

D. McKelvain Is First Traffic Victim of 1942 In Haskell County

Young Farmer Is Killed When Car Overturns on Curve

McKelvain, prominent Haskell farmer, became county's first traffic victim of the year when he was killed Thursday night when his car went out on a curve in Highway 10 one-half miles north and overturned several times, driving the car into the ditch. The machine and his body were thrown about thirty or forty feet from the vehicle. Persons arriving at the scene found the car overturned on the State Highway. They summoned an ambulance from Haskell. The victim was brought to the county hospital where he died a few moments after being pronounced dead by attending physicians. Attendants at the hospital reported that he had suffered internal injuries, a fracture of the skull and a fracture of the right arm.

5-Year Suspended Sentence Assessed Against Negro On Assault To Murder Charge

For County Judge



Courtney Hunt, prominent Haskell business man and former State Representative, this week announced his candidacy for County Judge of Haskell county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

L. T. Swaim Enters Plea of Guilty and Waives Jury Trial

In the only criminal case tried in District Court this week, a five year suspended sentence was assessed L. T. Swaim, colored, who entered a plea of guilty to a Grand Jury indictment charging assault with intent to murder. Indictment against Swaim was returned by a Grand Jury during the latter part of the Fall court term, in connection with a shooting which occurred at a colored cafe in Rule on the night of October 24, in which another negro, T. J. Barnes was shot in the arm and shoulder.

When arraigned for trial Monday, Swaim entered his guilty plea through Calvin Henson, court-appointed counsel, and waived a jury trial. The negro took the stand in his own behalf, and testified that he shot Barnes during a quarrel which developed during a game of "monte" and Barnes had made a move as if to draw a gun. Barnes, placed on the witness stand, recounted his version of the affair and stated that he "was not mad" at the defendant now, but that he couldn't be "friends" with Swaim. Other court proceedings this week have included non-jury civil cases, with a number of tax suits scheduled for hearing Thursday.

DISTRICT MEETING OF MASONS WILL BE HELD HERE JAN. 20

Grand Master of Texas To Be Principal Speaker On Program

Haskell Lodge No. 682, A. F. & A. M. will be host for a meeting of lodges in the 91st District on Tuesday night, January 20th, at which time Dr. E. M. Wood of Anson, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas will be the principal speaker.

The meeting will be held in the Masonic Hall. This city and arrangements are being planned to entertain more than one hundred out-of-town visitors from the nine Masonic lodges in the 91st district: Rule, Throckmorton, Benjamin, Knox City, Munday, Goree, Woodson, Seymour and Haskell.

Program for the evening will begin at 7 o'clock when refreshments will be served to visitors and members of the local lodge in attendance, after which District Judge Dennis P. Ratliff will bring the welcome address, with response to be given by Sam Reed of O'Brien. Next will come a brief business session of the association, followed by the introduction of Grand Master E. M. Wood as principal speaker for the occasion.

All members of the Haskell lodge and visiting Masons are urged to attend the meeting.

Haskell Banks Will Be Closed All Day Monday

Haskell banks will be closed for the entire day Monday, January 19th, which has been designated as a Legal Holiday in Texas and all other Southern States in observance of the birthday of Robert E. Lee. Because the holiday comes on Monday, business men and all other patrons of the two local banks are requested to arrange their banking transactions so that no inconvenience may result.

Guilty Conscience of R.C.A.F. Deserter Results in Surrender to Officers Here

After roaming the continent from Canada to Florida as a deserter from the Royal Canadian Air Force, a 29-year-old Oklahoman, C. W. Burkhalter who said his home was in Duncan, Okla., voluntarily placed himself in custody of Sheriff Olen Dotson recently declaring that he was tired of "dodging the law" and was willing to accept any punishment which he deserved. According to facts revealed in an investigation made by Sheriff Olen Dotson, Burkhalter started

Officers I.O.O.F. Lodge Installed Thursday Night

New officers of Haskell Lodge No. 525, I.O.O.F., were installed at the regular lodge meeting on Thursday night of last week, to serve for the coming six months. Installed in the various lodge offices were: Rev. W. D. Priddy as Noble Grand; Guy Collins, Vice Grand; W. O. Risley, Inner Guard; E. E. Welsh, Outer Guard; O. E. Patterson, Secretary; John Ellis, Treasurer; Troy Turpin, R.S.N.G.; L. D. Jones, L.S.N.G.; Ewell Jarred, R.S.V.G.; Roy Oliphant, L.S.V.G.; Ben Smith, Warden; Belton Duncan, Chaplain; Ray Lusk and Thurman Bynum, Scene Supporters. W. E. Woodson is immediate Past Grand of the local lodge.

J. E. Walling, Jr., Local Dealer For Butane Appliances

J. E. Walling, Jr., of this city has accepted the dealership in this section for Butane Gas and Butane System Appliances. In announcing the local dealership, Mr. Walling stated that he would carry a full line of Butane appliances for the home, including heating, cooking and refrigeration appliances. Mr. Walling explained that Butane systems can be installed in any home, whether in town or rural sections, and that this method of heating, cooking and refrigeration was safe, convenient and economical.

Surety Company Pays County's Claim In Full

The American Surety Company of New York this week paid in full Haskell County's claim covering the shortage in the Tax Assessor-Collector's office for the years 1935-36-37-38-39, shown in a county and state audit of the books of the office made last year.

Dance Will Be Given Saturday At Herman Hall

With all proceeds from the affair going to National Defense, a dance will be given at the Sons of Herman Hall in the Irby community Saturday night. Music for the evening will be provided by a new 6-piece dance orchestra booked especially for the occasion. Everyone who enjoys dancing is invited to attend the affair.

Young Hunter Kills Limit of Deer



Pictured above is James "Sonny" Reynolds of this city and the two bucks he killed during the closing days of the deer hunting season. The young hunter accompanied his father, Frank B. Reynolds, and a party of local men on their hunting trip in Real county and "Sonny" killed an eight and a nine-point buck, while his father bagged an eight-pointer.

Second Annual 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show Slated Feb. 28

Heads 100F Lodge Premiums Totalling \$175.00 Will Be Awarded To Exhibitors

The second annual Haskell County 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show will be held at the Central West Texas Fairgrounds in this city Saturday, February 28th. It was announced this week by County Agent G. R. Schumann, director of the annual show.

The initial show, held in February of last year, attracted the entry of more than fifty animals in the three divisions for Fat Calves, Fat Hogs and Fat Lambs, and the number of entries in this year's show is expected to be considerably larger.

Judging of all animals exhibited in the show will be on a classification basis, in which the animals will be graded Choice, Good and Medium. Exhibition will be limited to 4H Club members and members of the Future Farmers of America.

Cash premiums amounting to \$175 will be awarded exhibitors, the premium list being provided by the Agriculture Committee and the Trade Extension Committee of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce out of unexpended funds raised for the Christmas program. The premium list will include special awards for the best milk fed calf, best dry cow, best pig and best lamb exhibited, and for the best five animals from a community or club in each division of the show.

In addition to County Agent Schumann as director, other officials of the show are Homer Neal and A. C. Pierson, assistant directors; T. E. Fambrough, superintendent of fat calf division; Edwin McMinn, superintendent of swine division; and J. W. Young, superintendent of sheep division.

Car Stolen Here Is Recovered At Kaufman, Texas

A Ford coach belonging to J. E. Walling, Sr., and which was stolen sometime Thursday afternoon was recovered Friday night at Kaufman, Texas, as the result of quick work on the part of the sheriff's department after the theft had been reported. Miss Hortense Walling had left the car parked at the curb between the Haskell National Bank and Lane-Felker's when she returned from dinner Thursday at noon, and did not discover that it had been stolen until late Thursday evening. Sheriff Dotson was immediately notified and he had a description of the stolen car broadcast over police radio in Abilene and Fort Worth. Friday night Sheriff Dotson was advised by telephone from Kaufman that the car had been recovered there and that Kaufman police were holding a 20-year-old man, Cecil Linton, driver of the car.

Deputy Sheriff Jim Isbell and J. E. Walling, Jr., went to Kaufman Saturday and returned the car to this city. Deputy Isbell also took custody of Linton. Arraigned before Justice of the Peace Marion, bond for Linton was set at \$750, which the defendant readily perfected and he was released pending action of the Grand Jury.

County Clerk Roy Ratliff and Mrs. Ratliff were called to San Antonio Tuesday afternoon to the bedside of Mrs. Ratliff's mother, who was reported seriously ill at her home in that city.

Interest In Politics Rises With More Candidates Entering Political Field

TRIAL OF BOLIN MURDER CASE SET FOR JAN. 26TH

Special Venire of 80 Petit Jurors Summoned For The Trial

Only murder case pending on the docket of the District Court for the current term, the State of Texas vs. D. B. Bolin, charged with murder in connection with slaying of his estranged wife, has been set for Monday January 28 and a special venire of 80 persons summoned from which a jury to hear the case will be chosen.

Bolin, 19-year-old Haskell carpenter, was indicted by the Grand Jury last week on the murder count. He was arraigned before District Judge Dennis P. Ratliff Saturday morning and after hearing reading of the indictment, entered a plea of not guilty through his attorney, T. R. Odell of this city.

Mrs. Geneva Bolin, 18, estranged wife of the defendant, was shot and instantly killed early in the morning of Nov. 16, 1941, while she sat in a car with two young couples with whom she had attended a motion picture show, in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roberts several blocks north of the square in this city.

Immediately following the shooting, young Bolin surrendered to City Nightwatchman Al Cousins. The slaying was investigated by the city officer and Sheriff Olen Dotson and deputies, who found a revolver in the vicinity (Continued on Page Eight)

Seeks Re-Election



County Clerk Roy Ratliff this week announced his candidacy for re-election in that capacity, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

RED CROSS FIRST AID COURSE WILL BEGIN JAN. 19TH

All Persons Over 17 Eligible To Enroll for 10-Day Course

An approved Red Cross First Aid Course will be started Monday night, January 19, sponsored by the Haskell county Red Cross chapter. It was announced this week by Mrs. Carl Power, chapter chairman.

All persons over the age of 17 years will be eligible to enroll for the course, which will continue for ten days with W. O. Risley as instructor. No fee will be charged for the course.

Instruction will be given each evening beginning at 7 o'clock Mondays through Fridays until the course is completed. Classes will be held in the Red Cross room on the third floor of the courthouse.

Red Cross Workers Asked To Turn In Finished Garments

All volunteer Red Cross workers who have been issued materials from the local Red Cross sewing room are urged this week to turn in all the garments and articles they have finished. Especially wanted at this time are as many heavy garments as possible, those in charge of the sewing room explained.

All articles and garments that have been completed by workers in the local sewing room must be packed and shipped February 1st.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grissom and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh were in Fort Worth this week end.

Public Hearing on Forming Soil District Slated

A Public Hearing on the proposed creation of the Knox-Haskell County Soil Conservation District will be held at Knox City, Wednesday Jan. 28 beginning at 10 a. m.

The hearing has been called by the State Soil Conservation Board, and representatives of the State body will be present to discuss the advantages and facilities that would be available if the district is created.

The proposed district would take in all of Knox county and approximately the north half of Haskell county. All landowners and farmers residing in the territory embraced in the proposed district are urged to attend the Knox City hearing.

Singers Will Meet At Weinert Sunday Afternoon Jan. 18

First meeting of the Haskell County Singing Convention of the year will be held at Weinert Sunday afternoon, beginning promptly at 1:30 o'clock. All singers and music lovers of this section are invited to attend and take part in the afternoon program, and plenty of new song books will be available for all present.

Carl Gallagher of Dallas, Credit and Collection Manager of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office, Farm Credit Administration, and Lamar Evans, Washington representative of the FCA spent last Saturday in Haskell conferring with Marvin P. Bryan, district Field Supervisor of the Emergency Crop Loan Section of FCA.

Special Subscription Offer To Be Withdrawn Saturday, January 17th

Subscribers and prospective readers of The Free Press are reminded that only two days—Friday and Saturday—remain in which to take advantage of the special Bargain Day subscription offer of \$1.00 per year in Haskell and adjoining counties. The special rate will positively be withdrawn Saturday, January 17, and no extension will be made. After that date the regular rate of \$1.50 per year in Has-

Five Candidates Announce For Various Offices This Week

Political interest continued to share the spotlight with war news in Haskell county this week, with five additional candidates entering the political field, bringing the total to 17 candidates who have announced to date for the various district, county and precinct offices in the county.

Advance interest of voters in the coming elections and primaries was also evidenced by the fact that poll tax payments to date have already doubled the figure for the same date last year. Deputies in the Tax Assessor-Collector's office said that 1607 poll tax receipts had been issued up to noon Thursday, and that a daily increase had been noticed since the first of the year.

Candidates announcing this week included the following:

Courtney Hunt, well-known Haskell business man and former State Representative, made his formal announcement as a candidate for County Judge. Second to announce for this office was John F. Ivy, prominent farmer and resident of Haskell county during his entire lifetime. Mr. Ivy is a resident of the Rockdale community in the southeast part of Haskell county.

For Commissioner of Precinct 3, J. P. Trimmer, farmer and stockman who has lived in the precinct 20 years, is the first to announce for this important office. County Clerk Roy Ratliff this week announced that he would seek re-election to that office and that a formal statement of his candidacy would be made at an early date.

County Superintendent Matt Graham also announced his candidacy for re-election on the basis of his administration of the affairs of the office in the past and the conviction that the experience gained qualifies him to render more efficient service to school patrons and taxpayers of Haskell county in the future.

State Representative A. H. King can also be counted among the list of candidates, having stated while in Haskell this week that formal announcement of his candidacy for re-election to the legislative post would be made at an early date.

ALL OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS HASKELL NAT'L RE-ELECTED

Stockholders Meeting F&M Bank Postponed Because of Gashier's Illness

Annual meeting of stockholders of the Haskell National Bank was held Tuesday of this week, at which time all officers and directors of the institution were re-elected. The meeting of stockholders of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank, also scheduled for Tuesday was postponed due to the illness of W. Q. Casey, who contracted a severe case of influenza last week and is a patient in the Haskell hospital.

Officers of the Haskell National Bank, re-elected Tuesday, are: Mrs. M. S. Pierson, of Abilene, president; Hardy Grissom of Abilene, vice-president; O. E. Patterson, active vice-president; A. C. Pierson, cashier; Miss Nettie McCollum, assistant cashier.

Directors of the institution are: Mrs. M. S. Pierson, G. W. Waldrop, Hardy Grissom, J. U. Fields, Jno. W. Pace, O. E. Patterson, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham.

Quota of \$379,300 In Defense Bonds, Stamps, Assigned

O. E. Patterson of this city, county chairman of Defense Bonds and Stamp Sales, was advised this week that Haskell county had been assigned a minimum quota of \$379,300 worth of Defense Bonds and Stamps to be sold in the county during 1942. Based on population figures for Haskell county in the 1940 census, the per capita quota for 1942 will amount to \$25.40 for every man, woman and child in Haskell county.

THE WARWHOOOP

Official Newspaper of Haskell High School
 Editor-in-Chief Dale Bartlett
 Assistant Editor Billie Jack Speer
 Reporters:
 Beverly King, Florence Hammer, Betty Jo Hester, Frances Chapman, Loreda Keneda, Joyce Fowler, Shirley White, Helen Young



Senior Spotlight The Band Begins To Play

(This is the beginning of a series of short biographical sketches of the seniors taken alphabetically.)

DALE BARTLETT

Dale is one senior who can always be depended on to do her share of everything and to do it capably. She is the editor-in-chief of the "Warwhoop" and was recently made the president of a "Speech Arts Club" she is also one of the representatives to the Student Council, which body elected her reporter from both houses. She is a member of the newly organized "Young Defenders of America." Dale has been a member of the Gypsy Ramblers for three years and was a pep squad girl during her first three years in high school, she is also a member of the "La Coma Club" and has been for two years. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bartlett are her parents.

CAROL DEAN BLEDSOE

Carol is that tall young man with a rare sense of humor which adds much to the senior class. He has spent most of his school life in Haskell, having spent only a year and a half in Knox City. He has been outstanding in F. F. A. work and served as reporter for both local and district chapters of the organization last year. He was also a member of the Warwhoop Staff last year. Like most young men of this day Carol wants to help his country, so he wants to take up the study of aviation after he finishes his high school work.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bledsoe of this city.

ANNA MAE BROOKS

Anna Mae, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brooks, has graced Haskell High School with her presence only this, her senior year. She received her former education from the Travis Grade School, and the Sam Houston High School of Houston, Texas. While living in Houston Anna Mae belonged to various clubs such as the "Bit and Bridle Club," "The Choral Club" and "The Overall Club."

Anna Mae is taking four subjects this year, one of which is shorthand. She hopes to be a successful business woman some day and from our knowledge of her, we have no doubt that she will succeed.

USED CARS

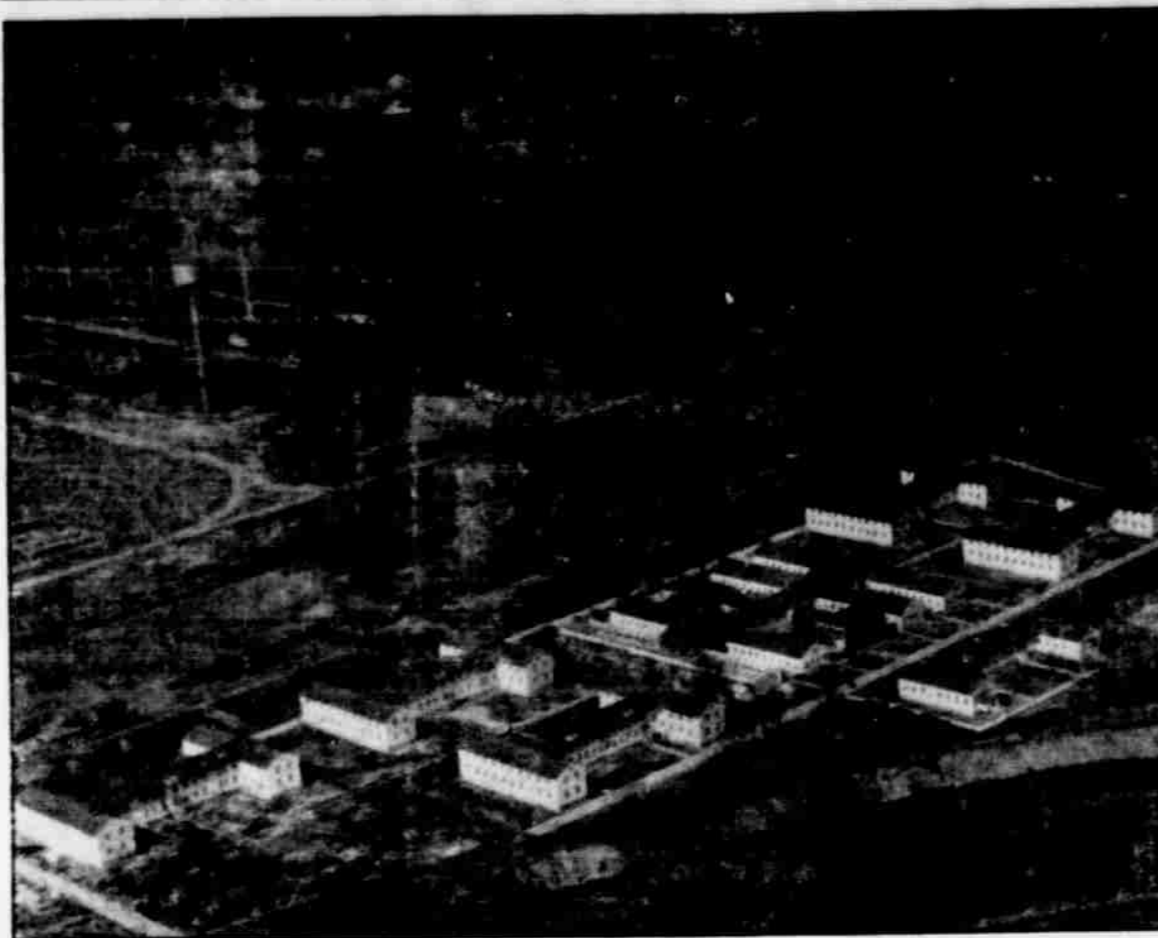
See these Real Buys in Used Cars on our lot today.

- 1941 Mercury two-door.
- 1941 Ford 2-door.
- 1941 Chevrolet 2-door.
- 1940 Ford Coupe
- 1939 Dodge Coupe.
- 1934 Ford Sedan.
- 1938 Ford Sedan
- 1937 Ford Coupe.
- 1935 Chrysler Sedan.
- 1934 Ford Two Door.

Brown & Percy Motor Company

At Panhandle Garage

Navy School Nestles in World's Biggest Factory



DEARBORN, Mich.—In the heart of the aerial view shows the school buildings in the Ford Motor Company's vast Rouge plant is a right foreground on the bank of the River Rouge. The recruits are "learning by doing" jacket recruits in mechanical trades they in accordance with educational methods will perform with Uncle Sam's fleet. This pioneered by the Henry Ford Trade School.

Speech Arts Club Is A Reality

A recently organized Speech Arts Club has Dale Bartlett for president, Helen Young for vice-president, and Carolyn Williams for secretary and treasurer. The sponsor is Miss Vick. Regular meetings will be held twice monthly, and the members will engage in activities such as book reviewing and choral reading. This organization is an outgrowth of plans made last spring for a Speech Arts Club this year that would stress dramatics. An effort was made last fall to begin the activity of such a club, but as there were then no auditorium facilities whatever, nor any classroom facilities for dramatic work, all efforts seemed futile. Those who are now forming the organization feel that the limited possibilities it offers will be both pleasurable and profitable.

Mr. Breedlove Attends Meeting

Superintendent C. B. Breedlove returned Sunday from Austin where he attended the annual meeting of the School Administrators. They meet each year to discuss and study problems vital to school programs. This year the topic was "Conservation of Resources." Since the outbreak of the war, this has become a very vital issue. Several representatives from both state and national governments, including experts in various lines of conservation, attended the meeting and took part in the discussions. "The highlights of the meeting," remarked Mr. Breedlove, "were the discussions that brought out possibilities of the manufacturing of war materials. The discussion also pointed toward readjustment after the war."

Measures Passed By Student Council

The House of Representatives met January 5, 1942 in a regular meeting. The following measures were proposed:
 1. Any official of the Student Council shall be expected to pay a 25c fine for an inexcusable absence and 10c for an inexcusable tardiness. The payment is understood to be expected—but voluntary.
 2. The Student Council shall sponsor a movement which sets aside the second period on each Thursday for the purchasing of defense stamps from the person elected by that class to be in charge of said classes' purchases. A defense "Honor Roll" consisting of those who have purchased any amount of defense stamps will be published. The person in charge shall keep a record of the stamp purchasers and give that list to Helen Young, the Junior representative of the House.
 3. The Student Council shall sponsor a movement for an official H. S. trio by having the House elect a representative of the Student Council to ask Miss Couch to sponsor the trio selected.
 4. Miss Couch shall be the co-sponsor of the Annual.
 The Executive Committee met January 9, 1942 and passed the proposed measures.
 A. C. Pierson and Ralph E. Duncan attended a Soil Conservation meeting in Benjamin last Friday.
 Gilbert Wheeler of Seagraves is in Haskell for a few days visit with friends and relatives.

Seniors Have Class Party

A Senior party was held in the activity building Monday night, with the class sponsor, Miss Couch and co-sponsor, Mr. Ramsey present. The highlight of the party was a Kay Kyser program. With the one and only Ross Lowe as Kay Kyser. He was dressed in a white smock and a red cap. There were six contestants. The first three consisted of Sam Smith, Dag Oates and Snort Patterson. High score which was a twenty-five cent defense stamp was given to Sam Smith. Music was enjoyed during intermission. The next three contestants were Anna Mae Brooks, Doris Minick, and Annie Bess Gilliam. Anna Mae Brooks won the prize in this group. It was also a defense stamp. The judges were Miss Couch, A. H. Wair, Jr. and Garene Head. Later there was an amateur program. El Vira Miller won first prize in the amateur program and was presented a ten-cent defense stamp. She sang "Elmer's Tune." Next "My Wild Irish Rose" was sung by Mr. Ramsey. He received a big nickle for winning second prize. Big nickles were served to everyone.

Those present were Annie Bess Gilliam, Josephine Parish, Jean Menefee, Dale Bartlett, Sue Pate, Janette Viney, Rachel Carr, Loreda Keneda, El Vira Miller, Virginia Moore, Doris Minick, Onella Smith, Frances Chapman, Betty Jo Hester, Inez Parks, Billie Jack Speer, Pauline Wheeler, Garene Head, Florence Hammer, Freida Wheatley, Mary Helen Crandall, Anna Mae Brooks, Roy Clay Brook, Hess Hartsfield, Snort Patterson, Dan Oates, Sam Smith, Hughie Watson, Frank Snellings, Ross Lowe, Vernay Burson, Charles Reeves, J. W. Holland, Junior Wair, Mr. Ramsey and Miss Couch.

Pictures For Annual Are Taken

The Warwhoop staff regrets very much that one of our best members has transferred to Lubbock High School. Joyce Fowler was the type of student any school would be sorry to lose. If any of you Juniors or Seniors take an interest in journalism, please apply to Miss Vick, who is the sponsor of the Warwhoop.
 Students in Haskell High wore their best smiles and prettiest faces last week so that their portraits for the annual might be pleasing. The "Mr. Picture Man" was here on Tuesday to capture the charms of those students who had twenty-five cents for the cost of their pictures. As the students were called from their classes, they filed into the science laboratory in the new building, where the camera was waiting to snap their pictures. There must be something about a camera that makes you a little jittery, because excitement was the thing that most students seemed to feel. Haskell High is now looking forward to the day when the pictures will be developed and returned to the owners.
 Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts visited their children Gayle and Paul in Fort Worth this week end and his mother, Mrs. A. Roberts of Byers the first part of the week.

To Conserve Tires And Automobiles

In Cooperation With the Defense Program, We Will Discontinue Our PICK-UP AND DELIVERY SERVICE Effective Monday, Jan. 19
 Our country has made an urgent request that tires and automobiles be conserved. In support of this request we are discontinuing our pick-up and delivery service after this week.
 The many customers we have talked to personally about this step have assured us of their wholehearted co-operation because they join us enthusiastically in saving for National Defense.
Service Cleaners
 S. A. Norris

Homemakers Will Present Style Show

The Future Homemakers of high school are sponsoring a style show to be held in the school gymnasium Friday night, January 16, at 7:30. These girls will model dresses they have made in clothing class, and will be judged as they appear in them. Judges will consider the general appearance of the costume; this will include the suitability of the style to the coloring and style to the wearer, and the poise and bearing of the contestant. The girls winning first and second place will be entitled to go to the state rally, in the spring.
 This style show is to be in the form of a playlet and the public is urged to attend. A small admission fee will be charged.

Staff Extends Sympathy

In behalf of the entire student body the Warwhoop staff extends sympathy to Ruby Grace McKeivain, sophomore student, who suffered the recent sad loss of her father.

Facts About Federal Income Tax

Forms for filing returns of income for 1941 have been sent to persons who filed returns last year. Failure to receive a form, however does not relieve a taxpayer of his obligation to file his return and pay the tax on time—on or before March 16 if the return is made on the calendar-year basis, as is the case with most individuals.
 Forms may be obtained upon request, written or personal from the offices of collectors and from deputy collectors of internal revenue in the larger cities and towns.
 A person should file his return on Form 1040, unless his gross income for 1941 does not exceed \$3,000 and consists wholly of salary, wages, or other compensation for personal service, dividends, interest, rent, annuities, or royalties, in which event he may elect to file it on Form 1040A, a simplified form on which the tax may be readily ascertained by reference to a table contained in the form.
 The return must be filed with the collector of internal revenue

Stockpiles of Food for Peace



Here is what the U. S. Department of Agriculture means when it urges farmers to help produce "stockpiles of food for use in war." The upper picture shows barrels of dried milk, just a year from now as today. The lower picture shows a warehouse with huge drums of cheese, even better with aging. The products, plus condensed milk, dried milk, cured pork, and meat and vegetables, constitute the stockpiles of defense food. Says Secretary Claude R. Wickard, will be needed by hungry and "will exert the maximum influence at the peace conference."

for the district in which the taxpayer has his legal residence or principal place of business on or before midnight of March 16, 1942. The tax may be paid in full at the time of filing the return or in four equal installments, due on or before March 16, June 15, September 15, and December 15. In making out your income tax return read carefully the instructions that accompany the form. If you need more information, it may be obtained at the office of the collector of internal revenue, deputy collector, or an income tax agent in charge.
 Remember that single or married persons with husband or wife, a sum of \$14.43 a week, 52 weeks of the year, 52 persons living together, aggregate earnings of \$28.85 a week for the year required to file return.

Announcement

We have taken the dealership in this section for

BUTANE GAS

For Cooking, Heating, Refrigeration

Complete Line of Butane System Appliances

The convenience and economy of Butane Gas is now available regardless whether you live in town or rural district.

Let us give you an estimate on Butane installations for your home.

The Walling Butane Appliance Company

J. E. Walling, Jr.
 Phone 377
 Haskell

Special Notice To Our Customers

In order to cooperate with the Defense Program in the conservation of Tires and Automobiles, we will discontinue our PICK-UP AND DELIVERY SERVICE Effective Monday, Jan. 19

We feel that our customers can appreciate the necessity for this step in the face of the National Emergency, and we solicit your continued patronage and cooperation in saving for National Defense.

Modern Cleaners

Gene Hunter

Brief News Items From RULE

Idea Club... Rose was hostess to the Friday Bridge guests with a party on afternoon. Each member was presented a lovely gift. Refreshments were the conclusion of the

Blue Bonnet Club News... Members of the Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club met recently in the home of Mrs. Edd Lewis. During the business meeting Mrs. A. C. Denson was appointed to take Mrs. Joe Holcomb's place as yard demonstrator.

Bridge Club... McCandless was the Thursday Bridge player with a party at her apartment last week. In bridge high score award given to Mrs. Newt Cole. Course was served at the

General in Haskell... B. Wyatt and daughters B. Wyatt and Mrs. Wilma Wyatt the funeral services Mrs. Pearl Gilleland in Saturday.

Scouts Enjoy Hike... Scout members met with their leader Mrs. Brock Saturday morning on an all day hike to pasture. Two patrols went and kept the camp while one patrol prepared and cooked lunch as beans, fried potatoes and burgers.

Student Council Club Party... The Student Council Club members and their sponsor Mrs. J. C. Scott enjoyed a party Tuesday evening at the school lunchroom. Games were enjoyed and on the program rendered was a song by Helen Kittley. Song by Maureen Sweatman, song by trio, Helen Kittley, Maureen Sweatman, and Dorothy Mae Foster.

Hostesses... Dorothy Hankins, Marie Christine Helm were for a dinner and party recently. The dinner was at the Oates Drug Haskell where a red, blue color scheme was used. After the dinner guests the theatre.

Football and Pep Squad Banquet... The Rule football boys and pep squad members held their banquet at the Rule school cafeteria Thursday night of last week. A South Sea Isle theme was stressed in decorations. Assorted pastel balloons and crepe paper streamers hung from the ceiling of the entire room and the table was lighted with pastel candles. Sweet peas and white mums were used also for table decorations and each guest wore a lei.

Mr. Dock Rose... Mrs. Dock Rose entertained with a party at the Saturday evening. 42 were enjoyed and served a dessert course of the games.

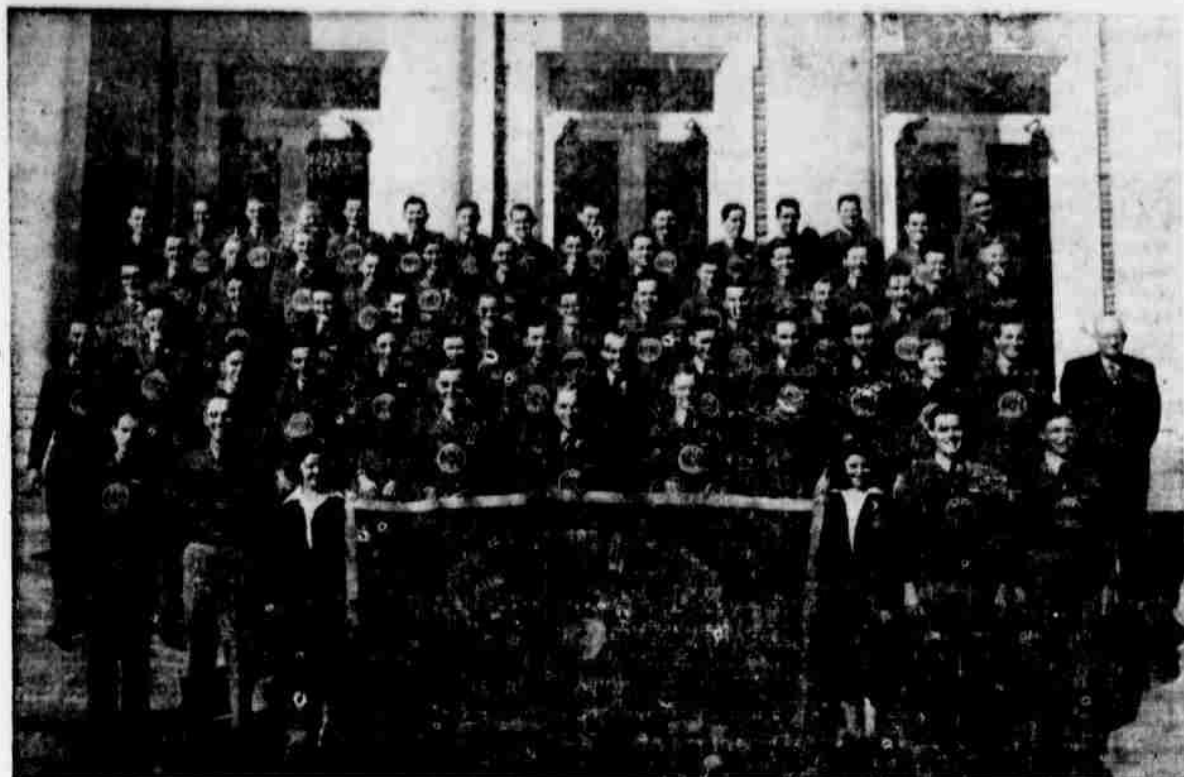
Billie Jean Denson Honored With Birthday Party... Mrs. R. K. Denson entertained with a dinner party on Wednesday evening honoring her daughter, Billie Jean on her fourteenth birthday. A patriotic color scheme was stressed in decorations, on the birthday cake and in the dishes used. U. S. flags were given as favors.

Attends Meeting in Haskell... Messrs. Albert Frazier, W. O. Smith Jr., T. A. Teague and Frank Richter attended the meeting in Haskell Monday pertaining to tire sales.

George Morgan who is employed at the Farmers & Merchants Bank in Haskell plans to resign his position there and enter Texas Tech College at Lubbock for the last semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Corrie Lott and Mrs. Mattie Lott were shopping in Abilene Monday.

Miss Reba Stahl was a Stamford visitor Monday.



Stephenville—The John Tarleton Collegiate Chapter of the Future Farmers of America was organized in 1932 and has 63 members from 51 High Schools on its roll. The Chapter sponsors the annual F. F. A. Area Leadership and Judging Contests and awards a scholarship at mid-term to its most worthy graduating Senior.

First row, left to right are: Jack Baker, Bluff Dale; Justin McBride, May; Jo Earp, Glen Rose; Marvin Beights, Lorraine; Bob Menefee, Grandbury; Joe Rawlings, Bronter; Wanda Dorris, Stephenville; Ed Williams, Stephenville; Elmer Kruse, Clifton. Second Row, left to right are: Duff Chesney, Colorado City; M. C. Vann, Oiney; Tommie Toland,

Breckenridge; Courts Cleveland, Grandbury; Joe Green Santa Anna; Charles Fee, Medina; Wm. McDonald, Gatesville; Raby Alford, Gatesville; Cleo Bay, Killean; Sidney McQuary, Thorndale; Fred Whisenhunt, Camp Verde; Lloyd McIntire, Bluff Dale; and Mrs. Bertrand, Gatesville; and Mrs. A. J. Spangler. Third row, left to right: Medford Underwood, Haskell; C. A. Munch, Grandbury; Orval Dennis, Moran; Vernon Jones, Lometa; Herman Collier, Star; Clarence Karcher, Anderson; Derrell Martin Westover; Robert Farr, Seymour; Tommy Lee, Abilene; and John Wilson, Charlotte. Fourth row, left to right are: L. J. Wilson, Brownwood; Charles

Wade, San Saba; Kent Davis, Cross Plains; Carl Cox, Chico; Joe Allen, Hamilton; Robert Goodwin, Dublin; Joe Williamson, Gatesville; O. C. Granzin, Miles; Jack Owens, Gordon; Hulan Robertson, Comanche; Lawrence Dooley, Ireland; Ralph Fleischer, Crowell; Samuel White, Stephenville. Fifth row, left to right are: Thomas Hood, Abilene; J. V. Ellis, Dublin; Wayne Cole, Bynum; Vernon Gibson, Dublin; Victor Norvell, Silsbee; J. W. McAnelly, Hamilton; Larry Barton, Whittney; Sanford White, Stephenville; Carroll Watkins and Harroll Watkins, Pear Valley; Ed Roark, Crowell; Clayton Harte, Naples; Ross Glover, Colorado City; John Farr, Seymour; and Harlan Weinert, Weinert.

Brief News Items From Weinert

Dorene Rich and Dan Allen Jr. Are Married... Dorene Rich, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rich of Weinert and Dan Allen Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Allen Sr. of Coleman were married Tuesday, Jan. 8th at Coleman. The couple will make their home in Coleman.

Weinert Locals... Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Findley and children of Hale Center visited Mrs. Findley's mother and sister, Mrs. J. M. Williams and Miss Jew last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Farr of Westover visited Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Weinert Thursday afternoon.

Miss Jew Williams accompanied by Miss Fannie Isabell of Munday shopped in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Raynes of Sundown visited Mr. Raynes' parents Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Raynes Sr. and other relatives last week.

Miss Ila Scott a teacher in the Weinert school visited relatives in Anson over the week end.

Ernest Griffith was a Ft. Worth visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bird and daughter Janice visited Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Bird at Elbert on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miriam Baird and Miss Bernice Baird of Los Angeles, Calif. are visiting their parents D. M. Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Weaver and other relatives.

J. C. Hawes and Jack Johnson let Sunday for Denton to attend NTSTC.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bartell Sunday were their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. James Bartell, Mr. and Mrs. George Allen and Mr. and Mrs. D. Allen of Wichita Falls.

Preston Weinert transacted business in Munday Tuesday.

Football Boys Banquet... The football boys' banquet was held Monday evening January 12 at the high school. W. A. Smith, superintendent of the school presided at the meeting. Invocation was given by Fay Wilson. Coach Cox introduced the football boys and the football queen.

Coach Coleman of ACC, Abilene, was the speaker for the evening. He was introduced by Coach Cox.

A three course dinner was served by the Home Economics girls. The table was in the shape of a V and the red, white and blue theme was carried out. The table was laid with white cloth and red flowers were placed through the center of the table. Programs were tiny royal blue footballs laced with white and favors were blue and white banners with W. H. S. on them. 90 plate were served.

The football queen is Pauline McBeth and the football boys are as follows: Warren Johnson, J. L. Tolliver, Bailey Tolliver, Everton B. Hosen, Dewayne Vaughn, Jimmy Anderson, Keith Anderson, Kenneth Anderson, Ray and Drey Lowe, Jim Perrin, Carl Yates, Ralph Ammons, J. D. Zahn, J. H. Turnbow, Ray Medley and Jay Marsh.

WARNING... Never cut a corn. This may lead to serious infection. Don't take chances, when GREAT CHRISTOPHER CORN Remedy COMPLETELY removes corns. 35c at OATES DRUG STORE.

A TRIBUTE OF LOVE

God doeth all things well and Saturday, January 3, 1942 He saw fit to call from us a dear friend and sister in Christ, Mrs. B. A. Guess. In this we see manifestation of his divine will. We are sad in the passing away of this dear friend, but we bow to the submission of His will. The writer has known her 45 years and all was good and pure in her, our devoted friend. She was a good mother, a kind and loving wife. Her willing hands were ready to help in time of need. We feel like our loss is heaven's gain, and to the relatives and friends I write this tribute of love and respect.

I had a friend a few days ago Not long ere yesterday Who left this world of pain and woe And has gone far, far away. The home is dreary without her And our hearts are filled with pain For our dear darling friend

lows: President, Mrs. H. A. Marsh; Vice-President, Mrs. Bob Baldwin; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. E. Griffith; Secretary, Mrs. Sam Bird; Treasurer, Mrs. P. F. Weinert; Secretary Missionary Education, Mrs. O. Bruce; Secretary Christian Social Relations, and Local Church Activities, Mrs. Harry Bettis; Secretary Student Work, Mrs. Everett Medley; Secretary Young Women and Girl's Work, Mrs. Ezra Smith; Secretary Literature, Mrs. Frank Ford; Secretary of Supplies, Mrs. G. L. Walker; Chairman Spiritual Life, Mrs. Paul Josselet. On account of so much sickness only 7 ladies were present.

Baptist W. M. S. Meets... The W. M. S. met Monday, Jan. 12 at the church. Mrs. G. C. Newsom, vice president was in charge of the business session. A business and social meeting will be held each 4th Monday. Mrs. Copeland was appointed Bible Study leader. Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead offered prayer. Mrs. J. B. King, Mission Study leader gave the last lesson of the book Mrs. Walter Copeland gave the dismissal prayer.

Those present were: Mmes. G. C. Newsom, Walter Copeland, C. F. Oman, J. W. Liles, Clyde Mayfield, J. B. King, J. F. Cadenhead, and R. H. Jones.

Helpy-Selfy Laundry Changes Hands... Woodrow Cowan has sold his Helpy-Selfy Laundry to J. A. Driggers. Mr. and Mrs. Driggers and children have moved to the Newsom house and Mr. and Mrs. Cowan are moving to California.

Can never come back to us again.

We try her passing not to grieve We know she is now at rest This world of sorrow we must leave And we must stand the test. The things she did and the things she said We will remember now Are making of the life she led Of every creed and vow. Our kind and gentle friend whose smiles Made brighter summer hours And the frost of winter time Has left us with the flowers. We will see her no more in Rogers With her bright and pleasant smile But we can meet her at the golden gate And live together all the while. Asleep in Jesus sister Your soul will sweetly rest While surely we will miss you You are supremely blest.

Sleep on we will not disturb you For your life has been well spent We bow to the will of the Master For the message He has sent. We did not hear the message But we know he called you home Now your spirit lives with Jesus

Where pain and sorrow never come Peaceful be thy silent slumber Peaceful in the grave so low You will no more join our number You no more our sorrows know. Yet again we hope to meet you When our day of life has fled And in heaven with joy to greet thee Where no farewell tears are shed. —Grandmother Weaver.

Where pain and sorrow never come

A War Department report says that the wool from 26 sheep, or about 200 pounds, is required to outfit a soldier with overcoat, jackets, pants, underwear, socks and hats needed during his first year of service.

Relief At Last For Your Cough

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back. CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Save On Your Food Bills Without Skimping!

You can practice economy and at the same time avoid "skimping" on your food budget by shopping every day at the Cut Rate Cash Grocery. This is made possible by our consistent price policy of selling high quality foods at the lowest prices possible every day in the week. A trial will convince you there's no need to shop for "Specials" in order to save.

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Keep Your Friends "Pay Your Bills Promptly"

The merchant or professional man who has extended you credit shows you that he wants to be your friend. It is never an easy matter for him to be compelled to continue calling your attention to your unpaid bill — It is difficult because he wants your friendship as well as your patronage.

If Friendship Is Essential "and it is to all of us" Paying Promptly is a Necessity

For in paying your bills promptly there is no chance for a rift in that friendship on which the constant success of his business and your continued good credit depends.

Don't Wait Longer See those you owe now—if you can't pay today, make definite arrangements to pay and know that FRIENDLY FEELING that you have been missing all along.

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SOCIETY

Miss Frances Johnson Becomes Bride of Sgt. Alvy R. Couch Jr.

Miss Frances Johnson of Stamford became the bride of Sgt. Alvy R. Couch Jr., of Ellington Field Sunday at 5:00, December 28 at the Park Place Baptist Church, Houston, Reverend Withers officiating. Mrs. Will H. Grimes, sister of the bride, and Patrick D. Kelly were their only attendants. For her wedding dress the bride wore a tailored gold suit with blue and brown accessories.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple, along with the friends and relatives who were present, was entertained in the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Ira B. Jarboe of Houston.

Mrs. Couch is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Johnson of Stamford. She graduated from Stamford High School and attended TSCW, Denton.

Sgt. Couch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvy R. Couch, 1249 Ambler Avenue, Abilene. He is a graduate of Haskell High School and of the Air Mechanics School of Chanute Field, Rantoul, Illinois.

Sgt. and Mrs. Couch are making their home in Houston, Texas.

Elmore-Manley Wedding Is Solemnized Friday

Friday evening in the home of the Rev. Short, pastor of the Baptist Church in Rochester, Lois Elmore of O'Brien became the bride of Preston Manley. The double ring ceremony was performed with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wiseman as attendants.

The bride who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Elmore wore a powder blue alpaca dress with matching hat and veil. Black patent shoes and bags were used with white gloves as her accessories. Her white shoulder corsage was of carnations and sweet peas.

Mrs. Wiseman was wearing a dusty rose alpaca with black accessories and a corsage of tallis-man roses.

Mr. Manley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Manley of Rochester. For the past few months he has been an employee in the county agent's office in Haskell. Mrs. Manley is a teacher in the Sager-ton Public Schools.

Vocational Adjustment Is Subject for P. T. A. Meeting

The North Ward Parent-Teacher's Association had for the subject of discussion Thursday afternoon, Vocational Adjustment. Mr. R. H. Meixner was program director and Mrs. Wallace Cox and J. D. Pinkerton, minister of the Church of Christ gave parts of the program.

In keeping with the line of thought, the sixth grade under the direction of Miss Rebecca Wign-ton gave the play Education for Tomorrow's America. The following characters presented the number: Education, Nancy Radtiff, North Ward; Anne Katherine Rike and Don Nanny, Competence—T. W. Jetton Jr., Character—Anita Jo Pitman, Citizenship—James Dodson, Safety—Billy Bob Welsh, Caution—Billie Joe Snowden, P. T. C. —Ervin Frierson, Health—Janelle Kennedy, School-boys—Raja Hassen, Schoolgirl—Genelle Bailey.

The following children formed the background for the play: Ernest Burson, Ruth Alvis, R. L. Cox, Lela Joyce Barnes, Lavoy Dotson, Helen Carruth, Roy Gene Fraley, Billie Jean Comery, Joyce Crow, Marvin Hancock, Frances Blake, Roy Harris, Jane Gentry, Lois Helweg, G. W. Mullins, Len-nie Fay Highgate, Marie Kelley, Benny Smith, Charles Smith, Johnnie Mae Mason, Jimmy Turner, Billie Jo Reynolds, Crockett Womell, Ozella Skines, Margaret Smith, Aileen Tidwell, Dorothy Voyles, J. Y. Bolin, Freddy Ray Sellers, T. C. Bartley, Jackie Faulkner, Laura Guy Cook, Billie Earl Craddell, Gene Brown, Billie Ruth Lowrey, Evelyn Rodgers, Margaree Langford, Lanora Tibbs, and Jean Bird.

Business Meeting of Magazine Club Is Held

The meeting of the Magazine Club last week was an annual business one with the election of officers for the coming year. Mrs. M. D. Crow was hostess for the meeting in the Magazine club room.

The following officers were elected for the year 1944-1945: President, Mrs. Hill Oates; 1st Vice President, Mrs. J. U. Fields; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. W. Q. Casey; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Theron Cahill; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. R. H. Darnell; Treasurer, Mrs. J. G. Vaughter.

Mrs. S. R. Rike is the elected board member and two life members, Mrs. C. V. Payne and Mrs. John A. Couch were recognized in the meeting.

The club adjourned after a short drill in parliamentary law.

Three Haskell County Girls Are Students at TSCW

DENTON, Texas—Three Haskell County girls are among the 2450 students enrolled at Texas State College for Women this year. Again the largest residential woman's college in the United States TSCW has students from 214 Texas counties, 27 states, and 5 foreign countries.

Haskell County students include Misses Jean Conner and Willie Fae Foster of Haskell and Miss Ouida Faye Gray of Sagerton.

The growth of TSCW is the short span of 38 years to a place of prominence among the nation's colleges is attributed by authorities to the ability of the college to anticipate the needs of women in the world of today and to prepare them to best meet these needs.

Harmony Club Members Attend Program in Stamford

Seven members of the Harmony Club attended a reciprocity program hosted by the Stamford Music Club Tuesday of this week. A three course luncheon was served in the Home Economics building.

Mrs. Leo Duncan played a medley of Indian tunes as the Haskell club's contribution to the program.

Later the group enjoyed a showing of a musical film featuring the noted pianist, Jose Iturbe, followed by several harp and male string quartet numbers.

Those attending from Haskell were: Mesdames B. M. Whiteker, R. L. Harrison, Tommie B. Hawkins, T. C. Cahill, W. A. Kimbrough, Leo Duncan and Calvin Henson.

Jessie Moody and Bill Hood Are Married in Las Vegas, Nev.

Miss Jessie Moody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Moody of Haskell and Bill Hood, son of Mrs. W. A. Hood of Stamford were married December 24th at Las Vegas, Nevada by the Rev. E. B. Russell.

Attending were Webster Beauchamp, Shubel Jones and Mary Hood.

Mrs. Hood is a graduate of the 1933 class of Haskell high school and was formerly employed at the Modernistic Beauty Shop in Stamford.

Mr. Hood is now employed at Douglas Aircraft Company at Santa Monica, Calif.

The couple are at home in Inglewood, California.

Jane Bradford spent the week end with friends in Rule.

Clarence Whiteaker and Miss Stella Jigga Are Married

Clarence Whiteaker and Miss Stella Jigga were married Saturday evening January 10 at 8:30 in the First Baptist Church in Hempstead, Long Island. Rev. E. Harlan Fischel, pastor of the church officiated. J. A. Ann Brownitz was maid of honor and T. E. Bowman Jr. best man. They will make their home in Queen's Village, Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiteaker arrived in Haskell Wednesday evening for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Whiteaker.

Cecil Lancaster Circle Meets Monday Afternoon

The Cecil Lancaster Circle met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Simmons. The meeting opened with the song "The Light of the World Is Jesus" Prayer by Mrs. Glenn.

Mrs. Watson conducted a short business session in which it was decided to have the all day meeting the second Monday instead of the first. Mrs. Whiteaker gave the devotional using the scriptures Ex. 2:10, Acts 7:22. Mrs. Couch had charge of the Royal Service program. Those on the program were Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Couch, Mrs. Jim Fouts and Mrs. Pearce.

Seven members were present and one visitor, Mrs. O. G. Chisholm. Mrs. Simmons' sister from Sitka, Alaska. After the program was finished she entertained us with some interesting facts about the schools, churches, the people and their customs.

Work of Haskell Girls Resident Center Praised By Civic Leader

Praising the leadership and training of young women for their future duties in home-making provided during the time the Haskell Girls Resident Center was in operation here, Mrs. J. U. Fields, prominent civic leader and former President of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, comments as follows:

"Since the Girls' Resident Center of Haskell County, Texas opened in September, 1939, of the 133 girls who have here received training, 25 percent have married. These girls have entered the world's greatest profession—Homemaking. The home is the foundation of civilization. Contented, happy homes are a nation's greatest stabilizer.

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South Ward P. T. A. Has Meeting On Thursday

The South Ward P. T. A. met Thursday Jan 8 at 2:30 with Mrs. Ralph Merchant as hostess and Mrs. Scott W. Greene Jr. as director. The subject for the afternoon was "Vocational Adjustment".

The pupils of the third grade under the direction of Miss P'Pool gave a little patriotic play, "A Good American Citizen."

The room count was taken and Mrs. Ballard had the most mothers present.

Women's Society of Christian Service Sew for Red Cross

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The next meeting will be with Mrs. R. L. Dickey next Tuesday January 20 at 2 p. m. Miss Cathryn Sands, H. D. Agent will be present.

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Farmers in this State and elsewhere in America are beginning to make plans for producing more "defense foods" in 1942. Among the highly-nutritious foods needed in greater quantity are milk, cheese, eggs, meats, and vegetables. Good market prices for the year are assured. Every farmer in the nation will be visited this fall by an AAA farm program committeeman who will assist in planning the increases.

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Tailors Announce Discontinuance of Delivery Service

Two local tailor shops, Modern Cleaners and the Service Cleaners, announced this week they would be compelled to discontinue pick-up and delivery service beginning Monday, January 19, in cooperation with the National Defense Program, which has placed drastic restrictions on automobile tires and tubes to conserve the materials needed by the Army and Navy.

Gene Hunter, proprietor of the Modern Cleaners, and S. A. Norris of the Service Cleaners asked the cooperation of their customers during the emergency by bringing and calling for their tailor work.

Rita and Astaire Set Dance Mark

Six and one-half minutes, probably a record, was the shooting time on a dance performed by Fred Astaire and talented Rita Hayworth for "You'll Never Get Rich" their spectacular new Columbia military musical.

Fully as remarkable, it was a single, unbroken "take". For nearly seven minutes the cameras never stopped turning as the stars led an ensemble of 98 chorus beauties through "The Wedding Cake Walk", one of the many tunes Cole Porter composed for the musical comedy showing at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday with Robert Benchley and John Hubbard.

Shooting the entire number in one "take" instead of several, was in accordance with a procedure Director Sidney Lanfield worked out before starting the picture. In this he had the full accord of Astaire, who always creates his own routines, and Bob Alton, famous Broadway dance director who had been imported to develop the ensemble numbers.

"A dance number looks best," said Lanfield who specializes in musicals, "when you see it from start to finish without the camera ever leaving the principals, and when there are no abrupt cuts from long to close shots or from front to side."

"It's like listening to a piece of music as it should be played, compared to hearing it first loud and then soft, or hearing only some instruments at the expense of others."

On the other hand, the director admitted it is often impossible to shoot a big number utilizing many people in one long flow of action. To bring out the full beauty of the number it must be photographed from more than one angle and the several "cuts" put together.

"The camera's long grind for "You'll Never Get Rich" found Astaire, Miss Hayworth and supporting dances performing on the huge stage in an army camp. Astaire and the boys were in natty dress military attire, and Rita and the girls in flowing bridal white and pink. The number opens with Martha Tilton, well known vocalist singing, "The Wedding Cake Walk," after which the dancers take over using surprise props as they perform over the large stage.

Gold Diggers Have Regular Meeting Thursday

Miss Shirley White was hostess for the Gold Digger's regular meeting Thursday night, January 8, in her home. After a short business meeting refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cokes and cookies were served to the following: Frances Chapman, Billie Jack Spear, Eloise Johnson, Garene Head, Patsy Pearsey, Dorothy Ann Morris, Frances Bolin, Florence and Doris Hammer, and the hostess.

Haskell Recreation School Will Have Call Meeting

The Haskell County Recreation School will meet in a call meeting Monday January 19th in the Haskell City Hall 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. It is very important for every club to be represented.

Midway H. D. Club Meets Tuesday Afternoon

The Midway H. D. Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Sam Scott for Red Cross work. Several garments were finished.

Attention—Knitters!

My home will be open every Friday afternoon from 2 until 5 to those needing aid and instruction in knitting garments for the Red Cross. Competent instructors will be on hand to assist you.

Mrs. L. R. (Si) Smith

Weinert P. T. A. Will Meet Tuesday Afternoon

The Weinert P. T. A. will meet Tuesday January 20th at 3:45 p. m. All members are urged to be present for the meeting.

Aid U. S. By Using Old Flashlights In Blackouts, Urges Henderson

MILLIONS of flashlights, now lying around in American homes, can be put to work in the event of blackouts, thus relieving the drain which the purchase of new lights would place on critical metals and plastics, according to Leon Henderson, Director of the Division of Civilian Supply, Office of Production Management.

Disturbed by reports that thousands of Americans are trying to buy new flashlights, Mr. Henderson has obtained a survey which shows that a large majority of families need not fear being without illumination in the event of blackouts.

Seventy per cent of families in the United States, the survey discloses, now have one or more flashlights. Forty per cent of families have flashlights which are in perfect condition, ready for service at a moment's notice. Another 23 per cent have lights which can be made usable merely by the purchase of fresh batteries. Seven per cent of all families have inoperative flashlights, many of which need only minor repairs in order to give excellent service.

"The demand for new flashlights can be greatly lessened," Mr. Henderson points out, "by a thorough attic-cellar search. Every flashlight recovered and reconditioned represents an important saving of materials needed in our huge war effort to conserve these materials for our millions of old-timers to work."

Haskell County H. D. Club Women Strong Believers In Home Defense

The Home Demonstration Club women in Haskell county believe in "Home Defense" and are doing a good job. Plans are being made to do even a better job and help more people in home defense work in 1942.

Much Red Cross sewing and knitting was done by club women the past year. Much more will be done in 1942.

"Food and Feed" is the theme of Home Demonstration Club women these days. These women believe food will win this war, so they are on the job raising and preserving as much food as possible at home. Keeping their families fit is their goal.

Eight of the ten food demonstrators in 1941 completed their demonstration with plenty of canned food on pantry shelves, food in frozen food lockers, and with frame gardens. These women are prepared to feed their family well. Many cooperators also have nice full pantries. This means less food will be bought from their groceryman and more food for our friends and to win this war.

The H. D. Club women have stored in pantries over the county 18,050 jars of vegetables, 12,419 jars of fruit, 20,575 cans of meat, 15,779 lbs. of fresh meat stored in frozen food lockers and 18,199 lbs. of cured meat. Many club women have frame gardens to furnish green vegetables during the winter months.

"Freedom Gardens" was the theme of our H. D. Club this year to assist people in the seeds best adapted to county. Vegetables with finer flavor and texture, vitamins and other nutrients.

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Candidates Bid for Consideration at Hands of Voters

Ratliff Will A Candidate for Re-Election

The Free Press is authorized to announce the candidacy of Mr. Ratliff for re-election as County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

County Supt. Matt Graham Candidate For Re-Election

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of Matt Graham for re-election as County Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Cotton Crop Insurance Underway



A. V. Vickers, San Patricio County cotton farmer, signs the first application in Texas for federal all-risk cotton crop insurance while B. B. Cogle, left, assistant branch manager for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Garland A. Beard San Patricio County AAA administrative officer, and Donald L. Cochran, state cotton crop insurance supervisor, look on.

Alfred Turnbow Makes Statement of His Candidacy

To the Voters of Precinct No. 2: Again I wish to place my candidacy before you for the office of Commissioner, Precinct No. 2. As most of you know I ran for this office two years ago although I was defeated by a small number of votes.

Many Enroll In Defense School Being Held Here

The Defense School that is to be held here for the next ten weeks by the government began last Monday night with a large enrollment. It offers course in automobile and tractor repairing.

All-Day Clean-Up Planned at Paint Creek Cemetery

Residents of the Paint Creek community and surrounding territory are requested to cooperate in cleaning up and beautifying the Paint Creek Cemetery, and Wednesday January 21 has been set as the date for an all-day working at the cemetery.

Trimmer for Commissioner Precinct No. 3

The Free Press is authorized to announce the candidacy of J. P. Trimmer for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

A. H. King Will Ask Re-Election As Representative

Hon. A. H. King of Throckmorton was a business visitor in Haskell Monday, and while here stated that he would be a candidate for re-election to a second term as State Representative from the 13th Legislative District, and that formal announcement of his candidacy would be made at an early date.

Courtney Hunt Candidate For County Judge

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of Courtney Hunt for County Judge of Haskell county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Jno. F. Ivy Enters Race For Office of County Judge

We are authorized this week to announce the candidacy of John F. Ivy, well-known farmer and manager of the Rockdale community and a native of Haskell county, for the office of County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Motorists Required To Make Reports of Traffic Collisions

Motorists of this section were reminded this week by Sheriff Olen Dotson of the new law which requires the filing of a report on every automobile collision or accident where resultant damage to one or more cars involved amounts to \$50 or more.

Scout Troop 35 Begins Drive To Save Waste Paper

Members of Boy Scout troop 35 of this city began work in earnest this week in gathering up old newspapers and other waste paper in line with the request of the Government that this material be conserved as an important contribution to national defense.

Hospital Notes

The following persons were listed as patients in the Haskell county hospital Thursday at noon: Margaret Hurst of Haskell for medical treatment.

Center Point

Health here is good and everyone is enjoying the warmer weather. Mr. and Mrs. Lois Jeter and daughter of Rule spent the week end with his father, W. J. Jeter.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

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

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Kenneth W. Copeland, Pastor Marvin P. Bryan, Church School Superintendent 9:45 A. M. Church School Assembly in divisions and departments.

News Items From SAGERTON

Red Cross Work Begins The Red Cross room was opened this week at the Baptist church with Mrs. B. Hess in charge.

STEEL FACTS in one minute

Russian Tribesmen Wore Shoes with Iron Soles... Corn Famine in 1732 Reduced Iron Output... Steel Wages Are 50% Above 1929 Level... For 1942... Let your resolution be to place all of your insurance with us. We are better prepared than ever to give you the best possible service. Menefee & Fouts "Complete Insurance Service"

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THE CALL TO THE COLORS IS A CALL FOR DOLLARS!

Dig deep. Strike hard. Our boys need the planes, ships, and guns which your money will help to buy. Go to your bank, post office, or savings and loan association. Tell them you want to buy Defense Bonds regularly, starting now.

Pogue Grocery

Phone 19 We Deliver

No. 1 DRY SALT BACON, lb.	15c
SUMMER SAUSAGE, lb.	19c
PURE HOG LARD, lb.	13c
Light Loaf FLOUR, 24 lbs.	81c
CORN, No. 2 can, 3 for	25c
PORK & BEANS, 1 lb. can	7c
HOOKER LYE, 3 cans for	25c
Campbell's CORN FLAKES, 3 for	25c
MILK, 3 large cans	25c
RIBBON CANE SYRUP, gal.	49c

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

Thinking, not growth, makes manhood. Acustom yourself, therefore, to thinking.
—Isaac Taylor.

More Food for the Allies

The agricultural marketing cooperatives have a real job on their hands. As Secretary of Agriculture Wickard has pointed out, we must increase our production of many foods both for us and for England, which depends on this country for a substantial part of the foodstuffs that she needs. That means agriculture must have incentive to work harder and produce more. The marketing co-ops are today fighting a battle to get the consideration the farmer deserves. They are fighting for fair prices and reasonable profits. They are working to improve production methods. The future welfare of tens of millions of farm families depends upon the success of their efforts.

Buy Defense Bonds

Our participation in war makes the purchase of immense quantities of Defense Bonds and Stamps all the more necessary. We cannot finance the war through taxes alone. Nor can we finance it by selling more and more regular government bonds to the banks. The financial burden that war makes unavoidable must be largely absorbed by the people—by ordinary American men and women in all walks of life. The Defense Bonds and Stamps offer us all, whatever our financial status, the chance to help buy the guns and the planes and the great warships that will eventually destroy our enemies. The banks have been leaders in selling these Defense Bonds. They sell them without a cent of profit to themselves. The hundreds of millions of dollars realized are dispatched at once to the Treasury, to be disbursed or armament. Every bond sold amounts to a blow at dictatorship. Buy as many bonds as you can afford. Put your spare dimes and quarters into Defense Stamps. This is every American's war—and every American must do all he can to see it through to victory.

Haskell County History

20 Years Ago—Jan. 21, 1922

D. T. Dotson returned Sunday after a several days visit with friends and relatives at Glenrose. Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields are visiting in San Antonio and other South Texas points this week. Candidates announcing for office in Haskell county this week include B. M. Whiteaker for State Representative, Mrs. Ed Robertson for re-election as County Superintendent, J. E. Walling for re-election as County Treasurer, and Chas. M. Conner for re-election as Tax Collector. The Post School south of Haskell, one of the most progressive rural schools in this section, are planning to hold their second annual School Fair at an early date, according to R. E. Lee, one of the post trustees. Supt. C. C. Minstra of the Haskell schools has been advised that a State Health Nurse would visit the Haskell schools February 5th and would be here for several days. The Rochester boys basketball team defeated the Haskell High School team Friday at Rochester. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. C. Stephens spent Sunday with the former's parents in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones and Mrs. Hudspeth of Rule attended the Sacred Concert given by the Harmony Club Sunday night at the First Christian Church. Hardy Grissom made a business trip to Justin the first of the week to see after his business interests there.

30 Years Ago—Jan. 20, 1912

Oil leasing has been very active during the past week, and many leases have been taken in the east

Save Your Paper

Conserve paper! That request has been made to all the people by the government. Even before we were in the war, the government was using one-third of the nation's paper box production for arms needs, and now military demands will rapidly increase. On top of that, the armed forces have many other important uses for paper of all kinds. The cheapest forms of paper, such as newsprint, can be reclaimed and made into boxes and other articles.

When you do your shopping, get along with a minimum of wrapping. The National Association of Food Chains offers consumers five good suggestions when it says: 1. Don't ask for a bag when an item is already packaged. 2. Don't ask for separate bags unless necessary or any bag at all if you have only a few items to carry. 3. Take groceries in cartons when available—then use the cartons as receptacles in which to save waste paper at home. 5. Remember to save on all kinds of paper.

Don't think the stores you patronize are being stingy when they stop using paper, string, tape and other wrappings in the wastefully lavish form we've become used to. When they cut down on paper use, they are cooperating with the government. This is just one more of the many ways retailing in all its branches, chain store and independent store alike, is serving the country now.

Every family can help in the conserve paper drive. Save all you can and turn it in when you reach a substantial poundage. The Army and Navy need it.

All Must Help

Every community in the country, from cross-road village to metropolis, must join in a fire prevention program which will really get results and cut our disgracefully high fire loss to the absolute minimum. Such a program would be invaluable to the nation in times of peace. In times of war, when labor and materials must be conserved, it is an absolute necessity.

As W. E. Mallalieu of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, has pointed out, "It is too late to think about fire prevention after vital resources are destroyed. Conditions conducive to serious fires are either eliminated or controlled by strict enforcement of an embracing fire prevention ordinance. Handling of flammables and explosives is regulated; cleanliness in industrial plants as well as in all business houses is enforced. The management of a plant at work on defense orders might say that its premises are absolutely safe from fire. That still would not protect that plant from fire which might start in the building next door because of improper care."

The National Board, in company with the National Association of Insurance Agents, is leading the drive for the adoption of a model fire prevention ordinance by all communities. Work toward this end is underway in most of the states and it will be intensified. The cooperation and interest of local authorities, civic groups and the public at large, is urgently needed. Fire prevention is not the other fellow's business. It's your business. Every fire amount to a drag on the war effort. Every fire prevents aids defense. All communities, all families, all individuals must help.

The Allied agreement, under which the United States, Great Britain, Russia, China and more than a score of other nations pledged themselves to make war until complete victory is achieved and to conclude no separate peace, is vitally important. It is the advance answer of the United Nations to any peace Hitler and his partners may have in mind—peace offers that will undoubtedly be based on the premise that the Axis has virtually won the war, and that there is no use in any nation bucking the inevitable.

nesday to her home at Van Horn. Her brother, Wallace Alexander, accompanied her as far as Abilene.

40 Years Ago—Jan. 18, 1902

At the meeting of Camp Raines, U. C. V., held here last Saturday, the necessary steps were taken to procure a charter and prepare to take part in the grand Reunion to be held in Dallas in April.

R. L. Reeves and family passed through here Wednesday moving back to Munday from Stamford.

The people of the Idella school district are preparing to build an addition to their school house. Their school had an enrollment of about thirty pupils at the beginning of the term, but the large number of new families coming into the enrollment passing the fifty mark. This will probably necessitate the employment of another teacher when the building addition is completed.

W. T. Hudson brought in eight fine registered Hereford bulls a few days ago. He has sold some of the animals, and will keep some of them to improve his own herds.

Mr. A. G. Jones presents his name this week to the voters of Haskell county as a candidate for County Treasurer.

J. W. Bell went to Fort Worth the first of the week to attend the convention of the Southwestern Saddle and Harness Manufacturers Association. He intends to visit Dallas before returning home.

B. B. Greenwood of the Stamford Courier was here on legal business Thursday.

The following petition signed by 127 citizens of Stamford, was published in the Stamford News last week: "We the undersigned citizens of Stamford believe for the best interests of all concerned that it would be best to ask the colored people to leave Stamford until they are less objectionable to its citizens."

A. J. Glasgow and family moved out to his farm in the north part of the county this week.

Have you asked your equipment dealer about repair parts for your farm machinery? If you haven't, do it now; the manufacturers need to know how much metal should be held out for this purpose so they can go ahead with military contracts.

Contagious abortion in hogs is becoming a serious problem in many breeding herds. The disease can be controlled by methods similar to those used for dairy herds.

BUY A SHARE IN AMERICA



DEFENSE SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

BANK WITH YOUR COUNTRY is the theme of this effective Defense Savings poster now seen in store windows and in the lobbies of buildings all over the country. Drawn by artist Henry Billings, of Rhinebeck, N. Y., the poster portrays the spirit of patriotism by investing in the United States Government through the purchase of Defense Bonds and Stamps. Stamps are priced from 10 cents to \$5; Bonds from \$18.75 to \$10,000.

NEWS IN THE WORLD OF RELIGION

"No matter what the present breakdown may seem to be in many countries, your work has not been in vain," is the word which has been sent by the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church to all its missionaries in Africa, Asia, and South America. "You and your predecessors have left the mark of Christ upon the nations in many ways. You have laid the foundation of a more abundant life for the bodies, the minds, and the spirits of those among whom you have labored. You have added immeasurably to the physical well-being of peoples; children are better cared for and shine in new value; women have been raised to a dignity before unknown; and human rights have become clear enough so that in some sure time they will prevail. We have full confidence that doors which seem now so tightly shut will be open again. We are continuing our material contributions in all lands where it is possible. We are recruiting and training new missionaries that we may be ready for the times of the divine strategy."

Perhaps Americans are often unaware that Christianity is older in Iceland than it is in many parts of Europe. Historians tell us that it was accepted by the Althing, Iceland's thousand-year-old Parliament, in 1000, the same year that Iceland-born Leif Ericson is said to have discovered the mainland of what is now the United States. The Althing's vote to accept Christianity did not make the land immediately Christian but it gave foreign missionaries a chance, and the religion of Christ eventually supplanted the religion of Odin and Thor. Icelandic churchmen, as members of a universal church traveled widely in Europe, and brought their country into the Christian life-stream of the continent. Iceland was Catholic throughout the Middle Ages and later shared in Luther's Reformation. Lutheranism is now the State religion.

Plans are under way for the merging of eight interdenominational Protestant bodies into one organization which will be known as "The Council of Churches of Christ in North America." The merger would include the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America and groups especially engaged in home and foreign missionary work and in religious education: the International Council of Religious Education, the Home Missions Council of North America, the Foreign Missions Council of North America, the National Council of Church Women, the Missionary Education Movement, the Council of Church Boards of Education, and the Association of Council Secretaries. All of the functions of these bodies would be carried on by the larger group.

Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that Must Help or It Will Cost You Nothing. Over one million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers due to Excess Acid—Poor Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Gasiness, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc., due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 Cent Retail. Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this treatment—free—at

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foresee And seek a victory blest by Thee."

The Confraternity of Christian Doctrine in the Roman Catholic Church in the United States published recently the New Testament for Catholics since Dr. Challoner's revision of the Rheims-Doval version in 1750. The Church has launched a program to put a copy into every American Catholic home.

American churches are urged to express their ideals of Christian brotherhood in "deeds" as well as in "creeds" in these days of national trial. Dr. George S. Haynes of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ, makes this plea for all minority and underprivileged groups. "Our pronouncements must now be supported by our practices," he says. "Where attacks are made upon Jews or the sinister spirit of anti-Semitism appears, we must protest in the name of Christ and his church. Where Negroes are excluded from sharing in the defense of our country, we Christians must act in the name of justice. Where any racial minority within our borders is exploited or barred from equal opportunity, we Christians must take a stand for the sake of our faith. We must furthermore, create a genuine fellowship that will prevent the development of such injustices toward any group."

Experience in controlling large sand dunes near Dalhart, has enabled the Soil Conservation Service to protect the right of way of a transcontinental railroad near Las Animas, California.

WHY suffer from Colds?
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Weekly Health Letter

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

Austin, Texas—Training programs for certified child care volunteers will be made available to local defense coordinators shortly, according to Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The program as provided under the Office of Civilian Defense is intended to provide a nucleus of trained voluntary workers in local communities to aid in the care of well children as distinguished from volunteer nursing aides trained through Red Cross assistance. The program is an extension of the present program of child growth and development of the State Health Department.

With mothers needed for defense work or being drawn into industrial activities, this training program will provide a volunteer group capable through a background of information regarding the normal development and every day care of the child to care for groups of children adequately.

The courses as now under consideration will be made available to anyone with time, ability, willingness to work, and a sincere interest in making a contribution to the growth, development, and welfare of the child.

Doctor Cox indicated that final details of subject matter would be referred to the Texas Inter-professional Commission on Child Growth and Development which is made up of outstanding physicians, dentists, nurses, educators, welfare workers, and others in

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HASKELL, TEXAS

Saturday Will Be The Last Day!

The Bargain Day Rate of The Haskell Free Press will remain in effect until

January 17, 1942

Due to the large number of readers responding to the Bargain Offer on subscriptions to The Free Press, the special Bargain Day Offer has been extended for a short time.

But because of the steadily mounting costs of producing a newspaper we will be forced to close the Bargain Day offer on January 17th—so take advantage of the offer today while you can save one-third the regular price on new or renewal subscriptions.

BARGAIN DAY RATE		REGULAR RATES After January 17th	
In Haskell and Adjoining Counties	\$1.00	In Haskell and adjoining Counties	\$1.50
Outside this area	\$1.50	Other Points in Texas	\$2.00
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Insurance F. L. Daugherty "The Insurance Man"

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Briefly Told News Items From Rochester

Banquet
Rochester pep squad under direction of the home teacher, Miss Virginia served a lovely banquet at the Rochester football banquet night about 200 were in attendance. Bro. Short pastor of the Baptist church gave the invocation. The Johnston rendered several numbers. Mr. S. H. then introduced the speaker, coach of McMurry Abilene, who made a address. Mr. Vaughter presented a jacket to coach regard for his successful with the Rochester football jackets to the following boys: Ocie McGuire, Hall, Gene Collier, Aulter, Donald Roberson, Roberson, John H. (Pud), Lynn Davidson, Troy Dan Wadzeck, Billy Shav-wood Martin, Glendon

Yarbrough, Pete Gauntt, Junior Gammill, Joe Steele.
God Bless America was then sung by the congregation led by Mr. Lee Smith. Benediction by N. S. Daniel, pastor of the Methodist church.

Moves To California
Mrs. Wheeler Michael and sons Sim and Bobby left this week for their new home in Oakland, Calif. Mr. Michael has been gone for several months. Rochester regrets losing them as they have both lived here all their lives and have a host of friends.

Mother Honored on Birthday
Mrs. H. L. Matheny entertained her mother Mrs. A. C. Henry on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 7 on her birthday. A beautiful birthday cake with other refreshments were served to several of her mother's friends, children and grandchildren.

The following enjoyed this delightful occasion: Mmes. J. H. Cooper, D. W. Hamilton, W. E. Watkins, Earnest Henry, Cordell Henry, Robert Henry.

S. T. Moreland and son C. C. Moreland returned to their home in Marlin after a visit with their sister and aunt Mrs. A. E. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Barnett have returned to Rochester after a visit in Emory, Texas with relatives.

Mrs. Joe Averitt of Knox City spent Wednesday with her mother Mrs. E. L. Carr.

Mrs. G. C. Cowan was carried to the Knox City hospital Tuesday afternoon for medical treatment.

Mr. Roy Arledge from Stamford was in Rochester on business one day this week.

Mrs. I. E. Alvis was in Haskell on business Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Levi Davis left last week for California where he plans to attend aviation school. He was accompanied by Guil Thomas.

Mrs. Alvis Ham, Misses Myrtle Marion Shaw and Pearl Scarborough of Rochester were visiting in Rochester Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Trimmer of Abilene spent the week end in Rochester with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Mooney visited her mother Mrs. W. A. Roberson in Rochester Friday.

TON QUIZ

WHERE DID COTTON HAVE ITS ORIGIN?



THE ORIGIN OF COTTON BROUGHT INTO OBSCURITY BY MOST PROBABLY BE IN INDIA.
ANSWERS WRITTEN REFERENCES TO IT AS EARLY AS 1500 B.C.

No. 14149 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Haskell National Bank

well in the State of Texas at the Close of Business on Dec. 31, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
and discounts (including \$1133.29 overdrafts)	\$395,426.08
States Government obligations, direct and	20,300.00
anted	28,577.77
ons of States and political subdivisions	1,700.00
te stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve	220,040.45
ances with other banks, including reserve bal-	18,000.00
and cash items in process of collection	18,000.00
remises owned \$14,000.00, furniture and fix-	18,000.00
Total Assets	\$684,044.30

LIABILITIES	
deposits of individuals, partnerships, and	593,337.29
orations	31,191.89
of States and political subdivisions	\$624,529.18
Total Deposits	\$624,529.18
Total Liabilities	\$624,529.18

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Stock:	
Class A preferred, total par \$13,963.50, re-	
table value \$13,963.50	50,000.00
(Rate of dividends on retirable value is 3%)	6,700.00
Common stock, total par \$36,036.50	815.12
ed Profits	2,000.00
(and retirement account for preferred stock)	
Total Capital Accounts	59,515.12
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$684,044.30

MEMORANDA

assets (and securities loaned) (book value):
States Government obligations, direct and guar-
anted, pledged to secure deposits and other lia-
ties 14,000.00
assets pledged to secure deposits and other lia-
ties, (including notes and bills rediscounted and
urities sold under repurchase agreement) 10,889.79
Total 24,889.79

Liabilities:
secured by pledged assets pursuant to require-
ments of law 31,191.89
Total 31,191.89

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

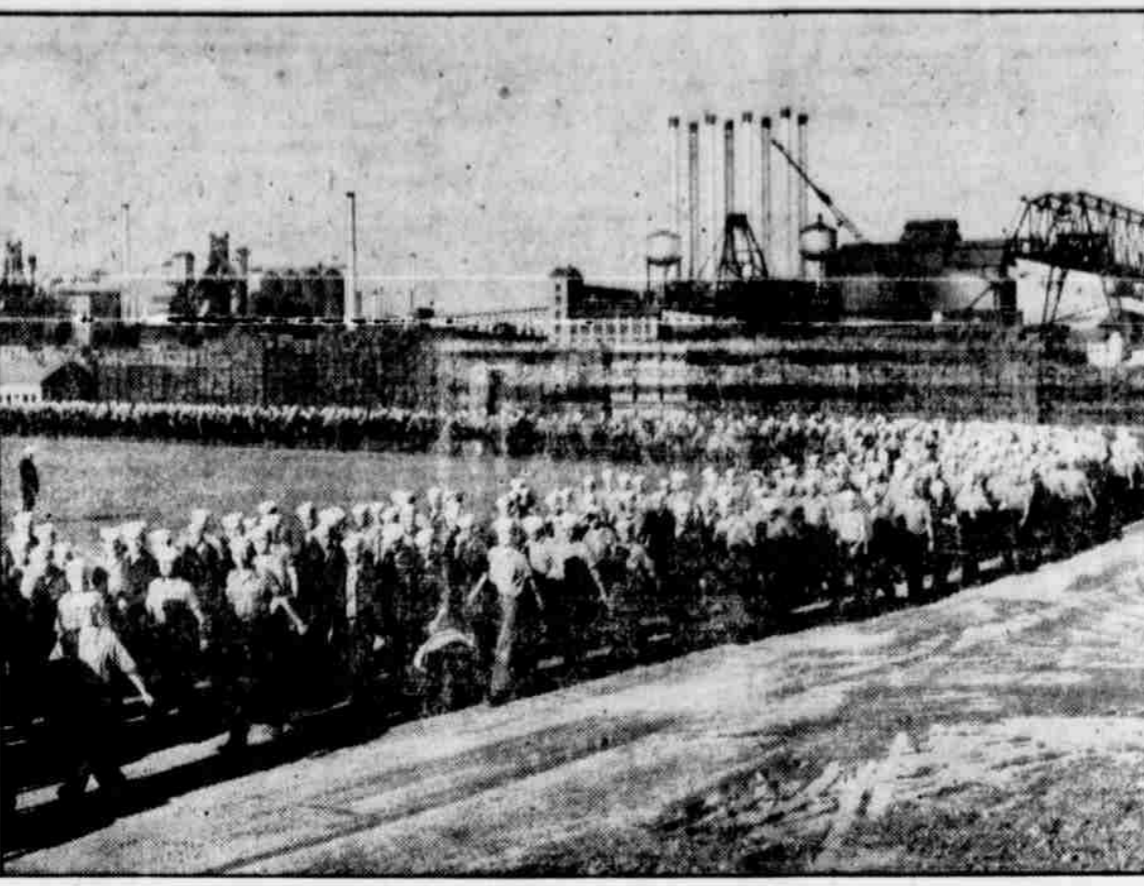
A. C. PIERSON, Cashier

born to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1942.

ACT—ATTEST:
U. Fields
E. Patterson
W. Pace, Directors.

INSURANCE
Was never so important as NOW...
See
T. C. CAHILL AND SON

They March from Industry to Uncle Sam's Fleet



DEARBORN, Mich.—This is a familiar scene at the vast Ford Rouge plant, where blue-jackets by the hundreds are being prepared for duties with Uncle Sam's fleet. The recruit sailors are shown marching to their

Senior Class Play Given

In spite of the bad weather the seniors had their class play Tuesday night which was quiet a success. The name of the play was "A Poor Married Man" and told of a poor professor's experience with two wives, his terror of his mother in law and the escapades of the black janitor, Jupiter Jackson, which furnished laughs from start to finish. Adding to the evening's entertainment was a fifteen minute concert by the Rochester high school band under the direction of Mr. Almon Martin, the band director.

P. T. A. Has Interesting Program

The program on Vocational Agriculture given at the P. T. A. meeting Tuesday afternoon was very interesting. Mr. Murff who teaches agriculture in Rochester High School had charge of the program. The main talk of the evening was given by John H. Alvis president of the F. F. A. chapter who told of the work they were doing and what it meant to be a member of the FFA. It was decided at this meeting that jars would be placed in each school room and children were asked to collect buttons and maps to be given to the Red Cross. They also are asking school children to save all waste paper and scrap iron.

Haskell Associational W. M. U. Meets

Several ladies from Rochester attended the Baptist district W. M. U. meeting at Knox City on Tuesday. The meeting was called to order promptly at 10 o'clock with Mrs. Bob Speck, president, presiding. Devotional led by Mrs. Mrs. Aubrey Short. After a short business session reports were given by the presidents of the different societies over the association and chairman of all standing committees. At the noon hour lunch was served by the Knox City ladies.

At the afternoon session the history of the Haskell Associational W. M. U. since its organization in 1910 up to the present time of 1942 was read by Mrs. George Hargberger, the historian, which was very interesting. The next meeting will be held at Haskell April 7.

Those attending from Rochester were Mrs. Bob Speck, Mrs. H. R. Barnett, Mrs. Henry Qualls, Mrs. J. E. Mansell, Mrs. P. A. Mansell, Mrs. J. M. Hicks, Mrs. G. Hicks, Mrs. Aubrey Short and Mrs. Vestus Alvis.

W. M. U. Meets in Home of Mrs. Hob Smith

The W. M. U. of the Baptist Church met this week in the home of Mrs. Hob Smith and the following program was rendered: Devotional by Mrs. J. E. Mansell. The president appointed Mrs. Bob Speck and Mrs. Aubrey Short as a committee to make yearbooks for 1942. Enlistment committee, Mrs. G. C. Cowan, Mrs. J. E. Mansell and Mrs. Vestus Alvis; Social committee, Mrs. Hob Smith, Mrs. H. R. Barnett and Mrs. Henry Qualls. The Bible lesson was led by Mrs. Hob Smith. After the meeting Mrs. Smith served refreshments of fruit cake and hot tea and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mr. Frank J. Hassen returned to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, this week after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Thomas Adams was shopping in Haskell Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonner Murff spent the week end in Baird with relatives.

Literary Club Elects Officers

The Woman's Literary Club met Thursday afternoon in its regular business meeting. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Hob Smith presided. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Vestus Alvis. It was decided that we as a club would spend every other Thursday afternoon working at the Red Cross work room. The club voted to buy four twenty-five dollar Government bonds now and more later.

The following new members

were recognized: Misses Ruth Server, Helen Williams, Patterson and Johnston.

The club collect was read in unison. The American's Creed was read by Mrs. Bud Corley.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr.; Vice President, Mrs. W. H. Carothers; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Harold Christenson; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. L. M. Kay; Treasurer, Mrs. H. W. Buckner; Parliamentarian, Mrs. E. Hob Smith; Critic, Mrs. W. J.

Bragg; Musician, Mrs. Bob Speck; Reporter, Mrs. Vestus Alvis.

Mrs. H. P. Finley has returned from Wichita Falls where she spent several days visiting.

Mrs. George Oates has returned to her home in O'Donnell after a visit with her mother, Mrs. M. M. Clark.

Floyd Henderson has returned to Fort Sam Houston after a short visit with his mother Mrs. Jack Newberry of Rochester.

Mrs. Edward Harper and children have returned to their home in San Antonio after a two weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Reed from California came a few days ago to spend a while with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Finley.

James Bagwell from Dallas is visiting friends in Rochester this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterman Hudspeth from New Boston came this week to visit their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hudspeth and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Smith were in Dallas a few days this week on business.

Mrs. L. M. Kay and son Charles left Sunday for a visit in East Texas. Mr. Kay will visit his mother and other relatives in Big Sandy. They will also visit in Tyler.

Harold Sandel and Dickie Roberson who are attending a defense school in Dallas spent the week end in Rochester with their parents.

Mmes. L. M. Kay and Vestus Alvis spent a few days in Abilene the first of the week with their daughters, Marjorie Kay and Sydna Alvis.

Paul Grinstead enlisted in the navy this week and before leaving came to Rochester to visit his mother Mrs. Eva Grinstead and other relatives.

Carmen and Rosemary Kay came home Saturday from Lubbock where they had been to spend Christmas with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kaigler.

Mmes. W. J. Bragg and J. E. Mansell visited in Knox City on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Vaughter spent the week end in Quitaque.

Miss Annie Sue Reeves spent the week end in Rochester with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr. spent Thursday in Merkel with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Church.

Mrs. A. B. Michael, Mrs. Troy Wright and Mrs. W. M. Michael were in Haskell shopping Monday afternoon.

Miss Elva Jo Hudson who has been in Gorman for several months has returned to her home in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr. had as dinner guests on Tuesday her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Church and son M. C. Church. Other relatives were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Diggins, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Church and children Jerry and Joyce all of Merkel, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Willingham and daughter Carolyn from Clayton, New Mexico.

Mrs. Weldon has returned to her home in Odessa after a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Speck.

Mrs. L. F. Flow from Richmond, California is visiting her father, Mr. Jake Jenkins of Rochester.

Mrs. Andy Norris from Haskell spent Monday in Rochester with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wadkins.

Alton Wreyford and Boyce Qualls left Tuesday morning for Abilene where they enlisted in the navy.

FOR SALE—Books, Bibles, New Testament. Don't fail to see "The Marked Bible" the latest and greatest help for the Bible student; also "Christian Workers New Testament". Bibles 35c up, New Testament 10c up. C. Jones, pastor Fundamental Baptist Church.

Those from Haskell who attended the football banquet in Rochester Monday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Matt Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Charlie Chapman, Mrs. Sam T. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis Jr.

Coach Jimmy Wyatt, Mr. Thomas Roberson and several others from O'Brien attended the football banquet Monday night.

Mr. Dick Shaver is a patient in the Knox City hospital this week.

Skim milk has less calories than whole milk because it does not contain the butterfat, but it does contain practically all of the other value of whole milk.

There is a tremendous need for clean, wholesome, yet entertaining boys' publications. The Boy Scouts of America has published "BOYS' LIFE".

It's the magazine you will be glad to give your son... or a friend's son. Only \$1.50 a year... \$2.50 for 2 years. Send your order to: BOYS' LIFE, No. 2 Park Ave., New York. Or to your newspaper office or local agent.

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MAYBE you've got a boy helping to do the job "over there." He's a fine lad... a brave one, too. It's a big job he's got.

And you're certain—and we're certain—that when all real Americans concentrate their efforts on production of supplies and actual fighting equipment, and insist upon discontinuing the enormous non-defense spending spree by non-productive political agencies, then this fine, brave soldier boy will get the job done.

That means there remains a truly big job to be done here at home. Everybody left behind must help.

Our own special job—this company's—it twofold: **First**—we must provide the light and power needed by army camps, air training schools, and defense industries in this West Texas country. **Second**—we must continue serving your home and business, doing all this in an economical manner so that we may also continue contributing all possible tax support direct for defense purposes.

We must conserve copper, rubber and automobiles. Our cars and trucks were reduced from 334 in 1931 to 235 in 1941. With further reduction

now, many will do double duty in order to take care of the public's electric service requirements over a 45,000-square-mile area.

These vehicles, in 1941, traveled a total of 3,506,872 miles, or 140 times around the globe! Many of them have been rebuilt, and now will be rebuilt several times.

With a shortage of tires, cars and trucks, the job of maintaining the same type of good service in 1942 will be an increasingly hard task. It will require more maintenance and rebuilding throughout. This, we will continue to do, making replacement parts in our own repair shop, if necessary, to maintain the continuity of service to you.

We do not expect to be late in rendering any of the services you have come to expect of us. But, if there is delay, remember, please, that speed is being sacrificed at home so that the boys "over there" may have more and better fighting equipment.

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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 District Attorney, 39th Judicial District:
J. C. DAVIS, JR.
WALTER MURCHISON.

For County Judge:
COURTNEY HUNT.
JOHN F. IVY.

For County Superintendent:
THOS. B. ROBERSON
MATT GRAHAM (Re-Election)

For Sheriff:
OLEN DOTSON (Re-election)

For County Clerk:
MRS. HETTIE WILLIAMS.
ROY RATLIFF (Re-Election)

For County Attorney:
CURTIS POGUE.

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
M. R. (Murray) SMITH.
(Second Term)

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:
T. L. (Terry) ROBERSON.
(Second Term)

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
ALFRED TURNBOW.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:
J. P. TRIMMER.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:
BILL FOUTS.
(Second Term)

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:
EARNEST MARION.
(Second Term)

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 2 (Weinert):
EDDIE SANDERS.
(Second Term)

Deserter—

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anced, Burkhalter was questioned afterwards and told officers a coherent story of his desertion from the RCAF last year and the subsequent theft of an automobile. According to Burkhalter's story, he and three companions deserted the Canadian air force early in October last year and stole an automobile from the Dominion Motor Company in Winnipeg, Canada. They drove the car as far as Pensacola, Florida, where it was abandoned last October 17 and the deserters separated. Burkhalter then started hitch-hiking toward his home in Duncan, he told officers, and decided to surrender to officers when he reached this section.

After hearing Burkhalter's story Sheriff Dotson consulted with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and advised Burkhalter's relatives in Oklahoma of his arrest and detention here. Acting under advice from the FBI, Sheriff Dotson released Burkhalter to the custody of relatives who came here from Oklahoma pending a complete investigation of the case by U. S. and Canadian officials.

C. B. Bredelove and Matt Graham made a business trip to Austin the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pearsay and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McElroy of Sweetwater went to Houston this past week end to attend the funeral of W. A. Whatley, a former resident of Haskell.

McKelvain—

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Frances Chapman. Interment was in Willow Cemetery with arrangements in charge of Holden Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Bob Herren, Theodore Perdue, Art McMillen, Croft Laird, Virgil Bailey, Clinton Herren, Roy Miller and Haskell Stone. Floral offerings were handled by Jimmie Lou Free, Maxie Rae Burson, Earlene Pearsay, Deen Bartlett, Mary Lou Webb, Sue Ratliff.

Murder Trial—

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where the slaying occurred, with two bullets fired from its chambers. A murder complaint was filed against Bolin and he has been in the county jail since the homicide occurred.

Prosecution of the case will be directed by District Attorney Ben Charlie Chapman and County Attorney Walter Murchison with T. R. Odell of this city as attorney for the defense.

Special Venire
Summoned on a Special Venire from which jurors to hear trial of the case will be chosen, were the following persons:

J. E. Adams, Grady Adcock, Lee Norman, W. E. Penick, Roy Tankersley, V. M. Wilson, Henry King, Alfred Letz, H. W. Owens, W. P. Curd, Alvin Mitchell, Walter Quade, A. L. Lambert, W. P. Trice, Alfred Turnbow, J. W. Lee, Paul Russell, W. A. Leonard, A. J. Oates, L. L. Kuestler.

J. O. Jones, Jno. Crawford, Clarence Norton, Jewel Day, W. H. Brannan, J. L. Daughtry, W. O. Hager, Ben Neal, Dock Tibbitt, Frank Elmore, Henry Cloud, S. E. May, Guinn Medford, Hollis Davis, Ben Kittley, Claud Ashley, Edd Fouts, J. M. Glass, C. H. Phillips, W. P. Everett.

F. J. Gilleland, D. O. Hunt, W. H. O'Neal, T. A. Holcombe, Belton Duncan, J. O. Tanner, Marvin Wheatley, R. L. LeClaire, J. A. Bynum, Bob Turner, Roy Wiseman, I. L. Bradley, I. L. Smith, E. C. Laughlin, B. G. Pool, Earl Atchison, Hallie Chapman, Albert Pieser, M. A. Bumpass, Ike Simpson.

W. Slade, John Grand, E. W. Andrews, Ike Pierson, R. C. Cole, L. B. White, J. A. Briles, G. V. Cobb, J. B. Pittman, Felix Mullino, Mabe Moseley, B. L. Adkins, R. A. Shaver, W. M. Michael, Virgil Brown, E. H. Martindale, Palo Speck, Lynn Pace, B. G. Swenson, Arthur Montgomery.

Special Jurors have been notified to be and appear at the Courthouse in Haskell at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 26.

Last Rites for Mrs. Gilleland Held Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. W. D. Gilleland, who died of a sudden heart attack shortly before noon last Wednesday at the family home southeast of Haskell, were held at the Church of Christ in this city Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with J. D. Pinkerton, minister of the church, officiating.

Burial was in Willow cemetery with Holden funeral home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were W. A. Holt, A. J. Josselot, Bill Earles, Will Green, Marvin Medford, Wesley Brown, J. A. Landess and John R. Watson. Floral offerings were handled by Ruth Landess, Ophelia Medford, Ima Medford, Veda Griffin, Mozelle Fields, Jack Earles, Juanita Earles, Ruth Trimmer.

Mrs. Gilleland, a resident of Haskell county since 1915, is survived by her husband, three sons, four brothers and three sisters.

Lunching on American Bacon



American bacon sandwiches form the lunch of this British coal miner, photographed as he halted work for a meal far underground. U. S. farmers are making it possible to send thousands of tons of pork, dairy, and poultry products overseas, thereby giving new strength to the English people in their fight against Nazi Germany.

A WEEK OF THE WAR

(Released Through NEA Defense Advisory Committee)

The President, in a message to Congress, said he had directed Federal agencies to arrange a new schedule of war production calling for 60,000 planes in 1942, including 45,000 combat craft, and 125,000 in 1943, including 100,000 combat units; 45,000 tanks in 1942 and 75,000 in 1943; 20,000 anti-aircraft guns in 1942 and 35,000 in 1943; 8,000,000 dead-weight tons of merchant ships in 1942 and 10,000,000 in 1943.

The President told Congress he would order the U. S. armed forces to a world-wide front to find the enemy and "hit him and hit him again whenever and wherever we can reach him." He said U. S. forces would take up positions if necessary in the British Isles, the Far East and on all ocean and bases within and without the New World necessary to protect the Western Hemisphere.

Production Progress
The Office for Emergency Management reported increased pooling of aircraft production facilities within the industry and with the auto industry, and concentration on superior types of planes. The OEM said in almost every month of 1942 additional plants will begin production of planes with parts supplies by industrial pools.

The War Department reported at least one plant of each of the 13 types required for the munitions program was completed in 1941, making a total of 28 now in operation. The announcement said 28 more will begin production soon.

Employment
Labor Secretary Perkins reported 15,000,000 workers will be engaged in war production by the end of 1942—three times as many as were so employed in the fourth quarter of 1941. There will be only a relatively small increase in total employment, however, Miss Perkins said, because many persons now working in civilian-good industry will be shifted to war work. WPA announced 3,800,000 persons were unemployed in December 1941, less than the previous month.

Conservation of Materials
OPM announced industrial conservation programs will be set up in more than 30 industrial centers to wreck old machinery and equipment to salvage needed materials; to minimize waste and spoilage; to handle scrap and speed its return to users.

OPM also recommended elimination of special deliveries of milk and substitution of every-other-day delivery for daily delivery to conserve tires. The agency recommended manufacturers simplify the types of bottles and other containers and eliminate those not necessary; ordered all tin and lead scrap under rationing control, restricted use of ethyl alcohol in toilet soaps, mouth washes, rubbing alcohol, candy glazes; cut use of certain materials in manufacture of vending machines dispensing cigarettes, food, candy and other items; cut the amount of wool for civilian use to 80 percent of last year; and restricted the use of copper in certain radio parts.

Prices
The President sent a message to Congress asking for provision for a single price administrator for all prices in the price control legislation now under construction. The Bureau of Labor Statistics reported wholesale prices are now at the highest level since 1939—17.6 percent above this time last year.

The War Front
The White House announced the U. S., Britain, the Netherlands and the Dominion governments agreed to a unified command in the Southwest Pacific area with all sea, land and air forces under Gen. Wavell of the British Army, with Lt. Gen. Brett of the U. S. Army Air Forces, as next in command, Gen. MacArthur, command-

er in the Philippines, reported his lines holding against renewed Japanese attacks. The Army and Navy reported sinking of three enemy cargo ships of 10,000 tons each, one enemy transport and more than a score of Japanese bombing and fighting planes. The Marine Corps announced that new reports showed that the defenders of Wake Island had sunk one cruiser, four destroyers, one submarine and one gunboat before succumbing. The President cited the entire Wake garrison for heroism.

The White House announced the RAF dropped more than 2,000,000 American pamphlets on Nazi-occupied France stressing the historic ties between the American and French people. The pamphlets included pictures of the Statue of Liberty and quotations from the President's speeches.

The President set February 16 for selective service registration of men from 20 to 44 who have not previously registered. ("A Week of the War" summarizes information on the important development of the week made available by official sources through and including Friday, January 9.)

CARD OF THANKS
We want to express our sincere thanks and heartfelt gratitude to the host of friends and neighbors for their sympathy and acts of kindness shown us during the loss of our loved one. Also for the beautiful floral offering sent in remembrance of her. We pray when this dark hour of sorrow comes to you that we can lend a helping hand and pray God's richest blessings rest on each and all of you.—W. D. Gilleland and Children. A16p

CARD OF THANKS
May we take this method of thanking our friends for the words of sympathy and kindness shown us in our recent bereavement. We wish to especially thank you for the lovely floral tribute. Should sorrow enter your home may you find the same consolation.—Mrs. Dudley McKelvain and children. A16p

Wants

FOR SALE OR TRADE—4 room house 2 blocks west of highway 30 from Shook's place. Good well water and water system and outdoor buildings. See Monte Frierson at Dick's Grocery. A16p

GET IN DEFENSE WORK before Registration time. Good pay and 7 days a week. Act at once. See or write Carl Wainwright, Box 944, Olney, Texas. B6p

War Needs Money—YOURS!



This war calls for every ounce of energy, every dime and dollar we can muster for ships—and planes—and guns. Hit the enemy with a \$25 Bond. Hurt him with a \$50 Bond. Help to blow him sky-high with a \$100 or \$1,000 Bond. Don't delay—every hour counts. Buy United States Defense Bonds and Stamps TODAY.

FOR RENT—3 rooms unfurnished, 1 block south Clinic. Mrs. F. F. Fulbright. A23p

CUSTOM HATCHING—We set our incubators on Monday of each week. Bring us your eggs to hatch. 120 egg size trays \$2.50. Trice Hatchery. A16p

FOR SALE—Bundle Cane 1/2 c a bundle. J. E. Jetton, 8 miles Haskell on Benjamin road. A16p

Income Tax Instruction Books
for making your 1941 Income Tax Return 50c each, 2 for \$1.00 postpaid mail. Bvnum Office Supply, Haskell, Texas. A16c

BABY CHICKS—We have White Leghorn Baby Chicks each week \$10.00 per 100. Started chicks slightly higher. Few six week pullets 50c each. Trice Hatchery. A16p

FOR SALE—15 head mixed feeder steers. Also few Jersey Milk Cows. Ben F. Bruton, Weinert, Texas. A23c

IF MANAGED RIGHT you can buy 5 good tires at Kennedy Service Station. tfc

FOR SALE—Bundle cane 1c per bundle. Not delivered. Will trade some for pigs. See Fred Ray, 3 miles southeast of Haskell. A16p

I WANT TO RENT or lease a small stock and grain farm. Would lease with option to buy. H. O. Muston, Goree, Rt. 2. A16p

FOR SALE—Good late cut bundle cane. Also some good bright baled mixed oats and Johnson grass hay. See J. E. Walling at Humble Bulk Station. A16

NEW SUPPLY of Ray's guaranteed Rat Killer. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Sells for 35c and 50c at Reid's Drug Store, Haskell. B6p

STRAYED COW—I have in my possession a roan cow about eight years old. Came to my place about three weeks ago. Would the owner contact H. Riggins, Weinert, Texas. A19p

WANTED—Women and Juniors shopping for new Spring apparel. Printzess and Betty Rose Coats, sizes 9 to 42, and other nationally advertised items appreciated by smart women. The Personality Shoppe, Mrs. Elma Guest owner. Tonkawa Hotel building. A21c

COUPLE WANTED—Man to do farm work, woman to keep house for two. See me 12 miles south of Rule or at Stamford. J. P. Astin. tfc

NOTICE—We will remove your dead and crippled horses, mules and cattle free if the hide is on. Call us immediately by telephone collect. Haskell Soap Works, Phone 45, Haskell, Texas. Fields & Stocks, agents. tfc

McCASLAND has Concrete Sand and Gravel in stacks at pit for 40c per yard. Also real driveway material for 15c per yard.

IF YOU WANT your saw sharpened or any cabinet work bring it to A. Tonn at his residence. L19tfc

FOR SALE—My seven room house in the northeast part of Haskell. Will sell worth the money. W. F. Potterson. L19tfc

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From pasture 4 miles northeast of Paint Creek school, brown Jersey cow, branded GC on left side; disappeared about 8 or 9 days ago. One whiteface cow branded GC on left side and circle-H-triangle on right hip; disappeared about Dec. 5. Reward for information concerning whereabouts of these cows. G. C. Carothers, Stamford, Texas. A23p

January Clearance SALES!

7 Only

Men's Top Coats

Regular 18.75

Mixtures and solids, single and double-breasted styles. Sizes 37, 38, 39, 40, 44

\$14.

Group Men's—7 Only

Two Trouser Suits

Values to 22.75

Grey, Oxford Mix and Mixtures. Single and double breasted styles. All with two trousers. Sizes 35 to 39.

15.35

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Green, Blue and Tweed Mix. Single breasted drapes. All with two pants. Sizes 36 to 40

Close Out! Group

BOY'S BOOT PANTS

Boys twill Boot Pants Medium and dark grey colors. Sizes 6 to 15. Regularly to 1.98

\$1.

8 only Boy's Regular 1.98

SLACK SUITS

Solid color Slacks with plaid flannel shirts. Green and blue colors. Sizes 5 to 8

1.39

Clean Up! Group

Men's Khaki Pants

Discontinued numbers. Taupe color only. Waist sizes 36 to 44 only

1.

Close Out! Groups

Men's Felt Hats

Fine quality Felt Hats. Colors light and dark greys, blue and brown.

GROUP ONE
21 only Felt Hats, values to 3.98

1.47

GROUP TWO
27 only Hats, values to 5.00

2.49

Close Out!

Women's Sweaters

51 only values to 1.50

Coat styles and pullover. A variety of colors and styles

50c

January Clearance SALE

Group Regular 7.95 to 10.95

Ladies Dresses

Late winter styles in an assortment of fine fabrics. Black and colors in the season's smartest styles

Group Values to 2.98... Ladies

DRESSES \$1

Selected from regular stock. Spur rayons in plaids and checks. A variety of colors from which to choose

ENTIRE STOCK WOMEN'S AND MISSES' WINTER

COATS

None Reserved

Group One

Smart plaids, herringbones, fleeces, tweeds and black dressy Coats. Tailored styles. Dressy styles

Entire Stock 16.75 to 19.75

12.95

Group Two

In view of the present market conditions, here are values worthy of your immediate attention. A wide variety of styles, fabrics and colors.

Entire Stock 10.95 and 12.95 Coats

8.95

Group Womens

Novelty SHOES

Values to 3.98

A variety of styles in suede and suede combinations. High and medium heels.

Close-Out

\$1

ENTIRE STOCK WOMEN'S

Winter Hats

1.00 to 2.98 Values

All late winter styles. 63 hats in group. A wide variety of colors, fabrics and styles

50c

Close Out! Group

Costume Jewelry

Reg. 1.00

Pins, Necklaces, Bracelets and others.

each

59c

Close Out! Group

Womens Kid and S

Gloves

79c

Black, Brown and Grey. Fine quality Gloves. Sizes to 7 only.

Sale Group

54 Inch Woolens

Regularly to 3.50

Solids and mixtures. All 54 inches wide. Suit and Coat weights

1.39

SALE GROUP

Spun Rayon FABRIC

Regularly 59c

Special groups of printed spun rayons that sell regularly for 59c to 69c

39c

Group Regular to 19c

Buttons and Buckles

2c Card

Sale Womens

BELTS

1.00 values
.50 values
.25 values

Group Womens's

Bags

Regularly to 2.98

Group consists of fine quality Suede Bags. An unusual value group on sale for only

1.39

All Sales Final!

TEXAS THEATRE

FRIDAY JAN. 16 LAST DAY OF—
SHIRLEY TEMPLE in
"KATHLEEN"
Added Comedy and News

SATURDAY JAN. 17—
BOB STEELE in
"BILLY THE KID IN TEXAS"

OWL SHOW SAT NIGHT—ALSO SUN. and MON—
FRED ASTAIRE and RITA HAYWORTH in
"YOU'LL NEVER GET RICH"
Also News and Comedy

TUESDAY JAN. 20—
JEANETTE MACDONALD and BRIAN AHERNE in
"SMILING THROUGH"

WEDNESDAY JAN. 21—
FREDRIC MARCH and MARTHA SCOTT in
"ONE FOOT IN HEAVEN"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—JAN. 22-23—
ERROL FLYNN and OLIVIA DEHAVILLAND in
"They Died With Their Boots On"

AT THE RITA

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—JAN. 16-17—
GENE AUTRY and SMILEY BURNETT in
"MOUNTAIN RHYTHM"
Also Serial "RIDERS OF DEATH VALLEY"
With Buck Jones and Dick Foran

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY—JAN. 18-19-20—
"I WANTED WINGS"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—JAN. 21-22—
"I Was A Prisoner On Devil's Island"