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Free Mexican Youths Drown In Farm Tank Northeast of Haskell Tuesday Afternoon

Occurs When Boat
Turns In Fifteen
Feet of Water

Mexican boys, two of whom became Haskell victims, were drowning Tuesday afternoon when their boat turned in a deep tank northeast of Haskell. The boys were in a small home-made boat which they were rowing, and the occupants were more than 15 feet deep. The boys were Jose, 10, and Maria, 9, brothers, and a 12-year-old girl. The elder boy was rescued, but lost his life in the tragedy. The Mexican boys were on the banks of the tank, and their efforts to save themselves were in vain. The body of Valdez was recovered and he was rushed to the hospital, but he died there. The younger victims were recovered after several minutes, and were taken to the hospital. The tragedy was witnessed by several of the Haskell farmers, and they were able to rescue the boys. The tragedy was a great loss to the community, and the families of the victims are in mourning.

Visits Parents



S. L. Davis, Jr., Army Air Corps cadet, was a visitor Thursday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Davis, Sr., of this city. He was accompanied by his wife, the former Sibyle High-note of Haskell. Cadet Davis received his primary flying instruction at Cimarron Field, Oklahoma City and his ground course at Kelly Field. He goes to Waco where he will receive his basic air training.

NEW ABSTRACT BOOK RECEIVED BY THE COUNTY

Land Commissioner Bascom
Giles Presents Vol-
ume Personally

Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office, has announced the completion and publication of Volume II, of the eight new state abstract books covering 27 North Texas Counties and presented a copy to Haskell county officials through M. R. Smith, tax assessor-collector Tuesday afternoon. The State Land Commissioner explained the value, use and changes made in the new and condensed volume while here. Beginning with the abstract on the George G. Alford Survey, patented in 1860, the book devotes 24 pages to Haskell County's 1,156 abstracts. The new volume lists by counties and on a single line all of the information about original Texas land titles heretofore contained at random in 63 volumes. Authorized by the 47th Legislature, the voluminous work of compiling the complete record of 406,000 Texas abstracts was completed in the General Land Office with the cooperation of the WPA. "Covering 27 North Texas counties, this volume is invaluable to county tax assessor-collectors, abstractors, and attorneys as a cross index and source of information regarding land titles. It is also a basis of assessments as to the quantity of land," Commissioner Giles said in presenting the book. Printed in eight permanent volumes of 50,000 abstracts each, the 5,000,000 entries were compiled directly from the original volume issued in 1878 and from each of the supplementary volumes published annually thereafter. Then these old records were checked and rechecked against the original Land Office files. Under the old system, information about the abstracts in each county was taken piecemeal from each of the 63 volumes, necessitating the purchase of the complete set of more than \$200. But the new vastly-simplified books give all the data about one county in a single volume at a cost of \$12.50 and the information about each abstract on a single line. Five of the remaining six volumes are now in the hands of the printer, and the last volume is in the final editing stage. Each county will receive a copy of the volume in which its records are listed, and additional copies of the set are available at the office of State Comptroller George H. Sheppard at \$12.50 a volume. Commissioner Giles exhibits a great deal of justifiable pride in the completion of the abstract books. His experience in the General Land Office before his election as Commissioner convinced him of the value and need for such a compilation, as this is the first complete list of land titles of both the Republic of Texas and the State of Texas.

Youth Caravan Coming to Haskell



Services for young people and leaders of young people will be conducted at the First Methodist Church July 5th through 10th by the Methodist Caravan Team, pictured above. The group includes: Miss Irene Stewart, Stamford, Texas, (front row center), Adult Counselor; Dorothy Helen Bowling, Lawton, Oklahoma; Betty Rose Kitchen, Watson, Louisiana; Bert Roper, Winter Garden, Florida; and Morris Daniels, Austin, Texas.

Large Number of Haskell Stores To Close For 4th of July Holiday Saturday

241 YOUTHS 18 TO 20 REGISTER IN THE COUNTY

Only Those In 20-Year-Old
Group Are Subject to
Military Duty

Two hundred forty-one young men between the ages of 18 and 20 years were registered in Haskell county Tuesday in the nation's fifth registration of manpower for the war effort, according to a tabulation made by the Local Board Wednesday. Of the total registered, 230 were white men and 11 colored. The registration for the entire county was held in the district courtroom in the courthouse where volunteer registrars assisted clerks from the local board.

Registering were all youths who were born on or after Jan. 1, 1922 and on or before June 30, 1924. The 20-year-olds signed up on Tuesday will be subject to immediate military service, and it is likely that some will be summoned within a few weeks.

Selective Service officials have received instructions from Washington to separate cards of the 20-year-olds from the rest and to segregate them according to birth date. Those men will be mailed questionnaires and called for possible service on the basis of birth dates, the oldest being called first. No lottery will be held. Those 18 and 19 are not liable to immediate service, and registration officials have received no instructions to date on the method in which they will be classified.

Rationing Board Issues Certificates To 72 Applicants for Tires and Tubes

Seventy-two applications for purchase of new tires, tubes and re-cap tires were granted by the Haskell county War Price and Rationing Board at their session on Friday, June 26, with purchase certificates granted the following: D. M. Kingston, Haskell, Farmer 1 tube for tractor. James Edgar Walling Jr., Haskell Bulk Station Agent, 2 tires, 2 tubes for truck. W. D. Hellums, Weinert Rural Carrier, 1 tire for passenger car. Emma P. Seelig, Haskell, Farmer, 2 tires for tractor. Theil C. Beason, O'Brien, Farmer, 1 tube for tractor. Theil C. Beason, O'Brien, Farmer, 1 tire for tractor. W. E. Scheets, Haskell, Trucking, 2 tires for truck. Willie Lorenza Holt, Haskell, Farmer, 2 tires, 2 tubes for tractor. W. J. Earles, Haskell Farmer, 2 tires 2 tubes for tractor. A. L. Holle, Sagerton, Farmer, 1 tire for tractor. Bell & Speck, Rochester, Farmer, 2 tires, 2 tubes for tractor. Willard Lynn Pace, Haskell, Farmer, 1 tire for tractor. W. L. Fore, Haskell, Farmer, 1 tire, 1 tube for truck. Lee Holden, Rochester Mail and Freight Hauling, 1 tire for pickup.

Injuries Suffered In Car-Truck Collision Result In Death of J. A. Blake, Well-Known Farmer

CANDIDATES FILE FIRST REPORTS OF CAMPAIGN COSTS

Individual Totals Ranging
From \$5 to \$200 Are
Listed

In their first report of campaign expenses required to be filed with the County Clerk before July 1, candidates for office in Haskell county listed individual expenditures ranging from \$5.00 to \$201.02. Amounts listed by the various candidates were as follows: County Judge—John F. Ivy \$201.85, Courtney Hunt \$193.25. District Judge—Dennis P. Ratliff \$125.75. County Attorney—A. C. Foster \$149.45. District Clerk—P. J. White \$87.62, Horace Oneal \$114.00. County Clerk—Raul English \$118.62, Mrs. Hettie Williams \$155.30, Guy C. Collins \$173.00. Sheriff—Olen Dotson \$131.50, Ollie Kitley \$142.00, J. V. Jenkins \$126.00. Tax Assessor-Collector—M. R. Smith \$113.00, Jason W. Smith \$111.60, Troy C. Turpen \$136.95. County Superintendent—Matt Graham \$137.60, Mrs. Iva Palmer \$135.02, Thos. B. Roberson \$91.00. County Treasurer—Willie Lane \$119.00. Commissioner Precinct No. 2—E. O. Chapman \$67.30, Alfred Turnbow \$60.20. Commissioner Precinct No. 3—Joe Larned \$86.00, Noah S. Lane \$61.45, J. P. Trimmer \$59.50. Commissioner, Precinct No. 4—Bill Fouts \$64.45. Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1—Ernest S. Marion \$23.50, W. E. Welsh \$20.00. Constable Precinct No. 1—Sterling Edwards \$12.50. Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 6—John A. Lee \$5.00. Constable Precinct No. 5—L. G. Hall \$10.00. Public Weigher, Precinct No. 5—Pat Martin \$11.50.

To Lead Revival



Moody B. Cunningham, of Memphis, Tennessee, will direct singing, children's work, and young people's work, for the Revival at the First Methodist Church July 12 to 26. The minister, Rev. Kenneth W. Copeland, will bring the messages.

Accident Victim Succumbs Wednesday Night In Local Hospital

Joe A. Blake, 62, well known farmer and resident of Haskell county for a number of years, died in the Haskell county hospital Wednesday night at 9:30 o'clock as the result of injuries suffered in a car-truck collision early Sunday morning. Mr. Blake, a patient in the hospital since the accident contracted pneumonia Monday night, which complicated his condition and resulted in death.

The accident occurred Sunday morning about 1 o'clock, when the car in which Mr. Blake, his wife and 15-year-old daughter Faye Jean were returning to their home north of town was involved in a collision with a heavy truck belonging to the Jeffries Trucking Company of Oklahoma City and driven by S. L. Clark of that city. Mr. Blake suffered a fracture of his left knee, fractured ribs and internal injuries, while Mrs. Blake and their daughter sustained slight cuts and bruises. Clark, driver of the truck, was not injured, and he assisted the accident victims to summon an ambulance from Holden funeral home to remove the three occupants of the car to the hospital here. The accident occurred about halfway between Haskell and Weinert. Mr. and Mrs. Blake and their daughter were travelling south, while the truck was going north on the highway. State Highway Patrolman Blackstone of Stamford investigated the wreck. Both the car and truck were badly damaged.

Funeral Service for Mr. Blake Held Thursday Afternoon at 4 o'clock

Funeral service for Mr. Blake were held at the Holden funeral chapel Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. Clifford W. Williams, minister of the First Presbyterian Church officiating, assisted by Rev. C. P. Morgan of Santa Anna, Texas. Mr. Blake had been a member of the Presbyterian Church since early manhood. Interment was in Willow cemetery with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Named as honorary pallbearers were all friends of the family. Joseph Arthur Blake was born June 21, 1880, at Calhoun, Ga., the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blake. He came to Texas as a young man and in 1908 he married Miss Lillian Morgan at Santa Anna, Texas, and they made their home in that section and later in Red River county, coming to Haskell county a number of years ago.

Immediate survivors include his widow, a son, Francis Blake of Haskell, and three daughters, Mrs. W. W. Hines of Rule and Misses Bettie Ruth and Faye Jean Blake of Weinert; three sisters, Mrs. W. B. Hoffman of Temple, Mrs. A. F. Davis of Big Spring, and Mrs. E. L. Grooms who resides in Maryland; three brothers, D. D. Blake of Santa Ann, V. R. Blake of Brownwood, and W. H. Blake of Florida. Four grandchildren also survive.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Heavington Dies

Minnie Lou, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. (Reuben) Heavington this city, died in the Haskell county hospital Sunday night at 8 o'clock. The child had been ill for two days with appendicitis.

Born July 4, 1934, Minnie Lou had lived her entire life in this city. She was a member of the Four Square Gospel church. Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Heavington, a sister Venita, and a brother Carlman Louis Heavington, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright, all of Haskell.

Funeral services for the little girl were held at the First Baptist Church in this city Saturday afternoon, with Rev. H. R. Whaley, pastor of the church officiating. Burial was in Willow cemetery with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were Claude Helwig, Riley Conner, Tommie Ray Foster and Nolan Lees. Floral offerings were handled by Johnnie Mae Mason, Helen Segoe, Estelene Carroll, Daisy Bell Shelley, Frances Davenport and Doris Harrell.

Miss Velma Hambleton of Tondo nad Mrs. C. E. Wood of Wichita Falls are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hambleton.

MORE THAN INCH OF RAINFALL IS RECEIVED HERE

Moisture Comes At Ideal
Time to Benefit Feed
and Cotton Crops

Slow rains which were reported general over a wide section of West Texas had brought more than an inch of moisture here up to Thursday at noon, with continued slow rain and overcast skies Thursday afternoon indicating additional precipitation for this section.

The moisture came at an ideal time to benefit cotton and feed crops, which had begun to suffer from the extremely hot weather and winds during the past week. Although the rains will halt for several days harvesting of the few remaining fields of grain in the county, farmers are agreed that benefit of the moisture will far outweigh any damage which the delay may occasion to grain.

Marriage License Issued Seventeen Couples In June

During the month of June seventeen couples were issued marriage licenses from the office of County Clerk Roy Ratliff. This was the largest number granted for a single month this year. Couples securing the license were: Ralph H. Johnson and Miss Lydia Wall. Pete Buntin and Miss Betty Joyce Bussell. Jim Jones and Mrs. Ida Mae McKee. Albert Boote and Miss Jewell Fullerton. Leland Cagle and Miss Ovidia Walton. Ocie McGuire, Jr., and Miss Odella Martin. James Robert Wolf and Miss Alice Clifton. R. V. Sandefer and Miss Melba Cozby. Dempsey Emerson and Miss Mamie Rena Tankersley. William O. Holden and Mary Wells Mancill. Luther Masier and Miss Mary Magdalene West. L. D. Hull, Jr., and Miss Elsie Fay Hanks. Benito B. Pena, Jr., and Miss Ortensa Mendes. Raymond Latson and Miss Loretta Haynes. D. C. Alisbrook and Miss Dorothy Myrie Brown. J. B. Nanny and Miss Edna Fay Fullbright.

Mrs. John Minton left Wednesday evening for Roswell where she will spend her vacation with her husband in the army service stationed in that city.

Will Assist In Scrap Rubber Drive

Members of the W.P.A. in Haskell County and in surrounding areas are making a canvass among the scrap rubber and scrap tires families for a single month this year. County Agent Raymond Latson said this week. He is urging that the scrap rubber be taken to filling stations where it can be sold or given to the scrap iron drive, each family is filling out a receipt showing the amount of scrap rubber available on the premises. The drive will start July 1, and will continue until August 1. Farmers who desire, and are urged to sell their scrap rubber to local junk dealers.

Mrs. Sebo Britton and of Mineral Wells are relatives and friends in Haskell county. Mrs. Britton, former City fire dispatcher for the fire department at Mineral Wells.

IRON AND STEEL CAMPAIGN NOW CONDUCTED

Members of the W.P.A. in Haskell County and in surrounding areas are making a canvass among the scrap iron and scrap steel families for a single month this year. County Agent Raymond Latson said this week. He is urging that the scrap iron and steel be taken to filling stations where it can be sold or given to the scrap iron drive, each family is filling out a receipt showing the amount of scrap iron available on the premises. The drive will start July 1, and will continue until August 1. Farmers who desire, and are urged to sell their scrap iron and steel to local junk dealers.

148,813 Pounds Scrap Rubber Is Collected Here

A total of 148,813 pounds of scrap rubber had been collected in Haskell county up to Tuesday night, according to A. D. McClintock, chairman of the county salvage committee. June 30 had originally been set as the closing date for the nationwide scrap rubber campaign, but the campaign has been extended for 10 days, it was announced Monday from Washington. Collection of scrap rubber is being carried out in all sections of the county, and service stations in the various towns have accumulated considerable quantities of usable rubber, McClintock said. Rural areas are contributing a large share, with the County Victory Council conducting a house to house canvass of all farm homes. Mrs. L. L. Stewart of San Antonio and Aviation Cadet Joe Maples of Corpus Christi were week end guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maples.

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Vote For...



Troy G. Turpen
for
Tax Assessor-Collector

He pledges dependable, efficient service as a public official, and will "stay on the job" at all times. He has never asked for public office before.

(Political advertisement)

SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARD MEETS EACH MONDAY, THURSDAY

The Selective Service Board of Haskell meets at their office in the Court House of Haskell, Texas, on Monday and Thursday afternoons of each week. Should you desire any information, or have any business with the Board you may present same on days above indicated.

Lieut. Kenneth A. Klowles, assistant professor of naval science and tactics at the University of Texas, has been detached from the University's Naval R. O. T. C. unit and ordered to duties with the Navy Department in Washington, D. C.

Brief News Items From RULE

Attends Leaders Meeting

Mrs. H. C. Leon, Mrs. G. E. Davis, Mrs. Rex Murray and Mrs. Dock Rose attended an all day zone meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist churches held in Leaders Wednesday of last week. Lunch was served at the noon hour.

Jean Holcomb Entertains

Jean Holcomb entertained friends with a slumber party at her home Tuesday night of last week. A picnic supper was served and after a series of outdoor games pallets were spread outside for the guests. Her mother, Mrs. Joe Holcomb, sister, Emma Jo and Mary Frances Gauntt assisted the hostess in entertaining the guests. Guests were: Martha Dell Norman, Wanda Jo Norman, Carolyn Turner, Maury Wilson, Dorothy Mae Foster, Alma Ruth Almond, Elizabeth Geer, Billy Webb, Laverne Webb, and Patsy Harcrow.

Returns From Hospital

Mrs. John Behringer returned to her home near Rule last Wednesday after spending several days in the Stamford hospital for medical treatment.

Friday Bridge Club

Summer flowers were used for room decorations in the home of Mrs. Bert Davis Friday when she entertained members of the Friday Bridge Club and guests.

In games of bridge high score award was presented to Mrs. Marlin Wilson. Refreshments were served.

Members and guests present were: Mmes. Dock Rose, John Herron, James A. Lisle, W. R. Gay, Tom Edd Simpson, C. A. Jackson, Morris Neal, Edgar Ellis, Alvin Kelley, Leola Bounds, Marlin Wilson, Robert Solloek.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Penick were Stamford visitors Wednesday of last week.

O. R. Kitley transacted business in Stamford Saturday.

Spend Week End Fishing

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Place and Mr. and Mrs. Beans McCandless spent last week end at Sand Beach Camp, near Azle, fishing. They shopped in Fort Worth Saturday and had as their guests Sunday Pete Place and Gwen Johnson of Denton and Howard Perry and Adrian Lott of Fort Worth.

Misses Evelyn Lewis, Helen Lisle and Micky Frazier spent last week in Wichita Falls, the guests of Johnny Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Chapman of Haskell were Rule visitors Saturday evening.

Brownie Meeting

Members of the Rule Brownies met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Norris Gibson, the new leader. A series of outdoor games were enjoyed and members made and decorated wall vases. Candy was served.

Those present were: Peggy Joyce Gibson, Alice Janet Gauntt, Wanda Nelle McCain, Ima Jean, Mary Martha Arnett, Frances Weathers, Patsy Morrow and Jane Michael of Rochester was a visitor. Next meeting will be on Thursday July 2.

Vacation Bible School At Methodist Church

The Vacation Bible School at the First Methodist Church in Rule is scheduled to begin July 13 and continue through July 24. Classes will be held daily from 8:30 to 11 a. m. All children between the ages of 4 to 14 are cordially invited to attend. There will be four departments: Beginners, Primary, Intermediate and Juniors.

Assisting in directing the class will be Mrs. H. C. Leon, Mrs. Robert Solloek, Ruth Cole, Pauline Hines, Mrs. Tom Edd Simpson, Mrs. Price Hines, Mrs. Smith, Jane Cole and Barbara Leon.

Guy Todd returned to his home in Dallas Friday after visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Todd in Rule.

Modernistic Club

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Neal entertained the Modernistic Club members and guests at their home Friday night. Summer flowers were used for room decorations where the foursome tables were placed for games of progressive 42. An ice course was served at the conclusion of the games.

Members and guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Verner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gauntt, Mrs. Dock Rose and Miss Alta Cassle.

Food Preservation Demonstration

Home Demonstration Agent Miss Kathryn Sands and Miss Reynolds of Haskell conducted a demonstration on drying of fruits and vegetables for preservation at the Rule school building Friday morning.

Those present were: Mmes. O. J. McCain, Joe Holcomb, W. H. McCandless, J. C. Davis, Server, Dugan, Edd Conner and Dedmond.

Dr. Marshal Rogers Leaves For Navy

Dr. Marshal Rogers left Tuesday of last week for Jacksonville, Florida, where he will enter at a naval base hospital. He will be commissioned as a Lieutenant, Junior grade in the United States Navy. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Rogers of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. McCain and daughter Wilma Jean and Joe Bob King were Stamford visitors Wednesday.

Marie Holland of Haskell visited relatives and friends in Rule Wednesday of last week.

WATCHING THE BLIND SORT RIVETS FOR BOMBERS



Frazier Hunt (left), war correspondent, and Carmin Campanella, blind war worker.

HOW the blind are helping to win the war was the stirring subject as told to Frazier Hunt, noted war correspondent and CBS news analyst, by Carmin Campanella, a young man who was born blind. Campanella is pictured above sorting rivets for bombers as Frazier Hunt looks on at the Lighthouse, New York Association for the Blind. These rivets were formerly sweepings in airplane factories, but now due to the shortage of aluminum they are collected and shipped to the Blind Headquarters for sorting. "There are about 200,000 rivets used in the manufacture of a single bomber," said Campanella, "and there are about fifty sizes and types. These swept-up rivets which have been dropped by workmen, come to us in barrels and we separate them into their various types and sizes. It is because blind people have such sensitive fingers that they are able to do this work better than a man who can see. "Women at the blind headquarters are doing their share in knitting for the soldiers," said Campanella. "Many of them are taking courses in first aid. Blind men are also working in aircraft plants where they operate bearing and slotting machines," continued Campanella, "there are blind men filling Navy contracts as cable stripping and cable covering operators and there are also dictaphone secretaries working in a sound-detecting manufacturing company and in a company making machine-gun parts."

First Aid Course Has Good Attendance

The first aid course which is being taught by Goodson Sellers has an enrollment of about 50. The course is especially for firemen and auxiliary firemen. Classes are held each Monday and Thursday nights from 8 to 11 at the high school building. The following are taking the course: Mrs. E. Breden, Homer Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Camp, O. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Cooper, Mrs. Lonnie Corzine, Mrs. Watler Counts, Leonard Florence, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Fuller, Mrs. R. W. Frazier, Paul Gibson, D. R. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gibson, J. O. Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodges, Lionel Hodges, L. W. Jones Jr., Tom Kevil, P. L. Mercer, Jack Mills, E. O. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. R. McCaul, Morris Neal, Norval Norman, W. D. Payne, Tom Rogers, Joe Smith, J. H. Sexton, J. C. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Simpkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Verner, E. D. Weaver, E. C. Westmoreland, Bill Yarbrough, and Frank B. Hill.

Thursday Bridge Club

Mrs. Wilbur Arrington of Rochester entertained members of the Rule Thursday Bridge Club at her home in Rochester Thursday afternoon of last week. Summer flowers decorated the rooms where tables were placed for games of bridge. In the games high score award, which was defense stamps was awarded to Mrs. Foster Davis.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Sam Davis, Goodson Sellers, Marlin Wilson, L. W. Jones Jr., Walter Hills, Jack Mills, Foster Davis and Mrs. Frank Campbell.

Here and There News

Miss Augusta Kimbler who is employed at Camp Barkeley spent last week end in Rule, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kimbler.

Mrs. Joe Allen of Judd was the Saturday guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Whorton in Rule. She was accompanied home by a daughter Ruth who had been visiting in Rule the past week.

Mrs. Reginald Gibson and children, Mary Paul and Jerry spent several days last week in Abilene visiting relatives.

Patsy, Martha and Jimmy Kitley returned home Saturday after a three weeks visit in Big Spring with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae Eastland and son Billy have been spending their vacation in Rule, the guests of Mrs. Eastland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norman.

Mrs. Evelyn Zengus, Jerry and Newton Westmoreland were Abilene visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kincaid visited a son Martin Kincaid, in Los Angeles, Calif., several days last week.

Political Announcements

All political announcements are accepted for publication strictly on a cash-in-advance basis.

The Free Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Haskell county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

For State Representative, 115th Legislative District:
A. H. KING (Re-election)

For District Judge, 39th Judicial District:
DENNIS P. RATLIFF
(For Second Full Term)
BEN CHARLIE CHAPMAN.

For District Attorney, 39th Judicial District:
T. R. ODELL
FRED STOCKDALE.

Skilled Workers Needed By Navy At Panama Canal

Skilled workers are needed for employment at the Panama Canal. Boatbuilders, Marine Boiler-makers, Instrument Repairmen, Machinists (Marine and General), Riveters, Shipfitters, and Shipwrights are paid \$1.48 an hour, and Coppersmith (Marine), \$1.52 an hour. Appointees will be paid on the basis of 40 hours per week plus time and one-half for all time over 40 hours. The maximum age limit for all positions is 55 years. Applicants must be citizens of the United States and must be able to furnish proof of such citizenship, with proof of date of birth, before appointment. Appointees will be furnished free transportation to the Canal from the point of embarkation and will be furnished free first-class railroad transportation and Pullman accommodations from their homes to the point of embarkation. Salaries start on the date of embarkation. The total cost of room and board should not exceed \$50.00 or \$60.00 a month. No dependents may go with appointees. Persons qualified for any of the positions listed above should contact the Secretary of the Local Civil Service Board, Mrs. Ella D. Cox, at the Post Office, or the Manager, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Commercial failures in Texas during May fell to 13, as compared with 29 the same month of 1941 and 24 in April, University of Texas Bureau of Business Research workers found.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Smith had as their guests Monday of last week, Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Walter Crawford and daughter Marlene of Gilliland.

Mrs. Lena Sadler and daughter Margaret spent last week in Weiner visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gauntt and daughters Alice Janet and Lucy Lockett were Abilene visitors on Friday of last week.

O. J. McCain transacted business in Haskell Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie VanCleave and daughter Betty Louise were shopping in Stamford Wednesday.

Miss Lois Baker returned to Fort Worth Monday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker in Rule for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Benton and daughter Dorothy were Stamford visitors Wednesday of last week.

Jim Briles was a patient in the Haskell hospital a few days last week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stahl and children of Sweetwater were the guests of her father, B. Walters and sister, Miss Nora Walters of Rule last week end.

Mrs. Polly Leath is visiting a son in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edd Simpson and Ruth and Jane Cole were shopping in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Solloek spent last week in Gatesville visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by Mary Cleo Pruitt who had been visiting her grandmother there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gay and children spent Sunday in Haskell the guests of Mrs. Gay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sarrels.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailiff spent several days last week in Gatesville visiting relatives.

Mrs. Clyde Laughlin and son Jerry Don visited Mrs. Laughlin's brother in Denver, Colorado last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Payne and sons Billy Ross and Everett returned to their home in Rule Monday after a ten days visit in Hico, the guests of Mrs. Payne's mother, Mrs. Broyles.

Save Time, Save Money, Save Energy

The nutritive value of food is more important in wartime than ever before... it's your duty to buy food that's high in quality, in order to your family in tip-top shape. The Cut-Rate Grocery is the place to buy this quality food you'll save time, money and energy!

"Pay Cash and Pay Less"—Buy Victory Stamps With Your Savings
We Redeem Orange and Blue Food Stamps

Cut-Rate Cash Grocery
J. D. TYLER, Prop.

- For County Judge:** COURTNEY HUNT, JOHN F. IVY.
- For County Superintendent:** THOS. B. ROBERSON, MATT GRAHAM (Re-Election) MRS. IVA PALMER.
- For Sheriff:** OLEN DOTSON (Re-election) O. R. (Ollie) KITTLE, J. V. (Jake) JENKINS.
- For County Clerk:** MRS. HETTIE WILLIAMS, GUY C. COLLINS, RAUL ENGLISH.
- For District Clerk:** HORACE O'NEAL, P. J. WHITE.
- For County Attorney:** CURTIS POGUE, A. C. FOSTER.
- For Tax Assessor-Collector:** M. R. (Murray) SMITH, (Second Term) TROY G. TURPEN, JASON W. SMITH.
- For County Treasurer:** WILLIE LANE (Re-Election)
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:** T. L. (Terry) ROBERSON, (Second Term)
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:** ALFRED TURNBOW, E. O. CHAPMAN, O. L. MOORE.
- For Commissioner, Prec. J. P. TRIMMER, W. W. "BILL" GREN, JOE LARNED, NOAH S. LANE.**
- For Commissioner, Prec. EARNEST MARION, (Second Term) W. E. WELSH.**
- For Constable, Prec. STERLING EDWARDS, (Second Term)**
- For Public Weigher, Prec. (Weiner): EDDIE SANDERS, (Second Term)**
- For Public Weigher, Prec. (O'Brien): W. A. BRYANT (Second Term)**

Cotton Planting Are Scarce

DELINT your Planting plant more acres with Get better germination, regular stand. Seed delin- of seed before delin- Ceresan treated 5c extra. Our delinting full operation at



We Will Be Closed All Day Saturday, July 4

In Observance of Independence Day

We ask that our patrons cooperate in making their purchases on Friday.

Jones Cox & Co.

M-M PLOWS

If you are going to need a breaking plow I have them for you. I have some 3 disc breaking plows. You had better get them while you can get them.

If you are also interested in a drill it is a good time to place your order for them. I am only going to get a few drills and this will be the last drills to be made with hoppers, so you had better not wait.

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News from Weinert

Missionary Societies

Miss Francis Coffman the Future Homemakers teacher of the Weinert high school left Friday for her home at Dudley, Texas to spend her vacation.

Philip Cadenhead from John Tarleton College spent the week end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Cadenhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Williams, Jolene and Ruth were shopping in Haskell Monday.

Mrs. Iva Palmer has received word that her son Winton, enrolled for San Diego, Calif., June 26. His rating is hospital apprentice 2nd class.

Mrs. Fate Senn visited Mrs. R. H. Jones Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Vern Derr visited Mrs. Clyde Mayfield Thursday.

Mrs. Ted Campbell was shopping in Weinert Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McGuire were Haskell visitors Monday.

Mrs. A. D. Bennett and Mrs. Lewis Bennett were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

Mrs. Iva Palmer attended the dedication service of the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Sagerton on Sunday. She reported an inspiring service and gave interesting description of the beautiful church and the unusual hospitality of the congregation's entertainment.

Registrants In Class I-A May Enlist In Navy

Men who have recently been reclassified for selective service may enlist in the Naval Reserve provided application is made before call to report for Army induction is mailed, Navy recruiting officers at Abilene said today.

Many wait until it is too late and find themselves inducted when, as skilled men, they might have voluntarily enlisted in the Naval Reserve as petty officers at much higher rate of pay, it was said.

Physical standards for Naval Reserve enlistment have recently been lowered and many men previously rejected are now able to meet physical requirements.

Qualified men are urgently needed for operation and upkeep of Naval ships and stations. Petty officer ratings are now open to aviation and auto mechanics, bakers, cooks, carpenters, electricians, machinists, metalsmiths, painters, pattern makers, pharmacists and hospital attendants, radio technicians, and practically all types of experienced construction workers.

Unskilled men, and those skilled in trades not open for enlistment, have opportunity to attend Navy trade schools and win promotion in the service.

Negroes may be enlisted as apprentice seamen, mess attendants or in construction petty officer ratings. They are sent to Negro training stations.

Age limits for enlistment in the Naval Reserve are from 17 to 50 years. Application should be made in person at nearest Navy recruiting station.

Since 1817, when the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions (Congregational) began sending missionaries outside the United States, the State of New Hampshire, through this Board alone, has sent more than 200 of its sons and daughters as missionaries to Europe, Turkey, Syria, Persia, Africa, India, Ceylon, China and Japan. In addition in the earlier days of the last century a large number of New Hampshire men and women were sent west to serve among various Indian tribes.

As a "token of Christian sympathy and fellowship," Chinese refugee students and teachers in West China, many of them living in mud huts and sleeping on bare boards, have sent a gift of \$960 (Chinese) for relief use in the churches of England. The gift was sent by Dr. Francis Cho-Min Wei, president of the Central China College in Kunming (now "in exile") to the British Council of Churches. The gifters are part of some 52,000 refugee students now in the mountains of West China.

Sugar Books Available

Consumers who had excess amounts of sugar at the time they registered for rationing may now obtain ration books from their local War Price and Rationing Boards, if their excess supplies have been depleted by allowances made for home canning, region OPA Administrator Max L. McCullough announced.

University of Texas officials have placed \$4,300 into U. S. savings bonds with funds presented by the Daughters of the Republic of Texas for a graduate scholarship in honor of Mrs. Clara Driscoll. The fund is for research in Texas history, and will be added to until it reaches \$7,500.

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Woman's Place is in the Factory



As the reserve of employable male workers available for war industries reaches exhaustion, Canada must rely increasingly upon women for industrial labor. Thus 75,000 women are now working in war industries along with 600,000 men. Starting mainly as inspectors, like the girls in the accompanying photo who are checking 7.2 inch shells in a huge plant near Montreal, women have invaded almost every field of operation. Only in jobs which require physical strength are they excluded, since new machinery has made it possible for even the heaviest operations to be accomplished by the press of a lever. Women are making intricate radio and electrical devices, shell fuses, parachutes and uniforms; they are driving rivets, welding steel, handling lathes and planers. Modern warfare demands 17 behind-the-scenes fighters for every soldier in action and women are swiftly overcoming the prejudice against them as industrial workers, relieving men for active service.

NEWS in the WORLD of RELIGION by W.W. REID

The Gideon Society, extending their work of Bible distribution beyond the bounds of America's hotels—which was their first of service—has given more than 1,000,000 copies of the New Testament to men in the armed services of America during the present war; and is reported to have 2,000,000 copies on the presses for future use by soldiers, sailors and marines.

The Filipino island of Mindanao scene of some recent struggle between American and Japanese military forces, is known as the "wild west" of the Philippines. It is about the size of the state of Indiana, and for all its million people is rather scarcely settled. Until recently, much of its lands were open to settlement and were given away by the government of the Commonwealth to boatloads of "immigrants" from the rest of the Philippines. There has been relatively little religious work on the island by any denomination.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, organized in thousands of local Methodist churches in every state in the Union, is undertaking to make a "new friend" annually for each local group of different background in the local community. Also each individual in each local society is to make at least one friend annually in another group, seeking to know and understand that person and his background, and by exchange of experience draw closer together in facing the common task of Kingdom building.

The International Relief Committee, centering at Yuanling, Hunan Province, China, which dispenses funds furnished largely by the Church Committee for China Relief (United States) is composed of prominent Chinese and both Protestant and Catholic missionaries. The personnel includes Father Paul Ubinger and Father Marcellus White of the American Catholic (Passionist) Mission; the Rev. S. W. Whitener of the American Reformed Church, Miss Justine Granner and the Rev. G. W. Swen of the American Evangelical Church; B. B. Rogers of the Yale Mission; three Chinese representing the national, the provincial and the country government relief agencies (to prevent overlapping); two Chinese physicians, three Chinese school principals, a Chinese Y. M. C. A. secretary and a bank manager. "Protestants and Catholics, Chinese, Americans, British, French, Swiss and Dutch are all united in this work of civilian relief," says a missionary leader.

On The Home Front

Price control now has been established over practically everything on Main street.

Latest addition to the series of regulations issued by the Office of Price Administration was that during the last week covering consumer services. Under the new regulation, identified as OPA Regulation No. 165, it is ordered that charges for services covered can be no higher than they were in March.

With the order effective July 1, on the same date that all provisions of the General Maximum Price Regulation went into effect, Southwestern consumers can feel certain that there are going to be some further reductions in their every-day cost of living. Surveys already made and covering only a few days after the GMPR went into effect showed that the general regulation had started letting the air out of the inflation balloon.

Control of service charges is highly important to the consumer as is shown by the fact that the American public pays upward of five billion dollars annually for this type of living necessity. Those on the Home Front, especially in the booming defense areas of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana, have recognized the situation because they have had to bid against each other to get many of the services that now come under control.

This new ceiling now stands above the cash register in the shoeshine and shoe repair shop, as well as at the butcher's, and it has been extended to shield the man who wants a dock repaired or his hat blocked, as much as the ceiling shields the customer at the corner grocery or drug store. Under it are the prices that now may be charged by laundries, and furniture repairmen, as well as prices charged by auto parking lots, drycleaners, locksmiths, morticians, and many other services rendered in connection with commodities.

The extension of the cost of living roof is a sizeable one. The number of establishments of one sort or another which are affected has been estimated nationally at nearly a million. In this connection, however, it should be emphasized that the new regulation applies only to consumer services rendered "in connection with commodities," and that it does not apply to fees charged by your lawyer, your architect, your barber shop, your beauty shop, and numerous others from whom you obtain professional services or services that are specifically exempted in the regulation.

In addition to the service ceiling beginning July 1, all sellers of commodities under OPA control must have their ceiling price lists available in their places of business where any person can inspect them. Every item offered for sale, and the seller's ceiling price on the item must be listed, and every customer has the privilege

On The Home Front

of reading the list.

Also, the sellers must have filed similar price lists covering only the cost of living commodities as specified in the general OPA regulations, with their county ration boards. Later, the sellers of services will have to file lists of their ceiling prices, too, but service lists won't be due until early September, although sellers can't charge more than the March ceiling now.

This week also has been an important one in the field of rubber conservation. All orders issued by the Office of Defense Transportation affecting local and over-the-road delivery service and hauling now are in full effect, including those phases of the orders which earlier had been postponed to allow adjustments of schedule.

These ODT restrictions include limiting of local delivery service to 25 miles outside of city limits, one delivery a day to one address, no call backs, etc., requiring full loading for over the road hauls and a 75 per cent minimum load for the return trip.

Although these orders do not apply to use of passenger automobiles, officials still are stressing the necessity for conservation of tires. There isn't any rubber for any more civilian tires and those civilians who now have tires should make them last for the duration—and that "duration" may be for years. Rubber burned up on a pleasure trip now may be just the amount needed on an individual's tires for a very vital trip months from now.

In the field of priorities, July 1 also marked a turning point. The Production Requirements Plan went into effect, and users of critical materials were placed under an allocation system. Those users now will get materials only in proportion to their importance to the war program. If materials are not needed for something directly connected with the war or for something that is essential to the public welfare and safety, chances of getting them are going to be slight from now on. Only hope for non-essential manufacturing is to convert to something that is essential.

During the week it also was announced that new priority ratings are to be assigned by the War Production Board to most-needed orders. This rating system is outlined in Priorities Regulation No. 12. New ratings created are AAA, AA-1, AA-2, etc., which will have precedence over the formerly highest A-1-A rating. To the consumer this is important only to show that where we need speed, the priorities system has been streamlined to clear the track.

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W. A. HOLT'S GROCERY will be open for business all day **JULY 4TH**. We will operate as on any Saturday, buying Cream, Eggs, and Produce and will serve our trade as usual. We always observe the 4th unless it falls on a Saturday, which we believe our closing, would cause an inconvenience to our trade.

THANKS, and come to see us.

W. A. HOLT



Austin — To supplement the family diet and at the same time to economize on meat purchases during war time, farmers and ranchers of the State were urged today by the Executive Secretary of the Game Department to construct ponds on their properties where suitable for the production of fish. Within the limits that exist, the Department will stock such ponds with an initial supply of fish that over the years under proper management, will increase greatly. Hundreds of small and large ponds already have been constructed, and the demand made upon the Department for fish for stocking purposes is great, considering that the State's hatcheries must also stock public lakes and streams; but within its ability to do so, the Department will be glad to assist any landowner in this war-time emergency food program, the Executive Secretary said.

In addition to stocking farm and ranch ponds where possible, the Department also is in a position to assist landowners with advice concerning fertilization of the ponds to assure proper food and cover conditions for the fish. This information has been compiled and plainly stated for the average citizen in a mimeographed bulletin by the Department's Chief Aquatic Biologist. The bulletin may be obtained free upon request from the Game Department, Austin, Texas.

In addition to giving information concerning fertilization of ponds, it gives much advice about the proper stocking of these waters.

'Lost' Antelope Herd

The antelope range in Texas is generally thought to be only in Western Texas, but actually there is an excellent range in Brooks, Jim Hogg, La Salle and Dimmit Counties, deep in the Brush Country of South Texas. This range was occupied by about 5,000 antelope 50 years ago. Today only about 75 of this original herd are left on a ranch in central Jim Hogg County.

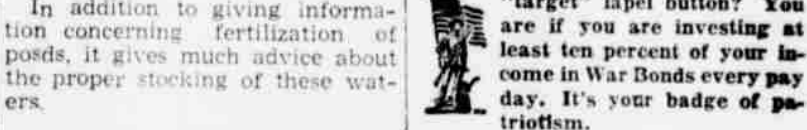
Game Department trappers early this year trapped 1,227 bobwhite quail in South Texas and released them on 12 depleted game management areas in five Counties.

Not all ducks fly farther southward than Texas for the winter. Thousands spend the cold months on East Texas lakes. A Game Department biologist recently counted 7,570 ducks that wintered on nine East Texas lakes.

Feeding Prairie Chickens

Fourteen feeding stations have been completed on the prairie chicken range in Hemphill County by Game Department biologists. They were stocked with shocks of grain and the chickens, instead of straying, stayed on the breeding range and as a result a better breeding season resulted.

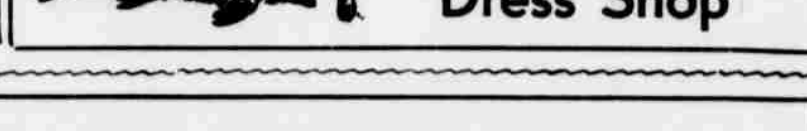
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I am not a party to any trade or deal that would take ONE vote from any candidate for self gain.

My Candidacy for County Judge is not being run or dictated by any person or organization.

I have not and will not have any part in the candidacy of any person, either National, State or local in the first or second primary. I leave that to the sovereign voter.

I will not lower the standard, the dignity and prestige of the office of County Judge, by pressure or propaganda to win votes.

A vote for Courtney Hunt for County Judge is a vote for Economy, efficient and systematic County Government.

A vote for Courtney Hunt for County Judge, will be a vote for a candidate more concerned in the welfare of the citizenship of Haskell County, in the future of Haskell County, in Texas, in our national crisis, than in his personal affairs, or any political position.

Your County Judge is the medium of contact between your State, and your National Governments. He is called on weekly for organization in our national defense. He should be a man vitally interested, and capable of organizing, and commanding the cooperation of our citizenship in our defense program.

Your consideration earnestly solicited.

Courtney Hunt

SOCIETY

High School League Has Meeting Sunday Afternoon

The High School League met Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church with their adult counselor, Mrs. Clay Smith. James Breedlove was in charge of the program "Making My Life Count".

Those present were as follows: Dave Breedlove, Wallace Cox, James Breedlove, Charlene McGregor, Ora Faye Crow, Marie Adams, Dean Bartlett, Jimmie Lou Free, Earleen Pearsey, Dorothy Ann Morris, Sue Wair, Dorothy Minick, Mary Lou Webb, Maxie Burson, Mrs. Copeland and a visitor, Mrs. Minick.

Dave Breedlove will be in charge of the program "God Is The Highest Authority" next Sunday July 5. All young people are cordially invited. Reporter

Youth Caravan Coming To Methodist Church July 5-12

A group of two boys, two girls and an adult counselor are coming to the Methodist church July 5-12. Each one of these young people spent a week at Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth, Texas June 13-20 specializing in one of the following commissions: World Friendship, Worship and Evangelism, Home Missions or Recreation. This caravan is directed by the board of education.

Classes will begin at 6:45 until 9:45 p. m. through the week of July 5-12. These classes will be very inspirational. All young people of Haskell are invited to attend these classes. They will include education spiritually and also recreation. Don't miss these fellowship though, worship and recreation classes. Reporter

Jane Bradford Is Hostess To Young Star Club

Jane Bradford was hostess for a meeting of the Young Star Club last Friday evening. Guests were invited to meet at the Bradford home and go to the show before the slumber party. A buffet breakfast was served to the group in the back yard. Later in the morning Mrs. John P. Payne carried them swimming. Those present were: Nancy Burton, Betty Oates, Nancy Free, Elizabeth Grissom, Mary Beth Payne, Bobbie Ann Herren, Virginia Frierson, Mary Wilson and the hostess.

The Club meets this week with Nancy Burton.

Sub-Deb Club Meets With Martha Meadors

The Sub-Deb Club met with Martha Meadors Saturday evening. The refreshments were soda pop and cookies. We went swimming.

The members present were: Doris Holmesley, Elaine Pennington, Louise Spencer, Sue Collins, Mildred Chapman and Martha Meadors.

Chicken Barbecue Is Enjoyed By Menefee Bible Class Members

The members of the Menefee Bible Class and their husbands had a chicken barbecue Friday evening at Rice Springs Park. The social committee composed of Mrs. G. R. Schumann, Mrs. H. B. Leathers and Mrs. J. R. Cooper had made necessary arrangements for the occasion.

After the meal a social hour was enjoyed. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Horton, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Karl McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Norman, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Schumann, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Smith, Mrs. Wallace Cox, Mrs. J. R. Cooper, Mrs. S. Hassen, Mrs. T. L. Cooper, Mrs. H. B. Leathers, Mrs. John Oates, Mrs. Hill Oates, Mrs. Charlene McGregor, Mrs. Wiley Quatebaum, Mrs. C. J. Minick, Mrs. Henry Crow, Mrs. Medley, Mrs. Gray, Grace Cearley and Emory Menefee.

Tuesday Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Buford Cox

The Tuesday Bridge Club met with Mrs. Buford Cox this week. Daisies, gladioluses and roses were used in entertaining rooms. Mrs. Ralph Duncan won War Savings Stamps for the high score prize.

Mrs. Oved Cobb Is Hostess To Meeting of Hob Nob Club

The Hob Nob Club met June 24, 1942 at the home of Mrs. Oved Cobb. New officers were elected. Refreshments were served to: Meses Olin Patterson, Harold Hammond, Fred Gilliam, Ray Lusk, G. C. Bartlett, Jake Lawson.

R. T. Landis and the hostess, Mrs. Jim Snow of Baytown was a visitor. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Gilliam on July 8, 1942.

Mrs. J. W. Gholson Hostess To Meeting of Birthday Club

Mrs. J. W. Gholson was hostess for a meeting of the Birthday Club Tuesday. Guests brought covered dishes for the luncheon and did Red Cross work in the afternoon. Summer flowers decorated her home for the occasion.

The following were present: Meses R. Y. Mobley, D. J. Pearce, G. F. Mullino, R. J. Paxton, J. E. Walling Sr., J. W. Martin, George Herren, Leon Gilliam, Sam A. Roberts, Hugh Watson and J. T. Bynum.

Lion's Club Entertains With Chicken Barbecue

The Lion's Club with their wives as guests had a chicken barbecue Tuesday evening at the Rice Springs Park. Following the supper the following officers were installed with W. Q. Casey, past president in charge of the service: Lion Tamer—Rev. Kenneth Copeland; Assistant Lion Tamer, C. B. Ramsey; Tail Twister, T. B. Wilson; President, S. E. Lanier; 1st vice-president, Emory Menefee; 2nd vice-president, Willie Lane; Secretary-Treasurer, J. A. Bynum; New Directors: Sam A. Roberts and Sam Conner. Directors carried over to serve with the new ones and officers of the club were W. Q. Casey and John A. Couch. Following a brief address by the president elect, the business meeting was adjourned.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richey, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Q. Casey, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Horton, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Daugherty, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Vaughter, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Chid Stone, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bynum, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Norman and H. B. Leathers.

Mrs. Lee Bivins Is Honored With Shower

The home of Mrs. Dallas Adkins was the scene of a lovely shower Wednesday June 24. The honoree was Mrs. Lee Bivins (nee Margaret Segg). Cut flowers were used as decorations throughout the house. The lace laid table was centered with a bouquet of zinnias. Miss Louise Williams presided over the beautiful handmade bride's box.

The hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Dallas Adkins, Mrs. Howard Sloan, Mrs. Ollie Yarbrough and Miss Louise Williams. Punch and cookies were served to the following guests: Meses Willie Harrell, Fritz, Olen Segg, Ollie Yarbrough, Bivins, Bud Clark, Jack Williams, Bert Segg, Jimmie Best, George Best, Jess Adams, Manford Reid, E. M. Server, Taylor Segg, Howard Reece, Howard Henderson, Fred Hodgin, Delma Williams, Qualls, Clyde Harrell, M. J. Duncan, J. C. Halliburton, Elman Glover, Misses Lois Best, Inez Adams, Ruth Server, Helen Segg, and Leatrice Qualls.

Weekly Health Letter

By Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer

In a vigorous war time campaign to elevate the State health level by preventing the spread of communicable diseases which might be transmitted by foods, the State Department of Health is conducting training schools for food handlers in many sections of Texas. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer announced today. "Food handlers are being instructed in sanitary methods of preparing, handling and serving food for public consumption," Dr. Cox said. "Actual experience has shown that an insanitary eating establishment is one of the surest sources of spreading infection. Public health is menaced by the lack of proper sanitation in food handling and our goal is the education of cooks, waiters, butchers, bakers, fountain men, and all other food handlers to such a level as will insure an elimination of this health hazard."

The training schools consist of elementary courses in bacteriology, communicable diseases, medical zoology, foods, disinfection, sterilization, personal hygiene, and sanitation. Special attention has been paid to requests for schools in defense areas and classes have already been held in Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Anahuac, Liberty, Victoria, El Campo, Wharton, Bay City, Brownsville, Harlingen, Corpus Christi, Midland, Odessa, Gainesville, Georgetown and Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grissom and children, Elizabeth and C. D. have gone to Amarillo for the next few weeks.

Leftovers Appeal in Pastry Ring



HAVE you any leftovers from yesterday's roast? Have you lard in the larder? Then all you do is combine the two as the main ingredients in a mouth-watering meat pastry ring that makes a brand new meal. Lard is a rich source of unsaturated fatty acids necessary for health, so use it for its nutrients as well as its shortening power in the recipe for leftovers that follows:

Meat Pastry Ring
2 cups sifted flour 1 teaspoon salt
1 cup water or milk (about) 1/2 cup lard
baking powder
Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in lard until mixture resembles coarse meal. Add water, a little at a time, until dough will hold together. Roll out on a floured board into a rectangular shape, 5" x 12". Spread meat filling over entire surface of dough. Roll up as for jelly roll, and shape into circular form. Cut into 2 1/2 inch pieces. Place in a well greased baking pan and bake in a moderate hot oven (375° F.) for 25 minutes. Serve hot, plain or with tomato sauce, as preferred. Makes 8 servings.

Meat Filling
2 1/2 cups finely chopped or ground cooked meat 2 tablespoons chili sauce
1/4 cup mashed Worcestershire sauce 2 tablespoons ketchup
1/2 cup cooked peas 1 egg
Left-over ground roast or any other cooked meat may be used. Thoroughly blend meat with remaining ingredients. Use to fill pastry ring.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Kenneth W. Copeland, Minister
T. B. Wilson, Church School Superintendent

9:45 A. M. Church School assemblies. There will be guest teachers in one of the adult classes and the entire Young People's Division.

10:30 A. M. Communion Worship Service. The minister will be assisted in this service by members of the Youth Caravan Team, a group of one adult and four young people who will be guests of the church one week. Special music arranged.

6:00 P. M. Evening Vesper Services. The minister will also be assisted in this service by the Youth Caravan. The public is cordially invited to hear these fine young people.

7:00 P. M. First service for youth and youth leaders directed by the Youth Caravan. Services will be conducted for young people and leaders of young people each day, Monday through Friday from 2:00 P. M. to 4:00 P. M. and from 6:45 P. M. to 9:45 P. M. by the Youth Caravan. This Caravan is composed of Miss Irene Stewart, Stamford, Texas; Adult Counselor; Betty Rose Kitchen, Watson, Louisiana; Bert Roper, Winter Garden, Florida; Morris Daniels, Austin, Texas; and Dorothy Helen Bowling, Lawton, Oklahoma.

Young people and those interested in youth leadership are all invited to share in these services. There is no registration fee for this series of classes. Each evening, 6:45 to 9:45, the Caravan Team will teach classes in Worship and Evangelism, Community Service, World Friendship, and Recreation. They will also direct a worship program each evening and a period of recreation. This is a rare privilege for Haskell, and it is the sincere desire of First Methodist Church that many young people and their leaders will share in this inspirational week.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
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E. G. Ripke, Pastor
Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:45 A. M.
English Service every Sunday at 10:30 A. M.
We welcome everyone to our services.

CARD OF THANKS
To all our good friends and neighbors: This message is sent to those of you who know me and those who do not, and who have had a part in this generous offering. It is greatly appreciated and we shall always remember and appreciate your kindness to us in our dark hours of sorrow—Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Heavington and children. g3p

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lord's Day morning:
Bible School—9:45.
Preaching—10:45.
The Lord's Supper—11:45
Evening Service—8:45.
Ladies Bible Class each Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Morning subject: "The Multitude of Them That Believed Were of One Heart and Soul. Evening subject, "How God Draws Men Unto Christ."
We had fine services last Lord's day, both morning and evening. J. D. Pinkerton

REVIVAL MEETING TO BEGIN AT WEINERT ON JULY 5TH
A two weeks revival will begin at the Foursquare church of Weinert Sunday July 5th, Rev. Yvonne Terry, pastor, has announced. Evangelist Dick Easter of Los Angeles, California will conduct the revival. Evangelist Easter has a special appeal to the youth of today. Special music and singing will be featured at every service. Seats will be placed on the vacant lot adjoining the church building for the open air revival. Services begin at 9 p. m., every night. Everyone is welcome.

CHURCHES
When the Saints Go Marching In" will be the subject for the preaching service Sunday morning. The whole of the thirty-fifth chapter of Isaiah will be used. This is one of the most beautiful chapters of the entire Bible. The victorious spirit is in it. It describes God's people as being happy on earth and shouting at the end of the way. Read it for yourself. "God's Hand in a True Romance" will be the subject for the evening hour (8:30). This message will be based on the book of Ruth. It is truly a great love story with many spiritual applications. This service will be dedicated to the young people. A good musical program will be rendered by the young people on Sunday night. There will be special numbers that you will greatly appreciate. The Sunday school always welcomes you. To attend a Bible class will prepare you for the preaching service. These services go together so be loyal to both of them.

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Haskell Student In Forum at Stephen F. Austin College

Miss Frances Myers, a student at Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College, Nacogdoches, from Haskell, was one of the members of the student body of the college who participated in a faculty-student forum, Friday night, June 19. The topic for discussion was "The World of Tomorrow. Questions of economic, moral, and social problems were discussed.

Some of the questions for discussion were: Is it advisable to have a cooling off period prior to the peace conference following the present war? Are War marriages favorable from the standpoint of the bride? Should college officials emphasize post-war conditions in the course of study at this time? Is the failure of 60 percent of applicants for Army commissions because of lack of scholastic training a serious condemnation of our public school system? Will the spirit of isolation be abandoned by this country when this war is over? Is the accusation that we are a soft pleasure loving people unwilling to face the realities of life true?

Others who participated in the forum are Claude Rodgers and John Wilson of Nacogdoches, Magaleine Williamson of Sacul, and Miss Maxine Mitchell, a graduate of the college who is home from Syracuse University, where she acted as student dean in one of the residence units. Faculty members were Rev. George J. Steinman, Bible instructor, Dr. W. R. Davis, Education professor, Dr. Frank C. Flowers, English professor, Mrs. J. Wilgong director of Gibbs Hall, the girls dormitory and Miss Sue Hill, Dean of Women.

J. T. Richardson, economics professor, conducted the forum.

RECIPES FOR MAKING TASTY FRUIT JELLIES

An ideal jelly is transparent and has a bright color and delicate flavor which is characteristic of the fruit from which it is made. When turned out on a plate it should hold its shape but quiver when it is moved. It should be cut easily but retain the shape of the angles produced, yet break with a distinct cleavage. It should be neither gummy, strupy or tough. In order to make a fruit jelly which sets successfully, these substances must be used — fruit which contains both pectin and acid and sugar. If acid seems lacking one may add one tablespoon lemon juice to each cup of fruit juice. Select a mixture of slightly under ripe and ripe fruit. The slightly under ripe contains more pectin and acid which made the jelly jell. The ripe fruit lends a more desirable flavor. Over-ripe fruits should not be used as the juice may fall to jell because of the low acid content. Wash all fruits thoroughly and discard damaged parts. Use the following quantities of water to each pound of fruit: Apples — One cup of water to pound of fruit. Blackberries — One-quarter cup of water if firm; no water if very soft. Grapes (cultivated) — One-quarter cup or no water. Plums — One-half cup water. Cook the fruit in a broad, flat bottomed kettle and stir to pre-

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vent scorching. Crush soft fruits to start the flow of the juice. Pour the hot cooked fruit at once into a jelly bag of cotton flannel or two or three thicknesses of cheese cloth or unbleached muslin. Allow the juice to drip but do not squeeze the bag. Two extractions may be made from wild grapes and plums. As soon as juice ceases to drip after the first cooking, turn the pomace back into kettle, barely cover with water and boil gently while stirring. Before going on with the jelly wash the jelly glasses, place them on a rack in a pan of cold water and bring to a boil. To prevent breaking as cold ones are added to keep a continual supply of sterilized glasses, dip the edge of the glass in the water so that boiling water reaches both sides at once. Work with 6 to 8 cups of juice at a time, no more. This quantity boils down quickly; short cooking retains the fresh flavor and color and produces a better texture. The following proportions of juice and sugar may be used: Apple (1 cup) three-quarters cup; blackberries (1 cup), three-quarters cup; grape (cult), (1 cup), three quarters to 1 cup; grape (wild) (1 cup), one cup; plum (1 cup) three-quarters cup. Heat the juice and sugar quickly to boiling, using a large flat bottomed sauce pan that permits rapid evaporation. Stir only until the sugar is dissolved, no more. Boil rapidly until the jelly test is reached. For this test, dip a large spoon into boiling syrup and

lift spoon up so that syrup off the side. As the syrup distinct lines or drops of together. Stop the boiling the film and pour into drained glasses carefully with a cloth and allow for 12 hours. When the jelly is set, that the inside rims of the are free from drops of a good seal cannot be obtained unless the glass and dry. Pour one-eighth melted paraffin over a label and store in a cool place. Two pounds of fruit yield 1 pint of juice and when up with an equal quantity sugar yields about 1 1/2 p. ly.

Mrs. Owen Fouts of who has been a patient & White hospital in several days, was removed home of her sister Mrs. R. lish in this city the week where she will recuperate from her illness was accompanied from her by her husband, Owen Fouts has returned to Graham.

Mrs. Ruby Dell McMillen, Glendale, California is being cared for by her parents, Mr. and L. Davis for the next two weeks for Lubbock where she accepted a position in the School.

Betty Ann Hancock week for Lubbock where she accepted a position in the School.

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LOCALS

Evangelist



Evangelist Easter of Los Angeles, Calif., will begin a Revival Meeting at the Foursquare Church in Weirter beginning Sunday night July 5, to continue for two weeks. The meeting will have an especial appeal to the youth of this section, and Evangelist Easter will bring inspiring messages to the young people at each service, sponsors of the meeting announced.

C. O. Davis, Rule, Mail Carrier, 2 recap tires for car. L. H. Mathes, Rule, Farmer, 2 recap tires for car. William Wayne Reeves, Haskell, Farmer, 1 recap tire for car. L. E. Newton, Weirter, Farmer, 2 recap tires for car. Kenneth Wilford Copeland, Haskell, Minister, 1 recap tire for car. John Alex Mayfield, Weirter, Farmer, 2 recap tires for car.

University of Texas athletic council officials have announced that they will continue their policy of admitting service men to all football games played here this fall for 50c. This is one-fourth regular price.

Texas postal receipts fell during May. University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports indicated. May sales were 6.2 per cent below the April, 2. of a per cent below May, 1941.

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Mrs. Syble Walton of Albany is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Davis.

Mary Couch is in Dallas visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baxter.

Estelle Kapner has returned to her home in Houston after a visit with Mrs. Crockett English.

Miss Nettie McCollum has returned home after a vacation spent in Miffltown, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bagwell of Stamford spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holden have returned home after spending several days in New Mexico.

Mrs. Alfred Hartsfield of Abilene spent the week end with her father, J. J. Tucker of Haskell.

Margaret Breedlove has returned home after having spent the past two weeks in Wichita Falls.

Harold Spain of Beaumont has joined Mrs. Spain and daughter for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fouts.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neal have returned home after a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. Herman Henry and children, Pat and Kay are visiting this week in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Irvin of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae Eastland and son of Sonora visited his mother, Mrs. Sue Eastland and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eastland this week end.

Mrs. Houston Bolin and son, Phil of Wichita Falls were guests Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bynum and son of Dallas are visiting his mother Mrs. J. T. Bynum and other relatives in Haskell this week.

Glenn and James Warren Bolen of Oklahoma City are visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Warren.

Marinda Robertson is at Raven Ranch near Kerrville. She was accompanied to camp by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. French Robertson.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Mason and daughter Louise of Arlington visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Payne the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harper were in Haskell the latter part of last week. Mr. Harper has been inducted in the army and was on his ten day furlough.

Patsy Pate and Marcia Bledsoe who are attending Brantley-Draughon's Business College in Fort Worth are spending a week's vacation with relatives in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bolin and son Jimmy of Corpus Christi visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bolin of Haskell last week. Frances Bolin accompanied them home for a visit.

Stanley Milam Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones of near Weirter, Texas who is a student in Louisiana State University is in a Geology Camp near Colorado Springs, Colorado this summer. He will return to Baton Rouge in August to receive his degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Roberts of Munday and Mrs. A. C. Pierson of this city visited in the home of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McPherson of Vernon the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Arthur Edwards is in San Angelo this week, at the bedside of her mother Mrs. F. M. Mott, who is ill. Mrs. Edwards will also visit her sisters and other relatives and friends while in San Angelo.

Marguerite McCollum left Saturday for Denver, Colo., where she will attend the National Educators meeting. From Denver, she will go to Greeley, Colorado and enter summer school for the next session.

Mrs. John L. McCollum and daughters who have been visiting in Slaton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. N. I. McCollum of this city. They left Monday morning for Dallas where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mickle and daughter, Elsa Lou of Waco were week end guests of friends in Haskell. Elsa Lou remained in Haskell as guest in the home of Kathryn Schumann for the next few days.

Bobbie Nell Cass, a Senior student in the Lubbock General Hospital and Clinic has returned to her work after spending her two week's vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cass of this city.

Side Glances at Texas History

By Lorena Drummond
The University of Texas

Camp Meetings On Par With Fourth of July

Old fashioned camp meetings were one of the big events in the lives of the settlers of the Texas Republic, and they prepared for such meetings for weeks ahead of time, with vigor equalled only by their preparations for Fourth of July celebrations.

Vividly Described

The meeting would begin, Dr. Lockhart explained, rather mildly as "the ladies had to meet at one another's tents and talk over the news for the first few days. After that, it became a matter of business."

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until, Dr. Lockhart declares, he held them spellbound on "the brink of Hell." "There, in imagination, you could see the doomed souls writhing in mortal agony, deep down in the pit of sulphurous burning, and perhaps a soul would rise and in the deepest agony cry for one drop of water, when his cry would be answered with molten lead poured down his already parched throat."

Satan Completely Routed

On these occasions, Dr. Lockhart wrote, "Old Scratch" would be utterly routed, "horses, foot and dragoon, from the grounds, but too often only to take up his refuge around and about the grounds, where he could be seen hovering over a jug of good old whisky."

The doctor commented that although Satan might be defeated in one place, he somehow managed to reinforce his cohorts and start the war in another place.

"Perhaps the very old deacons who had helped to rout him would find him on the next day in his retreat dealing out a seductive beverage."

Ram's Horn Called People To Day Long Services

The people of those days clung to their traditions, the writer observed, even to using a ram's horn to call the congregation to worship, in imitation of the ram's horn used in blowing down the walls of Jericho.

Services began about 9 o'clock each morning and lasted till far in the night. After the morning service, feasts were prepared in the tents of all those staying near the meeting places, and all were invited to eat, since "the stranger at the gate" must not go hungry.

The same procedure was repeated at supper, which followed an afternoon service beginning at 3 o'clock.

As it began to get dark, negroes were sent around the grounds lighting huge bonfires to illuminate the entire premises. The night services, Dr. Lockhart said, were special occasions for the

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younger people, who congregated at the altar to plead for mercy. "It was at these times that the evil one would betake himself further off, seemingly for fear of his own conversion," Dr. Lockhart wrote. The meeting lasted two weeks, and broke up after the second Sunday. The campers took down their tents, loaded their furniture onto their wagons and after several hours of saying goodby to the friends they would not see again until another camp meeting was held, were ready to move back home again. (University of Texas Library facilities are available to all Texas citizens upon request.)

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

Merit is never so conspicuous as when coupled with an obscure origin, just as the moon never appears so lustrous as when it emerges from a cloud.
—Bovee

An Important Appointment

A short time ago the President made an appointment which is of direct and immediate interest to every newspaper publication, every radio station and every reader in the country. The appointment went to Elmer Davis. His vasty important job is that of head of the newly-created Office of War Information.

As Time put it, Mr. Davis' task is "to tell the U. S. as much about the war as possible, with as few contradictions as possible." Control of the news is a very simple matter in the Axis countries, where newspapers and all other mediums of news and opinion are simply the tools of the clique in power, and are forced to solemnly distribute the most outrageous lies if that happens to suit the current purposes of the dictators. (The press has gone so far down hill in Germany, for instance, that thousands of intelligent Germans automatically regard anything and everything printed in the papers as false.) Control of the news is a very different thing in a democratic country with a tradition of a completely unfettered press. Information of military importance must be kept from circulation—and at the same time the right of expression of free opinion must be rigorously safeguarded. Honest criticism must be maintained, even while sedition is stamped out. That jobs calls for a man with wide experience and knowledge, a superior intelligence, and a full measure of downright, old-fashioned common sense.

The President obviously picked and chose among many men before finally selecting Mr. Davis. For many months there has been a mounting demand that something be done to clarify the news and censorship problems. Before the Office of War Information was formed, there were four bureaus which dealt in one way or another with these problems. Archibald MacLeish's Office of Facts and Figures; Lowell Mellett's Office of Government Reports; Robert Hepton's Division of Information of the O.E.M.; and Colonel Donovan's Office of the Coordinator of Information. There was too much overlapping, too much misdirection of effort, too much red tape and complication. It was, in short, the old case of too many cooks spoiling the broth, and some of the cooks weren't particularly expert.

All of these bureaus, except the last, have now been abolished, and the last has been given a new name and placed under the control of the staffs of the Army and Navy. Mr. Davis' Office is

now the dominant agency in its field, and he is responsible only to the President.

In press circles, the appointment of Mr. Davis was greeted with cheers. He had a distinguished newspaper career on the New York Times. After that he was freelance and distinguished himself as a writer of fiction and magazine articles. He was an instant success as a radio news analyst, where his plain, homely yet authoritative way of talking brought him a very large national audience. Opinion is that he is as good a man as the President could have picked—and that, under his direction, the government information service will take on real vitality and meaning.

No nation on earth is so well informed as to the progress of the war as ours. It is true, of course that many newspapers have understandably played up American victories and played down Axis victories and have so created a distorted picture of the actual events. But any newspaperman is free to dispatch or print anything so long as it does not serve the interests of our enemies. Any editor is free to criticize any government official or any government policy, so long as he does not preach revolution and sedition. The American press and syndicate services are far superior to those of any other country. Mr. Davis can be trusted to do his part to maintain that kind of press.

"Real Wages" Are What Count

In the interest of the worker himself, requests for wage increases should be scrutinized with extreme care at this time by the authorities—and should not be allowed except in those isolated instances where some group's wage levels are obviously out of line with the levels of other groups and correction is necessary.

It is the government's policy to fix and freeze prices. That can be done successfully only if the items of cost entering into industrial overhead are likewise fixed and frozen. In most industries, the cost of labor is among the principal items of overhead. Thus, if widespread wage increases are granted, it will be necessary to permit widespread price increases—and then again we'll be on the road to inflation.

A worker's income can only be accurately evaluated in terms of "real wages"—which simply means that his pay check must be considered in the light of the commodities and services it will buy. If a man, for instance gets a ten per cent wage boost and his cost of living then advances fifteen per cent, he is worse off than before, not better off. And past economic history definitely proves that during inflationary periods the cost of living always rises faster than wages.

Wage stability, to sum up, is essential to price stability. And we can't maintain price ceilings without wage ceilings, either voluntary or enforced.

Rubber Challenge Accepted

Private industry is attacking the rubber problem with full vigor today. And, according to authorities, production in 1943 may be greater than we expected even a short time ago.

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey alone is building 34 plants with a total capacity of 578,000 tons, and they will be in operation in less than a year. Other oil companies are pursuing similar programs. On top of that, great progress is being made in the development of other kinds of synthetic rubbers, such as those which are produced from coal and coke.

American industry regards the rubber problem as a challenge. It is determined to produce a rubber substitute which, in time, will be as good and perhaps better than the natural product. It is determined to produce such a substitute in sufficient quantity to meet essential civilian as well as military needs. It is likely that some day we may regard the loss of our sources of natural rubber as a blessing in disguise. American invention, American ingenuity and American capital are starting to build a great new synthetic rubber industry which will play a vital role in peace as well as in war.

How to Display Ceiling Prices



A single poster may show the ceiling prices for a group of related items—such as meat. The list should be printed in letters large enough to be clearly readable from the point of purchase.

KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR

PERU—JANUS OF THE WESTERN WORLD

The shrine of Peruvian nationality, like the shrine of Janus in ancient Rome, has two doors. Through one the citizen of the republic today may look back and with pride, over the splendor of centuries gone; through the other and with reason, to still greater brilliance in centuries to come. Culturally, Peru is the oldest

of the South American nations. For at least four centuries before the Spanish appeared, the territory now included in the republic was the heart of the empire of the Incas, Indians of the Quecha tongue. It spread, at the time of the Spanish conquest from north of Quito to south of the River Maule, in central Chile. When, early in the sixteenth century, the intrepid but ruthless Francisco Pizarro, after repeated vain attempts, made conquest of the Incas, their empire had achieved a civilization unsurpassed in the Western Hemisphere, and equaled only by the Mayas in Central America and the Aztecs in Mexico.

At that, but for internal quarrels and a regal fratricide, Pizarro might have failed entirely to subdue a brave, sturdy and cultured aboriginal people. Not long before the Spaniards came, the empire had been divided into two parts, ruled separately by the two sons of the Inca Huayna Capac. A feud had developed. Atahualpa of the north defeated Huascar of the south. Huascar's followers were in revolt when the Spanish appeared. To the tragedy of civil war, was added the humiliation of capitulation. And to cap it all came execution by the conquerors of Atahualpa, the last of the Inca rulers. Rapidly the centuries-old empire crumbled. Not even when Pizarro was murdered by his own followers was there heart left, or leadership, to attempt revolt and restoration.

There was to be another period of splendor, however, but of a far different sort. For two of the three centuries of Spanish rule, Lima was to be the seat of a viceroyalty, the city of kings, which held sway over all Spanish territory in South America, except Venezuela, as far north as Panama. By the time of the revolution Lima had become the richest and most aristocratic of colonial capitals and the chief Spanish stronghold in America. But as a climax to a series of sporadic revolts, most of them suppressed, the Spanish grip was to be broken for all times when a revolutionary

Two or three big fishing parties are out from town this week camped on Clear Fork and Paint Creek. Several of the parties have sent word they are having good luck.

We found lying on our desk yesterday an Irish potato as large as a big man's fist and a fine white onion of similar dimensions to which was attached the legend: "We grew in Sam Ramsey's garden this year, in spite of hot winds, etc." Such products as these and the cabbage being marketed by Capt. Williams and Mr. Killingsworth show what a little irrigation will do here the worst of years.

On and after July 1st the mail will be delivered to the hack immediately on the arrival of a train at Stamford, 5 o'clock p. m., and the hack leaves at once, arriving in Haskell at 7:30 p. m.

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Haskell County History

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

20 Years Ago—July 7, 1922
Miss Ruth Lewis left Saturday night for Abilene where she will visit Mrs. Leona Nolen for a few days.

Mrs. R. E. DeBard and daughter Euna, left the first of the week for Colorado, where they will spend the summer months with relatives and friends.

Henry L. Smith and family returned Friday from Throckmorton where they have been visiting relatives for the past few days.

J. L. Tubbs, formerly of this city, writes the Free Press from Trinidad, Colo., where he is manager of a laundry in that city, and is well pleased with his new location, although he still counts Haskell his home.

W. M. Ward was seriously injured last Saturday afternoon when the house in which he was living was struck by a tornado. The house, a one-room dwelling on the Waldrop farm south of town, was completely demolished.

R. F. Pittman, of this city, formerly connected with the Ford Garage here, has leased the Texas Garage workshop in the new Couch building and will operate a garage there.
Misses Katherine Smith, Erma English and Georgia Smith left

Friday for Nugent, where they will spend several days visiting friends.

C. M. Hunt and daughter of Dallas arrived Thursday to spend several days with relatives here. Kermit Thornton and Othello Anderson from Graham spent the week-end with their parents in this city.

Mrs. George Hubbard of Stamford spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Ned Roberts of this city.

J. D. Boone has returned from Galveston, where he has been a patient in a hospital in that city for several weeks.

30 Years Ago—July 6, 1912
Miss Ruby Poole has accepted a position in the postoffice of Sweetwater.

J. M. Cass and son W. M. Cass of Bell county were in the city last week.

Mrs. L. Taylor of Coleman came last week to visit for several days in the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor.

Ed Morris, our county surveyor, was called Monday to Jones county to do some surveying.
Earl Cogdell was up from Granbury this week. Mr. Cogdell has made extensive improvements at

his oil mill this summer and will be ready to start crushing seed as soon as the season opens up.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott of this city entertained a party of their friends at their ranch on the east side. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilson. The fishing was said to have been fine.

Miss Tommie Boone and Mrs. Matthew Alexander left Wednesday for Canyon City, where they will visit for a while.

The Haskell Bakery furnished 1,000 loaves of bread for the Gorce barbecue and the local ice plant furnished the soda water.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Couch of Aspermont were in the city last week. They also visited at Monday before returning home.

Misses May Fields and Susie Baker left Monday for Yellowstone Park. Miss Fields will visit in Taft, Calif., before returning home.

The Ferris Ranch in the north-east part of the county is putting up three silos. They will fill the silos with green forage.

Mrs. J. S. Rike is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Morrison at Graham.

Mrs. N. I. McCollum and children are visiting at Clyde and Putnam.

Cleveland Pierson returned Monday from Aspermont, where he visited relatives and friends a few days.

Kay Baker, who has been attending A & M College the past term returned home this week to spend the summer with his parents.

40 Years Ago—July 5, 1902
According to old timers here, if the rains come right it will be safe to plant dwarf milo maize as late as July 25.

Miss Dulin Fields returned home Wednesday from a visit of several weeks with relatives in East Texas.
Walter McWhirter left this week for Galveston where he has secured a position with a drug company.
Key G. H. Morrison of Dublin was out this week on a visit to his wife and child, who are here for their health.
They are telling it on Tom Ballard that he could find no place in town that suited him until he looked over the Oglesby place

A Good Suggestion

Do not neglect your car. Since it must be made to last the duration it will require the best attention and care on your part.

Another Good Suggestion

Have it insured against the dangers of fire, theft and windstorm. The cost is small.

For best results place your insurance with us.

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"Complete Insurance Service"

Weekly Health Letter

By Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer

Austin, Texas—A plea for a safe and sane Fourth of July was issued today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who declared, "We should not forget that the glorious Fourth is the anniversary of American freedom—a freedom which is now in jeopardy."

"This nation needs every man, woman and child at maximum physical strength. Unnecessary loss of life or time from careless accidents is a form of sabotage against our total war effort."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that hundreds of accidents occur each year among Fourth of July celebrants, including drowning, traffic casualties and serious injuries from fireworks. He declared that every day's time lost in this manner will handicap the nation's war effort.

"The celebration of American independence is a custom dear to the hearts of all Americans," Dr. Cox said, "but this year as never before care should be taken to avoid accidents which cripple or kill since our maximum manpower is needed for the successful

Wasted money is wasted lives. Don't waste precious lives. Every dollar you can spare should be used to buy War Bonds. Buy your ten percent every pay day.

prostitution of a war to that same American freedom and in traveling in water will aid materially in down the total number of all firework injuries to children." Dr. Cox declared.

Political Rallies Drop

A warning to state and local officials that their political rallies should be canceled or postponed because of the OPA office at Fort Worth has caused a number of political rallies to be canceled. Passengers obviously not in a social business. In Dallas and Travis counties, candidates for the forthcoming election responded to OPA's appeal to serve tires by agreeing to political rallies this year.

GET THE SPEEDY, SURE RELIEF FOR AN INDIGESTION
BISMA-REX
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She's in the Army Now!



---and happy about the whole thing!

"They also serve who only stand and wait" is cold comfort for the American woman of 1942 whose fighting spirit and love for her country make her look with longing eyes toward the battlefield where her brother, husband, son or sweetheart is stationed. Her chance to help is here! Besides her hours at the Red Cross, her production work in the home or on the farm, she carries a little white ration book in her purse—badge of an American housewife who is rearranging her menus to include less sugar, conserving gasoline by walking instead of riding and stands ready to accept with a cheerful smile any other restrictions that are necessary to bring Victory. Hats off to the lady—she's in the Army now!

For latest war developments on the home and fighting fronts, read the ads and articles in your home newspaper—

The Haskell Free Press

FARM NEWS

from YOUR COUNTY AGENT TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE

Club Boys Place Calves On Feed

Club boys in Haskell county placing calves on feed. 4-H Club demonstrations according to G. R. Schummann, County Agent, Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. Club members, Kretschmer of Irby, John of Paint Creek, and Rancher of Haskell, purchased calves from the Ernest ranch at Jayton.

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Insect Control Demonstrations to be Conducted

Haskell County farmers conduct cotton insect control demonstrations during the next months under the direction of G. R. Schummann, County Agent, Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Following farmers have agreed to serve as demonstrators: Lynn S. farm located in black belt of Weibert; A. W. McFarland farm located near Rule; L. H. farm located west of Jayton.

Operator's willingness to cooperate in demonstration by carrying out demonstrations maintaining records on production.

Gravating Gas

Gravating gas is a very dangerous gas. It is used in the gravating process. It is very dangerous and should be handled with care.

Travel To Fairs Not Essential

While postponement of state and county fairs, in accord with ODT's recently announced policy, will be a deprivation to the farmer, it will "by no means be an intolerable deprivation".

Why suffer from Colds?

For quick relief from cold symptoms take 666 Liquid-Tablets-Salvo-Nose Drops.

Part tuition now—balance after employment. The demand for trained personnel is urgent. One factory alone has asked for 400 graduates as rapidly as they can be trained.

Aero-Crafts Institute, Inc.
208 North Swenson Avenue
Stamford, Texas

Blitz The Boarders

Don't allow a few culls to sabotage your production program. Hens not laying, provided that they have been properly managed, should be sold.

Reasons:
1. Fat hens are bringing a good price on the market.
2. Non layers consumer approximately 4 lbs. mash and 3 lbs. grain per month. At present feed prices this approximates 15c per month net loss on feed.

3. Non-layers take up room in the house, and if "broody" take up next room, break eggs, and generally are a nuisance.
Reminder:
Feed cost per dozen increases or decreases in direct relation to production. When mash is worth \$3.00 per hundred and grain \$2.00 per hundred, hens producing at the rate of 60 percent produce eggs for 10.5 cents per dozen.

4. Do the job yourself. Don't ask anyone to cull your chickens. You can do the job and be better satisfied because no one knows your flock as well as you. If you need help get bulletin B-105, "Culling Hens" from your county Extension office. Read it carefully, study the pictures, then go through the flock and take out

all hens which are not laying. 5. Blitz the boarders and increase your profits.

Culling and Marketing of Inferior Animals

Advantages of culling herds and marketing female stock to meet war production goals:
1. Will prevent further increases in livestock populations.
2. Will enable the rancher to maintain a balance between feed produced and livestock.
3. Present prices will permit the disposal of old and low quality animals at a profit.
4. Rigid culling of herds will result in high quality and high producing animals.
5. Will bring herds more nearly in line with long-time carrying capacities.
6. Will make possible a carry over of feed reserve with which to meet a drought.
7. Affords a means of liquidating outstanding indebtedness.
8. Will enable ranchers to meet marketing goals which is the objective of increased livestock production for war needs rather than an increase in the number of animals produced.

Why Not Keep More Stock To Meet War Needs?

Authorities on food supplies for this country and our allies say we will need an estimated 12 per cent increase in cotton marketings in 1942 over 1941. Emphasis is being placed on the fact that increased marketings of livestock in 1942 should come from expected increased production resulting from favorable production conditions combined, with systematic marketing of large numbers now on hand.

Mr. Virgil P. Lee, President, Production Credit Corporation of Houston, Texas, summarized this phase of the Food for Freedom program in three parts, as follows:
1. Protect our ranges by preventing further increase in livestock population. This can be done by (1) selling more old stuff, (2) keeping fewer heifers, and (3) selling calves and steers at their normal marketing time.
2. Help National Defense by increased marketings in 1942 over any recent year, and selling more livestock direct from the range to slaughter for the reason that (a) feeders are having to pay nearly as much per pound for feeder cattle as they can get for fat cattle, and (b) feed prices are high.
3. Get in stronger financial position. This action will not only contribute to the immediate needs of the country but should result in direct benefit to the rancher: (a) It will give them one of the best opportunities they have ever had to really cull and improve their herds; (b) It will enable them to make necessary improvements and to conserve grass; and (c) it will enable them to get their loans in better shape.

All of this should better enable the ranchman to face economic and physical reverses that may occur in the next few years. It should also put them in better position to attain any production goals which may be established after 1942, because more beef and mutton can be produced with a moderate rate of stocking. Approximately two thirds of the range feed is required to maintain the animal leaving one-third for production—calf and lamb crops become smaller, weights lighter, and death losses increase.

Petitions For Congress

Petitions signed by 16,000 Texas farmers asking for a fair chance to meet Food for Victory goals through average parity prices on all agricultural commodities were sent to Congress last week from state headquarters of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation in Waco.

Shown above are a portion of the 2,500 copies of the petition on display in state Farm Bureau offices just before being relayed to Texas congressmen in Washington. Viewing the display are J. Walter Hammond (left) of Tye, president of the Texas Farm Bureau and Jack Clark of Caldwell, one of the district directors of the statewide farm organization.

The petitions, which were circulated by county and community Farm Bureau leaders in more than 200 Texas counties are shown here lined up by congressional districts. Each of the 21 Texas congressmen received copies signed by farmers in his district, and master lists from the entire state were sent to Senators Connally and O'Daniel.

The petition urges Congress to retain the 85 to 110 percent of parity market range provided in the present price control law so that farmers will have a reasonable chance to average parity for their products and thus be able, in the face of rising production costs to produce the food and fiber needed to defeat the axis.

Army and navy posts throughout the state are seeing University of Texas summer theater productions. Presented recently at three posts was "The Ninth Guest" a mystery melodrama. In production is "Abie's Irish Rose".

Throwing lighted cigarettes out of car windows is a violation of the law in California.

READ THE WANT ADS

Patriotic Fourth Means A Safe and Sane Observance

AUSTIN, July 2—Fourth of July will mean more to American liberty if workers on the home front will observe it by patriotic driving, the Texas Safety Association said today.

Automobile traffic over the long holiday week-end will be almost as heavy as other years, the association predicted, and unless motorists do something about it, so will the traffic toll.

Suggestions offered by the association include:
Drive under forty miles an hour.
Patriotically observe all traffic rules and signals.
For patriotism's sake — don't drink before driving.
The result will be uninterrupted war production which since Pearl Harbor has been endangered by the traffic deaths of 17,000 Americans.

Last year 28 Texans were killed in traffic accidents over the Fourth of July holiday period.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mueller of Corpus Christi are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bolin of Haskell.

There was a 13 per cent increase in dollar sales in 82 Texas department stores reporting on their first five month's business this year to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. May sales were 1 per cent above a year ago and were up 5 per cent above April.

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Former Haskell Man Is Honored By Masonic Lodge

S. W. Scott of San Antonio who has been a Master Mason for 53 years was honored last week at a joint meeting of three San Antonio Masonic Lodges. Mr. Scott was decorated with the insignia of an honored veteran of the order awarded by the Grand Lodge of Texas. The three lodges participating were San Antonio No. 1079, Albert Pike No. 1169, and Triune No. 15.

Mr. Scott became a Mason in San Gabriel Lodge No. 89, Georgetown in January 1889. He was a former resident of Haskell and a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 682.

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JULY 4th 1942

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WHAT IS AMERICA? America is Joe Smith, clerk. Joe was just beginning to get ahead a little ... thinking it was about time to get married and settle down. Then came Pearl Harbor and Joe saw he had a job to do and now he's Private Joseph Smith, U. S. A.

America is Emmie Grant, housewife. Emmie just had a baby, and she and her husband were going to make the first payment on a little house out away from town. But now Emmie has a different job to do. A neighbor takes care of the baby, and Emmie works in a defense plant.

America is Susie Brown. Susie doesn't quite know what it's all about. She's studying her Country's history in school, though, and she's proud of it and wants to help now and so on Saturdays she helps her mother sell Victory stamps.

AMERICA IS AMERICANS ... Americans with a job to do. Joe Smith, Emmie Grant, Susie Brown ... fighting, working, living and maybe dying for a single purpose—to keep alive that precious Freedom Americans fought for one hundred and sixty-six years ago ... to keep alive that "one nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all." On July 4, 1776, they established a free country ... and on July 4, 1942 Americans with the same blood in their veins, the same spirit in their hearts are fighting to keep it free.

BUY WAR BONDS

Why was Haskell County requested by telegram not to have Political Rallies, while other counties are having them??

Who Paid for the Telegram



PLEASE ANSWER

(Paid Advertisement)



With the Colors

Graduates From Army Motor School

Pvt. Jessie B. Hilliard, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hilliard, was a member of the graduating class today at Ft. Crook Motor School, Ft. Crook, Nebraska.

The Ft. Crook Motor School is one of the leading service schools of the United States Army. The course includes repair, maintenance, and convoy driving of government vehicles. This training is very valuable and necessary in our modern army with its multitude of trucks and cars, running from the popular jeep to the large prime movers.

Stationed at San Diego, Calif. Edwin Cass Jr., is now stationed in the Anti-Aircraft Reserved Training Center located in San Diego, Calif. Edwin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cass of this city.

Corporal W. B. Harrison who has been stationed with the Army Air Base at McDill Field, Tampa, Florida, for the past month, has been transferred to Gowen Field at Boise, Idaho, Cpl. Harrison is flight engineer on the Army B-17 type Flying Fortress. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harrison of this city.

GREAT LAKES, Ill. — Now serving with the U. S. Navy is George T. Shaw, 26, of Haskell, who was received at the U. S. Naval Training Station here and is now undergoing recruit training. The new recruit will be given a series of aptitude tests to determine whether he will be sent for further instruction at one of the Navy's many service schools, or assigned for duty at sea or at some other naval station.

Guests of Mrs. J. W. Martin this week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth of Lubbock, Mrs. E. D. Engleman and daughter, Jean of Spur, J. R. Martin and daughter, Mrs. Jack Land and son Billy Kay of Abilene, Mrs. Cretia Brooks of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holder and son of Crockett, and Mrs. Polly Leath of Rule. Jane Richey returned from Spur after a visit of several weeks and has as her guest this week, Jean Engleman of that city.

Miss Beatrix Mobley who is attending Draughton's Business College in Abilene is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Mobley of this city.

Candidate Cites Attorney General's Ruling In Waging Write-In Campaign

To assure voters that their support of his candidacy was in compliance with all Texas election laws, Thos. B. Roberson, candidate for County Superintendent who is conducting an intensive "write-in" campaign for the office, who failed to file for a place on the first primary ballot because of illness of immediate members of his family, this week cited an opinion from the State Attorney General's Department which upholds Mr. Roberson's "write-in" campaign.

that such vote must be counted and return made thereon. The department has further held that such a person if he secured enough votes to entitle his name to be placed on the ballot for a run-off primary, would be entitled to the official ballot for such run-off primary, provided that such person shall have complied with the requirements of the statutes pertaining to the filing of expense accounts as required by the statute.

Mr. Elmore Smith left Monday for Houston where she has accepted a position with the Brown Construction Company.

Hospital Notes

The following were listed as patients in the Haskell county hospital Thursday at noon: Thelma White of Haskell for surgery. Mrs. W. H. York of Haskell for surgery. Mrs. J. B. Marr of Haskell for surgery. Miss Mary Porter of Haskell for medical treatment. John L. Grindstaff of Haskell for surgery. Mrs. J. A. Blake of Weinert, accident injuries. Patients dismissed during the past week included Mrs. Raybon Lam and infant son of Midland, M. C. Wilfong of Haskell, Jean Blake of Weinert, Mrs. Arval Jarman and infant daughter of Haskell, Mrs. C. E. Fitzgerald and infant daughter of Rochester.

SAMPLE BALLOT

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

- For United States Senator: W. Lee O'Daniel, Tarrant County. Dan Moody, Travis County. James V. Allred, Harris County. Floyd E. Ryan, Harris County. For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals 11th Supreme Judicial District: Clyde Grissom of Eastland County. For Representative, 113th Legislative District: A. H. King of Throckmorton county. For District Judge 39th Judicial District: Dennis P. Ratliff. Ben Charlie Chapman. For District Attorney 39th Judicial District: T. R. Odell. Fred Stockdale. For County Judge: John F. Ivy. Courtney Hunt. For County Attorney: A. C. Foster. Curtis F. Pogue. For District Clerk: P. J. White. Horace Oneal. For County Clerk: Raul English. Mrs. Hettie Williams. Guy C. Collins. For Sheriff: Olen Dotson. Ollie R. Kittley. J. V. Jenkins. For Assessor and Collector of Taxes: M. R. Smith. Jason W. Smith. Troy G. Turpen. For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: Matt Graham. Mrs. Iva Palmer. For County Treasurer: Willie Lane. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: Terry L. Roberson. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: E. O. Chapman. O. L. Moore. Alfred Turnbow. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: W. W. Griffin. Joe Larned. Noah S. Lane. J. P. Trimmer. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: Bill Fouts. For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: Ernest S. Marion. W. E. Welsh. For Constable Precinct No. 1: Sterling Edwards. For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 2: S. L. Coggins. For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 6: John A. Lee. For Public Weigher Precinct No. 2: Eddie Sanders. For Constable Precinct No. 5: L. G. Hall. For Public Weigher Precinct No. 5: Pat Martin. For Public Weigher Precinct No. 7: W. A. Bryant. For County Chairman: John A. Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton and daughter, Hattie Lucille, Miss Lucy P'Pool, Mrs. John Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couch attended the homecoming of the First Baptist Church at Munday last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rich of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting her mother Mrs. J. C. Lewellen and other relatives in Haskell and Weinert. John Oates Jr., who is in training at Sheppard Field, completed his course and has retained as one of the five instructors at the school. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams children of Sarasota, Fla. Monday for California. They will visit with Mrs. W. Witt and other relatives.

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