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County Agricultural Meetings Scheduled to Begin Jan. 12th

Farm Plans to Be Outlined at Community Meetings

The following schedule of community farm meetings has been arranged to present the 1944 production goals for cotton, peanuts and feed; the 1944 A. Program, and the series of all Agricultural Agency to the farmers and ranchers of Haskell County.

The time and place of the nine meetings that will be held is as follows:

- Afternoon Meetings:**
Rochester—Schoolhouse—2:00 p. m., Wednesday, Jan. 12.
Haskell—District Court room—5:00 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 15.
Haskell—Schoolhouse, Wednesday, Jan. 12.
Haskell—Schoolhouse, Thursday, Jan. 13.
Haskell—Schoolhouse, Friday, Jan. 14.
Haskell—Schoolhouse, Monday, Jan. 17.
Haskell—Schoolhouse, Tuesday, Jan. 18.
Haskell—Schoolhouse, Wednesday, Jan. 19.
Haskell—Church, Thursday, Jan. 20.
- Representatives of the following agencies will participate in program to be presented: Farm Security Administration; Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service; R.E.A., Farm Credit Administration, Vocational Training and Triple A County and Community Committees.
- All producers are urged to attend one of the above meetings in full cooperation is needed in Haskell County to meet the production goals that have been set for 1944.

RS. H. WILLIAMS CLAIMED BY DEATH MONDAY, JAN. 3

Funeral services were held for the late Mrs. H. Williams at 10:30 a. m. Monday at the First Baptist church, Haskell, following the burial at the cemetery.

Mrs. Williams, 62, who has been in failing health for several years and seriously ill for the year, was found dead in her bed at home in Rule early Monday morning.

The body was brought to Haskell on Monday afternoon for funeral services, to be held at the First Baptist church at 10:30 a. m. Monday.

Mrs. Williams was one of the pioneer women. She and her husband moved from the Pinkerton community to Rule 42 years ago, where she was a member of the First Baptist church and had been active in church work until her death.

Survivors other than her husband and two sons, are two granddaughters, children of Captain and Lanham Williams, who with their mother, are making their home in Haskell.

Mrs. Williams for several years has been a deputy in the County Tax collector's office here.

Good Conduct Medal

Staff Charles E. Swinson, formerly Haskell, was awarded the Good Conduct Medal at LAAF recently. A member of the 84th Base and Air Base Sq., S-Sgt. Swinson works in the Finance Section of the Air Force.

LAAF is an advanced pilot training school, a part of the Navy Army Air Forces Flying Training Command. Located in the flat plains area of West Texas, it was early chosen as an ideal location for the intensive training necessary to equip cadets who come here from basic military training at the Army's Fort Benning, Georgia, and the other multi-branch training commands.

Swinson, who is a member of the Haskell community, was a member of the Haskell community for 17 years before he came to the Air Force.

A P. Pool of Eastland visited during Mrs. C. H. P. Pool in city during the week-end.

Miss Nettie McCullum spent the week-end visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robertson.

At Bryan



AFF Instrument Instructor's School, Bryan, Texas.—Pfc. Edward E. Livenwood, son of C. P. Livenwood, Haskell, a graduate of Pain's Creek High school, and a wardmaster in the Station hospital, has recently been cooperating in precautionary measures which have saved the AAF Instrument Instructor's school, the only one of its kind in the Air Forces, from the dangers of a flu epidemic.

The husband of the former Miss Edith Merle Dilbeck, Livenwood was stationed at Lubbock before coming to Bryan. In civilian life he farmed and a former employee of Consolidated Aircraft. Fishing and hunting are his favorite hobbies.

PREVIEW OF EPIC FILM SCHEDULED FOR ARMY RELIEF

Lions to Sponsor Advance Showing of "This Is the Army"

Through arrangements made by H. S. Leon, owner of the Texas Theatre, the Haskell Lions Club will sponsor a preview of the outstanding film, "This Is the Army" at the Texas on Wednesday afternoon and night, January 19, with all proceeds to be donated to the Army Emergency Relief fund.

Advance sale of tickets for the preview will be started this week by the Lions Club. Tickets for the benefit show will sell for \$1 plus ten cents tax, for both adults and children. This is the minimum price of admission charged in all other Texas cities where the film has been shown.

"This Is the Army," a Warner Bros. production in technicolor, is rated as one of the top productions in recent years, and the preview showings of the film is the only method available for raising funds for the Army Emergency Relief, it was explained to the Lions Club members Wednesday by Lieut. Simmons of Camp Barkeley, who also told of the many services rendered to servicemen and women and their dependents by the agency.

Asks Re-Election



County Judge John F. Ivy this week announced his candidacy for re-election for a second term, in this important office.

COLD STORAGE LOCKER PLANT HERE ASSURED

Prospective Locker Renters Should Make Contracts at Early Date

Farmers and others interested in securing locker space in the proposed Cold Storage Locker Plant in Haskell were reminded this week by C. E. Phelps, that a number of the lockers have already been contracted, and prospective renters of the vaults were urged to make their reservations during the coming week before the limited number still available are contracted.

Locker renters will sign for a one-year rental period, and the cost will be only \$14.00. All money collected on the contracts will be placed in escrow in the two Haskell banks until the plant is completed and in operation, Mr. Phelps explained. These contracts are necessary in order to secure priority for the needed equipment required for the plant, he pointed out.

Prospective locker renters can secure full information concerning the proposed plant by contacting Mr. Phelps at the Phelps Ice Company office in this city.

Construction of the new plant seems assured, on the basis of the number of contracts already secured, Phelps said.

Final Rites Held at Rochester Jan. 3 for Julius Winn

Funeral service was held at the Church of Christ in Rochester Monday, January 3rd for Julius C. Winn, 53, well-known resident of that section, and descendant of a pioneer Haskell county family, whose death occurred Saturday, January 1. Deceased was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Winn who came to Haskell county shortly after its organization.

The rites were conducted by H. L. Maehery, minister of the Rochester Church of Christ, and burial was in the Rochester cemetery with arrangements in charge of Hob Smih funeral home of that city.

Pallbearers were J. W. Harrison, Jack Dozier, Buster Hodges, Pete Newberry, Leroy Lowrey, Martin Teague, Ike Persons and D. S. Gothard.

Mr. Winn, a native of Texas; was born in Belton, Texas, and lived here until his parents moved to Haskell county. After reaching manhood, he was engaged in farming and followed this vocation during his lifetime.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. May Winn of Rochester, two daughters, Mrs. T. A. Turner of Imperial, Calif., and Florence Winn of Rochester; a son, Murry Winn who is with U.S. Army forces, overseas; and three sisters, Mrs. Docia Sadler of Henderson, Texas; Mrs. Julian Morgan of Atlantic, N. J.; and Mrs. Mary Ward of San Francisco, Calif.; and a brother, Felix Winn of Rocheser. Seven grandchildren also survive.

LIONS TO HONOR RATION, DRAFT BOARD MEMBERS

War Board Members Will Be Guests at Banquet Friday Night

The Haskell Lions Club will honor members of Haskell county's war emergency board's Friday evening, when the club will host at a banquet for members of the Haskell County War Price and Rationing Board and the Selective Service Board, together with their wives.

The event, scheduled to begin at 7 o'clock Friday evening, will be held in the coffee shop of the Tonkawa Hotel.

Guest speaker for the evening will be State Senator Pat Bullock of Colorado City. Presiding as toastmaster for the evening program will be County Treasurer Willie Lane, president of the Lions Club.

Lions Clubs throughout the nation are holding similar observances on this date, the anniversary of the inauguration of wartime rationing in the United States on January 7, 1942.

Final Rites for Rule Pioneer Held Saturday

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist church in Rule Saturday afternoon for J. C. Hager, 78, pioneer of Rule, who passed away at his home here Friday after an illness of several weeks.

The Rev. C. A. Fowell officiated and the Gauntt's Funeral home was in charge of arrangements. Burial was made in Rule cemetery.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. G. W. Castle of Portland, Ore.; Mrs. R. A. Greenwald of Rochester; Mrs. Lou Neekly of Rule; one son, D. Hager of Rocheser; two brothers, John Hager of Rule and H. L. Hager of Avoca.

Pallbearers were Boyce Foll, C. E. Lott, Ernest Westmoreland, Jim Harcrow, Louis Edwards, D. P. Fuller, Ernest Lott and L. L. Carothers of Rocheser.

Poultry Specialist Culling Flocks In Haskell Trade Area

Farmers and poultry owners of the Haskell trade territory are being offered the services of M. L. Sharp, poultry specialist, in culling diseased birds from their flocks through arrangements made by the Market Poultry & Egg Co. and the manufacturer of Chickalo and Pelepo poultry feeds, A. T. Ballard manager of the Haskell branch of the Market Poultry & Egg Company announced this week.

Mr. Sharp has spent several weeks in this section in recent months, and has culled and examined an estimated fifty thousand birds in this territory, the local produce dealer declared.

Farmers who desire to have their flocks inspected by Mr. Sharp may secure his services by contacting the local poultry and produce concern Mr. Ballard stated.

Returning home last week after spending the holidays as guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hamblon were: Miss Velma Hamblon, of Hondo, who for the past 3 years has been Home Demonstration Agent of Medina County; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arbuckle and daughters, Mrs. Garland Wood and son of Ft. Worth and Mrs. H. J. Hamblon, Jr. and daughter of Holland, Texas.

Margaret Williams and Onella Moore spent the holidays in Fort Worth, guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Robertson.

COLLECTION OF SCRAP AT SLOW PACE IN COUNTY

Farmers Asked to Have Scrap Ready to Pick Up When Trucks Call

Although Haskell county farmers as a whole are responding liberally in giving their junked farm equipment and other scrap metal to the current county-wide Scrap Collection drive, collection of the vital metals is being slowed down because in many instances the scrap metal has not been assembled and ready to be picked up when the Army trucks call.

Sgt. A. W. Strane, in charge of the Army detail stationed here during the county-wide drive, said Thursday:

To date, a total of 303 tons (2240 pounds) of scrap metal have been picked up and concentrated here, Sgt. Strane said. "But we could have brought in considerably more than that during the time we have been here if every farmer or other resident could have had their scrap ready to go when we called for it," he added.

"Most of the people apparently realize how badly the metal is needed, and they have responded generously as a whole," Sgt. Strane emphasized. However, the sergeant said he hesitated to admit that in one instance a Haskell county man had pointedly declared that he "had rather give his metal to anyone than to give it to the damned Army." If that attitude prevailed except in isolated instances the war would be prolonged for years, he declared in emphasizing how badly the scrap is needed.

Collection of scrap in the northwest corner of the county has practically been completed, Sgt. Strane said, and the Army trucks are now working in the various towns of the county.

Every pound of scrap metal that it is possible to gather is needed immediately to keep a steady flow of war supplies going to the fronts, he pointed out. Shipping of the metal already assembled here will be started about Jan. 15, he said.

Political Interest Evident With Advent of 1944 as Election Year

PLANS BEING MADE FOR 4th WAR LOAN DRIVE IN COUNTY

Quota Will Be Lower Than Figures Set In Third War Loan

With the Fourth War Loan drive scheduled to begin January 18 and continue through February 15, R. C. Couch, County War Finance Chairman announced Thursday that final organization plans for the County-wide drive were being completed this week.

Practically the same town and community committeemen and women who so successfully put over the previous War Loan campaigns will direct the Fourth War Loan campaign, Mr. Couch announced.

In the Third War Loan Drive total purchases of \$699,970 were made in Haskell county, exceeding the county quota by approximately \$33,000. Goal in the Fourth War Loan campaign will be to top the quota assigned Haskell county by at least as good a percentage as the last drive, Mr. Couch declared.

"The county quota in the coming drive will be less than for the Third War Loan, and conditions are better now than in September when the Third War Loan was in progress," Mr. Couch pointed out in declaring that Haskell county could not fail in exceeding their quota in the Fourth War Loan campaign.

The county's quota, and complete list of community committeemen and women who will direct the drive will be announced next week, the county chairman said.

Two Candidates Announce for Office This Week Poll Tax Payments Rise

With the advent of another election year in which voters will ballot for officials to fill offices ranging from city and precinct to county, state and national posts, advance interest in the coming primaries and elections became evident this week in the tabulation of current poll tax payments, announcements of candidates for county and precinct officers, and current rumors of probable candidates for the various county and legislative offices to be filled by voters this year.

First candidates announcing for office this week were County Judge John F. Ivy for a second term, and E. H. Baugh, farmer of the Midway community, who is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 1 in his first bid for a public office.

A check of records in the office of Tax Assessor-Collector E. J. Paxton Wednesday evening showed that 1,882 persons have already paid their poll tax for the current year, requisite for voting in the coming primaries and elections. This is a decided increase over the total at this time last year, an "off" year in politics. Considering the number of potential voters absent from the county in the armed forces, poll tax payments of date indicate that a majority of eligible voters will be part in the primaries and elections this year.

Political rumors link the names of several newcomers who will seek the posts of county, district and precinct offices to be filled this year, and early announcement of several candidates is expected.

Voters will have their first opportunity to voice their choice in filling City offices in the election to be held in the first week in April in the annual City Election, and next in the July primary election, county, precinct and state officials.

Marine Veteran



Technical Sergeant Woodrow W. Johnson, U.S.M.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson of Haskell, Texas, has participated in five major aerial engagements since he arrived in the South Pacific combat zone. A radio gunner in a Marine dive-bomber squadron, Sergeant Johnson took part in the last dive-bombing raid on Munda before the Jap airbase fell to American troops. He also participated in an aerial assault on the Vila airbase, Kolombangara island. Technical Sergeant Johnson's wife and young daughter live at 724 East Campbell street, Stamford, Texas.

John B. Lavender, 45, resident of this city since 1942, died Sunday morning, January 2 at 9:45 o'clock at his home in west Haskell following an illness of several years duration.

A native of Texas, born Nov. 1, 1898 at Brandon, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Lavender. After reaching manhood he lived in Eastland county before moving to Haskell about two years ago. Deceased had been a member of the Church of Christ for several years.

Mr. Lavender is survived by his wife, three sons, Billie Lavender of Cisco; Cpl. Don Lavender who is with Army forces in the Panama Canal Zone; Pvt. Leonard Lavender who is in the Army in foreign service; and Wanda Jean Lavender of Cisco; a brother, Harry H. Lavender of Stamford; two half-brothers, J. W. Benson of Van Nuys, Calif., and George McMurry of Wichita Falls and a half-sister, Mrs. W. S. Pogue of Haskell.

Funeral service for Mr. Lavender was held at the Church of Christ in this city Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Minister Floyd J. Spivy officiating, assisted by D. Lee Hukel, Church of Christ, minister of Stamford.

Burial was in the Spring Creek cemetery east of Stamford, with funeral arrangements in charge of Holden funeral home of this city.

Pallbearers were Jack Dotsen, Bud Knowles and Barney Russell of Stamford; John F. Ivy, A. C. Roggs, and R. D. Turpen of Haskell.

Jno. B. Lavender Dies Sunday After Lengthy Illness

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Grand Jury for the term was in session Monday and Tuesday, and before recessing until February 7th, reported three felony indictments for burglary against L. C. Grant of Graham, Jimmie Thomas of Colorado City and Eugene Mansfield, whose residence was unknown, in connection with the recent burglary of the Bailey Guess filling station in Weiner. The trio are in custody of Taylor county officers, and are charged in several burglary complaints there.

Criminal docket for the term is scheduled to be taken next week, and a second sanity hearing for M. C. Westerman, charged with the murder of Jewell Tankersley last June, will likely be set during the coming week.

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SIX REGISTRANTS RECLASSIFIED BY THE LOCAL BOARD

Five Delinquent Registrants Also Reported From County

In the most recent session of the Haskell County Selective Service Board, six registrants were reclassified. Also posted in the Board's office were the names of five Haskell County registrants who have been reported to the United States District Attorney as "delinquent" for failure to comply with Selective Service regulations.

Registrants Reclassified:
Changed from 1-A to 1-C (enlisted or inducted)—Rufus G. Andrews.
Changed from 1-A to 2-C—Joe Bell.
Changed from 2-B to 2-A—James N. Taylor.
Placed in 3-C on first classification—Lynward R. Wilcox.

Reported Delinquent:
List of registrants reported to the U. S. Attorney for failure to comply with regulations, and the dates they were reported include the following:
George Leroy Moore, white, 12-6-43.
Robert D. Williams, negro, 12-6-43.
Gundalpe Martinez, white, 12-10-43.
Farnice Lindsey Harcrow, white, 12-18-43.
Raymond Kelly Smith, 12-31-43.

Ration Schedule On Protein Feeds Has Been Revised

A revised procedure for the issuing of Certificates for protein feed has been received by the local Triple A office, according to Robert B. Crocker, Secretary. The revised set up will simplify the purchase of cake and meal by the individual.

The revised procedure is as follows:
Cake, meal and pellets 500 lbs. and less during a 30 day period can be bought from a processor (oil mill) without a statement from the County Committee.
Cake, meal and pellets limited to a 30-day supply can be bought from a DEALER or GIN (but not an oil mill) without a certificate from the County Committee.
A certificate must be obtained from the County Triple A office for the delivery of more than 500 pounds of protein feed from a processor (oil mill) during a 30-day period.

In all cases, with the exception of the 500 pound processor, the purchaser can not purchase plus what he has on hand over a 30 day supply at any one time.

Scout Troop 36 To Be Reviewed at Meet Friday

Boy Scout Troop 36 will meet Friday night, January 7 at the First Methodist Church at 7:30 o'clock.

At this time the Board of Review is being called to review the boys on their advancement in Scouting. All parents of these Scouts are invited to attend the meeting. The Scouts are making excellent progress in advancing in the field of Scouting. Alton Middleton is Scoutmaster and Jim Byrd assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 36.

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FATHERS' DRAFT

Brief News Items From

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Here And There News

E. B. Harris, Jr. of Camp Maxey is spending a two weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Verner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neal, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Rogers guests were Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

Aviation Cadet Scott White of Stamford spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilland Weaver and children of Jasper visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. White are announcing the marriage of their only daughter, Betty Wayne Whitesides of Fort Worth and S. Sgt. William E. Hatfield of Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Miller Entertains Club Mrs. Jack Mills was hostess to members of the Wednesday Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon of last week.

A-C-A B. Arnett Stationed at Iowa City, Iowa In a recent letter to his mother, Aviation Cadet A. B. Arnett, Jr., states that he is one of the eight out of a large class to finish W.T.S.C.A.A. training at Pella, Iowa and is now taking preflight training at Iowa City, Iowa.

Fireman First Class Norman Martin of U. S. Navy, returned to Davisville, Rhode Island after a five-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Connie Martin. He is accompanied by his wife, who is Worth where she will visit relatives for several days.

Modernistic Club Holds New Year's Eve Party Members of the Modernistic party-two club enjoyed a fine party New Year's Eve in the Exchange store. After the course dinner was served, games of progressive forty-two were played.

Uda Margret Smith and Lt. Lewis E. Barnes Wed In Rule New Year's Eve Uda Margret Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Smith and Lt. Lewis E. Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barnes of Henderson, North Carolina, were married New Year's Eve at the home of the bride.

QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID. Buy Only What You Need - But Buy Quality. Quality buying is wartime thrift, but housewives of this section have found it easy to combine thrift with quality by shopping here for all their food needs, because we endeavor to keep prices at the lowest minimum possible without sacrificing quality.

Cronology OF THE YEAR 1943

DEBUT

The year began with these important events:

January

- 1-Russians capture Veliky Luki, great railway center.
2-78th Congress convenes.
3-British troops enter Tripoli, capital of Libya.
25-Advancing Russians take Voronezh, Nazi anchor.
36-"Unconditional Surrender" agreement of Casablanca conference announced.

February

- 3-Russians recapture Veliky Luki, railway center.
4-U. S. Department of War Information announces 61,128 service casualties to date.
12-U. S. planes based in Africa bomb Naples, Italy.
13-British only 40 miles from Tripoli.
15-British enter Tripoli, Libyan capital.
15-Voronezh, big Nazi stronghold, falls to Russians.
26-"Unconditional Surrender" agreement of Casablanca announced.

March

- 3-Berlin retaken by Russians.
10-Allied bombers destroy Jap convoy of 22 ships.
11-British attack Benghazi in Tunisia.
12-American forces take Gafsa in Tunisia.
13-Chinese check Jap drive in European region.
15-Advancing Russians retake Abkhaz and other towns near Smolensk.
15-RAF bombs Tunis, S. S. reports 13 Jap ships hit.
19-U. S. flyers raid Kiska in Aleutians.

April

- 4-Portoferraio, Sardinia; Chinese drive Japs back into Burma.
5-Chinese retake Chuchichuan.
5-Allies bomb Naples, Kiel, Antwerp, Soviet.
17-German and other German cities bombed in "biggest raid."
18-Russians attack on Kuban front.
21-Japanese execute U. S. flyers.
21-U. S. Naval forces occupy Funafuti Islands, southwest Pacific.

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- 4-Lt. Gen. Jacob Devers is named U. S. commander of European theater.
15-Sicily falls to Americans; British first army takes Tunisia.
15-Last resistance ends in North Africa.
18-U. S. bombers raid Pantelleria, Italian island fortress.
19-Guerrilla warfare spreads in Balkans.
23-Japs admit loss of Attu.
23-Fleet Alexandria fleet joins Allies.

June

- 5-Curtin says invasion danger past in Australia.
11-Pantelleria, Italian island fortress, surrenders.
12-Lampedusa, fortified Italian island, capitulates.
12-Chinese recapture Sungtze, port city.
15-Chinese charge Japs use gas.
15-RAF bombs Tunis, S. S. reports 13 Jap ships hit.
15-U. S. forces land on Rendova, in Solomons.

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- 1-Rendova taken by U. S. forces.
1-Russians launch offensive on 160 mile front; U. S. Navy battles Japs off Solomons.
12-British capture Syracuse.
22-U. S. troops enter Palermo.
23-Americans take Marsala, Trapani.
23-MUSSOLINI RESIGNS, KING EMANUELE ASSUMES GOVERNMENT.
23-Italian peace negotiations begin.
27-Fascist party dissolved.

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- 1-U. S. planes bomb Ploesti refineries.
1-Russians take Ordi, British capture Catania, in Sicily.
1-Americans occupy Munda, in Solomons.
11-Russians drive into Ukraine.
17-Allies enter Messina; island of Veia Levella in Solomons taken.
17-Resistance ends on Sicily.
21-U. S. and Canadian troops occupy Elba.
25-Quebec conference on war plans ends.
25-British Admiral Mountbatten made chief of Allied Southeast Asia command.
26-Russians retake Taganrog, Nazi anchor.

September

- 1-Japs withdraw air base from New Guinea.
3-Allied forces invade mainland of Italy near Reggio Calabria.
3-Allies capture Palmi, Dellavova.
8-ITALY SURRENDERS UNCONDITIONALLY; Salino, steel center, falls to Russians; twenty-nine killed.
8-British troops take Taranto; Great Allied raids strike northern France.
10-Germans seize Rome.
11-Allies take Salerno, Italian fleet surrenders.
14-Salamina falls to U. S. and Australian forces.
15-Novorossiisk recaptured by Russians.
16-Last troops evacuate Corsica.
20-British take Foggia.
1-Allied forces take Naples, 22 days after landing at Salerno.
3-Australian troops capture Jap base at Finshafen, New Guinea.
5-Island of Corsica, in Mediterranean, is freed of Nazis.

THE YEAR'S TEN BIGGEST EVENTS

- 1-MILITARY: (a) Russian summer-fall offensive. (b) Pacific offensive (Attu, New Guinea, Solomons, Gilberts). (c) Italy surrenders. (d) Air offensive against German cities.
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- 1-RAF and U. S. bombers continue massive raids, hitting Dusseldorf region.
2-Philippine Commission meets with Churchill and Chiang Kai-shek in Cairo, Egypt. Agree to "strip Japan of her stolen empire."
6-Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin meet at Teheran, Iran, reach "complete agreement" on measures to force Russia to reenter war.
7-Chinese admit loss of Changteh, important city in "rice bowl."
9-Turkey promises Allies all "aid short of war"; Chinese recapture Chungking, "rice bowl."
13-Russian troops regain initiative in Kiev area; British Eighth army crosses German frontier in Italy, capturing 12,000.
14-President Roosevelt, returning from conferences, visits Malta and Sicily.
15-American military aid to Greece; U. S. heavy bombers smash Jap base on New Britain Island.
16-U. S. Minister Churchill strikes by newspaper; German bombers sink 17 United Nations merchant ships.
17-American Sixth army lands at Arara, on New Britain Island, southwest Pacific.

February

- 1-Race riot sweeps New York, resulting in death of five negroes, and injuries to 300. Drafting of pre-Pearl Harbor fathers set to begin on October 1.
12,000,000, a new record.
13-Gasoline ration in Midwest and Southwest reduced to four to three gallons per coupon.
14-The War Manpower Commission established new use of 149 negroes in occupations of first priority in draft deferments.
15-The Army must be raised to 8,200,000 men by June 30, the War Manpower Commission announced.
15-The Gulf Coast Act, passed in 1927, to stabilize coal prices, expires. No move made to renew it.

September

- 3-The exchange ship Grisholm sails with 1,310 Japanese, to be exchanged for 1,230 Americans at Cebu, Philippines; Churchill and Roosevelt confer in Washington.
4-William Jeffers, director of the national liquor conference, resigns.
5-Churchill asks Anglo-American alliance.
6-Republican Postwar Advisory Council meets at Mackinac Island, Mich.
8-Drive for 15 billion dollar third war bond drive by Presidential campaign.
12-Col. William Coleman is convicted by a military court for drunkenness and negligent retention of firearms, demoted to captaincy.
16-U. S. casualties total 105,205, OWI reported. 20,164 dead, 23,228 wounded, 32,905 missing, 23,970 prisoners; Rep. James Curley, Mass., and five others indicted on charges of having accepted retainer fees to obtain war contracts.
17-President Roosevelt reports to Congress on Quebec conference.
20-Army and navy chiefs of staff ask full draft quotas, and state delay in drafting fathers for war industries.
23-Space ration stamp becoming valid November 1, must last six months.
24-Stewart Hays Jr., moves from lend-lease administrator to succeed Sumner Wells as undersecretary of state.
25-Senators report on war tour.

October

- 4-Treasury asks for ten and a half billion in new tax revenue.
7-Merger of Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies is completed.
11-Censorship of wartime news is lifted.
12-National Labor Relations Board rules that labor unions have a moral responsibility to strike in wartime.
13-American Federation of Labor votes to take United Mine Workers back into fold.
14-Third war loan passes goal of 15 billion dollars by nearly four billion.
15-The 48-hour work week for war industries is extended to 30 more localities.
22-Zinc-steeled pennies are to be discontinued. Treasury announced.
23-Wildcat coal strikes referred to President by War Labor Board.
24-Japs and Chiles are placed on rationed list, other items raised, a few lowered.

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2-Elections of various state and national officials reveal Republican trend.
3-United Mine Workers ordered to return to work as president John Lewis accepts new wage agreement, giving miners \$2.74 for 4-hour week.
5-Senate votes postwar collaboration with other nations, 85 to 5.
6-Fifteen non-operating railroad unions reject wage increase offered by emergency committee; Bernard Baruch is appointed chief of new unit of the Office of War Mobilization.
7-National Labor Relations Board head William Davis says board will adhere to wage stabilization program; Herbert Lehman is appointed director general of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration.
13-Japan at Lake. Japanese at Lake, Calif., stage another demonstration. U. S. war expenditures from July 1942 through October, 1943, total 135 billion dollars.
14-Army officials reduce budget by 12 billion dollars, which sum will revert to treasury.
15-A subsidy of 100 million dollars is allocated to Detroit for war industries.
20-January draft call to be twice as large as War Manpower commission estimates.
24-House votes against extension of consumer subsidies.

December

- 1-Ration values of meats reduced 30 per cent.
2-U. S. plane output for November announced as 7,100.
3-Army will retire 25,000 officers, reducing total to 625,000.
7-Biggest U. S. battleship, the 45,000-ton Wisconsin, launched.
10-Non-operating rail workers get senate approval for eight cent per hour raise.
11-Senate military committee plans graduated discharge pay for servicemen, ranging from \$300 to \$500.
16-President Roosevelt returns to capital; senate committee votes to retain food subsidies for 60 days.
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Leila Clarie Jones Marries

The marriage of Miss Leila Clarie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo S. Jones of Tuscolo, and Ensign Elmer C. Watson, son of Elmer C. Watson of Dimmitt, took place in Lubbock Christmas night at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the bridegroom's uncle, L. B. Watson, and Mrs. Watson, 217 Thirteenth street. Rev. J. W. Watson of Crostovton, another uncle, read the single rite ceremony.

The bride wore a light green dress and dark green accessories and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Wilma Dixon of Dimmitt, the maid of honor, wore a red and white ensemble.

Eugene Watson of Dimmitt served as his brother's best man. The L. B. Watsons were hosts with a wedding supper honoring the couple after the ceremony and relatives and a few friends were guests. Red roses decorated the table. A Christmas tree lighted with blue lights stood in the living room.

Ensign and Mrs. Watson received their degrees from McMurry college, Abilene, last June.

After a wedding trip, Mrs. Watson will return to Midland where she is in the drafting department of the Humble Oil company and Ensign Watson will go to Norfolk, Va., to receive advanced training.

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Recording Secretary—Mrs. Tommye Hawkins.

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Italians Fight Their Former Nazi Partners



Left: Pictorial proof of the fulfillment of Premier Badoglio's promise that Italian forces would fight on the Allied side is this photograph of Italian soldiers carrying ammunition to our forces near Mount Lungo. Center: American soldiers in Italy lay wire through a muddy terrain. Pictured are Pvt. John A. Ray of Tomaston, Ga., and Staff Sgt. Bernard J. Dineer, Jersey City, N. J. Right: These Italians bring a thorough knowledge of their country's topography to the side of the Allies. They are shown aiming at the invader from positions on rocky Mount Lungo.

ELMORE-ADDRESS

Mrs. Willie Address wishes to announce the marriage of her daughter, Ellen Address to Pfc. Raymond Elmore.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. T. Priddy at his home, Dec. 11, 1943.

Mrs. Elmore is a senior in the Haskell School and plans to make her home here until her school work is finished.

Pfc. Elmore is the son of D. T. Elmore of O'Brien, Texas and a graduate of the 1941 class of the O'Brien High School. He is now with the army air corps, stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio.

Family Reunion Held In M. B. Wilson Home

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The Tias Troop of Scouts Meet

The Girl Scouts met on Wednesday, December 29 and elected new officers:

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Reporter—Nancy Burton.

Much enthusiasm was expressed by the entire group as they made plans for the New Year's work, under the leadership of their leader, Miss Wanda Dulaney.

After singing several songs, the group adjourned to meet again January 5 at 6:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Address and children, Billie Joyce and Ronnie Jay of Miami, Arizona visited relatives and friends here during the Christmas holidays.

Liberty H.D. Club

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met in their regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Jack Speer Jan. 3.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman and due to bad roads and sickness there were only five members present.

Our demonstrator, Miss Sands was present. Refreshments were served to the following.

Mrs. Opal Barker, Mrs. Ollie LeClair, Mrs. May Kendrick, Mrs. Richard Freeby, Miss Sands and Mrs. Jack Speer.

The next meeting will be a Mrs. W. J. Kendrick's the 17th of January at 2:00 o'clock.

All members please try and be present and we are always glad to have visitors.

Rainbow Sewing Club

The Rainbow Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Kennedy Jan. 4 at 2 o'clock. In the absence of the President, Mrs. J. B. Edwards presided.

The meeting opened by singing, directed by song leader Helon Johnson.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson received honorable mention on turning in the most needlecraft work.

Due to so many absence from sickness there were no recreations and the afternoon was spent in sewing.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Pennington in an all-day meeting to quilt. Each lady taking a covered dish.

Refreshments of punch, sandwiches and coffee were served with plate favors of mistletoe corsages to Mmes.

W. E. Johnson, Oscar Whitaker, W. E. Adkins, Jim B. Edwards, Walter Rogers, Helon Johnson, R. E. Reeves, Frank Kennedy.

Pell Lummus Wedding Solemnized Sunday

Mrs. Annie Jean Pell and Pvt. Joe Seal Lummus were united in marriage Sunday night, January 2, County Judge John F. Ivy performed the ceremony. Mrs. Lummus was formerly of Rule.

Pvt. Lummus is from Waco, but is in the army. He is stationed here at the present.

Lou Vica Strickland of Old Glory returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her cousins, LaVada and Luvicia Williams.

FD's Son, Grandson



Lieut. Franklin Roosevelt, Jr. shows his son, Franklin 3d, age 5, one of his grandfather's best models. This picture was made at President Roosevelt's Hyde Park home.

Notes From the Red Cross Work Room

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Liberty Club News

Little Clarence Freeby has been on the sick list this week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kendrick and daughter, Freddie Jewel from Houston, spent Christmas week with their parents and other relatives.

Mr. Philo Body spent several days with his parents in Clovis, New Mexico Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul LeClair from Lubbock spent Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. LeClair.

Mrs. Aurbery Long and her sister, Mary Tucker from Sweetwater spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long and family.

Mr. Bill LeClair is spending the holidays with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. LeClair.

Mr. Ed Freeby spent the week with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Freeby.

Miss Bertha May Burnett from Denon, Texas and Miss Lillie Fay Burnett from Dublin, Texas spent several days with their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson and children from O'Brien spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Freeby and Clarence.

Lt. and Mrs. B. E. Taylor from Phoenix, Ariz. are visiting their parents, Dr. Taylor and Mrs. Opal Barker (Christmas holidays).

Little Miss Anna Myrl LeClair has missed several days of school this week on account of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long from Lubbock were Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long.

Mrs. Jack Speer has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Joy Rose spent several days visiting her cousin, Miss Ruth Scott of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rose had their daughters and husbands from Grand Prairie, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hood and Mr. and Mrs. Denton A. Chison.

Wallace Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of this city, returned to A.&M. college this week.

Dr. Gertrude Robinson
Licensed Chiropractor
Cahill Building
Haskell Texas

Plenty of Anti-Freeze

The nation's motorists are being oversold on anti-freeze. A flood of shortages that do not according to the War Production Board. Production of alcohol freeze more than last, WPB said and asked motorists to watch their own needs and not overload, a coal from which anti-freeze made is a critical war material.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reedson, Thural spent a few days week with their son and brother, Elmer V. Reid and family at Worh. They were accompanied by their grand children, Jo and Glyndol De Allen.

Mrs. M. M. Cobb of the Community spent Monday in home of her daughter, Mrs. B. Bunkley and family of Weimer.

Mrs. L. M. Taylor returned home Tuesday after having spent a few days here with her daughter, Mrs. Claud Covey and family. Mrs. Covey and daughter Lucille took her to her home Aspermont.

Mr. Hugh Williams of Louisiana returned here Friday after having spent a few days in Haskell.

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Time-Tested Advice About Chest Colds!

Grandma Was Right Time Has Proved It

Today, the first choice and family standby for relieving miseries of colds in millions of homes is the same home-remedy grandma used . . . Vicks VapoRub! What better recommendation can a product have!

When you rub time-tested VapoRub on the throat, chest and back at bed-

time it starts to work 2 ways at once—and keeps on working for hours to relieve coughing spasms and congestion in the cold-clogged upper breathing passages, to ease muscular soreness or tightness. It invites restful sleep. And often by morning most of the misery of the cold is gone! Try it.



NOTICE Tax Payers

Pay Your Taxes Now and Save Yourself Time

Your 1943 TAXES are now due and must be paid before the first day of February, 1944 to avoid penalty.

Both men and women are required to pay their poll tax. Unpaid poll taxes are a lien upon any real or personal property you may own, or come into possession of.

Those who were 60 years of age or more on January 1, 1943 are not required to have an exemption to vote; those who have moved into the county since January 1, 1943, are required to have an exemption; those who have become 21 years of age since January 1, 1943 or will become 21 before election are required to secure an exemption certificate during January, 1944, before they may vote in any of the elections during the year; no charge is made for these exemptions.

In 1944 automobile fees cannot be paid before February 1st, 1944, but must be paid between February 1st, and April 1st, 1944. Be sure to bring your certificate of title.

R. J. Paxton
TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR

NO PRIORITY NEEDED To Buy This Letter File

Shaw-Walker is again building wood files to fill the filling needs that cannot be filled otherwise due to the present curtailment of steel.

The new wood files are—Same Height • Same Depth • Same Color as Shaw-Walker's Olive Green steel files.

Save Steel for Guns—Buy Shaw-Walker all-wood letter and legal files from

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Georgiana

ROUND-THE-CLOCK SEERSUCKER \$4.95

Bright as a new penny for these busy bustling days . . . right as only a casual classic can be for come what may! Stout-hearted seersucker with Georgiana's fine tailoring, smart lines and smooth fit at just \$4.95.

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CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST... The charge to the officers will be given by District Superintendent Rev. Sam H. Young.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE AT AVOCA SUNDAY... Sunday the 9th, The Avoca-First Methodist Church will have their First Quarterly Conference of the year at Avoca.

Hubert Sego to Preach at East Side Church Sunday... Rev. Hubert Sego will preach at the East Side Baptist Church, a both morning and evening hours, Sunday, January 9.

Marshall Inspects Oahu Jungle Fighters



Gen. George C. Marshall, U. S. army chief of staff, and Lieut. John H. Ferguson (left) of the infantry, watch a well trained jungle fighter slash a barbed wire obstacle with a fast lung.

Furlough Fun



McKinley Park, a luxury hotel in Alaska, has been taken over by the army and is used as a recreation center for women war department employees and soldiers stationed there.

Strike Conferees

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Ration Reminder

Gasoline—In 17 east coast states A-8 coupons are good through February 8. In states outside the east coast area A-9 coupons are good through January 21.

Guests for the holidays

Guests for the holidays were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boley and children of Ada, Okla. and Mrs. Warren's brother, W. E. Collison of Dallas.

No Small Matter

Flying has become America's biggest business, four times more dollar volume than the automobile business ever had.

FARM NEWS from FOOD FOR FREEDOM. Texas A&M College Extension Service. G. R. Schumann, County Agent.

Keeping Dairy Records Are IMPORTANT. College Station.—Production records are more important to dairymen than to most other farming enterprises in the opinion of O. W. Thompson, dairy husbandman for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Burn Gift Wrappings From Abroad

College Station.—Enemy troops haven't set foot on continental America, but there is danger of other alien enemies slipping through our guard.

Sugar Ration Remains Same

Sugar rations for home use will remain the same for another two and one-half months, according to the Office of Price Administration.

Government Feed Wheat. I will have a car of Feed Wheat on tracks Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Wheat is the best feed you can get at any price.

What Does The World Need To Cure Its Ills?

BY FLOYD J. SPIVY, Haskell, Texas



The world is in a terrible straits. No one will deny it. It is sick, world-wide. We see tur- bulence, upheavals, both in the material and 'emporal realm. It is surging in unrest. Fear is upon every national border as erases millions of innocent lives being put to death, and is not in sight yet.

"For I know him." There was no guess work about Abraham, the Lord knew what kind of a man he was, and the kind of father he would be.

dog rules the world." When asked for an explanation, he replied: "A dog rules my little son, my son rules my wife, my wife rules me, and I rule the world."

and farms, put it into a common fund, but I am pleading for the same spirit that controlled those Christians of the first Century.

10. We Need More Politicians Like Daniel. Read the entire book of Daniel. See him remain true to God even in the face of the sen ece of the lion's den.

11. We Need More Rulers Like Samuel and Joshua. Men who put God first, who tried always to lead the people into righteous living, to a great faith and trust in God.



On the beaches of Italy, in the jungles of the Pacific—planes, tanks, artillery must move—and fast; no waiting to build roads or airfields.

Marching Through Mud on Bougainville



Heavily laden marine infantrymen slog through deep mud of a jungle trail as they near the battle front. Continued American attacks on Japanese positions in the Pacific are steadily lengthening our striking power from the air. As the battle continued on Bougainville, American troops battled toward Rabaul which is considered a vital Japanese base.

Items From SAGERTON

S. Quade awarded... Miss Betty Louise Baler and Dahlia Dean Knippling have been visiting in Milen during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Manske to Worham, Texas where they visited relatives. Supt. J. W. Norman visited in Weatherford during the holidays. Ewing Mathis spent the holidays in Fort Worth. Miss Betty Jo Anderson spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Essie Anderson in Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tidwell and family will move near Hamlin this week, where they expect to make their home. Guests in the John Franke home during the Christmas holidays were Pvt. Eugene Straach of Kelley Field and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Straach of Miles, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton visited Mrs. Benton's parents in Haskell, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Clark and Grandmother Clark of Olney were guests in the John Clark home recently. A niece, Miss Jeannine Goble of Woodson also visited Mr. and Mrs. Clark. Mrs. Howard Ross and son of Ft. Worth are visiting relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Holie were called to Dallas last week because of the death of Mrs. Holie's sister. Pfc. Donald Holt of Liberal, Kansas has been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. L. Guinn. Mrs. J. A. Clark Entertains Club The Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. John Clark Wednesday for the last meeting in 1943. Those present were: Misses G. A. Leach, Ethel Laughlin, Bob Laughlin, J. W. Burrow, H. L. Bell, R. N. Sheid, Pete Laux, M. Y. Benton, O. E. Durham. Visitors included Mrs. R. R. Clark, Mrs. Charles Clark and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre. Fred Kupatt, Melvin Lehmann and Harvey S'egemoeller visited in Miles and San Angelo during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wenderborn of Old Glory visited in Sagerton Monday.

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regrets its inability to supply its readers with as many copies as the public demands. However the publishers, in compliance with Government wartime regulations calling for the use of less newspaper, have been forced to "freeze" the volume of circulation within this community. WHEN MORE PRINT PAPER IS AVAILABLE WE WILL BE HAPPY TO LIST YOUR SUBSCRIPTION. PLEASE ACCEPT OUR THANKS FOR YOUR VALUED PATRONAGE IN DAYS GONE BY.

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lands and being part of Block No. 1, of the A. B. Carothers addition to the town of Rochester in Haskell County, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the N.E. corner of Block No. 1 of the A. B. Carothers Addition to the Town of Rochester, Haskell County, Texas, which is 60 feet South of the South end of the West line of Main Street in the original town of Rochester; Thence South along the East boundary line of said Block 1, 120 feet for corner; Thence West 200 feet for an inside corner; Thence South 180 feet to point in South Boundary Line of Block No. 1; Thence West 100 feet to S.W. corner of Block 1, the S.W. corner of this tract; thence North 300 feet to N.W. corner of Block 1, the N.W. corner of this tract; Thence East 300 feet to the place of beginning.

That on said date he was in possession of the property above described and that on said date the defendants and each of them unlawfully entered upon said premises and dispossessed plaintiff of such premises and have at all times withheld and now unlawfully withhold possession from him of said land to his damage.

Plaintiff further shows to the court that on or about the day of... he purchased said property from W. T. Miller and Salina J. Miller and they conveyed the same to him by General Warranty Deed, and that he immediately went into possession of said property under said deed, and he has had possession

of the same ever since, claiming under said deed, but said deed was never filed for record and has been lost. Plaintiff pleads the ten and twenty-five years statute of limitation.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for title and possession of said land, for writ of possession and for general relief. Issued this 8th day of December, 1943. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell Texas, this 8th day of December, A. D., 1943. HORACE O'NEAL, Clerk District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas To: J. V. Cunningham, Mrs. Darrell Cunningham Hopking, and her husband, Hopking, whose given name or initials are unknown, and Mrs. Zelma Cunningham Emerson, and her husband, Emerson, whose given name or initials are unknown, Greeting: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, at the Court House in Haskell, Texas. Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 30th day of Nov., 1943. The file number of said suit being No. 7117. The names of the parties in

said suit are: G. B. Astin, Mrs. Onah H. Pearre, a widow; Mrs. Vallie Fisher, a widow; James Y. Astin, Arch R. Astin, and Mrs. Zelma Morrow and her husband, F. E. Morrow, as Plaintiffs, and J. V. Cunningham, Mrs. Darrell Cunningham Hopking, and her husband, Hopking, whose given name or initials are unknown, and Mrs. Zelma Cunningham Emerson, and her husband, Emerson, whose given name or initials are unknown, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for the partition of real estate, or in the event the court should be of the opinion that a fair and equitable partition of said real estate, or any part thereof, cannot be made, then that the court order a sale of so much thereof, as is incapable of partition for cash, or upon such other terms as the court may direct, by private sale through a Receiver, and the proceeds thereof returned into court and partitioned among the persons entitled thereto according to their respective interests, after the payment of all charges and liens against the same. Said real estate is described as follows:

First Tract: 173-46-100 acres of land, lying and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being 435, and 40 acres off the West end of the W. Arenbeck Survey No. 3, Cert. No. 22, Abstract No. 435, and 40 acres off the West end of the Washington County Railway Company Survey No. 1

Cert. No. 28-141, and 13-75-100 acres off of the East end of the S. R. Rike Survey No. 1, said 13-75-100 acres being fully described in deed from H. M. Rike to G. B. Astin, dated April 25th, 1908, and recorded in the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, Vol. 41, Page 485, to which reference is here made for a particular description.

Second Tract: All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated in Taylor County, Texas, and described as being Sixty (60) feet off of the East end of Lots numbered Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Block "C", of the Sayles and Hughes Subdivision of Lot Number Three (3) in Block Number One Hundred Eighty (180) in the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas.

That the plaintiff, G. B. Astin, owns an undivided one-half (1-2) interest in said real estate; that the plaintiffs, Mrs. Onah H. Pearre, Mrs. Vallie Fisher, James Y. Astin, Arch R. Astin and Mrs. Zelma Morrow, each own an undivided one-twelfth (1-12) interest therein; and the defendants, J. V. Cunningham, Mrs. Darrell Cunningham Hopking and Mrs. Zelma Cunningham Emerson, each own an undivided one-thirty-sixth (1-36) interest therein.

That the plaintiff, G. B. Astin is claiming a charge or lien against said real estate for the sum of \$519.50 expended by him out of his own personal funds, since the death of Mary D. Astin, deceased, for the necessary preservation and protection of the

common and joint estate of plaintiffs and defendant. Issued this the 30th November, A. D., 1943. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 30th day of November, A. D., 1943. (Signed) HORACE ONEAL, Clerk District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

LIFE'S Little TROUBLES - CAN'T SLEEP - No need to lie in bed... ADLER-J-KA as directed, to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adler-J-Ka assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Adler-J-Ka from your druggist today. OATES DRUG STORE

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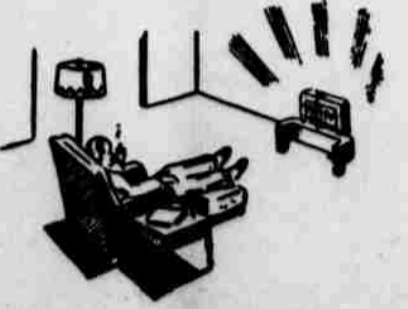
is half the battle against wall sweating



The Window, in homes where open flame, unvented room heaters are used, has a prominent part in maintaining healthful winter living conditions. For it is the slight opening of the window which permits a flow of fresh, oxygen-laden air into the room. This is important if wall sweating is to be reduced.

All air contains a certain amount of moisture. Condensation or "sweating" that collects on cold surfaces inside the room is caused by too much moisture in the room. Water vapor is one of the products produced by burning fuel. This water vapor combines with the moisture that is already present in the air and when the room air reaches a super-saturated condition "sweating" or condensation collects on any cold surface, such as walls, windows, doors, and furniture.

The open flame, unvented heater is practical for quick heat and is used with great satisfaction when sufficient ventilation is provided by slightly opening a window.



Heat whole house for healthful living conditions. If unvented type heaters are used it is important to have some ventilation, and a free movement of warm air should be kept circulating in the house through connecting doors of all rooms.

Legal Notices

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THE STATE OF TEXAS To: The Unknown Heirs of W. T. Miller and Salina J. Miller and the Unknown Heirs of the Unknown Heirs of said W. T. Miller and Salina J. Miller, and the Legal Representatives of each of said persons, and the Unknown Claimant's of the property hereinafter described, greeting:

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The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Trespass to try title. Plaintiff alleges that on January 1, 1943, he was, and at all times since, has been the owner in fee simple title and entitled to the possession of the following described lot and land situated in Haskell County, Texas, to-wit: Being out of Section No. 234, Block No. 45, H. & T. C. R. R. Co.

KEEP ON... Back of the Attack! WITH WAR BONDS

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Political Announcements

All political announcements are published 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 County Judge: JOHN F. IVY (Second Term)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: E. H. BAUGH

Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

of Haskell, Texas, will be held in the offices of said bank in the city of Haskell, State of Texas, at 2 o'clock p. m. on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1944

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County Judge Ivy Will Be Candidate For a Second Term

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of John F. Ivy for a second term as County Judge of Haskell county, subject to the action of the voters in the July primary.

A native of Haskell county and member of a pioneer West Texas family, Judge Ivy has well and capably discharged the duties of the office to which he was elected some two years ago in a creditable manner, and in keeping with the Democratic custom of rewarding efficient officeholders Judge Ivy will likely be unopposed for his second term.

Despite this custom, Judge Ivy hands us the following brief and appreciative statement to the voters in connection with his announcement for re-election:

"In making my announcement as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Haskell County, the only statement that I wish to make is to express my heartfelt appreciation for the support which I received during my Campaign in 1942, and also for the fine cooperation every one has given me during the time I have been in office and to solicit a continuation of your support in my coming campaign."

—JOHN F. IVY. John Fryer of Throckmorton was the guest Wednesday night in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fryer of this city.

Deen Bartlett of this city spent the week-end in Lubbock with friends.

Mrs. Bobby McClain of this city left Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., to visit her husband, Bobby McClain, Seaman second class, U. S. Navy. Mrs. McClain has been employed in the North American aircraft plant in Dallas since her husband entered the service.

Mrs. Juanita Lackey, who is employed at the Consolidated Air Craft Co. at Ft. Worth spent the Xmas holidays with her family and friends here.

Mrs. Thelma Lewallen left Monday night for San Diego, Calif., where she will visit with her son, H. A. 1st Class Hugh Lewallen and also relatives in Los Angeles.

Miss Sarah Lee Walling of Washington, D. C. spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walling, Sr., and other relatives in this city.

E. H. Baugh Is Candidate for Commissioner

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of E. H. Baugh for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

A native of Texas, Mr. Baugh has lived in Haskell county since December, 1907, and in Precinct 1 since 1913, having been engaged principally in farming during that time. Mr. Baugh enjoys the acquaintance and friendship of a majority of the voters in his precinct and needs no introduction at our hands.

A successful farmer, Mr. Baugh, due to his long residence in the precinct is well acquainted with the needs of that section as administered through the office of County Commissioner, and his business experience qualifies him to discharge the responsible duties of the office in an efficient, businesslike manner, consistent with the best interests of the precinct and Haskell county. As a property owner and taxpayer, Mr. Baugh believes in an economical administration of the affairs of the Commissioners Court wherever possible without conflicting with the best interests of the people of Haskell county.

Mr. Baugh plans to make as extensive a campaign throughout his precinct as is possible under present conditions. In order to discuss his candidacy with the voters.

Mr. Baugh has a wife and four children. One son is serving in the armed forces, in the Air Corps and stationed at Del Rio, Texas at the present time.

Back From Tarawa on a Stretcher



U. S. coast guardsmen bring a wounded marine aboard their transport posted near the bloody beach of Tarawa. He was one of the 2,700 casualties suffered by the marine corps in the bitterest battle of its career. Withering fire from heavily fortified Japanese concrete pillboxes caused most of the marine casualties.

Christmas Gifts Keep Hospital Busy



Sister Miriam Anne proudly displays four sets of twins born at St. Claire's hospital, New York, within five days. Their mothers are: Mrs. Helen C. Power, Mrs. Elizabeth Somers, Mrs. Catherine Mehan, and Mrs. Frances Maltence. All the babies arrived in time to spend their first Christmas with their families.

Railroad President Becomes Colonel



Ralph Budd, left, president of the Burlington railroad, as he was sworn into the army as a colonel of transportation. He was placed in charge of all railroads in the central western region when the army seized the railroads as a strike threatened to disrupt service. Left to right are: Budd, Col. D. A. Hart, Maj. A. Hillman, and Maj. G. E. Van Tassel.

No Monkey Used



The barrel organ made a concert hall debut with the Philadelphia Symphony recently in a performance of Mozart's "The Organ Grinder." Conductor Eugene Ormandy is shown listening to the organ at rehearsal. No monkey was used.

Rose Named Riordan



Naomi Riordan, 17-year-old coed of Pasadena Junior college, California, who was chosen queen of the 1944 Tournament of Roses. Queen Naomi was born in Michizua.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl McGregor made a business trip to Fort Worth the first of the week.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—Poultry Founts and various sizes of chick feeders. See us for your needs now. Trice Hatchery. 2p

FOR SALE—International Feed Mill and Belt. Otto Schaaek, two and one-half miles north-east of Sagerton. 2p

FOR SALE—One Home Comfort cook stove, either wood or coal. One electric cook stove. One ice box—50 lbs. First door west of Baptist Church. Mrs. T. E. Wright. A21p

LOST—Several days ago, billfold containing Hawaiian \$1 bill and other papers. \$2 reward for return to Free Press or Adkins Service Station. Jack Sanders. 1tp

LOST—Handmade head scarf, yellow with black yarn finish. Lost in Texas Theatre night of Dec. 30. Return to Free Press office. 1tp

FOR SALE—Have several brooders on hand. Blue Flame and Drum type. See us for your needs now as brooders are still hard to obtain on short notice. Trice Hatchery. 2p

FOR SALE—12 young White Wyandot hens, \$1 each. Mrs. W. W. Johnson. 1tp

WANTED—Reliable woman to help with housework and care for 3 children. Mrs. G. C. Larned. 1tp

LOST—Yellow gold compact. Decorated with white and red roses, somewhere between Tonkawa Coffee Shop and Texas Theatre. Reward if returned to Bert's Pharmacy. 1tp

FOR SALE—Electric Cream Separator, 5 gallon capacity; in excellent condition. Mrs. Vestus Alvis, Rochester, Texas. 1tp

FOR SALE—Baby Grand Piano; also nice bedroom for rent, bath and private entrance. Have two trees in yard that anyone can have for wood if they will grub them out. Mamie Alley. 1tp

FOR SALE—Roller-top desk and iron bedstead. See Mrs. R. E. Sherrill. 1tp

WANTED—Woman to press clothes. Norris Cleaners. 1tp

FOR SALE—Registered heifer, fresh 10 h February, Registered OIC pigs, 2 male, 1 female. Tex. red seed oats, free of Johnson grass. J. C. Halliburton, Rochester, Texas, Rt. 1. A21p

FOR SALE—Good young Jersey milchcow. Also two acres of land. See or call Mrs. J. T. Bynum. 1tp

FOR SALE—1 Oliver tractor, 4-row equipment, complete See Mr. J. W. Gholson. 2tp

WANT TO BUY—Power take-off for Allis Chalmers tractor, model W.C. See or write G. V. Wofford, Stamford, Tex. 1tp

FOR RENT or SALE—Three hundred twenty acre farm and new tractor, located four miles east; and four miles south of Hale Center, Texas See or write C. E. Brown, box 507, Elgin, Texas, or J. S. McBeth, O'Brien, Texas. 2tc

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FOR SALE—160-acre place five miles southwest of Rochester. 90 acres in cultivation; five room house, well and windmill. See Raymond Saffel, Route 1—Rule, Texas. 2tp

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Texas Theatre

Friday, January 7—Last time to see— "ABOVE SUSPICION" with Joan Crawford and Fred McMurray
Saturday, January 8— Annabella and John Sutton—in "TONIGHT WE RAID CALAIS"
Sunday and Monday, January 9 and 10— PAT O'BRIEN—in "THE IRON MAJOR" with Ruth Warrick and Robert Ryan —PARAMOUNT NEWS—
Tuesday and Wednesday, January 11 and 12— MONTY WOOLEY and GRACIE FIELDS—in "HOLY MATRIMONY" —PARAMOUNT NEWS—
Thursday, January 13— RED SKELTON and ELEANOR POWELL—in "I DOOD IT"
RITA THEATRE
Saturday, January 8— ROY ROGERS—in "KING OF COWBOYS" —G-MEN VS. BLACK DRAGON—

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