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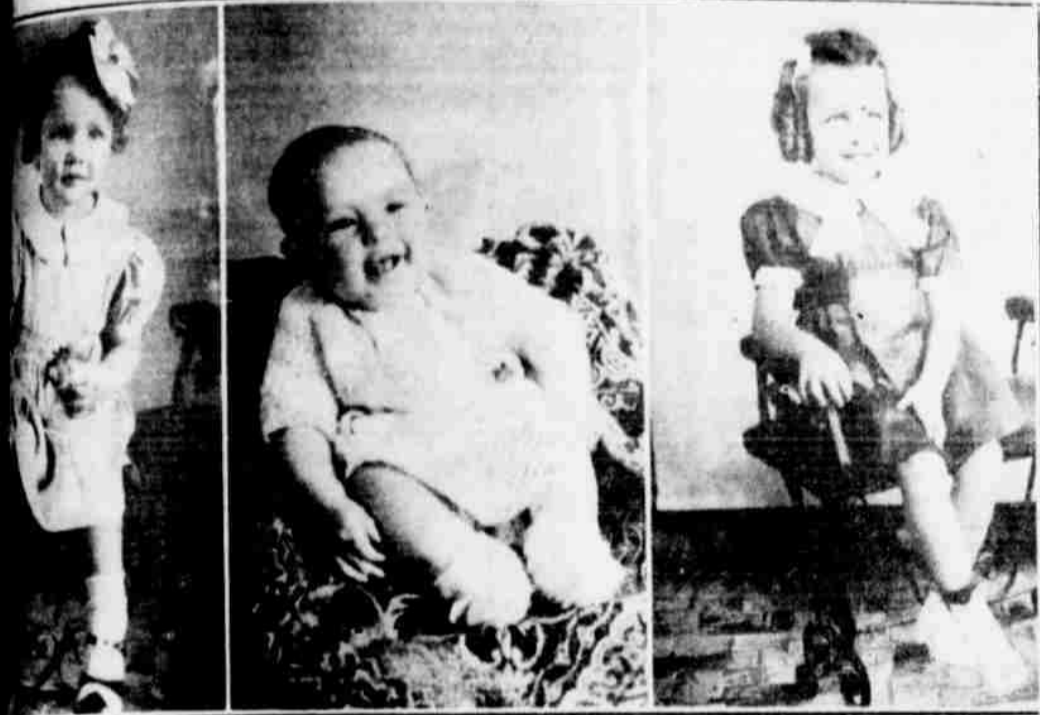
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RAIN AND HAILSTORM CAUSES HEAVY LOSS TO CROPS IN COUNTY

Three Winners in Baby Photo Contest



More than seven-hundred entries were received in the annual Baby Photo Contest. The three winners are: first place, three-year-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sherley of Rochester; second place, four-year-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Derr of Weir; and third place, four-year-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Garrett of Tulsa, Okla., and H. C. Phillips of Dallas.

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Operators have been unable to complete a production gauge on the discovery well, due to continued trouble in seating packer. The well has flowed at intervals at the rate of 80 barrels an hour into storage tanks at the well, and conservative estimates place production at 40 barrels per hour.

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COUNTY'S WORK SHEETS READY FOR CHECKING

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Shortly after the incident, Cousins reported hearing an automobile hurriedly leaving from a point several blocks west, the officer surmising that the thieves had abandoned their "job" for the time being.

CITY TREASURY BALANCES DROP DURING MONTH

April Expenditures Exceed Receipts In Amount of \$5,561.73

Monthly report of the financial condition of the city of Haskell, compiled by city secretary Austin Colburn for April shows that disbursements during the month exceeded receipts in the amount of \$5,561.73, resulting in a reduction of total balance of all funds at the beginning of the month from \$11,418.93 to \$5,857.20 at the month's end.

Total receipts for the month amounted to \$2,532.99, while disbursements amounted to \$8,094.72, the report shows. For the same period last year, receipts amounted to \$2,438.87, with disbursements of \$9,111.09.

Itemized summary of the report for April, 1938, by funds is as follows: General fund, deficit April 1, \$995.62; receipts during month \$303.20, disbursements \$625.90, deficit April 30, \$1,318.32. Park fund, deficit April 1, \$330.81; receipts \$74.18, disbursements \$52.25; deficit April 30, \$308.88.

Street fund, April 1 balance \$1,025.79; receipts \$194.68, disbursements \$283.05; balance \$937.42. Fire fund, April 1 balance \$1,001.79; receipts \$93.95, disbursements \$283.05; balance \$937.42.

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To St. Louis



Rev. David L. Stitt, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in his city for the past two years, left Thursday for St. Louis, where he has accepted a call as assistant pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church in that city.

WATSON SPEAKER AT CC BREAKFAST TUESDAY MORNING

J. C. Watson of Abilene, secretary of the Central West Texas Oil and Gas association, was the principal speaker at the regular monthly breakfast for the Chamber of Commerce members Tuesday morning in the Tonkawa Coffee Shop. Sixty-five members and several guests were present.

John A. Couch presided in the absence of Dr. T. W. Williams, president of the organization. Guests introduced during the breakfast included Lloyd Adams, foreman of the Brazos Valley Cheese Plant; L. B. Dean, resident engineer of the State Highway Department; G. R. Schumann, county agent, and W. J. Pilley of Sagerton, newly elected member of the County School Board and director in the local cooperative cheese plant.

Courtney Hunt introduced Mr. Watson as a former resident of Haskell county.

"With a new oil field on the verge of development in Haskell county, your interests are naturally concerned with this industry," Watson said, "but do not expect the 'boom' of 20 years ago because the oil industry today is founded on the principle of conservative development along sound business methods."

The speaker also explained the taxation and legislative trend affecting the oil industry and outlined the purpose of his organization in this connection.

New Ruling Will Permit Increased Acreage In Feed

The terms of a recent ruling received from the State AAA office by G. R. Schumann, county agent, will allow Haskell county farmers to plant approximately 31,000 acres more in feed crops than was at first anticipated under the 1938 farm program, and will reduce the acreage to be devoted to soil conserving crops by an equal amount. The ruling, however, did not affect the cotton acreage.

First estimates of the farm program indicated that Haskell county farmers would be required to plant from 30 to 35 per cent of their land in soil conserving crops, but under the new ruling this estimate is now placed at approximately 25 per cent.

C. B. Riddle, president of the state singing convention, will bring his male quartette and 15-year-old pianist, whose performances have brought outstanding praise. L. D. Huffstutler of Dallas, president of the Hartford Music Company, has accepted an invitation to be present. Other singers expected include the Weinert Girls Quartet, boys quartet from Seymour, Truscott, Union Grove, as well as the Tankersley Quartet.

BRIEF ILLNESS IS FATAL TO PIONEER RESIDENT OF RULE

Funeral Service for Mrs. W. R. Carothers, 65, Held Monday Afternoon

Funeral services were held at the First Christian Church in Rule Monday afternoon for Mrs. W. R. Carothers, 65, who died at her home in that city Sunday morning after an illness of only a few hours. The rites were conducted by a former pastor and close friend of the family, Dr. J. D. McKisick, president of Randolph College, Cisco. Interment was in the Rule cemetery beside the grave of her husband, who died five years ago, with arrangements in charge of Gaunt's Funeral Home, Rule.

Mrs. Carothers was one of the early settlers of Rule and Haskell county, having moved to this section forty years ago with her husband from Jones county. During her lifetime she was active in church and civic affairs, and her death came as a distinct shock to a wide circle of friends and acquaintances throughout this section.

Surviving are two sons, Olin Kitley, Mrs. John Smith of Rule, and Elgin Carothers, Rule, and a daughter, Mrs. W. E. Penick of Rule; four sisters, Mrs. W. W. Mrs. H. H. Pittman, San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. Lee Freeman, Wichita Falls; and two brothers, T. W. Tanner, Rule, and J. R. Tanner, Woodland, Calif.

DRESS CONTEST FOR 4-H CLUBS HERE SATURDAY

Members of Haskell county 4-H girls clubs will demonstrate their accomplishments in dressmaking in the annual contest for demonstrators and cooperators to be held here Saturday.

All entrants will meet in the Home Demonstration Agent's office in the courthouse at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, where records will be checked prior to modeling of dresses and other apparel for scoring by an out-of-town judge. At least 75 entrants from nine 4-H clubs in the county will be displayed, according to Miss Mildred Vaughan, Home Demonstration Agent. Dressmaking is a major objective in girls' club work, she explained, and a leader or "demonstrator" is annually elected to encourage and direct this phase of club activity in each community organization in the county.

The winning demonstrator in the county contest will be awarded an expense-paid trip to College Station for the state-wide 4-H Club contest July 6-7-8, provided by the County Council of 4-H Clubs.

Haskell Students Will Have Part In Program at 'Tech'

Three Haskell students in Texas Tech at Lubbock, Misses Elsie Gholson, Geraldine Conner, and Mary Eleanor Diggs, have been selected to act as pages in the annual Texas Technological College Women's Recognition Service May 11th. One hundred and thirty-two outstanding women students will be recognized this year.

Pages are selected from freshmen women students with a grade average of C or above.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. C. P. Woodson owner of the Charmode Beauty Shop, and her operator, Miss Stella Deaton went to Wichita Falls to attend a Beauty Style show held in the Kemp Hotel Ball Room. Attending this show were more than two hundred operators from over this territory. Many new hair styles for 1938 were on display.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor, Anna Maud and Mr. and Mrs. George Henshaw and children spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carothers of Rochester.

MIDWAY AND WEINERT SECTION BEAR BRUNT OF DAMAGE IN STORM

Grain Fields Levelled and Foliage Stripped From Trees at Midway

One of the worst hailstorms in years wrought havoc to grain and early feed crops throughout a six-mile strip extending roughly halfway across Haskell county from east of Weinert to south of Haskell late Thursday evening.

Reports Thursday night indicated that heaviest damage to crops was sustained in the Midway community five miles west of Haskell, where farmers report that grain fields just beginning to ripen were levelled, early feed crops cut to the ground and foliage stripped from trees. Rain of almost torrential intensity accompanied the hail.

Hail which began falling here shortly after five o'clock had covered the ground within ten minutes, followed by a hard down-pour. Recurring hail flurries continued for an hour with rainfall estimated at one inch or more. No property damage resulted.

In the Weinert section, hail damage to grain was estimated at 25 per cent, and some property damage resulted.

Rule was on the outer fringe of the hailstorm, but received a good rain. From a point about five miles south of Rule, farmers reported varying amounts of hail, the strip extending southward. In the Post community six miles south of Haskell, considerable hail was reported, and a heavy rain.

The rain and hail strip extended only a few miles east of town, but scattering showers were reported from that area.

J. P. Ashley, 76, Dies Recently At Home Near City

J. P. Ashley, 76, pioneer farmer and resident of Haskell county for almost forty years, died at his home in the Pinkerton community west of Haskell on May 4th.

Funeral services were held at the Rule Baptist Church Thursday afternoon, May 5th, at 2:00 o'clock, with Rev. H. R. Whatley, Baptist minister of Haskell, officiating, assisted by Rev. Tidwell, pastor of the Pinkerton Baptist Church. Burial was in the Rule cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Gaunt's Funeral Home, Rule.

Mr. Ashley came to Haskell county in 1899 from Smith county, and was engaged in farming practically his entire lifetime. He had been a member of the Baptist Church since young manhood.

Surviving are his widow, two sons, C. V. Ashley and Claud Ashley of Rule, a daughter, Mrs. E. H. Lott of Lamesa, and one brother, Jim Ashley, of Smith county. Ten grandchildren also survive.

His widow and all the children were present for the final rites.

'PEN' TERM IN TRIAL FOR THEFT IS SUSPENDED

Defendant Elects To Serve Jail Sentence of Six Months

Judge I. O. Newton of the 50th judicial district, Seymour, presiding here Wednesday for scheduled hearings on the 39th district court criminal docket, imposed a five year suspended sentence against a young man charged with theft of an automobile. The defendant had waived trial by jury and entered a plea of guilty.

The youth, Gerard Goeke, 20, of Hondo, Texas, was indicted during a recent session of the Grand Jury in connection with the theft of an automobile belonging to a farmer living near Sagerton.

After entering his plea of guilty sentence was passed by Judge Newton and suspended with the understanding, expressed in open court, that the defendant enter similar pleas to misdemeanor charges pending in county court that would result in jail sentences aggregating six months. The defendant through counsel appointed by the court agreed to accept jail sentences in the county court cases.

Judge Newton continued until next week all other cases scheduled for trial Wednesday, and dismissed Petit Jurors for the week. Current court term will end May 21, with only a few civil cases and possibly one criminal action slated for trial during the last week of the term.

Hon. Bryan H. Atchison of Breckenridge, judge of the 90th judicial district, will preside next week due to the illness of District Judge Dennis P. Ratliff. Thirty-six Petit Jurors summoned for the week and ordered to report Monday, May 16, are listed: O. J. McClain, Rule; Ernest Griffith, Weinert; R. C. Couch, (Continued on Page Eight)

PLANS COMPLETE FOR BAR MEMBERS BANQUET MAY 21

Hon. Harry Graves Will Be Principal Speaker On Evening's Program

Committees in charge of plans for the coming annual banquet of the Haskell County Bar Association, to be held Saturday, May 21st, in the Tonkawa Coffee Shop, announce that attendance on this year's affair is expected to be the largest in a number of years.

Honor guests at the banquet will be the entire membership of the State Court of Criminal Appeals, Austin.

District Judge Dennis P. Ratliff, association president, will deliver the welcome address, with response by Hon. W. P. Leslie, Chief Justice of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals, Eastland.

Hon. Harry Graves, Chief Clerk of the Court of Criminal Appeals, will be the principal speaker of the evening, with several other prominent out-of-town jurists scheduled for brief talks.

Poultry Canning Is Demonstrated In District Meet

Miss Mildred Vaughan, county Home Demonstration agent is in Knox City today, where a poultry canning demonstration is being conducted by Miss Grace I. Neely of College Station, experiment service specialist in food preservation.

The demonstration is being staged as a district affair for heads of home demonstration work in six counties of this section. Home agents from Foard, Stonewall, Haskell, Knox, Cottle and Hardeman counties are attending the Knox City meeting.

Under' ns Must Be Completed Soon

who intend to plow grains such as wheat, they on their retired ac compliance under the cultural Conservation act will plow under these in the next week in conserving.

owing under any small ver, the farmer should rain inspected by his steeman, advised G. R. county agent. "If your steeman is not available, two of your neighbors gain before plowing it acreage plowed under date," Mr. Schumann

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT AT JUD SATURDAY

A softball tournament will be held at Jud Saturday, May 14th. All teams are cordially invited to attend. A ball and bat will be awarded to the winning team of both boys and girls.

Arrangements have been made for ample playground space, and sandwiches and cold drinks will be sold.

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Students Help In Highway Survey

On Wednesday, April 27, Mr. Ashford of the Texas Highway Planning Survey visited in our school and supervised the distributing of forms to all of the high school English classes. These forms were made by the Texas Highway Department and were for the purpose of finding out the number of miles a student's family car had been driven in the past twelve months and what routes were taken throughout the entire mileage. One form was given to each student representing one car. If a student's family did not own a car they were urged to fill out a form for a friend or neighbor. The filling out of these forms was to help the Highway Department held our community. By doing this, Haskell High School students may be of worthy service to our state government and to the local community.

"Tis Said"

Scop of the week: Zug Phelps rode around with six girls the other day and he nearly went with one while he was at San Angelo. He'll come out, maybe; it just takes time. — By unanimous vote the students of Haskell High School elect:
 Snow White—Mildred Miller.
 Dopey—Douglas Short.
 Sleepy—Billy Pogue.
 Grumpy—Lloyd McMillen.
 Happy—Doyle Hisey.
 Doc—Robert Thompson.
 Sneezey—J. C. Scott.
 Bashful—Hugh Lowe.
 Some girls should understand that the "square" isn't a place for just everything, especially on Sunday night. —The football game Friday night is really going to be exciting. Everyone must be sure to be there and yell for your side. If you aren't on a side yell for the Paposes. —And Marion went with Martelle Friday. Wise choice.

Tiny Tots Come To School This Week

Have you been wondering why all of the children from about two to six years old have been in school this week? They were brought to school by the first year Home Economics girls. The purpose was to create a friendly attitude between the adolescent girls and the pre-school children and also to get experience in training children. Mrs. Meyer, the Home Economics teacher, says that the older girls are inclined to want to force the younger children to do things against their will, or to "boss" them.

The children were given color books, coloring pencils, story books, molding clay, wooden beads to string and many other such things to amuse them and keep them interested.

There were several attempts to make conversation also it seems. Friday during announcement period, a voice from the back of the hall was heard to say "Well what do you think of the weather?" In the Home Economics department, one little girl was coloring pictures when she came upon a broken coloring pencil. She turned to an older girl and said:
 "That coloring pencil is broke but this one is weren't."
 Some of the children who were brought to school were Frances Stark, Rose Mary Welsh, Lena Carroll Laird, Barbara Ann Reese, Bobby Wilson, Nancy Burton, Nancy Free, Ericile Harwell, Mary Beth Payne, Patricia Rogers and Gala Marie Holland, Charles Johnston, Charlotte Johnson, Francis Stark, Wilmer Crane, Buford Zearl Welsh, Betty Lou Conley, Sonny Bacuss.

You heard about the Senior boy whose girl sent him letters and gifts until Christmas, and then "got married on him" the first of the year? Yes, our Senior president still remembers it with a pining in his heart—and a far-away look in his eyes.

Random Remarks

Another cold norther one day last week, and Mr. Mason vowed it was because Mr. McCollum wore his "ice-cream" pants again. He wore them the day before our ninth-of-April freeze, says our informant, and look what he brought on that time. "He does it every time", Mr. Mason affirms.

Just fancy that Earline Stodghill! Can you imagine anybody with the nerve to do it? "Dedicated to my Uncle Perry Mason"! Is your history grade already gone, Earline, or don't you value it? Or did you break the neck of that bottle you had in your pocket? And then—shades of plane geometry!—"Dedicated to Mr. George Vinegar Wimbish!" Well, anyway, Earline, here's our admiration—and our sympathy!

A certain freshman boy thinks it's decidedly silly the way some of these boys and girls start courting the minute a class intermission begins. He laws there's a time and a place for all things. Maybe he's right; who knows?

Lots of people never think about the trouble a teacher is submitted to, all for a student's pleasure and satisfaction. The responsibility Mr. Meacham was under during two recent trips—the money and the planning and the "phoning it takes for Mrs. Meyer to get her bunch off to State Homemakers Rally—and the extra care and work and planning it will take Mrs. Wimbish to enable the seniors to have a different and more modern type of graduation this year—do you know what they get out of it? Probably they sometimes wonder, themselves.

"It's too expensive being a Senior" seems to be the current cry from the most dignified class in school. But after only four more weeks of it, some will be starting to think that it is terribly expensive to go away to school. In other words, out of the frying pan into the fire.

Mr. Wimbish made certain that Lon would enjoy the football game Friday night by putting him on the same side that Eva Jo was on.

Those half dozen or so Sophomore girls seemed to be looking for something—or somebody—Sunday afternoon.

It seems that the Itchy-Witchy girls—the so-called orchestra on the Gypsy Rambler program—were good enough (or bad enough) to be asked to play for the Lions Club.

Any time that the door was opened last week in Miss Vick's English class, it was almost certain that a parade would begin down the hall. It usually consisted of a Freshman girl leading or following a very little girl. But no one minded these little interruptions.

Better English Club Has Last Meeting

The Better English Club met Friday, April 29, for the monthly meeting. This was the last meeting of the year. The program presented was as follows:
 Freshman News—Henry Post.
 Imitations—Howard Kahoot.
 Song—Patsy Pate, Marcia Adkins, Ella Mae Barnett, Zelma Adkins, Virginia Heath.
 Story—Myrtle Bob Branch.
 Riddles—Desmond Dulaney.
 Poem—Virginia Heath.
 Story—Billie Mae Welsh.
 The meeting was adjourned.

Vernon Harvey of Milwaukee, in his suit for divorce, told the judge: "My wife would be sitting on some fellow's knee at night when I came home. She always introduced him as her cousin." The divorce was granted.

READ THE WANT-ADS!

Music Week Is Observed Friday

In the assembly program Friday the high school paid tribute to National Music Week. This program was under the direction of Mrs. Wimbish.

Marvina Post introduced the program by a brief discussion of the origin of Music Week. Following this the High School orchestra made its debut to the student body. Making a most attractive picture in their uniforms of gold satin shirts and black trousers or skirts, the orchestra played several numbers, most of which they played in the band contest in San Angelo. Joe Mapales played the trumpet solo which he played in the contest in San Angelo.

Next the various music studies of the town presented pupils in piano solos. These pupils were: Jane Richey from Mrs. Lee's studio, LaVerne Livingood from Louise Kaigler's studio and Eva Jo Ratliff and Martha Post from the studio of Mrs. Marvina Post. As a special treat Louise Kaigler played a Rachmanoff Prelude, and as an encore "Josephine."

The senior English classes have been studying lyric poetry and they sang two old English songs, "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes" and "My Hearts In The Highlands."

A quartet composed of Anita Jo Simmons, Frances Fouts, Geneva Thompson and Martelle Clifton sang the well loved "The World Is Waiting For The Sunrise." They were followed by another quartet composed of Robert Thompson, Jimmy Crawford, Joe Maples and Claude Jenkins Jr. who sang "Ebb Tide."

The two quartets combined and sang as the final number of the program "Memories."

The students as a whole seemed to really appreciate the music which was offered and feel that they did their part in celebrating National Music Week.

The Percussion Section of a Band

The percussion section of a band or orchestra consists of the drums and traps. By traps is meant such things as bells, chimes, castanets, triangles and many other instruments that give the organization its effects.

The drum section of a band can either make or break it. A person who plays the drums must know what he is doing and when to do it. The whole band depends upon the drums for its tempo, and a poor drummer can't just show—it must go. So one can see that he has to know what he is doing.

Unlike other instruments a drum is easy to learn, but gets harder as it goes. At first the time and tempo come easy—then as you progress it becomes more difficult, instead of coming to you as in other instruments.

After a person once begins to play a drum he wouldn't exchange it for any other instrument in the entire band. It gets to where he thinks he's lost unless he has his drum. It seems that a person just can't learn as much as he wants to in the short time he has to do it.

After a person leaves high school college life awaits him—and what would make you feel better than to play the drums in a good college band?

The purpose of this article is to get you interested in playing a drum. The high school band and orchestra needs more drums and it's up to you to give them this. It needs five more snare and one more bass. If you think you are the least bit interested, get in touch with Mr. Joe Meacham of the Meacham School of Music.

Who has the most girl friends in high school? You don't know? Well, unless these eyes are failing me, they see that Junior Jenkins is a strong contender for that honor. If this wasn't high school, he might be accused of fickleness.

Girls Attend State Homemaker's Rally And Win Honors

At the State Meet held in San Antonio last week Eulamae Watson received first place in Class B dresses. The dress which won her this honor was made by her in connection with the second year home economics work. We are all very proud of Eulamae and hope she places in the national rally at Pittsburgh.

The Future Homemakers left Haskell at nine-thirty Wednesday morning on a special bus and reached San Antonio about five-thirty. Two other cars left with the bus. Girls from Haskell, Rule, Blumday, Aspermont and Matson went to the State rally.

The movie reel of the second-year style show was shown in the ball room in the St. Anthony Hotel. A luncheon was given for the delegates, which our delegate Bonnie Dell Hisey, attended. Jean Conner sang "There's a Gold Mine In The Sky." Girls who attended this luncheon were very highly entertained with talent from different clubs.

Friday night a banquet was given for all future Homemakers. Spanish dances and songs were performed during this banquet and were enjoyed very much. A tea was given Thursday afternoon for all club members. This was given in the Governor's mansion. In this mansion furniture was displayed which was used by the last Spanish governor. A harp was played by a very old Creole.

Seventeen hundred girls from the various sections of the state attended the Future Homemaker's rally. Most of the girls stayed in the Gunter Hotel. The hotel furnished guides to show the girls around San Antonio.

Haskell High 1945

My, how long it seems since we were seniors in Haskell Hi. Ours was the class of '38 and even now one can hardly recognize it.

Instead of the two buildings that we had there are four now for High School alone. The one we were in is now used only for English and History. The science room is used for Mr. Mason's lecture room and the old auditorium for Miss Vick's motion picture shows for her English classes.

Mr. Wimbish, no longer having time to play truant officer, is now director general of the plant. He is now showing us around the rest of the plant.

"Here is our Fine Arts building. Mr. Meacham has so many in his classes we have to organize two bands and another orchestra. Then too, we have classes in painting, speech and current discussion.

Suddenly a call is heard through a loud speaker, "Calling Mr. Wimbish, Calling Mr. Wimbish."
 "Yes, what is it?" he says, still standing in the hall and talking apparently to the wind.

Seeing our amazement he explains that this is the radio system that does not necessitate personal calls. All that is necessary is to answer; the automatic radio does the rest.

From this, the Fine Arts building, we go to the Science building where we interrupt Mr. Banks putting tuning forks up to the window pane—to the delight of the students. When the students try to match the tone with their voices Professor Banks shouts, "This isn't a voice class; this is Physics and I wish you would remember that."

We laugh among ourselves remembering he used to tell us the same things. Now we go on to the Agricultural, Manuel Training and Home Economics building. After this we ask our hospitable guide, Mr. Wimbish, how many students there are here.

He replies—"Around two thousand."

"Where are they from?" we ask.
 "On you see they consolidated the school districts. Oil furnished the money to build this million dollar plant. Let's go see our auditorium and then our swimming pools, tennis courts, football fields and gyms."

"Yes, let's" we replay weakly. The shock is almost too great.

Paposes Down Squaws By 6 to 0

By pulling loop-holes in the inexperienced line, and plunging through incessantly for gain, the Paposes downed the Squaws last Friday night by the score of 6 to 0. The red-shirted Paposes had the game well in hand from the beginning. The red-shirts lone tally came in the third quarter with a combined ground and aerial attack. Vernon Cook took charge of the passing and completed several passes. Otis Henshaw and Wayne Laird were equally effective in their running performance.

Eugene Rogers and Sam Henshaw carried the ball for the Squaws. The Papose linemen however, broke through the lighter Squaw line and smothered the ball carriers behind the line of scrimmage. Although the Squaws fought hard, never once did they make a threat at scoring.

Labry was indeed disappointed when he found out we weren't going to have the Senior play again, and that he couldn't make love to Elizabeth again. Why not try it in real life, L?

Apropos to Nothing

"Now Bidge, you can't smoke in here," said Mrs. Wimbish as she saw that lanky member fingering his shirt pocket.

Greetings to Eddie Currant, the latest addition to our physics class.

Have you heard about the new affair? It's Nellie and Eulis, and have they got it bad!

And of course there's the eternal Mary Lou and Marion—Oh, boy!

State Rally for Homemakers To Open Thursday

From May 5-7, inclusive, the Future Homemakers of Texas will hold their nineteenth annual rally in San Antonio, Texas. The meeting is sponsored by the Homemaking Division of the State Board of Vocational Education under the direction of the state director of that division, Miss Ruth Huey, Miss Nellie Lowry, from the Kerrville High School, as State President, will preside.

Miss Emma Pirie, local director of the home economics department of the San Antonio Public Schools is in charge of the social arrangements. In addition to the usual group meetings there will be a number of contests based on the work done in homemaking classes.

The social program will include a luncheon honoring the judges, and numerous other affairs including a reception and a banquet.

The reception will be held from four until seven, May 5th, in the Governor's Palace. The Spanish motif will be featured. The group of San Antonio club women who will act as hostesses will be assisted by descendants of the early Ababarian families and the Canary Islanders who helped build San Antonio.

Although the program continues through Saturday, the climax banquet held at 7:30 p. m. Friday, May 6th. The Gunter roof of the social program will be the lend itself well to the Mexican entertainment. Over 1500 are expected at the banquet.

When Ivan Speer of Des Moines, Iowa, was operated on for appendicitis, an X-ray revealed that his heart, liver and gall bladder were on the right side, and the appendix on the left.

Oldest and youngest student enrolled at a college in Rio Grande, O., are Mrs. N. H. Clary, 37, a former teacher, and her son, Cline, 15.

Curry Chapel

It seems that we are having winter time again. The farmers are busy trying to kill weeds.

We had 55 present for Sunday school Sunday morning. We guess a number were attending Mother's day elsewhere.

Had a pretty good crowd at singing Sunday night. We invite everybody to come to our singings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Marion and son Carl of Gauntt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marion and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marion and children of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kreger and son E. W., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery and family, Margaret and Elsie Tolliver and Grandma Packs all took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Kreger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Turnbow made a trip to Sherman last week visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Elmer Gossett of Abilene, spent last Wednesday with Mrs.

L. W. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hill visited in our Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Beasly and Mrs. L. W. Hill church in Haskell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John staff visited in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott all their children Mother's Day.

Mrs. Frank Spencer trip to Wichita Falls.

We had a short Mother's program Sunday afternoon after Sunday School one enjoyed it.

Next Saturday night day is our regular program. We hope to see a large present.

Frank Zupa of New pleading guilty to his offense in a year, was the court clerk what was done was and repleaded motorists how to drive.



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Insurance Is Set Up For 1939 Wheat

Insurance will go into effect on May 1st. The plan was discussed with wheat growers, business men, and agricultural agents, county supervisors of the county, and county commissioners. The plan was discussed with wheat growers, business men, and agricultural agents, county supervisors of the county, and county commissioners. The plan was discussed with wheat growers, business men, and agricultural agents, county supervisors of the county, and county commissioners.

Milk Cows For Home Use Need On State Farms

Almost one-fourth, or 121,000 of Texas' farm families, have no milk cows, according to E. R. Eubank, dairyman of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

This means, the dairyman pointed out, that Texas needs an additional quarter million dairy cows if farm families are to have sufficient milk for home needs, and also that dairy production for home use can extend considerably without competing with commercial dairy areas.

Eubank based his statement on census figures and estimates of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics which shows that 24.2 per cent of Texas farm families do not have a milk cow and that over the 12 Southern states as a whole only 71 per cent of the farm families keep cows for milk.

There is an average of only 2 milk cows per farm over the cotton belt as a whole, as compared to an average of nearly 4 for all farms in the United States and more than 10 per farm in Wisconsin. Texas, with an average of 3.2 cows per farm, leads all the cotton belt states except Oklahoma in this respect.

The dairyman does not believe that AAA programs tend to force cotton farmers into dairying in competition with commercial dairying centers. "There were 5,562,000 dairy cows in the 12 principal cotton producing states in 1932, before the AAA," he said.

"On January 1, 1938, there were 5,896,000, or an increase of 334,000 milk cows. This is an average increase of 30,000 dairy cows per state, or an average increase per state of 5,000 for each year since the AAA came into existence.

"Nutritional specialists of the Extension Service tell me that the average farm family of five needs two good milk cows for home use. Thus in Texas alone without increasing our commercial output to any noticeable extent.

United States Has Edge On Traffic In Trans-Atlantic Airlines Race

Washington—A few years ago the pilot who undertook an ocean flight of any kind did so as a gamble. If he won, he was a hero, if the ocean won, it was too bad. The greatest gamble of all was the Atlantic, with its long over-water stretches and unpredictable weather.

That aviation has come so far that serious plans can be made for the early inauguration of scheduled service across the Atlantic to Europe is one of the most amazing indications of the progress that has been made in aviation's comparatively short life.

A large background of experience has been obtained in the carrying out of the scheduled service across the Pacific to the Orient, and to the Latin-American countries, and to Bermuda—services highlighted with the thrilling accomplishments of men and machines. With these routes serving as proving grounds for equipment and personnel, it has been possible to work toward the closing of the final gap in around-the-world air commerce, the direct route to Europe.

Aircraft of a design and construction which could operate safely over the treacherous North Atlantic route beset by squalls, thunderstorms, and windshifts, were necessary before serious plans for actual service could be laid. The American manufacturers, now accustomed to challenges of this sort, responded with plans for huge flying boats dwarfing in size the types we have become accustomed to in the past few years.

Foreign Lines Busy

Some time this spring the first of these will be ready for tests. This plane will accommodate 72 passengers on day flights and will provide sleeping accommodations for 40 at night. It will have space for more than two tons of mail and express, with a cruising range of about 4,000 miles at a speed in the neighborhood of 200 miles per hour. Anticipating the need of providing an even larger passenger carrying capacity in a few years, bids recently have been invited for a 100-passenger craft.

Foreign airlines have been equally active in building craft and making plans for participating in the Atlantic service. Valuable trans-ocean flying experience has been gained by French and German airlines in transporting mail and express across the South Atlantic.

The airship Hindenburg completed ten round trips between Germany and the United States before it met with disaster, and an even larger German airship is expected to resume schedules. Permission for certain landing privileges has already been granted. Survey flights across the Atlantic were the center of attention last summer. Imperial Airways of Great Britain and Pan American Airways of this country each completed three round-trip crossings. Two of these were across the North Atlantic and one by way of Bermuda and the Azores.

The German airship, *Zeppelin* Lufthansa, tackled the problem in a somewhat different manner. With the aid of a mother ship, a catapult was used to fling the Nordmecc into the air on survey flights across the North Atlantic. French survey flights have been delayed but they have definite plans and an early crossing is in prospect.

Foreign manufacturers are offering the airlines of their countries new huge craft for operation over the Atlantic. In Germany work has been underway for several years on a flying wing. In the lighter-than-air field the new Zeppelin is nearing completion. England has developed a composite aircraft consisting of a flying boat which carries a heavily-loaded smaller land-plane into the air, where it is to be released. In France, manufacturers are offering large flying boats with cruising speeds of approximately 200 miles per hour.

However, the ingenuity and skill which have marked American aviation have enabled airlines of this country to take the lead both in the type of aircraft and in technique. An important objective now is to enable them to reap the benefits of their enterprise by assuring them of an equitable share of the traffic.

In view of the fact that the United States will furnish more than one-half of the trans-Atlantic business, it goes without saying that American airlines are entitled to at least that amount of the total traffic. Negotiations are pending with several foreign governments and last year arrangements were reached with Great Britain, the Irish Free State and Canada. These agreements provide for reciprocal schedules for service between the various points.

It may not always be easy to carry out these objectives as other countries are equally zealous in the protection of their interests, but this is the goal toward which all such negotiations are directed. Our strategic position with reference to the amount of potential traffic gives us a certain amount of advantage, and it is hoped that when air traffic across the Atlantic begins to flow steadily, a satisfactory amount will be carried on planes bearing the United States insignia.

Diphtheria Is Controlled By Science Advance

"Few conquests of science have been so spectacular and complete as the rout of diphtheria. And this victory has most firmly established the value of serum treatment both in its preventive and curative phases. However, toxin-antitoxin or its successor toxoid for immunization, and antitoxin for timely cure, are brilliant achievements of which the general public even yet are not fully aware," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"As indicated, toxoid is the immunizing or preventive agent now usually employed, however, three to four months are required for the body to develop immunity. At that time the Shick test is applied to determine the results of this preventive treatment. This harmless and painless procedure is performed by injecting into the upper layers of the skin a minute drop of the diphtheria toxin. Your doctor can tell from this whether or not your child is immune.

"However, when a case of diphtheria exists antitoxin is the only treatment that will save life. Also, to be effective, it must be given early and in large doses. Delay

is usually caused by parents failing to realize that any sore throat may actually be diphtheria.

"The means are at hand to fight diphtheria to the death, but it cannot be done without a hundred per cent cooperation of parents. May Day, the Child's Health Day, will soon be here and one of the best ways to observe it would be for parents to have their children immunized against diphtheria."

State Farm Leaders Start Campaign To Kill Grasshoppers

The fight to combat the worst grasshopper infestation in history is under way with the arrival of 37 carloads of barn and 14,800 gallons of sodium arsenate by the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine which administers the government's grasshopper control program. This material will be matched by farmers who will receive allotments of poison mash through the county agricultural agents and county grasshopper control committees.

Entomologists have known for over six months that more than 100 Texas counties would suffer a severe hopper infestation, and Federal entomologists have helped the Texas Grasshopper Control

Committee make advance plans to hold down crop damage. While the hatch is still incomplete, hoppers emerged in record numbers in most of the counties where damage is expected. Only in the Panhandle are the hoppers still in the egg stage. The recent cold wave did little to reduce grasshopper numbers.

County agricultural agents, county grasshopper control committees and farmers are ready to combat the insects. Experience has shown that control is simplified when poison mash is scattered around the places where hoppers hatch out before they multiply and spread to fields. A similar program last year saved Texas farmers 6 million dollars and returned more than a hundred dollars for each dollar spent.

Control measures will begin this week in the counties where the hatch is most advanced, Report said.

Paul Vallier of Paris saw a man walking on the street wearing a pair of shoes that thugs had taken off him. Vallier attacked the wearer, removed the shoes and marched the barefoot prisoner to police headquarters.

Herman A. Petty, 69, of Washington, N. J., has not missed attending Sunday school since he was 10 years old.

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Flea Hopper Hatch Lowest in Twelve Years

With two exceptions the cotton flea hopper hatch on April 15 was the lowest on record for twelve years, according to Dr. F. L. Thomas, chief of the division of entomology, Texas A. and M. College. Both adult and young flea hoppers have been found in Dallas county and hatching has begun in weeds collected from four counties and caged at Spur substation.

Hatching of these pests has been delayed during the last two weeks it is believed, since ordinarily 88 per cent of the hatch occurs between March 15 and May 1. This year the numbers which have been hatched during the six-week period have been about 75 per cent of normal.


Late-hatched flea hoppers usually find their preferred weed host plants in a desirable stage of growth, so that the customary early spring dispersal or migration becomes unnecessary and fewer of the insects reach the cotton fields.

Boll weevil emergence to date has been slightly more than 2 per cent and is less than average in the vicinity of Central Texas. Normally, 55 per cent of the weevils that survive the winter have moved to the fields in search of cotton before May 1. This year's figures indicate that the emergency will be below average.

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Brief News Items From RULE

Here and There
Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cole spent the week end in Abilene with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leon of Rotan spent Sunday with Mrs. Leon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cloud.
Mrs. Frank Campbell of Wichita Falls, and Miss Ester Roger of Stamford spent Sunday in the home of their mother, Mrs. W. M. Rogers.
Mrs. Paul Mercer spent Sunday in Anson visiting relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCall returned Sunday from Anadarko, Oklahoma, where Mrs. McCall has been at the bedside of her father, who was ill.
Mrs. Lonnie Childress and little daughter, Shirley Ann of San Angelo are visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. O. J. McCain.
Newt Cole transacted business in Hobbs, New Mexico, Friday and Saturday.
E. W. Cole from Abilene was a visitor in Rule Friday.

Flowers.
In games of contract, high score was awarded Mrs. Bill Kittley, with low going to Mrs. Walter McCandless. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Jess Place, Mrs. Bill Kittley, Mrs. B. H. Bell, Mrs. Walter McCandless, Mrs. Carrie Lott, Mrs. N. S. Ousley, Mrs. John Herron and Mrs. John Behringer.
Mrs. Bill Hills Entertains Dorcas Class
Mrs. Bill Hills, assisted by Mrs. Gay, entertained the Dorcas Class in Mrs. Hills' home Friday afternoon. After a business and social hour, refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. W. M. Rogers, Mrs. Tommie Kelly, Mrs. Jess Place, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Bruce Miller, Mrs. DeBerry, Mrs. Brice Weaver.
Mother's Day Program
The American Legion Auxiliary entertained mothers of ex-service men Saturday afternoon.
Welcome address was given by Mrs. Claude Norman.
Talk by Rev. Marvin Boyd.
Song by Mrs. Foster.
Piano Solo by Margaret Salem.
About twenty-three mothers were present including two Gold Star mothers, Mrs. W. H. Hager and Mrs. Rogers.

SOCIETY

Shower Honoring Mrs. Dennis P. Wilson, Recent Bride Given At Magazine Club Library

Monday in the attractive entertaining rooms of the Magazine club, Mmes Jim Crawford, H. R. Whitley and Mack Pardue were hostesses for a gift shower honoring Mrs. Dennis P. Wilson, a recent bride. A red and white color scheme were created in beautiful baskets of gladioli and other flowers.
Greeting the guests the hostesses presented the honoree who introduced her mother, Mrs. Charlie Quattlebaum, and the groom's mother, Mrs. R. H. Darnell. Also in the receiving line were Miss Gladys Fouts and Mrs. Cretia Brooks. The guests registered in the bride's book presided over by Mrs. Howard Wilson and were ushered to their seats by Misses Francis Fouts, Anita Jo Simmons, Wilma Whitley, Hazel Foote, and Wilma Kuestler.
On the program were Miss Ann Taylor who gave two readings, and Misses Sue Quattlebaum, Maxine Pardue and Margie Busby who sang appropriate songs. Miss Josephine Parrish read two numbers, Miss Martha Post and Mrs. Calvin Whitley gave piano numbers the remainder of the evening. Refreshments were served from a lace covered table presided over by Mrs. Melvin Taylor to the following guests: Mmes J. E. Walling, Joe Meacham, J. B. Watson, C. M. Conner, J. K. Stoker, John Willoughby, J. W. Gholson, Hettie Williams, Sam A. Roberts, Jim Fouts, John Fouts, Joe Maples, Ed Cass, I. N. Simmons, Melvyn Miller, W. A. Lyles, J. J. Segro, W. A. Holt, George Wimblison, Dorsey Oliphant, Joe Jetton, Olive Mays, O. V. Connally, Floyd Self, R. V. Robertson, J. T. Ellis, Iola Everett and Misses Martha Head, Hortense Walling, Maydell Barnett, Eloise Couch, Bobbie Nell Cass, Ann Smith, Eula Orr, Becky Smith, Odell Williamson, Ruby Hisey, Jayne Lyle Martin, Francis English, Buelah Segro, Betty Jo and Ethel Lou Clanton.

CENTER POINT H. D. CLUB DISCUSSES ART OF PICTURE HANGING

We should have pictures for each individual room. One picture won't do for all rooms. A few pictures are better than too many pictures stated Miss Vaughan in our meeting May 28 at Mrs. A. M. Williamsons. That we should not use pictures with too attractive frames and hangers as they draw our attention from the picture itself. Small pictures can be grouped. All pictures should have association and not hung alone, was brought out in further discussion.
Discussion on arranging flowers and their containers was also talked about. Uses of small stand tables are very appropriate.
Our social committee has planned another social for our club, May 13 at Sayles school ground. We hope everyone will be present. We are planning on giving Mrs. R. L. Moore a birthday shower.
Center Point club was very happy to have Sagerton club as our guest on bedroom tour last Thursday. Those present were as follows: Mesdames A. M. Williamson, T. M. Patterson, Jim Fouts, Ethel Bird, R. L. Moore, Bill Pennington, Bill Fouts, W. E. Johnson, A. B. Carzine, H. D. Bland and H. F. Harwell.

JOSSELET H. D. CLUB REPORT BY MRS. JESSE JOSSELET

"I didn't win on my bed room but I've been more than repaid for my work for the pleasure and comfort it has afforded me," said Mrs. Clovis Norton of the Martson and Josselet Home Demonstration club women in her home last Tuesday, May 10.
"My room was very ugly but after painting the walls, the floor, making a clothes closet, a dressing table, book case, drapes and bed spread, I have a room I'm proud of and only cost \$8.69," further stated Mrs. Norton.
The Mattson club was our guest on our bed room tour. We will return the visit Thursday by being their guest for their tour.
The following bed rooms were visited: Mmes. John Paul Perrin, Clarence Norton, J. L. Toliver, Ray Cothron, S. G. Perrin, Jesse Josselet, Louise Merchant, Walter Rogers, G. L. Walker, Buck Calloway, C. A. Thomas, W. E. Taylor, Larry Bass, Clay, Jr. Kimbrough, Jim B. Edwards, Clovis Norton, Mae Cothron, Lynn Freley, Thelma Lewellen, Cliff Amons, Jim Curry.

SAGERTON H. D. CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. MARTIN

The Sagerton Home Demonstration club met Friday, May 6th in the home of Mrs. P. H. Martin. Six members of the club went to Center Point, Thursday, May 6th to observe their bed room improvements and we are planning to have them visit us May 19th for a little tour of our bed rooms. The bed rooms inspected were all very nice, and all of the visitors reported a delightful time.
The Sagerton club will meet next Tuesday, May 17th with Mrs. Roy Wienke to make a candlewick bed spread. The ladies are requested to bring a covered dish.
Plates consisting of sandwiches, toast, cakes, and iced tea were served to Mmes G. A. Leach, C. E. Gary, Fred Ebling, John Clark, Roy Wienke, G. A. Diers, G. R. Rathgeber, Wilson Gibson, Billy Taber, and the hostess.

BLUE BONNETT HOME DEMONSTRATION NEWS

To practice our parliamentary drills at every meeting is very important, because practice makes perfect, said Mrs. B. Selz, to members of the Blue Bonnett Home Demonstration club in the home of Mrs. Floyd King, Thursday, May 5.
While discussing, "Bringing Food Preservation Up to Date," Mrs. A. C. Denson said it was very much better to can young tender beans than the older tough ones.
Plans were completed for our bed room tour which will be May 19. We certainly enjoyed the day and tour of the New Cook club.
Those present were: Mesdames O. J. McCain, D. C. Rogers, M. McDougale, Homer Turner, B. Selz, Joe Holcomb, Floyd King, A. C. Denson, Will Hines, Less Lewis, El Conner, and Miss Nora Walters.
Reporter.

With Self's Bakery

Monte Frierson has accepted a position with Self's Bakery as salesman. He assumed his duties last week, and is hustling to make a "go" of his new job.

CARD OF THANKS.

To our many friends we wish to take this method of thanking each and every one for their kindness during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. We are also deeply grateful for the beautiful flowers. May God bless each and every one of you in our prayer.—Mrs. J. P. Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ashley, Mr and Mrs. Claud Ashley and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lott and family.

Rockdale

After Sunday School Sunday a Mother's Day program was rendered at Lindsay Chapel church and the Baptist church.
Mr. V. F. Bunkley, Jr., of Dallas spent the weekend here with his parents, his aunt, Mrs. Elbert Miller, and Mrs. Bennett, also of Dallas accompanied him here to spend Mother's Day.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Linam and children spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Linam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schafer, of Stamford.
Miss Lucile and Myrtle Newcomb spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tull Newcomb.
Warren Martindale has returned home after spending several months in the CCC camps in Arizona.
Mrs. Tull Newcomb, Mrs. Leo McKeever, Mrs. Vestus Bunkley, Mrs. Gus and J. D. and P. N. Gillespie, attended the cooking school at Stamford Thursday and Saturday of last week.
Billie Williams spent the weekend at Leuders with friends.
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cobb spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Bunkley.
Clifton Cobb and Loveda Ivey of Abilene spent the weekend with their parents.
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gillespie visited Mr. T. F. Schafer at the

hospital Saturday afternoon.

Dinner guests in the J. D. Gillespie home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cobb and son S. G., Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Gillespie and son Doyle.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill McLennan and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glad McLennan and children spent the day Sunday with their mother and sister of Ericksdale.
Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and daughter Marydell and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King and baby of Ericksdale spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Williams.
Mrs. R. A. Gillespie visited her

sister Mrs. A. L. Young at Valley Wednesday at Erickdale spent with home folks.
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Mrs. Bert Walsh Hostess To Bridge Club Tuesday Afternoon
Mrs. Bert Walsh was hostess Tuesday afternoon to her bridge club and a few guests in her lovely colonial home. Hydrangeas of delicate pink and lavender shades adorned the reception room. Pastel snapdragons and sweet peas were used throughout the entertaining rooms.
Concluding the games, Mrs. Welsh presented high club prize to Mrs. Ben C. Chapman and high guest prize to Mrs. William Ratliff.
A delicious salad plate was served to the following: Mmes Virgil Reynolds, French Robertson, Walter Murchison, Jack Mickle, Buford Cox, Ben Charlie Chapman, Marvin Bryan, Ralph Duncan, E. G. Post, A. E. McMillen, William Ratliff and Ed Burleson of Waco.

Family Reunion In Home of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Patterson, Sunday.
Sunday, May 8th was the occasion for an enjoyable family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Patterson, with five children, several grandchildren and four great-grandchildren present.
Ball games were enjoyed, and a beautiful luncheon was served at the noon hour. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patterson and daughter of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Little of Anniston, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Gus Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Patterson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morgan and baby, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Morgan and children, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Patterson and family, Slover Bloodsaw of Weibert, Mrs. Bryant Bristow and daughter of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Hatch and son of Sweet Home.

Senior-Junior Magazine Club Sponsors Art Exhibit Here
The Senior-Junior Magazine club sponsored an art exhibit in the Magazine club rooms April 29-30 and May 1. Realizing the occasional need for such an occasion, the showing was held to stimulate and increase interest in good art.
Mrs. T. R. Odell and Miss Ann Taylor greeted the guests at the door. Mrs. Bob Sears introduced the artist Miss Mary Eula Sears of Merkel. Miss Sears in turn related personal incidents about each picture which made it more interesting. Fifty pictures were displayed by the artist.
Mrs. Wallace Cox gave piano numbers as refreshments were served to about sixty guests.

Mrs. Sam A. Roberts Hostess Knitting Club in Regular Monthly Meeting
Friday Mrs. Sam A. Roberts was hostess to the knitting club in the regular monthly luncheon. Attractive vases of spring flowers were used to adorn her home. Members present were: Mmes Douglas Brown, George Herron, T. C. Cahill, Sam Chapman, Bob Herron, C. A. Baker, Sam Herron, Jr. Reynolds Wilson, Paul Kuentler and a guest, Mrs. Frank Simmons.

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Society Meets
The Missionary Society met at the church on Wednesday night. "What a World," which was taught by Mrs. Henderson. The social study the "Re-creation of America," later.

Alva Ray Medley had the misfortune to break his collar bone while playing football Friday at school.
Mrs. Cecil Jones and Mrs. Everett Medley returned Friday from a week's visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ashby at Denton.

Miss Beatrice Weinert accompanied Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams of Haskell as far as Houston to visit her sister Mrs. Carl J. Jones and Mr. Jones. Dr. and Mrs. Williams are attending the State Medical convention in Galveston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kane and children, Mrs. Pearle Brown and children were in Munday Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McKinney and daughter, Miss Anita, and Miss Earnestine Howard went to Bonarton to the singing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Murray were in Rule and Rochester Sunday.
Miss Irene Lee, formerly pastor of the Weinert Foursquare church, who has been visiting friends here, left for a visit with her mother, at Lubbock, last Friday.

Mr. Jerry Kane of Munday, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kane.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lee, Mrs. Irvin Bailey and little Carol Ann Bailey spent Sunday in Fort Worth, visiting Mrs. Bailey's mother.

Little Miss Chapman of Haskell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Chapman, sang on the Mother's Day program Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Flenniken and baby of Hamlin were guests of his father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Flenniken, and his sister, Mrs. M. O. Satterwhite, for the week end.

Herman Sobeebe returned Friday afternoon after a week's visit with relatives in Denton, Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. Britton and daughter, Miss Myrtle Emma, of Brushy, were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowen of Rotan visited Mrs. Pearl Brown last week, and little Miss Wanda Sue Brown returned with them for a visit.
Mr. J. C. Davis of Haskell, candidate for County Judge of Haskell County, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Weinert, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Weinert and children, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Farr of Westover. They were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Weinert and children of Childress.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monke and Miss Alpha Mary Monke spent Sunday in Seymour the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hooser. They were accompanied home by Grandmother Sildens, who was enroute to Abilene to visit her brother, Dr. E. E. Cockerell, and Mrs. Cockerell.

Mrs. Christine Tankersley and daughter of O'Brien, Texas, spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Teaff.
Mrs. P. H. Miller of Spur visited her brother, H. R. Rich and Mrs. Rich, last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Henderson and children spent last week in Austin, the guests of Rev. Henderson's mother, and other relatives.
Mrs. Cecil Barton of Munday was a business visitor in Weinert Friday.

Mr. Jason Smith, county clerk of Haskell County, was in Weinert Friday.
Mr. Bill Holden was transacting business here Friday.

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Weinert Seniors To Present Play May 13th

Unlucky 13th, so it is known, but the Seniors of Weinert have chosen this as their lucky day. This will certainly be your lucky day if you see the play because you are assured of a good performance.

"The Whole Town's Talking", a comedy in three acts, is by Loos and Emerson, and is taken from the original professional performance. The students taking part are Edward Havran, Helen Thomas Clara Sue Mitchell, Oleah Muston, Mattie Louise Chawell, J. B. King, Eldon Seiderson, Anna Belle Hawes, Mildred Owep, Margaret Toliver, Marion Anderson, and Winton Palmer. Ben Sloan is the stage manager.

The story of the play itself is based on Simons trying to marry his daughter Ethel to his partner, Chet Binney, who has never had a love affair. Ethel wants a man who has lived—who has sowed his wild oats. Simons takes a love affair with partner and a famous beauty, and then, as the movie star appears on the scene, has to tell a thousand lies to cover the first one. He finally comes out from under all the lies and Chet is recognized as the winner and marries Ethel.

Be sure and make this day, May 13th, your red letter day and come to see the Seniors of '39 in their last high school play. Again the Seniors welcome you.

Johnson Wins First In Javelin Throw

Saturday at Denton Johnson hurled the spear 134 feet to be crowned State B champion in that division.
Other boys making the trip were Carl Jenkins, Leon Marsh, and Rayford Tiffie of Weinert, Herbert Partridge of Sunset and Mr. Perrin of Weinert, who took the boys to Denton.

Herbert Partridge carried off laurels in two divisions, winning first place in high hurdles and second place in low hurdles.
The group returned to Weinert Saturday night about 9 o'clock.

Dog House Gossip

Sleepy and Red did pretty good at Denton by catching a co-ed apiece.
Johnson didn't fall for anyone down there, but he did see an interesting Red-head.
What is it that Grease did Friday night?
We wonder why Vernon didn't attend the Junior-Senior banquet? Johnson fell again. Mattie Louise is the victim this time. Johnson thinks he's the only duck in the pond but I know better.
How come Clara Sue likes to stay around the roadside park so much?
Delphia and Lain have finally agreed and have set the date in 1943.
Mr. Perrin is counting the days between now and time for the summer term at NTSTC. Must be some little co-ed he's interested in.
Mrs. Brannon likes to make the living while A. V. fishes.
Double likes to show his medals—he is so proud of it that he had to go show it to Mattie Louise Sunday.
Eldon likes to surprise us. (What do you think, Ruby?)

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Pirate Isle Will Have Causeway To The Texas Coast

Padre Island, where Pat Dunn once corralled his longhorn cattle in mahogany pens and where, according to legend, Jean Lafitte and his buccaneers once found sanctuary, is soon to be opened to tourist travel. Two causeways from the mainland will bring the remote land from which many fantastic stories have come within an hour's drive of Corpus Christi.

Last of the Texas frontiers where romance and reality hold hands, Padre, stretching 135 miles down the coast of Texas is soon to be converted into a great playground by an Eastern syndicate headed by former Senator John Hastings of New York.

Padre's 100-mile golden-sanded beach is one of the longest in the world and the plans are to develop it as an outstanding bathing beach.

There are so many legends concerning Padre Island that it is difficult to sift fact from fancy, but it is recorded that the island, once the habitat of the nomadic Karancagua and Tanahua Indians, was granted to Father Nicholas Ball by the King of Spain about 1728 and that Father Ball used the land for cattle and horse ranching. Many years later Jean Lafitte and a band of his pirates are said to have taken refuge on Padre Island following the Battle of New Orleans.

About 50 years ago, bit by bit, the island was bought by Pat Dunn, Texas cattleman, and converted into a unique cattle ranch that never had a strand of barbed wire stretched upon it.

Dunn, known to his Mexican cow hands as Don Patricio, became the virtuous king of the one-man cattle realm lying far beyond the travels of most men. It was his island and he did with it much as he pleased.

A professor of an Eastern college once wrote Dunn asking him for certain information about the famous ranch. The savant signed his name and added his string of degrees. Dunn sent the requested information and added the letter DPI after his signature. When the professor wrote back and wanted to know what kind of a degree it was that Dunn held, Don Patricio's quick reply was "Duke of Padre Island."

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which he now so ably fills." The article is signed by Dennis P. Ratliff and F. M. Robertson, president and vice-president of the association, and the following members: Tom Davis, J. C. Davis, Jr., W. H. Murchison, Jr., E. V. Hardwick, B. C. Chapman, Charles Conner, T. R. Odell, John A. Willoughby, L. D. Ratliff, Sr., Wm. F. Ratliff, F. L. Daugherty.

Haskell Students Will Aid In Short Course at TSCW

Special to Haskell Free Press.
Misses Eva Grinstaff, Helen Baldwin, and Gayle Roberts of Haskell are on the arrangements committee in charge of the twelfth annual Short Course at Texas State College for Women May 20. They will assist in the day's program designed for 2500 visitors from seventy Northeast Texas counties.

Housing, architecture, home decoration, electification, and home machinery will be discussed under the general subject "Home and Social Relations."
Majoring in foods, Miss Grinstaff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Grinstaff. Miss Baldwin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Baldwin, is a freshman clothing major. Miss Roberts is a sophomore clothing major, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roberts.

Mrs. Buford Cass from Raymondville is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Lake Darnell.

Our Seniors

MARGARET TOLIVER—Margaret is just another Senior who is hoping to get her diploma before long. We're all sure she's going to get one.

She has spent all her High School days in Weinert. We are sure her presence has been enjoyed by all students and teachers. She is good natured and always willing to do the best she can. She is especially fond of having lots of fun. On trips Margaret is always right in the middle of laughing and hollering.

Her chief interest used to be in Curry Chapel. But we think now that she is interested in the territory near Haskell. How about it, Margaret?

And So the Juniors—

INEZ MEDLEY—One of the school's most beautiful girls. Height—5 feet, 5 inches. Favorite Song—"There's A Gold Mine In The Sky." Favorite Color—Blue. Favorite Sport—Basketball. Hobby—Swimming. Ambition—To travel.

ELVA PICKERING—One of the school's most studious pupils, who has been going to school here most of her life. Height—5 feet, 6 inches. Favorite song—"Rosalie." Favorite Color—Green. Favorite Sport—Basketball. Hobby—Swimming. Ambition—To be a beauty operator.

Graduation Wants

We Seniors are looking forward to our Spring Christmas now, so I checked up to see what each had at the top of his list. Here's what I found:
Clara Sue wants a chocolate drop.
Edward wants an ice cream cone.
Mattie would like to have a package of gum.
J. B. finds that a woman would be the very thing.
Helen had a sack of suckers at the head of her list.
Oleah could use a Ford coupe.
Beulah Mae wants a month's free ticket to see a show every Saturday.

Milam has an ambition for a handful of peanuts.
Marion wants a life of happiness instead of disappointments.
Alton has the desire for a white bungalow with Inez as a fixture.
Anna Belle wants a cold drink of water.
A toy aeroplane is Winton's want.
Clara's want seems to be a dolly doll.
Ben thinks a good story book about Jack and the Beanstalk would suit him.
Mildred has a list with a radio as the top-notch.
Eldon wants either a Big Nickel or a yacht.
Margaret's list has everything at the top so I closed my eyes and picked out a sack of cookie.

F. F. A. News

Once again another objective of the Future Farmers has been fulfilled. Last week-end the Aggies put over their boxing tournament.
Two of the boys who belong to the local chapter, Ben Sloan and Raymond Ammons, were winners in their divisions.
J. B. King is now feeling alright after his nervous breakdown at the Father and Son banquet two weeks ago.

Talk of the School

The entire faculty has been elected to serve for the coming term.
F. F. A. Boys are going to Washington, D. C. this summer.
Seniors to Carlsbad next weekend—so they say.
Senior Graduation Exercises are to be held Friday night May 27th.
Juniors and Seniors have been busy grading tests.
The Knox City Band is to play at the Senior Play.

O'Brien

A large crowd attended services at the Baptist church Sunday, May 1.
Mrs. George Tillinghast and young son visited Mrs. Ella Barnard, Mother's Day.
Mrs. Claude Garrison was honored at a surprise dinner at her home Mother's Day. The feature of the ready-to-eat dinner which was brought by her children was a beautifully decorated cake.
Mr. and Mrs. Leland La Duke are papering their house.
The high school Senior play "His Past," proved to be a success Friday evening, May 6.
Proud parents filled the school auditorium for the program by the grade pupils Tuesday evening May 10.
The high school Juniors and Seniors, accompanied by teachers and Seniors' mothers, will banquet at Lawson's Cafe, Knox City, Friday evening, May 13.

Irby

Miss Frankie Gordon of Throckmorton spent last week with her sister Ethelyene Gordon.
Mr. Gus Swenson, Pat O'Keefe and Len Ivey of Throckmorton were in our midst Sunday evening.
Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Muehlbrad of Sagerton took supper with Mr. George Moeller and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pieser and son, Willie and Evelyn spent Sunday in Rhineland.
Mrs. Perry Force of Mattson spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moeller.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Druesedow and family of Mattson spent last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pieser.
Miss Ethelyene Gordon spent the weekend with her parents at Throckmorton.
There will be church services at the school house Sunday night. Everyone is invited to attend.
The high school students are practicing on a play, "The Adventures of Grandpa," which will be presented in the near future.

Mrs. Irene Ballard had as her guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Perrin of Archer City, Julian, Henrietta, Jim, and Mrs. Steve Perrin of Weinert and Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Perrin of Josslet.

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The Labor Board

In view of all the turmoil in industrial and labor relations since the Wagner law became effective in 1935, it is a serious question whether that law has not been in the long run detrimental to the interests of labor itself, as well as to employers and the general public.

The National Labor Relations Board has almost invariably shown partiality in favor of the more radical labor element as represented principally by John L. Lewis and his C. I. O. Decisions of the board show little consideration for the rights of employers; in fact, the principal object of the law appears to be to deny employers any rights.

Sit-down strikes were tacitly encouraged by the board, and were only abated through the force of public opinion and condemnation by more intelligent labor leaders themselves. As William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, said in a recent address:

"Labor and capital have a common cause to protect against autocratic usurpation of power over their destiny by governmental agency—whether it be by the National Labor Relations Board in administering the National Labor Relations Act, or any proposed board to substitute itself for the parties in determining for them the wages for labor's hire and the terms and conditions under which labor and capital shall, side by side, function together. Labor recognizes that unless capital is allowed the opportunity to make reasonable profits, collective bargaining will be rendered unless and of no avail."

With that statement by Mr. Green every fair-minded person can readily agree. There can be no bargaining about jobs which do not exist, and they can not exist unless payrolls can be met.

An Election Forecast

An interesting forecast of the probable results of the Congressional elections next November, compiled by Newsweek, was published in the April 25 issue of that magazine. The forecast was a composite of the predictions of 48 leading newspaper men and 10 political leaders.

The 48 newspaper men were among the ablest of Washington correspondents and political analysts while the politicians—five Democrats and five Republicans—were the two national chairmen and others who will have leading parts in directing the forthcoming campaign.

An average of all the predictions indicated that the Republicans would gain 60 seats in the House and 4 in the Senate. It also indicated that the Democrats would lose 61 House seats, the odd seat going to someone other than a Republican.

The newspaper men gave the Republicans a gain of 61 seats in the House, but the average of both groups agreed on a gain of 4 Republican seats in the Senate.

This forecast, even if approximately correct, would hardly indicate the real political significance of the shift, as affecting New Deal policies, for in

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a number of districts pro-Roosevelt and anti-Roosevelt Democrats will contend for nominations in the primaries.

Party leaders are naturally making widely different forecasts, some Democrats asserting that their party will lose only 40 seats or less in the House, while some Republicans are claiming a gain of 100 or more. A great deal will depend on whether any material recovery from the depression is made before November.

Insect Life

It is estimated that nine out of ten living creatures are insects, and that the number of different species may be as great as ten million. About 475,000 species have been studied and classified by scientists.

In his new book, Grassroot Jungles, Edwin M. Teale gives many interesting facts about insects and their habits.

One of the most vicious is the praying mantis, so called because its forelegs are bent in such a way as to suggest hands folded in prayer. It feeds on other insects, and will tackle any kind except ants, but is harmless to man. The female often eats the smaller male after mating.

The most prolific insect is the aphid, or plant louse, which reproduces without mating. It is estimated that if all the descendants of one aphid could possibly survive through a whole year their total weight would be more than 880 million tons. (Please don't ask us to prove that one.)

The ant is considered the most intelligent insect, closely followed by the wasp and the bee. Bees and silkworms are the most useful, although many species are of service in destroying other insects.

Most surprising of all is the dragon fly, which has such a fondness for live meat that it sometimes eats parts of itself, beginning with its tail.

According to Webster, the term "insect" is also used to designate "any small, trivial or contemptible person." But it would take another book to discuss that kind.

Testifying in her divorce suit, Mrs. William Bailey of Chicago sadly declared: "I am a radio widow; my husband sits at the loud speaker and will never take me anywhere."

Farm women of Czechoslovakia are given free transportation by the government to encourage them to attend agricultural meetings.

Eleven men were locked up in Milwaukee after a fight which ensued when one of them kissed a girl on an excursion train without her permission.

John, Henry and Arthur Dunn, brothers, married Alice, Louise and Evelyn Wilmot, sisters, at Hobart, Tasmania.

Justice Goff of Dublin ordered the father of a 9-year-old Joseph Dorgan to spank the boy every day for a week for stealing a watch.

A bulldog belonging to Mrs. A. H. Roberts of St. Paul scented a burglar hidden in a closet in her home and caused his arrest.

Arthur T. Dawson, an Englishman, has been granted more than 300 patents in the United States all pertaining to guns.

Mark O'Neil of Tenine, Wash., while fishing drew up a small slot machine into which he dropped a nickel, but it didn't work.

W. E. Ervin of Crawfordsville, Miss., dropped his glasses into Tampa Bay, at St. Petersburg, Fla., three years ago. Recently while fishing from the same pier, he hooked the glasses and brought them up.

Four persons were painfully but not seriously hurt in Ohio when a truck and an automobile collided, both vehicles being thrown into the ditch. It might have been worse if any of the 50 cases of dynamite with which the truck was loaded had happened to explode.

Haskell County History

[As Revealed by the Files of the Free Press 20, 30 and 40 years ago.]

20 Years Ago—May 11, 1918 Work on the Haskell ice plant is nearing the point of completion and soon, for the first time in history, the people of Haskell will be cooling themselves with home-made ice.

Quite a number of the officials of the Wichita Valley railroad and allied lines went over the Valley road Tuesday on a tour of inspection, and they spent about an hour in Haskell.

Mr. H. S. Post and family left Wednesday to visit several places in southern Texas, including San Antonio and Galveston.

Mr. R. C. Montgomery, cashier of the Farmers National Bank and Mr. O. E. Patterson, one of our enterprising real estate and insurance men, visited in Dallas this

The residence of A. M. Nall in the east part of town was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon about 1 o'clock. Loss on building and contents was estimated at \$2,000.

B. M. Whiteker and Commissioners J. C. Lewellen and P. C. Patterson left Thursday for Abilene where they will represent Haskell county at the Ozark Trails association meeting which is in session there.

J. E. McKee has been appointed deputy food administrator of Haskell and will assist R. V. Robertson, county administrator, with the work.

The majority of the farmers of the Joe Bailey and Plainview communities have been unable to get a stand of cotton and feed which they have planted, due to lack of moisture.

The Jud community gave a box supper and Red Cross rally Monday night from which they received \$250.69 for the Red Cross fund.

30 Years Ago—May 9, 1928 Mr. S. F. Shannon who has been assistant postmaster at this place for some time has been appointed to that position in Abilene.

Historic Hoaxes

By Elmo Scott Watson

Extra! Noah's Ark Found! BACK in the days of the Klondike gold rush, the few publishers in Alaska had great difficulty in getting enough news to fill their papers.

During this period one Dawson publisher called his reporter to him. "Look here, we've simply got to have more news," he said. "If you want to stay on my payroll, you'd better get out and grab off a story that will be talked about from the Aurora Borealis to the Southern Cross."

Casey Antonio Moran was the reporter's name and the imagination which he displayed in adding "Antonio" to his name because he "liked the sound of it" extended to his reportorial ability. So the next morning a headline clear across the front page of his boss' paper proclaimed, "Ruins of Noah's Ark Found on Mt. Koyukuk in Yukon Country."

Under that headline was an "exclusive interview" with an Indian chief who had found on top of a mountain "a house as big as a white man's town built in a big canoe" which had turned to stone. When the reporter took him to a minister's home and showed him a picture of Noah's Ark, the chief declared that it was exactly like the house he had discovered.

The story caused a sensation when the paper was distributed in Dawson. Although the other two dailies tried to discredit the yarn, many people were enough impressed by the affidavit, furnished by the chief, which was given a prominent place on the front page, to believe it. It was also believed by many people back in the "States" when press association wires carried it there and to this day one can hear an occasional reference to the fact that "they discovered Noah's Ark up in Alaska several years ago."

Dr. Gilbert went to Dallas this week and arranged with U. S. government officials to supply the government with a lot of cavalry horses and mules from this section.

The commissioners court got down with a dull thud, by a vote of three to one, on the proposition to put up a windmill on the courthouse square and provide public watering troughs. It was claimed that the undertaking would have been too costly.

About seventeen young ladies were out Wednesday night serenading with guitars, harps and voice.

Jose Montez of Lyman, Neb., was sent to jail for 30 days when railroad officials complained that he took so much coal from an engine tender while the crew was at lunch the service on the line was disrupted.

Announcement and Specials . . .

The Modernistic Beauty Salon is happy to announce the permanent connection of Miss Doris Rae Brown of Abilene. Miss Brown is a graduate of Parsons Beauty Culture and is very efficient. We will be glad to have you phone us for an appointment. We specialize in all phases of beauty work, marcelling, manicures and facials. We give you the following specials on permanents for a limited time.

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Gruesome Killings Inspires Warnings To Women Drivers

The rules for protection against possible repetition of the ruthless slaying of two Berkeley, Calif., women came from state police recently.

Col. H. H. Carmichael director of the state police, termed the crime one of the most "gruesome" in Texas history and asserted: "We've got to solve it."

He threw all West Texas facilities of the state police into the hunt for the slayers as Governor Allred posed a \$1,000 reward for information leading to arrest and conviction of those responsible "for a dastardly crime that merits more than usual attention because it involves citizens of another state."

Carmichael and Homer Garrison Jr., highway patrol commandant, collaborated on a group of "suggestions" for women drivers, chief of which was a warning not to travel alone.

They said the rules applied to all sections in addition to the sometimes only stretches of West Texas terrain where two years ago four motorists disappeared.

Other rules
Keep inside latch on door locked so they cannot be opened from the outside particularly when stopping for signal lights.

Don't travel at night.
Deal only with reputable concerns on a trip.

Don't show money or jewelry.
Be sure there is plenty of gasoline to take you to the next town.

Don't pick up hitchhikers under any circumstances, day or night.
Don't make acquaintances along the road, particularly with persons of whom you know nothing.

Be sure you know the best route between points so there will be no danger of getting lost.
If annoyed on the trip or an attempt is made to force your car off the road or if someone acts suspiciously toward you, get their license number and description and report them to the nearest police.

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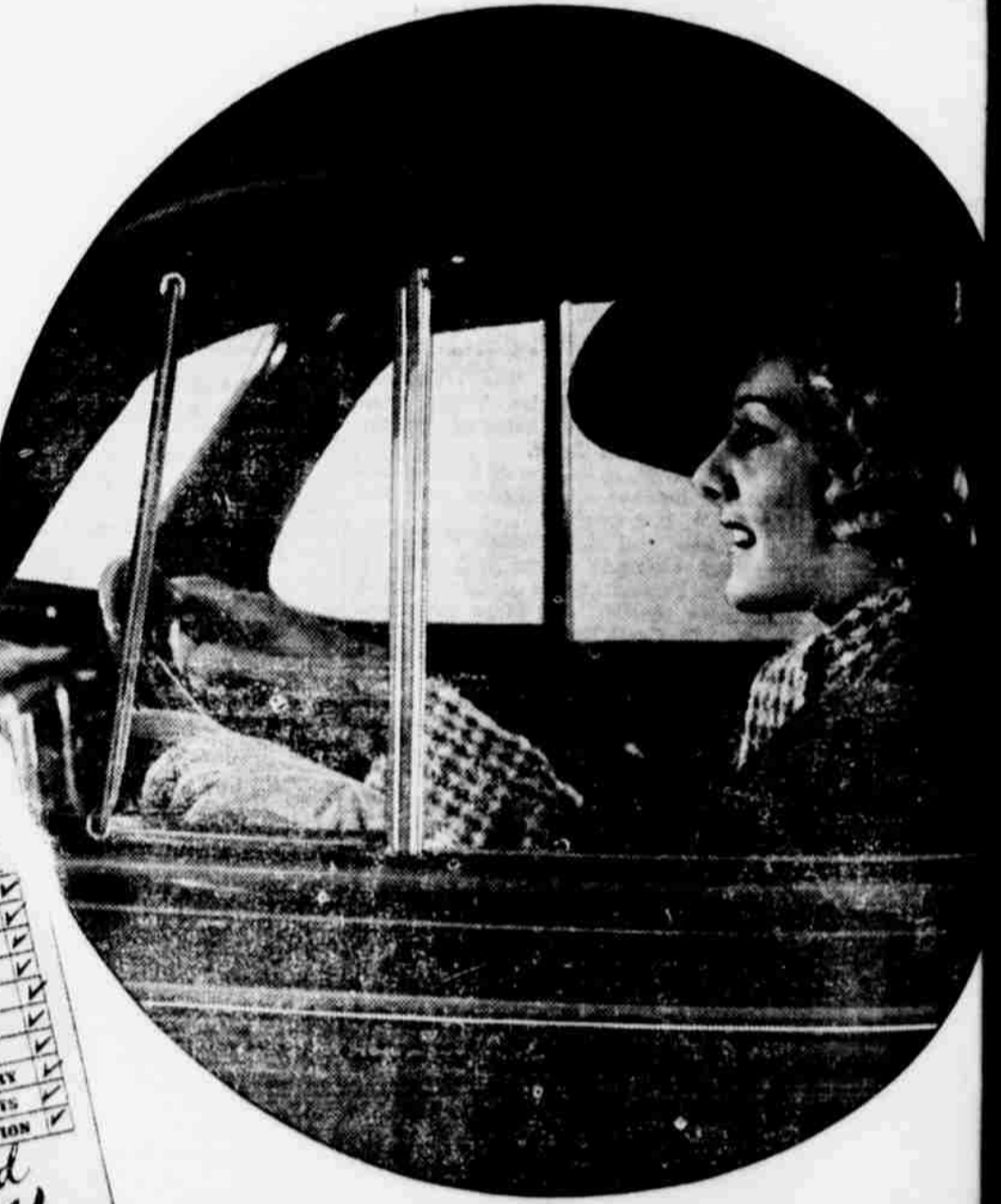
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Oil Dispute Revives Talk of Adding Lower California to U. S.

Will Uncle Sam buy out of his current treaty with Mexico?—but a new republic bill for seizure of Lower California lands, a 90-100 bill for the long, wriggling Lower California States.

Is Pending.
H. E. Evans of Los Angeles has introduced the project to President Roosevelt. Charles H. L. Long, of Los Angeles, has introduced the measure in the House.

On the commercial side, many westerners believe that in American hands the "Mother of California" would become a great reservoir and residence area comparable to its namesake to the north.

There's Copper There

The principal business development—aside from the border whoopee—is a big French copper deposit at Santa Rosalia. There are other minerals, including a vast iron deposit near the American line.

In some quarters, acquisition of Lower California has been urged as a defense measure. The peninsula has three excellent harbors—Ensenada, Magdalena Bay and La Paz.

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Douglas News

Health in this community is good at present.

Mr. Chas. Moeller and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moeller one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Force were in this community a short while Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowers of Mattson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brannan and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moeller and daughters Misses Clathilda and Mary and Mrs. Perry Force were in our midst Thursday afternoon.

Quite a few from this section attended the close of school program at Rose Friday night.

Messrs. Frank Kennedy and Mr. Lancel were business visitors here one day this week.

Water Reservoirs Are Problematical In Wind Season

Water reservoirs filled with soil-eroded silt are a problem in the wind erosion area of the Southern Great Plains and the Service engineers report. More than 1,500 reservoirs, representing a total investment of at least \$1,500,000 could conceivably be rendered useless by soil erosion, says H. H. Bennet, chief of the Soil Conservation Service in Washington. Many of these reservoirs are filling rapidly, reports indicate.

The Soil Conservation Service has completed detailed studies of erosional deposits in 55 representative reservoirs in 19 states. About 500 additional reservoirs have been inspected and measurements of deposits made in less than 1,000. Five widely separated at especially rapid rates, show results of these studies:

Farm and crop practices that accelerate erosion usually are found on the watersheds from which reservoirs fill, say the Soil Conservation engineers. Any practice that slows down the cutting effect of running water, they point out, means that much more soil on the watershed and that much less in the reservoir.

In the wind erosion area of the Panhandle of Texas and Oklahoma, eastern New Mexico, southwest Kansas and eastern Colorado, the Soil Conservation Service is seeking to check such destructive erosion by holding the land by terraces and contour tillage and on range land by contour furrows; by water spreading systems and various types of check dams in the areas where they will not be easily subjected to silting.

Distance No Obstacle To TSCW Romeos

"Where do the men come from?" is the everlasting question asked by visitors at the Texas State College for Women, Denton, who cannot help wondering how so many young women provide themselves with escorts. In an attempt to obtain an answer, a census was taken at the last college dance.

Two thirds of the 425 boys attending the Freshman Prom were from towns and cities scattered all over Texas, ranging from Amarillo to Brownsville. Strangely enough only fifteen per cent of the swains were local talent. Other states contributed five per cent of the crowd, with New Mexico, Oklahoma Louisiana, Ohio and even New York represented.

Nearly one fourth of the boys were from Dallas and Fort Worth, nearby cities from which hundreds of boys commute to T. S. C. W. regularly on date nights.

Government Can't Stop 100-Year War

The government has succeeded in plowing under many of the treaties with the Indians but the job of keeping the Six Nations costs it many yards of bright calico every year.

George Washington was President when on Nov. 11, 1794, the new republic signed a treaty by

which it agreed to provide annually \$4,500 worth of calico for distribution among the Senecas, Algonquias, Oneidas, Tonawandas, Tuscaroras, Onandagas and Cayugas, then living mostly in northern New York. The Indians, in return, were simply to be good. Evidently it seems a cheap price to pay when there is no way of stopping the thing. Every year the government goes into northern New York in late summer and delivers several yards of calico to each of about 3,000 Indians in and

around Saamanca. In 1919 an agent of the Bureau of Indian Affairs went to Saamanca and tried to talk the Indians into a lump settlement which would end the annual distribution. But the Indians would have none of it. They wanted the calico and wanted it every year from now on, just as the treaty says. Many of them are successful farmers but the calico business has become an occasion for a special visit to town.

Papa Indian collects the calico—

it usually amounts to six or eight yards per Indian. He wraps it around his shoulders like a Mexican sarape and struts the town with it. Afterwards he give it to mama for a dress for herself and the little girls.

Mrs. Mary Bloom, 31, won a divorce at Baltimore from August Bloom, testifying she was saved only by her ample size when her husband tried to push her through a window during a dispute.

"YOUR CREDIT Rating Follows You Like A Shadow"

The Retail Merchants Association, established in Haskell last year, has made it possible for merchants and business men to extend accommodations to persons who consistently meet their obligations promptly. And in turn, individuals have been enabled to establish a more secure foundation of responsible credit.

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In the Haskell credit bureau, records are kept of every person's credit transacting, whether good or bad. This information is accessible only to members of the Retail Merchants Association. The Haskell office through affiliation with over 200 similar credit bureaus in Texas is likewise able to secure credit information on any individual in any affiliated town or city in the entire state, and your credit rating is available to these other affiliated bureaus.

Among affiliated Credit Bureaus cooperating with the Haskell office are the following: Abilene, Stamford, Munday, Seymour, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, Graham, Hamlin, Anson, San Antonio, Austin, Houston, Fort Worth, and Dallas.

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| Reeves-Burton Motor Co. | Wheatley's Shoe Shop. | Oates Drug. |
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| R. B. Spencer & Co. | King Perdue Service Station. | Payne Drug. |
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| Haskell National Bank. | Kuenstler Grocery. | Smitty's Auto Supply. |
| Hassen Bros. | Ben Franklin Store. | Phelps Ice Co. |
| Clover Farm Store. | Chapman Implement Co. | Davis Food Store. |
| Piggly Wiggly. | Bingham Bakery. | Self Bakery. |
| Haskell Motor Co. | West Texas Utilities Co. | Menefee & Fouts. |
| McCullum Hardware. | Haskell Free Press. | Norris Tailor Shop. |
| T. C. Cahill & Son. | Hunter's Tailor Shop. | Johnston-Kennedy Service Station. |
| J. W. Gholson Grocery. | Woodson Battery and Radio. | Cox-Henshaw Motor Co. |
| W. A. Holt Grocery. | Dick's Grocery & Market. | S. P. Kuenstler Service Station. |
| Ben Bagwell. | Boggs & Johnson. | T. R. Odell. |
| Tonkawa Hotel. | Dr. Gordon L. Phillips. | Jones & Son. |
| Brazelton Lumber Co. | Lively's Department Store. | Davis & Davis. |
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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas in Bankruptcy, Abilene Division.

In the matter of Darling Gilbert Tidwell, Bankrupt.

No. 1826. In Bankruptcy, Abilene, Texas, May 7th, 1938.

BEFORE D. M. OLDHAM, Jr. Referee in Bankruptcy

To the Creditors of Darling Gilbert Tidwell of Haskell in the county of Haskell and District aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of April A. D., 1938, the said Darling Gilbert Tidwell was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on the 19th day of May A. D., 1938 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy.

BRIEFLY TOLD NEWS ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. C. H. P'Pool had the following children with her mother's day. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling P'Pool and son Bobbie of Fort Worth, Dr. W. S. P'Pool of Sweetwater and Richard P'Pool of Eastland.

Local Delegates Attend Federated Club Meeting In Fort Worth

The 39th annual convention of the First District Federated Clubs was held in Fort Worth, May 4, 5 and 6. Attending this meeting were several representatives from both the Magazine and Senior-Junior Magazine clubs of this city who reported a most interesting and inspirational convention.

REV. DAVID STITT ACCEPTS CALL TO ST. LOUIS CHURCH

Accepting a call to a larger field of service, the Rev. David Stitt, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in this city since June, 1936, left Thursday for St. Louis, where he has been called as assistant pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

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Braves Will Play Opening Game at Lueders May 15

Opening baseball game of the season for the Haskell Braves, independent team organized recently, will be played Sunday at Lueders, manager Tommy Hall announced Thursday.

CHURCHES

The subject for the eleven o'clock sermon will be the third of a series on First Corinthians, and in the third chapter. The members are urged to read the chapter before coming, and to find the text or to name the subject. We are pleased with the interest manifested in these sermons.

After the meeting a weiner and marshmallow roast was enjoyed by the following members and visitors. Misses Minnie, Selma and Lena Steinfath, Lorena and Henrietta Druessedow, Lena, Edna, Lydia and Amanda Moeller, Erna, Adela and Leona Poeschel, Lena and Betty Kretschmer, Lillie and Frances Zelisko, Bertha and Louise Ruef, Ethylene Gordon, Lorene Gonten, Mrs. Richard Kretschmer, Mrs. Ernest Pelsner, Mrs. Gus Poeschel, Mrs. William Gonten, Mrs. A. H. Muehler, Fritz, Henry and August Steinfath, George, Walter and Edward Moeller, William Gonten, Alvin and Henry Druessedow, Gus Poeschel, Eddie Stewert, Felix Kluse, Ernest and Willie Pelsner, Gus Swenson, Len Ivey, Pat O'Keefe, Charlie Sealing, Richard Kretschmer, Luther, Emory and Melvin Muehler, Irwin Poeschel, George Moeller, Sr., Rev. A. H. Muehler, William Gonten, Sr., and Luther Harris.

District Court— (Continued From Page One)

Haskell: Alfred Rinn, Stamford; Karl Wolf, Stamford; C. L. Baker, Rule; F. A. Stegemoller, Sagerton; Carl Fischer, Haskell; N. G. Jordan, Goree; C. F. Teichelman, Stamford; Dock Lov, Rule; W. S. Cole, Haskell; G. D. McKelvin, Haskell; I. R. Cyert, Munday; O. E. Bynum, Sagerton; A. V. Branch, Goree; H. O. Muston, Goree; Alvin Norman, Rule.

City Treasury— (Continued From Page One)

ments \$256.69; balance \$639.05. Library fund, April 1 balance \$139.14; receipts \$14.83; disbursements \$30.00; balance \$123.97. Water fund, April 1 balance \$232.22; receipts \$752.70; disbursements \$830.81; balance \$154.11.

The First English Colony Jamestown, Virginia, the first English Colony in America, was settled in America on May 13, 1607—three hundred and thirty one years ago.

The TEXAS HASKELL Last Time Friday BOBBY BREEN In "HAWAII CALLS" Saturday, 7 to 11 BING CROSBY May 14 MARTHA RAYE In "DOUBLE OR NOTHING" Saturday Preview 11 p. m. Sunday-Monday May 15-16

HUNGRY for ROMANCE! Irene DUNNE Douglas FAIRBANKS, Jr. "JOY OF LIVING" MARCH OF TIMES POPEYE CARTOON

Political Announcements

The Free Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

- For Railroad Commissioner: C. V. TERRELL. For State Representative: A. H. KING of Throckmorton. COURTNEY HUNT of Haskell County. For District Attorney, 39th Judicial District: BEN CHARLIE CHAPMAN. (Second Term) For District Clerk: MRS. HETTIE WILLIAMS. LEWIS (Shorty) SHERMAN. For County Clerk: ROY RATLIFF. JASON W. (Jake) SMITH. (Re-election).

- For County Judge: J. C. DAVIS, JR. CHARLIE CONNER. (Re-election). For Sheriff: GILES KEMP. OLEN DOTSON. MART CLIFTON. For County Attorney: WALTER MURCHISON. (Second Term) For Tax Assessor-Collector: MIKE B. WATSON. (Re-election) M. E. (Elgin) CAROTHERS. HALLIE CHAPMAN. For County Superintendent: MATT GRAHAM. (Second Term) THOS. B. ROBERSON. For County Treasurer: WILLIE LANE. BYRON G. WRIGHT. (Re-election)

- For Commissioner, Precinct 1: AB HUTCHENS. (Re-election). For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2: T. M. (Tom) MAPES. (Re-election) I. A. LEONARD. R. B. GUESS. For Commissioner Prec. 3: JNO. R. WATSON. P. G. (Buck) KENDRICK. (Re-election). For Commissioner Prec. 4: R. H. (Bill) RIFE. (Second-term) For Justice of Peace, Prec. 1: B. T. (BRUCE) CLIFT. (Second Term) For Constable, Precinct 1: W. H. (Bill) HALL. J. H. IVY. (Second Term) W. M. (Bill) BARNETT. C. L. BIRD.

- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: A. M. WILLIAMSON. (Second term) For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2 (Weinert): R. H. JONES. (Second Term) M. F. MEDLEY.

Dr. Gertrude Robinson Graduate Chiropractor Cahill Insurance Bldg. Telephone 14 Office 108 Residence 14 Sunday—By call or Appointment

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Oates Drug Store, Hallie Chapman, Berry's Pharmacy, Mike B. Watson, L. D. Ratliff, Jason W. Smith, Smitty's, Dennis P. Ratliff, Mays Store, Lively's, Farmers & Merchants Bank, Ben Charles Chapman, Haskell Motor Co., Ben Bagwell, Virgil Reynolds, Davis Food Store, Cook Bros., H. C. King.

Thirty-two years ago, while threshing out wheat near Williston, Mont., Oscar Carlson lost a pocket knife. Recently the knife was found and returned to him by a neighbor.

Mrs. Frances Grant, 83, of Rochester, N. Y., has been studying singing at a school of music for 75 years and now says she would like a job doing radio or concert work.

Mitchell Novak, Chicago policeman, handed his landlady, Mrs. Stephanie Cekan, a bag of 4,000 pennies to pay a month's rent. The bag weighed 27 pounds.

Miss Lena Sanizer, 70, of Omaha, Neb., who recently became the bride of Benjamin Burke, 81, says she has found love for the first time.

NO. 50 MEANS a lot of help when you have a flat, need a new battery or the old one recharged, or a hundred and one other things that you might need for your car. You get quickest service when you call the Panhandle Garage, No. 50.

FOUND—Leather jacket in post-office lobby. Owner may have same by describing it and paying for this advertisement. The Free Press.

FOR SALE or Trade—New five-foot Texas Terracer. Can use work animal. B. M. Whitaker, 11

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BRING US YOUR JUNK—We are in the market for Junk Iron. See us before you sell. D. H. Head. 4tc

FOR SERVICE—Blue cheron Stallion with season at my farm. Let Switch or will to your place for season \$5.00 or \$10.00. \$2.00 cash and \$3.00 colt drops. Notify C. A. Thomas, Weinert. 4tc

FOR SERVICE—Dandy for service. Sows pick delivered. See Gen. Haskell, Texas. 4tc

REGISTERED HEREFORD Bulls, yearlings and 2-year-olds for sale, priced reasonable. See them at my place 9 miles east of town. P. M. Baldwin, Haskell. 1tc

SORE THROAT — TONSILLITIS! Mop your throat with Anesthesia-Mop, our wonderful new sore throat remedy and if not completely relieved in 24 hours your money will be cheerfully refunded, Payne Drug Store.

I HAVE a few good cows with young calves for sale. J. P. Parmely, Rule, Texas. 2t

Here Are Big Values Friday and Saturday PURE CANE Sugar 10 lbs. 49c RED AND WHITE FLOUR 48 lb. Sack \$1.00 PRUNES fresh gal. 29c BLUE AND WHITE Matches 6 Boxes 10c KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES 3 pkgs. 25c Blackberries no. 2 can 10c MEATS CHUCK ROAST lb. 12c Rib or Brisket 11c 2 LBS. PLAIN STEAK 25c COLLIER'S RED & WHITE STORE We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities