

The Haskell Free Press

HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY MAY 30, 1946

NUMBER TWENTY-TWO

Camp Fire Girls Enjoy Activities Mexaca Camp Staged at Lueders

The Camp Fire of the West Texas Area was open for its 24th annual camp at Lueders, Tex., from May 24-28.

The two sessions of the year, the first one for the younger girls and the second for the older girls, were held at the Mexaca Camp. The first session was held from May 24-28 and the second from May 29-31. Fees for the first session were \$7.50 for the first three days after breakfast, and \$10.50 for the last two days, which closes at 10 p. m. Any camp girls of age up to 18 years are eligible for the second session.

The camp director, Mrs. W. H. Frazier, and her staff of 15 women, supervised the camp. The program included singing, dancing, and other activities. The girls were given a special picnic on the last day of camp.

Indicated Pay Holds Spotlight as Second Oil Well Spudded

Spotlight of oil development in Haskell County centered this week on the Thos. D. Humphreys No. 1. M. A. Smith semi-wildcat six miles east of Haskell, due to a western extension of the Lawson pool where production has been developed from Canyon Reef lime.

The Dallas operator's first test, spudded two weeks ago and drilled with rotary, indicated pay in topped lime and pipe was cemented at 2769 feet. Rotary rig was skidded Monday and plug will be drilled out with cable tools for a test of the indicated horizon.

Honor Students For Eighth Grade Named

Honor students for last week's graduation exercises for Haskell Grade School were Dorothy Fouts, Virginia Frierson, Leon Bryant, Tommy Rhoads, Wanda Fay Smith, and Kala Dale Young. There were forty-four who were graduated into high school.

Mrs. Stockdale Goes To Fort Worth Camp

Mrs. Fred Stockdale, executive of the West Texas Area Council of Camp Fire Girls, is leaving this week for Fort Worth, where she will teach in a national course for Camp Fire leaders at El Tesoro, Fort Worth Camp Fire Girls camp. This is Mrs. Stockdale's seventh summer to teach in the course.

Quotations

Quotations are listed on page four.

Sam Hugh Smith Is Graduate With West Point Class

Among the Cadets graduating from the United States Military Academy at West Point June 4 is Sam Hugh Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith of Haskell.



SAM HUGH SMITH

Mrs. Clay Smith of Haskell. He is the first Haskell County man to graduate from the famed military academy.

Smith graduated from the Haskell High School, where he was an outstanding student, and attended the North Texas Agricultural College before being appointed to the Military Academy by George Mahon of the 19th district of Texas.

During his first class year at the Academy Smith reached the rank of Cadet Sergeant. After graduation he will be commissioned in the Air Corps.

Graduating with the '42 class of HHS, Sam Hugh was valedictorian. While in high school he was active in athletics, playing football, basketball, and tennis.

Seven Registrants Sent for Physical Examination

Seven Haskell County registrants were sent to Dallas Tuesday for physical examination in compliance with revised Selective Service regulations received last week by the Local Board here. All men in the group were between the ages of 26 and 30, non-fathers, and with no previous active military experience, or men with technical skill.

Garbage Cans Cited As Disease Fighters

Declaring that sanitary garbage cans will help promote health in Haskell, Junior Chamber of Commerce members still are offering 35-gallon sterilized GI cans for sale here. The cans could be used especially right now, Jaycees say, to help prevent polio and other diseases taking a heavy toll in the state.

Jones' Will Open Abilene Store

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jones, residents of Haskell for the past fifteen years, and who have been connected with business circles here during most of that time, are moving to Abilene this week where they will engage in business. They plan to open a dry goods store in that city, featuring ladies wear and mens work clothes. Mrs. Jones operated the Novelty Shop in this city for the past two years, and Mr. Jones was proprietor of the Electric Shoe Shop until a few months ago, having established the business in 1936.

Jaycee Softballers To Play at Stamford

Haskell Jaycees will try to get back in the win column tonight when they go to Stamford for a game with Stamford Junior Chamber of Commerce softballers. The Stamford club took the locals for a wild and woolly ride Monday night when they played here. Score was unpredictable, but final outcome was about 20 to 6.

Circulating Library Completes Good Year

The county circulating library has had a profitable year, according to Mrs. Iva Palmer, county superintendent.

"15-Under-Par-Conner" Wins Golf Tourney, Downing Bradley

Living up to expectations, Sam Conner breezed through the local golf tournament and was crowned champion last Sunday. The district court reporter continued to shoot sub-par golf and after his final match wound up with a 15-under par total for his qualifying and three matched rounds. Conner beat A. H. Wair last Saturday, 6-5, then won top honors from Cecil Bradley in Sunday's championship play, 7-5.

First flight champion was M. L. Blohm, new studio man in Haskell, who downed Pete Frierson in the finals 1-0. Frierson had reached semi-finals in this division with a 4-3 victory over Buford Cox, and Blohm had advanced with a 7-5 win over Theron Cahill.

In a strictly family affair, Roy Cook, until recently a GI stationed in Europe, beat brother Floyd Cook 1-up for top honors in the second flight. The Cook brothers had advanced to finals with wins over Dan Oates and Dean Richmond.

Third flight finals found youth winning over age again as brother met brother. Younger brother Robert Brown beat big brother Grady Brown 5-4. Grady had gone into the finals by downing J. W. Casey, Leslie Jones and Bill Ratliff, while Robert was taking care of Doyle Eastland, J. D. Brown and Carl Wheatley.

Consolation matches results looked like this: championship flight, Gene Campbell bested Roger Gilstrap in the finals 6-5; first flight, Alton Middleton won from John Couch, 3-1; second flight, R. C. Couch Jr. beat Big Bartlett, 5-4; and third flight, J. W. Holland defeated Doyle Eastland, 1-0.

Interest in this tournament reached an all-time high locally, and golf club officials announced a membership record of 50 players. Prizes were awarded champions, runners-up and consolation winners. Others interested in playing are invited to contact any player in town for information as to membership.

Veterans Warned of Black Marketeers

Recognizing the importance of protecting the savings of veterans and others against the depredations of black marketeers, racketeers and ruthless profiteers, an increasing number of organizations such as Better Business Bureaus and Bar Associations are joining in a concerted drive to curb the vicious and illegal "scalping" game. S. N. Reed, chairman of the Haskell Price Control Board, said today.

Mr. Reed pointed out that in the used car trade alone, it is estimated that a vast majority of automobile transfers are made at prices above ceilings. Over the nation the overcharges run into the millions. Every dollar of the overcharges is a dollar less to be spent in legitimate channels by the purchaser.

Even school children are victims of the black market. According to latest reports, the price of bubble gum in the haunts of the "gum-racketeers" has risen 500 times the original selling price.

Referring to an editorial which appeared in the El Paso Times recently, Mr. Reed said that it was suggested that the "government of the United States take steps immediately to put the black market out of business even if it takes the combined forces of the O.P.A., the FBI and the Army and Navy to do so." However, until the public lines up solidly against the black market and stops feeding their savings to the profiteers the widespread fleecing game will be open and the cards will be stacked against the consumer, Reed predicted.

Singing School Will Begin Here June 3

A ten-days singing school will begin at the Church of Christ in this city Monday night June 3, at 8 o'clock. The school will continue each week-day evening, and will be free to all who desire to take the singing lessons.

Church of Christ Installs Air Conditioning Unit

With an idea to promoting comfort during hot summer months, Haskell's Church of Christ this week installed a ceiling air cooling unit. The new system will supplement ceiling fans already used by the congregation.

Honor Students



MISS CHAPMAN



MISS SPENCER

Named honor students of the '46 Class of Haskell High School for outstanding scholastic achievement were Mildred Chapman, class valedictorian, and Louise Spencer, salutatorian. Both students have been popular in all school activities during their high school careers. Mildred is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hallie E. Chapman, and Louise is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer.

New Schedule For License Exams

Sanford Lee, license examiner for the State Department of Public Safety, announced this week that a new schedule for giving examinations for operator's license in Haskell would go into effect June 1st.

Under the new schedule, Lee will be in Haskell hereafter on Saturday of each week, and on the second and fourth Mondays of each month to issue operator's license.

Examiner Lee will be out of town all next week on vacation, but will return to Haskell Monday, June 10, to begin the new schedule.

Swimming Classes Offered by Youth Recreation Setup

Initial classes in swimming were coached by Supervisor J. E. Berryhill of the Youth Recreation Project at Rice Springs Park Monday morning. Classes are divided into three groups for instruction and the pool isn't open to outsiders during class hours. A charge of 10 cents per person is charged by the pool operators during classes.

Non-swimmers are given instructions on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week as follows: from 9 a. m. to 10 a. m., boys and girls up to 10 years of age; from 10 to 11, ages 10 to 15; from 11 to 12, ages from 15 up. Those who can swim are asked not to attend these classes.

Life saving classes are offered Wednesdays and Thursdays. Two groups are offered instruction—junior classes from 9 until 10:30 and senior classes from 10:30 until 12. Those working toward attaining their junior or senior life-saving cards will be given credit in these classes.

Berryhill announces also that initial steps have been taken toward offering a program for softball teams in the city. He asks that organizations or groups interested in fielding teams send representatives to the Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting at the City Hall Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Two to four games can be played under the lights at the high school football field each week.

Work on the tennis court financed by Haskell High School Student Council will be started at the park next week, and progress is being made on facilities for archery, volley ball, croquet and other outside activities.

Two Haskell Women Injured In Wednesday Morning Car Wreck

Two Haskell women went to Stamford hospital in serious condition Wednesday morning about 11:30 o'clock following an automobile wreck between Stamford and Haskell. The two women are Christine Wilson and Geneva Thompson, whose conditions remain serious but not critical according to Thursday morning reports.

The 1941 Chevrolet in which the local women were riding overturned when Mrs. Wilson, who was driving, attempted to pass another car and supposedly lost control of her vehicle when it hit the highway shoulder. The car belonged to Mrs. Wilson's brother, Thomas W. Watson of Haskell, and was demolished. The accident occurred approximately 10 miles south of Haskell.

Most seriously hurt is Mrs. Wilson, who suffered a broken collar bone, crushed left shoulder and numerous cuts and bruises. X-Ray reports showed no broken bones for Miss Thompson, but she had lacerations and bruises all over her body. Both women suffered from shock.

A Stamford ambulance took the accident victims to the Stamford hospitals and drivers of the ambulance reported both women were unconscious when the ambulance arrived at scene of the mishap. Mrs. Wilson soon regained semi-consciousness but Miss Thompson remained unconscious until late Wednesday. Both are reported resting well this (Thursday) morning, but will remain in the Stamford hospital several days.

Mrs. Wilson is the daughter of Mrs. Hugh Watson of Haskell and Miss Thompson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Thompson, also of this city.

Funeral Rites Held Here Monday for Mrs. Dale Lewis

Funeral service for Mrs. Dale Lewis, 40, who died in the Haskell hospital Sunday, was held at the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. H. R. Whately, Baptist minister of Haskell officiating.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery with Holden Funeral Home directing. Flowers were Alton Middleton, Jess Barton, J. W. Gholson, W. H. Pitman, S. A. Norris, Tom Clifton, Jim Byrd and Bruce Young.

Deceased was born June 28, 1905 in Eastland County, Texas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sanders. She married Dale Lewis April 11, 1925 and they lived in Coleman, Texas, before moving to Haskell in 1944. Mrs. Lewis had been a member of the Baptist Church since girlhood.

Immediate survivors include her husband and two daughters, Betty Jo and Betty Beth of Haskell; parents, W. E. Sanders, Stephenville, and Mrs. Sanders, Voss, Texas; two brothers, Roy Sanders, Voss; Sam Sanders, Carbondale, Calif.; and four sisters, Mrs. R. C. Taylor, Seagraves; Mrs. J. E. Rodgers, Stephenville; Mrs. J. V. Strickland, Coleman; and Mrs. A. B. Gates, Charlotette, Texas.

Decline Shown In Vet Unemployment In Haskell County

Unemployed veterans in the Haskell area, in a majority of instances, are using every means of relief, including their own initiative, in seeking jobs for themselves and going back to work as rapidly as they can. W. H. Donathan, District Supervisor of Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission said today, reporting that there were 35 new applications for the \$20-a-week Readjustment Allowances filed through the Haskell Office during April as compared with 54 in March and 83 in February.

Throughout the State, Donathan said a total of 233,518 applications had been filed by returning veterans since the program started September 4, 1944. Only 3,112 of these veterans kept on filing until they had used up their 52 weeks entitlement allowed by the G. I. Bill of Rights.

More than 111,000 veterans stopped filing claims after they applied for their readjustment allowances. This means they went back to work or to school, he explained. As of May 11 in Texas, a total of 119,261 veterans were receiving the allowance under the G. I. Bill of Rights. Of this group 27,000 were self-employed, 94 per cent of them farmers.

By agreement with the Veteran Administration, the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission acts as their agent in handling the servicemen's readjustment allowances program in the State. Funds are supplied by the Veterans Administration out of monies voted by Congress for that purpose.

The statewide number of new applications had dropped off from an average of 10,000 weekly in December, January, and February to an average of 8,000 during April. New applications received in the State for the week ended May 11 totaled 5,226.

Brother of Haskell Man Dies May 22

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jones have returned from Cleburne, where he was called to the bedside of his brother, R. C. Jones, who had suffered a heart attack Sunday evening at 4 o'clock and died Wednesday morning May 22 at 3:50. Funeral service for Mr. Jones was held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock and he was buried in Alvarado Cemetery.

Church Will Sponsor Film Show at City Park

Sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church, a technicolor film, "Amazing America," will be shown at the City Park Thursday night beginning at 9 o'clock. Also to be shown on the evening's program is a cartoon, "Boy Meets Dog." The entire program will last about forty minutes and is free to the public. Similar shows are planned each Thursday night in the future.

Poppy Sales Net \$120 Here Saturday

Sale of poppies Saturday sponsored by the Rogers-Cox Post, American Legion, brought in the total sum of \$120.85, officials of the local post reported Monday.

Street sale of the poppies was in charge of the Womens Auxiliary and Camp Fire Girls groups. The money raised will be used for the benefit of disabled war veterans and their families.

NEWS OF INTEREST to WOMEN

Entertains With Weiner Roast

Thursday evening May 23 Ruby Howard entertained a group of her school chums and friends with

a weiner roast at her home north of Midway. Those present for the enjoyable affair were Alvin Stewart, Delbert and Roy Holloway, James Alvis, Clinton Kimbrough, Don McMillan, Roy Ammonet, James

DANGER AHEAD



Be on guard against Cotton Insects—those pests that cost you and other cotton growers an average of over \$230,000,000 annually.

With present cotton values, and the critical need for cotton and cottonseed products, no farmer can afford to let the bugs get his 1946 crop.

Watch for the first signs of weevils and other cotton pests—and be prepared to act promptly to control them, according to the methods recommended by our Extension Service and Experiment Station.

Rule-Jayton Cotton Oil Co.
Stamford, Texas

IT PAYS TO POISON

Miss Pearsey Weds Wm. A. Earles, Jr.

Miss Earline Pearsey became the bride of William Arthur Earles, Jr. in a simple marriage ceremony May 11 at five o'clock. Rev. L. L. Roberts performed the marriage rites at the Gretna Green Wedding Bell Chapel in Yuma, Ariz.

The bride's dress was of pale blue crepe with black accessories and she wore a corsage of white gardenias. The bride is a graduate of Haskell High School, finishing with the class of '45 and attended the University of Oklahoma for the past year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pearsey of Haskell.

The groom has served in the Navy for the past two and one-half years, receiving his discharge in March. He is a graduate of Paint Creek High School, and is the son of Mrs. Berta Lewis of Los Angeles, Calif.

The young couple will make their home in Lawndale, Calif., while being employed with the Goodyear Company at Los Angeles, Calif.

RETURNS FROM TENNESSEE

Mrs. Mamie Alley has returned home from Tennessee and Alabama, where she has been visiting her brother, who is ill, and other relatives. She reports her brother still confined to his bed.

Prof. Thomas G. Masaryk was still the grand and vigorous leader of his country at eighty-seven years of age.

YOUR pH. IS IMPORTANT

pH. is the chemical term applied to natural balance of essential body fluids needed to provide normal kidney function. When your pH. is out of balance backache, burning bladder often result. Then it's time for CIT-ROS, the new way to aid nature. See your druggist to-day. Sold for \$1.00 a bottle.

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We have California Acala Cottonseed from California—the best variety for this territory. \$2.50 per bushel.

FARM and RANCH LOANS WANTED

Liberal, high loans on high-class land. No stock to buy, no inspection fee charge. Interest rate at 4%. The Old Reliable John Hancock Co. means just this: QUICK SERVICE.

See Virgil A. Brown, Haskell, Texas

Rochester News...

Odell Cox and family spent a few days last week with relatives in Dallas.

Miss Jerry Brown of Newcastle spent the week end here with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Matheny of Anadarko, Okla., spent Friday night with his sister Mrs. Myrtle Cooper and family.

Jim Cowan of Sweetwater was a Rochester visitor a few days last week.

Gordon Bristow and family left last week for California where they will spend a few months.

T. L. Holland returned last week from a two weeks visit with his daughter and family in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Keel Acree arrived last week from Sashville, Tenn., where they were recently married.

Howard Bell has accepted a position with a concern in Brady.

Mrs. Zonie Guffey and daughter, Mrs. Sue Perdue and children have moved to Abilene where Mrs. Perdue will take a course in beauty culture.

Miss Adelaide Hicks of Dallas spent the weekend here with homefolks.

Shelby Worley and family of Carlsbad, N. M., attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Susan Burleson here Tuesday and visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burleson a few days.

Mrs. Tom French and daughter of Fort Worth and Mrs. Geo. Henshaw of Haskell were guests in the home of their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carothers last week and attended closing exercises of the Rochester school.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cowan of Plainview came last week for a few days visit with relatives and friends and to attend the graduation exercises of the Eighth grade in which their grand-daughter, Lura Bess Cowan was salutatorian.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hall of Roswell, N. M., are visiting relatives and friends here and in Haskell for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hicks of San Jose, Calif., were here last week visiting his brother, G. Hicks and family and other relatives and friends.

The Vacation Church School held at the Methodist Church was highly successful.

Mrs. Louie Leggett and grand-daughter Mary Ann Holley visited their sister and aunt in Hamlin, Mrs. Roscoe Perryman, last week.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Weinert, Texas

Invites everybody to an old time gospel singing Sunday June 2nd at 3:00 p. m.

Come, all who love to hear good singing. Bring your singers and give us a special. We will have many good singers from various sections of the country.

We invite you to come and be with us at 10 a. m. Bible Study Preaching at 11 a. m., and at 8 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

We meet and have preaching and communion every Lord's day. Come be with us.

IN KNOX CITY HOSPITAL

Mrs. H. A. Barnard of O'Brien is a patient in the Knox City hospital, where she underwent major surgery Monday. On last report she was convalescing nicely.

Under high-altitude flying conditions, where the oxygen pressure is reduced, persons of more advanced years actually do better than their younger colleagues. They are less liable to fainting and collapse because their cardiovascular systems are more stable, and they suffer less loss of memory.

Texas now has a population of about seven million people.

FREE MATINEE!

2 P. M. to 7:30 P. M.

TEXAS THEATRE

MONDAY, JUNE 3

See:

"A Guy, a Gal and a Pal"

IN "COOL COMFORT"

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IS GETTING UP NIGHTS GETTING YOU DOWN?

Thousands say famous doctor's discovery gives blessed relief from irritation of the bladder caused by excess acidity in the urine

Why suffer needlessly from backache, run-down feeling from excess acidity in the urine? Just try DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT. The renowned herbal medicine, SWAMP ROOT acts fast on the kidneys to ease discomfort by promoting the flow of urine. This pure herbal medicine is especially welcome where bladder irritation due to excess acidity is responsible for "getting up at night." A carefully blended combination of 16 herbs, roots, vegetables, balsam; Dr. Kilmer's contains nothing harsh, is absolutely non-habit forming. Just good ingredients that many say have a marvellous effect. All druggists sell Swamp Root.

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Juanita Lackey, H. J. Hambleton Jr., Wed

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lackey of Haskell are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Juanita to H. J. Hambleton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hambleton of Haskell. The ceremony was read Thursday evening May 16, at the home of Rev. W. T. Priddy. The couple's only attendant was Miss Joyce Nanny.

The bride wore a blue dress with black accessories.

Mrs. Hambleton attended Haskell schools and had been employed in Fort Worth until recently.

Mr. Hambleton, who also attended Haskell schools, received his discharge in July, 1945 from the Army with the rank of sergeant.

The popular young couple will make their home in Haskell, where he is employed.

Junior GA's Told of Swiss Customs

The Junior G. A.'s of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday afternoon May 22. There being no program planned, we had as our guests Colette Beach of Switzerland and Lujean Hamilton of Corpus Christi. Colette spoke to us about their educational system, sports, government, religion and their customs, and her talk was enjoyed by everyone. Those present were Patsy Perdue, Vela Chioe Redwine, June Holloway, Jane King, Betty Joy Redwine, Ann Harrison, our sponsor, Mrs. Whately, and Mrs. Robison and Grace Robison.

VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the Methodist Church the Vacation Church School will begin its work. From Monday through Friday the school will be held each afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. The school will be in session two weeks and will be under the direction of trained leaders. This is an opportunity of which you will wish to give your children advantage. All children through 14 years of age are urged to attend. A cordial welcome is extended to all boys and girls of the town in this age.

Steamships operating out of Houston carry cargo to 30 countries.

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Advices Methods To Help Control Polio

Austin, Texas.—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, issued the following statements and suggestions concerning the control and prevention of poliomyelitis which is now occurring in certain sections of the State.

Until recently it was generally believed this infection is transmitted by means of discharges from the respiratory tract. It is now believed that poliomyelitis may be another of the several gastrointestinal infections. Therefore, control measures must include clean-up campaigns and improvements in sanitation.

Strict sanitary measures must be observed in all communities. Stringent efforts should be made to eliminate the house-fly and to destroy its breeding places. All mosquitoes and mosquito breeding places must be eliminated at once. Every effort should be made to institute approved garbage collection systems immediately. Safe water supplies must be assured. Where adequate municipal sewage disposal systems are not in operation, it is vitally important to promote and maintain sanitary septic tanks and outdoor privies.

All swimming pools should, under rigid supervision, maintain those standards approved by the Texas State Department of Health. This necessarily includes maintenance of proper chlorine level. Where such standards are not maintained, those pools should be closed immediately.

Every effort should be made to secure approved milk. Rats and mice should be eliminated. Maintain in the home the same sanitary standards that are necessary in community life. Particular attention should be paid to personal hygiene. Excreta from cases and contacts should be handled and disinfected with the same scrupulous care as in typhoid fever or bacillary dysentery.

Over-exertion in children should be avoided. Children should not visit homes where there is illness. Polio cases should be quarantined for 14 days and adults who work in food establishments should be particularly instructed in personal hygiene. It is advisable to reduce to a minimum all human contacts, especially in children during an outbreak of this disease. It is not advocated that schools, churches and theaters be closed.

Early symptoms of infantile paralysis are headache, fever, vomiting, drowsiness, followed by stiffness in the neck and back. When suspicious symptoms appear, a physician should be called.

Sentinels of Health

Don't Neglect Them! Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—its vitalities—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good health is to endure. When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. You may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feeling tired, nervous, all worn out. Frequent, scanty or burning passages are sometimes further evidence of kidney or bladder disturbance. The recognized and proper treatment is a diuretic medicine to help the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body wastes. Doan's Pills. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are endorsed the country over. Look on Doan's as sold at all drug stores.

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The Darsdevil—"Hey, Officer, Where Kin I Find a Cop?"

Government in Pinch On Cotton Shortage

By Edward Jamieson, in The Cotton Trade Journal

For the first time since the Federal Farm Board was established by former president Herbert Hoover, the government has virtually no cotton.

In his speech at Cleveland, Miss., this week, Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson disclosed that government-owned stocks of cotton have dropped to the amazingly low total of 250,000 bales. Only nine months ago, the government stockpile of cotton approximated 8,000,000 bales and in April 1939 the government stocks totaled 11,250,000 bales. Anderson's report, however, does not tell the whole story. Officials of the Commodity Credit Corporation say that before the new crop is ready, the government will be completely out of cotton. There may be a few stray bales, but not a sufficient amount to offer for sale.

Actually, warehouses in this country contain a considerable amount of cotton which is owned by CCC, but this does not mean that it is available for sale to the trade or for export. The great bulk of this cotton has been earmarked for export to Japan, Germany and other foreign countries and will be moved just as soon as shipping is available.

Baylor U. Offers Summer Course In Journalism

Administrators, education students, school teachers and other interested persons will be able to take journalism in the summer quarter of Baylor university, Waco, which begins June 4, for the first time in the school's history announces E. L. Callihan, chairman of the department of journalism.

A journalism workshop will be set up for the summer for all who desire to obtain training in high school journalism teaching, supervision of school publications, public school publicity and reporting and editing practice.

A summer Lariat will be published for the first time since 1931. Besides providing the summer students with a news medium, the summer paper, a weekly, will be used as a laboratory for reporting, and editing students and as a workshop for education students interested in publication work.

The first two courses in reporting, journalism 151 and 152, will be offered in the summer quarter for 10 hours credit. If the coming atomic bomb tests prove successful our Admirals will have to review the U. S. Fleet from glass-bottomed boats.

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Former Marines Get Reenlistment Offer

Former Marines who have been separated more than 90 days may now be admitted back into ranks provided they have been discharged subsequent to September 1, 1945, it was revealed today by the U. S. Marine Corps recruiting office.

Heretofore, no former Marine who had gone beyond his 90-day period of grace following separation could enlist or re-enlist in the regular Marine Corps. They may now do so, but at a reduction in rank.

Staff Sergeant Hugh C. Lindsey, who made the announcement, said that his office in the Post Office Building, Abilene, has had to refuse countless numbers of former

Marines whose grace period was terminated. But now that office is prepared to join former Marines of that category with sanction of Headquarters, Marine Corps, under the following provisions.

Depending on the rank held at time of discharge, former Marines of the first pay grade will be appointed to a rank in the third pay grade; of the second or third pay grades, appointed to fourth pay grade rank; of the fourth pay grade, a rank in the fifth pay grade; fifth pay grades will be given sixth pay grade rank and sixth grade men will be re-appointed to the rank.

Sgt. Lindsey also called attention to the fact that at present there are no provisions for re-enlistment furloughs in cases of Marines discharged longer than 90 days.

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SALES SERVICE Haskell, Texas

Birthday Party Honors Thural Reid

A surprise birthday party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid for their son, Thural, on Thursday night, May 23. Ice cream and cake was served to the following guests: Rev. and Mrs. J. H. McClendon, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Solomon and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sanderson and daughter, Mrs. Velma Sanderson, Mrs. J. L. Reid, Mrs. Thural Reid and daughter and the honoree.

JACKIE FAULKNER ENLISTS IN AIR FORCES

Jackie E. Faulkner of Haskell recently volunteered for the reg-

ular Army for a period of three years in the Army Air Forces. Prior to his enlistment in the Army he was a grocery clerk. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Faulkner of Haskell. He intends to make the Army his career.

SAILOR REENLISTS IN ARMY

Clyde Hendrix of this city volunteered in the regular Army for a period of three years in the Army Air Force. He served 27 months in the Navy and was discharged August 24, 1945 as a Seaman first class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hendrix of Route 2. He attended Paint Creek High School where he was a member of the football and basket ball team.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching and Worship, 10:45 to 12:00.
Preaching and Worship this Sunday night at 7:00 p. m.
Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

VISIT IN SWEETWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Collier spent Sunday in Sweetwater, where they visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Comoli.

House Cleaning Best Means of Promoting Community Health

A good old fashioned spring house cleaning in every city and community in Texas would do a great deal toward furthering good health in this state, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who said in Austin today. "From a practical standpoint the old adage that 'Cleanliness is next to Godliness' is still well worth emphasizing."

A general clean-up program of state-wide proportions with the objective of bettering health conditions for our citizenship should include surface cleaning, drainage, the graveling of streets and alleys, the cleaning of all parks and playgrounds and the clearing of weeds and rubbish off of vacant lots.

"The destruction of mosquito breeding places and rat harborage and trash and the general cleaning up of all premises will be," said Dr. Cox, "of inestimable value in helping to keep down summer health hazards such as dysentery, typhoid, and poliomyelitis. Good community housekeeping and ordinary sanitary measures require the prompt removal of all waste matter in and around yards and homes in order to abate the danger of such diseases, and insure good health protection in the State."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that many dangerous diseases are filthy-borne, and the only possible way to control them is to eliminate the insanitary conditions responsible for their spread.

CARD OF THANKS

We are grateful for all the kindnesses shown during the illness and at the death of our baby daughter. Especially do we want to thank the doctors and the nurses at the hospital for all their unselfish and untiring efforts. Everybody was good to us and we pray that if sorrow comes your way you may have just such friends.—W. H. Baccus Jr. and family. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our appreciation and gratitude to our many friends for their kindness during the illness and death of our wife and Mother.—H. Etheridge and family. 1c

Paint Creek Seniors Visit South Texas

The Senior Class of Paint Creek High school and their sponsor, Mrs. J. L. Guillet left Wednesday, May 22 for the annual Senior trip, returning Monday, May 27.

Places of interest visited were Longhorn Cavern at Burnet, Tex., Memorial Museum and State Capitol at Austin, San Jacinto Monument at Houston, and a day at Galveston Bay.

On the return trip, they visited Huntsville Prison and Sam Houston's home in Huntsville, and in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Those making the trip were Layne and Wayne Wells, L. V. Withers, Marjorie Coleman, Raymond Medford, James Mickler, Joe Hanson, Billie Raughton, Floyd Green, Mrs. Guillet and bus driver, Albert Thane.

RETURNS FROM VISIT IN SAN ANGELO

Mrs. J. T. Therwhanger returned Sunday from San Angelo, where she visited in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Therwhanger, and her grandson, Wiley Therwhanger and wife. She was accompanied by Haskell by Lt. and Mrs. J. Frank Cadenhead, Jr. Lt. Cadenhead is stationed at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo.

OUTBUILDING BURNS

A small outbuilding at the home of Mrs. R. E. Sherrill was destroyed by fire late Friday afternoon. Fire department apparatus called when the blaze was noticed had little trouble in confining the fire to the small building.

RETURNS TO NAVY BASE

Ralph O. Ammons, seaman second class, has returned to the Navy base at San Diego, Calif., to await assignment after spending eight days leave with his wife, the former Billie Lois Brueggeman and his mother, Mrs. G. C. Ammons of Weinert.

CALLED TO BEDSIDE OF FATHER

O. W. Tooley was in Vernon last week at the bedside of his father, Rev. R. V. Tooley, who is critically ill in a Vernon hospital. The elder Mr. Tooley is a retired Methodist preacher and has been quite sick for some time.



MRS. WM. A. EARLES, JR.

Pictured is Mrs. Wm. A. Earles, Jr., who before her marriage May 11 in Yuma, Ariz., was the former Miss Earline Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pearson and popular member of Haskell's younger social set. (Story on Page 2.)

Stamps Quartet Will Give Concert Here

Sponsored by the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association, the Stamps All Star Quartet of Wichita Falls will give a concert in the High School auditorium Thursday evening June 13, at 8:30 o'clock.

The quartet is regularly featured in programs over radio station KWFT.

Fresh Vegetables Best for Freezer Lockers

Start with fresh vegetables and fruits of high quality when preparing them for storage in the freezer locker is the recommendation of Louise Newman, county home demonstration agent.

Fruits and vegetables should be frozen the day they are picked—within a few hours after picking if possible. If they must be held longer, pack them in ice or store in a refrigerator at 32 to 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

All vegetables must be blanched before being frozen. This is necessary to prevent loss of flavor and quality during storage. Blanch only a small quantity of food at a time, about one pound is the best amount, in a large amount of boiling water. The time required for blanching varies with the kind of vegetable being prepared. After blanching, dip the vegetables into ice water or cold running water and leave as long as they were left in boiling water to blanch. Drain and pack into cartons at once. It is best to place the cartons in the refrigerator if there will be a delay in getting them to the locker.

Bulletins with suggestions for preparation of fruits and vegetables and for blanching are available from local locker operators.

LEGION BARBECUE DRAWS LARGE CROWD

About 400 people attended the American Legion free barbecue at Rice Springs Park Tuesday night and came away praising the food and fellowship. Hop Halsey and His Drug Store Cowboys provided top-notch entertainment and the threatening weather failed to dampen the enthusiasm of those who attended.

Gas 'n Air

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Howdy, Folks! We read that the Republican congressmen are formulating a positive, constructive legislative program.

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Camp Fire Girls—

(Continued from Page One)

"At Home in Camp," during which the girls became better acquainted with the ones in their cabins and in the others in camp. After supper, the campers were given paper dolls to be colored and cut out with costumes of foreign countries. Miss Dulaney designed these dolls and their clothes. For the evening program, each group dressed in costumes representing some foreign country and gave a stunt on the country of their choice.

The morning sing was extended on Tuesday morning so that the girls could sing every song they had learned while at camp. Then they were taught circle games by Mrs. Lou Polnac of Stamford, who is nationally known for her ability in that capacity.

The Blue Birds and Camp Fire Girls of Haskell were in charge of the birthday luncheon on Tuesday, when miniature cakes with candles served as favors and blue and pink streamers decorated the tables. Each child sat at the table with all of the other girls whose birthday was in the same month as hers.

At the closing council fire, good camper honors were awarded and gifts were presented to all of the apprentices. "A Portrait of a Good Leader" was given to every adult in camp, this being a leather-bound Camp Fire mirror. Several groups received ten-hour service badges for the civic work they had done in their communities, and rank beads were given to those who had completed the requirements for Trail Seeker, Wood Gatherer, Fire Maker, and Torch Bearer.

George Neely, Roy Sanders and Jim Byrd were responsible for transportation for the Haskell girls, and were assisted by J. A. Bynum, Mrs. Ed Hester, Bill Ratliff, Bob Herren, Fred Sanders Jr. and Fred Stockdale.

Haskell girls and their leaders who attended camp were: Paula Ratliff, Carolyn Campbell, Ray Starr, Doris Strain, Linda Stockdale, Annette Merchant, Beverly Gilstrap, Betty Jo Herren, Margaret Kimbrough, Patsy Strickland, Beverly Casey, Dawn Clifton, Patty Jean Viney, Jane King, Betty Joy Redwine, Sharon Firestone, Dolores Burnett, Patsy Turnbow, Carol Ann Sanders, Gloria Ratliff, Janice McElvain, Ann Alvis, Sandra Kennedy, Sandra Coburn, Betty Hester, Janice Hester, Nina Saling, Martha Jane Bynum, Mrs. Odell Bynum, Mrs. Grace McElvain, Mrs. Maxine Sanders, Mrs. Ed Hester, Mrs. Kenneth Strickland, Mrs. Harvey Saling, Mrs. D. A. New and Mrs. G. W. Roberts, Coretha Marell, Melba Jean Banks, Doris Jean Roberts, Wanda Sue New, Anita Cochran, Juanita Cochran, Nanny Jo Chambeplain and Patsy Bowden.

Weinert Soldier In Radio School

Russell Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson of Weinert, Fort Monmouth, N. J., where he has been assigned to an Army radio school, Young Johnson graduated from high school in 1945 and attended NTSC at Denton one semester before being called into the service. He was first stationed at San Antonio and later was transferred to Camp Crowder, Mo., in the Signal Corps before being sent to Fort Monmouth.

Cub Scout Pack Meeting Planned

A Cub Scout Pack meeting will be held at 7:30 in the Activity building of the high school Friday evening, May 31, according to Carl Wheatley, Cubmaster. Awards in the form of badges will be presented those Cubs who have passed achievements. Members of all three Dens, their parents, all Deacons and Den mothers, are urged to be present.

"Keeping Fit" theme of Cub activities month and physical fitness stressed. A contest was played and Den 2 was winner.

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FURNITURE FOR SALE—FOR SALE—One white cabinet, two white steel utility cabinets, 5-burner oil cook stove and one enamel top table. See Golda Alley at Maples home place. e30c

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FOR SALE: Coolerator, 100 pounds size.—Hardin Coffield. 2c3p

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MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE: Setting eggs from S.C. White Leghorns.—Mrs. W. W. Johnson, S. Haskell. 2c30c

FOR SALE: Peaches and plums. See Dennis Williams, 1-2 mile south of Foster School house. 8G11p

FOR SALE: A good grain bed, practically new, will fit an ordinary bob-tail truck. See Thomas B. Roberson at Magnolia wholesale. 2c30c

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LOST—Between Weinert and Haskell last Friday morning, top for corrugated iron water tank. \$1.00 reward. Frank Draper. 1p

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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 1432 Guardianship of Jane Merchant, A Minor. In the County Court of Haskell County, Texas.

To All Persons Interested in the Above Minor or Her Estate: You are notified that I have on the 29th day of May, 1946, filed with the County Clerk of Haskell County, Texas, an application under order oath for authority to make

Anderson-Fritchard Oil Corporation, as Lessee, an oil, gas and mineral lease on that certain Real Estate belonging to such Minor, situated in Haskell County, Texas, and described as follows:

Being a part of the W. J. Thornton Survey No. 4, Abstract No. 668, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at SE corner W. J. Thornton Survey which is also NE corner E. J. Parker Survey; Thence N. along center of road and along EB line of W. J. Thornton Survey at 120 vrs. road turns E. and at 610 vrs. NE corner of this tract;

Thence W. 930 vrs. to NW corner this tract and NE corner 101 acre tract;

Thence S. 604 vrs. to SW corner of this and SE corner 101 acre tract on S. side road;

Thence along S. side road and along SB line Thornton and NE line of E. J. Parker Survey, S. 89 deg. 35' E. 930 vrs. to beginning.

That Judge John F. Ivy, Judge of the County Court of Haskell County, Texas, on the 29th day of May, 1946, duly entered his order designating the 8th day of June, 1946, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the County Court room in the Court-house of such County as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

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And The Doodle-Bug Ran

Just how essential to the American way of living are train schedules was brought home in a hurry last week when trainmen all over the country took a holiday. Haskell does not depend as heavily on train service as do most American cities, but we learned in a few hours just how important our "doodle-bug" is. Mail and freight were held up, produce and livestock could not be moved as we had become accustomed to, and generally speaking suspension of service on the Wichita Valley line had Haskellites in a dither.

Local trainmen were not very enthusiastic about the strike. And from reports coming in from all over the nation President Truman had the thing about right when he said two money and power loving executives of railroad workers' unions were rebelling against the wishes of trainmen and the government. Those two men led the railroad brotherhoods in a strike which paralyzed the nation as she has not been heretofore tied. President Truman and the trainmen themselves soon realized the selfish interests of those two men, and railroad service was restored.

Acts of Congress pointed at curbing labor union power were proven almost worthless. A truly representative expression of the brotherhoods was never obtained. The spirit of unionism was not seen in the strike. Selfishness and greed of a few hurt the masses. Now it's up to the President and Congress to revamp labor laws so that the nation will not find itself again at the mercy of a few. President Truman took a big step in the right direction when he appointed a Senate committee to work to that end.

We people of Haskell could laugh at the strike for a few hours. We were not terribly hurt by cancellation of a train schedule or two. But we soon would have been yelling for resumption of the noises made familiar by our "doodle-bug" and for the service she renders this community. We are glad of the spirit her crews showed when they eagerly assumed their places of service and declared they were happy to be "on the run" again.

Making A Living and OPA

It is an everyday expression of business men that they are staying with OPA specifications as far as possible, but that they still have to make a living. Regulations as imposed by the Office of Price Administration make it almost impossible for some types of business to show a profit. It is generally known that throughout the nation there are so many infractions of the rules set by OPA the administration has lost most of its effectiveness.

Not everybody violates price ceilings. And not everybody who violates some of them is guilty of wholesale violation. And not all of those who do overstep regulations should be condemned by the general public. The American people have a sense of fairness and respect for their fellow citizens which makes petty restrictions imposed by OPA useless. But those same people have a sense of obligation to provide for their dependents. We admire and respect the business man who tries to comply with unfair and unreasonable restrictions. We do not lose respect for the man who has to stretch his sense of patriotism and law observance when common sense profit is at stake.

OPA has done a wonderful work for the United States. It still has a tremendous job and a worthy one. A set of rules set up in Washington are not always applicable to the entire nation, and slight deviations from OPA regulations on an above-board and legitimate basis are not against the principles of democracy and fair profits.

Haskell County and Its Oil Play

For several months there have been all the way from half a dozen to more than a hundred men and their families in and around Haskell doing various jobs in connection with oil play. They came here and remain here without fanfare. Except for their quest for homes in which to live, the average citizen might not be conscious of their presence.

But while these people go about the business of testing the good earth of Haskell County for what might be riches, they have brought thousands of dollars into local businesses. They have attended our schools, our churches, our business and social organizations with a dignity and a spirit of helpfulness that has been welcomed by everyone here. We are glad to see people who bring money into our community and too often we look to that money and think little of the people who bring it. But these people have made friends here and established themselves as likable and desirable acquaintances with whom we like to associate. They are fast proving their worth to the community aside from monetary values.

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I will be at your service for all kinds of electrical repair work and wiring. Let me give you an estimate on any job you have.

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Political Announcements

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

FOR CONGRESS:
George Mahon. (Re-election.)
Hop Halsey

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 115th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT:
Chas. M. Conner.
(Second term.)
Robert Jones

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Ben Charlie Chapman.
(Second term.)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Fred Stockdale.
(Re-election.)
J. H. (Johnnie) Banks.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
Virgil Reynolds.

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Horace Oneal.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
Curtis F. Pogue.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:
R. A. (Austin) Coburn.
Mrs. Gladys (Wright) Mundy

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Doyle Eastland.

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
Jesse B. Smith.

FOR SHERIFF:
Mart Clifton. (Second term.)
R. M. (Bob) Cousins.

FOR COUNTY SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:
Mrs. Iva Palmer.
(Second term.)
E. L. Tabor.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 1:
Ira Blair. (Second term.)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 2:
Alfred Turnbull. (Re-election.)
W. R. Edwards.
Ivy R. Cypert.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. NO. 3:
J. H. Montgomery.
(First elective term.)
M. B. Cobb.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4:
C. L. (Roy) Clark.
Ben F. Roberts.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, PRECINCT NO. 1:
F. J. (Frank) McCurley.

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, PREC. NO. 1:
Joe E. Pace. (Second term.)
C. K. Jones.

FOR CONSTABLE, PREC. NO. 1:
Sterling Edwards. (Re-election.)

Sterling Edwards Asks Re-Election As Constable

Constable Sterling Edwards of Haskell announced this week that he would be a candidate for re-election to that office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

A long-time resident of Haskell, Mr. Edwards is well known as an efficient public official who has discharged the duties of his office in a creditable manner during the time he has served this precinct as Constable.

In connection with his announcement, Mr. Edwards said he desired to express his appreciation for the help and cooperation extended by the citizens of Haskell during the time he has been in office, as well as for the cooperation of county and city officials and law-enforcement officers.

As time will permit, he plans to make an intensive campaign of the precinct to discuss his claims for re-election with the voters personally, and to solicit their continued cooperation and support.

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HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—May 20, 1916

B. M. Whiteker left Saturday for Ft. Worth where he was joined by his son, John W., student in Baylor University, and they will go to the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia.

H. N. Ferguson of Wichita Falls, who has the Scott Ranch east of Haskell under lease, shipped 521 head of steers to the Kansas City market Thursday.

Clarence Gaunt, about 25 years old, was killed Saturday morning in Rochester when a Buick automobile he was driving overturned. He was a member of a well known family of that section.

W. A. Earnest, a pioneer businessman of Rule, died recently in Big Spring following a prolonged illness.

Miss Jewell Newton of Jacksonville, Texas, is visiting the family of J. E. McKee.

Miss Sunie Reeves is assisting Mr. Couch in the county clerk's office this week.

Miss Sallie Miller of Seymour is here visiting the family of her brother, Pink Miller.

Messrs. A. C. Foster and J. L. Jones attended court in Throckmorton this week.

Dr. C. C. McGregor of Waco was here a few days this week looking after his property interests in our county.

Judge Hammer held the spring term of District Court for Throckmorton county this week. The term only lasted three days.

Messrs. T. J. Lemmon and J. W. Collins spent Thursday on Paint Creek fishing.

Home canners who have the dial type gauge on their pressure canners should have it checked with a master gauge before they begin canning this year, according to Louise Newman, county home demonstration agent. Rough handling of the lid or dropping the lid may cause the gauge to register incorrectly so the gauge should be checked again even though it was checked last year.

The weighted type gauge will need nothing but a thorough cleaning.

As the gauge is the guide to temperatures inside the steam pressure cooker, it is very important that it registers correctly. If jars have been heated too much the food will lose nutritive value, flavor and desirable texture.

Arrangements for a series of cooker clinics have been made by Miss Edna Mintek, associate supervisor with the Farm Security Administration, and Miss Newman where each homemaker should bring her cooker to be checked. There is no charge for this course.

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For Lieutenant Governor

ALLAN SHIVERS of Jefferson County



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The father of two children, he left the Senate to volunteer in World War II, served overseas and now asks promotion to the office of Lieutenant Governor, for which he is qualified, based on service and experience. Address: Allan Shivers, Port Arthur, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely want to thank our good neighbors and friends, and especially the Fire Boys, for all the nice things they have done for us since Mrs. Hays fractured her hip. We are especially grateful to the Women's Auxiliary of the Legion for use of the wheel chair, and also want to thank everyone who sent the beautiful pot plants and flowers. Sincerely—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hays.

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DAUGHTER BORN TO MR. AND MRS. DOYLE ANDREWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Andrews of Stephenville, Texas, are announcing the arrival of a baby daughter born May 17, and who has been named Glenda Marjorie. Mrs. E. W. Andrews, grandmother of the baby, returned to Haskell Sunday after spending two weeks in the home of her son and wife.

Dr. J. G. Vaughn

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Haskell, Texas

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NOTES ON AGRICULTURE

Insects Pose Threat To Cotton Crop

(By F. W. MARTIN, County Agent.)

One thing that is sure to affect the amount of cotton produced in Haskell County in 1946 is the amount of insect damage. According to figures recently released from the United States Department of Agriculture, cotton farmers in Texas lose one bale out of seven produced. This loss amounts to about \$51,000,000 per year in Texas alone.

In the fall of 1945 the boll weevil damage amounted to 29 percent in the area surrounding Haskell County. This means that 29 cotton squares were damaged out of each 100 examined. Just what the average damage from boll weevils in the county is, is not known, but we do have records of fields that were heavily infested.

From what information we are able to collect the chances are that we will have an abundance of boll weevil and flea hoppers if we have favorable weather to grow cotton.

Since we have the insects left over in our fields due to the mild winter we should make preparation to do something about them.

When the growing season is favorable for cotton it is also favorable for insect growth.

If you wait until all of the

squares are knocked off the cotton and then start trying to poison you have about lost the crop.

It is recommended that as soon as the squares start forming the best plan would be to dust, using about 1-3 calcium arsenate and 2-3 sulphur at the rate of 12 to 15 pounds per acre. This will cost about 60c per acre at present prices for poison. Controls both boll weevil and flea hopper. After the first dusting if you make a count by going diagonally across the field pulling off 100 squares, some from bottom and some from the top, examine these squares and if more than 10 out of the 100 are punctured it is time to dust again. This procedure can be followed until a crop is set.

If you can get 21 days free from insects you will have all the squares on the plant that can mature. Flea hopper damage comes early and they knock off the squares just as they form and as a result there is no fruit on the bottom limbs.

These insects should be watched very closely if we have favorable weather for cotton production.

Inhabitants of India and Southern East Asia depend upon the elephant to perform much of their heavy work.

Gov. Ellis G. Arnall of Georgia says: "Texas is the Dynamo of Dixie."

JUST HUMANS



"No--We Ain't Got No Charity Ward"

Sodium Chlorate Is Effective In Control Of Johnson Grass

(By F. W. MARTIN, County Agent.)

Farmers interested in the control or eradication of small areas of Johnson Grass on their farms can successfully accomplish this by properly applying sodium chlorate to the infested areas.

Sodium Chlorate applied to the soil either as a dry salt or in solution causes temporary sterilization of the soil and kills the plants. It is soluble in water and after each rain will penetrate deeper into the soil, burning and gradually killing the roots of Johnson Grass. It will usually leach completely out of the soil in 12 to 18 months after application, and the soil will then grow desirable crops.

For Johnson Grass control sodium chlorate should be applied at the rate of 3 pounds per square rod. It may be mixed with equal parts of soil or sand to get better distribution and spread on the ground where Johnson Grass is growing. Rains will dissolve the weed killer and leach it into the soil and kill the roots. Quicker results may usually be obtained by dissolving sodium chlorate in water at the rate of one pound per gallon and then spraying or pouring this solution on the soil around the base of plants to wet the soil to a depth of at least one inch. Best results have been obtained when the chemical is applied directly to the soil rather than by spraying it on the leaves and stems of the plant.

The areas treated should not be plowed or disturbed until a heavy, soaking rain has occurred and all the roots have been completely killed by soil sterilization. On sandy, porous soils quicker kills may be expected than on heavy clay soils.

When sodium chlorate is mixed with water the operator should take precaution not to get his clothes wet because, when it dries, it unites with cotton or other organic matter to form an easily inflammable product. Smoking should not be tolerated when using sodium chlorate and all instructions on the container should be carefully observed. It is safer to apply sodium chlorate in a dry form and it can be applied much faster and without additional cost to the operator for spraying equipment.

Where a mixture of sodium chlorate and calcium chlorate is used, 4 pounds should be used per square rod to get the same results as 3 pounds of sodium chlorate. The above mixture is sold under the trade name of Atlascide and seems to be more plentiful at the present time than sodium chlorate.

Gas Company Plans Huge Expenditures

Growth of the territory served by Lone Star Gas Company demands expenditure of millions of dollars in service facilities this year, D. A. Hulcy, president of the company, has announced. He said more than \$8,294,000 has been budgeted for construction and new equipment over the gas system comprising 300 thriving towns and cities, one of which is Haskell.

Among the reasons for this big expenditure, he explained, is the addition of 18,500 new meters last year, the equivalent of two cities, one the size of Waco, and the other the size of Temple, each meter representing a family. The last five years the company has added 78,175 customers, equal to the number in Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Waco combined. Mr. Hulcy said this indicated the healthy growth of the territory. He also said many new industries are expected.

These millions will be poured out to benefit the whole area just as rapidly as materials and men are available, the gas company head stated. Following are the principal expenditures:

Street mains, service lines, meters, regulators, replacement and other facilities for serving customers in the towns and cities, \$2,000,000.

Pipe line construction from gas fields to the cities to tap additional gas reserves, \$2,156,000.

Expansion of butane facilities for gas service beyond the gas mains so more people on farms may have city gas service, \$433,000.

Drilling wells to insure adequate gas supply for many years, \$1,270,000.

Dehydration, cycling and gasoline plants to treat the gas and to promote conservation, \$1,360,000.

Replacement of existing facilities, such as automotive equipment and machinery, \$865,000.

Purchase of leases for future development, \$210,000.

Although the gypsies themselves claim Egypt as their native land, it is believed that they originally came from India in the Middle Ages, passing through Egypt to Europe.

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Ellis County, in a war on crows, planted more than 200 pounds of explosives in trees. Beavers, the only ones within 800 miles, have built a dam on Mineral Bay, Lake Texhoma.

WELCOME To All Our Services. FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH - THE BIBLE ONLY AND ALWAYS. 10 A. M. Sunday School Study (Luke 16:1-18). "Parable of the Unjust Steward, and the Teaching on Divorce." 11 A. M. MORNING MESSAGE. 7 P. M. Junior Song Service and Bible Drill in Sunday School Building. 7:15 P. M. Special Song Service in Church. 8 P. M. EVENING MESSAGE.

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COURTNEY HUNT. Will buy your grain at top price or will take in storage for you for CCC loan. DEPENDABLE SEEDS. Good Sweet Sudan, high germination \$12.00. Plain Sudan, high germination \$8.00. Plain Sudan, high germination, stained \$7.00. Early Hegari (makes in 81 days) \$6.00. Arizona Hegari \$7.50. Plainsman Milo, high germination \$5.00. Martin's Milo \$5.00. Western Prolific Cottonseed, first year, bu. \$2.25. Hybrid Cottonseed, first year \$2.00. Texas Special Pedigreed, 3-Bushel sacks \$8.25. Big German Millet \$6.00. Orange Top Cane Seed \$7.50. Dutch Boy Cane Seed \$7.50.

Marine Recruiter Here June 6, 20

A college education under the GI Bill of Rights is still available to young men enlisting in the United States Marine Corps...

IN LUBBOCK MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Couch spent Monday in Lubbock, where Mr. Couch went on business.

All men accepted for first enlistment will be transferred to San Diego, California for their initial or "boot training" and upon completion of this training they will be given a ten day furlough.

Texas Tech-A. & M. Ask Use of Pantex Ordnance Plant

Seeking opportunity for study of livestock losses on wheat and other pasture, Texas Technological College and Texas A. and M. College are making joint application for use of the Pantex ordnance plant near Amarillo as an agricultural experiment station.

Sidelights From Washington

By GEORGE MAHON This is Saturday noon. The President is scheduled to address a joint session of Congress at four P. M. today.

Numerous Cases of Mumps Reported

Austin, Texas.—With a total of 5,906 cases of mumps having been reported in Texas in the first seven weeks of this year, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a statement stressing the fact that the contagion factor exists before symptoms appear, and urging strict isolation of all patients.

Wheat and Livestock Producers of this Area

"Here's a definite need for agricultural research," the dean commented when the application was filed. "If we can do the job, it will mean a service to both growers of wheat and producers of livestock in this vast wheat producing and livestock areas and comparable areas of adjoining states."

Wheat and Livestock Producers of this Area

The joint brief to the government pointed out a large acreage is required to provide both wheat and forage land and adjacent native grass land. The grass land is needed, it was said, to furnish uniform conditioning and management of the test animals prior to initiation of wheat grazing.

Wheat and Livestock Producers of this Area

It is estimated five to seven years will be required to complete the study. Investigations would include breeding, growing and fattening of animals to determine the effect of grazing practices and the feeding of various supplements on the incidence of livestock losses; and the nature of physiological or pathological disturbances resulting from grazing of animals on winter wheat.



ATTEND THE REVIVAL AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Haskell Texas LLOYD H. THOMPSON, Evangelist Will Preach MAY 29 TO JUNE 9

OUR 49th ANNIVERSARY 49er STATE FASHIONS Perkins-Timberlake advertisement featuring a map of Texas and illustrations of women in fashion.

FLORLUX advertisement for interior and exterior floor enamel, featuring a woman painting a floor.

Brazelton Lumber Company advertisement featuring a man in a uniform.

GOODYEAR SAFELY GO ON advertisement featuring a man holding a Goodyear tire and a car.

RITA HASKELL, TEXAS advertisement listing various movies and showtimes for the week of June 1-5.