

QUAL INVITATION TRACK AND FIELD MEET SCHEDULED HERE MARCH 10

YOUTHS WIN TOP PRIZES IN FFA SHOW

Club Livestock Monday In Sale
The Haskell county Boys' Livestock Club and FFA club met on Monday afternoon at the Haskell county Boys' school building for the annual FFA show. The show was held in the afternoon and was a success. The club members and FFA members participated in the show and won top prizes. The show was held in the afternoon and was a success. The club members and FFA members participated in the show and won top prizes.

Improvements To South Side Bldg. Are Being Made
Improvements are being completed this week on modernizing the front of the Corner Service Station, on the southeast corner of the square operated by F. M. Squyres. A new arrangement of service pumps has been made in the driveway, and a portion of the building is being converted into quarters for a sandwich shop and small confectionery.

Hi School Band Will Make Trip to Abilene Show
The Haskell High School Band, with Joe Meacham director, this week accepted an invitation to play during the afternoon and night performances of the West Texas Boys Livestock Show and rodeo in Abilene Thursday of this week. Band members will be guests of the show sponsors during their stay in Abilene.

Machinery Equipment Applied
The manager of the Cooperative Cheese Company today from Dallas City, where purchase of machinery for the plant officials had been made. The Chamber of Commerce is arranging for cars to make the trip, and persons who plan to attend the Abilene event Thursday and will furnish transportation for members of the band are asked to get in touch with Ralph Duncan, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herren and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Collier spent Sunday afternoon in Abilene, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Colmoli.
Mrs. T. M. Poteat went to Dallas to attend the funeral of her sister who died Sunday morning of pneumonia in the Methodist hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Burt of Big Springs visited relatives here Sunday.

Hospital Contract Is Awarded

Twenty-Five Room Building To Cost Approximately \$5,000
C. H. Mothes of Seymour was awarded the building contract for the Haskell county hospital Monday, after bids were tabulated and considered by members of the Commissioners' Court in regular session.
Mothes, contractor on the recently-completed High School auditorium here, submitted a low bid of \$49,459.90 for the hospital building. Construction of the institution was authorized in a \$80,000 county-wide bond issue last summer.
Actual construction work on the building is expected to start within ten days, Mr. Mothes stated. Weaver & Shepherd of Haskell have been named as supervisors of construction work.
The hospital will be located on a tract recently purchased by the county, six blocks west of the square on Highway 120. The structure will be approximately 35x130 feet, built of brick and stone, with the main front facing south. A convenient driveway and entrance will also be available on the east side of the building. The entire building will be steam-heated, with the heating plant located in the basement.
Ground floor plans call for twenty-five rooms and wards, following arrangement similar to that of hospitals in larger cities.
Butler & Huseman of Lubbock were architects for the building.
After completion of the institution, management will be in the hands of a seven-member board to be appointed by the Commissioners Court, who will be directly responsible to county officials.

DEBT ADJUSTMENT SOLVES MORTGAGE PROBLEMS OF MANY

Farm Foreclosures Averted Through Government Agency
Many farmers are losing their property or undergoing heavy expense to save it, because they fail to take advantage of debt adjustment services offered by the Farm Security Administration, it is reported by R. E. Skipworth, FSA's county supervisor.
Mr. Skipworth was in conference recently with M. B. Oates, FSA's supervisor for this district, to develop plans for spreading information on debt adjustment.
"The county advisory committee for debt adjustment meets every month, and sometime often, but it is not necessary for a farmer to take his case directly to them," Mr. Skipworth said. "If he will come to the FSA office, I will go over this situation and advise him what the next step should be. Wherever action is taken in time, a satisfactory adjustment can usually be reached with little expense, the supervisor said, but the chances of settlement are decreased and the expense is increased when the debtor waits until foreclosure proceedings are about to be taken.
One case, recently foreclosed, could have been adjusted if application to the Farm Security Administration had been made a few weeks earlier, he said. The farm involved in this case will be saved for its present owner by taking advantage of the moratorium provided under the Frazier-Lemke Amendment to the Bankruptcy Act, but the owner will have to pay \$192.00 in attorney's fees, which would have been saved to him by earlier action. The supervisor cited a contrasting case, in which a farmer was about to be foreclosed on an \$1800 mortgage. Negotiations covering several months resulted in the mortgage owner accepting a cash settlement of \$1000.

Promoters of "Curtain Ad" Change Minds

Some ten or twelve county officials and candidates for office were agreeably surprised last Friday, when checks and money they had paid to solicitors for "space" on a school curtain was refunded to them by Deputy Sheriff Mart Clifton.
Two women promoters of the curtain advertising scheme agreed to refund all money they had collected after the officer had questioned them and requested proper credentials from officials of the school where the curtain was to be placed. No charges were preferred against the promoters.

Four Charged As Constable Raids "Game"

Four persons entered pleas of guilty to gaming charges in Justice Court late Saturday, following a surprise raid on a dice game by Constable J. H. Ivey, who preferred charges.
The men were arrested at a small filling station about 4 o'clock, Ivey returning from Stamford, stopped at the station and unfortunately for the quartet, walked right into the midst of a dice game in progress.

FREE SHOW AT TEXAS SATURDAY MORNING FOR ALL HASKELL CHILDREN

Kiddies of Haskell have a treat in store for them Saturday morning, when they will be guests of the Texas Theatre for a free moving picture show on that day beginning at 10 a. m. Manager Server Leon announced the free show today, and invites all children to attend.

Judge A. H. King of Throckmorton was in Haskell Saturday.

Judge King is a candidate for representative from the 113th district, and is a pioneer rancher and landowner of this section.

SEYMOUR CONTRACTOR IS SUCCESSFUL BIDDER

FAILURE MARKS 'SLICK' SCHEME OF SHOPLIFTER

Mineral Wells Resident Gets Fine and Jail Sentence For Theft
R. D. Neighbors, about 36, who told officers that he was a resident of Mineral Wells, will be a guest of the county for the next 38 days, during which time he will probably contemplate on a more legitimate method of securing a new Spring suit that he wants badly.
Neighbors had devised a "slick" scheme to get a new suit—and it almost worked. After visiting several local dry goods stores where he looked at men's clothing, Neighbors asked to be permitted to try on a suit in Lively's store. Unnoticed by clerks, he slipped two suits on a single rack, and returning from the dressing room, handed one suit to the clerk with the remark that he would likely call for it later, and left the store.
In the meantime, Guy Collins, manager of Perkins-Timberlake Co., had become suspicious of Neighbor's actions while in his store and gave officers a description of the man.
Sheriff Kemp and City Marshal Britton took Neighbors into custody a few minutes after he had left Lively's Store. Searching him, officers found that he was wearing a new suit under his work clothing. Neighbors readily admitted theft of the suit, which was returned to the store.
Friday Neighbors was arraigned before County Judge Conner, and after he had entered a plea of guilty was fined \$1.00 and costs and assessed a 30 days jail sentence.

Judges For West Texas Livestock Show Announced

W. L. Stangel, head of the animal husbandry department of Texas Technological college, Lubbock, will be judge of beef cattle at the West Texas Boys Livestock show and world championship rodeo in Abilene March 1-3, according to J. I. Moore of Abilene, livestock show superintendent.
This will be the second straight year, Stangel has judged beef cattle in the Abilene show. He will be assisted by W. T. Magee, Shackelford county agent, who will judge sheep; and Willie Griffith, Abilene poultryman, who will judge capons entered in the event.
Future Farmers boy from Abilene, Tuscola, Bradshaw, Lawn, Winters, Wingate, Content, Merkel, Hamlin, Aspermont, Rule, Werner, Albany, Baird, Haskell and 4-H club boys of Taylor county will exhibit Jerseys, beef cattle, swine, sheep and capons in the show. Approximately \$1,000 in prize money will be awarded during the three-day event.
Judging of beef cattle will start at 10 a. m. March 1, the first day, and will be completed in time for the first rodeo which starts at 2 p. m. at the West Texas Fair grounds. Sheep, swine and poultry will be judged morning of the second day, and the auction sale will be the third day. Charles Carter and Sons of Abilene will conduct the sale.

March Second A Legal Holiday For All Banks

Haskell banks will remain closed all day Wednesday, March 2nd, in observance of the 132nd anniversary of Texas Independence. This date for many years has been proclaimed Texas Independence Day, and is a legal holiday throughout the state.
Business men and other bank patrons are asked to transact all necessary banking business today, to avoid any inconvenience from the bank closing.

Haskell Motor Co. Announces Used Car Sale

The Haskell Motor Company, local Ford dealers, today announce a special selling of used cars and trucks, including cars of many makes and models on which prices have been drastically reduced.
J. D. Montgomery, manager, states that an intensive selling campaign will be conducted throughout the month that is expected to sell every used car in their stock. Cars listed in their large advertisement in this issue are being displayed on the company's used car lot across the street from the postoffice.

Copy For Free Want Ads Must Be In March 1

Just a reminder—if you have anything to sell, trade, or want to buy—today is the deadline on copy for Want Ads to be published free of charge in Friday's issue of the Free Press.
Want Ads of all kinds will be published free of charge, but they must be limited to twenty-five words, and copy must be brought or mailed to our office today to insure publication.
All readers are invited to take advantage of this service.

New License Tags Will Go On Sale Soon

New 1938 automobile license tags will go on sale this week at the office of County Tax Assessor-Collector Mike Watson. The plates will be bought during this month, but cannot replace 1937 tags until April 1st, when the registration year ends.
On and after April 1 all motor vehicles must bear the 1938 tags. Motorists are urged to secure the new plates as soon as possible during the month in order to avoid a last-minute rush that usually occurs during the last few days of March.
Approximately 3,600 tags have been allotted Haskell county starting with number 631-151. The new tags carry black numerals on a white background.

Amarillo Youth Loses Both Legs To Rare Disease

Lloyd Duncan, Amarillo youth mentioned in the following newspaper clipping, is a nephew of Mrs. Jess Josselit and Mrs. W. D. Rogers of this city, and he and his mother, Mrs. V. A. Duncan, have frequently visited here. The article is taken from a recent issue of the Amarillo Times:
"Lloyd Duncan, 2603 Arthur street, lost his one leg today in an effort to have his life at Northwest Texas Hospital.
"Last November, Duncan, who is only 20 years of age, had his left leg amputated in hope of saving him from a disease that is so rare that only a few cases are on record.
"Not following the usual course of bone disease and gradually going up the leg from the original start, this disease went over to the right leg, spreading with rapidity. Doctors decided to amputate today.
"Hospital attendants reported Duncan's condition 'only fair', and gave unstinted praise of the nerve and determination young Duncan has displayed since becoming a patient in their hospital."

Short-Circuited Battery Results In Car Burning

Fire believed to have been caused from a defective battery cable, practically destroyed a 1936 model Plymouth sedan belonging to W. D. Rogers of this city, last Saturday afternoon. The mishap occurred near the Mattson community, 12 miles northeast of Haskell, where Mr. Rogers had driven on a business errand for the Spencer Lumber Company, where he is employed.
Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Taylor of Bowie, visited their parents Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor and Mrs. Opal Barker Sunday.
Announcements have been received here of a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Ora Phippen of Clovis, New Mexico.

THIRTY-SIX SCHOOLS GET INVITATIONS TO ONE-DAY TOURNEY

Finals Will Be Staged Under Lights At Indian Field
The fourth annual Haskell High School Invitation Track and Field Meet will be held at Indian football stadium Thursday march 10th, according to announcement made by George V. Wimbish, director-general of the meet.
Invitations have been mailed to school officials in thirty-six towns and cities of this section, and sponsors of the meet expect a majority of these schools to have teams and individual entries in the various events.
Rules governing Interscholastic League meets will be followed in the invitation tournament, and suitable medals and trophies will be awarded individual winners and the winning team.
Fifteen entries from Haskell High School have already been certified, Mr. Wimbish said Monday. Haskell entries may compete for individual awards but will not compete for the tournament trophy.

PIONEER RULE LUMBER DEALER BURIED SUNDAY

W. H. Wilson, Resident Since 1906, Passed Away Early Saturday
W. H. Wilson, 75, pioneer lumber dealer and resident of Rule since 1906, passed away at his home in that city Saturday morning at 12:30 o'clock.
Funeral services were held from the Christian Church in Rule Sunday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. W. Russell Coatney, minister of the First Christian Church of Haskell, who was assisted by the Rev. J. T. McKissick of Cisco. Deceased had been a member of the Christian Church for 55 years.
Burial was in the Rule cemetery, with arrangements in charge of the Gauntt Funeral Home. Active pallbearers were Sam May, Ray Dean Penick, Olin Carothers, Joe Bullock, R. C. Cole, and Morris Neal.
During his residence of a third of a century in Rule, Mr. Wilson was actively identified with business and civic affairs of that section.
Immediate survivors include his widow, one son, Marlin P. Wilson of Rule; and a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Earnest of Rule.

New Collector Past Due School Taxes Is Named

Announcement was made Monday that the Haskell School Board had terminated its contract with the Delinquent Tax Bureau of Austin for the collection of delinquent taxes due the Haskell Independent School District and has entered into an agreement with R. V. Robertson of this city, whereby he will represent the Board in settling all delinquent tax claims of the district.
Mr. Robertson has been given full authority in this respect and all settlements must be made through him. Those interested may contact Mr. Robertson for any information they may need concerning delinquent school taxes.

Junior Class Play Will Be Given Tonight

The annual play of HHS Junior Class, postponed from Thursday evening, February 17th because of inclement weather, will be given tonight at the High School auditorium, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the High School Band.
Members of the cast have spent considerable time in rehearsals, assuring an entertaining performance. In addition to the principal play, "Mrs. Jarley's Famous Wax Works", two brief skits will also be given, entitled "Freedom" and "One Word Alone".

Mother of Haskell Resident Dies In Whitney Recently

Mrs. J. J. Worley of Whitney, Texas, the mother of Mrs. Irvin Boswell of this city, passed away Monday February 21 at her home in Whitney after being critically ill for several weeks. Funeral services for Mrs. Worley, who was 75 years of age, were held at the Whitney Methodist Church Wednesday February 22, at 2 p. m. Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery. Deceased is survived by her husband, two daughter and two sons.
Mr. and Mrs. Boswell returned to Haskell last week, after spending some ten days at the bedside of Mrs. Worley.

Events Scheduled for Meet

Track events scheduled for the meet include 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 440 yard run, 880 yard run (one-half mile), one mile run, mile relay, high hurdles, and 220 yard low hurdles.
Field events will include broad jump, high jump, pole vault, shot put, discus throw, and javelin throw.
Suitable medals will be awarded to all first and second place winners, to the high point man of the meet and to the runner-up in high point scoring.
A large trophy will be presented to the team winning the meet, as a permanent award.

Night Schedule

Preliminary events will begin at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, with finals to be conducted on the lighted field Thursday night beginning at 7:30 o'clock. L. D. Palmer of Munday will officiate as starter in all events.
All entries must be sent to the director-general not later than March 8th.
The following schools have been invited to send teams to the meet: Weir, Munday, Goree, Bomarton, Seymour, Holiday, Rule Sagerton, Rochester, Knox City, Sunset, Benjamin, Truscott, Crowell, Old Glory, Aspermont Swenson, Peacock, Stamford, Anson, Hamlin, Roby, Rotan, Hawley, Luaders, Avoca, Albany, Throckmorton, Woodson, Newcastle, Graham, Olney, Mattson, O'Brien, Megargle and Westover.

TAX PAYMENTS EXCEED TOTAL OF LAST YEAR

Better Times Indicated In Tax Payments During January
Records in the office of Tax Collector Mike B. Watson show that collections of current and delinquent taxes for the first month of the year increased \$3,192.91 over the same period for last year—a fair barometer of better times as the affect property owners of the county.
Tax collections during the month of January 1938 amounted to \$82,612.65, as compared with the January 1937 total of \$79,419.74 to reveal the increase. Total of February receipts will not be available for several days, but will likely show a considerable increase over February last year.
During the five-month period from September 1937 to January 1938, inclusive, total collections of current and delinquent taxes amounted to \$148,994.10, lacking only \$897.41 of reaching the total tax levy for the current year, which was \$149,891.51. This represents the sum total of all state, county and school levies carried on the county tax rolls.
Of the total sum collected, \$30,299.46 was for delinquent taxes, the remaining \$110,197.05 being payment of current tax levies.

Clyde Raley and Ralph Duncan were business visitors in Fort Worth during the last week-end.

The Haskell Free Press

Established January 1, 1886.
Published Every Tuesday and Friday at Haskell
SAM A. ROBERTS, Publisher

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Haskell, Texas, under the act of March 3, 1879.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—Any erroneous reflection upon the character, reputation or standing of any firm, individual or corporation will be gladly corrected upon being called to the attention of the publishers.

The dividing line between news and advertising is the line which separates information for public interest from information which is disseminated for profit.

Subscription Rates
Six Months in advance 75
One Year in advance \$1.50
One year in Haskell and adjoining Counties \$1.00

Hoover Finds More Honor In Belgium

It is an odd sight, that of a former President of the United States sailing away to a foreign country where he will be received with greater popularity than he can command in his own nation.

Not only odd, it is a little unfair to Herbert Hoover, who inherited a nation in an unhealthy condition and then found that he could command—but could not persuade those who would not accept his commands.

There must be many persons in the United

States who are too young or who have forgotten the Hoover who was a life-saving, solid, safe figure before he went to the White House. In Belgium during the war he was virtual dictator of the economy of ten million persons. He built and commanded a complicated system of machinery of living for that country's people. And his conditions were not ideal, for war was ever in proximity.

There he will always be a national hero and it is the Belgian government which now invites him back for a series of ceremonies in his honor, a touching sentimentalism which must be pleasant to an ex-President who has been handed few laurels in his own country during the last few years.

It is difficult to recall that Hoover is the same man who was made food administrator in this country during the pinching days of U. S. participation in the World War; that, like President Wilson, he sprang from total obscurity into world fame in a few short months; and that his name came pleasantly to the lips of millions of persons in those hysterical days.

Hoover has regained considerable prestige in this country during the past few months through a combination of happy circumstances and happier publicity. He may regain even more, a lot more. Whatever his stature becomes in the Republican party, however, his position must always be overshadowed by positions he has held before.

It does seem unjust that a man who had a recognized genius for organization and used it for international good should be known now as the man who allowed the United States to slip into its greatest depression, when a little reflection will bring the realization that that depression must have been inevitable.

And a little more reflection based on events of the past few months will bring further realization that a depression once started is not the easiest thing in the world to stop.

THE MATTSON

Round Up

ROUNDUP STAFF

Elva Couch Editor-in-Chief
John Alex Mayfield
Associate Editor
LaVerne Guess Society Editor
Clyde Crume Boy's Sport Editor
LaVera Guess Girl's Sport Editor
Elmer C. Watson Joke Editor

HOME ECONOMICS PARTY ON MONDAY

The first year home economics girls met Monday morning, Feb. 14, 1938 for a party. Some very enjoyable games were played by the group. The valentines were then handed out. Every one received a number. Then a delightful refreshment plate consisting of lemonade and cookies was served. This was the first party given in the morning any of us had attended.

ROUND-UP

The eighth grade class has

MANNERS

Boys, don't use your slang in

the study hall or before the girls. That is not very nice. Upper classmen girls are silly. You should hear yourself sometimes. Everyone, if you respect our gym, don't play on it without your gym shoes on.
Another thing to remember is our Sunday manners when we have visitors.
If we will do a few of these things we will be happier and have a much nicer school.

JUNIORS BASKET BALL

The Juniors will load on the bus and journey over to Weimer next Friday night where they will play in the finals. They will play O'Brien.

GLIMPSES OF OUR ENGLISH TEACHER

Name—Gladys Crume.
Greatest Ambition — To be a real lady.
Hobby — Collecting good books.
Favorite Radio Program—Lady Esther Serenade.
Favorite Song — When Irish Eyes are Smiling.
Favorite Food — Chicken, fried steak.
Favorite Folwer — Rose.
Favorite Season—Autumn.
Favorite Color—Blue.
Favorite Sport — Football.
Favorite Magazine—The American.
Favorite Actress — Norma Shearer.
Favorite Actor—Frederic March.
Favorite Type of Student—Mischievous.
Pet Peeve—Late assignment.
Favorite Pastime—Hiking.

DID YOU KNOW THAT?

Betty has a boy friend.
Leon is certainly nice to a certain girl.
Raymond C. does not like class parties.
G. W. paid twenty-five cents for one valentine. (Wonder who it was to).
Wanda primps a lot lately.
Dana Marie didn't give a valentine to a boy.
Gerry is nuts over a certain junior boy.
Margaret is studying hard lately.
Rebus has a sister that is a tattletale.
Boyce never studies.
Fay has the blues something terrible.
Louise keeps her hair fixed nicely. (Wonder why).
Lawrence, the bus driver, was gray headed last week. (I pity the pliers).
Elvis likes his curly hair.
Milbert is crazy about Neoma (or reverse).
Vergil is so cute lately. (So Jimmy thinks).
Ben had two good reasons for changing seats. (How about it Ben?)
Troy has a girl on his mind.
Raymond S. has loaned too much drawing paper to Milbert lately.
Joe likes the place where he sits.
Chester had a new brother-in-law.

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 1098
Estate of Clyde Davis and Mattie Ruth Davis, Minors.
Pending in the County Court, Haskell County, Texas.
Notice is hereby given of a hearing to be had before the County Court of Haskell County, Texas on the 12th day of March A. M. in the year 1938 at Ten O'clock A. M. in the County Court room at the Court house of Haskell County, Texas, in the application of D. R. Davis, guardian of the persons and estates of Clyde Davis and Mattie Ruth Davis, both minors, for permission and authority to execute and deliver the following-described land and premises situated in Haskell County, Texas and belonging to the estates of the said Clyde Davis and Mattie Ruth Davis, both minors, said land being described as follows:

All the undivided interest of Clyde Davis and Mattie Ruth Davis in and to a tract of 144 1-2 acres out of the Mary E. Criswell Survey and out of Section 8, Block 1, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Surveys, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Jno. F. Morgan Survey, a corner in said Section 8; Thence along the East line of said Morgan Survey and the West line of said Section 8, South 595 varas to the Northwest corner of a 43 1-2 acre tract owned by R. L. Livengood; Thence along the North line of said 43 1-2 acre tract, East 811 varas to a point in the East line of said Section 8; Thence, along the East line of Section 8, North 684 varas to the Southeast corner of a 50 acre tract of C. P. Livengood; Thence with the South line of said 50 acres, West 471 varas to a corner; Thence with the West line of said 50 acres, North 478 varas an an ell corner; Thence with an upper South line of said 50 acres, West 512 varas to a road running along the East side of John W. Pace's 100 acres and C. P. Livengood's 100 acres; Thence South along Pace's East line and along the East line of R. L. Livengood's 74 acres in the Mary E. Criswell Survey, 567 varas to a point in the North line of the Jno. F. Morgan Survey; Thence along the North line of said Morgan Survey, East 183.5 varas to the place of beginning. Said land situated in Haskell County, Texas.
D. R. DAVIS
Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Clyde Davis and Mattie Ruth Davis, Minors.

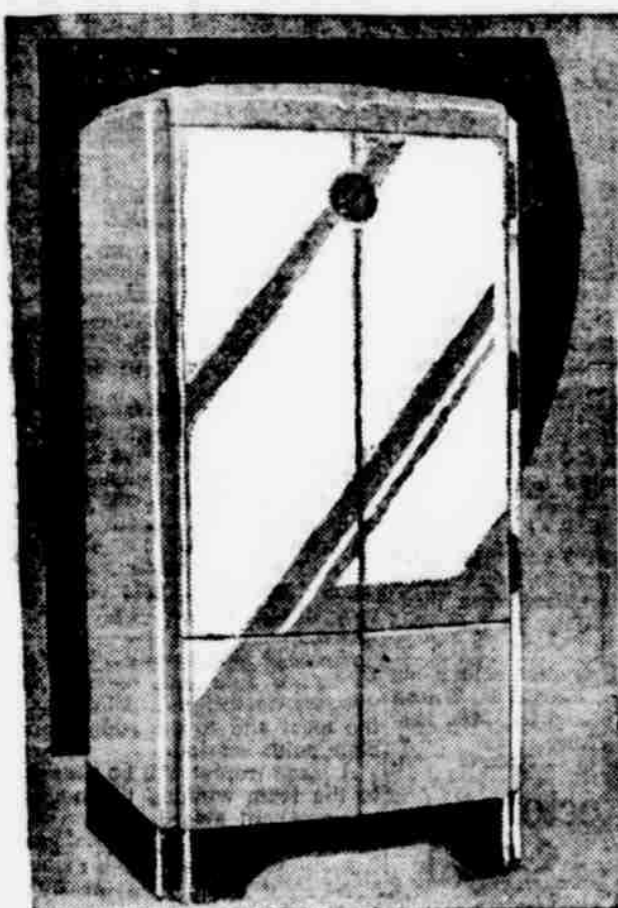
Bring in your old car and drive out a better car. Haskell Motor Co.

Bring in your old car and drive out a better car.—Haskell Motor Co.

For Economy and Health



Mrs. Bingham's Bread



An ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR saves enough to pay its own way



NO SPOILAGE



QUANTITY BUYING



BARGAIN SPECIALS



LOW OPERATING COST



SAVE

ALL 4 WAYS

..or You May Not Save At All!

1. on **FOOD**
2. on **ICE**
3. on **UPKEEP**
4. on **CURRENT**

Electric Refrigeration

with year-round low temperature of 40-45 degrees

Costs as Little as

2 3/4¢ a Day

DON'T BE FOOLED IN JULY BY THE KIND THAT'S GOOD ONLY IN FEBRUARY!

Try their statements and you will be saved the experience of trying the box with insufficient low temperatures for West Texas summer weather.

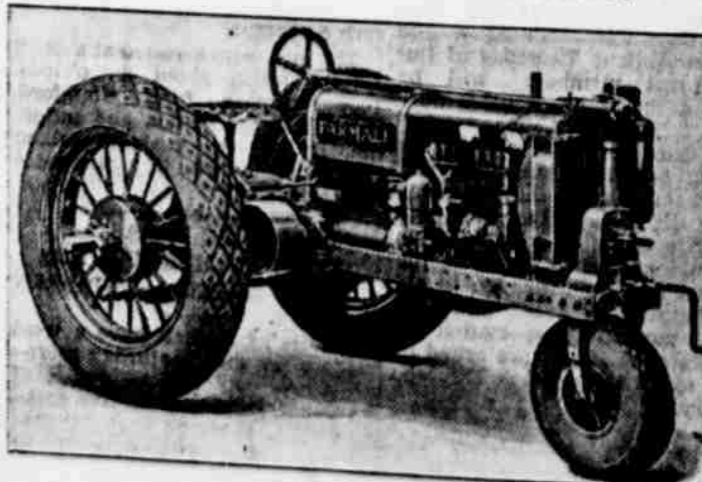
'MEMBER how crude the old family bus of a decade or so ago seems today? Cost three or four times as much to operate as the present efficient machine. Well, Sir, the same is true of electric refrigerators. They blazed the trail, bringing the greatest domestic improvement of all time into every other West Texas home by 1937. So now, in 1938, there is no comparison with those pioneer models. Electric refrigeration of today gives absolute food protection with temperatures around 40 to 45 degrees—the only safe temperature. No other form of mechanical refrigeration can offer this guarantee at any price. But Electric Refrigeration gives that guarantee at a cost which drops to less than 3 cents a day!

West Texas Utilities Company

See Your Electric Refrigeration Dealer Before Buying

GET YOUR TRACTOR READY FOR THE BUSY SEASON AHEAD . . .

Don't take chances of costly delay after you begin your farming operations—have your tractor thoroughly gone over and all needed repairs made before the Spring rush sets in. Some small repair made now may save you many dollars and valuable time later on. We are prepared to help you, with a complete Tractor Service Department and a large stock of Farmall parts that enable us to handle any repair job quickly. Whatever your needs—we are prepared to serve you with efficient, dependable and economical service.



HASKELL IMPLEMENT CO.

We Maintain A Complete Tractor Repair Department

Smith

Shot Gun

All shells at COST. 12, 16, Gauge Shells Per box

First Quality Retread

4.75-19
5.00-20
5.50-17
6.00-16

Flashlight Batteries

This Month Each

Chevrolet

Floor Mats

Close out, each

Spark Plugs

Special Lot Champions, each

Special Lot AC, Each

Southland Plug, Each

Crusader or PA, Each

Have a few left that are shelf

will give you free

How Are Your Brakes?

We have the best on lining for Cars and Tractors. 'em.

Ford "T" Headlamps

Ford "T" Headlamps

Ford "T" Water

Ford "T" Points Per Pair

We are stocking TRACTOR PARTS us for:

Sleeves, Piston Wheel Bearings Clutch Facings Brake Linings Magneto Points Transmission Differential

WE SAVE YOU

Oil—Oil—

2 Gallon Factory Can, tax paid, wanted to satisfy back. Per 2 Gallon Can

Batteries

As low as Exchange

Smith

HASKELL Stamford

You remember happenings of years ago?

(The Files of the Free Press)

March 2, 1923
trains which
back in operation
Valley about the
have been in-
according to
m.
ight and Power
ved their office
into their re-
building on the
square.

who formerly
but who is now
Rochester, was
seriously injur-
by the accident
shotgun in the
her, E. E. Mc-
two were hunt-
sk.

Smallpox are re-
nantine in the
city by County
minins.

L. W. Kirkpa-
recovering from
eration in an

me of our old-
men making his
ells for the past
ew having an
residence built
of the city.
ated will be oc-
ard and family.
Gilliam was in
business. Mr.
ts look bright
his year. He is
his crop early

A. Brown, Will
irby and W. F.
the four-county
ing at Stamford

the Hughes
premium Here-
Wednesday and
Fort Worth for
at Stack Show.

March 1, 1928
tractor, is now
brick business
Miller on the
square, to be
Cafe. On the

Loans
ed Cars
s-financed
ble rates.

Finance
ny
Chevrolet
Texas

ck Starter
With
milk and Cod Liver Oil

ver — Chick Scratch — Egg-
en Scratch — Meatscraps —
Oats — Seed Corn — Seed
Walfa Meal — Oyster Shells —
Stock Salt — Corn Chops —
og Food — Dairy Feed —

\$1.15 per 100
95c per 100
\$1.40 per 100
\$2.00 per 100
Us For Seeds or Feed
PHONE 48
FEED STORE

vacant lots north of the Model Tailor Shop Chas. McGregor and Mr. Scott will erect a brick and tile building. It is reported that another brick building is contemplated, to adjoin the last mentioned.

D. L. Mullins, 19, was killed instantly when crushed under a gravel cave-in in the pit west of the square Monday, where he with several other men were at work loading gravel.

H. H. Cook and Hubert Nollner have purchased the West Side Barber Shop from Edgard Wilmon, and will operate the establishment in the future.

Marshall Pierson, inspector for the State Health Department spent a few days here with home folks this week.

State School Inspector J. G. Smith and County Superintendent Miss Minnie Ellis, last week visited and checked Haskell county rural schools for State Aid.

You Income Tax Return

Must be in the hands of the Collector of Internal Revenue on or before March 15, 1938.

The following individuals shall each make, under oath, a Return, stating specifically the items of the Gross Income and the Deductions and Credits allowed:

(1) Every Individual having a Net Income for the taxable Year of \$1,000 or over, if single, or if married and not living with husband or wife;

(2) Every Individual having a Net Income for the Taxable Year of \$2,500 or over, if married and living with husband or wife, and;

(3) Every Individual having a Gross Income for the Taxable Year of \$5,000 or over regardless of the amount of his Net Income.

Every Domestic Partnership (including Syndicates, Groups, Pools, Joint Ventures, or other unincorporated organizations through or by means of which an business, financial operation or venture, is carried on, and which are not, within the meaning of the 1932 Act, Trusts, Estates or Corporations), and every Foreign Partnership doing business within the United States, or in receipt of income from sources therein, regardless of the amount, must make a Return of Income, for the Calendar Year or for a Fiscal Year.

Every Domestic or Resident Corporation, Joint Stock Company, Association, or Insurance Company, not specifically exempted by Section 103 of the Revenue Act of 1932, whether or not having any Net Income, must file a return.

PENALTIES:
For willful failure to make and file a return on time: Not more than \$10,000, or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, and, in addition, 25 percent of the amount of the Tax.

Avoid Last Minute Complications And Call Me For Your Appointment Today For Filing of Your 1937 Income Tax Return.

JOE A. BROOKS
Public Accountant
Income and Social Security Tax
CONSULTANT

For Economy and Health



OUR GREATEST USED CAR and TRUCK CLEARANCE

BUY WITH CONFIDENCE
Regardless of price, you can be assured that every car is exactly as represented.



Guaranteed!
Ask about our personally guaranteed Used Cars.

OUR LIBERAL UCC TERMS MAKE

Bring In Your Old Car . . . Drive out a BETTER Car.

FORDS	
1932 Ford Tudor. Was \$225. Wholesale Price	\$175
1934 Ford Tudor. Was \$285. Wholesale Price	\$210
1929 Ford Coupe Junk	\$35
1934 Ford Tudor. Was \$325. Wholesale Price	\$270
1929 Ford Tudor Sale	\$75
1936 Ford Coupe. Was \$450. Wholesale Price	\$385
1936 Ford DeLuxe. Was \$485. Wholesale Price	\$425

Ford Trucks	
1929 Ford Tudor. Was \$80.00. Wholesale Price	\$52
1932 Ford Truck. Model B. Sale Price	\$200
1935 V8 Ford Truck, long wheel base 4-32-6, 10 ply tires. Brand new. A mighty good truck.	

BUYING SO EASY

1933 Chevrolet Tudor
A pick-up for someone. We paid \$325.00 for this car but are going to sell it for only—
\$175



Here Is A Bargain
This is a late model car. All steel body, hydraulic brakes, good paint, good rubber. 4-door Plymouth Sedan. Was \$250.00. Wholesale Price—
\$185

1935 Ford V8 Tudor Sedan
Was \$425.00. Wholesale Price—
\$350
This is an R. & G. Car. New motor, all steel body, shatter proof glass. A steal for someone. Be sure to look this one over.

1933 Ford DeLuxe Tudor
This is a very nice car. Was \$317.00. Wholesale Price—
\$285
This Car Carries Our Guarantee

WE MUST RAISE MONEY!
In order to raise money there are two things we might do! Wholesale our cars to some out of town buyer, sell all of them, take our loss and forget, but we have decided to pass these bargains on to our friends and customers so we are launching the biggest sale of the year. Some \$7,000 worth of cars go on the market Wednesday, March 2nd. If you are in need of a good car don't forget the date—Wednesday March 2. Bring in your old car, drive out a better car.

CHEVROLETS	
1937 Chevrolet Coupe. Master. Has Heater and every thing, very low mileage. Original price \$525. Wholesale Price	\$495
1928 Chevrolet. Junk. Price	\$35
1932 Chevrolet Coach. Good car. Has free wheeling. No Draft ventilation. Wholesale price	\$175
1933 Chevrolet Tudor with trunk. New paint, good rubber. A bargain. Wholesale Price	\$210
1933 Chevrolet Tudor. Was \$275. Wholesale Price	\$245
1929 Chevrolet Roadster. Sale Price	\$30
1929 Chevrolet Tudor Sale Price	\$38
Chevrolet Trucks	
1934 Chevrolet Truck. Was \$325. Wholesale Price	\$285
1934 Chevrolet Truck. Was \$300. Wholesale Price	\$250

These Bargains are going fast. Don't delay until the best selections are snapped up!

THE GREATEST CLEARANCE VALUES

See the Cars on Used Car Lot across street North of Post Office. Some 36 or 40 Cars to select from.

WE'VE EVER OFFERED

TRAILER A good 4-wheel Trailer. A dandy. Priced Right!	GUARANTEED LOWEST PRICES	FORD V8 1938 Ford V8 demonstrator for sale at a bargain!
--	---------------------------------	--

We have Cows, Horses, Shotguns, Rifles, Saddles, Labor and Parts, Wash and Grease Jobs for sale. Come see us. We appreciate you.

HASKELL MOTOR CO.

Sales Service

RURAL LAND BANK LOANS
20 to 34 years. Land Bank Commission 5%, time 13 to 20 years.
and Haskell N. F. L. A.
Office at Haskell, Texas

Want-Ads

MOTHERS ATTENTION — We are prepared to take care of your children while you shop or attend afternoon or evening parties. Charges reasonable. Phone 211. Mrs. H. Hisey, located in the Guest home place. 2tc

FOR SALE—Kasch Cotton Seed raised from pedigree seed last year, \$1.00 per bushel. See G. E. Davis, 5 miles west Weinert. 4tp

FOR SERVICE—I am standing my horse six miles northwest of Weinert. Also have some first and second year Cash Cotton Seed for sale. M. O. Satterwhite, Route 1, Knox City, Texas. 3tc

DON'T SCRATCH! We guarantee every jar of Paracide Ointment to promptly relieve any form of Itch, Eczema, Athletes Foot, Ringworm or other itching skin trouble. Large Jar only 60c at Outes Drug Store. 5138

For Economy and Health



Mrs. Bingham's Bread

Mrs. Roger Gilstrap Hostess For Members of Knitting Circle

Mrs. Roger Gilstrap was hostess for members of the Knitting Circle last Friday for an all day meeting at her home. The lunch consisting of a dish prepared by each member was served at noon-time. In the afternoon knitting was the diversion. Those present were: Mrs. T. C. Cahill, Mrs. Jno. Willoughby, Mrs. Carl Arbuckle, Mrs. C. A. Barker, Mrs. Giles Kemp, Mrs. Bob Herren, Mrs. Reynolds Wilson, Mrs. Samuel Herren Jr. and the hostess.

QUALLA PLANTING SEED — From first year's crop, clean and well matured. \$1.00 per bushel at my place, R. G. Freedy, one and one-half miles west Pack Betta homeplace. Address mail orders to O'Brien, Texas. 4tp

WE WANT your Generator and Battery business. We have recently installed an Ignition Plant and can give you the best of service. New Generators exchanged for old ones. J. F. Kennedy Service Station. 1tc

HAULING — Bonded truck and licensed operator. Livestock or heavy hauling anywhere, day or night. Phone 21. W. L. Johnson, Weinert, Texas. 8tp

FOR SALE—Allis-Chalmers Tractor, bought in April 1937. Will sell cheap. R. E. Mathis, 5 miles south of Rule. 2tp

Fidelis Class of Baptist Church Entertains Friday Night

Friday night, February 24th Mrs. M. J. Lane, Mrs. Leon Pearsey, Mrs. Elmore Smith and Mrs. Carl Powers were joint hostesses for members of the Fidelis Sunday school class of the First Baptist church for a monthly social at the home of Mrs. Lane. Miss Maybelle Taylor a member of the class who is leaving as a missionary to Brazil was honor guest.

Vari-color sweet peas were used throughout the house. As the guests arrived they were seated in the living room and were served a delightful salad plate with cherry pie and coffee. Red paper hats with the honorees name and sailing date described were plate favors. Mrs. C. V. Payne, class president presided over a business meeting after which Mrs. H. R. Jones presented Maybelle with a letter from the class with words of gratitude and well wishes from the class.

Those present were: Mesdames W. P. Trice, Alfred Pearson, W. A. Holt, Opal Barker, Gordon Phillips, Wallace Ruff, C. A. Barker, H. J. Reynolds, H. R. Jones, C. V. Payne, Geo. Henshaw, R. L. Lemmon, Bill McKinnon, W. M. Reid, W. H. Richey, Jno. P. Payne, Virginia Henshaw, O. M. Guest, R. L. Foote, Roy Killingsworth, Scott Green, Marlin Wilson, Mrs. Tom French of Dallas; Misses Mary Grindstaff, Viola Smith, Mary Emma Whiteker and Nettie McCollum.

South Ward P. T. A. Met Thursday With Small Attendance

The South Ward P. T. A. met Thursday afternoon, Feb. 24. Because of the bad weather there was only a small number of parents present. In view of this fact the scheduled program was not carried out but many important business matters were attended to.

Officers and committee members were appointed and approved for the rest of the school year. It was also decided that there would be a social gathering of the women members some night in the near future.

Y. L. Thomason, who has been seriously ill for the past several weeks, had recovered sufficiently Saturday to be able to come downtown. His many friends were glad to greet him again in his customary place.

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 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. SMITH. (Re-election)

For County Judge:
J. C. DAVIS, JR.

For Sheriff:
GILES KEMP. (Re-election).
OLEN DOTSON.

For County Attorney:
WALTER MURCHISON. (Second Term)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
MIKE B. WATSON. (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
MATT GRAHAM. (Second Term)

For County Treasurer:
WILLIE LANE.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
AB HUTCHENS. (Re-election).

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
T. M. (Tom) MAPES. (Re-election)

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 Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
A. M. WILLIAMSON. (Second term)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2 (Weinert):
R. H. JONES. (Second Term).

CITY OFFICES

For Mayor:
F. G. ALEXANDER. (Second Term)

For City Marshal:
SEBO BRITTON. (Second Term)

For City Secretary-Treasurer:
R. A. COBURN. (Second Term)



Tuesday and Wednesday March 1 and 2
BARGAIN DAYS, 10c and 15c

"Knight Without Armor"

With Marlene Dietrich Robert Donat

Thursday and Friday March 3 and 4

'DEAD END'

Starring Sylvia Sydney and Joel McCrea

See these people live in this drama torn from the seething turbulent life of the world's most exciting city.

—Plus—
"The Canary Comes Across"

Saturday 11 p. m.
Sunday and Monday, Mar. 6-7
First Time in West Texas



Miscellaneous Shower Given in Home of Mrs. R. L. Maddux

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. Elton Robertson, nee Miss Ida Belle Hewitt, in the home of Mrs. R. L. Maddux February 11, by Mrs. R. L. Maddux and Mrs. J. E. Tibbs.

About 2:00 o'clock the guests arrived and each one registered and wrote some advice in the bride's book.

Many useful gifts were received by the bride.

Later in the afternoon, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following:

Misses Ray Carver, Chris Fletcher, Carl Carver, Fred Langford, F. A. Harcrow, Berry West, Grady Ellis, Floyd Hewitt, Clyde Covey, Oran Covey, Herbert Owens, Irby Carlisle, Jim Hewitt, Jim Robertson, Turner, Underwood.

Misses Hazel Maddux, Lois Mincey, Nettie Lee Tibbs, Ruth Robertson.

A nice gift was sent by Mrs. S. N. Reed, who could not attend the shower.

Mrs. Lincoln Bolin Honored With Shower Saturday, February 12

Mrs. Lincoln Bolin was given a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. M. A. Draper Saturday, February 12, from 2:30 to 5:00 o'clock. Sixty-seven guests came or sent gifts during the afternoon.

Clever games and contests planned by Mrs. Sammy Carpenter served for entertainment and Ouida Bess Draper gave a selection, "More About Men."

Misses Anita Wampler, Ernestine Teaff, Udell Darden, Zena Bolin and Ouida Bess Draper served hot chocolate and cake with nuts to the following attendants: Mesdames Sammy Carpenter, Sam White, Claude Anderson, O. A. Travis, hostesses, Estelle Bolin, E. O. Jamison, Fred Lankford, Miss Hazel Maddux, Joe Reeder, Benton Anderson, Mother Anderson, W. F. Bolin, Miss Corrine Shaw, Herbert Owens, Irby Carlisle, Miss Mildred Anderson, Mrs. Ponder, Ben Kay, and many others not mentioned.

S. L. Coggins of Weinert, Justice of the Peace for the Weinert precinct, was a business visitor in Haskell Saturday. Mr. Coggins related that his vicinity had recently gone "wet" and that citizens eagerly welcomed the sunshine of the past few days.

When a bandit held up the night clerk in a hotel in Philadelphia and was about to open the hotel safe containing \$250, the janitor approached and sneezed. The sneeze routed the bandit.

Home Furnishings

At Prices You'll Like!



Ruffly, Frilly PRISCILLA CURTAINS. They'll brighten up the entire room! Point D'Esprit Dots on cream ground. Complete with tiebacks **98c**



COTTAGE SETS **49c**
Cream voile trimmed with ruffles and colored tape. Complete with tiebacks. Choice of colors.

Flock Dot Marquisette COTTAGE SETS in processed design **98c**

LIVELY'S DEPARTMENT STORE

Hassen's Special
Wednesday, March 2nd

SILKS
We just received 500 yards of fine quality 39 to 40 inches wide Silks, in new wanted Spring shades. Every solid color. A big assortment of fancy printed silk. Guaranteed every thread silk and well worth \$1.00 per yard.
Wednesday Special Only **47c** Per Yard

HOSIERY
Ladies guaranteed All Silk Full-Fashioned Hose. A special purchase to sell at \$1.00 a pair.
Special for Wednesday Only **2 Pair For—\$1.00**

Hassen Bros. Co.
"The Store That Holds Prices Down and Quality Up"

Menard Field of South Plains, Notice of Stockholders Meeting
in the wheat section of the Panhandle, was in Haskell for a brief stay Saturday. He and his son, Adrien, came down Friday for a short visit. Menard, former resident here, reported that recent heavy snows had assured a favorable season in his section.
Holders of common stock in the Brazos Valley Cooperative Cheese Plant, Inc., will hold the regular stockholders meeting in the plant office Friday afternoon March 4th, at 2 o'clock. It is imperative that all stockholders attend.
A D Odell of Abilene spent Saturday in Haskell with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Odell, and renewed acquaintance with old friends here.

These Guaranteed Baby Chicks Will Bring You Greater Profits

Price Chicks have that in-born vigor and quality that assures quick development into big, strong, high-producing birds.

That is because we are specialists. All our time and energy is devoted to raising good chicks. We know that we hatch the best chicks sold, but we do you can't buy more chicks for the money.

COMPLETE GUARANTEE
We guarantee every chick reach you alive and in condition and health and confidence.

1. They are hatched from eggs laid by vigorous hens.
2. They are hatched in a careful, sanitary way... in the most modern incubators.
3. Being more vigorous, a larger percentage reach maturity.
4. We select only the large, well colored, 23 oz. to the dozen eggs for hatching.
5. Better growth and feathering sturdy parent stock.
6. A breed that has earlier laying production.
7. We are glad, at any time, to solve your chick raising problems.

TRICE HATCH
Come Here For All Your Poultry