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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1947

NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR

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struck Haskell and
areas late Thursday
last week, accompa-
winds and a driving
brought precipitation
to 70 inch.

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from the hailstorm, in
levelling unharvested
crops in the areas
storm was most severe.
up to a good stand, as
gardens, were virtu-
out in the path of

immediate vicinity of
the hail-swept strip cen-
ward for a distance of
miles and extended
territory, hail was
sections and caused
damage to crops.
struck Weinert and vi-
ing crops and caus-
property loss. High
accompanying the storm
small buildings and un-
ers on the Poteat farm
Haskell and Weinert.

roperty damage in
broken window panes
ered Neon signs, but
building roofs was ex-
seven or more large
the recently remodeled
ing and several other
on the north side of the
of glass panes broken.

Co. on the south-
of the square had
indows on the south side
shattered by hail
house of Conner
Floral Company was
when hail crushed a
the roof with resultant
to sheltered nursery

Prison Board
er is Former
Man

R. Havins of Brown-
nated as a member of
Prison Board recently
Jester, is a former
Haskell County, hav-
in several schools in
and was principal of
school at one time.

er a member of the
Howard Payne College
ood for 23 years and is
y on social science.

of Merkel, Havins first
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at Howard Payne. After
taught in public
1921. His last ex-
a public school offi-
superintendent of schools

oved back to Brown-
222 and after two years
partment store, joined
Payne faculty in 1924.
een college librarian,
of government, head of
ment of social sciences,
from 1934 to 1937 as
n.

ved his M. A. degree
University of Texas in
his Ph. D. degree from
ity in 1941.

st year was awarded a
Foundation grant to
tory of the sheep in
the Southwest. He is
ing authority on Tex-
His hobby is geology
prepared several sur-
neral resources in Cen-
west Texas.

his wife is the former
Prierson of Haskell.
two children T. R. Ha-
member of the editorial
the Abilene Reporter-
Mary Havins, a senior
Payne.

65 Persons Qualify As Notaries In County

Sixty-five persons have qual-
ified as Notaries Public for the two
year term of appointment ending
June 30, 1949, records in the of-
fice of County Clerk Horace Oneal
show. Holding Notary Public com-
missions are the following:
W. P. Ratliff, Mrs. N. M. Ste-
wart, V. A. Brown, A. M. Croth-
ers, Wanda Smith, E. F. Camp-
bell, Ernest W. Simpson, P. H.
Campbell, S. M. Davis, F. E.
Gaunt, R. L. Vick, Morris Neal,
Mary Belle Allen.

Olen Dotson, T. R. Odell, A. C.
Pierson, W. A. Holt, James A.
Greer, Mildred Guess, Martha J.
Holt, Dennis P. Ratliff, J. Bel-
ton Duncan, R. R. Lusk, Leatrice
Swinson, Estelle Lee, Leonard T.
Florence, W. I. Coggins.
Lola W. Lemmon, Mayre Lena
Wiseman, Ross Pearce, Joe E.
Pace, Calvin Henson, Curtis F.
Pogue, Slydell Henson, C. A. Camp-
bell, A. M. Penman, Minnie Ellis,
Pete Huntsman, Thos. B. Rbert-
son, Alonzo Pate.

O. N. Harcrow, Mary Lois Wil-
son, O. E. Paterson, A. C. Foster,
Jas. A. Lindsey, Marvin L. Brist-
er, J. A. Hudspeh, Chas. Kay,
Chas. Swinson, J. Weldon Young,
I. L. Whitfield, D. S. Gothard, O.
S. Covey, Alice Johnson.

John A. Lee, R. L. Burton, V.
W. Meadors, V. W. Meadors, Jr.,
T. C. Cahill, T. G. Cahill, Maude
Derr, Jason W. Smith, John F.
Ivy, J. W. Johnson, and W. H.
McCandless.

Mattson Team Adds Win Over South Siders Friday

The fast Mattson team stepped
further ahead in leading the Has-
kell Softball League with a deci-
sive win over the South Siders
Friday night under the lights on
the fairgrounds.

The losing jinx continued to
dog the South Siders when they
lost to the Odd Fellows team. Both
games attracted a large crowd of
fans.

Scheduled for tonight (Thurs-
day) is a game between the Has-
kell Girls team and Abilene Girls
team. The contest will begin at
8:30.

Hospital Notes

The following patients were re-
gistered in the Haskell County
Hospital Thursday morning:
Mrs. J. W. Richards, Rule.
William Overton, Haskell.
Walter Overton, Haskell.
Mrs. E. C. S. Claire and Infant
son of Munday.

Mrs. Kate Bledsoe, Haskell.
O. O. Shue, Weinert.
Mrs. Walter Rogers, Haskell.
Mrs. J. B. Claiborne and In-
fant son of Haskell.
Mrs. H. A. Barfield and In-
fant son of Weinert.

Mrs. Maggie Harris, Haskell.
Mrs. M. A. Davis and Infant
daughter of Haskell.
Mrs. Melvin Bruce, Haskell.
Patients dismissed were:
J. B. Anderson, Deming, N. M.
Mrs. J. T. Brewer, Rule.
Grover Jones, Goree.
W. E. Pitman, Haskell.
Miss Hortense Marlow, Haskell.
Mrs. R. L. Criswell, Throck-
morton.

Mrs. T. R. Odell Is Named on Staff of McMurry College

Mrs. T. R. Odell has accepted
a position with McMurry College
as associate Professor of Educa-
tion with assignment in the field
of Elementary Education with as-
signment in the field of Element-
ary Education with duties to be-
gin about Sept. 15.

Mrs. Odell left for Austin Mon-
day of this week for the June
Executive board meeting of the
Texas Congress of P-T-A. She will
leave from here for Boulder, Col-
orado, where she will attend the
University of Colorado this sum-
mer.
For the past year, Mrs. Odell
has been doing field service in
the Texas Society for Mental Hy-
giene and for the Texas Congress
of Parents and Teachers.

Revival Meeting Is Planned at Bible Baptist Church

A two weeks revival meeting
will be held at the Bible Baptist
Church in this city beginning Sun-
day, July 6th and continuing thru
Sunday, July 20th. Week-day ser-
vices will be held each evening
at 8:30 o'clock.
Evangelist for the meeting will
be A. T. Suskey. "The Con-
verted Atheist," and some of the
world-shaking subjects he will
discuss during his series of mes-
sages include The Coming Tem-
pest, Total Blackout, The Last Ar-
raid, When God's Supreme Court
Meets, and others.
Rev. Ray Turner, pastor, and
other members of the church con-
gregation invite the people of this
community to plan to attend all
services possible.

Rev. Crawford Will Preach at Vesper Service Sunday

J. H. Crawford, District Super-
intendent of the Stamford
District will preach at the Vesper
Service at the First Methodist
Church next Sunday Evening at
8 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Crawford is a new
man on the District, having been
recently appointed at the Annual
Conference in Amarillo. He came
from Phillips Church to this Dis-
trict.

The public is most cordially in-
vited to hear his message.

Sponsor Contest At Cowboy Reunion Has Many Entries

Entries in the Cowgirl Spon-
sors Contest to be held in con-
nection with the Texas Cowboy
Reunion at Stamford on July 2,
3, and 4, continues to come in
according to A. C. Bishop, Chair-
man of the Sponsor Committee.

Among the latest entries are:
Miss Peggy Stanford, Wichita Falls;
Miss Jo Gregord, Colorado City;
Miss Jean Diers, Sagerton; Miss
Judith Kyle, Swann Ranch; Miss
Punkins Moore, Wellington, Mrs.
Murl Ward, Spur; Miss Rola
Thornton, Haskell; Miss Billye
Pipes, Comanche Chamber of
Commerce and Mrs. Dorothy Ste-
phent, Criswell Ranches of Scurry
and Baylor Counties.

Mrs. Russell Crowover, hos-
tess to all visiting sponsors, and
Miss Patty McDonald, Stamford's
host sponsor, have planned an
extensive round of entertainment
for sponsors and their escorts will
be held opening night at 11 o'-
clock and will be broadcast over
Station KDWT. A breakfast for
sponsors only will be held the
morning of July 3, at 9:30 at the
guest cabin on the Reunion
grounds. Sponsors and their es-
corts will be admitted free to the
chuck wagon dinner at noon July
4. All sponsors will ride in the
big opening day parade at 11 o'-
clock July 2. Open dances will
also be held the nights of July 3
and 4.

VISITS IN SCURRY

J. M. Collins spent the weekend
in Scurry, Texas, visiting his
mother and sister. Returning home
with him for a visit were his
nephew, Joe Sanders and niece,
Marion Sanders.

Fire Department Re-Elects Officers

All officers of the Haskell Vol-
unteer Fire Department were re-
elected Monday night at the reg-
ular meeting of the department,
and members heard a report on
the annual State Convention of
Firemen held in Amarillo last
week. The report was given by
Chief Frank Reynolds. Other re-
presentatives of the local depart-
ment attending the convention
were Wiley Quattlebaum and
James Reynolds.

Officers of the department, all
re-elected for the ensuing year are
Frank Reynolds, Chief, Ray Lusk,
Assistant Chief; J. B. Gipson, Sec-
retary; Duggan Starr, Captain
No. 1; Thurman Bynum, Captain
No. 2.
The new lumber yard is locat-
ed just east of Wichita Valley
depot, where Mr. Drew has pur-
chased the Menefee & Fouts ware-
house and adjacent lots as site for
the yard. Lumber stocks will be
housed in the warehouse to af-
ford weather protection, and a
modern office building is now un-
der construction.
Mr. McFarlin states the con-
cern will carry a complete stock
of lumber and building supplies,
paints, builders hardware, roof-
ing, etc., and in addition will
handle oil field material, includ-
ing drilling mud and cement.
The concern owns a similar yard
at Winnsboro, and operates a
lumber mill in that section.
Mr. McFarlin has purchased a
home in Haskell and will move
his family to this city at an early
date.

New Operator Added To Staff Thelma's Beauty Bar

Mrs. Thelma Reynolds of Bay
City, Texas, an experienced beau-
tician, has joined the staff of
Thelma's Beauty Bar, located in
the Tonkawa Hotel building. The
new operator will be glad to meet
the women of Haskell and this
section and discuss their individ-
ual beauty needs.
Before coming to Haskell, Mrs.
Reynolds owned and operated a
beauty shop in Bay City.

Methodists Meet to Plan Year's Work

At the call of the District Su-
perintendent, Rev. J. H. Crawford
of Stamford, a District Set-Up
Meeting was held in the First
Methodist Church of Munday on
Tuesday of this week. Plans for
the year's work were made as well
as plans for the District Encamp-
ment to be held in Ceta Canyon,
July 14-18.

Eight people attended from the
local Methodist Church as follows:
O. W. Tooley, District Lay Lead-
er; F. T. Sanders, District Stew-
ard; Miss Francis English, District
Director of Young People; Mrs.
W. H. Pittman, District Promotion
Secretary of the W.S.C.S.; Mrs.
V. C. Bailey, local president of the
W. S. C. S.; Mrs. O. W. Tooley,
and Rev. and Mrs. James Harrell.

A covered dish lunch was serv-
ed by the host church and the en-
tire District was well represented.

Walling Named As Director In State Butane Assn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walling, Jr.,
of this city attended the annual
convention of the Texas Butane
Dealers Association in Galveston
June 9 to 11.

The local butane dealer was
elected director in the State as-
sociation from District 11, one of
the fifteen districts in the state.

Merchants Warned To Be On Look-Out For Transient Check Artists Now In Area

Merchants of Haskell and other
towns in the county were warned
this week by County Attorney
Curtis Pogue and Sheriff Mart
Clifton to be on the lookout for
forged checks, which have been
appearing in recurrent numbers
in this section during the grain
harvesting season.

Haskell County officers last
week apprehended three persons
who had victimized local mer-
chants, but County Attorney Pogue
and Sheriff Clifton hold the
opinion that many other "opera-
tors" may visit this section follow-
ing the bumper grain harvest now
ending, and the busy season ahead
when farmers will need transient
labor for farmwork.

"We ask local merchants to be
on the lookout for these swind-
lers," the local officers said, "and
particularly to be sure you know
the person for whom you cash a
check, as well as the firm or per-
son on which it is drawn."
Here are some safeguards which
Sheriff Clifton has given for the
benefit of merchants:
You should not accept personal,
government or commercial checks
from strangers without proper
identification. Always require
person presenting check to en-
dorse it in your presence regard-

Drew Lumber Co. Is New Concern Opening Here

Opening of a new business in-
dustry in Haskell, the Drew Lum-
ber Company, is announced this
week by J. W. McFarlin, former-
ly of Winnsboro, Texas, who will
be manager of the Haskell con-
cern.

The new lumber yard is locat-
ed just east of Wichita Valley
depot, where Mr. Drew has pur-
chased the Menefee & Fouts ware-
house and adjacent lots as site for
the yard. Lumber stocks will be
housed in the warehouse to af-
ford weather protection, and a
modern office building is now un-
der construction.
Mr. McFarlin states the con-
cern will carry a complete stock
of lumber and building supplies,
paints, builders hardware, roof-
ing, etc., and in addition will
handle oil field material, includ-
ing drilling mud and cement.
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at Winnsboro, and operates a
lumber mill in that section.
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home in Haskell and will move
his family to this city at an early
date.

Mechanical Mixes Installed at Poison Mixing Station

With increasing grasshopper in-
festations menacing row crops in
several sections of the county, the
poison mixing station here is now
operating three days each week,
County Agent F. W. Martin re-
ported Thursday.

The mixing station is located
at the Farmers Co-Op No. 1 and
operates on Monday, Wednesday
and Friday each week, Martin
said. A mechanical mixer has been
added with a capacity of mix-
ing 5,000 pounds of poison bait
per hour. If necessary, the station
will be placed on a full time basis
to combat the hopper menace, the
County Agent said. Gerald Han-
son, Paint Creek high school gra-
duate and 4-H Club boy is super-
visor of the station.

For mixing poison bait, the
farmer is required to furnish one
sack of bran, hulls, or other sweet
feed, and the government furnishes
one sack of bran and the poison.
This makes approximately
450 pounds of wet mix bait.
No charge is made for mixing.

In spreading the poison, about
10 pounds per acre is used and
most farmers put out the poison
every two or three days, depending
on the severity of the infestation.

Biggest threat to crops from
the hoppers is in the areas east
and southeast of Haskell and in
the vicinity of Sagerton, where
cultivated fields are bordered by
grassland.

Monoxide Gas Causes Death of B. D. Gibbs, At Work In Water Well

Trio Wanted Here Apprehended In Oklahoma City

Two men and a woman, all
transients, who are wanted in
Haskell County on charges of pass-
ing worthless checks in Roches-
ter, Rule and Haskell, were ar-
rested in Oklahoma City last
Saturday after local officers had
broadcast a description of the trio.
Identification was made possible
through a license plate the parties
allegedly stole while they were
in Rochester, officers said. The
stolen plate was on the car occu-
pied by the men and woman when
they were arrested in Okla-
homa City.

The checks, ranging in amounts
from \$38 to \$42, were drawn on
banks in nearby cities, and all
bore the signature of "Chas. S.
Burton," officers revealed. Two
of the worthless checks were given
to Haskell merchants, one was
passed at a Rule store and another
given to a Rochester grocer.

County Attorney Curtis Pogue
said that similar charges faced
the trio at Benjamin, where they
are now being held for trial. They
will be brought to Haskell from
Knox County for arraignments on
the complaints pending here, the
county attorney indicated.

Bible School Holds Commencement Exercises

The Vacation Bible School at
the East Side Baptist Church
from June 2 to June 14 was a
great success. Almost one hun-
dred students were enrolled. Rev.
W. T. Priddy was leader of the
Bible School. Kenneth Adress
acted as principal and Mrs. Cora
Woodridge was general secretary.

Teachers of the Beginners Class
were Mrs. L. B. Denny, Mrs. Bill
Marr, and Mrs. C. S. Gay. Pupils
enrolled in the class were: Jerry
Shelton, Sharon Marr, Randall
Gavlik, Frances Haynes, Roberta
Busby, Gayle Carter, Jackie Dan-
iels, Bill Nelson, Rodney Child-
ress, Louise Brown, Johnny
Breedon and Clifford Ray Nichol-
son.

Teachers of the Primary class
were Mrs. Talmadge Oliphant,
Mrs. Cliff Nicholson, Mrs. R. L.
Brook, Mrs. Jack Daniels, and
Mrs. Emery Anderson. Pupils
enrolled were: Jerry Collins, Sue
Rhoads, Alvin Nelson, Billie Ann
Mercer, Sue New, Shirley Gav-
lik, Duane Carter, Boyd Adress,
Charline Nelson, Jerry Oliphant,
Tommy Cathey, Janet Jones, Don-
nie Gayle Rogers, Bonny Horns-
by, Jimmy Brock, William Holly,
Richard Trent, Charlotte Mc-
Guire, Bobby Holly, and Ben Al-
len McGee.

Teachers of the Junior Girls
were Mrs. T. E. Murcer, Mrs. Sal-
lie Ammons, Mrs. W. T. Priddy,
and Mrs. Walter Gavlik. Pupils
enrolled in the class were: Wanda
Adress, Joyce Rose, Melva An-
dres, Lela Phillips, Jackie Holly,
Wanda Long, Nelda Haynes, Patsy
Carter, Youvonne Cox, Fay Car-
ter, Betty Rogers, Nelda Reese
and Melva Banks.

Teachers of the Junior Boys
were Mrs. E. L. Lancaster, Mrs.
Opal Barker, John McGuire, and
John Adress. Pupils en-
rolled in the class were Don Den-
dy, Floyd Rogers, James Nelson,
jr. Jimmy Nelson, Melvin Adress,
Roy Don Rhoads, Elgin Ray Chris-
tian, Douglas Denny, Troy Lee
McFaddin, Mabry Brock, Roy
Angley, Coy Angley, Wayne Col-
lins and Creed Flanory.

Teachers of the Intermediate
Class were Mrs. Thurman Rhoads,
Mrs. Bill Shelton, and Mrs.
Willie Adress. Pupils enrolled in
the class were Kala Young, Fran-
cis Oliphant, Nettie Angley, Mar-
garet Denny, Sarah Young, Rockie
Cowley, Bobby Rogers, Roland
Denny, Ray Adress, June Brock
and Robert Brock.

The pupils received their diplo-
mas Friday night at the com-
mencement.

Haskell VA School Recognized As Outstanding

The Haskell County Vocational
School, under the leadership
of J. Weldon Young, Coordinator,
has recently celebrated its first
anniversary, and from a modest
beginning has developed into one
of the major schools of its kind
in the state.
Organized in February 1946
and approved March 7, the school
is sponsored by the State Board
for Vocational Education and the
Veterans Administration. In the
Lubbock Region which is compris-
ed of 40 West Texas counties,
the Haskell institution is recogniz-
ed as the outstanding school of
this district and has been used as
a model for the establishment of
other schools.

While open to all for vocational
training, the main purpose of the
program has been the rehabilita-
tion of the returned veteran and
has as its aim a well-rounded
program devised to assist the ve-
teran by offering classes in dis-
tributive education, agriculture and
trades and industries.

Beginning with one instructor,
classes were held in the Haskell
County courthouse. Rapidly ex-
panding, larger quarters were se-
cured in the City Hall. Outgrow-
ing this, the school was moved to
the Exhibit hall on the Central
West Texas Fair grounds. On
April 1 of this year a building
covering more than 3500 feet of
floor space was purchased. This
building which houses the class
rooms and library also has a com-
pletely equipped carpentry and
mechanic shop with more than
\$5,000 worth of equipment and
tools secured through War Sur-
plus Administration.

The school comprises Haskell
and Stonewall counties with 336
Veterans enrolled. The staff of in-
structors include: H. R. Spain,
R. H. Williams, Eugene Campbell,
O. B. Baird, D. H. Persons, Clin-
ton H. Herren, Gene Frierson, Joe
B. Clout, J. B. Phumprey, L. H.
Hampton, Roy E. Torrence and
E. R. Starr.

The office staff include Oleeta
Norman, secretary, Patsy Massey,
bookkeeper and Emily Hudgens,
receptionist and file clerk.

The school operates under the
direction of a county board which
has the following members: John
A. Couch, president, Olen Dotson,
vice-president, W. Q. Casey, busi-
ness manager, W. H. Cox, Chas.
M. Conner, and W. H. Pitman,
of Haskell, Morris Neal and W.
O. Smith of Rule and Monte Pen-
man of Rochester.

Haskell Boy Scouts Spend Week At Annual Camp

Ten members of Troop 36, Boy
Scouts, spent last week at Camp
Tonkawa, near Buffalo Gap.
Members of the troop attending
the camp were Jimmie Ray Lee,
Temple Williams, Freddie Stock-
dell, Jimmie Rogers, Don Payne,
Robt. B. Reynolds, Ernest Strain,
Abe Turner, Billy Mack Taylor,
and Roy Dunn. A school bus pro-
vided transportation from Haskell,
with Supt. S. H. Vaughter, ac-
companying the group.

Adult Scout leaders who spent
one night each at the camp in-
clude Jack Hendrix, A. M. Turn-
er, Doyle Eastland, Dr. Williams,
Marvin Hancock, Jr., and O. E.
Patterson.

More Than Inch of Rain Received Here

Helping to revive hail-damaged
gardens and benefitting young
and late planted cotton and other
row crops, rainfall amounting to
1.15 inch has fallen during the
past week, according to records
kept by Mrs. H. J. Hambleton,
local weather observer.

During the seven day period,
moisture has been received as
follows: June 12, .70 inch; June
13, .24 inch; June 18, .21 inch.

B. D. Gibbs, 44-year old resident of Haskell since early boyhood, met tragic death last Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock when he was overcome by carbon monoxide fumes while at work cleaning out a 25-foot deep water well in the northwest part of the city.

Mr. Gibb and a colored labor-
er, A. H. Lilly, had started work
shortly after noon to clean out the
well, located on property recently
purchased by John Kimbrough.
Mr. Gibbs had placed a pump
powered with a small gasoline
motor on a platform near the wa-
ter level in the well, and the pump
had been running for approxi-
mately an hour when the engine
failed. Believing the motor need-
ed refueling, Gibbs had Lilly and
Kimbrough to lower him into the
well, carrying a small can of gas-
oline. Cautioned there might be
some danger from gas, Gibbs said
he did not think it necessary to
fasten the rope around his body
when lowered. Within a minute or
two he called to Kimbrough and
the negro to pull him to the top,
but collapsed and lost his hold on
the windlass rope and fell to the
bottom. He is believed to have
died instantly.

Bruce Young, Haskell barber
who lives near the scene and who
had been a spectator at the scene,
asked to be lowered into the well
immediately. Almost overcome
by gas fumes when he reached the
bottom, Young had to be brought
to the surface before he could
reach the victim.

Fire department apparatus had
been summoned in the meantime
and a ladder was lowered into the
well and John Kimbrough made
two attempts to rescue Gibbs' body
but was overcome both times
and had to be revived when pulled
from the well the second time
in a semi-conscious condition
from effects of the poison gas.

Firemen and volunteer workers
continued their efforts until the
body of Mr. Gibbs was recovered
from the well at 5:25 p. m., after
a rope loop had been maneuvered
around his left arm from the sur-
face.

After an examination, Dr. Ben
M. Nail, who was at the scene,
pronounced Mr. Gibbs dead when
brought to the surface. Verdict of
accidental death from carbon
monoxide gas poisoning was re-
turned at an inquest in connection
with the death, conducted by Jus-
tice of the Peace C. K. Jones.

Death of Mr. Gibbs was the
third tragedy claiming brothers
in the family. A younger brother,
J. N. Gibbs, was killed in an au-
tomobile wreck in November,
1942, and another brother, Charles
was fatally injured in a fall at
the old oil mill a number of years
ago.

Mr. Gibbs was a native of Co-
manche, Texas, born April 3, 1903,
the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R.
Gibbs. He came with his parents
to Haskell in boyhood and mar-
ried Miss Elizabeth Prince of this
city May 27, 1922.

Immediate survivors are his
widow; three sons, Charles, Ken-
neth and Bennie Gibbs, all of Has-
kell; two daughters, Mary Ann
Gibbs of Haskell and Mrs. Robert
Beene, Amarillo; parents, Mr. and
Mrs. G. R. Gibbs; two brothers,
Everett and Howard Gibbs, Has-
kell; six sisters, Mrs. W. H. Rey-
nolds, Mrs. Tom Brown, Mrs. Dee
Adress, all of Haskell; Mrs. Ona
Wair and Mrs. Boss McGregor,
Austin; and Mrs. Jewel Guering,
Stockton, Calif. Two grandchild-
ren also survive.

Funeral service for Mr. Gibbs
was held at the graveside in Wil-
low Cemetery Tuesday June 17 at
4 p. m., conducted by Rev. Albert
Mituka of Fort Worth, pastor of
the First Christian Church.

Funeral arrangements were in
charge of Holden's Funeral Home.
Active pallbearers were Julius
Holly, Monroe Taylor, Ben F.
Roberts, W. A. Oliphant, Melton
Overcash, Roy Oliphant, J. R. Gil-
strap.

Flower girls were his nieces,
Mrs. Melvin Jacobs, Mrs. Roy
Reynolds, Mrs. J. D. Adress, Miss
Lola Bell Brown, Mrs. Bill Dunn
of Boise, Idaho, and Mrs. Homer
West of Lubbock.

IN ABILENE TUESDAY

Mrs. John Ellis and Miss Min-
nie Ellis were in Abilene Tues-
day.

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TO: J. C. Moore and wife, Mrs. J. C. Moore; Jones C. Moore and wife, Mrs. Jones C. Moore; F. M. Skags and wife, Mrs. F. M. Skags; J. E. Martin and wife, Mrs. J. E. Martin; R. L. Reed and wife, Mrs. R. L. Reed; J. L. Farley and wife, L. A. Farley; W. J. Farley and wife, Mrs. W. J. Farley; D. H. Lindsey and wife, Mrs. D. H. Lindsey; S. A. Osburn and wife, Mrs. S. A. Osburn; Jo Camp and wife, Mrs. Jo Camp; J. T. Farley and wife, Mrs. J. T. Farley; J. A. Martin and wife, Mrs. J. A. Martin; C. F. Shannon and wife, Mrs. C. F. Shannon; Nannie A. Farley; J. T. Mitchell and wife, Mrs. J. T. Mitchell; J. W. Douglas and wife, Mrs. J. W. Douglas; G. H. Galaway and wife, Mrs. G. H. Galaway; M. T. Nix and wife, Mrs. M. T. Nix; Ben N. Young and wife, Mrs. Ben N. Young; M. S. Ownbey and wife, Mrs. M. S. Ownbey; F. M. Ownbey and wife, Mrs. F. M. Ownbey; M. F. Cannon and wife, Mrs. M. F. Cannon; Laura Ivy; Lillian Read Penn; James Ivy or J. N. Ivy, Independent Executor of the estate of Lewis Alexander Read, deceased; the residence of each and all of whom is unknown; and if deceased (and whether living or dead is not known to the plaintiff) the heirs,

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devises, legatees and legal representatives of each and all of said named persons as may be dead, whose names and residences are unknown; and, the unknown owners or claimants of the lands and premises hereinafter described, whose names and residences are unknown; **GREETING:**

You are commanded to appear and answer the Plaintiff's Original 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 21st day of July, A. D. 1947, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, Texas, at the Court House in Haskell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1947.

The file number of said suit being No. 7449.

The names of the parties in said suit are Buford Cox as plaintiff, and the defendants are all those persons first named hereinabove in this citation, and to whom it is directed.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title, as well as for damages, for the title and possession of the following described lands and premises, situated in Haskell County, Texas, to-wit:

recorded in Vol. 44, Page 533 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, same being a part of Section No. 20, Block 1, H. & T. C. R. R. Company Survey, by virtue of Certificate No. 840, Abstract No. 490, Patent No. 354, Vol. 6.

Second Tract: Four (4) acres off the North end of Lot or Block No. Eighteen (18) of the Rhombberg Addition to the town of Haskell, Texas, as shown by a plat and dedication thereof, recorded in Vol. 44, Page 533 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, same being a part of Section No. 20, Block 1, H. & T. C. R. R. Company survey, by virtue of Certificate No. 840, Abstract No. 490, Patent No. 354, Vol. 6, said four (4) acres off of said North end of said Lot or Block No. 18, being divided from the remaining six (6) acres by a straight line connecting the East and West lines of said Lot or Block No. 18, so as to cut off four (4) acres.

Plaintiff specially pleads the five (5) years statute of limitation, as provided by Art. 5509 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, Vernon's Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, Annotated, the ten (10) years statute of limitation, as provided by Art. 5510 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, Vernon's Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, Annotated, and the twenty-five (25) years statute of limitation, as provided by Art. 5519 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, Vernon's Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, Annotated, as a basis for his title to said above described real estate, and prays for judgment against the defendants for the title and possession of said lands and premises, for writ of restitution, rents, damages and costs, and for general relief, etc.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1947.

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The third Haskell County 4-H Club girl to present the story of her work is Diana LaDuke. In May, Diana represented her club at the District III Leadership Encampment at Lueders.

My name is Diana LaDuke. I am eleven years old and have belonged to the O'Brien 4-H Club for three years.

4-H Club work has meant help to me and many others. It has taught us to do lots of things that help us to appreciate our homes, enjoy our parents, and improve our living. I think 4-H Club work has helped teach a lot of things that our parents would not have,

or take time to show us. I have learned to cook, sew, and to remodel rooms.

I have not made many articles since September, but I have learned more about different things. I made a drawstring blouse which I modeled at the 4-H show at the Home Demonstration Council in March, and have remodeled another blouse. I have canned two jars of cranberry jelly and have helped cook or fix meals. My sister and I often clean the house and wash the dishes.

I have started a winter suit and a blouse to go with it. This summer I plan to make a blue princess dress, a thread box and cuffs. This fall or winter I want to make a red wool dress.

I made a flower bed in the front yard and planted some flowers. They are up and doing fine. The ground is dry so I try to keep it

watered every day. Last fall I made about ten dollars pulling bolls. This summer I will hoe to make money to take a trip.

VISITS PARENTS

Beverly King of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. King.

ABILENE VISITORS

Misses Edna Minick and Sue Pate were Abilene visitors Saturday.

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Pinkerton H-D Meets Thursday

The Pinkerton Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in a regular session at the home of Mrs. Fred with eight members present.

After a brief business session Mrs. J. M. Miller gave a roll call. On Thursday June 26th in the home of Mrs. J. M. Miller, Mesdames E. B. Calloway, Newman, Home Demonstration Agent, will be with us.

Refreshments were served by Mesdames E. B. Calloway, Foster, C. L. Meyner, J. L. Lier, R. G. Alvis, Haskell, Hansford Harris, and Fred Gings.

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1. Complete the sentence coming out of the girl's mouth above, in 25 words or less. Write out your entry on any sheet of paper; but be sure your name and address appear legibly on each sheet.
2. You may submit as many entries as you wish, but each entry must be accompanied by a bottle cap from a bottle of Pepsi-Cola. Be sure to wrap the cap in tissue paper so it won't break through your mailing envelope. Entries with inadequate postage will not be accepted.
3. This contest closes at midnight, July 16th, 1947; entries postmarked later will not be eligible. Winners will be notified as soon as possible after the close of the contest.
4. Entries will be judged for originality, aptness and sincerity. In order of their excellence, entries will receive the following awards: First Prize: \$500.00; Second Prize: \$250.00; Third Prize: \$100.00; Two Next Prizes: each \$50.00; Four Prizes: each \$25.00; Ten Prizes: each \$10.00; Twenty Prizes: each \$5.00; 250 Prizes: each \$1.00.
5. The winners will be chosen by an independent, impartial jury of experts under the direction of the Reuben H. Donnelley Corporation. All decisions of the judges will be final.
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8. Anyone may enter this contest, except employees of Pepsi-Cola Company, or of any Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company, or of their advertising agencies. Members of the families of such employees are likewise not eligible.
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Edwards-Arnold Wedding Vows on Sunday
 Frances Merle Edwards, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards of Haskell became the bride of Vincent Robert Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan J. Arnold of Austin, in the Haskell Baptist Church Sunday at 11 a. m.
 A double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. J. E. Harrell before a congregation decorated with white flowers and ferns. Miss Jean Edwards sang "Because and O Me," and traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Patterson.
 The bride, escorted by her father, wore a suit of sheer white with a handmade blouse, accessories, and an orchid corsage.
 The wedding was attended by the Lowe, San Antonio, Jane Haskell, and Marilyn Tabor, Angelo. Phil Thompson of Haskell was best man and ushers

Rochester News
 Mrs. Lee Roy Lowery of Roswell, N. M., were visitors here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Michaels and at Rule with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lowery.
 The Speck and Taylor families enjoyed a family reunion and picnic at Knox City Park Sunday, June 8th, honoring Mrs. Etelka Neikirk and sons George and John of Somerset, Ky., and Mrs. Roy L. Kay of Louisville, Ky. They spent several hours discussing bygone days when they were neighbors in Kentucky.
 Troy Wadzeck has been awarded his second letter in baseball at McMurry College, Abilene.
 Mrs. Cecil Hutchens and daughters of Weinert were guests here Sunday in the Scott Hutchens home.
 Fay Wilson and family, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hooks for the past two weeks, left this week for an extended vacation in New Mexico and California.
 Walter Twiner and family of Hereford, Texas, spent a few days here last week with their daughters, Mrs. Ira Ginstead and Mrs. Wilburn Adkins and families.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Worsham of Sweetwater spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Hammans.
 Mrs. Worsham's sisters, Clara Mae, Rozelle and Yvonne, have returned home after a three weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Worsham.
 Mrs. J. H. Cooper and Mrs. Macky Gooch of Abilene attended the funeral here Sunday of Mr. Charley Hudson.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wolf visited their daughter, Mrs. Dale Brown and family at Baird last weekend.
 Howard Bell of Brownwood and Mrs. Carrie Jones of Coleman were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Keel Aeree have as guests in their home, their mother, Mrs. W. M. West and little niece, Regene Cathern of Ethridge, Tenn.
 Mrs. S. S. Hook was quite ill last week, caused by a spider bite.
 Mrs. Troy Wright and daughter Troylon of Arlington left for their home Monday after spending a few days here with relatives.
 Clarence Wood, Arlie Powell and Mr. Clary of Bakersfield, Calif., spent a few days here last week with Mr. Wood's mother, Mrs. Mattie Wood.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Buster of Fort Stockton were guests Thursday in the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell.
 Mr. and Mrs. U. U. Clark of Lubbock and a nephew, Billy Bob Glenn of Amarillo spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Grady.
 R. A. Shaver Jr., and family visited their brother, Clarence Church and family at Wilson last Thursday and Friday.

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Livestock Awards At State Fair Will Total \$59,020
 Exceeding last year's premiums by nearly \$10,000, a total of \$59,020 will be offered this year at the Livestock Show of the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 4-19, according to an announcement by W. H. Hitzelberger, Executive Vice President and General Manager.
 It will be one of the largest sums of money ever offered at the State Fair of Texas. Along with increased premiums comes an expanded program to include additional breeds of cattle, sheep and horses.
 This year's livestock program will be the most complete, well-balanced show in the exposition's 61 year history. New breeds added to the list of popular breeds are Brahama and Ayrshire cattle, Suffolk sheep, and Palomino horses. There will be an open classification in the Beef Cattle Department for Hereford, Aberdeen Angus and Shorthorn steers.
 Premiums for each department are: \$23,465 for beef cattle; \$10,190 for dairy cattle; \$7,330 for swine; \$2,853 for sheep; \$732 for Angora goats; \$6,000 for horses; and \$8,540 for the Junior Livestock Show.
Buy Hose Wisely, Women Advised
 Summer time is always a strain on hosiery because of increased contact with perspiration and dust which weakens the fibers. Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, A. and M. Extension Service clothing specialist, gives a few tips on giving hosiery longer wear through wise purchasing and good care.
 A wise buy in hosiery means stockings that are sturdy enough to suit the purpose and that fit properly. Mrs. Barnes says that a stocking that is a half an inch longer than the foot wears better than one that fits snugly.
 Rayon and nylon hose should be washed in luke warm water, with a mild soap or flake suds. Mrs. Barnes says that hose should never be rubbed or wrung out. Hose should be rinsed well, rolled in a turkish towel for a few minutes, and then dried in the shade.
 Here's another tip on hose buying. Mrs. Barnes says that when a sheer rayon hose is preferred, the buyer should look for a high gauge and a low denier. A denier means the weight in grams of a specified length of rayon yarn. Gauge means the fineness of the knitting. When the gauge is high, the mesh or wales are more closely knit than when the gauge is low.
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 A chemical mixture that doubles the capacity of flashlight batteries with no increase in size.

Health Department Lists Standards For Pools
 A pamphlet entitled "Minimum Swimming Pool Standards" is being distributed by the State Health Department throughout the State to operators of swimming pools or other interested parties according to Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.
 The standards set up were prepared for the protection of public health and includes recommendations of the Joint Committee on Bathing Places of the Conference of State Sanitary Engineers and the American Public Health Association. These standards provide for proper sanitation practices at all types of pools from the "fill and draw type" to the modern "recirculating type."
 Some of the specifications for standard sanitation are that the bacterial quality of the water should be equal to that of safe drinking water; frequency or recirculating water should be such that maximum safety will be provided as well as proper economy; the water should be sufficiently disinfected to kill all disease bacteria and standards for clearness and algae control should be enforced.
 Dr. Cox advises that the State Department of Health offers many services to the pool manager or operator. These services include free bacteriological analysis of the water, free kits for making chlorine residual tests on the water, and information and advisory service on any problem that may be encountered in sanitation, engineering, or operation. All operators or managers are invited to write the State Health Department if they wish to obtain the bulletin on pool operation or a free chlorine residual testing kit.
The Name Itself Sounds Menacing To Termites
 Pentachlorophenol a chemical used widely in the treating of fence posts against insect damage and decay, is killing termites in farm buildings for Lipscomb County farmers.
 Charles Imke, Follett community farmer, treated two buildings with 35 gallons of five percent pentachlorophenol last February.
 A recent check-up by Lipscomb County Agricultural Agent E. M. Gossett, Jr., showed a complete kill as far as he could determine. The county agent plans future inspections to see if the material will keep the termites down over a period of years.
 The pentachlorophenol was applied with a spray developing 30 pounds of pressure, which was enough force for good penetration, says the county agent.
SPEND THREE DAY OUTING AT POSSUM KINGDOM
 Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Middleton of Haskell and Mrs. Ada Montgomery of Throckmorton spent several days the first of the week at Possum Kingdom Lake.

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Vets Advised To Enroll Now For Fall Schooling
 The Veterans Administration, forecasting a record school enrollment this fall, is urging veterans to get busy right now and line up their school plans for next fall.
 This is especially important for those veterans who may be going to school for the first time under the provision of the G-I Bill.
 They should apply for a certificate of eligibility at the nearest V-A office. This certificate will be required of them before they can enter their school.
 Since most schools have a quota for veterans, it is wise for veterans to make arrangements with schools now so that they may be assured of a place in classes starting next September.
 Veterans already in training, who plan to attend a different school this fall, must obtain a supplementary certificate of eligibility.
 These can be furnished by the nearest V-A office or by the V-A training officer at school or college. This certificate is the basis for payment of tuition, fees supplies and the subsistence allowance to the veteran.
 The foresighted veteran also will make an effort to line up housing and other personal arrangements at the school of his choice, V-A said.
Abilene Social Security Office Moved
 The Abilene office of the Social Security Administration is now in a new location, Rooms 308 and 309 of the Abilene Post Office Building. The move from the old location at 205 Alexander Building was made on May 30 and May 31.
 For almost eight years the Abilene field office has served the public in 16 counties of this area from the Alexander Building location. It was opened there on December 18, 1939.
 The social security field office administers the Federal program of old age and survivors insurance and has three principal functions. It handles all types of benefit claims; and it issues new and duplicate social security account number cards; and it gives assistance to wage earners in commerce and industry, and to their employers in making sure that accurate social security wage records are kept for each employee.
 As of December 31, 1946, family insurance benefits totaling \$30,598 were being paid monthly to 1983 men, women and children in the 16 counties of this area.
 Mail to the Abilene Social Security Administration office may be addressed either to Room 308, Post Office Building or Post Office Box 1641.

HERE FROM PECOS
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rushin of Pecos, Texas, spent a few days in Haskell this week. Mr. Rushin owned and operated a blacksmith and welding shop in this city until moving to Pecos several months ago.
ATTENDING CONVENTION IN FORT WORTH
 Mr. and Mrs. Covell Adkins left Tuesday for Fort Worth, where he will attend the three-day convention of the Texas Embalmers and Funeral Directors Association.

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- Keep away from office, store or shop. Occupational accidents cause 17,000 deaths and 1,400,000 injuries yearly.
- Don't travel. 4,000 are killed and 200,000 injured in accidents that happen to people who use trains or steamships.

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A good conservation practice which enriches the soil with plant food, conserves moisture, and reduces losses is stubble mulching. Grain stubble left on the land provides cover and shade for the soil thereby reducing evaporation losses. Grain stubble is best utilized when it is left on or in the surface layer of the soil because the organic content furnishes nitrogen and food for essential bacterial action. It also absorbs moisture which it later releases to the soil, while at the same time provides a cover to prevent evaporation. The tilling of the soil is greatly improved through the use of stubble mulching and will be appreciated when plowing the following crop. To burn the stubble as described above, while at the same time is to destroy the benefits de-

time encourages erosion and lower soil productivity.

Some of the cooperators of the California Creek Soil Conservation District uses a one-way plow or a chisel-type plow to accomplish stubble mulching. The chisel-type plow leaves the crop residue near or on the surface. When a "plow sole" or a tight layer of soil develops it is advisable to list the ground deeper than normal one year out of three or four.

Clarence Mortiz, located in North Pleasant Valley conservation group, used a chisel-type plow on his land about May 1st. When the heavy rains came he noticed that much of the water was absorbed by the soil and that very little concentrated behind his terraces. The chiseling of his land not only provided better and more even distribution of moisture penetration, but also reduced the amount of loss through evaporation and soil erosion.

RETURN TO ABILENE

Mrs. Curtis Kelly and son Donnie returned to their home in Abilene Friday after a visit here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Florence.

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AMARILLO, TEXAS, June 19.

Texas Editors in annual convention in this Panhandle City lunched here today on turkey steaks, a new taste treat, which is in the process of development in order to make turkey a year round instead of a seasonal delicacy. The editors, members of the Texas Press Association and the Texas Newspaper Publishers Association were guests at a luncheon at the Amarillo hotel.

Arrangements for the turkey steak luncheon were made by Ralph E. Jones, president of the National Turkey Federation, and C. S. Pryor, manager of the Amarillo Hotel. Shown above is Mrs. Oswald Wolf of the Alvin East Produce Co., of Austin, who processed the steaks.

Turkey steaks are boneless and there is no waste. The steak was developed by Texas A. & M. College, the Luling Foundation, and officers of the National and Texas turkey federations.

HERE FROM COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Marion and children of Walsh, Colo., are here for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Marion, former Justice of the Peace here, later was license examiner with the State Department of Public Safety before going to Colorado.

VISIT IN ADRIAN

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Reynolds and James Reynolds were in Adrian, Texas, the past weekend and visited in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Perrin and son.

HERE DURING WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Theis of Midland were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson. Mr. and Mrs. Theis are former residents of Haskell, Mr. Theis having owned a department store here.

"The churches of Christ salute you" (Rom. 16:16.)
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The Church of Christ is a divine institution built by Jesus Christ upon the foundation truth that He is the Christ, the Son of God. The Plan of Salvation was revealed through the New Testament writer by the Holy Spirit and requires people to hear the gospel, believe, repent of every sin, confess Jesus Christ as Lord and be baptized for the remission of sins. Thus one becomes a Christian and must live faithful to the instructions of the New Testament.

We speak where the Bible speaks and remain silent where the Bible is silent; we call Bible things by Bible names, do Bible things in Bible ways; we have no creed but Christ; no book but the Bible; no name except that authorized.

Schedule of Services

Sunday: 9:45-10 a. m. Bible classes. 11-12 a. m. Morning worship. 5:45-6:45 p. m. Bible class for young people. 7-8 p. m. Evening worship. Wednesday: 7:30-8:30 p. m. Mid-week Bible study.

Agent Gives Hints On Home Canning

Questions concerning canning are always a sign of spring to a home demonstration agent, and Louise Newman, home demonstration agent in Haskell County thinks that this year is no exception.

Miss Newman thinks that most of the questions this year can be divided into our groups—check-gauges, correct processing tables, freezing fruits and vegetables, and canning potatoes.

Pressure cooker gauge should be checked at least once each year Miss Newman advises. Some cookers which are several years old have been accurate and some new cookers which had never been used were "off" at least 15 pounds. Gauges which register more than normal causes underprocessing and usually result in spoiled food. Three cookers can be checked at one time by using the master gauge assembled in about thirty minutes. There is no charge for checking these gauges.

Unless your time table for canning vegetables has been revised in 1947 it is obsolete and should be destroyed. According to experiments by the Department of Agriculture, most of the vegetables had been processed too long so new processing charts have been released. A good way to check is to compare your chart with the time for these two vegetables: Greens, packed greens, which have simmered 5 minutes in a small amount of water to within 1 1/2 inch of rim of container, add salt, cut through center several times with a knife, pour boiling water to within 1-2 inch of rim; seal while hot. Process pint jars at 10 pounds pressure for 45 minutes, quart jars at 10 pounds for 70 minutes, number 2 cans at 10 pounds for 60 minutes, and number 3 cans at 10 pounds for 75 minutes; cool. Snap beans and peas have also been changed. Pack washed raw beans which have been cut or snapped in to two-inch pieces, tightly into containers until they are slightly above the rim, add salt, pour boiling water to within 1 inch of rim, steam pint jars and no. 2 cans 8 minutes and quart jars and no. 3 cans 13 minutes; seal; process pint jars 20 minutes, quart jars 25 minutes, no. 2 cans 25 minutes, and no. 3 cans 30 minutes at 10 pounds pressure; cool. These charts are available free of charge from Miss Newman's office. All vegetables except tomatoes, rhubarb, and pimientos should be processed in the pressure cooker at 10 pounds pressure.

The bulletin on preparing frozen foods which is being distributed now was published in 1946 and should be replaced if earlier information is being used.

Sweet potatoes may be canned but Irish potatoes should not be canned. Directions for canning potatoes have not been released by the Department of Agriculture and very few commercial companies will risk giving this in-

formation. Potatoes have to be cooked too long to have a good flavor or quality and there is always the danger of food poisoning when serving them. It is better to cure the potatoes than to can them.

New Farm-Market Road Plan Outlined

The State Highway Commission today released details of a new state wide policy on Farm to Market Roads, which will permit an expansion of the present state operated Farm to Market Road Program.

It was explained in the Highway Commission's new policy that the Federal Funds made available by the Postwar Highway Act of 1944 for the construction of Secondary or Farm to Market Roads covering a three year period, have all been placed under contract and consequently, no additional funds from this source are now available.

The Commission's statement also noted that no additional funds on the National or State level have been made available for the expansion of the program of construction of Secondary or Farm to Market Roads.

The numerous requests from officials and citizens from all sections of the State for the designation, construction, and maintenance of additional Farm to Market Roads indicated the need of some type of additional program to provide at least for the more urgent and immediate needs in the rural areas of Texas.

On behalf of the Highway Commission, State Highway Engineer Dewitt C. Greer explained, "This new policy of the Highway Commission has been formed to place into operation the new laws pas-

sed by the Fiftieth Legislature road districts, etc., and the State Highway Department to enter in a cooperative plan of construction of Farm to Market Roads by a pooling of finances."

He said, "Two additional laws were passed that will tend to yield additional revenues for Farm to Market Roads on the county level. One of these covered the distribution of the surplus of the one cent of the gasoline tax that goes to the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness. This law will tend to give more money from this source to the smaller counties of Texas. The other law is the Constitutional law was passed at this session giving permission for the counties, relative to this type of road."

Mr. Greer pointed out that "a Amendment covering the abolition of the state ad valorem tax and permitting such tax to be assumed by the counties for the construction of Farm to Market Roads and other things."

Mr. Greer explained that "under the new policy of the Highway Commission, if a county or road district desires additional Farm to Market Roads and is willing to furnish the right of way and 75 per cent of the actual construction cost, the State Highway Department will provide the engineering and 25 per cent of the construction cost from its funds and will provide for the future maintenance of the road, which item alone generally equals the construction cost over a period of fifteen years."

Mr. Greer further pointed out that in the Commission policy it was necessary, due to the limited finances of the Department, that a ceiling of not more than \$100,000.00 in construction costs in any one county in any one year be used to give state-wide distribution under this plan.

MAKE PLANE TRIP TO HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Welsh and daughter Beth, came in their private plane from Texas City to Haskell Sunday to spend the day in the home of his mother, Mrs. W. E. Welsh, and visit other relatives and friends. Mr. Welsh, an automobile dealer in Texas City, returned home Sunday afternoon while Mrs. Welsh and Beth remained for a two weeks visit in Haskell.

VISIT PARENTS

Miss Billie and Bibbie of Brownfield, Texas spent week end with their parents and Mrs. W. H. Reynolds.

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BACK AGAIN

Council Fire Marks Close of Annual Camp Fire Girls Outing at Lake Cisco

The third annual Wetexas camp of the Camp Fire Girls reached the climax of its second and final week with a giant council fire in Lake Cisco Parks Friday evening...

A total of 310 girls and adults registered for the two camps for which the facilities of the Presbyterian Summer Camp grounds and the Lake Cisco amusement company were used.

The West Texas Area Council, Camp Fire Girls, is composed of several west Texas counties with headquarters in Stamford.

Registered for the Camp Fire camp which closes Saturday morning, were 167 girls and adults while 143 girls and adults were registered in the Blue Bird Camp.

A major part of the camp program here has been centered around the Lake Cisco swimming pools. Swimming instruction has been given regularly twice each day and during the period about 80 of the girls have learned the elements of swimming.

Other than swimming, the program included dramatics, nature study, trail-making, handcraft, hiking, home crafts, etc., all designed to provide the girls with a well-rounded activity embracing health, work and recreation.

The older group of girls, those above 14 years, are organized as the Horizon Club, whose activities are directed by Mrs. T. R. Odell of Haskell, a member of the board of the National Association of Mental Health and Hy-

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Link-Hines Vows Read Sunday In Stamford

Rosemary Link, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Link of Stamford and Jack W. Hines, son of Mrs. D. W. Hines of Haskell, were married in a double ring ceremony at the home of the Rev. Miles B. Hays of Stamford, who officiated.

Josselet Club Has Regular Meeting

The Josselet H. D. Club met in a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon June 10 at 2:30 at the club house with Mrs. J. L. Toliver as hostess.

Mrs. Ray Cothron gave the Council report. Miss Newman gave an interesting demonstration on cooking green beans.

"Fresh vegetables cooked done in a few minutes and have more vitamins than those cooked for hours as people did in Grandmother's day," Miss Newman told the ladies.

Next meeting of the club will be an all day meeting Tuesday, June 24, in the home of Mrs. M. Bass. Each lady is asked to bring a covered dish and meet at 10:30. Miss Newman will give a helpful demonstration. Visitors are invited.

The club members are glad to report a new member, Mrs. J. L. Toliver Jr.

Ice cream and cake was served to Mesdames C. A. Thomas, J. L. Toliver Jr., Louise Merchant, L. M. Bass, J. P. Perrin, Ray Cothron, J. L. Toliver and Miss Louise Newman.

Other members of the camp staff included: Mrs. Archie Pardee of Stamford, evening stunts; Mrs. Pete Black of Jayton and Mrs. Arthur Adams of Albany, nature and camp craft; Mrs. H. C. Alexander of Albany and Mrs. A. F. Sosbee of Stamford; Mrs. Melvin Courtney of Hamlin, camp nurse and nature study; Mrs. Earl Cotten of Stamford, camp buyer; Mrs. Reynolds Wilson of Haskell, camp dietitian; Miss Virginia Frierson Haskell, handcraft; Mrs. Charlie Kay, Rochester, dramatics instructor; Misses Margaret Wylie Albany, Anna Ackers and Dian Chandler of Anson, assistants to Mrs. Bennett in swimming instruction and water front sports; Mrs. Lou Williams of Tuxedo, recreation; Miss Alexene Rodriguez Albany, program coordinator; Mrs. Bill Kitley and Mrs. Walter McCandless, cabin councillors.

Others who assisted in the Blue Bird camp last week were Mrs. Marie Tidmore, Albany, Mrs. Hollis Haynes, Mrs. M. Scott, Mrs. Grady Morris, Mrs. J. Olinger, Mrs. Lucille Martin, Mrs. Bo Reed, Mrs. A. S. Peterson, Mrs. H. Hollybaugh, all of Stamford; Mrs. H. M. Jones, Knox City and Mrs. Virgil Kolb of Aspermont, in charge of hikes and nature; Miss Floy Marie Marquis, camp pianist; Mrs. Tom Robertson of Haskell, handcraft; Mrs. Felix Mullino of Rochester, assistant handcraft; Mrs. Henry Albritton of Hamlin.

A picnic supper followed the council fire program Friday night and the camp will close Saturday morning when the last group leaves by Special Katy train for Stamford, the dispersal point.

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Lytle-Jackson Vows Read Sunday June 15th

On Sunday morning, June 15th at 8 o'clock, a few friends and relatives gathered at the Fundamental Baptist Church in Haskell to witness a single ring ceremony for Miss Jeanette Lytle of Rule and Mr. David A. Jackson of Stamford.

The bride wore a beautiful soft, white dress with white accessories. She wore a lovely corsage of white carnations.

The wedding party consisted of Mr. Charles Yaws of Stamford, lifetime friend of the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Miller of Haskell, sister and brother of the bride.

Other witnesses for the wedding were Mrs. C. Jones of Haskell, grandmother of the bride; Patricia Townsend of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson of Stamford, parents of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Corbet Lytle and daughters Betty Nell and Vennie Lee of Rule and Mrs. Gerald D. Lytle of Haskell.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for the West Coast where they will visit some friends and relatives in California, including S. L. C. Gerald Douglas Lytle, brother of the bride, who is stationed in San Diego, California.

After their two weeks vacation they plan to make their home in Stamford.

WEEK END VISITORS IN HASKELL

Mrs. T. M. Poteet of Vernon, long time resident of this city, accompanied by her son, Judge Marvin Poteet and son Joe, also of Vernon, and another son Lewis Poteet and daughter Joyce of Mantioch, Calif., visited friends in Haskell during the weekend. Lewis Poteet and daughter have been visiting their mother and grandmother in Vernon for several days.

VISITING IN ALBANY

Mrs. John B. Martin and son Johnnie Carl are spending this week in Albany in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Etchieson.

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'Growing Pains' In Children Could Indicate Disease

The "growing pains" suffered by many children may not amount to much, and at the same time they may be the first warning of the childhood disease, rheumatic fever, says Mrs. Eloise T. Johnson, family life education specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

Statistics show, says Mrs. Johnson, that rheumatic fever causes more deaths among school-age children than any other disease in the United States.

Apart from "growing pains" other symptoms of rheumatic fever are loss of appetite and failure to gain weight; pain and swelling of first one joint and then another, usually accompanied by fever, jerky movements of the face, arms, and legs, especially when the child tries to dress or feed himself; and unexplained crying spells.

Mrs. Johnson urges parents to guard against rheumatic fever. Although the "growing pains" may not mean anything serious, it is a good idea to take the child to a doctor and find out.

CARD OF THANKS

The words "Thank You" seem so small when we use them to express our appreciation for your many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy or our bereavement. We appreciate them so much and each is gratefully acknowledged.

Our special appreciation is extended to the Oddfellows Lodge, Drs. Nail and Kimbrough, Haskell Hospital Staff and our Precious Neighbors—Mrs. H. J. Hambleton, Sr., and Children.

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HERE FROM ROCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Greer of Rochester and their daughter Mrs. Lynn Knouse who is visiting them from Sweetwater, were visitors in Haskell Monday.

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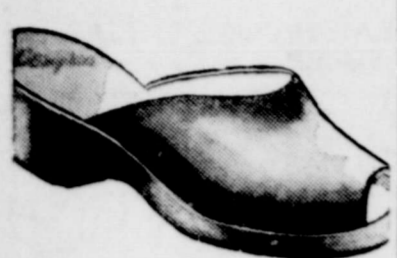
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S/SGT NTHAN HARRELL HERE FOR VISIT

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THE BOOTERIE

Mrs. Hallie Chapman
Mrs. Joe Thomson

Mrs. Jake Whitaker Honoree at Shower

Monday afternoon from 5 to 6 Mrs. Jake Whitaker, the former Raynelle Godfrey was hosted with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Roy Ratliff by the ladies of the First Christian Church. Co-hostesses were Mesdames McMillin, Roberts, Tilley, Fouts and Lynn Pace Jr.

Lovely Spring flowers were used throughout the home. After a social hour and having viewed the lovely gifts, refreshments were served from an exquisite lace covered table to Mesdames Royall, Whitaker, Mobley, Glass, Duncan, Lynn Pace Sr., Bill Ratliff, Collins, Jesse B. Smith, Mae Fields, Pope, Dennis Ratliff, Lyles, L. D. Ratliff, Henry Atkisson, George Neely, Misses Sue Ratliff, Wanda Dulaney, Sue Pate, Freddie Bell Frierson, Mary Elizabeth Glass, Modette Collins, Christy Royall, Gloria Ratliff, Marion Collins, the hostess and co-hostesses.

THE RWHANGER CHILDREN HOME ON FATHER'S DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Therwanger had all of their children home for Father's Day except Misses Marcelle and Margaret of Washington D. C. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Simmons and two daughters Margaret and Charlotte of Lamesa; Truman Therwanger of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. John Therwanger and Bubbie, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Therwanger Jr., and Alfred Lynn, and Dick, Bobbie and Charles, all of Weinert.

RETURNS FROM FLOYDADA

Jim Darden returned the first of the week from a business trip to Floydada.

Five Generations at Birthday Observance



Five generations are represented in the above picture made on the occasion of the 90th birthday observance of Mrs. Wm. Silvers, held Sunday in the home of a grandson, Hallie E. Chapman center. Mrs. Silvers; upper left, Anne Payne, a great-great-granddaughter; upper right, Mrs. Horace Payne, great-granddaughter; lower left, Mrs. Lola Lemmon, granddaughter; and lower right, Mrs. W. E. Welsh, a daughter. (Photo by Zelma's Studio)

Five Generations Present For 90th Birthday Observance of Mrs. Wm. Silvers

Five Generations were present when Mrs. Wm. Silvers, resident of Haskell County for 29 years, celebrated her 90th birthday Sunday, June 15 at the home of her grandson, Hallie Chapman and Mrs. Chapman in this city. The observance was held one day in advance of Mrs. Silvers' birthday, which was June 16, in order that the entire day Sunday could be devoted to the memorable occasion.

Mrs. Silvers, a native of Bell County, has lived her entire lifetime there and in Haskell County, where she has made her home most of the time since 1918 with a daughter, Mrs. W. E. Welsh. Despite feebleness of advanced age, Mrs. Silvers retains acute faculties and recalls many events and occurrences of her childhood and during the post-war period following the war between the states.

Mrs. Silvers is represented by five generations in two groups; beginning with her daughter, Mrs. E. O. Chapman, Hallie Chapman, Mrs. Joe Thomson and son Craig. The second group which is considered unusual because they are all girls begins with another daughter, Mrs. W. E. Welsh, Mrs. Lola Lemmon all of Haskell and Mrs. Horace Payne and daughter Anne of Moody.

VISITING IN MISSISSIPPI

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis P. Ratliff and daughter Nancy are in Oxford, Miss., where they are visiting in the home of their daughter and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thigpen.

READ THE WANT ADS.

Chevrolet To Show New Line of Trucks Merchants Warned

Chevrolet will soon present a new line of commercial cars and trucks, Olen Dotson, of Burton-Dotson Chevrolet Co. said today upon his return from Dalles, where he witnessed a pre-showing for Chevrolet dealers in this area.

"Without doubt, the new line of Chevrolet trucks is the finest ever offered to the American public," Dotson said. "In style, comfort and hauling efficiency, the vehicles set new standards which are certain to secure the endorsement of all truck owners and drivers."

The new line of trucks will be shown in Haskell June 28th.

HERE FROM SEYMOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Plants of Seymour were here Sunday visiting Mr. Plants' sister, Mrs. R. V. Robertson and mother Mrs. Gale S. Plants.

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Business Tells a Story

Time was when it was fashionable for everyone to talk about big business and count over the gross and net sins of corporations. Of course, there were mighty good stories even then about our steadily rising standards of living. But the busybodies didn't bother with those success stories, big or little.

I have said that America is now beginning to assume her task in public relations, that of selling her ways and her freedoms and her institutions to people everywhere. I should like to say that some of our groups and institutions have special responsibilities in this job. I think that labor does, as well as business. The task is important to agriculture, to tradesmen, to education, to the professions, and to civic minded folks in every walk. Certainly, labor and industry are each so important in our economic system, that they must be interested in re-awakening the people to an appreciation of America.

A Report to Workers

I should like to tell you about a company that is doing its part, thereby shouldering its responsibility for this kind of public re-education. Somebody sent me a copy of a report this company makes to its employees. The report answers questions employees want to know. The answers are frank, fair, and simply stated. There is no doubt the report has made its readers better informed Americans. It did so to me.

It takes \$7,507 worth of capital to give a person a job in this company. Naturally, there would be no jobs for their 3,951 people if it were not for this \$29,600,526. Shareholders who put up this money out of what they earn and save, hope to get "a fair rental" for their money. These folks, the report tells us, are capitalists—"and so are you!" Because we own our possessions, we are "capitalists" and this is a "capitalist" country.

MOVE TO CORPUS CHRISTI

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts of Munday were in Haskell Thursday on their way to Corpus Christi where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Roberts has been editor and publisher of The Munday Times for a number of years. He sold the publication a few weeks ago.

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WANTED—Watch and jewelry repair. 3 to 5 day service. Richmond's Jewelry. 6tc

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FOR SALE—Used Electric range, A-1 condition. Window type air conditioner, one room size, used one year. Reconditioned Frigidaire, A-1 condition. 1502 Ave F, phone 229. 1tp

USED CARS—
FOR SALE—Two 1938 Dodge 1 1-2 ton school bus chassis; one 1939 Dodge 1 1-2 ton school bus chassis. \$300 each. John M. Ivy. 1p

FOR SALE—1942 Chevrolet 1-2 ton pickup. See Thos. B. Roberson at Magnolia Wholesale Station. 24 2p

FOR SALE—1936 Chevrolet coupe in good condition, good tires. Priced to sell. \$250.00. See Willie Lees, 10 miles northwest of Haskell. 24 2p

FOR SALE—1938 Plymouth tudor, '42 Dodge motor, good tires. See Dorsey Oliphant, Texas Theatre. 26 4p

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College Station, June 5—An ounce of prevention was once worth a pound of cure, but DDT now claims a new figure. A pound of DDT is said to be worth 2000 pounds of beef to Texas stockmen during fly season this year.

Entomologist Charles A. King, Jr., of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, the man behind this statement, says "figure it up for yourself."

One pound of wettable DDT powder, mixed in 25 gallons of water, will spray about 25 head of cattle and stockmen say that beef animals will respond to spraying during the fly season by gaining an average of 80 pounds. When 25 head gain 80 pounds, Entomologist King concludes, that nets 2000 pounds of beef from one pound of DDT.

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FOR SALE—36x12 building to be moved. See Thos. B. Roberson, at Magnolia Wholesale Station. 1c

FOR SALE—Business in Knox City grossing \$4,500 a month. Can be bought worth the money. Long lease on building or will sell with business. See Hendrix and Smith, phone 429-J, Haskell, Texas. 14tc

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FOR SALE—Our home in the south part of Haskell. It includes 8 lots or a city block, 4 room house and bath, garage, 3 chicken houses, barn and own water system. Located corner of South 12th and Ave. G. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Murphy, P. O. Box 644. 24-2p

FOR SALE—Four lots across street south of Hospital. One lot 142x40 feet; three lots 50x142 feet. Good building site. See R. A. Harris at Collier's Grocery. Haskell. 22tc

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of 160 to 320 acres, and a number of good residences in various parts of town, priced from \$1,000 to \$10,000. Also a good, modern cafe, well located. See Joe E. Pace at City Hall. 24-2p

FOR SALE—3 lots, west front, 50x150, two blocks south of the Haskell Hospital. See Mrs. J. F. Harris at Texas Cafe, or Mrs. Mary Oates. 24 2p

FOR SALE—One-fourth block city property, 5 room house, just across street north of Spencer Lumber Co. Ideal business location. See Virgil A. Brown. c

FOR SALE—4 acres land with 3 room house. Has Butane system with hot water heater, cook stove and Servel. 2 blocks south cemetery. See Jim Alvis. 26 3p

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FOR SALE—Cow and calf. Mrs. Bessie Curtis, south of Hospital. 1tc

HERE FROM AMARILLO
Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Wilson and daughters of Amarillo were guess over the week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robertson and Mrs. H. S. Wilson.

Terracing Adds To Wheat Yield, Local Farmer Declares

Noah S. Lane, located in the North Paint Creek group of the California Creek Soil Conservation District is convinced that terracing for soil and moisture conservation will also result in better crop yields.

Lane has a 140 acre field which has been in wheat for the past three years. In 1945 he made 900 bushels of wheat in 1946 he made 1200 bushels. Then the farm was terraced. This year 2800 bushels were harvested off the 140 acres.

Comparing the production of wheat from one of his other farms which is not terraced, Lane said, "I believe the terraces accounted for 800 bushels more wheat on this 140 acre field."

Lane had a good cover crop of rye and vetch in his orchard. He received the benefits of the cover crops and the additional plant food from his vetch before harvesting.

He cut the rye rather high in order to permit the vetch to mature. Approximately one acre of rye produced 850 pounds.

VISIT IN GALVESTON
Mr. and Mrs. Viars Felker were in Galveston last week.

It's 'Zipadee Doodah' In Coming Film At The Texas

One of the ten song hits in Walt Disney's "Song of the South," musical drama in Technicolor at The Texas Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, is a new form of nonsense rhyme, Zipadee Doodah is its title.

In this unique number the words means nothing until the line is reached that says, Oh, my, what a wonderful day, plenty of sunshine hearin' my way. And it is in the joyful and even light-headed nature of the tune at the point that Zipadee Doodah is repeated time and again with its contagious quality.

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Holding the Young People

It is the aim of Haskell to keep as many as possible of her young people as permanent residents. It is to be expected that many of them, as they finish their education or later, will find opportunities elsewhere. It can be hoped that they will always feel an attachment to their old home town, and will come back to it frequently and keep up their friendships here.

We can hope that a great many of the young people will find opportunities here or nearby in work or business or agriculture, that will prove permanently attractive. It is the belief of our townspeople that there are many such opportunities here and in this locality. Whatever we can do to build up business and agriculture in and near Haskell, creates opportunities for them.

Learning From Travel

Many people in Haskell county are planning trips of considerable length for this summer. It will be interesting to hear them talk when they get back about their observations and contacts. Many of them could give an interesting lecture on what they will have seen and heard on such a journey.

It is a useful thing for people to talk with strangers as they travel. The people thus met can give information about the life of their home communities, and tell of things that have been accomplished there. They will often talk more freely with strangers about personal affairs than they will with their own people at home, and give stories of their own experiences that are worth hearing.

Many people get ideas in such contacts that they can apply in their own homes, their own work, and in their home towns. Learning what has been accomplished elsewhere, they feel a desire to see the same idea accomplished at home. Thus many good ideas spread, and people are helped to promote activities and projects in their home town that have proved useful elsewhere.

Good Relations Prevent Suspicion

The unfortunate incident in which a forty-nine-foot-rocket, weighing several tons, crossed the border of Mexico, after being fired in a test in this country and struck the hillside several miles from Juarez.

It is easy to imagine what would have happened if the rocket had struck inside the town. The possibility of many Mexicans being killed and injured is appalling and certainly the Army, which is conducting the rocket tests, will be very careful to avoid a repetition of the accident.

It seems that a defective gyroscope sent the rocket south instead of north and it traveled eighty miles through Mexico. The happy fact about the incident is that the relations between the two countries are now so cordial that there is no suspicion below the border that anything more than an accident occurred.

Had the incident taken place some thirty years ago, there would have been repercussions, suspicions and serious injury to the confidence which the Latin-American countries now have in this country.

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8 P. M. Evening Message.

Wednesday 7:30. Prayer Meeting.

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HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago

The City Council at the last meeting granted C. O. Moore, a wealthy Breckenridge operator, a franchise to supply Haskell with natural gas.

Box seats for the July 4th automobile races will be on sale at an early date. The fact that only 200 box seats are available makes the demand greater than the supply.

A. H. Wair of the Haskell Marble and Granite Works left Friday for Corpus Christi where he will attend the monumental retail dealers association meeting.

The following Haskellites have returned from a fishing trip on the Clear Fork of the Brazos: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Arbuckle and son Carl, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Killingsworth and family of Dallas. They were joined at the camp grounds by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Killingsworth of Ranger.

Miss Mary Sherrill, who has been attending Austin College at Sherman returned home this week.

40 Years Ago

Wednesday evening's train brought home O. E. Patterson and bride, the former Miss Otis Metcalfe of Taylor, Texas, at which place they were married on Tuesday the 11th inst. They were met at the train and given a hearty welcome by a large number of Mr. Patterson's friends.

Courtney Hunt of Merkel visited in Haskell this week and joined his wife who has been here for some time visiting with Mrs. C.

M. Hunt and Mrs. H. E. Fields.

Dr. J. D. Smith left Monday night to attend the meeting of the State Dental Association in San Antonio.

Mrs. J. W. Meadors has returned home from Austin accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. D. Anthony of Childress who will spend several weeks here.

Henry Post went over to McNeill & Smith's the other day and treated himself to one of those rubber tire surreys with the automobile seat.

50 Years Ago

John Lee of Graham is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. A. C. Foster.

S. W. Scott and wife left yesterday for Austin and may visit in Galveston before returning home.

Miss Una Foster and Marshall Pierson arrived home Saturday from Waco where they had been attending Baylor University.

Judge H. G. McConnell made a trip to Abilene Thursday on legal business for some of our citizens. J. T. Lawley and G. R. Couch left yesterday to visit relatives in Alabama and Tennessee.

J. F. Jones started out Wednesday with a steam thresher and a crew of hands. The crop of Mr. Dah Mooneyhan about a mile and a half north of town was the first threshed. He reported a yield of 21 bushels to the acre.

J. M. Perry brought us this week for the county exhibits some of the finest wild plums we have ever seen. Many of them measured 1 and 1-8 inches in diameter. They grew on his place on Paint Creek.

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TAKING COURSE IN OKLAHOMA

Harry L. Scofield, S. C. S. technician assisting this District, is attending a short course in Range work at Medicine Park, Oklahoma, and in the SCS Regional office at Fort Worth. He will resume his duties here June 16th.

RETURN FROM NASHVILLE, TENN.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer have returned from Nashville, Tenn., where they attended graduation exercises of their son Frank, who received his M. D. Degree from Vanderbilt Medical School with highest honors, obtaining the Founder's Medal. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. George Tyler of Dallas.



Haskell Chapter O. E. S. will meet in a stated meeting June 24. Initiation. Rehearsal Monday afternoon 3 o'clock.

Vivian Roberson, Sec'y.
Mabel Overton, W. M.

HERE FROM ABILENE

J. W. Roberts of Abilene visited friends here during the weekend. He formerly lived here for a number of years.

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ant; that they continued to live together as man and wife until on or about the 15th day of January, 1945, when, by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of the defendant toward plaintiff she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as man and wife.

Army Historians Writing History World War II

Washington—Brig. Gen. Harry J. Maloney and his War Department historical section are hard at work on a ninety-nine volume history of World War II, based on everything from top secrets to interviews with G.I's.

West Texans Named On DP Committee

Twenty one prominent West Texans are listed on the Texas Citizens Committee on Displaced Persons announced in Dallas last week by Executive Secretary Robert S. Strauss.

Rochester News

C. M. Manly and family were in Cleburne last week to attend the funeral of his brother, Ed Manly.

City returned home Wednesday after visiting several days here with their homefolks.

ford returned recently from Alaska, where he had been stationed several months. They are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rayford.

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IN ABILENE SATURDAY

Mrs. Henry Dobbins and Miss Wanda Dulaney were in Abilene Saturday visiting friends and relatives.

HERE FROM FORT WORTH

Fred Stockdale, Fort Worth attorney and former 39th District Attorney here, spent the weekend in Haskell.



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VISITORS FROM FT. WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Melton and family of Fort Worth were visitors Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tooley.

IN HOSPITAL

Dennis Jack Higgs, of Abilene, grandson of Mrs. Belle Hines of Haskell, has been quite ill with heart trouble in an Abilene hospital for several weeks.

HERE FROM ROCHESTER

Doren Brown of Rochester was in Haskell Tuesday on business. He reports conditions good in the Rochester community.

VISIT IN ABILENE

Mrs. W. O. Holden and children Tom Bill and Mildred Ann, and Mrs. Hawley James of Rule visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Manley Shaw in Abilene Tuesday.

WILL VISIT IN OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomson and son Craig left Monday for Duncan, Okla., and other points on a two weeks vacation.

Advocates State Aid for Airports

Washington, D. C.—“States and counties must help their municipalities to finance public airports if the aviation industry is to progress, and if the country is to be assured a strong aircraft industry to preserve a long peace.” Walter R. Macatee, manager, Airport Division of the American Road Builders' Association, said in an airport conference here recently.

Mr. Macatee suggested that the Federal government pay 50 per cent, the state, 25 per cent, and the sponsor 25 per cent of the costs of an airport construction project. If a municipality and a county divide the sponsor's share, each should assume 12 1-2 per cent of allowable costs.

“Small airports are needed to serve many people who wish to buy personal planes, but will not purchase them until they can be assured of ground facilities in their home towns for storage and operation. Prospective plane owners must also be assured of many adequate landing facilities in all parts of the United States. Until a widespread system of public airports can be assured, the production and operation of personal aircraft will lag,” he added.

In states where sponsors' portions of the cost of airport development is being shared by the states, there appears to be no delay in the planning and early completion of airports which have been programmed by the Civil Aeronautics Administration. A serious delay, however, it noted in some states which have thus far assumed no responsibility for any portion of the cost involved in airport development.

Mr. Macatee pointed out that before the Federal Aid Road Act of 1916, there were fewer than 2,400,000 automobiles in the nation. Four years after the states assumed their share in the cost of highway construction, automobile registrations had increased to 6,800,000—a gain of almost 200 per cent.

“Airports must be provided in as widespread fashion as possible just as highways were provided for the automobile industry and for the country's motorists,” he added.

“Advocates of the states assuming a portion of the cost of airport development point out the state's share in sponsors' portion

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

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Morning Service is to be: “Some Morning Service is to be: ‘Some Great Homes in the Bible’. At the Vesper Service he will speak on, ‘The Man Who Disappoints His Future.’”

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HERE FROM ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Shipman of Abilene were here Sunday, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stark. The Shipmans' formerly lived in Haskell County and have many friends in this section.

LEAVE FOR YWCA CAMP

Miss Maybelle Taylor and Miss Eddie Bess Fouts left Tuesday for Ridgecrest, North Carolina, for the Y. W. C. A. Camp, on a special bus with Texas girls. Maybelle is to be one of the main speakers on the program. They will return June 29th.

VISITORS FROM HAWLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lewis and family and Claud Lewis of Hawley were the guests Wednesday of Mrs. Lewis' parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton.

of costs is not a burdensome one,” said Mr. Macatee.

“A state which had \$6 million apportioned to it as Federal aid for airport development during the next seven years will have a program costing at least \$12 million, including the sponsors' share.

“If the state shares equally in the sponsors' portion of the cost, the average outlay by the state to augment the local communities contributions would amount to only \$450,000 yearly,” he pointed out.

“The development of air commerce within its boundaries is of great commercial importance to every state. Each state should therefore be concerned with the magnitude, plan, and development of the airports which serve the municipalities within its geographic area.

“With each state sharing the cost of airport development, the airport program would ‘boom’ and become a continuous one,” Mr. Macatee concluded.

RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Smith returned Tuesday from a vacation trip spent in Nevada, Utah and Colorado.

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VISITS FROM ARLINGTON

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