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CONTRACT AWARDED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Prize Premium List For '36 CWT Fair

ATTRACTION BE SELECTED DIRECTORS SOON

Larger List of Prizes in All Departments

list for the 1936 Centennial Fair, Oct. 21-24, has been prepared and passed several hundred prizes for the fair.

A larger list of prizes in all departments, it was announced at a meeting of the directors of the Haskell Fair Association held last night.

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SECOND TRADES DAY IS PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Here Today



Congressman George Mahon of Colorado, who has just returned from Washington and the National Democratic Convention at Philadelphia, was a Haskell visitor today, in the interest of his campaign for re-election for a second term. His stay in Haskell was brief, as he expects to visit all sections of this district before the primary July 25th.

Approved by Resettlement Administration To Assist Farmer Group

The first Community Service Loan to be made in Haskell County by the Resettlement Administration was consummated recently, according to R. E. Skipworth, district supervisor for four counties in this area.

The loan, in the amount of \$150 was made to Henry G. Owens, Rochester farmer, for the purchase of a registered Jersey bull. Combination Sultan Noble, out of the Chandler herd of registered Jerseys in East Texas.

Although the loan was made to Owens, Mr. Skipworth explained that thirty farmers in the Rochester area owning 58 milch cows had joined Mr. Owens in the application. Aim of the Community Service loans, Mr. Skipworth stated, was to aid farmers in replenishing and improving livestock, and to establish community enterprises such as syrup mills and other ventures.

Eligibility of Young Voters in Primary Given

With the first primary only a few weeks away, young people who have reached maturity and will be entitled to vote this year without payment of a poll tax, will be interested in the requirements necessary for their participation in the primary, as set out in an opinion from the Attorney General of Texas.

This information was contained in a letter received this week by Tax Collector and Assessor Mike R. Watson, from George H. Sheppard, State Comptroller. Concerning the Attorney General's opinion, Mr. Sheppard states: "As we understand the opinion, (Continued On Page Eight)

Twelve Thousand, Five Hundred "Bucks" Change

Haskell's second monthly Trades Day, observed yesterday, was successful from every angle, according to expressions of business men and Chamber of Commerce officials who have sponsored the monthly events.

While the Auction Sale was the main feature and drawing card for the day, large numbers were attracted to the Rita Theatre, where the regular daily picture program was shown. One Buck in Haskell currency being charged for admission. Opening at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the house was packed during two complete shows, Manager Sever Leon announced.

One hundred and twenty-five dollars worth of merchandise, ranging in value from 25c to \$18.50, was sold at auction beginning at 4 o'clock, with an estimated twelve thousand five hundred dollars of Trades Day currency being used in purchase of the items. Chamber of Commerce officials estimated the crowd in attendance at the auction sale at between 1,000 and 1,200 people.

Mike B. Watson officiated as auctioneer, assisted by several members of the Trade Extension Committee. Highest priced item, a pressure cooker retailing for \$18.50, brought 1,250 "bucks", being purchased by Mesdames George and Clarence Taylor jointly. A package of ice cream powder brought fifty "bucks."

Other items sold included dry goods, dishes, groceries, ice books, gasoline and oil tickets, tires, tubes, toilet articles, etc. Enthusiastic over the success of Wednesday's event, sponsors are already shaping plans for the August Trades Day, to be held on Wednesday August 5th, and hope to have several novel features in addition to the regular events staged in the past.

Merchants and firms who cooperated in the July Trades Day were: Perkins-Timberlake Co., Hardin (Continued on Page Five)

FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. LESSIE DENDY HELD HERE TUESDAY

Death Occurred at Home of Son Following Period of Failing Health

Funeral rites for Mrs. Lessie Dendy, 62, who died Monday afternoon at the home of a son, L. B. Dendy, were held from the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, with Rev. H. G. Hammer, pastor of the Howland community church conducting. Burial was in Willow Cemetery.

Mrs. Dendy, who had made her home with her son since 1930, had been in failing health for some time. A native of Texas, born Miss Lessie Hightower at Mart, Texas, December 1, 1874, she was married to S. L. Dendy in that city December 7, 1897, and resided at that section until 1930, when she came to Haskell to make her home, after the death of her husband. She had been a member of the Baptist Church for almost a half century, having been converted in early childhood.

Four sons and four step-sons survive. They are: L. B. Dendy, Haskell; D. D. Dendy, Tom Ball, Texas; R. E. Dendy, Eunice, N. M.; Jim Dendy, Normangee, Texas; Step-sons: R. L. Dendy, Haskell; Oscar Dendy, Wink, Texas; Richard Dendy, Breckenridge; Tom Dendy, Bay City, Texas. Pallbearers were: Clyde Beatty, Walter Childress, E. W. Kregger, Buck Calloway, W. E. Taylor, J. A. Yancey. The floral offerings were handled by Misses Lorene Druedow, Juanita Dunnam, Estelle Dunnam, Mrs. Nina Dunnam, Almada Joseell, Marie Rhodes, Mrs. J. C. Dunnam, Mrs. Ernest Marion. Arrangements were in charge of W. O. Holden of Jones, Cox & Co. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillard of Plainview were here last week visiting Mrs. Dillard's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson.

6,240 BALLOTS ARE PRINTED FOR COUNTY VOTERS

Ready for Absentee Voting Which Will Soon Begin For First Primary

Printing of six thousand, two hundred and forty ballots required for the 22 voting boxes in Haskell county was completed by the Free Press this week, and will be distributed to election officials under supervision of the County Democratic Executive Committee.

Copy of the ballot to be used in the Democratic Primary July 25th is reprinted on Page 5 of this week's issue, for the convenience of our readers who may want to familiarize themselves with the various candidates for State offices, as well as to acquaint themselves with the arrangement of names and order in which the tickets are listed on the ticket.

Largest number of tickets printed for a single voting box was 915 for Haskell No. 1, with the next largest number, 600, allotted Rochester (No. 6), followed by Weinert (No. 10) with 550 tickets needed.

Voters of Rule will require a total of 850 ballots in selecting their candidates, but this number is divided between two voting boxes in that city, No. 5 with 450 ballots, and No. 22, 400 ballots. The four Haskell boxes were allotted a total of 2,315 ballots. The total number of ballots printed exceeds the number of poll tax paid, but this excess number is required under the election laws, members of the Executive Committee explained.

Poll Tax Payments

Voting strength of the county this year is estimated in the neighborhood of 4,500 or slightly more, based on a comparison with votes polled in 1934 and poll tax payments for that year. In the first (Continued On Page Eight)

COUNTY FARMERS RECEIVE COTTON PARITY CHECKS \$39,058 for Producers Who Signed 1935 AAA Agreement

Five hundred and forty-four Haskell county farmers who participated last year in the AAA cotton control program were enriched to the extent of \$39,058.14 this week through disbursement of checks aggregating that amount which were received at the office of County Agent Chesser.

These checks, in varying amounts, represented the difference between the price of 12c set by the Government, and the amount per pound received by the producer when cotton was sold. First batch of the checks arrived Monday, and notices have been sent to producers who have checks awaiting them.

Attendance Record For Sunday School Class Claimed Here

Two hundred and sixty-two men were reported present at the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church last Sunday morning, which is believed by the officers of the class to be a state record for a town of three thousand people.

Queen of the Democrats



Crowned queen of the Philadelphia National Democratic convention was Marion Fore of Floresville. Selected from entrants from every state, Miss Fore, a June graduate of the University of Texas, was given an inscribed silver loving cup and a crown "symbolic of her authority as the most appealing girl at the convention."

Miss Fore is shown here with Janice Jarratt (left) "Sweetheart of the Texas Centennial" as she received her official commission from Governor James V. Allred as "Miss Texas Centennial" to the Democratic Convention at a meeting of the Texas Press Convention in Tyler recently.

CANDIDATES FILE FIRST STATEMENT EXPENSES

MURDER CHARGE IS FILED IN SLAYING ROCHESTER MAN

Former Officer Makes Bond of \$3,500 To Await Investigation

As an aftermath of the slaying of John Bearden, Sr., Rochester farmer, on the afternoon of Saturday, June 29th, D. A. Greenwade former constable and city marshal of Rochester was placed under \$3,500 bond following filing of a complaint charging him with murder, which was placed in the hands of Justice of the Peace R. H. Davis.

Greenwade, who has been confined in the Knox City hospital since the slaying, suffering from a stab wound allegedly inflicted by the slain man, came to Haskell immediately following filing of the complaint. Bond was readily perfected, and the case now awaits investigation of a District Court Grand Jury. Next regular District Court term will be held in September.

Lions Observe Annual Outing Tuesday Evening

The annual Barbecue and Picnic of the Lions Club was held Tuesday evening on the school grounds of the South Ward building. More than 50 Lions and guests were present, to enjoy the chicken barbecue and picnic lunch.

Installation of New Street Lights In Operation

Installation of a network of street lights, recently contracted for between the City of Haskell and the West Texas Utilities Company, has been practically completed at the end of last week, and thirty-one of the new lights were turned on for the first time Saturday night. Ten more lights remain to be placed to complete the lighting system as specified. The new installations are of the bracket type with reflector, and extend to every section of the city. All street lights, including those around the square and in the business section, will be controlled by an automatic switch located in the utilities company plant.

ABILENE CONTRACTOR IS SUCCESSFUL BIDDER

DATE FOR C. OF C. BASKET PICNIC SET FOR FRIDAY JULY 10

Members, Wife to Gather at Golf Course for Old-Fashioned Feats

Date for the basket picnic to be staged by the Chamber of Commerce for members and their wives has been set for Friday evening, July 10th at 7 o'clock, according to John A. Couch, chairman of the committee in charge of the affair.

The picnic will be held at the Golf Course grounds on the Rule-Haskell highway. A varied entertainment program will be arranged for the occasion, sponsors state, and some well-known speaker will be invited to address the gathering.

Planned as a "get-together" affair, every member of the local C. of C. will be urged to attend, and plans are being made to entertain over one hundred persons.

Members having charge of arrangements for the picnic include John A. Couch, chairman; S. Hassen, A. M. Turner and Sam Herrin, Jr. Mrs. S. Hassen is chairman of the ladies committee, and will be assisted by Mrs. Chas. M. Conner, Mrs. Ralph Duncan, and Mrs. John A. Couch.

SEVERAL HASKELL CONCERNS TO CLOSE FOR JULY FOURTH

Several Haskell business firms announce this week that they will be closed Saturday, July 4th, in order that employees may enjoy the holiday.

At a meeting of business men held last Thursday afternoon, it was the consensus of opinion that an undue hardship would be caused farmers and others who do most of their trading on Saturday, for Haskell stores to close on the 4th, leaving the matter to be governed by individual wish of each business firm.

Being a Legal Holiday, both Haskell banks will be closed for the day, and the Postoffice will be open only one hour—from 8 until 9 o'clock a. m.

A number of offices in the courthouse will also observe the holiday, it was announced Wednesday.

Firms who have signified their intention of closing for the day include R. P. Spencer Lumber Company, Brazelton Lumber Co., H. H. Hardin and the Haskell Free Press.

Announcement was also made Thursday morning that Haskell beauty shops would be closed for the Fourth. The list includes Hunt's Beauty Shop, Modernistic Cosmetic and Beauty Salon, Evelyn Beauty Shop, U-Neat Beauty Shop and Haynes Beauty Shop.

Auto Salesman Not Match For Bucking Horse

Shady Lane, auto salesman and manager of the parts department of Haskell Motor Company was painfully injured Sunday afternoon when he was thrown from a horse and kicked in the left side by the animal.

One rib was fractured, and the broken bone punctured the left lung, a physician reported. Mr. Lane will be confined to his bed for several days, but will be back "on the job" the latter part of this week if no complications result from his injuries, it was reported.

Miss Wynona Johnson, who was at home last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson returned to Lubbock Sunday night, where she will complete her last year of training in the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Funeral Rites at Rule Monday For T. M. Fritts

Funeral service for T. M. Fritts, 68, resident of the Jud community who died Sunday afternoon, was held from the First Baptist Church in Rule Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, with the pastor, Rev. Roy Shahan, conducting. Burial was in the Rule cemetery under direction of the Gauntt Funeral Home.

Mr. Fritts, in ill health for several years, passed away Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at his home. Death was attributed to heart trouble.

A native of Arkansas, born April 6, 1868, Mr. Fritts came to Texas as a youth. He was married to Miss Mattie Miller in March, 1891, and prior to coming to this section in 1906 they made their home near Comanche. Mr. Fritts had been a member of the Church of Christ for some thirty years.

Surviving relatives are his widow, and six children. They are Elbert Fritts of Rochester and Carl Fritts of Wichita Falls, sons; Mrs. W. A. Edge, Weinert; Mrs. M. G. Martin and Mrs. J. O. Yarbrough, Rochester; Mrs. Harvey Williams, Munday, Texas.

Pallbearers were: Bud Barbee, Dabney White, Louis Tibbett, Carl Baugh, Dalton Hensley and Mr. Debusk.

Flowers were handled by Mrs. Nannie Lou Miller, Mrs. Tricie White, Mrs. Veta Speck, Mrs. Ivan Moore, Mrs. Irene Yarbrough, and Mrs. Helen Cox.

Election Returns Will Be Given In Special Edition

A special edition of the Free Press, carrying all election returns available up to midnight July 25th, will be published Sunday morning July 26th, and delivered to all towns in the county early Sunday morning.

In cooperation with election officials, arrangements are being made to secure complete unofficial returns from all voting places in the county, and all election returns covering district and state races will be included.



The WOMAN'S Page



Laura Fields Circle

The Laura Fields Circle met Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. M. H. Post. After the business meeting Mrs. Wayne Koonce read the scripture lesson.

Song, "It's So Sweet To Trust In Jesus."

Mrs. R. O. Pearson led in prayer. Rev. Gillmore taught our Bible lesson, the book of First Corinthians. Our next lesson will be second Corinthians.

We will meet in the basement of the First Christian Church July 13th at 4:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Post served refreshments to: Mesdames M. R. Smith, Wayne Koonce, Tommie Hawkins, Guy Collins, Skipworth, Lynn Pace, R. O. Pearson, Roy Ratliff, Kenneth McClintock, Dennis P. Ratliff, and Rev. Gillmore.

Foster H. D. Club Holds Interesting Achievement Day Program

An interesting achievement day program was carried out on Thursday, June 25th, when the Foster Home Demonstration club met with Miss Alice Server, bedroom demonstrator.

Miss Taylor, home demonstration agent, pointed out the improvements of Miss Server's room.

Cross Ventilation was provided by adding a window on the north. As at least a third of our lives is spent in bed, and since sleep has a direct relation to health, a comfortable bed is most important.

Miss Server added a 50 pound cotton mattress, made in a demonstration, four 3 yard length sheets, mattress pad and cover, spring cover, new pillow cases, light weight quilt and candle wick spread.

Storage for clothing is provided by building a closet 2 feet wide 6 feet long and from floor to ceiling, of beaded ceiling lumber.

Pictures were rehung at eye level and though this seems such a simple thing, it can add much to a room.

Those present were Mesdames, Jim Carroll, Fred Hodgins, Jno. Hamilton, E. M. Server, Taylor Sego, Mark Martin, Pete Sego, L. G. Server, M. M. Clark, Jimmy Best, George Best, and Misses Alice Server, Dorothy Best and Arnolia, Elizabeth and Kathryn Server.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Ft. Worth were the guests of Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. and Mr. Marvin Branch the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barton and daughter visited Thursday and Friday in the home of their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gillmore.

Josset H. D. Club Has Achievement Program

The second achievement program for the Josset Home Demonstration club was given Tuesday June 23rd in the home of Mrs. J. E. Curry. "I had only the bare walls to begin with," Mrs. Curry said in giving a report of her bedroom work. She canvassed and papered the walls, painted the wood work and nearly all furniture was home made. Realizing that the bedroom is a place for rest and sleep, Mrs. Curry made a new mattress for her bed. A clothes closet made of pasteboard boxes was added. Her expenses were less than \$10.00.

Mrs. Louise Merchant who is also a bedroom demonstrator discussed flower arrangements in the home. "Most flower arrangements are made to be placed on mantel, low chests, consoles or tables and are viewed from one side only," Mrs. Merchant said. "Dinner table arrangements must be made to be viewed from all sides."

"If a shallow wide container is used the right proportions can be attained by making the height of the composition, one and one-half times the width of the container."

Other points mentioned were that too many flowers in a room create too many centers of interest and defeat the artistic and decorative effective desired. In the average living room one striking mass arrangement with perhaps a small one on an end table is sufficient.

Miss Maurine Norton gave a demonstration on smocking. "Smocking makes an attractive trimming for children's garments as well as blouses and dresses," Miss Norton told those present.

Refreshments were served to visitors Mrs. O. E. Linton, Misses Alma Josset, Muri Lancaster, Louise Lancaster, Mary Louise Curry, Leta Mae Curry, Mildred and Connie Joe Norton, and the following members Mesdames W. E. Taylor, McMullon, Paul Josset, Gene Lancaster, S. G. Perrin, Gene Lancaster, Len Toliver, Bill Schwartz, W. C. Norton, Fred Monke, J. E. Curry, Misses Mae Cathron and Maurine Norton.

G. S. Stevens of Houston, traveling commercial agent of the Railway Express Agency, spent several days in Haskell this week. Mr. Stevens and C. L. Lewis, Haskell express agent, canvassed local business firms in the interest of their company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh, Mrs. Barton Welsh and Mrs. Ralph Duncan were in Abilene last Thursday.

Miss E. G. Post of Paris and Mrs. Bill Richey and daughter, Jane, of Cooper are here this week visiting friends and relatives.

First Candidate for Queendom



First to register in the state-wide selection of the official Queen of the Texas Centennial Exposition was a West Texas girl, Charlene Fallon, who registered at Big Spring. Contestants are signing up at Chrysler, DeSoto, Dadas and Plymouth dealer rooms and semi-finalists will come to Dallas from four zones of Texas on July 4, 10, 24 and 31. The Exposition is joined in sponsoring of this Queen selection by newspapers of Dallas and over Texas. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios will take the winner to Hollywood for screen tests before an outstanding director.

Baptist W. M. S.

The W. M. S. met at the church Monday afternoon with fourteen women present.

After a short business session it was our pleasure to listen to a program rendered by our Junior G. A.'s under the leadership of their splendid sponsor, Mrs. Ed Fouts.

Song, "Oh, Zion Haste."

The devotional was given by Annie Bess Gilliam, reading a part of the 2nd Chapter of John. Prayer by Mrs. I. N. Simmons.

Violin Solo, "There's No Friend To Me Like Jesus" by Maxine Perdue.

A talk on "The Jews" by Jean Conner.

A playlet illustrated by symbols by Doris Hammer, Sue Quatliebaum, Jarene Head, Sybil Thompson, Velma Frank Curry, and Eula Mae Watson.

Song, "Into Their Hearts" by all G. A.'s.

Hutto H. D. Women Plan Work Towards New Goals

Having made their best record in completing goals in bedroom work, members of the Hutto home demonstration club aim to "make the best better" by cooperating to make the goals in the food preparation work, according to discussion at the meeting with Miss Maude Newberry, Friday, June 26th.

The new goals are simple in that each cooperator is to: (1) Make daily food budget and keep record of meals for seven days. (2) Prepare at least six times during the year mild and strong and raw vegetables. (3) Present for scoring one of the above.

In a discussion of ways and means of reducing the delegate body of the Texas home demonstration association, the majority favored the plans of one delegate being elected from each commissioner precinct, making four delegates from each county instead of all club women who attend the short course being delegates as they now are and making too many delegates when assembled to be cared for with proper convenience.

A committee of Miss Alice Correll, Mrs. Ennis Carter, Mrs. G. K. Lynch was appointed to make arrangements for the girls of our community that they may attend the 4-H club girls encampment at Haskell July 15th.

The club adjourned to meet Friday July 10, with Mrs. B. H. Oliver, food preparation demonstrator, who will give a demonstration on food preparation.

Eleven members and two visitors were present as follows: Mesdames J. M. Williams, Joe Williams, Ralph Ray, B. H. Oliver, C. Casey, Tommie Casey, J. T. Casey, Ennis Carter, Ida Dozier, S. S. Dozier, W. A. Newberry, Misses Juanel Dozier and Maude Newberry.

Delegates to Short Course Are Announced

Delegates to the Short Course at A. & M. were named by the Haskell county council of home demonstration clubs in a called meeting in Haskell Saturday June 27th.

Mrs. Louise Merchant of Josset club will represent the council while the individual clubs will have the following delegates: Mrs. Harry Barber, Rose; Mrs. John Hamilton, Foster; Mrs. W. B. West, O'Brien; Mrs. Alice Karrel, Hutto; Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Center Point; Mrs. Glenn Merchant, Half Moon; Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Josset; Mrs. C. V. Oates, Midway; Mrs. Louise Clark, Blue Bonnet; Mrs. L. A. Stratton, Cottonwood; Mrs. Bill Penick, New Cook; Mrs. Floyd Hutchens, New Mid.

July 15th was the date named for the 4-H club girls encampment to be held in Haskell for Knox and Haskell county club girls.

Representatives of the following clubs attended council: Blue Bonnet, Rose, Center Point, New Mid, New Cook, Midway, Half Moon, O'Brien, Foster, Josset, Hutto and Cottonwood.

Ruth Bible Class Holds Father's Day Program

Last Thursday afternoon June 25 the Ruth Bible class met in the home of Mrs. J. S. Cullum and Mrs. J. A. Gilstrap conducted a Father's Day program. "Faith of Our Fathers" was the opening song. Prayer by Mrs. Jess Josset. Mrs. Mack Perdue gave the devotional on "Obey Thy Father." Her subject was on three types of fathers, the Heavenly Father, earthly father, and our children's father. Many good thoughts were made plain as she dwelled on each type. Special vocal music was given by Mrs. Walter Rogers and Mrs. Denzil Roberts. Mrs. Gilstrap gave a beautiful poem, "Giving More Flowers to Dad." She conducted a handkerchief contests in honor of giving Mrs. Floyd Self a hanky shower. Special piano music was given by Mrs. Joe Thomas.

Mrs. Charlie Smith had charge of revealing our pals, and conducted a short business meeting.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and daughter, Miss Melba, to the following: Mesdames Carl Powers, Jack Crutcher, J. W. Johnson Jr., Charlie Smith, Mack Perdue, Walter Rogers, Charlie Childress, Clarence Oldham, Ira H. Roberts, Floyd Rogers, J. A. Gilstrap, C. E. Reece, Frank Curry, J. S. Cullum, D. A. Jones, Floyd Self, Denzil Roberts, Talmage Oliphant, Jack Ratliff, V. A. Brown, Jack Johnson, Jesse Josset, J. E. Robinson, Earl Amons, W. C. Humphrey, W. E. McAfee, C. V. Oates, John Clifton, Joe Thomas. Visitors: Mesdames: Charlie Fouts, of Harlingen, Texas, H. Stone, and Mrs. Mack Perdue's niece of Rule.

Circle No. 1 of The Christian Church

Ten ladies met with Mrs. R. B. Fields. Mrs. Glass, our leader gave us a lesson which clearly showed that although we may be considered old by the world and have no particular useful place to fill, yet we must not neglect our work in the church for the younger people will be looking to us for example, so don't retire from church work.

Mrs. Henry Post, in her lesson, emphasized that we must spend much time in prayer and we get our light from reading the scripture.

Federated Missionary Society Of Weinert

The Federated Missionary Society of Weinert met at the Methodist church June 29th at 5 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by first Vice-President, Mrs. J. W. Medley. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. This program was given, led by Mrs. J. W. Medley.

Song, "Bless Be Thee Thee That Binds."

Prayer.

Song, "What a Friend We Have In Jesus."

Devotional—Mrs. H. Weinert.

Friendship—Mrs. W. R. Weinert.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to the following: Mesdames, Everett Medley, Preston Weinert, Melvin Josset, P. J. Josset, Rogers, Bill Schwartz, Marr, H. W. Smith, Miles, W. R. Weinert, H. Weinert, M. L. Raynes, J. W. Medley, McKinney, Henry Monke, Bob Baldwin, G. C. Newsom, Joe Williams, R. H. Jones, Arlie Howard, Tony Gobie, Ella Totty.

The meeting adjourned to meet next fifth Monday.

Mrs. S. A. Norris and daughter, Geraldine and the former's sister, Mrs. Huld Mosely and daughter, Claita Sue, of Knox City, are back home from a vacation in Mineral Wells.

Misses Hermona Shadle of Aspermont and Mary Marie Briant, of Waxahachie are the house guests of Miss Mary Grindstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Hunt are in Dallas at the bedside of the niece Miss Martha Virginia Fields who is very ill.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith Entertains With Slumber Party

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith entertained with a slumber party for two little friends, Doris Jeanne and Jimmy Evelyn Tucker who are visiting from Comanche.

Those present were Ruth Gilstrap, Jacqueline, Imogene and Madge Reese, Maxine Perdue, Margie Busby, Billie Jo Ivey, Dorothy Rogers, Doris Jeanne and Jimmy Evelyn Tucker.

Center Point

Health here is good. This community is needing rain now.

Mr. and Mrs. Whaley of Hamlin, visited in the R. E. McLennan home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Nix of Stamford, were in our midst Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colzine of Rule, visited his son and family Friday.

Mr. Bryant Bristow of Tonk Creek, is visiting W. T. Morgan and family.

Miss Maxine Jeter of Old Glory, is visiting Miss Ostelle Patterson this week.

Mary Patterson spent Saturday night with Margaret Denson of Bunker Hill.

Mr. Wilton Kennedy of Haskell, spent the week-end in the W. T. Morgan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Burge and baby of Stonewall County visited A. B. Corzine and family last week end.

Jack Denson and Joe Bob King of Bunker Hill, spent Saturday night with T. C. Patterson.

Bro. Sheets preached here Sunday night and will preach the second Sunday.

Everybody come to Sunday School next Sunday.

The Home Demonstration club will meet with Mrs. Bill Pennington Thursday.

Jud News

The weather at this writing is fairly good, but the crops are needing rain very badly.

Miss Evelyn Holcomb spent Sunday with Miss Virginia Hutchens.

Miss Estelle and Velma Florence, Miss Mariece Isbell and Miss Connie Russ spent Sunday with Miss Ilene and Ozella Ivey.

There was a large crowd at Sunday School Sunday and a large crowd at singing Sunday night.

We are sorry to report that Miss

Etsy Tucker has been on the sick list for quite a while.

Miss Margie Green spent Sunday with Miss Ileta Thompson.

The hearts of every one was made sad when the news flashed around Sunday that Mr. Tom Fritts had passed away Sunday evening.

Mr. Joe Mathis spent Sunday with Mr. Lawrence Simpson.

Miss Marie Corley spent Sunday night with Miss Sue Guffey.

Mr. Jack Thompson is staying near Mitchell with his sister.

Mr. Herman and Bob Isbell spent Sunday with Mr. Farris Thompson.

Mr. Ray Helton of Jud, has been spending a week or two with his aunt and cousin at Levelland.

Next Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night there will be church at the Jud church house. Everyone is invited to come and bring someone with you.

Foster News

The farmers would like to see a good rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hole Harrell and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Server spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jenkins of Munday, Texas.

Role Harrell and little son and sister Emma Lee, of Abilene, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Harrell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson and family of Jud, visited in our community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Best and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Adams and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hole Harrell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Server Saturday night and made ice cream which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Glover and

daughter spent Wednesday with their parents, Mr. B. C. Glover.

Mrs. Hole Harrell visited mother, Mrs. J. E. Adams evening.

The Foster H. D. Club will meet with Mrs. M. M. Clark the second Thursday night. Visitors are always welcome. Clyde Harrell spent Friday with his brother Hole Harrell family.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Cor Rule, visited Mr. and Mrs. mie Best Sunday.

Lone Star

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fort Worth visited relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton baby has been very ill this week, but is much better writing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Taylor relatives in Wichita, Monday. Mr. Taylor's sister, Mrs. Ly Stovall, accompanied home. Mrs. Stovall is to be here week or two here.

Mrs. Lois Owens and son accompanied her home to Abilene last Saturday. Mrs. Owens is to spend a week or two at Richard Smith of Abilene is spending this week with Mrs. Jim Driggers.

Several attended the party by Garrell McClain at Mrs. Jim Driggers' last day night.

Clifton Vaughn was bit by a spider last Wednesday and he thinks it might be a black widow spider. He has not been serious yet.

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The normal appetite has a tendency to lag during the summer months. The chief worry for the housekeeper is to have meals that are appetizing and nutritious. Cold drinks such as iced tea, any iced fruit juices and iced chocolate are most refreshing and beneficial. Use plenty of green vegetables and many gelatin dishes are ideal for the summer menu.

Grape Punch
1 pint grape juice.
1 cup sugar.
1 quart water.
Juice of 2 lemons.
Juice of 1 orange.
Heat water and sugar until the sugar is dissolved. Cool. Add to fruit juice and chill. Serve with ice and slices of lemon.

Melon Ball Cocktail
Cut melon in half and remove seeds. Scoop out balls, using a French cutter or the 1-2 teaspoon in your measuring set for this purpose. Cover with grapefruit juice to which a few drops of lime juice has been added. Chill thoroughly. At serving time arrange in cocktail glasses and garnish with mint.

Jellied Tuna Fish
1 package lemon gelatin.
1 cup boiling water.
2 tablespoons vinegar.
1 cup tuna fish flaked.
1 teaspoon salt.
1 cup cooked peas.
2 tablespoons pimento, finely chopped.
1-2 cup mayonnaise.
Dissolve gelatin in water, add vinegar and salt. When slightly thickened fold in remaining ingredients. Pour into mold. Chill and serve on lettuce, with additional mayonnaise.

Jellied Chicken
1 1-2 cups chicken stock.
1 cup diced celery.
1 small onion.
1-2 tablespoons gelatin.
2 tablespoons cold water.
1 teaspoon salt.
2 cups cooked chicken, cut up.
1-2 cup chopped nut meats.
Paprika.
1-2 cup whipped cream.
Lettuce and asparagus.
Simmer stock, celery, and onion for 1-2 hour. Strain, add gelatin which has been softened in cold water. Stir until dissolved. Run chicken and nuts through the food chopper. Add to first mixture with seasoning and whipped cream. Turn into mold. Chill. Unmold and serve on lettuce garnished with asparagus tips marinated in French dressing.

Jellied Ginger Pear Salad
Heat to the boiling point 8 halves of canned pears, 2 cups canned pear juice, 1 tablespoon chopped preserved ginger, and 2 tablespoons ginger syrup. Remove pears and arrange rounded side up in a shallow pan. Add 1-8 teaspoon salt and 1 package lemon flavored gelatin to the boiling syrup. Stir until dissolved, then pour over the pears. Chill until set, cut in squares, serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

Tomato, Cream Cheese and Peanut Salad
Mix 1 package of cream cheese, 1 ounce of chopped salted peanuts and enough cream to hold the mixture together. When mixed form into a cylinder. Chill. Slice the cheese and serve on lettuce, alternating the cheese slices with slices of tomatoes. Garnish with whole peanuts and serve with French dressing.

Orange Ice
2 cups water.
1 cup orange juice.
1 cup sugar.
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
Grated rind of 1 orange.
Make a syrup of water and sugar. Boil ten minutes. Add fruit juices and grated rind. Cool and freeze.

Lime Ice
1-2 cup lime juice.
1 1-4 cups water.
2 egg whites.
Pinch of salt.
Small quantity of food coloring.
Cook sugar and water for 10 minutes. Add strained lime juice and cool. Add small amount of green food coloring. Chill and freeze. When nearly frozen pour into a bowl and whip. Add well beaten egg whites to which a pinch of salt has been added. Freeze.

Maple Bavarian Cream
1 cup maple syrup.
1-4 package of gelatin.
1 cup chopped nuts.
1 1-2 cups cream, whipped.
3 egg yolks.
1-4 cup cold water.
Boil syrup and pour gradually on the beaten yolks of the eggs. Beat thoroughly and cook over hot water until thick. Add gelatin which has been dissolved in cold water. Add nut meats. Set on ice until mixture begins to thicken. Fold in whipped cream. Chill.

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY
RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in Haskell County No experience or capital needed. Write today, McNESS Co., Dept. S, Freeport, Illinois. 1p.

McConnell
Sunday school was well attended at this place Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bunkley and family attended the Bunkley and Pryor wedding in Stamford Tuesday night.
Jimmie Doyle Jones of Stamford spent Tuesday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones.
Marlin Ivy spent the past week in the Pleasant Valley Community where he was working.
Davis and Jim Jones attended the ball games at Abilene Thursday night.
Ewell Phillips visited in Weirter Sunday.
Those who attended the ball game in Stamford Saturday night were Misses Annie Ruth Bates, Dovie Halmark, Edna Ivy, Nedra Bates and Beunice Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Halmark, Mrs. Guy Bates and Mrs. Stratton Bates, Ewell Phillips, Davis, Jim and Joe Jones and Neal Bunkley.
Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Kittley and family of Rule, visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bunkley and family attended the Baptist Encampment at Lueders Sunday afternoon.
Floyd Ray Jones spent the week end with Doyle Touchstone of Stamford.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones and son of Stamford were visitors in this community Sunday.
Joy Miller of Plainview spent Thursday night with Joyce Phillips. Bernice Jones was a Haskell visitor Sunday afternoon.

Irby
The health of this community is good at this writing.
Perry Force, Denton Atchison, Rufus Campbell of Roberts were in our midst Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Von Gontton and family spent the weekend in Rovener, Texas.
Those taking supper in the home of Mr. George Moeller Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moeller Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ejem, Misses Clothilda, Mary, Louise and Helen Moeller, Ruby Lee, Marie, and Mathilda Ejem, Johnny and Frank Moeller, Robert and Henry Ejem and Johnny Bureggemann.
Ernest Pieser spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Drusedow of Roberts.
Miss Lena Moeller spent Wednesday with Mrs. Roy Jacobs of Douglass.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Earl was in our midst Friday.
Mrs. Albert Stiewert of Vontress, spent Friday evening in the home of Mr. George Moeller.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Zelisko and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pieser and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pieser and daughters and Miss Lillie Zelisko returned home from Rovener Monday where they spent a few days with relatives and friends.
Miss Lillian Moeller of Roberts, spent Sunday morning with Leora Stiewert.
Amanda Moeller spent Friday evening with her sister, Mrs. Alfon Pieser.

Weaver
The health of this community is good at this time.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Bischofs-hausen and son Eugene, of the Howard community spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Andrews.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Coleman attended church at Plainview Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Boddie and children visited relatives near Merkel, Texas last Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fitzgerald of Haskell called in the home of Mr. and Mr. Leslie Medford Friday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Shelton visited relatives of near Stamford Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fought of near Weirter called in this community Friday.
Mrs. Jno. McGregor of Haskell spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister Mrs. J. D. Andrews.
The party given in the home of Mr. Rube Lackey was enjoyed by all that attended.
Church services and Sunday school were well attended Sunday. Some few from the Howard community attended both Sunday and Sunday night. We are glad to have you. Come again. Bro. Priddy preached two fine sermons.
Bro. E. E. Templeton of Haskell, will preach next Sunday. We hope we will have a good crowd out to hear him.

Sunset News
The crops are growing fine in this community and it seems that everyone is about to catch up with their work.
The Thorpe church entertained the Seymour Union at Thorpe June 28 and it seemed that everyone had a nice time. We are glad to say that Thorpe received the banner for having the most present for the meeting. The hosts served cake, ice cream, and lemonade after leading in several interesting games.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hunter of Haskell visited friends and relatives in this community last Sunday.
Mrs. Collie Lail, a former resident of Sunset, is visiting here from near Lubbock. We are glad to have her visit us again.
Mrs. Pearl Akin (nee) Hudson is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hudson. Mrs. Akin's home is in Austin.
Mr. J. H. Jones and wife sold their store at Goree and moved back to Thorpe. We are glad to have them back.

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CLOSE OUT!

Friday and Saturday

A close-out of discontinued numbers in Marcy Lee and Hampton Hall Wash Dresses. Taken from our regular \$1.95 line—
\$1.39 Each
Two for **\$2.50**

Special Selling! Childrens' WASH DRESSES

Childrens' Pique Wash Dresses in White and Pastel colors. A regular 79c value for
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Friday and Saturday

Close out of Gossard Corsets and Two-way Stretch Girdles. For these two days, your choice for—
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Values to \$4.50

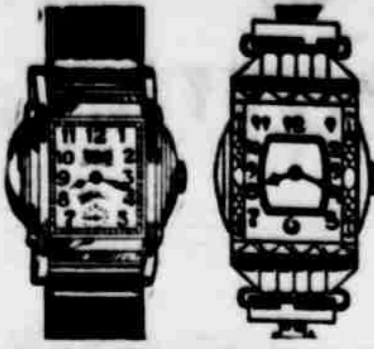
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Blouses in light colored linen and crepes. Regular \$1.95 value offered as a July Special **1.38**

LADIES' WHITE SHOES

One lot of Ladies' White Shoes in broken sizes. To close out we will sell values to \$3.95 for—
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Be Careful July 4 To Avoid Tragedy

Only July 4, 1936, Texas will celebrate along with the State Centennial year, the one hundred and sixtieth anniversary of National Independence.

Thousands of visitors will be in Texas on this National Holiday, and it is up to loyal Texans to do everything possible to see that this day brings pleasure and not tragedy to our visitors and ourselves, says a warning from the State Department of Health.

"While there certainly is no desire to minimize the joys of this nation-wide holiday," said Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, "it is only common sense to respect hazards to life and limb and to govern one's actions accordingly."

"Not so many years ago the newspapers on each July 5 would publish columns detailing the tragedies that were invariably associated with the handling of dangerous fireworks by careless persons. For a number of years now, however, the press has been placing particular emphasis on the need for a 'Safe and Sane Fourth of July', with the result that accidents of this kind have decreased.

"All injuries, however slight, may carry the lock-jaw or tetanus menace with them. Every wound should be cleansed thoroughly and all foreign matter removed. A physician should be consulted immediately, and tetanus antitoxin administered if necessary.

"Unfortunately, while the hazard of handling fireworks has consistently diminished, that of the automobile has just as consistently been increasing. Everyone will agree that to be careless in the operation of a motor vehicle on this day when the roads carry peak loads, is to invite possible injury and even death.

"Your future happiness and health and that of your family may depend on your recognizing and carrying out the ordinary rules of precaution. Obey these rules and live to enjoy many other fourths of July."

Willard Warren of Oklahoma City is here visiting friends.

Want-Ads

FOR SALE—House and lot well located and a real bargain if sold at once. See J. L. Tubbs at Haskell Laundry.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 8 foot Mo-line Wheatland plow, 16 La Cross breaking plow, Disc hole Peoria drill. — W. M. Henry, Rule, Texas. 3tp.

FOR SALE—25x38 McCormick-Deering Separator in good condition and priced right. R. T. Jeter, Sagerton, Texas, Route A. 4tp

FOR SALE—First class service station, tourist camp, and residence in Haskell. Also service station in Rochester. J. F. Kennedy. ttc.

DON'T SCRATCH
Get Paracide Ointment the guaranteed skin remedy. Paracide is positively guaranteed to relieve all forms of eczema, itch or other skin irritation or money refunded. Large jar 50c at Oates Drug Store. 5-21-36.

FOR SALE—Broadcast Grain binder, same as new. See J. E. Winding Jr. ttc.

Good Used Refrigerators priced right; also cabinet and dresser. Come see these before you buy. Also have a dandy hammock swing on display at Thomason's Filling Station T. J. Sims. 4tc.

FOR SALE—Buick 4-door sedan, 1928 model, good rubber, excellent condition. Roy Ratliff, in District Clerk's office. 2c.

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY
RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in County. No experience or capital needed. Write today. McNESS C. Dept. S, Freeport, Illinois. 1tp.

See A. H. Wair for Monuments. Save agents' commission. Will trade for livestock. 4tc.

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In a small farm, 40 acres good sandy land near Rochester. \$850 cash. See Malone Steele, Rochester. 6tp.

SPECIAL During summer months your car washed and lubricated \$1.50. — Reeves-Burton Motor Company. 2t.

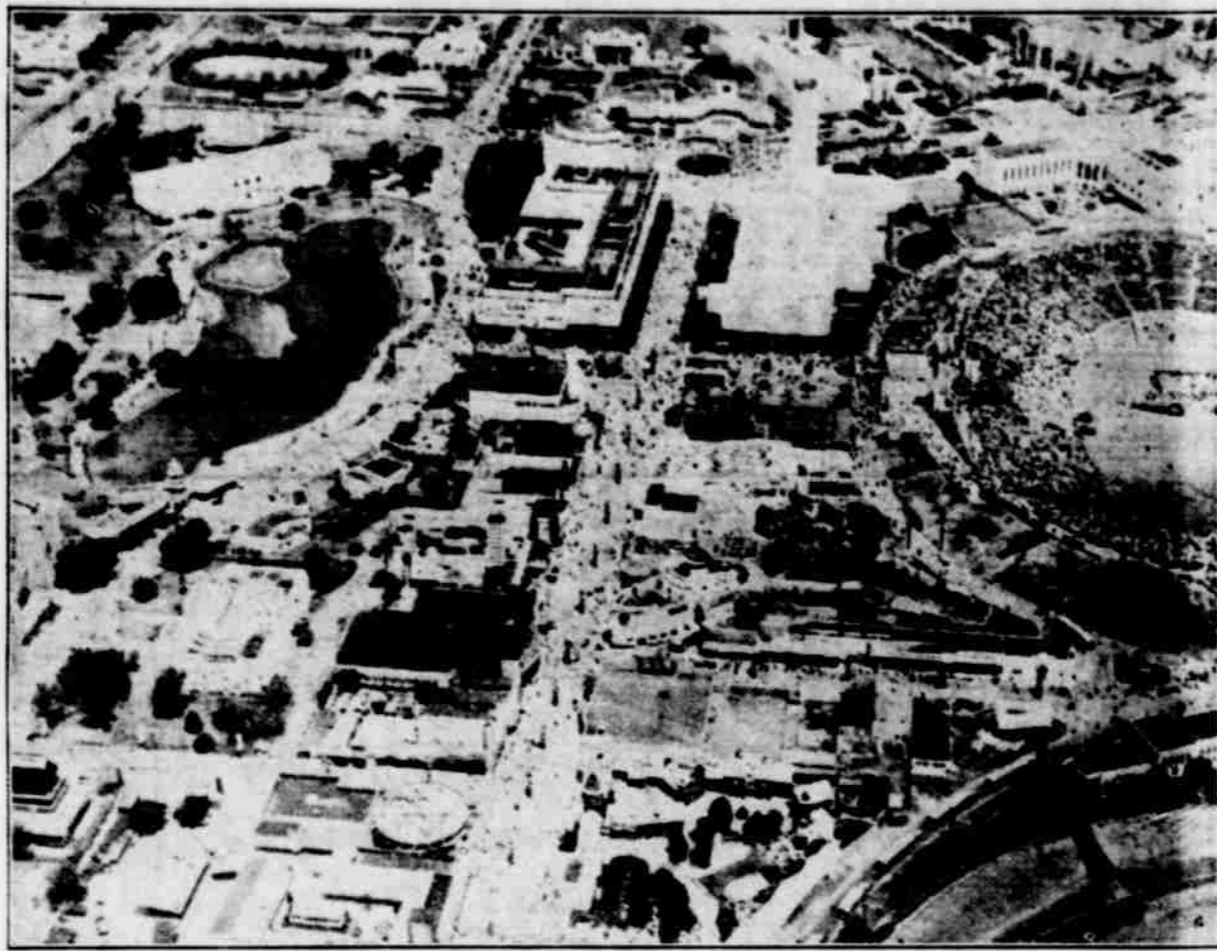
FOR SALE—Hay Baler, Mower and Rake. See H. C. Cates. 2tp.

WANTED—Sewing of all kinds at reasonable prices. Ava Grindstaff. ttc.

LOST—Boy's 1935 High School Class Ring. Initials W. W. R. inserted in band. Reward.—Maydell Barnett at Texas Cafe. ttc.

FOR SALE—A nice bunch of Poland China pigs and five bred gilts. B. M. Whiteker. 1tc

Aerial Camera Catches Exposition Crowds



This photograph from air shows Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas. At extreme right is a section of Cotton Bowl, jammed for Col. Johnson's Championship rodeo.

Spirit of Texas Frontiersmen Lives Again



It must be the influence of the hardy frontiersmen who ruled the early Southwest, for every Tuesday—children's day at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas—finds keen-eyed youngsters "knocking 'em over" at the rifle ranges. The pony and horse ride concessions, too, do a heavy Tuesday trade.

Society

Miss Elsie Gholson Hostess For Formal Dinner Party.

Miss Elsie Gholson was hostess for a formal dinner party Friday evening June 19th, honoring her house guests, Miss Kathleen Marrs of San Antonio, and Miss Phyllis Foy of New Braunfels. Guests were entertained with games of "42", Bunks, Society Reporter, Crokinol, and Modernistic Art Contest. Miss Francis Fouts, and Alvy Couch held high score in games of "42", Kathleen

Marrs, Phyllis Foy, Robert Wheatley, Lloyd McMillan, Buford Gholson and Alvy Couch were awarded prizes for their work of art.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Sue Hood, Alvy Couch, Winston Watson, Geraldine Conner, Helen Ballard, Harvey Simmons, Helen Mable Baldwin, Loyd McMillan, Frances Fouts, Henry Stanton, Gayle Roberts, Geraldine Fouts, Tom Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gholson, Buster Gholson, and the honor guests, Misses Kathleen Marrs and Phyllis Foy and the hostess.

Physical Education Class Has Party

A very interesting meeting of the Physical Education classes was held at the Methodist church Monday night. Songs were sung, stunts and games were played, after which a refreshment plate was passed to visitors and members of the class.

Those present were: Mrs. Buck Kendrick, Mrs. Jack Speer, Mrs. Joe Cooper, Mrs. C. R. Cook, Mrs. Roy Cook, Mrs. Earle Sweetman, Mrs. John E. Fouts, Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. Glenn Gillette, Mrs. J. V. Hudson, Mrs. H. Dobbins, Mrs. Jack Ratliff, Mrs. V. A. Brown, Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, Mrs. Joe Thomas, Mrs. J. L. Brasher, Mrs. Brandon, Marie Womble, Peggy Taylor, Marjorie Whiteker, Juanita Dunlap, Edna Mae Davis, Janie Lyle Martin.

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Mrs. Leon Pearsey Honoree At Surprise Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Leon Pearsey was honoree at a surprise birthday dinner Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Wallace Ruff with Mrs. Carl Arbuckle and Mrs. John Willoughby assisting hostesses. The honoree arrived ready to go swimming and instead found the table laid with silver and china and a fried chicken dinner with all the trimmings, birthday cake and all, which was a big surprise.

Guests for the occasion were Mrs. Bill Woodson, Mrs. Travis Everett, Mrs. Bob Herrin Jr., Mrs. Floyd Self, Miss Kate Darnell, Mrs. Bob Sego, Mrs. Rufus Banks, the hostesses and honoree.

After dinner Mrs. Pearsey was told the only obligation requested of her was to do the dishes and as she started to fulfill the request she found the dishpan filled with lovely gifts from the guests.

Senior B. Y. P. U.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will present the following program, July 5th, at 7:30 p. m. with Lucille Akins as leader.

Topic: Faith in Oneself.
Song: "I Am Thine O Lord."
Prayer.
Bible Drill.
Introduction: Leader.
Value of Faith in Self—Ethel Lou Clanton.
Understanding of Self Needed—Elsie Bradley.
Basis of Faith in Oneself—Thelma Bruton.
Cultivation of Faith in Self—Frances Walling.
Dangers to be Avoided—Mrs. I. N. Simmons.
Special music by Maxine Quatlebaum.
President's Period.
Prayer.
Miss Mary Grindstaff is new B. Y. P. U. General Director. Let us help her build our B. Y. P. U.

CROWD OF 1,500 ATTEND RALLY AT WEINERT FRIDAY

Free Barbecue Served Thru Courtesy of Weinert Business Men

Gathering from all parts of the county for the largest political rally of the current political campaign, an estimated crowd of 1,500 persons thronged the little city of Weinert last Friday evening when business men of that city were hosts for a free barbecue in connection with the rally. More than one thousand pounds of barbecue, along with bread, pickles, beans and coffee was served to the large crowd, beginning at six o'clock, and preceding the speaking.

H. Weinert, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee, presided as chairman, and introduced the various speakers.

In addition to candidates for district, county and precinct offices, all of whom addressed the gathering, time was allotted representatives for several candidates for state office, and to candidates for Representative, State Senator, and Congressman.

Y. L. Thomason of Haskell and Harry Tom King of Abilene spoke in behalf of their candidacy for State Senator for the 24th district, and E. B. Speck of Lubbock presented his claims for the office of Congressman from the 19th district.

Exhibit To Show Development of West Texas Area

The stirring and colorful story of the development of agricultural pursuits in West Texas will be told graphically at the Texas Frontier Centennial celebration, opening in Fort Worth July 18, in a display being arranged by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

D. A. Bannan, Vice President and General Manager of the West Texas organization, has taken the leadership in arranging the exhibit to depict the development of America's "Last Frontier." The exhibit will tell in a dramatic and impressive manner the story of wheat, wool and mohair, oil and minerals, agriculture with its cotton, feeds, and diversified products, and cattle.

Diagrams, murals, oil paintings and motion pictures are the mediums through which the story will be told. More than 80 West Texas towns, and four cities of New Mexico, will have booths and exhibits.

Interesting feature of the exhibit will be the display of more than 400 branding irons which has been loaned to the show by A. C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank at Houston.

West Texas educational institutions also will be well represented in the exhibits.

The exhibit building is built as an old depot station 110 by 80 feet in size.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this method to convey, as best we can, our sincere and heartfelt appreciation to the host of friends and neighbors for the kindness extended to us and to our beloved Mother in her last illness, and for the many expressions of sympathy which have helped us to bear our grief at her going away. Especially do we thank you for the beautiful floral tributes. We pray that God's blessings may rest upon you always.—L. B. Dendy, D. D. Dendy, R. E. Dendy, Jim Dendy, R. L. Dendy, Oscar Dendy, Richard Dendy, Tom Dendy.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude McWhorter of Greenville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyles.

Contract Bridge Club

Mrs. Clay Smith entertained members of the Contract Bridge Club with a few invited guests Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at her home. After the usual games, Mrs. Roy A. Sanders received the prize for highest score for the members and Mrs. Jno. Pace Jr., high for guests. Mrs. Smith served a delightful salad course with an iced drink to Mesdames French Robertson, Virgil Reynolds, Roy A. Sanders, Barton Welsh, B. C. Chapman, Bert Welsh, Hollis Atkinson, Ralph Duncan, W. G. Forgy, Leslie Levy of St. Louis, Joe Tenny, E. G. Post of Paris, Mrs. Troy V. Post of Dallas, Mrs. Jno. Pace Jr., Mrs. Marvin Branch, Mrs. Rae Eastland and Mrs. H. K. Henry.

Texas to Vote In November Election On Nine Constitutional Amendments

Although nine amendments to the Texas Constitution will be voted on in the general election in November, and although this is a gubernatorial election year, there is almost no interest in the amendments, in spite of the fact some of them are far reaching. Here in Austin one seldom hears any of the nine mentioned. Candidates for state office, including the governorship, so far have not discussed any of the proposed amendments, which were submitted at the Forty-fourth regular session.

Of the nine to be voted on, one of primary importance proposes legislative authority to establish a state monopoly of liquor sales, such sales to be in unbroken packages and providing for local option elections. Should this be adopted it would replace, it is expected, the present new law on liquor control, under which package stores sell liquor at private profit but pay a state tax.

The monopoly plan was an issue in the Legislature, and while it has adherents, there also are strong opponents. The outcome of the monopoly amendment is said to depend upon the way in which package stores, under the present statute, operate. The State would receive more funds if it takes charge of package stores, its supporters assert, while opponents object to the State Government "going into the saloon business." The monopoly amendment should it carry in November, would have no force unless the Legislature passes an enabling act.

"The country boys in the Legislature always have been fearful that the 'city slickers' from large populated counties would put something over on them unwares, as they submitted an amendment which restricts membership in the Legislature, putting the number of legislators any county may have at seven.

700,000 County Feared
At present no Texas county has more than five. When a county shall exceed 700,000 population it may have one additional member for every 100,000 population over

700,000, but this is looking long into the future, for no county in Texas nowadays has anything like 700,000 population. This amendment was sponsored by Representative George Moffett of Chillscothe.

Then there are four proposed amendments to raise salaries of state officials, the Governor to be increased from \$4,000 to \$12,000 a year; Attorney General from \$4,000 to \$10,000; Secretary of State from \$2,000 to \$6,000; Comptroller, Treasurer and Land Commissioner from \$2,500 to \$6,000.

Amendments in the past to increase salaries of these state officials have been defeated, and the present salaries were put in the 1876 Constitution, at which time they were considered adequate, as the cost of living then did not compare to present prices and requirements. When James S. Hogg left the Governor's chair he had \$40 in his pocket. When Pat M. Neff quit the Governor's office he was broke. When Dan Moody dropped out of the picture after two terms he owed \$20,000 and so was alarmed that he worked day and night trying to build up a law practice to pay off the \$20,000, until he succeeded in building up the biggest law practice in Austin, his friends report. Also he soon wiped out the \$20,000 debt. If he had not been scared he wouldn't be earning so much, friends jocularly say.

Walter Woodul, Lieutenant Governor, may take the stump in favor of most of these amendments, and he has so indicated.

Pension Problems
Nor are pensions overlooked in the list of amendments. Pensions loom big in congressional and legislative circles these days, and one proposed amendment provides authority for creating a fund to pay teachers in public schools, colleges and universities "supported wholly or partly by the State." Already the State is obligated to pay persons over 65 years old a pension or "old age assistance, and should the teachers' pension amendment carry it will be up to the Legislature in January to pass

some kind of a law, plus fees, for teachers when the State provides authority for the State Government for the Government to pay all costs and premiums for policies. There is an important new pardon board of members and restricting the Governor's clemency powers, issue in Texas. This amendment provides a majority of the board shall have power to pass on pardons. The Constitution at present the Governor has the whole matter who is Governor's on the appearance of court.

Lubbock Candidate for Congress to Haskell

E. B. Speck of Lubbock terms himself the "Town" candidate for Congress in the Congressional District, a crowd of several hundred on the courthouse lawn afternoon.

In placing his candidate the assembly, Mr. Speck mainly upon an expansion of the Townsend Plan, to be derived from its as a "national recovery" declared that administration had kept the people starving, but little money was given. The speaker was tentative hearing by his

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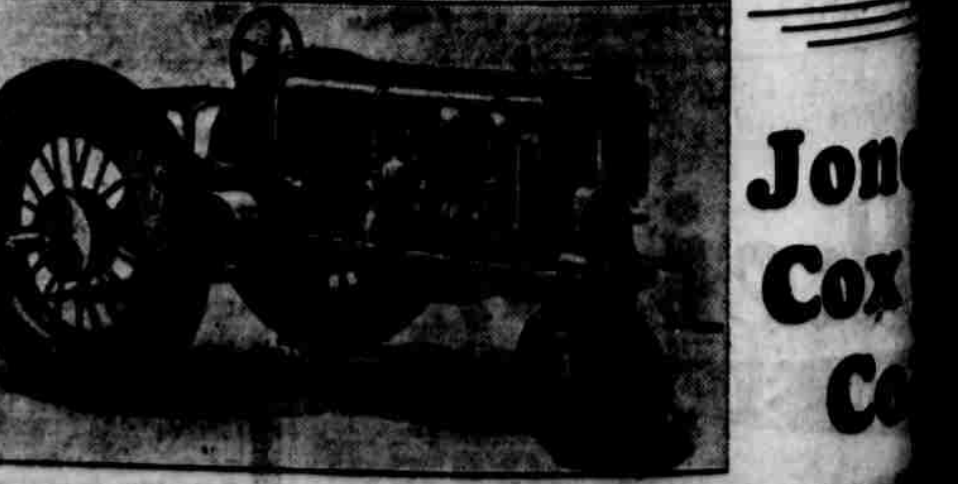
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Thousands of West Texans, a
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converged upon Stamford
for the opening of the
Texas Cowboy Reunion,
annual affair in that city.

Haskell Municipal Band,
Mescham directing, has
taken an invitation to take
part in the parade which will
be on the reunion Friday.
Miss Ruth Josselyn of this
city also attend as Haskell's
representative.

Plans for the reunion has
been arranged for a complete
three-day affair with points
of interest for each day. Ro-
deos in the regular morning
sessions opened in the arena at
8 o'clock Thursday morn-
ing with calf roping and
bronc riding. Sponsors from
various towns also passed in
a preliminary judging this
morning at 10 o'clock.

Chuck Wagon Feed
timers, who are honor-
ed for the three-day celebra-
tion will be served a chuck wagon
meal at noon at the re-
union grounds near the bunk-
house. E. McDonald of Lubbock
will return this year to be in charge
of the chuck wagon. Special
plans for the old-timers' con-
test will be held Thursday
and Friday afternoon.
The square dance each
night will be a fiddle band from
Stamford. "break
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ment favorite of the re-
union is the old-timers' calf
contest when active cow-
boys or older compete in
roping event. Contests in
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One of the unique features of the Texas Centennial Exposition's exhibits in Dallas is an actual size airplane cockpit with a panoramic view in front which gives the illusion of motion. It is operated by Delta Airlines in the General Motors exhibit. Above, a pilot shows Rangerette Ruby Reagan how to fly the course.

One Baby Star Treats Another



Little Jack White, of the movies, attraction at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas, a bit of a "Hollywood Animal Stars," Midway

State Headquarters for Farm Program



When the Federal Government's new business with farmers came into the State of Texas four months ago, action and speed became the keynotes of the agricultural center at the Agricultural and Mechanical College at College Station.

The two-wing building, shown in the upper left, was built by the A. and M. College in which to house the 325 trained workers of the General Auditing and General Accounting divisions. It has 18,820 square feet of floor space.

The brick building on the campus of A. and M. College, shown upper right, with a floor space of 4,000 square feet, was rapidly turned into the Disbursing Office, a branch of the U. S. Treasury with a personnel of 83 who are busy writing checks for the Texas farmers participating in the various agricultural programs.

Trades Day—

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Lumber, J. W. Gholson Grocery, Bledsoe's Market, Jones, Cox & Co., Y. L. Thomason Service Station, Reynolds Grocery, Perry Bros., Best Yet Bakery, McNeill & Smith Hardware Co., Wheatley's Shoe Shop, W. A. Lyles, Stephens Grocery, Parks and Adkins Barber Shop, Berry's Pharmacy, West Texas Utilities Co.

Rochester

A rain would be beneficial to yards and gardens right now. We are not "blue" as the 4th of July is so near. Usually rain follows that date. Cotton is doing fine so far.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alvis last Monday the 22nd at Knox City hospital. Mother and babe are getting along nicely and were able to be brought home Saturday. The young son was named for his father and grandfather Bell, James Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradley are announcing a little daughter born to them Sunday the 21st of June. Mr. C. D. Head of Haskell, bought the stock and fixtures of H's Cash Grocery and has moved to Rochester to make his home. We welcome this good family to this little city.

Mr. Henry Turner and family of Donna, are here visiting relatives. This good family once lived here. We still miss them and are always glad to get a visit from them.

Rev. O. L. Dennis of Tucumcari, N. M., visited friends here last Wednesday.

Mrs. Sam T. Chapman of Haskell was the house guest of Mrs. A. A. Gauntt last week-end. She and Mrs. Gauntt left Tuesday for Buffalo Gap to attend the Presbyterian Annual Encampment.

T. W. Collier of Spur, was a business visitor here last week. W. T. Clark and Ocie McGuire returned Wednesday from a visit at Goldthwaite. Mr. Clark met a sister there from Arizona whom he hadn't seen for 27 years. They enjoyed seeing each other.

The Baptist folks of Rochester, returned home Monday after spending a week at Lueders encampment. They enjoyed the splendid programs and recreations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Terry visited friends at Spur last week. Mrs. A. C. Henry returned home Monday from a visit with a daughter and family at Belton.

Mrs. A. B. Michael and children visited her sister and family Mrs. Henry Smith last Friday and Monday.

Crawford Allen of Alpine, was a visitor here last week. Slaton Wilson returned from San Antonio last week, where he has been on a vacation.

Expense Account—
(Continued from Page One)
paign expenses of \$127.00, and W. T. Sarrels and J. V. Jenkins both of whom are also seeking the Sheriff's office, report expenditures of \$123.00 each.

SAMPLE COPY OF Primary Ballot

"I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominee of this primary"

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J. Edward Glenn of Bosque County.
Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County.
Joseph H. Price of Tarrant County.
Joe H. Eagle of Harris County.
Richard C. Bush of Tarrant County.
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J. H. (Johnny) Banks.
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Herman K. Henry.
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- For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:**
O. S. Lattimore of Travis County.
- For Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Judicial District:**
W. P. Leslie of Eastland County.
- For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Judicial District:**
Clyde Grissom of Eastland County.
- For State Senator, 24th Senatorial District:**
Y. L. Thomason of Haskell County.
Harry Tom King of Taylor County.
Wilbourne B. Collier of Eastland County.
- For Representative of the 113th District:**
J. C. Davis of Haskell County.
- For Judge of the 30th Judicial District:**
Dennis P. Ratliff of Haskell County.
H. F. Grindstaff of Haskell County.
- For District Attorney, 30th Judicial District:**
French M. Robertson of Haskell County.
Ben Charlie Chapman of Haskell County.
Vernon D. Adcock of Kent County.
- For County Judge:**
O. L. (Jim) Darden.
Joe A. Jones.
Charlie Conner.

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DOWN TO PERSONALITIES

From now on, the presidential campaign is going to appear a great deal different. This is because the voters now have two figures to listen to. Until now, the President has monopolized the picture. Henceforth, there is going to be a battle of personalities in which the characters, the views, and the experience of tow men will be pitted against each other. There will be much talk, too, of platforms and issues and the future of America; but in the final analysis, it's a good bet that the 1936 campaign will turn as have all others—on the men. You can't get around the human element in political campaigns.

THE DANGEROUS FOURTH

Last year, celebration of the Fourth of July brought serious injuries to almost 7,000 persons—mostly children—in the United States. A study of fireworks accidents by the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness reveals that of this number there were at least 25 deaths, 539 serious eye injuries and 57 cases of loss of sight. New York reported 2,000 serious fireworks accidents, while the smaller states were proportionately high in injuries. The mounting toll of Independence Day accidents is cause for serious national attention. Too much stress cannot be laid on observance of a "safe and sane" Fourth. So do your part this year!

SPEED CAUSES DEATH

With a record of 37,000 motor vehicle fatalities last year it is time for us to seek the real cause and to apply remedial measures if possible. Since 1927, we are advised by the National Safety Council, deaths resulting from the collision of cars, has increased 142 per cent. It is noted that the speed of automobiles has been greatly accelerated during this period. Pedestrians, killed as easily at slower speeds, have died at an increasing rate but the increase has been only 29 per cent. Moreover, the figures show that at speeds under 20 miles an hour only one accident out of 61 is fatal. Increasing speed, however pushes up the death rate. At 20 to 29 miles an hour one accident in 42 is fatal; at 30 to 39, one in 35; at 40 to 49, one in 25; over 50, one in 11.

Pointing out these facts does not answer the problem of automobile fatalities. While speed may be more dangerous, and it is, the average American, with an amazing fatalism, has accepted the risks of speed and will probably continue to take his chances. Any policy of highway regulation that seeks to severely limit the speed of automobiles is destined to be disappointing.

Recognizing that this is the case it seems vital that emphasis be placed up factors that can be regulated and restricted. These include examination of drivers, and of vehicles, with rigid and positive elimination of those that are defective and dangerous. It embraces well defined traffic regulations that can be enforced through the systematic punishment of those who violate them.

The situation is serious. There are some owners of automobiles who hesitate to take long trips because they are afraid of other drivers on the highways. They are reasonable drivers but they cannot protect themselves from those who drive recklessly as well as fast.

LEMKE'S UNION PARTY NO THREAT

The third party entered in the presidential sweepstakes under the banner of "Union Party" by Representative William Lemke of North Dakota probably will represent one of the oddest assortments of political bedfellows ever assembled under one counterpane. First of all it probably will attract the inflationists, the people who feel that the evils of the world can be traced to an insufficiency in the surplus of cash. They have a long lineage which runs back through William Jennings Bryan, Coin Harve and the Greenbackers to the dim mists of John Law and the Mississippi Bubble days. Added to these might be some of the scattered cohorts of the late Huey Long's legion. Precisely what this group stood for was vague enough when Senator Long himself was here to expound his share-the-wealth theories, but since his departure it has grown vaguer still. Father Coughlin has already endorsed Lemke and his Union Party, which means that the militant radio priest will exert his power to swing the full force of his National Union for Social Justice behind the Union Party ticket. Lastly comes the Townsendites. Dr. Townsend says the question of supporting the new third party will be decided at the Townsendite convention in Cleveland next month. Just how the Townsendites could draw cards with the others in this game is far from clear. Apparently they would be united by a rest-less discontent with the existing order.

THE ENGLISH FASHION

Many foreigners have commented upon the English method of dealing with those who would overthrow government. It is said that one can visit Hyde Park and hear all kinds of agitators preaching their variegated doctrines. Britain lets them talk as long as they make no definite overt act to overthrow government. Just as entertaining and interesting is the story which came from London recently that the new king, Edward the Eighth, would lend his Household Trumpeters to some folk who meet each year to maintain that the "rightful king" is the Stuart pretender, who happens to be Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria. These Stuart societies postponed their treasonable meeting several months, because of the death of the late king, out of consideration of the bereavement of the present reigning house!

American Place Names

More Florida tongue twisters: Hypoluxo, Ilahaw, Immokalee, Istachatta, Keuka, Kissimmee, Lacoochee, Lake Ichokpoga, Lochloosa, Loxahatchee, MIAPKA, Micanopy, Miccoouakee, Narcoossee, Nocatee. **SNAP SHOTS**

A Comeback

Now that AAA deprecations among them have ceased, little piggies seem to be making a comeback. A Kentucky girl was born with fourteen toes.—Syracuse Herald.

Evidently

Squirrels in Oklahoma are said to be biting people, from which it may be inferred that owing to the heat the people have gone nuts.—Pasadena

The fellow who always has an axe to grind seldom gets any sympathy when he gets it in the neck.

CURRENT COMMENT
VIEWING WITH ALARM
 (Pittsburgh Press)

The Crusaders, the Liberty League and other anti-Roosevelt groups would be more effective politically if they did not get so hysterical at the mere mention of the New Deal.

You can't convince the American people that the New Deal is bad and that President Roosevelt should be defeated, simply by calling names. Adjectives are handy weapons, but you have to back them up with facts and figures, if you really want to get your arguments across. Any smart politician knows that. The Crusaders and the Liberty League, however, seem to think it is sufficient to pin a red label on the Roosevelt administration, with a few choice names attached such as "Communist" "ultra radical," "Moscow-inspired." Then they rest their case and await the people's verdict.

The names and the label stir up the professional patrioters to whom mention of the word Russia is anathema. But they leave the majority of voters absolutely cold. The average citizen can't see what's radical about trying to curb the sweatshop operators, the shell-game operators of Wall Street, business racketeers, etc. Nor do they throw up their hands in terror when the Federal government tries to abolish child labor, protect workers through minimum wages, create jobs for the unemployed and, in general, legislate for the general welfare. Some of them even have the idea that the government should do these very things.

Hence, as we said, the Crusaders and Liberty Leaguers aren't going to get anywhere until they come down to earth, and dispense with the name-calling and flag-waving. They should not forget Mr. Hoover's monumental mistake in 1932 when he predicted that "grass would grow in the streets" if his opponent were elected. The voters rushed to the polls by the millions to cast their ballots—for Mr. Roosevelt.

VIEWES AND REVIEWS

Max Schmeling, German boxer: "I should be selling cake instead of fighting if I feared anybody."

Roger W. Babson, statistician: "Bitter thoughts are running through the minds of labor's high command."

Anthony N. Eden, British Foreign Secretary: "A universal League of Nations of substantially disarmed States in a world made safe for democracy can effectively and without doubt maintain peace."

Cordell Hull, Secretary of State: "Apprehension, suspicion, and confusion rule the political relations among most nations."

William E. Borah, U. S. Senator from Idaho: "I do not accept the view that a sound currency means a return to the gold standard."

Stanley Baldwin, Premier of Great Britain: "We are hoping to bring the French, the Germans and ourselves into a conference for the better security of Europe."

Fiorella La Guardia, Mayor of New York: "If we trust the government to build battleships to destroy people. I'll trust the government to build houses fit for women and children to live in."

James A. Farley, Democratic National Chairman: "The pledges of the 1932 platform have been carried out to a greater degree than any other party platform in eighteen years."

Edwin G. Conklin, President, American Association for the Advancement of Science: "Communism, based upon the ideal that all men are equal in ability, in character or social value, is scientifically false."

WISE AND OTHERWISE

Crowing
 "The crow is a typically English bird," says a naturalist. British in fact, to the crow.—Punch.

Conventional
 What if the platform isn't carried out? Nobody tries to preserve the bait after it has caught the fish.—Toledo Blade.

The Bright Side
 Death and taxes are said to be the two certainties, but they are not equally annoying. You can die only once.—Boston Transcript.

Nature Note: Taxes
 It isn't true that nature adjusts us to hardships. Each new generation suffers as much when it pays taxes.—Buffalo News.

He'll Have To Be Good
 The Social Security Act won't apply to a plant that has less than eight employees. We don't think much of the security of that eighth fellow.—American Lumberman.

Listen Children
 Now we know what happens to little boys and girls who never learn their lessons. They grow up and become un instructed delegates.—New Yorker.

SNAP SHOTS

Slender figures are all right in their place, but not very popular in a bank book.
 "We must protect our wild beauty," says a naturalist. But mighty few of the wild beauties need protection.
 We'd suggest that they make political platforms shorter so that the voters will read them.

We read that a man is no bigger than the things that make him mad. Which puts us right in the chigger class.

Add similes: As credulous as a juror who believes the testimony of an alienist.

It's a lot of fun planning a vacation even if you have to abandon it for lack of funds.

The fellow who is always willing to give you advice is seldom ready to give anything else.

It's only natural for a man to give a lame excuse after getting his leg pulled.

The ideal husband is just an ordinary fellow who has been properly trained.

There's no puzzle about the cross words in the family circle.

We couldn't complain if the government allowed us as much time to pay our taxes as it takes Congress to enact them.

A scientist ventures the opinion that some day we will be able to live on air. The watch those "free air" signs come down.

Haskell County History
 As Revealed by the Files of the Free Press 20, 30 and 40 years ago.

Twenty Years Ago—1916

A large lake in the Myers community north of town was reported dry, the first time in years that the large body of water covering 400 acres, had been totally exhausted.

Paul Zahn made a business trip to Galveston.
 A heavy rain, almost a water spout, struck in the Rose community. Grass on the Date Anderson farm caught fire from lightning before the rainstorm it was reported.

Recording a heavy increase in postal receipts, the Haskell postoffice was advanced from a third class to second class rating. With the higher rating, a substantial increase in salary was allowed. Postmaster Dean, and allowance for clerk hire was also increased materially.

Threshing was in full swing over the county. The best turn out reported was 22 bushels to the acre, made on the farm of W. A. Eastland three miles northwest of town.
 J. W. Gholson, formerly connected with the Rutherford Grocery Company, opened a new store on the north side in the building formerly occupied by the Brewer Tailor Shop.

Sneak Thieves entered the Newsum gin and stole practically all the brass fittings on the machinery which could be removed. Sheriff Allen reported recovery of the fittings and arrest of several parties in connection with the theft.
 In a fight between two negroes working on the Langford farm northeast of Haskell, one of the negroes was struck in the head with an axe, and part of his skull was chopped off, the blade penetrating the brain. The negro was given a chance to live.

J. A. Bennett, manager of the Haskell county road gang, was working the Haskell-Stamford road.
 Disagreement over the four rural routes out of the Haskell office was adjusted, the four routes being merged into two auto routes.

Thirty Years Ago—1886

G. R. Couch, cashier of the Haskell National Bank, who is well posted on the cattle business, states that a large number of ranchers of this section are holding cattle which are ready for market, until the Wichita Valley railway reaches this place. Then it will be possible to load the livestock on the cars one day and deliver them in Fort Worth the next.
 Messrs. Harwell and Darnell, farmers in the southwest part of the county were in town and reported all crops doing well in their section, with the exception of a few farms where the corn is not plowed after the recent heavy rains.

Judge H. G. McConnell and F. G. Alexander of the Haskell railroad committee went to Seymour and Wichita Falls this week on matters concerning Haskell's new railroad. It was rumored that the Rock Island might extend their

line to this section, and this matter will be thoroughly gone into by the Haskell committee.

T. C. Cahill had returned from a business trip to South Texas, and said that although he saw some mighty good country, Haskell still looks the best to him.
 D. Egger, a leading dry goods man of Waxahachie, and who also owns a store in Stamford, was in Haskell looking over the situation here. He announced that he would open a store in Haskell in the near future.
 Mr. and Mrs. Will McGregor of Waco have located in Haskell. Mr. McGregor is a young lawyer of considerable experience and ability and will open an office here for the practice of his profession.

The J. E. Murphy place in the south part of town, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson and his father, S. Thompson, was destroyed by fire last Sunday night. Occupants of the house barely escaped before the structure was completely burned, and lost all their clothing and household effects.

Forty Years Ago—1876

A few people were leaving this section because of the drought, yet practically the entire state had been hard hit by the prevailing dry spell. We have seen a number of people leave the West during periodic dry spells in the past, and most of them returned later, worse off than those who stayed.
 Haskell county's delegates to the State Convention at Austin, Messrs. P. D. Sanders and D. W. Fields, reported on their return that the convention was the smoothest working and most harmonious affair that could have been desired.

Thursday night at the home of the bride in Haskell, Mr. H. W. Lenoir of Albany and Miss Annie Posey were married with District Judge Hammer performing the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Albany.
 The young folks enjoyed a social gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rike on Monday.

Officers returned a man from Brown county this week, who is charged with complicity in setting fire to a stack of wheat on the Rose farm recently.
 Miss Minnie Ellis, with her brother Ed Ellis, visited in Rayner.

The southern part of the county received a good rain. The rest of the county is needing rain badly, although vegetation is holding up remarkably well.
 Perry Clark, a stockman of Knox County, was doing business in Haskell this week.

Mr. Riley Stephens had bought the interest of his partner, Mr. Patterson, in their blacksmith shop, and was to continue the business.
 It seems that venturesome cowboys are determined to continue their practice of breaking bronchos on the streets of Haskell, although the practice is dangerous to teams and buggies.

prominently associated with Jesus are mentioned and on the day of Pentecost they received the mysterious power of the Holy Spirit. No one can explain this in natural terms but it brought power and enthusiasm to the disciples.

Immediately afterwards Peter preached a marvelous sermon. His subject was Christ, and he proclaimed him as the Savior of mankind, setting forth his deeds and words. In answer to the question of the people he advised them to repent and have faith in Jesus. As a result 3,000 souls accepted his invitation.
 "No less marvelous than the gift of tongues or the eloquence of Peter or the conversion of a multitude was the conduct of those who accepted Christ as their Savior," says Prof. Charles R. Erdman. "Many persons seem to suppose that Pentecostal power is attested by striking gifts or ability in public speech; its best proof is found in the daily life of the believer. These early Christians continued to seek for instruction from the men who really knew the Lord; they rejoiced the spiritual fellowship, they observed the sacrament which reminded them of the Savior's death; they met frequently for prayer and praise; they loved one another fervently that 'they sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all according as any man had need.' The Spirit of Christ bound these believers into one body, united in faith and love and thus it is not strange that Pentecost is commonly regarded as the true birthday of the Christian church; nor is it surprising that such men were held in 'favor with all the people' and that additions were made to their numbers 'day by day.'"

Rockdale

Mr. Murie Ivy left Saturday for Spur, for a weeks visit with relatives. While there he intends going on a big fishing trip.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ivy and children Leveda, Pearl Leta, Marie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKeever of Berryhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kuenstler and sons, Edward and Billie, of McCamey, are here visiting with Mrs. Kuenstler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ivy.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Williams and children visited Sunday with Mr. Williams's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King. Others who spent the day were Mrs. King's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and daughter, Mary Dell.

Miss Pearl Newcomb entertained Friday night with a slumber party in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tull Newcomb. After swimming and games were enjoyed refreshments were served to Sybil Thomas, Virginia Bouldin, Doris Bunkley, Wilma Jo and Rubie Nell Fox, Billie Wayne Wright, Dorothy Clo Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Covey of San Diego, Calif., spent Friday here visiting his sisters Mrs. E. D. and Shorty Williams. From here he will go to Clyde, Texas, where he will visit his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Covey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mickler and children of Ericsdale, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Gillespie and son Doyle were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bouldin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKeever and son Billie, of Berryhill community visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Bunkley and son Miller, visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gillespie.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jess Duncan of O'Brien, visited with relatives here and in Cobb community last week.

Dinner guests in the T. N. Gillespie home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mickler and children and Miss Grace Scott of Ericsdale community.
 Mr. J. S. McKeever and Mr. Hughes returned Friday from a trip to Amherst, Texas. Mr. McKeever has a farm there, and reports crops looking fine.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Brand of Fort Worth, is here visiting with relatives in this and Ericsdale community. Mrs. Brand is a sister to Mr. Charlie Scott.

Those who enjoy an outing and fishing on the creek Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur McKeever and son, Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ivy, Mr. and Mrs. Slue Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Leo McKeever and children.
 Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cox and daughter, Miss Delores Rushing of Caddo, Texas, were here Sunday to visit with Mrs. Cox sister, Mrs. Toney Schaffer and family.

Mrs. Marvin McLaughlin and children returned to their home in Ralls Friday after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bledsoe for several days.
 We placed Mr. G. W. Layton of Adamsville, Tenn., on our list this week at the request of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Bieber.

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Centennial Crowds Eclipse Attendance Chicago Exposition

Paid admissions during the first week of the Texas Centennial Exposition exceeded the total for the first week at Chicago's 1933 Century of Progress Exposition by 58,790, official comparative figures revealed according to Exposition officials. Paid admissions during the first week of the 1934 Century of Progress Exposition exceeded the first week's total for the Texas Centennial Exposition by 4,755.

The paid admissions for the first Centennial Exposition week totaled 231,149, while the 1933 Chicago exposition total was 172,359, according to official figures for both fairs. The paid admissions for the 1934 Chicago exposition totaled 235,904.

These figures for the Texas and Chicago expositions do not include admissions by passes of employes, press representatives and others.
 Texas Centennial officials were elated over the comparative figures when announced by W. A. Webb, general manager. If the average attendance for the first week is maintained, the total attendance for the exposition will exceed 10,000,000 visitors expected by executives before the close of the Texas World's Fair November 29.

REVIVAL WILL BEGIN AT O'BRIEN JULY 5

Rev. Woodrow Adcock, Sager-ton-O'Brien pastor, will preach in a two-week revival meeting at O'Brien beginning July 5, and running through July 18.

The initial sermon topics, "What About God?" and "Out of the Wreckage!", will be discussed at the morning and evening services respectively, next Sunday. Services will begin each evening at 8:30.

The following assignments for Dr. Gertrude Robinson, Graduate Chaplain, Haskell Insurance Co. Telephone B. Office Hours: 8:12 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. or by appointment.

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THE HASKELL FREE PRESS

Best Texas News Items Told by Our Exchanges

LEO IS IN ACCIDENT
 Bettis sustained a fracture when his right leg was crushed by the power lift of the Bettis farm near the latter part of last week. The bone is crushed just above the ankle.

Bettis was brought here to hospital for treatment and was taken to his home on Orient Saturday. He is resting fairly.—Stamford American.

WOMEN TO VOTE
 The voters of the City of Haskell will be called on in the near future to vote on a proposed bond issue for extension and improvement of the water and sewer system of the city.

WOMAN NAMED WILBARGER COMMISSIONER
 Mrs. Hattie Pearl Bell, widow of the late G. A. Bell, was sworn in as County Commissioner, Precinct 3, Wilbarger county, Tuesday afternoon. She was appointed by County Judge M. G. Pottee to fill the unexpired term of her husband who died June 8.

PANHANDLE ROCKED BY EARTHQUAKE
 Did you know that a small earthquake shook Wellington and the remainder of the Texas Panhandle Friday night? At least such is the confirmed report. Some few residents of this county stated that they noticed the slight tremor. Others report that if indeed an earthquake rocked this county, it went unnoticed.

DISTRICT MANAGER WANTED!
 Class Man or Woman as District Manager of Line Legal Re-Life Insurance Company specializing in Family — Salary Sav — Accident and Health.

AL JORDAN RECEIVES SWIM INSTRUCTIONS
 Al Jordan, manager of the Jordan Swimming Pool, will leave Sunday for a week's Federal School in swimming which will be held in Wichita Falls.

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FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1:
 Ab Hutchens.
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 I. A. Leonard.
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FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4:
 B. M. Gregory.

FOR JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE PRECINCT NO. 1:
 Bruce T. Cliff.
FOR PUBLIC WEIGHTER PRECINCT NO. 1:
 R. L. (Spot) Lemmon.
FOR PUBLIC WEIGHTER PRECINCT NO. 2:
 R. H. Jones.

Crowds Marvel at Replica of Huge Ford Foundry



Of the hundreds of thousands who have visited the great Ford Exposition at the Dallas Centennial, many, as the photograph indicates, have shown marked interest in the model exhibit of the foundry at the Ford Motor Company's River Rouge plant at Dearborn, Michigan. The foundry covers more than 30 acres and pours approximately 2,200 tons of metal every 16 hours.

OIL WORKER IS KILLED MONDAY
 Charles William Fisher, 38 year old oil driller, died Monday night enroute to the W. Q. Richards Hospital shortly after a connection on a belt struck him on the head the Humble wildcat oil test near this city.

Political Announcements

The following announcements for office are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1936.

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CHURCHES
PRESBYTERIAN YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEAGUE
 Leader: Alberta Orr.
 Topic: Giging Our Best to Vacation Days.
 Hymn: Scripture: Isaiah 54:13; Matthew 28:19-20.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 H. M. Gillmore, Minister
 Bible School, 9:45.
 Communion and Preaching, 10:45.
 Junior Endeavor, 4:00 p. m.
 Intermediate Endeavor, 5:00 p. m.
 High School Endeavor, 7:45 p. m.
 Preaching at 8:30.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 R. N. Huckabee, Pastor
 The Rev. E. B. Bowen, Presiding Elder of the Stamford District, is to preach at the First Methodist Church next Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR
 This crowd of young people entertained with a swim last Thursday. Everyone reported a lovely time. Christine Lowe, Francis Ed-

INTERMEDIATE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR
 We had ten present. Subject, "How We Observe the Lord's Day." We must remember the words of the Bible which tells us "Neglect not the assembling of yourselves together as the manner of some is, but admonish one another as you see the day approaching." We can not worship by river banks, picnics, or parties, so don't forget to go to church, Sunday school and Endeavor.

JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR
 The Juniors met at 4 o'clock with ten present. The leader, Mary Frierson brought out the following points in creating beautiful things:
 First: By getting happy thoughts from the Bible. "Be kind one to another." The feeling of reverence when we look at the star studded sky, and hear the psalmist say, "The Heavens declare the glory of God." Second: God created man, and through man we enjoy music, pictures, plays and poems.
 Fudge was served during the social hour.

WILBARGER COUNTY
 Mr. Jordan states that no swimming classes will be held after Saturday until he returns.

WILBARGER COUNTY
 In answer to queries, Mr. Jordan states that water in the local pool is changed frequently in order to insure its cleanliness and healthfulness. — Olney Enterprise.

WILBARGER COUNTY
 His widow survives. — Paducah Post.

Steady, Higher Prices Prospect for Farm Crops

Steady to higher prices are in prospect for a number of farm products, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported today.

These products include wheat, corn, hogs, the better grades of steers, butter eggs, cheese, and wool. Seasonal price declines are in prospect for the lower grades of steers, lambs, potatoes and poultry.

The bureau said in its June report on farm prices:
 "Supplies of wheat for the 1936-37 season may be no larger than would be required to provide for the annual domestic consumption and to build up reserve stocks within the United States. This would result in prices above export levels."

"Corn prices for the remainder of June and during July may be expected to continue at about present levels. Changes in prices of oats and barley will be determined largely by crop development. Hog prices probably will rise seasonally in late summer."

"Prices of better grade steers usually advance in the last half of the year. Butter prices during the summer months are expected to continue considerably higher than a year ago. Egg prices will probably rise, by the end of the summer, to levels above those of a year ago."

Weinert
 The big barbecue supper and candidates speaking went over the top at Weinert Friday night with some excellent speakers, and the largest crowd Weinert was ever known to have.

Miss Burnice Beard of Los Angeles, California, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Deavenport who have been at Los Angeles, California, some six months going to school are back home.

The new Four Square Church building is almost completed and will soon be ready for their good work for worshipping. Sister Lee Pastor.

Marvin Williams from East Texas is here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams.

Jim Darden candidate for County Judge was in our midst Wednesday morning. Also Water Murchison for County Attorney.

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead and Junior are at Palmer visiting Mrs. Cadenhead's mother Mrs. Pearce. Dr. and Phillip took them down to Palmer, Texas Sunday returning Monday evening.

Weinert is still wishing for a good rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Crandell and children have been visiting relatives in Whitesboro and attending the Centennial in Dallas the past two weeks. Mr. Crandell returned home Monday and Mrs. Crandell and children remained for a longer visit.

wards, Eva Jo Ratliff, Mary Jo Free, Eula Fay Glass, Catherine Face, Buster Ghoslon, Paul Roberts, Lynn Face Jr., T. J. Watson. The party was sponsored by Mrs. Dennis Ratliff and Miss Nancy Ratliff.

Rose
 The combines are humming in this community this week.
 Ruby Stoghill of Midway, spent Friday night with Grace Rose.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith spent the week-end with relatives in Graham, Texas.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kendrick spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Miller of Gauntt.
 Mrs. D. L. Speer of Haskell called on Mrs. Harry Barber Sunday.
 Mr. Travis Garrett made a business trip to East Texas this last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stoghill and son Lee, of Midway, visited W. J. Kendrick and wife Thursday.
 Mrs. Harry Barber and children spent a few days last week with

her mother Mrs. J. D. Roberts Sr., of Cottonwood.
 W. J. Kendrick made a business trip to Howard Friday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alford Bland spent Sunday in Haskell visiting relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kendrick spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Speer of Haskell.
 Mr. and Mrs. Penman and daughter Miss Vernona, of Rochester, were shopping in Haskell Tuesday morning.

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We appreciate this confidence placed in us and are glad to give you the following figures.

	June 30 1933	June 30 1935	June 30 1936
Deposits	\$54,298.92	\$95,707.11	\$165,523.53
CASH	\$21,612.11	\$19,542.47	\$101,819.04
Borrowed Money	\$78,601.22	None	NONE

We Have No Public Funds to Swell Our Total Deposits

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Your continued patronage solicited and appreciated.



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100 Foot Lengths, each	\$1.19
150 Foot Lengths	\$1.95
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BRAKE LINING

1000 Ford Lining	40c and up
1000 Ford Lining, full set	60c and up
1000 Ford Lining, Full set	70c and up
1000 Chevrolet "4" Rear Lining	80c and up
1000 Chevrolet "26" Rear Lining	80c and up
1000 Chevrolet "28" or "29" Front Lining	50c and up
1000 Chevrolet "30" or "32" Lining, full set	70c and up

We furnish you with brake lining for any car, truck or tractor.

Bring your old brake shoes and we will line them for you.

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Did your grocery bill exceed the household budget last month? More and more housewives are finding Dick's Grocery and Market a more economical place to trade . . . where quality and freshness of stocks is combined with the most reasonable prices.

Shop here for a week and note your savings with pleasure.

Large Selection Fresh Vegetables Daily

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Y. L. Thomason Active In Race State Senator

Y. L. Thomason, candidate for State Senator of the 24th Senatorial District, returned this week from a campaign trip which has carried him to all counties of the district.

TEXAS ALWAYS COOL AND COMFORTABLE. The Texas Theatre will close Tuesday the 30th of June to remodel and make some changes in the present theatre. The pictures that have been advertised to show at the Texas Theatre will be shown at the Rita Theatre on their respective dates as advertised.

IT TEARS THE COVER OFF AMERICAN HISTORY! THE PRISONER OF SHARK ISLAND BY WARNER BAXTER AND GLORIA STUART. A dramatic story revealing the drama of the most tragic figures in American history!

THE LOVABLE LADY OF THE HOUR. A WAIF OF THE SEA. picked up by the lonely captain, she sings her way into his heart!

MIRLIN CAPTAIN JANUARY GUY KIBBEE SLIMS SUMMERVILLE. Tuesday Only. Matinee 1 p. m. Booth Tackington's Best loved novel "GENTLE JULIA" With Jane Withers Jackie Searl Tom Brown

MUSICAL WIZARDY! A MOTION PICTURE MIRACLE SET TO MUSIC! SHOWBOAT. TRENCH DUNGEON ALAN JONES. CHESTER MORRIS WALTER BRENNAN LEWIS STONE

CITY WILL SELL OLD WATER TOWER TO HIGH BIDDER

Is Replaced By New Tank Which Triples Local Water Storage

The \$3,000-gallon elevated water tower which has served the city of Haskell for the past twenty-seven years, will be dismantled and sold if a suitably salvage price can be secured, members of the City Council decided at their last meeting.

The recently-completed tower, with a capacity of 150,000 gallons, will provide an ample supply of water to serve the needs of the city for many years to come.

Bids will be accepted until August 3 for the sale of the obsolete tower, the successful bidder being required to dismantle and remove the steel structure.

Erected in the spring and summer of 1909, when the city water system was first installed, the reservoir is still in good condition.

Improvements Almost Complete. Laying of additional water mains and extensions to the present system, which has been underway for over a month is rapidly nearing completion.

BRAZOS DAM—

(Continued On Page Eight) The Hendrick or Matthews ranch, both of which are traversed by the winding Clear Fork of the Brazos.

Major Eric Haguinius of Temple, chief of surveys, announced that area engineer Davis and a crew of six would be transferred from Mineral Wells to Graham immediately.

The Throckmorton county dam, officially termed the Breckenridge dam, will cover several thousand acres. It will be part of the \$20,000,000 conservation program of the state.

Ballot—

(Continued from First Page) primary two years ago 4,446 votes were tabulated and records reveal that 4,063 persons paid poll tax.

County voting boxes, with the number of poll tax paid for 1936 are listed below:

Table with 2 columns: Name of County, Number of Votes. Rows include Haskell (610), Haskell (291), Haskell (282), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266), Haskell (266).

More Facilities Announced For Boy Scout Camp

Camp Tonkawa, the Chisholm Trail Council Boy Scout Camp

Camp Tonkawa, the Chisholm Trail Council Boy Scout Camp which opens July 12th to continue through the 26th will offer this year the best swimming facilities in the history of the Camp.

The exciting game of water polo will be played several times weekly and at least two exhibitions of fancy swimming, high diving, etc., will be scheduled during the Camp period.

President E. S. Cummings of the Chisholm Trail Council urges every Scout master to interest their Scouts in attending the summer Camp.

Several experienced Scoutmasters are on the Camp Staff. Graduate nurses are on duty at all times.

More Gasoline Used During 1935 Than In Previous Year

Gasoline consumption by motor vehicles in 1935 increased 6.4 percent over the preceding year and the average tax consumed on highways amounted to over 16 billion gallons.

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YOUNG VOTERS—

(Continued From Page One) all young persons who reside in a city of 10,000 inhabitants or more, and who have become twenty-one years of age since January 1, 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Farley Jr., of Hollywood, California, and Mrs. J. C. Farley Sr., of Ft. Worth, were here Thursday, the guest of their cousin and niece Mrs. Alvy R. Couch and family.

RITA

Friday and Saturday GODFATHERS TO AN ORPHAN

This Fate befell these three most dangerous bad men who ever rode the range. Chester Morris Walter Brennan Lewis Stone

THE THREE GODFATHERS Irene Hervey The First Chapter of "FLASH GORDON"

Texas History Thrills Crowds



One of the thrilling features of the \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas is "The Cavalade of Texas," a stirring drama of Lone Star history under six flags, which is presented daily on the world's largest stage by a cast of 400 members.

Comfort Has Only Union Marker In South Due to Strange Massacre, August 10, 1862

Tucked away in the village of Comfort, deep in Southwest Texas, is the only monument erected to the memory of Union soldiers south of the Mason-Dixon Line.

On July 4, 1862, the loyalists from Gillespie, Kerr, Kendall, Edwards and Kimble Counties, met and formed the "Union Loyal League."

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Seymour Man Opens New Feed Store On South Side Square

Glin Spears of Seymour has opened a new feed store in the building on the southeast corner of the square formerly occupied by the Magnolia Petroleum Company Station.

Implement Firm Moved Into New Location Recently

The Minneapolis-Moline Implement store operated by Hallie Chapman and Reiley Lewellen has been moved across the street to the Gay building and a complete line of farm implements are being added to their tractor and combine lines.

Small Shed and Quantity of Feed Burned Saturday

A small shed at the home of Mrs. Herley Howard in the southwest part of the city was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock.

Charles Redwine Buys Interest In Wrecking Concern

Chas. Redwine, well-known Haskell mechanic, has purchased the interest of Claude Thomas in the Haskell Wrecking Co., and will be associated with Luther Kenamer in operation of the business in the future.

Modernization of Texas Theatre Is Now Under Way

Carpenters and workmen started Monday on extensive improvements to be made on the building and equipment of the Texas Theatre, and following Tuesday night's show the theatre was to remain closed until all repairs are completed.

During this time, all attractions booked for the Texas will be shown nightly at the Rita theatre on the west side of the square.

TRANSFER SCHOOL STUDENTS MUST BE MADE DURING JULY

Scholastic transfers will start this week and continue throughout the month in the office of Matt Graham, county superintendent.

The superintendent explained the transfer procedure as follows: "All transfers must be made during July and must be signed by parent or guardian of the child."

MRS. M. L. MONTANDON BURIED AT KNOX CITY

W. O. Holden was called to Knox City Thursday night, June 25th to embalm and prepare for burial the body of Mrs. M. L. Montandon, resident of that city who passed away Thursday afternoon.

REVIVAL AT GILLIAM FOUR-SQUARE CHURCH

Beginning next Saturday night, July 11th, at 8 p. m., a revival meeting will be held at the Gilliam Four-square Church, which the public is cordially invited to attend.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS Spears Feed Store

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Negro Decided Not To Duel As Coke Countian Won Draw In Trail Driver

J. H. Hurley, 77, old-time trail driver of Robert Lee, averted participation in a duel once upon a time and thereby kept himself eligible, just in case, to hold public office. It was a simple manner.

On a trip up the trail with 4,000 longhorns, he and a negro named Wash were riding herd on the Washita River. In a shooting contest, Hurley outpointed the negro.

They had no gates to open from Lockhart to Sidney Bridge on the North Platt River where the last 500 steers in the outfit were sold, in sight of the Black Hills.

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Persons Carl Maples Sr. spent days last week in Wichita and Oklahoma City, visiting daughters, Mrs. and Mrs. Owen and Mrs. and Mrs. Christe. Mrs. Troy V. Post and friends are here visiting Mrs. W. N. Hubbs and daughter Miss Eunice and Dorothy Post left for Denver Colorado to spend summer. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Plainview, who spent the week visiting the latter here, left Saturday for East Texas and Arizona. Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Sweetwater, were business in our city Tuesday and day. Mrs. J. H. Beiber and L. and granddaughter, McKinney were in Oklahoma day transacting business. Albert English Jr., of Ill is here visiting his other relatives. Mrs. Sam T. Chapman, Sperry, visited at the home of Mrs. A. A. Gustafson, where they attended a social at the home of Mrs. Wade Gibson and Doris Mae, of Mark, and Mrs. W. N. Hubbs and daughter Francis Bernice Beard came Los Angeles Tuesday for a few days. Mrs. W. M. Harlan of Arling, transacting business today. W. B. Johnson and wife, Wichita Falls spent the day in our city, the guests of John W. Johnson, T. J. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Victor T. and daughter Francis Bernice Beard came Los Angeles Tuesday for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sperry, baby of Tucson, Ariz., visiting Mrs. Squires. Mrs. J. M. Woodson relatives.

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