work the school out of debt; an' sing

600° AWARDS

MAKE THE BEST SAUSAGE YOU EVER TASTED. THEN WIN A CASH AWARD BY WRITING US A LETTER ABOUT IT. FULL PARTICULARS IN EACH PACKAGE.



MAKE DELICIOUS SAUSAGE

Lez's Old Plantation Pork Sausage Seasoning, approved by Good Housekeeping, is famous for home-made sausage. Gives a delicious flavor. Makes sausage keep better. Easy to use, nothing to add, essentially blended, price 25c. Get FREE SAMPLE and handbook "How To Make Sausage" at any of the following stores:

- COUNTY DEALERS: Bell & Speck, Rochester, Texas; Fox Brothers, Rule, Texas; R. J. Reynolds & Son, Haskell; Fox Brothers, Rochester, Texas; Butler Campbell Store, Weinert.
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The Fifth Annual

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A large number of Haskell county people have already subscribed or renewed for the coming year—thereby saving one-third of the subscription price.

Take Advantage of This Offer Today!

Watch the expiration date on the label of your paper.

in a choir an' teach a Sunday School class and when they ain't doin' nothing else they're supposed to be a good example.

Then they don't get pay for six months and can't pay their board or buy decent clothes an' on top of everything else they can't hold hands comin' home from prayer meeting without some pious old sister starting scandal on 'em.

I'd just as soon be a plow mule. A mule works just as hard but can relieve it's soul by kicking without starting any talk.

DID YOU KNOW—

That Covell Adkins has a crash on Marjorie Ratliff? O-o-o-o! Me! O-o-o-o!

That Woodrow D. graces the Kinney Funeral Home with his dignified presence now and then?

That Munday seems to be enticing to a number of H. H. S. representatives?

That our Editor-in-Chief thinks Joe Isbell is a darling as well as a nuisance?

That Andy has already broken his New Year's resolution?

That Odell's private life is still a mystery?

That Edwin and Chrystine went together Sunday without fighting?

That Haskell boys seem to crave to have "compacts" thrown at them every so often?

That if you listen closely you'll probably hear Maydell and Alvin singing "Oh, What Times We Had in Barefoot Days."

That debate is certainly having varied effects; it's had the audacity to settle in Ava's neck, Winston's ankle and Crockett's head?

That Blondie Mc still owns part interest in Stamford?

That John Darnell blushes if you even mention a "double blank"?

That Billy Williams treats the adorable way Stamford adores him?

That Mr. Mason hates class bells and dumb bells?

That it's harder to talk Mr. Sullivan out of a detention slip than you think?

That Woodrow Frazier still has interest in Grammar School?

That Thurman Woods has fallen for a Rule "green skirt"?

That Mary Ben's church attendance is very slack in some instances. We're speaking of one instance in particular.

That the three sheiks—John, Sleepy, and Preach—ran into a date caravan or else warred a wandering safari "er sumpin" on the great Sahara between Haskell and Munday and they didn't get to school Monday until the eighth period?

WISE AND OTHERWISE

Nelson—I dreamed last night that I proposed to a pretty girl.
Helen Mable—What did I say?

Covell—I'm going to get ahead.
Crockett—Good! You need one.

Mr. Wimbish (in biology)—We will now name all the lower bipeds, beginning with you, John.

Plane Geometry

To prove: A line is a lazy dog.
Given: A line.
Proof: Raise the line to 45 degrees. It is then a slope up, and a slope up (slow pup) is the same as a lazy dog. (Ask Alvin.)

Mr. Richey (in geometry class)—What is all that noise about?
Bill Reeves—Nothing. I just dropped a perpendicular.

Maurine (to Covell)—Not only have you broken my heart and wrecked my life, but you've spoiled my whole evening.

GYPSY RAMBLER CLUB MEETING

A regular meeting of the Gypsy Rambler Club was held Wednesday afternoon. A number of committees were appointed for the improvement of the coat room. With a little paint, curtains, material and rugs we are going to make the room a work of art as well as a place of convenience.

We are very much pleased to hear

that the school administration looks upon our undertaking as a very useful project and that they will help us materially.

Funeral Services Robert Kretschmer Held At Mingus

The funeral services of Robert Hugo Kretschmer were held Saturday afternoon at Mingus, Texas, at the Methodist church at 3 o'clock, with Rev. W. E. Anderson, pastor of the Methodist church of Thurber, Texas, officiating.

Mr. Kretschmer died Thursday afternoon, January 3, 1935, at 2:35 o'clock after an illness of about seven days of pneumonia. He died in the home of a brother, Herman Kretschmer, prominent farmer of the Irby community.

Mr. Kretschmer lived at Mingus, Texas, until about ten months ago when he moved to Haskell county. He had resided in Texas 52 years, a part of that time being spent in Central Texas. He was baptised and conformed in the Evangelical Church in Germany in early boyhood.

Mr. Kretschmer was 70 years, one month and 16 days old. His wife preceded him in death ten months, having died at Mingus, Texas, last February.

He is survived by two sons, Gus Kretschmer of Edwardsville, Ill., and Richard Kretschmer of the Irby community; his father, Christian Kretschmer, who is 98 years old; two brothers, Herman and Gus Kretschmer of Irby, and a sister, Mrs. Bertha Opitz of Germany.

Mr. Kretschmer's brother, Richard, prominent farmer of the Irby community, preceded his brother in death only 12 days.

Active pallbearers were: George Moeller, Otto Peiser, J. P. Moeller, Will Weise, Joe Zelisko and Albert Klose, of Haskell.

Interment was made in the Thurber cemetery, under the direction of W. O. Holden, of Jones, Cox & Co., Haskell funeral directors.

TO THE GOOD PEOPLE OF HASKELL COUNTY

Allow me to thank you one and all for the many favors and kindnesses shown me during the six years I have served you as your Sheriff.

It has been a pleasure to work with and for you.

Your untiring and ever-willing support will live with me forever.

To the Grand Jurors and Petit Jurors whom I have worked with, I shall ever remember your faithful labors and many kindnesses to me.

To the District and County Judges, District and County Attorneys whom I have worked under and with, it has been a pleasure to work with you.

To all the lawyers of our county I want to thank you for the many favors shown me. It has been a pleasure to serve you.

Six years ago I went into your Sheriff's office with clean hands; today I hand this office back to you with clean hands.

I have done my very best to make you an honest servant. I still want to serve you when needed, so please call on me when you can use me.

May God's richest blessings attend each of you in my soul's desire.
Your friend,
W. T. SARRELS.

Center Point

Health here is good. We've been having some pretty warm weather.

Mr. W. J. Jeter spent the week end in Abilene visiting friends.

Mr. H. F. Harwell, Sr., has returned home after a several weeks visit with relatives at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kauchs returned home after a week's visit with relatives in Mills county.

Mrs. Mamie Woodard is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. C. Bland of near Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Corzine and children spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy of Jud.

Messrs. Wallace McLennan and Lowell Mowell and Miss Oneta McLennan made a trip to Old Glory Saturday night.

F. A. Patterson and family of Rose spent the week end here with relatives.

James Patterson of Haskell spent Sunday night with Fred Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Patterson spent Saturday in the Stone home near Haskell.

Sunday School was attended by a nice crowd, but we'd like to have more come out and help us keep it going.

Singing was also well attended Sunday night.

Next Sunday is regular preaching day. Everybody come out.

R. E. McLennan is suffering with a "rising" on his wrist.

Lincoln Teapot Found

HUNTINGBURG, Ind.—A small silver teapot, believed to have belonged to Nancy Hanks Lincoln, is in possession of Otis Alvey, who found it near the site of the Lincoln homestead at Lincoln City. It bears the initials "N. H. L."

Sayles

Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Harris of Midway visited in our community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Womack have returned from an extended trip to Arkansas and Louisiana and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kennamer of Haskell visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Breeden Sunday.

Mrs. H. D. Bland entertained the Demonstration Club Thursday. Those present were: Mesdames W. E.

Johnson, Corzine, Tony Patterson, C. D. Pennington and Miss Peggy Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bland of Sagerton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pennington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pennington of Lake Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ballard of Haskell were in the home of T. D. Strickland Sunday.

Rev. H. S. Hinson preached at Sayles schoolhouse Sunday. He will be back next First Sunday. Every-

one is invited. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coleman are moving into the Plainview community. We hope them well in their new home.

Bunker Hill

Health of the community is good at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lovorn and children have moved into our community.

Several from here attended a birthday supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spitzer of near

Sagerton Thursday evening given in the home of Herbert Spitzer and Norbert Boudakar.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Northcutt and children moved to Dublin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Morgan and little daughter of Stamford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Newton.

Mrs. E. I. Chatwell visited her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Williams of O'Brien last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hagie and little son of Pleasant Valley are moving into our community.

A LETTER

January 10, 1935.

TO THE PUBLIC:

We wish to take this method to make one of the most momentous announcements we have made in years—and here's our news: Beginning at once, we will commence the sale in Haskell territory of **CITIES SERVICE KOOL MOTOR GASOLINE AND KOOL MOTOR 100 PER CENT PENNSYLVANIA MOTOR OILS.**

We assure you that Cities Service Products were not selected randomly to replace the gasoline and oils we have been selling; they were selected BY US after we had proved to our own satisfaction that Cities Service Products were among the finest to be had. We can recommend Cities Service to YOU without hesitation, because we know that no better gasoline nor oil is made.

Fourteen years ago, we took over the sale of a good product, and through our own type of service and the quality, we built up a trade of satisfied customers. Recently, the wholesale angle was taken from us, through no fault of our own, and moved to a neighboring town, thereby forcing us to buy through another. This arrangement was not satisfactory to us, nor to a bulk of our customers.

A change was necessary—and we have made it. Cities Service Products is the answer. You may have never used this super-fine line, but when you do, you won't regret ever having done so.

Our service to you will be better. We guarantee that. We are now making changes in our station which will enable us to give you unexcelled service—even though it has taken money to do so.

We ask that you try Cities Service just once. "Once, Always."

We have appreciated your trade in the past, and assure you that we will strive in every way possible to merit your continued patronage.

Bert Welsh

For Motoring Pleasure, Use

Products of Cities Service

Kool Motor Gasoline - Kool Motor Pennsylvania Oil

Wholesale We will continue to handle our trade both wholesale and **Retail** retail.

BERT WELSH

Tires, Tubes— **HASKELL** —Garage Service

Haskell County History

Twenty Years Ago—1915

An Alumni Association of the Haskell High School was organized in the home of Supt. and Mrs. R. J. Turrentine with the following officers elected: President, Ben Clifton; vice president, Brevard Long; secretary, Bailey Collins. The following were present representing the graduating classes of the past three years: Misses Elma Kinnard, Jimmie Kinnard, Gladys Huckabee, Laura Huckabee, Pearl Lancaster, Mary Hughes, Winnie Langford, Florence French, Ruth Haley, Zelma Ferguson, and Allene Couch. Messrs. Grady French, Ben Clifton, Cleveland Pierson, Brevard Long, Willie Kirkpatrick, Alden Lamb, Bailey Collins, and Robert Williams.

Miss Bulah Hayes and Mr. Charles Quattlebaum were married on Dec. 20th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bledsoe. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Beavers. There were about 45 invited guests. A wedding supper was served by Mrs. Bledsoe.

Ben Clifton and Miss Florence French were married at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. French on the evening of Dec. 24th. Rev. Lawrence performed the ceremony.

Frank Baugh and Miss Virgie Bowman were married on December 23, in the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bowman. Rev. Sams performed the ceremony.

Thirty Years Ago—1896
A call was made for a mass meeting of the cotton farmers in Haskell county to meet at the courthouse on January 26th at 10 o'clock to consider the reduction of the cotton acreage this year.

Elder J. C. Stephens, father of county treasurer R. D. C. Stephens, is visiting his son here this week. Mr. Stephens lives in Dickens county.

The report of the condition of the Haskell National Bank as published gave the individual deposits at \$93,827.08.

Mr. Burwell Cox, having sold his place in the country, was in town trying to rent a residence, but was unable to find a vacant one.

G. Rader of the northwest part of the county was in town first of the week.

The Haskell County Teachers Institute held a meeting at Pinkerton on December 17th. The discussion of the course of study of the Haskell county schools by Prof. Cunningham of Haskell, and Prof. Whiteker of Pinkerton were interesting and instructive.

Land was quoted by the real estate agents at from \$2.00 to \$10.00 per acre, according to location.

Full Pardon Is Given Conatser

Lloyd Conatser, convicted in Jones and Taylor counties for the murder of two Fisher county peace officers, Sheriff Bob Smith and his deputy Ole Owen, Saturday was granted a full pardon.

Governor Miriam A. Ferguson in her proclamation, noted that "since he received a conditional pardon last November 24, Conatser has been an abiding man." Conatser has been free for the last two years on continuous paroles.

Conatser received a life sentence on one case and 99 years in the other. He was convicted in the fall of 1927.

Joyce Shepard, who was put to death in the electric chair in October, 1930, for the murders of Smith and Owen, after long months of lingering insanity, made a last-minute confession in which he assumed blame for the crime.

The peace officers were shot to death in August, 1927, when they went to Shepard's farm house, near By, to question him and Conatser about the theft of a bale of cotton. Shepard and Conatser fled. Conatser later surrendered and Shepard was captured.

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Forty Years Ago—1895

A party was organized, equipped, armed and supplied with provisions and the regulation snake medicine and started on Monday on a bear hunt in the Wichita breaks, some 30 or 40 miles northwest of Haskell. The party consisted of Rev. N. B. Bennett, J. M. Perry, Judge Ed J. Hammer, L. N. Ritter, J. E. Davis and W. P. Whitman. Many predictions are being indulged in around town as to which one of these gentlemen, in the event of the discovery of a real live bear, can put the greatest distance between himself and Bruin in the shortest time. Length of leg being taken into consideration, odds are a little in favor of our new Judge.

J. V. W. Holmes and Miss Lizzie Crites were married on the 9th of January, 1895. Rev. W. E. Sherrill performed the ceremony.

On last Friday night the following officers were installed by the Knights of Pythias lodge: Ed J. Hammer, Chancellor Commander; A. P. McLemore, vice Chancellor; J. E. Lindsey, Prelate; J. J. Keister, Master of Works; H. S. Post, Master of Arms; E. H. Morrison, K. of R. & S.; J. V. W. Holmes, Master of Exchequer; H. N. Frost, Master of Finance; W. B. Anthony, Inner Guard; L. N. Ritter, O. G.

Herman Pittman Is Listed As Student Leader At T. C. U.

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Herman Pittman, senior from Haskell, has been listed by The Skiff, campus newspaper, as one of the student leaders of Texas Christian University.

Thirty-two student organizations and the officers of the four classes were listed by The Skiff in making its survey of campus leaders.

"Students who are leaders in one group can usually be found on the membership roster, and often in the list of officers, of a number of other campus organizations," The Skiff said.

Pittman is treasurer of the Brite College of the Bible.

Many Cases Rabies Reported During Winter Months

AUSTIN, Texas.—Rabies is commonly supposed to prevail only during the hot months, but is in fact more prevalent in cold weather, declared Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. More dog bites occur from April to September, than from October to March in this climate, because dogs run abroad more freely at this season of the year, and many dogs are killed needlessly. However, the heads examined at the State Laboratory during the cool months show a higher number as having rabies.

Rabies is primarily a disease of dogs and in this way is transmitted to man. It is kept alive in Nature mainly by the dog and cat family. Rabies in cats and skunks is comparatively rare and is but occasionally transmitted to man.

The saliva of rabid animals contain the germ of rabies. Rabies may occur in persons with extremely small abrasions of the skin contaminated with infected saliva. The incubation period of rabies in man is usually from 40 to 70 days, but it may be longer up to a year. The average period in man is forty days, though this period is usually shorter in children or following bites on the face. The closer the bite is to the brain the more dangerous it is.

The disease may be controlled by means of intelligent measures directed towards the dog. It is mainly the stray dog that keeps rabies alive. Stray dogs should be impounded and ownerless dogs killed. All dogs should be licensed and required to wear a tag. Owners of such animals should be held legally responsible for damage inflicted by them. All cases of suspected rabies should be promptly reported to health officers. Care should be exercised in killing a suspected rabid dog, not to injure the brain, for if this is done it is impossible for the Laboratory to make a satisfactory examination.

Texas Textiles In Drab Picture

AUSTIN, Texas.—In contrast with the favorable situation which prevails in most other branches of trade and industry in the State, the cotton textile industry in Texas continues to present a drab picture, according to Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research and internationally known cotton authority. During November only 2,283 bales of cotton were consumed in Texas mills, a decline of 3.4 per cent from October of the current year and a drop of 61 per cent from November, 1933.

Cloth produced, 3,931,000 yards, was down 7.7 per cent from October and 55 per cent from November last year. Sales of cloth, 3,230,000 yards, were up 38 per cent from October but 28 per cent below November a year ago. Unfilled orders on the last day of November totaled 8,707,000 yards, an increase of 9.2 per cent from October 31 but 15 per cent below November 30 last year.

Active spindles, 133,462 in number, decreased 2.4 per cent from October and 20.7 per cent from November last year, and spindle hours totaling 25,517,000 increased 3.2 per cent over October but were 46.4 per cent below November last year.

TEN DOLLARS IN TREES
of the right varieties will be your best investment of the year. Plant new orchards of all kinds of fruit. It means health and pleasure and "living at home." Conner Nursery & Floral Co.

Lye Poisons Child

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—It took 3 months for a solution of lye which she drank to prove fatal to three-year-old Ina Belle Harrell. The child was fed through a tube after the solution ate through her esophagus. Pneumonia hastened her death.

It takes more than 1,000 pounds of water to produce a pound of bread.

Charter No. 14149. Reserve District No. 11.

Report of condition of the **HASKELL NATIONAL BANK** of Haskell, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1934.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$86,682.11
Overdrafts	329.91
United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed	109,933.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	39,932.48
Banking house, \$15,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$5,000.00	20,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	69,429.60
Cash in vault and balances with other banks	101,140.03
Outside checks and other cash items	1,452.46
Redemption fund with United States Treasurer and due from United States Treasurer	1,250.00
Other assets	803.32
Total Assets	\$429,955.91
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits, public funds, and deposits of other banks	\$230,502.93
Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	116,170.29
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	18.45
Total of above items:	
(a) Secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	\$116,170.29
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	290,621.38
(c) Total deposits	\$346,691.67
Circulating notes outstanding	25,000.00
Capital account:	
Class A preferred stock, 250 shares, par \$100.00;	
Common stock, 250 shares par \$100.00 per share,	\$50,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided profits—net,	3,264.24
Total Capital Account	58,264.24
Total Liabilities	\$429,955.91
Memorandum: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities	
United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed	109,933.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	17,728.83
Total Pledged (excluding rediscouunts)	\$127,661.83
Pledged:	
(a) Against circulating notes outstanding	\$35,000.00
(c) Against public funds of counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	102,658.83
(d) Total Pledged	\$127,658.83

State of Texas, County of Haskell, ss: I, A. C. Pierson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. Pierson, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9 day of January, 1935.

Sam A. Roberts, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
Jno. W. Pace,
O. E. Patterson,
J. U. Fields—Directors.



"The Cat's Paw", Saturday Preview 11 P. M. and Sunday and Monday January 12-14, at the Texas Theatre.

Former Haskell Man Slain; Rites Held At Seymour

The funeral services for H. A. Nicholson, 46 year old druggist of Seymour, and a former resident of Haskell, were held at the First Methodist Church in Seymour Tuesday afternoon.

Nicholson died early Monday night as a result of injuries allegedly inflicted by Bob Ellis, Seymour filling station operator, at the farm home of Joe Sessions, four miles west of Seymour. A large pocket knife was turned over to the Baylor county officers when Ellis was arrested Tuesday morning, which was said to have been used in inflicting several wounds near the victim's heart and throat.

Nicholson made his home in Haskell from 1920 until 1922 and was employed by Reid's Drug Store while here. He married Miss Gladys Odom of Haskell before moving to Seymour.

He is survived by his wife and five children, James, 13, John, 11, Leah, 10, Francis 6, and Grace, 14 months.

An immense crowd filled the First Methodist Church for the funeral services, which were conducted by Rev. E. C. Cargill, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by the other pastors of Seymour. The American Legion had a part in the services, Nicholson having been a World War veteran.

Among those from Haskell who attended the services were Messrs. H. Dobbins, W. M. Reid, J. P. Payne and Lynn Pace.

Government Still Paying Pensions For War of 1812

WASHINGTON.—Seven persons received pensions aggregating \$3,230.50 as dependents of soldiers who fought in the War of 1812, it was disclosed in the annual report of Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, administrator of Veterans Affairs.

Five were widows, one a re-married widow and one a daughter. Of the 2,213,365 soldiers who fought in the Civil War, only 18,455, marking a decrease of 5,422, drew pensions of \$20,051,397, a reduction of \$11,249,020 for the year.

In addition, 112,577 widows and children, a decrease of 13,061, received pensions as dependents of Civil War veterans totaling \$49,763,326, a decrease of \$17,208,833.

Veterans of Indian Wars drew \$2,178,191 during the year, a decrease of \$729,920. The pensioners numbered 4,370 in 1934, a decrease of 404.

Their dependents totalled 4,606, an increase of 109, drew payments of \$1,337,836, a decrease of \$289,740.

There were 351 widows of Mexican War veterans on the pension roll, a decrease of 61, drawing \$198,558 in pensions, a decrease of \$80,660.

The report disclosed that 165,231 veterans, a decrease of 29,242, of the Spanish American War drew \$47,933,272 in pensions, a decrease of \$61,063,368.

In addition, 35,022 dependents, a decrease of 3,785, drew pensions aggregating \$7,680,840, a decrease of \$8,608,153.

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Banquet Is Given Dr. J. C. Davis At Rule December 31

RULE, Texas.—Honoring Dr. J. C. Davis, newly-elected state representative from this district, a banquet was held here Monday night, Dec. 31 in the dining room of a local hotel.

P. H. Campbell served as toastmaster, while S. M. Davis, E. B. Harris and W. H. McCandless spoke. Short talks were given also by other guests.

Dr. Davis is the first citizen of Rule to serve as representative.

Suit Lasts 56 Years
NORTH ABINGTON, Mass.—Walter E. Bates believes that he holds a record of owning the oldest wearable suit in this section of the country. He has worn the same suit to social functions in which he was married 56 years ago.

NEW AUTO TAGS FOR COUNTY HERE

Total of 3400 Plates Now In Office of Assessor-Collector Mike Watson

Four thousand and seventy-one vehicle license plates for Haskell county arrived Saturday, according to Mike B. Watson, assessor-collector, in which office the "tags" have been stored.

In the collection were 3400 passenger plates, numbered from 547901 to 551000; 250 commercial motor, Nos. 78251-78500; 200 farm trucks, Nos. 22151-22350; two motor bus, Nos. 337-338; fifty truck and tractor, Nos. 18305-18315; twenty-five dealers, Nos. 3035-3059; eighteen motorcycle, Nos. 2172-2189; one side car, No. 268; 128 chauffeur badges, Nos. 24576-24700.

Automobile license plates for 1935 will go on sale on February 1st, and the deadline for purchasing them without penalty will be midnight, April 1st.

Since 1934 registrations do not expire until midnight April 1, 1935, a 1935 license plate cannot be legally used before that date and any registered vehicle in service during the month of February and March is required to be licensed for 1934, for the remainder of the 1934 registration year, according to word received from the Highway department by the local tax collectors office.

CAR DRIVEN 328,000 MILES STILL GOING

CHICKASHA, Okla. — An eight-year-old car that has been driven approximately 328,000 miles and is still going strong is owned by Bill Friedlander, Chickasha.

"I ought to have it pretty well broken in by next year so I can really open it up," Friedlander guessed.

The old car averaged 21 miles an hour on a 105-mile trip to Enid and better than 26 miles an hour on the trip back with a good tailwind helping it along, Friedlander reported.

Employment In Texas Increases

AUSTIN, Texas.—Reports to the Bureau of Business Research of the University of Texas from 1,673 Texas establishments on employment conditions for the week ending Dec. 15 give a total of 80,853 employees, an increase of nearly 1 per cent over November and 1.6 per cent over the corresponding week in December last year. Payrolls for the week totaled \$1,842,000, up 1 per cent from the previous month and 3.4 per cent above that in the corresponding week a year ago. Classes of establishments in which the increase in number of workers showed an increase greater than the average for all establishments were: Women's clothing manufacturing; furniture manufacturing; newspaper publishing and retail stores.

Club Worker Plans Adequate Storage In Years Program

In accomplishing the goals for wardrobe demonstrators No. 11, Mrs. Holt Eastland of the Josselyn Home Demonstration Club plans to provide adequate storage. Her improvements will include a new closet door, hat racks, new shelves, and a laundry hamper.

Her record of expenditure is based on systematic planning and buying, taking into consideration that only one-seventh of the family income is spent for clothing.

A saving of five dollars was realized by making her small son an overcoat from an old one. Other savings will be realized by making a bath robe from heavy fed sacks which will be dyed and worked with candlewick thread. Fabric gloves and a purse are being made.

Mrs. Eastland is a contestant in the county clothing contest held in June, from which a winner will be selected to compete in the state contest held in July at College Station.

The worst evil of wars is the moral laxity which always follows them.

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SPECIALS

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
January 11-12

SUGAR	CANE.	25 pounds	\$1.27
SPUDS	Good and Sound.	Peck	25c
FLOUR	Red & White. The finest flour known. 48 lbs. for		\$1.95
RICE	Choice, 5 pounds for		24c
CATSUP	Two 14-oz. bottles		25c
YAMS	Hand picked and Kiln Dried, per lb.		4c
Gallon Cherries	Red Sour		53c

Apples, large fancy Winesap, doz. 29c
Bananas, large yellow fruit, lb. 5c
Oranges, large size Red Ball, doz. 30c
School Size Winesap—
Apples, an extra value, each 1c
Lettuce, nice firm heads, each 5c
RAISINS, 4 lb. package 33c
POTTED MEAT, 3 cans 10c
MUSTARD, quarts 15c
Pickles, Sour or Dill, quarts, 2 for 35c
Red & White Brand—
Spices, all kinds, 10c values, 2 for 15c
Lady Godiva or Health Thrill—
TOILET SOAP, each 5c
Macaroni or Spaghetti, pkg. 5c
Cocoanut, 1 lb. put up in Celo bag 19c
GREEN BEANS, No. 2 cans, each 10c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 3 for 25c

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WAR PROFITS AND THE BONUS

With both President Roosevelt and the United States Senate moving energetically to take the profits out of war, this government at last is pursuing an intelligent course that may steer it clear of soldier bonus demands in the future.

The bonus has been fought over in Congress ever since the war. Time after time, Presidents and Secretaries of the Treasury have brought forward all sorts of arguments why the bonus should not, could not, or would not be paid, but all this palaver has not in the least decreased the demand of the ex-service men for the bonus. Away back in the background, seldom mentioned by anyone but never for a moment forgotten by the ex-service men who want the bonus, loomed those vast industrial war profits.

It is all very well to tell the former soldier demanding a bonus that he is putting his patriotism on a cash basis. It is all very well to tell him it is unfair to the rest of the country to give him a prior claim on the Federal Treasury simply because he was drafted into the army. The veteran had only to think of those vast war profits to feel completely justified in his demands. Meditate just briefly on some of the war profits. We had, for instance, 181 individuals receiving net incomes of \$1,000,000 a year or more; we had industrial concerns netting profits which ranged all the way up to 362 per cent on their invested capital; we had a long list of companies making 50, 70 and 100 per cent profits in one single war year.

If those things have been sticking in the war veteran's craw all these years, it is no wonder; nor is it extraordinary that he is unimpressed by the accusation that he is being mercenary in asking a thousand or so in cash for himself. In strict logic, the bonus demand may be unjustified and the ability of the Federal Treasury to meet this demand is open to question, but certainly, against such a background of war profiteering it is the most natural thing in the world that the man who risked his life in time of war should demand that he finally be reimbursed for taking his chances in the firing line while some of our industrialists were safe at home and reaping vast fortunes.

It has taken us a long, long time to realize there is shocking injustice in drafting a man to face death and wounds while permitting the stay-at-home to make money beyond the dreams of avarice. Not until we have written into law an ironclad system for eliminating such grotesque war profits shall we be in position to say "No" to the bonus-seeker without getting a horse laugh in return.

A VOCABULARY TEST

How often do we find difficulty in thinking of just the right word to express a certain idea? Even the best writers must often stop to weigh upon their words in order to hit upon the most appropriate one, while few speakers can observe all the niceties of expression without writing out their speeches and memorizing them beforehand.

This is not due to any lack of words in the English language, however. Possibly it may be a result of our having too many to choose from. The latest unabridged dictionaries contain more than 400,000 words, and the list is increasing constantly.

Noah Webster's first dictionary, published in 1828, contained only about 70,000 words; the edition of 1864 included 114,000, and that of 1890 about 175,000, as compared with the 400,000 recognized words today.

Yet President Wilson, who was one of the foremost masters of English, in 75 public addresses used a total of only 6,221 different words. In three of his published books, however, he used about 40,000. This shows that vastly more words are used in writing than in speaking.

A leading lexicographer estimates that the educated person of fair ability understands on the average about 50,000 words, but uses only a small part of that number in either speaking or writing. The mass of people know and use less than 8,000 words out of the 400,000 available.

An interesting experiment is to inspect a few pages of an unabridged dictionary and count how many words out of a hundred you are really familiar with, both as to spelling and meaning. Try it.

CLUBS FOR FARM YOUTH

No movement having for its object the betterment of rural life is more worthy of encouragement and support than that of forming and maintaining boys' and girls' clubs. It is gratifying to observe that the movement has spread rapidly and that a million and a half young people on the farms of the country are enrolled in clubs.

Civic bodies, fair committees, bankers and individual business men in many states are taking notice of the club movement, and are fostering it through the offering of prizes, scholarships, trips and other rewards for efficiency shown by farm boys and girls in carrying out the various projects included in the club program.

Club activities not only serve to prepare young people for their life work, if they choose to stay on the farm, but the conducting of their own meetings develops qualities of leadership and confidence in themselves. Even those who enter other pursuits are better fitted for their future careers by the discipline and training which are inseparable from club membership.

Every rural community should co-operate with home demonstration agents and other extension workers in promoting boys' and girls' clubs. It is a splendid enterprise, which will have a most beneficial effect upon farm life in the future.



When we hear the song "There's Something Fine About A Soldier," which seems to glorify parades and uniforms, our mind goes on a tangent and we cannot help but see an entirely different picture. We do not see marching troops, headed by peppy bands. Neither do we see soldiers with spick and span uniforms being "made over" by beautiful girls. We see dirty, rain drenched holes in the ground, with men, who were once peace-loving, crawling or hiding—and scratching. Good food—sometimes. Men and boys running across a shell-torn field. Some of them run for a time until halted forever. And then we can see a Mother when she receives the word. Someone should compose a song entitled "There's Something Wonderful About A Civilian."

Haskell needs a park. Plenty of good sites are available. Haskell also needs a gymnasium, where events county-wide in interest can be held. And another thing, Haskell needs to become better acquainted with neighboring towns—and rural communities. Those places have probably been there for years, but a lot of the people haven't and as yet, haven't discovered the road to this friendly city.

Rule, an up-and-doing city west of Haskell, has reorganized its Chamber of Commerce with the avowed purpose of furthering the interests of RULE and to secure everything possible for RULE. Determination, backed by action, will get results.

RANDOMLY—Carl McGregor is a walking League of Nations, so he says. His father's father was a Scotchman, his father's mother was French, his mother's mother was of Italian descent and his mother's father was German. Carl further says that he is very much American. . . . I. L. Sturdivant, special cotton agent here, is asked all sorts of questions. Wednesday a man approached him and asked if Sturdivant "was the man who could tell him what he wanted to know." Large order. . . . One delivery wagon driver came near running over us the other day because his eyes were centered on a good-looking woman who was walking near by. . . . The young unmarried lady in the county agent's office is a stickler for obeying government regulations. She wouldn't even let us handle the list which named receivers of cattle checks. The government said "no," so she said "no." . . . In case of fire, you will probably find Theron Cahill near a magazine stand. . . . We notice that the Lions Club sign in the Tonkawa reads "Make a SPEECH." We suggest that Dr. Williams either put a sign on his door when he is away or whistle some tune when he is in. We sat in his reception room for about thirty minutes the other day before we decided he must not be in. The reason we couldn't hear very good was because the typewriters belonging to P. L. Daugherty and Foster Davis were clicking too loudly on the same floor. . . . The picture on Judge Chas M Conner's door, said to portray O. L. (Jim) Darden at the age of 14, is not a very good likeness. . . . Did you know that Judge Conner is studying law and will make application to take the bar examination? . . . Nothing much happening in court until Feb. 4. . . . "Old Line Legal Reserve" Roy Sanders doesn't like parlor games.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District

-CURRENT COMMENT-

CURTAIN CALLS (Graham Leader)

How many of last year's football squad can be named offhand? How many of these you can remember can you place now, and tell what they're doing? Next year another team will replace Kimbrell and his Herd in the minds of Graham enthusiasts. The memory of Couger and Parsley, Morris and Prideaux and several others will recede in favor of younger players.

Cheering and pats on the back do not come as easily in life as they do on the football field and the attention the Steers got because of their football prowess will cease abruptly. What then? Will Graham men stop boosting them and only occasionally condescend to nod or pass the time of day with the young men who face a long upward climb to the places they aspire to fill?

A great deal of the determination mustered this year to defeat Vocational, Wichita Falls, Nocona, and others could be attributed to the support of the men the boys admired who were cheering on the sidelines. Their determination to reach their goal after they get out of school can be no less if they get a helpful hand from the fellows who cheered them on the football field.

The next few months will be curtain call for the boys who will never play high school football again. After that they start another phase of life, demanding more support than they ever needed on the football field. Just how long after their curtain calls this year will the cheering and boosting continue? Only to the degree that those young men are encouraged to want to fight toward their goal will they be likely to score in life.

Vontress

Sunday was preaching day here. Rev. Charlie Cargon brought a very interesting message both Sunday morning and again at night.

There will be preaching here both on the first and third Sunday through this year.

Mrs. Stanley Furrh of this community is on the sick list this week. We hope she will soon recover.

Mr. Preston Johnson and Mr. Walter Kinley who have recently returned from California spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arend of this community.

Miss Blanche Anderson of Irby spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Speck Sorenson of this community.

Messrs. Will and Roy Mercer of this community made a business trip to Rising Star, Texas, last week. Mrs. Lewis Hoyal and children of Haskell are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hoyal of this community.

Mr. Earl Campbell of Pleasant Valley spent the week end with Mr. William Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bruggeman entertained a few of their friends with a forty-two party Tuesday night.

A love service is never done for appreciation or reward.

Court of the 39th Judicial District of Texas, in and for Haskell County, on the 7th day of January, 1935, in the case of Mrs. Mary Senn, guardian of the person and estate of Vernie Winchester, a person of unsound mind, versus J. B. Post, Mrs. Bulah Gay and C. G. Gay, numbered on the docket 4452 of said docket of said Court, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered: I have levied upon this the 8th day of January A. D. 1935, and will between the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in February 1935, it being the 5th day of said month at the courthouse door in Haskell County, Texas, in the city of Haskell, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which J. B. Post, Mrs. Bulah Gay and C. G. Gay had on the 1st day of April, 1931, or at any time thereafter, of in and to the following described land and premises, to-wit: All that lot, tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the county of Haskell, in the town of Haskell, and in the State of Texas, to-wit: Being all of Lot 1, in Block 12 of the Robertson and Day addition to the town of Haskell, in Haskell County, Texas, and being the same land conveyed to Bulah Gay by J. B. Post by deed dated the 8 day of April, 1932.

Said property being levied on as the property of J. B. Post, Bulah Gay and C. G. Gay and will be sold to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1546.38, together with the interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1934, in favor of Mrs. Mary Senn, guardian of the person and estate of Vernie Winchester, a person of unsound mind, and against J. B. Post, Mrs. Bulah Gay and C. G. Gay, jointly and severally, and for further costs of suit including the execution of this writ.

GILES KEMP, Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas

TRUANT BRIDE MUST RETURN TO CLASSES

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—Titian haired, 13-year old Marguerite White Tate found that even a marriage certificate won't exempt her from going to school, at least for a while. After the young bride had "played hooky" to go honeymooning for a week, truant officers told the 21-year old bridegroom, Deward Tate, that she must attend until she is 16 or passes the eighth grade.

An Encouraging YEAR-END SUMMARY

The second year of progressive effort toward national recovery has come to a close. Important events and sweeping changes have taken place. While it is true that the goal toward which we are striving has not yet been reached, nevertheless, it has been brought definitely nearer.

For the most part, the year-end published reviews of trade activities reveal encouraging improvement. Business leaders express optimism over the New Year outlook.

We believe that there is a real and solid foundation for this growing confidence which is manifest everywhere. We expect business to be better in 1935 than it was in 1934 and we hope that you and your friends may benefit in due measure from the expected improvement.



Haskell National Bank

THE OLD RELIABLE



Sometimes when a fellow asks for a girl's hand he gets her dad's boot.

Some of the current Christmas ties speak for themselves.

Famous last words: "Dad, can I beat my drum now?"

The cynic will tell you that three-fourths of life is lie.

Now that Parisian women are smoking cigars, we presume the newest fashion will be something in Havana wraps.

The fellow who keeps his nose to the grindstone is usually pretty well grounded.

If little things seem to bother you, don't worry. Maybe its only your winter underwear.

That Illinois woman who yawned for 300 hours straight probably will never listen to another radio joke.

It seems that whenever an outlaw goes into the lead on the Public Enemy list the lead soon goes into him.

Those who marry because of puppy love too often find later they're leading a dog's life.

Who remembers when candidates spoke sneeringly of the "silk stocking" vote?

Having Congress and the Legislature both in session is a poor start for the New Year.

And a lot more new laws that nobody will understand will add to our miseries.

Most war-time second lieutenants have probably lived it down by this time.

Hundreds of depositors failed to

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appear and claim their funds after a Cleveland bank announced the pay-off. Maybe the shock was too much for them.

Child welfare workers ought to give some attention to those in their second childhood.

Forty volumes of missing laws have been discovered in St. Louis. What an unlucky country.

The conventional grammar of some persons seems to be limited to the personal pronoun, first person, singular.

A chemist says that man is made principally of glue. But some men don't seem able to stick to anything long.

An Englishman suggests that men grow beards and boss their wives. But what if their wives won't allow them to grow beards?

After all, the stenographer who marries her boss isn't taking such a chance. She's seen him at his worst.

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APPRECIATION



The WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY is duly appreciative for the patronage and co-operation received from its customers and friends the past year.

Our aim has been to render a superior service at constantly

reduced rates. In expression of our gratefulness for the patronage received, we have continued our policy of rate reductions. Our customers are now able to enjoy a dependable electric service at rates below the state's average.

Our hope of reward is in YOUR INCREASED USE of service. Your continued increase in patronage and your co-operative influence in obtaining full information so as to understand your power company's problems will combine our efforts in the future development of West Texas and reduced cost of electric service.

We feel that we have established a foundation by our past experiences and achievements for a greater public service. As we close out the year of 1934 and make our plans for service in the future, we pledge our entire organization—to the 160 towns and communities we serve—in a continued improvement of our service.

West Texas Utilities Company

COUNTY COUNCIL VOTES FOR TRIPS

Winners of Girls Contests Will Again Be Sent To A. & M. July Course

Trips to the A & M short course for winners in the girls' bedroom improvement and garden demonstration contests will again be made next July. It was voted Saturday by members of the County Council of home demonstration clubs, who met here in a regular meeting. Twenty-four women from nine clubs were present.

Representatives will also be sent to the Wichita Falls Meat Show, which will be held next March. The members also decided.

Mrs. Fred Monke, of the Josslet club, spoke and explained what the Agriculture Association, which met in Dallas recently, really means to farmers.

"In my opinion, such an organization as the Agriculture Association, is exactly what the farmers need," Mrs. Monke said. "Something is needed whereby farmers may be placed in a position to compete with organized business, and this association will go a long way toward accomplishing that very thing."

The pantry in the home of Mrs. Chas. M. Conner was visited. Canned peaches, plums, grapes and berries, all grown in the Conner orchard, were displayed to the visitors. Mrs. Conner also invited the council members on a tour through the greenhouse, and took pains to explain the names and varieties of the flowers grown.

Cox Motor Co. Now Located At The Panhandle Garage

The Cox Motor Co., Buford Cox, manager, which has been located on the southeast corner of the square, is now located at the Panhandle Garage, where Cox and George Mitchell will operate a new and used automobile agency.

Chas. Reese, mechanic, has also moved to the Panhandle, where he has charge of the mechanical department, succeeding Messrs. Bert and Tom Smith, who now have charge of the garage in the Bert Welch service station.

Did You Know?

That you can take a business course right here at home where you will not be out the living expense that you would if going away? Investigate. You will find it worth while. Prices reasonable. New classes starting now. Haskell High School.

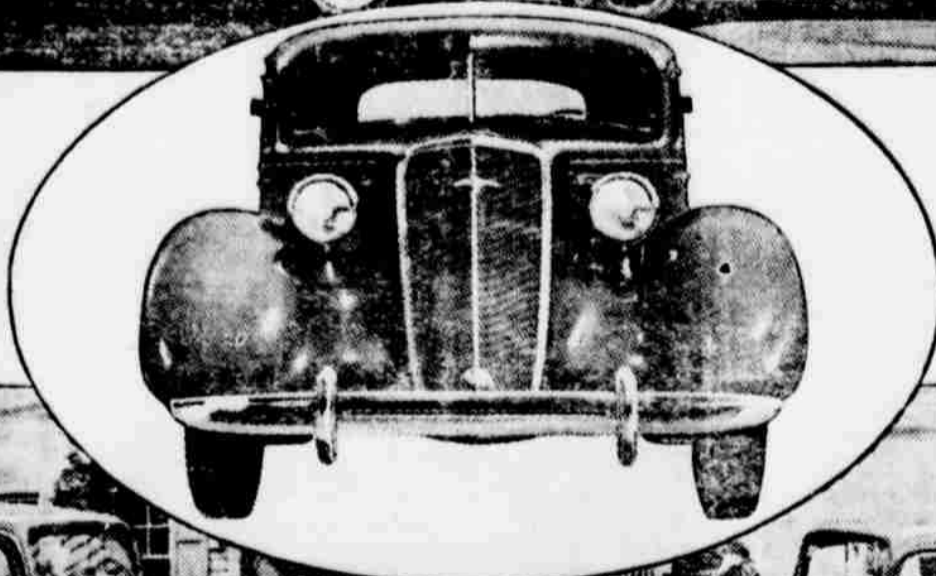
Chevrolet Announces Two New Lines for 1935



The Coupe model typifies the beauty and style of Chevrolet's New Master De Luxe series for 1935. Improved performance and exceptional economy also characterize these cars.

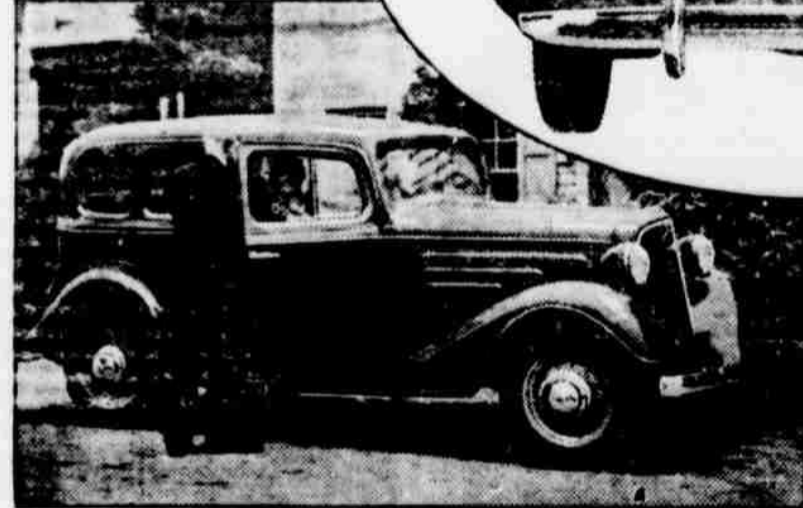


Fleet, graceful lines also mark the New Master De Luxe Sport Sedan. Ample luggage space is provided by the built-in trunk, and a luggage compartment behind the rear seat cushion.



Right: Front view of New Master De Luxe Coupe, showing roominess and graceful lines. Below: The Sedan model in the New Standard series, which, powered by the time-proven Master engine, combines brilliant performance with its smartness and style.

Another attractive model in the New Standard series is the Coupe pictured here. Numerous body and chassis refinements, in conjunction with the Master engine, unite to make these cars outstanding values in the lowest-priced field.



Typical of Chevrolet's two new lines of cars are the models illustrated here. The Master De Luxe series reveals strong emphasis on beauty and style. Mechanically, the Master De Luxe series and the New Standard series have much in common, including the Master engine, in which numerous refinements have been made to enhance performance, durability and economy. As these pictures reveal, the New Master De Luxe departs distinctly from previous Chevrolets in the striking advance which has been made in body design and trim.

Adolphus Ernest Camp Rites Held Saturday At Goree; War Veteran

The funeral services of Adolphus Ernest Camp, 38, were held at the Methodist church in Goree last Saturday at 3 p. m., conducted by Rev. J. C. Parks, assisted by Rev. A. B. McBrayer, pastor of the Methodist church of Goree and Rev. S. E. Pritchard, pastor of the Baptist Church of Goree. The deceased was a world war veteran, a member of the Methodist church and the Masonic Lodge. He had resided in Knox county practically all his life. Funeral arrangements were in charge of J. H. Kinney of the Kinney Funeral Home of Haskell.

Most people are not wealthy enough to do wrong.

J. H. Timberlake, Pioneer Merchant, Dies At Jacksboro

J. H. Timberlake, 75, pioneer citizen of Jacksboro, Texas, and father of Frank P. Timberlake, of Wichita Falls, and Howard Timberlake, of Vernon, members of the firm of Perkins-Timberlake Co., died at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at his home.

Services were held today at Jacksboro, in the First Baptist Church. Mr. Timberlake married Miss Annie Perkins, sister of J. J. Perkins, president of the Perkins-Timberlake Co., which has a store in Haskell. All Perkins-Timberlake stores were closed Thursday (today), but preparations were made to reopen Friday morning in order to start the large clearance sale, which had already been announced.

Self-Support Plan For South Dakota Farms Announced

PIERRE, S. D.—Worthy and destitute rural families will become self-supporting on their own farms in South Dakota if the program approved by the South Dakota Rural Rehabilitation Corporation is carried out as announced here.

The program will consist of three main points, according to instructions sent to district and county relief directors by A. M. Eberle, member of the Rural Rehabilitation Corporation, and J. H. Byrne, state director of social service.

The new program consists of: 1. Making such seed stocks, farm animals, equipment, buildings, or land available as may be required for complete self-support.

2. Providing the services of trained specialists in agriculture and home economics to aid in formulating plans for farming and homemaking.

3. Assisting with debt adjustment and the development of a financial program leading to rehabilitation.

The new phase of the program is to be financed with federal funds provided for rehabilitation purposes.

Dominey Infant Dies

The funeral services for Joe Ann Dominey, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dominey of the Center Point community were held at the Fairview cemetery at 3 p. m. Sunday afternoon with Rev. J. W. Ware, pastor of the Baptist church of Rule conducting the services with J. H. Kinney of the Kinney Funeral Home of Haskell in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were W. N. Gibson, Clois Woodward, Ralph King, Woody Culpepper. Those assisting with the flowers were Mesdames Alvy Schwartz, Lottie Barnett, Will Hines and Miss Bobbie Jean Woodward.

Singing School Closes At Rule Schoolhouse

The singing school will close at the Rose school house Saturday night with a concert and pie supper. The school has been in progress for the past two weeks. An admission charge will be made of 10 cents for the concert, the proceeds to be used in defraying the expenses of the singing school.—(Adv.)

Domestic fowls with tail feathers as long as 18 feet are raised in Japan.

Convict Certain Is His Unlucky Number

CARSON CITY, Nev.—Thirteen certainly is an unlucky number as far as he is concerned, an unidentified convict wrote Nevada State Prison authorities.

"There were in our family (Dad, Mother, and all the kids) 13," he wrote. "I was arrested in September, 1929, day of month, 13. The nine letters and four figures (September, 1929,) equal 13."

"I gave my testimony in December, 1930, on Friday, 13th. 1 plus 9 plus 3 plus 0 equals 13. The prison transport arrived for me in January 1930, day of month, 13."

"I was placed in cell 13. I asked my cell partner how much time he had done. His reply gave the total years of 13. I am still holding down cell 13. Believe it or not."

Services for Mrs. Dyches Held Dec. 31

The funeral services of Mrs. E. J. Dyches, 64, were held at the Church of Christ in Rochester on Monday afternoon, December 31st. Rev. Strickland, Primitive Baptist minister of Munday, conducted the services. Interment was in the Rochester cemetery.

Mrs. Dyches was born July 27, 1870, in Harris county, Texas. She was married to E. J. Dyches Dec. 2, 1894, and moved to Haskell county with her husband in 1902.

Deceased is survived by her husband, one son, Arlie Dyches, of Rule, four daughters, Mrs. Ray Alsbrook of Rochester, Mrs. D. Hinesley of Rule, Mrs. Travis Smith of Stamford, and Miss Alpha Dyches of Rule. She also leaves four brothers, W. B. Yarbrough of Mesquite, N. M., A. E. and C. O. Yarbrough of Munday and W. B. Yarbrough of O'Donnell, and two sisters, Mrs. J. P. Gilliland of Weirnet and Mrs. H. F. Gilliland of Fort Worth. All of whom except the brother at O'Donnell were present at the funeral. She also leaves several grandchildren.

Kitchen Kinks

Garments should not be packed away on damp days unless thoroughly dried before being boxed. If they have any coating of moisture, the result may be tarnish in the case of metal fabrics and weakening of the fibers in others.

To prevent the yellowing which white garments suffer when packed away, either have them dry cleaned first or very thoroughly sunned.

After a cruise or a stay by the ocean, the preservation of garments will be increased by sunning or dry cleaning to extract the acid content with which they have been permeated by the salt air.

Taffeta garments should be rolled on cylinders of tissue paper, unless they can be hung up in a wardrobe trunk. Flat packing is likely to crack them.

A garment that is stained should not be pressed. The iron's heat sets the spot.

Celane garments must be pressed when entirely dry and with a cool iron applied directly to the surface. Prints also should be ironed dry. Pure silk may be pressed under a slightly dampened cloth. If the cloth is too wet it may shrink the silk.

Burned Food Burned food on iron or aluminum pans may be quickly cleaned by holding over the gas a few minutes. All particles will burn off and you can wipe with a paper as soon as cool.

Butter Spreads Easily On cold mornings when the butter is hard, hold it under the hot water faucet a second and turn off hot water. It will then spread easily.

Cake Kept Moist Slices of fresh bread in the cake box keep cake moist.

A Philadelphia grocer, charged with cashing a county relief board food order and taking a 25-cent profit, was fined \$104.

OFFICERS OF RULE C. OF C. ELECTED

Dr. M. W. Rogers Named President at Meeting Monday Night

Unusual interest marked the meeting of the Rule Chamber of Commerce Monday night when the rules of the organization were perfected and new officers elected for one year. Dr. M. W. Rogers is president; E. S. Bell, vice president; and J. C. Davis, Jr., secretary treasurer.

Directors for the new organization are C. O. Davis, G. B. Tanner, Cy Tankersley, W. H. McCandless, Dr. J. I. Gossett and E. B. Harris.

The Chamber of Commerce was reorganized, according to E. B. Harris, who was in Haskell Wednesday, because they believed Rule's interests and community affairs should be protected.

The meeting Monday night was attended by practically all of the business men in Rule.

Corsicana Will Be Beautified for Texas Centennial

CORSICANA, Texas.—This Navarro county city intends to make itself the most beautiful city, and Navarro county the most beautiful county, in Texas in time for the 1936 celebrations of Texas' Centennial of Independence.

A program of municipal and highway beautification has been prepared with civic groups of every town in the county co-operating. Five parks will be opened and landscaped on tracts adjacent to Corsicana. Rice, Kerens, Richland and Dawson. Official plantings for the beautification project will include the ash tree, redbud, crepe myrtle, poppy, bluebonnet, Indian paintbrush, bachelor button, zinnia and cornflower.

Via Infant Dies

Funeral services of Randall Via, born December 17, 1934, were held at Willow Cemetery Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. H. R. Whately, pastor of the First Baptist church. Funeral arrangements were in charge of J. H. Kinney of the Kinney Funeral Home.

The "windmill" wings of an auto-giro turn against the wind although it is the force of the wind that turns them. These wings are power-driven only when the craft is on the ground.

World Uses Less American Cotton

NEW YORK.—World consumption of American cotton during the first four months of the current season is estimated at 3,912,000 bales by the New York Cotton Exchange Service. This is the smallest total in four seasons, comparing with 4,867,000 in the same period last season, 4,040,000 two seasons ago, 4,040,000 three seasons ago and 3,555,000 four seasons ago.

November consumption this season declined 6.7 per cent from the October total, compared with the usual seasonal drop of 2 per cent. An estimated 1,070,000 bales were used against 1,070,000 in October, 1,197,000 a year ago, 1,200,000 two years ago, 1,030,000 three years ago, and 920,000 bales four seasons ago.

Great Britain and the Continent used much less American lint in November than a year ago, but the United States, the Orient and minor countries used about the same. British spinners used 83,000 bales against 139,000 a year ago, Continental mills 246,000 against 379,000, domestic spinners 466,000 against 463,000, the Orient 192,000 against 195,000 and minor countries 20,000 against 21,000 a year ago.

There is hope for the ignorant one who knows he's not wise.

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