

The Haskell Free Press

HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DEC. 5, 1946

NUMBER FORTY-NINE

Delegates In County Meetings Named

Following results of competitions held November 30 in communities in Haskell County announced this week are the delegates to the County meetings to be held on December 10, were the following in their respective communities:

- A—Ford Waldrip
- B—James L. Stephens
- C—H. D. Gammill
- D—Thomas A. Holliday
- E—Boyce E. Foil
- F—Clay Kimbrough
- G—Wayne W. Carlisle
- H—George W. Handford
- I—Marvin M. Cobb
- J—W. Earl Atchison
- K—W. S. Grimsley

A group of delegates will meet in the district courtroom on Tuesday, Dec. 10 and at that time will elect the County committee effective January 1, 1947.

Area Scout Banquet Set For Dec. 13

Annual banquet and election of officers of the Chisholm Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held December 13th in the Community YMCA in Abilene. President George F. Barron of Abilene announced this week. Omar Burleson, congressman-elect, will be the principal speaker. Approximately 300 persons are expected to attend.

Barron has named Robert B. Wylie of Abilene as chairman of arrangements.

Business meeting, at which the election will take place, will be held at 6:00 p. m., followed by the banquet and installations at 7:00 p. m. Walter Jarrett of Abilene is to be toastmaster for the banquet, which will be held in appreciation of all Unit Leaders.

The meal will be served buffet style.

Chairmen of the various districts will serve as attendance committee for the event: Fred Stockdale of Haskell, chairman of Haskell district; Bill Braymer of Stamford, Jones district; I. M. Chism, Albany, Shackelford district; B. B. Nunley, Coleman district; E. J. Barnes, Winters, Runnels district; Nib Shaw, Abilene, Taylor district.

There is no District Chairman of the Callahan district, but Marvin J. Hunter, Jr., of Baird has been asked to serve as attendance committee.

Decline in Prices of Used Cars Seen by Dealers' Association

Prices on used and new cars should begin to taper off by the middle of 1947, Mike Tipps, president of the Texas Used Car Dealers' Association, said in a meeting of area dealers in Abilene this week.

However, at the present, the used car dealer still must furnish transportation to 70 percent of the car buying public, he said. During the war the used car dealer had an estimated 30,000,000 used car owners to deal with. Now this number has dropped to 27,000,000 and only mass production of new automobiles can put prices down to normal, he pointed out.

Stressing the value of organization for used car dealers, Tipps said that through the efforts of the TCUA and the national organization of used car dealers OPA ceilings were removed from cars. This same organization can work now to prevent unfair legislation and operating taxes from being levied against them, he said.

The organization now has 818 members in the southwest and 20 new members were added at the Abilene meeting. Approximately 75 dealers attended the meeting representing Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Louisiana and Arkansas.

H-SU Plans Annual Christmas Program

One hundred and thirty-five musicians representing all departments of the Hardin-Simmons university school of music, Abilene, will join in the presentation of the annual Christmas program Sunday evening, December 8 at 2:30 in Behrens Chapel when Haydn's Oratorio "The Seasons" will be staged. It is open to the public without charge and music lovers throughout this section are expected to attend.

Largest groups participating in the oratorio are the University chorus of 82 voices and the Symphony orchestra of 46 pieces. The program is under the supervision of Miss Ethel Rader, head of the voice and ensemble department, and is to be directed by Herbert M. Preston, orchestra conductor, and Kenneth Ballenger, chorus-master.

Guest soloist will be Roger Harris, Dallas tenor. Other featured soloists will be Miss Frances Merle Cooper, H-SU voice instructor, soprano, and Scot Griffith of Wichita Falls, baritone.

Accompanist will include Jack Dean, of the H-SU school of music, organ; Misses Boyd and Babbilene Barker and Mrs. H. N. Gose, piano; and Doris Lindley, bassoon.

11,713 Bales Cotton Ginned In County From '46 Crop

Yield of cotton from the 1946 crop in Haskell County will be about one-half of last year's production, according to latest report of cotton ginnings made public Dec. 1 by Virgil A. Brown, special agent for the bureau of the census.

The report shows that 11,713 bales of cotton were ginned in the county from the crop of 1946 prior to November 14 as compared with 23,114 bales for the crop of 1945.

Son of Haskell War Hero Is Traffic Victim

First fatal traffic accident to occur in Haskell in several years Monday evening snuffed out the life of Joe Quinton Bailey, 21-month-old son of Mrs. Quinton Bailey, whose husband, Lt. Quinton Bailey, member of the Army Air Force was killed when his plane was shot down over Germany in October, 1944.

Accident in which the child was fatally injured occurred on the northeast corner of the square about 4:45 p. m. Monday. Accompanied by his mother the little fellow was leaving a drug store when he ran into the street and into the path of a slow-moving automobile driven by W. C. Pippen of this city, who did not see the child until his car had struck the tot.

Mr. Pippen, driver of the car, was absolved of blame by relatives of the child and persons who witnessed the tragedy.

The boy was taken immediately to the Haskell County Hospital, where death occurred forty-five minutes later.

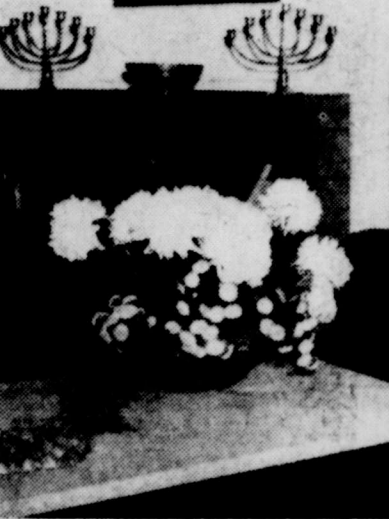
Immediate survivors are the mother, Mrs. Quinton Bailey of Haskell, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balke of Galveston and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bailey of Rule.

Funeral rites for the little boy were held at the First Methodist Church Wednesday at 3 p. m., with the minister, Rev. Jordan Grooms conducting. Burial was in Willow Cemetery with Holden Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers were Eugene Frierson, Dovie Eastland, Wayne Laird and Clinton Herren. Named honorary pallbearers were James Strain, Kenneth Tooley, James Foster and Wayburn Oates.

Flower bearers were Misses Nancy Ratliff, Anita Jo Pitman, Ann Katherine Rike, Lois Helwig.

Haskell Pioneer Observes 90th Birthday



Pictured is Mrs. J. S. Boone, beloved pioneer resident of Haskell County, who observed her 90th birthday November 21 when she was honored at a tea given by her daughters, Mrs. Tommy B. Hawkins and Beryle Boone at the family home here.

Mrs. Boone and her late husband came from Collin County in 1884 to locate on the Boone Ranch on Miller Creek in northeast Haskell County. Bringing 100 head of cattle with him to stock the ranch, Mr. Boone soon became one of the best known cattlemen of this section and was the first to introduce blooded Herefords in this region.

When the Wichita Valley Railway was built through this section 40 years ago, Mr. Boone shipped the first cattle sent to market by rail from Haskell. Active in the development of better schools and ranches in the sparsely settled country, the Boones donated the land and building for

W. E. Welsh Fatally Injured In Fall From Tower

W. E. Welsh, 74, prominent Haskell County farmer and landowner and former city and county peace officer, was fatally injured shortly after noon Wednesday when he fell from the platform of a 20-foot windmill tower on which he was making repairs, on his farm several miles northeast of Haskell.

Despite his critical injuries, Mr. Welsh was able to make his way to the family residence a short distance away, where his wife immediately summoned physicians and an ambulance. Brought to the Haskell County Hospital, examination disclosed Mr. Welsh had suffered fractures of his back, his right arm, and severe head injuries. Death occurred at 4:40 a. m. Thursday.

Funeral service for Mr. Welsh has been tentatively set for Friday afternoon, pending arrival of out-of-town relatives. The body will lie in state at Funeral Home until hour for the funeral.

Immediate survivors are his widow, Mrs. W. E. Welsh of Haskell; three sons, Dr. Hugh C. Welsh, Houston; Bert Welsh, Haskell; Barton Welsh, Texas City; three daughters, Mrs. Lola Lemon and Mrs. Ralph Duncan, of Haskell; Mrs. Crockett English, Austin; three sisters, Mrs. Ben Marks, Rogers, Texas; Mrs. Ben Griffin, Dallas; Mrs. Frank Bickley, Petersburg, Texas; and three brothers, Howell Welsh of Nevada; W. A. Welsh, Sr., Ft. Worth; and E. E. Welsh, Haskell. Nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild also survive.

Gas Franchise Election Faces Haskell Voters

Qualified resident voters of Haskell will vote Friday in a referendum to determine the opinion of the citizenship on granting a franchise for construction and operation of a second natural gas distribution system in Haskell.

Application for the franchise, sought by M. E. Trapp of Oklahoma City, has been pending before the City Council for several weeks, and considerable interest has developed on issues advanced by proponents and opponents of the proposal.

The referendum is expected to result in a heavy turn-out of voters as citizens express their views on the proposal. Ballots to be used will be worded as follows:

"For granting a gas franchise to M. E. Trapp." And

"Against granting a gas franchise to M. E. Trapp."

Voting will be at the City Hall between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m. Reynolds Wilson has been appointed as judge, with Virgil A. Brown and Mrs. H. J. Hambleton clerks.

Adequate Financing Of Public Schools Is State Teachers' Aim

The Texas State Teachers Association ended its convention in Houston Saturday as the house of delegates voted to make "adequate state financing of Texas public schools" the No. 1 program to be pushed before the state legislature next January.

S. H. Vaughter, superintendent of Haskell Public Schools spent last week-end in Houston attending the convention. Also attending this meeting were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Burkett of Haskell. Mr. Vaughter was a delegate to the House of Delegates.

Reports of six subcommittees urging other improvements in teacher welfare were read and adopted.

The reports called for the teachers' retirement system, which included a provision to allow teachers to retire after 30 years' work, regardless of age and which would allow teachers to retire after 25 years, and receive retirement benefits at the age of 60 without further teaching, as now required.

A sound teacher tenure law, guaranteeing job security and providing that a teacher should not be dismissed without a hearing or reasons for dismissal.

A \$55 state per capita apportionment. (Currently the per capita is \$35, paid by the state to school districts for each child residing in the districts).

A \$2000 minimum salary for the school year, in state equalization schools (schools where the state helps a small community pay its teachers).

An increase in transportation aid for school districts which transport students in school buses.

H. W. Stillwell, superintendent of Texarkana schools and chairman of the TSTA legislative committee, told delegates that Gov. Stevenson will submit a bill on the second day of the forthcoming session, asking for an additional \$300 to be applied to salaries of teachers in state equalization schools this year.

The TSTA legislative committee will meet next month in Fort Worth with legislative committees of all teacher groups in the state, to map out a unified program to be presented to the legislature, Mr. Stillwell said.

Frank M. Jackson of San Angelo was installed as president, succeeding Miss Elizabeth Koch of San Antonio.

Miss Emma Mae Brotze of Marshall was installed as vice-president.

Soil District Gains Favor, as Shown by New Memberships

A stepped up interest in soil and moisture conservation in the California Creek Soil Conservation District is indicated by the number of new applications for District assistance which was considered by the board of supervisors at their regular meeting Wednesday, Nov. 27.

Twenty-five applications comprising 10,452 acres were approved for panning at this meeting, reported Jim F. McCulloch, chairman of the board. Most of these were in newly developed conservation groups while seven were in existing groups. The four new groups approved for assistance were Midway, five miles northwest of Haskell; Phillips Farms, west of Anson; South-Swedenia, and Southeast Swedenia, west of Hamlin. The addition of these four groups brought the total to 68 receiving district assistance.

Conservation plans on thirty farms were signed into agreements at this meeting. These added 6587 acres to the total now being treated with conservation practices. Those having agreements approved were Mrs. W. M. Carlton, Mrs. K. H. Anderson, E. O. Nauer, A. J. Swenson, Coyt Smith, Carrie Williams, O. E. Patterson, Fannie Williams, J. A. Clark, J. H. Laughlin, C. E. Stegemoeller, Clara B. Raymond, A. Heidenheimer, J. M. and Oliver Swenson, J. L. Roberts, J. T. Stevenson, Mrs. Gene Pittard, O. D. Swenson, Herbert Kelso, Mrs. O. E. Patterson, B. L. Martin, A. C. Braun, and Raymond Lukie.

McCulloch was selected to be the board's official representative to the annual meeting of state Soil Conservation Supervisors at Austin, Texas, December 10 and 11. Two other supervisors indicated they hoped to attend the meeting also. They were E. W. Carlson and John R. Watson.

Capt. O. Dale Cook Arrives in Japan

A wire from Captain O. Dale Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook of Haskell, was received here at 8:05 a. m. Monday morning, stating that the army officer had arrived in Yokohama, Japan. The Haskell man has been sent to Japan for duty, and the wire came to his wife who is visiting in the Cook home here.

Time and date on the telegram were interesting, in that the wire was sent from Yokohama at 10:30 a. m. Monday morning, two hours and twenty five minutes after it was received in Haskell. Of course Japan's time is a full day ahead of West Texas time.

Young Mrs. Cook plans to join her husband in Yokohama when passage is available.

Carl H. Fisher Back From Wyoming

Carl H. Fisher returned this week from Casper, Wyo., where he has been about 18 months. Recently hunting there, he killed a 1200-pound moose, a 1100-pound elk, a mule-ear deer and 120-pound antelope. Mr. Fisher is returning to farm on his place in the Paint Creek community.

Singers Will Meet In Weinert Sunday

Singers and music lovers of Haskell County are being invited to attend a program of singing to be held at First Baptist Church in Weinert Sunday afternoon beginning at 2:30. Also at that time plans for organizing a county-wide convention will be discussed and sponsors of the program and number of singers be present. The Roberts singing class, which meets regularly on the second Sunday each month, will cancel their program and meet with the Weinert group, it has been announced.

'47 Farm Practices Listed By AAA

All producers of Haskell County are requested to keep up to date with changes which will be announced in the various AAA programs, so that they can take advantage of any part of the program they desire.

Again in 1947 "prior approval" will be required for all practices and the following practices have been accepted by Haskell County for use during the coming year, effective January 1, 1947.

Construction of terraces.

Construction of earthen dams.

Drilling or digging livestock wells.

Strip cropping on the contour.

Deep plowing sandy cropland, 10 inches.

Leaving stalks on the land from 1947 crop.

Elimination of mesquite to improve pasture land.

Mowing established pastures.

Establishing permanent pastures.

Improving permanent pastures.

Harvesting legume and grass seed.

Establishing a satisfactory cover of winter legumes.

Growing a green manure or cover crop of summer legumes.

Application of superphosphate.

Control of bindweed.

Any or all of the above practices may be carried out by producers in Haskell County, but there will be no payment made for any practice unless the producer secures approval in writing from the County Committee before beginning any work on the practice.

Local School People Attend Convention in Amarillo Nov. 20-22

A representative of the Abilene Social Security Administration will be at the Chamber of Commerce in Haskell on Thursday, December 12, at 2:30 p. m.

All persons wishing to file retirement or death claims under the Social Security Act should contact the representative at that time. When a worker becomes 65 years of age he should contact the Social Security Administration and discuss his status. When a worker dies, some member of his family should get in touch with the Social Security Administration and find out what payments may be due.

All persons should call promptly at 2:30 p. m., as the representative will remain in his office for only a short time.

WORK ON NEW BUILDING PROGRESSING RAPIDLY

Workmen on the new Cahill Building, immediately east of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank Building, have made rapid progress in recent weeks and indications point to early occupancy of the modern brick structure.

The new business building will house at least three businesses, and it is expected tenants will be able to move in early in 1947.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barton are the parents of a daughter, Donya Jean, born Tuesday Dec. 3 in the Haskell County Hospital. She weighed eleven pounds, thirteen ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Johnston of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barton of Abilene.

FFA Shop Receives New Equipment

Through the continuous work of Haskell Stone, Agriculture teacher in Haskell High School, the shop received this week an estimated \$1500 worth of new equipment free of charge through the Government surplus control. The equipment will be used in the shop for training of FFA boys in use of the machinery. Instruments received included two new drill presses, a grinder, valve refacing machine, a micrometer, portable hand saw, jointer, band saw, and sander.

The FFA chapter appreciates the work of Mr. Stone in getting this new equipment for the shop, as well as his capable instruction in using the instruments and machinery.

Officers of the chapter ordered "T" shirts which were received Tuesday. The shirts are white with short sleeves and on the front is the insignia of the officer and name of the office he holds.

Driving Offenses in Majority in Courts

A fine of \$50.00 and costs, a total of \$72.20, was assessed in County Court Monday by Judge John F. Ivy against a Jayton man who entered a plea of guilty to driving a motor vehicle on a public highway while intoxicated. In addition to the fine, defendant's operators license was suspended for six months. The complaint was filed by Keith Whitt, highway patrolman of Stamford.

In Justice Court, magistrate Joe E. Pace had a busy week-end in disposing of twelve cases on his docket in which pleas of guilty were received.

In four cases charging drunkenness and disturbance of the peace, Justice Pace levied fines of \$1.00 and costs against two Haskell men, one of whom was charged in a triple complaint, a Monday resident, and a man from Vera. All complaints were filed by members of the sheriff's department.

In two traffic cases filed by Patrolman Keith Whitt and one for speeding filed by Constable Sterling Edwards, Justice Pace assessed the minimum fine of \$1.00 and costs against two traffic violators, and a fine of \$10 and costs for the fast driver after the defendants, all residents of Haskell, had pleaded guilty.

Justice Pace also received pleas of guilty from five defendants charged with swindling by giving a worthless check, and levied a fine of \$1.00 and costs in each case, with the additional requirement that defendants make good the worthless checks.

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DR. BEN R. NAIL AT TULANE MEDICAL COLLEGE

Dr. Ben R. Nail of Haskell is in New Orleans taking a post graduate course in heart disease at Tulane Medical College.

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Dec. 8th
Bible School, 9:45 A. M.
Worship and Lord's Supper at 10:45 A. M.
David Earnest will preach. You are cordially invited to hear this young man. Your presence will be encouraging to him, and you will receive a hearty welcome.

Rochester...

Miss Dorothy Jones of San Angelo spent the week end here with her grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Cooper and her aunt Mrs. Mack Gooch.

Joyce Cooper, who is attending A.C.C., Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with homefolks.

Miss Martha Clark was a guest through the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Hindsley of Fort Worth spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hindsley.

Mrs. Leslie Trimmier and children of Abilene spent the week end here with home folks.

Mrs. Olga Gray is visiting relatives in Edgewood this week.

Mrs. Glenn Hills and children of Knox City spent Saturday here in the home of her mother, Mrs. Josie Davis.

Fern Alvis of Abilene spent Thanksgiving in the home of her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Alvis.
Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson entertained a few of their friends in their lovely home with a "42" party last week.

The 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid is probably the blue-ribbon cotton gatherer of this section among boys his age. One day last week the little fellow gathered 307 pounds of cotton.

Leroy Lowery and family of Ruidoso, N. M., spent last week end here in the home of her parents, Dr. Earnest Michaels and Mrs. Michaels.

Mark Wadzeck and family of Abilene were guests during the week end with relatives here.

Dane and Mack Wadzeck and Joveta Cox of McMurry College spent Thanksgiving here with home folks.

Phil Simmons and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins visited in the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Norris of Haskell a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Ward of Cisco visited in the home of their son a few days last week.

Davis Jones and family of Stamford spent Sunday here in the home of Mrs. J. L. Richardson.

D. M. Rea of Stamford spent Sunday here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rea. Mr. and Mrs. D. Gregory spent

last week end with relatives at McAdoo and Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Trimmier visited their son Leslie and family in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Forman of Ballinger visited her parents here last week.

Hob Smith and family spent Thanksgiving day at Knox City with his father and brother.

Henry Cooner of O'Brien visited friends in Rochester Saturday.

HERE FOR WEEK-END

Miss Hattie Davis of Dallas visited over the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Scott Green.

Uncle Sam Says



Any number of my young nephews today dream of banging the ball out of the park in a World Series. A big league baseball career is a fine future for any American boy, but so is a career as a lawyer, a doctor, an engineer or some other profession. The big leaguers among dads know that it costs money to give their sons the opportunity for a great career. By investing every pay day in United States Savings Bonds, any dad can give Junior a good start in life. Yes, Savings Bonds are in the big league class. Buy an extra Savings Bond today. U. S. Treasury Department

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SPEND THANKSGIVING WITH PARENTS
 Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Andrews and little daughters Soretha and Glenda from Stephenville spent Thanksgiving here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Andrews and other relatives and friends.
 More than 900 veterans of the Indian Wars that ended 48 years ago were receiving Veterans Administration pensions on Sept. 30.



Questions and Answers
 Q. If a disabled veteran completed his on-the-job training and is unemployed can he draw unemployment compensation?
 A. Yes. Under Public Law 346 (GI Bill) he may be entitled to readjustment allowance up to a maximum of 52 weeks provided he is available to, and available for, work at the time. Any prior periods used for such purpose would be deducted from his maximum eligibility.
 Q. May the wife or child of a veteran be granted hospital or domiciliary care by Veterans Administration because of the relationship to the veteran?
 A. No. Admission to a Veterans Administration hospital or home is based on the service of a person in the armed forces and may be granted only to the persons who served.
 Q. Is Veterans Administration issuing prosthetic service cards to amputee veterans?
 A. Yes. Veterans wearing artificial limbs and who are entitled to repairs at Government expense may obtain a prosthetic service card. The card enables the veteran to obtain immediate repair service up to a limit of \$35 without prior approval from Veterans Administration.
 Q. Is it possible for a disabled veteran taking vocational training under Public Law 16 to make a small loan from the Government?
 A. Yes, but loans cannot exceed \$100 and they are made only to veterans approved for vocational rehabilitation when the need is shown.
 Q. Am I entitled to an increase

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Attraction at the Texas

 Chico and Harpo Marx giving Sig Ruman the old run-around in the hilarious new David L. Loew-Marx Brothers' production, "A Night in Casablanca," at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday.

teacher of vocational agriculture in high schools at Nash, Okla., and later at Cherokee, Okla. He was reared in Oklahoma, receiving his grade and high school education at Hastings. He attended Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College at Stillwater, where he was graduated in 1922 with a degree in agricultural education and animal husbandry. He also took post graduate work at Colorado State College, Fort Collins, and at Oklahoma A. & M. College. From headquarters at Ponca City, Okla. Floyd will direct farm service activities in all of the 44 states in which Continental Oil Company operates.
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 Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Priddy were in Fort Worth Thanksgiving Day where they visited their sons, Troy and and their families. The local people returned to Haskell Friday.

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 PONCA CITY, OKLA.—One of the founders of the Future Farmers of America and for many years a vocational agricultural specialist, Ross Floyd has been appointed agricultural service manager for Continental Oil Co., it was announced here today by Harry J. Kennedy, vice president in charge of marketing. Floyd will assume active charge of Continental Oil Company's agricultural program, which provides a broad service to those engaged in farm, ranch, livestock, and kindred agricultural pursuits, and which in the future will also stress the promotion of activities of farm youth.
 Floyd joins Continental Oil Company after serving the War Finance Division, U. S. Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., as western agricultural representative. For the previous eight years he had been associated with the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, first as regional business manager at Salina, Kansas, and later as regional administrator at Amarillo, Texas.
 From 1925 to 1935 Floyd was assistant state supervisor of vocational agriculture for the State of Oklahoma, and it was during this period that he helped to organize and promote the Future Farmers of America. He is also widely known as the author of numerous authoritative papers on agricultural subjects.
 Floyd began his career as a

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To the Citizens of Haskell...
 An answer to Mr. J. M. Crawford's writing in the Haskell Free Press:
 First, he infers that he found the natural gas we have east of Haskell to be inferior to the gas we are using here. The writer is willing to have the gas, in the field east of Haskell tested and also the gas being furnished here. If the Haskell gas does not test more British Thermal Units (B. T. U.) than the gas being used in Haskell, I will pay for both tests.
 The writer has had quite a number of dealings with Mr. Trapp and his associates, and he knows they have already spent about \$100,000.00 in Haskell County. About all they now have is some leases they are capable of producing gas, and without a market for the product. They will lose, as will the Haskell County land owners, if denied a market for the gas.
 In one of the articles Mr. Crawford wrote advising the housewives to stay on the present gas lines, as Mr. Trapp may be unable to furnish gas. He might as well advise the people to trade with Montgomery and Ward, as they are able to give good terms and have a larger stock to select from. I note, Mr. Crawford stated in his writing that he learned that Mr. Trapp knows nothing about handling gas lines. Grant that he does not. I suppose that John D. Rockefeller would know nothing about laying a pipe line, but he has enough business judgment to employ people who do know about such things.
 He does not own a farm in or near the proven Haskell gas field that I know of. All I know as to Mr. Trapp's finances is: He has paid me several thousand dollars for leases. When I wanted gas for a residence built in Haskell I had to lay 300 feet of line in order to get gas service. A line from the field east of town coming from the east would serve lots of people who now have no gas service.
 As to the political scandal being circulated about Mr. Trapp, I understand this was only some charges, made by political enemies of Mr. Trapp. I find no record where such charges were ever even filed in any legislative or judicial department of government. They are likely filed by members of an opposition political party. No formal charges on such were ever made or Mr. Trapp called to account on such charges. He thereafter served as governor of the State of Oklahoma. I hope the people of Haskell will not fall for cheap political bunkum. Looks like the Haskell opposition is afraid of Trapp. Please note that such newspaper articles are marked, "paid for", indicating paid advertising.
 The citizens of Haskell are to vote Friday, December 6, whether the City of Haskell will issue a franchise to Mr. Trapp.
WILL YOU COME AND VOTE FOR THE FRANCHISE?
 I think it should be passed and granted. I know Mr. Trapp has spent several thousand dollars in Haskell County and all the deals have been handled very satisfactorily. Haskell County gas can be developed. I believe that we have plenty of gas in Haskell County, as tests already made covers several farms. So far, no revenue to Haskell County farmers who own valuable natural resources. Haskell gas should be used instead of buying gas from the Plains where certain interests have quite a bit of holdings in farm and ranch lands.
 I note the editorial in the Haskell Free Press and I hope the local newspaper will reconsider and decide to support the further development of Haskell County Natural Gas.
VOTE FOR THE FRANCHISE and help the land owners of Haskell County and keep Haskell fuel bills at home.
 Respectfully,
M. R. HEMPHILL
 P. S.—Why not have the City Council stop all new business houses from coming here if Haskell can't stand competition?
 (Paid Adv.)

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Ghosts to Frolic in Theatre Feature Thursday Night

A merry madhouse of streamlined spooks are scheduled to take over at the Haskell Theatre here at 11 p. m. sharp next Thursday night, Dec. 12 in a series of horrific happenings from the hinges of Hades. Spook Scandals, a dream seemingly brought to reality by a devotee of a long series of "Lost Week-ends," is said to bring spine-chilling shudders to the most sophisticated.

The witching hour of midnight is the logical time for a series of experiments into the realm of Hobgoblins and other eerie denizens of the nether regions, and the advent of a group of "Glamour Gals" promises some unique

phases of spook-mania. Due to the very nature of this special, one-time presentation, no children will be admitted and all ladies should have escorts. A doctor and nurse are to be in constant attendance . . . for oh, so many reasons! Spook Scandals is entirely original and promises fast and furious sequences of hilarious hysteria from start to finish. Those afraid of the dark are advised to remain indoors and away from the Haskell Theatre. In conjunction with this amazing spectacle of fright and frivolity, the special midnight show will feature a full length film in keeping with the theme of screams and chills and ghostly happenings.

On October 1, 11,486,000 persons were working on farms in the United States.

Veterans Administration is operating 24 former Army and Navy hospitals to meet the growing need for hospital space.

Approximately 85 per cent of the veterans receiving self-employment allowances from Veterans Administration are farmers.

The Free Press has 'em.

Less than one-half of one per cent of all veterans' loans approved for guaranty by Veterans Administration were in default by the end of September.

Domestic wheat supplies in 1946-47 are now estimated at over 1,269 million bushels, consisting of a carry-over of 101 million bushels and a prospective crop of 1,160 million bushels.

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The Community:
In order to create a good, wholesome environment in which children may grow to their stature and capacity, we urge that each community make full use of all its resources. To this end we advocate the strengthening of child welfare legislation, state and federal, the improvement of child labor laws and:

1. That greater stress be laid upon the coordination of all social agencies who are concerned with the various aspects of the juvenile program.
2. That parents with teachers cooperate in the recruitment of character building organizations in accordance with our policies and procedures.
3. That the Parent-Teacher Organization support the American policy of the dignity of the individual respect for personal property and the American philosophy of the democratic way of life.

International Understanding:
We believe that international understanding as well as equality of opportunity is basic to the development of both character and citizenship. For this reason we advocate that parent-teacher associations foster and promote, with all the zest and energy of united conviction, the following attitudes among themselves and their fellow citizens:

1. Unwavering support of the United Nations and its auxiliary, UNESCO.
2. Unswerving faith in the peaceful settlement of disputes.
3. Unending patience in compromising differences within and among nations.
4. A willingness to share our food and clothing with other countries by cooperating with the government's food conservation program and by making contributions of food and clothing to UNRRA.

Conclusions:
We therefore stand firm in unity and purpose, resolved to preserve the common principles upon which our commonwealth is founded and strive to teach our children the Christian virtues of faith, hope and love in home, school, church and community; resolved that we consecrate ourselves in devotion and sacrifice and act upon the blazing concept of the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God.—Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers Magazine.

Laying Firm Foundations

The Resolutions Committee submits as a challenge to every unit of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers these resolutions:

With the deep conviction that all children are our children and that only by "laying firm foundations" can we build together for the future peace of the world, we pledge our individual effort as well as our organized support to continue service for children through regularly established channels of work.

Health:

1. That parents and teachers cooperate with the Federal, State and local governmental agencies in the study of health needs of school children both in and out of school.

2. That good health and dependable medical care must be guaranteed to our children and to all children.

3. That a healthful community is built on the foundation of good family health plus community enterprise.

4. We urge that parent-teacher associations accept the responsibility of assuming whatever local leadership is necessary for the development of a coordinated and comprehensive health program.

The Family:

1. Recognizing the home as the essential cornerstone in the firm foundation of the social structure which we are striving to build, we urge parent-teacher associations to continue their active sponsorship of preschool groups, homemaking and parent education study groups, adult education classes, and recreational programs for the whole family.

2. Because training for homemaking and parenthood is indispensable today, courses in preparation for home and family living should be included in the curriculums of our schools at the elementary, secondary, college and adult levels.

3. The home should recognize and accept the task of developing in children and youth an understanding of the problems of the people of other lands and an appreciation of their distinctive cultures.

4. Parent-teacher groups should carry on open discussions of all legislation affecting the problems of home and family life and take appropriate actions for or against such legislation. Parent-teacher members as individuals should also exercise their rights as citizens by voting on these issues.

5. That the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers extend its services in the community, State and Nation to create a wholesome condition for the home, recognizing that the destiny of home life is no longer centered in the house sheltering the family, but all forces touching the life of the individual members of the family.

Education:

We must build an intelligent and responsible citizenry that will have a genuine respect for the dignity and worth of every human being, despite differences in race, creed, or cultural background.

We advocate, therefore, the following measures:

1. Establishment of adequate salaries for public school teachers as a first step toward full recognition of their importance in our national life.
2. Maintenance of high professional standards, to attract and hold able, talented teachers. As a practical aid to this end we heartily endorse the granting of scholarships to promising prospective teacher candidates.
3. Improvement of educational standards through the granting of Federal aid to school systems on the basis of need, with proper safeguards for local control.
4. Continuing evaluation and revision of curriculums and teaching methods, with increased participation by parents in such evaluation.
5. Expansion of counseling or guidance services in both elementary and high schools, with appropriate program adjustments to meet the physical, mental, social, and emotional needs of children with special problems. Teachers must be prepared for such services both by teacher education institutions and through in-service training.
6. Increased alertness to the importance of radio, movies, and the press in the education of children and adults, and further recognition of the need to use these media intelligently for educational purposes.
7. We further recommend that local parent-teacher organizations encourage the use of projection machines and radios to meet adequately the needs of each classroom unit.

Spiritual Education:

Today we find ourselves faced with the necessity of constructing a new world that must and shall endure. Since we believe that human relationship, morals, tolerance, charity and understanding spring out of religious faith, we urge therefore, that all parent-teacher associations give special attention to the following needs:

1. Re-dedication of family and spiritual life.
2. That character education be re-emphasized by creating an environment which will enable the youth to exercise the basic principles of positive citizenship.
3. Re-dedication to and affiliation with the church; that parents should take the responsibility for family church attendance and also that parent-teacher members

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Haskell Livestock Exchange Is Best Outlet for Local Growers

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Ern and Drey have maintained a high degree of service at their exchange and keep a buyer on the lot at all times. Whether Haskell County livestock growers have one head or a carload of stock to sell, they find dealing with the local people pleasant and profitable.

And sellers are not the only ones who make frequent trips to the stock pens south of Haskell. Folks who need to add a few head of cattle or hogs or horses or mules to their stock can find just about

anything they want at Haskell Livestock Exchange. The Lowes handle all the way from stubborn mules to gentle ponies and all the way from milk cows to rodeo stock every week, and are always in a trading mood. Ern can outdo many an old-time "hoss-trader" when someone wants to swap, and can back his trades up with fair dealings and friendliness that make folks like to trade with him.

Haskell County food dealers have found a dependable market where they can buy choice beef and pork too, for Haskell Livestock Exchange has its own slaughtering plant. Experienced butchers are employed and fast local delivery service assures customers of local grocery stores that their meats are not only the best available, but fresher than cold storage meats shipped into Haskell. Most meats served in Haskell cafes and sold by Haskell grocery men come from the local slaughtering house.

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Dendy Children Here For Thanksgiving
Mrs. R. L. Dendy of Haskell had all of her children home at the same time for the first time in 14 years when they gathered at her home here last week for Thanksgiving. The holiday was spent principally in visiting and eating a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner. Attending the gathering were Hugh Dendy of Plainview, his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Dendy of Brownwood; Mrs. Jackie Harding of Winters; and Frances Levey of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Liberty Club Has Thanksgiving Fete
On November 29th Liberty Club members and their families met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. LeClaire for a Thanksgiving supper and party. Tables were placed in the large living room where supper was served cafeteria style. Games of 84 were enjoyed by older members, together with outdoor games, while the juniors played football. The club's Christmas party is scheduled for Friday night Dec. 20 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis, with a Christmas tree. On December 13th the club will meet with Mrs. Johnny Ray Lytle in the home of her mother east of Haskell. This will be the last club meeting of the year. Those present for the Thanksgiving party were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Speer, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wisdom, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Freeby, Bill LeClaire of Lueders, Miss Junelle Collins, Billie Jack Ray, Don Boddy, Delois, Barbara and Buddy Collins, Jerry, Boyd and Taylor Davis, Clarence Freeby, Max and Lavera Ray, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. LeClaire.

JOY FOR A GREEK FAMILY



YOUNG MISS GREECE—and her sister, too—eagerly watch grandmother Kakavias of Corinth open a Greek War Relief Association 35-lb. food parcel. Any American, like the generous person who helped the Kakavias, wanting to supply food to starving Greece merely sends \$12.75 to the Association in New York City and that night his order is telegraphed overseas. In a few days a hungry Greek family is eating nutritious, staple foods. In addition to the parcel service, G.W.R.A. launches this winter a \$12,000,000 fund-raising campaign to build 40 health centers; to house and feed 375,000 war orphans; and to supply a warm, noonday meal to almost 2 million hungry school children.

met Starr, Mission chairman, presided and read the 66th Psalm announcing that "God's News for Bible Countries" was an overall thought in planning the programs. Mrs. R. J. Reynolds brought the devotional, reading the 66th Psalm as a basis of discussion. "Overcoming Evils With Good" the central theme, was brought out in parts given by Messdames B. M. Whiteker, R. C. Couch, Sr., S. A. Roberts, H. R. Whatley and Ed Fouts. These discussion dealt with happenings on the various Mission fields, and were interspersed with fervent prayer for the on-going of work and workers. "Take My Life and Let It Be" was the closing song. Members attending both days: Messdames R. P. Glenn, Roy O'Neal, Wm. Woodson, Jno. Fouts, Arthur Merchant, R. J. Reynolds,

Jno. Ellis, H. R. Whatley, Arthur Edwards and R. C. Couch, Sr. For one day: Messdames Ed Cass, I. N. Simmons, Elmer Turner, Jess Josselet, Emmett Starr, S. A. Roberts, Leon Gilliam, B. M. Whiteker, Linna Cunningham, Geo. Herren and R. J. Paxton. Veterans Administration cleared over 84,000 requests for physical examinations during September for pensions or compensations, the highest total to date.

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Prices of clothing and textiles are expected to continue increasing in the next few months.

Six pounds of good alfalfa hay will furnish enough nutrients for a dairy cow to produce one gallon of milk.

Baptist W. M. U. Has Week of Prayer

The First Baptist W. M. U. is observing The Lottie Moon Week of Prayer in the church annex each afternoon this week. Miss Moon was one of our first missionaries to the Chinese, and literally gave her life that these people might know the true God. In her honor, the December season of prayer for foreign missions each year, is designated in her name. Our women met at 10 a. m., on Monday and Mrs. Roy O'Neal reviewed the Mission book, "Now Is the Day." A covered dish luncheon was served at noon, and in the afternoon the book was completed and a business meeting was held. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Em-

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Miss Jackie Reese, daughter of Mrs. C. E. Reese, 3522 Travis, Fort Worth, Texas, became the bride of Mr. Paul Kelms son of Mrs. Agnes Williams, Marshall, Texas, Friday night November 22 at seven thirty p. m. in the South Fort Worth Baptist Church.

Rev. Aubrey Short performed the double ring ceremony by candlelight before an altar decorated with chrysanthemum and palms. Mrs. John Rogers played the piano and Mr. John Rogers sang "Because" and "Rosary". Mr. Marcus Long, uncle of the bride, gave her away. Mrs. C. L. Thomas, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Mr. Jim O'Donnell was best man.

The candle lighters were Miss Paula Wright and Miss Betty Stewart. Ushers were Wallace Sanders and Billy Jordan. The bride wore a brown two-piece gaberdine suit, with aqua and brown accessories. She carried a white bible topped with an orchid with streamers of white chrysanthemums. For something old she wore a gold bracelet given to her by her grandmother, Mrs. Long.

Mrs. Kelms is a former resident of Haskell, a graduate of Paschal High School, Fort Worth, and attended Draughon's business school there. At the present she is an employee of the bookkeeping department at Montgomery-Ward.

Mr. Kelms is a graduate of Archer City High School, attended T.C.U., spent four years in the Navy, 34 months of this time was spent overseas. At the present he is employed in the Midwest and Southern Ice Cream Plant at Arlington, Texas.

The couple left immediately for a trip to Corpus Christi and upon their return will be at home at 5713 Persian, Fort Worth, Texas.

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MRS. KELMS

Rainbow Club Has Thanksgiving Dinner

Members of the Rainbow Sewing Club held their annual Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bass Nov. 26th. The entertaining rooms were decorated with flowers of the season.

The centerpiece for the dinner table was a bowl of red chrysanthemums. The table was laden with turkey and all the trimmings. Mr. Tooley offered the Thanksgiving prayer and dinner was served at 7:30 p. m. Later games of 84, 42, and Chinese checkers were enjoyed. Special guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wiseman, son Rudy and daughter Judy; Mrs. Grace Gore and son Wayne of Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Toliver and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas of Weimert; Mrs. Ethel Hunt of California; Jay Edwin Lackey of Dallas; Ravnell Godfrey, Christy Royals, Club members and their families were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pennington and Don; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Josselot, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lusk and Bobby; Mrs. J. S. Chapman, Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. John Tinkle, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tooley, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Florence, O. W. Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Tot Johnson, Nathan Tinkle, Jake Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bass, Jean, Sandra and Jerry Bass.

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Josselot Club Meets With Mrs. L. Bass

The Josselot Home Demonstration Club met in regular session Nov. 26th at 2 o'clock in the club house with Mrs. Larry Bass and Mrs. Jess Josselot joint hostesses. The club house was decorated with orchid chrysanthemums. With the president in charge

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Photo By Zelma

Shown above are three talented young Haskell musicians, Mary Jo and Jessie Ruth Jones and their accordeons, with Patty Bob Townsend at the organ. They are heard regularly during services at the Fundamental Baptist Church, and have appeared on programs for local P-T-A groups and other organizations.

The meeting opened by singing "The More We Get Together." Roll call was answered with "What We Want Our Pals to Give Us for Christmas."

Collect for women was read by Mrs. Jess Josselot, and a prayer for womankind followed by Mrs. Larry Bass.

The club Christmas Party will be in the club house Dec. 11 at 2 o'clock. Each member is to bring fruit, nuts and candy for refreshments. Each mother is to bring a gift for their children.

The Piggy Bank was expanded when a penny for each year was put in the treasury for a birthday offering for Mrs. W. C. Norton, Woodrow Perrin, Clifford Thomas, Jr. and Alvin Rex Marion. Happy Birthday was sung in their honor.

A short Thanksgiving program followed, consisting of a reading by Mrs. C. A. Thomas, "Who Are the Fellows"; Mrs. Jess Josselot gave "Not What We Have" and Nancy Perrin closed the program by reading "If I Can Ease One Life."

Pal gifts were distributed and refreshments of snack sandwiches cookies and hot chocolate were served to Mesdames W. C. Norton, Jim Perrin, Louise Merchant, Jess

Josselot, J. L. Toliver, Senia Ammens, C. A. Thomas, Larry Bass, Woodrow Perrin, Ray Cothron, S. G. Perrin, Lee Brown, Clovis Norton, John P. Perrin.

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Supt. Vaughter Is Speaker for P.T.A.

The regular meeting of the South Ward P. T. A. was held at 3 p. m. in the assembly room with a large attendance.

The president, Mrs. Townsend, called the house to order and Mrs. Bill Fouts directed the program. A special number, "Let Me Live Close to Thee" was presented by Mary Jo and Jessie Ruth Jones and their accordeons, with Patty Bob Townsend at the organ. We enjoyed this number very much.

Mrs. Vaughter had charge of the First Grade program, called "The Story of the Pilgrims" and the children sang "John Brown Had A Little Indian." Mrs. Murphy's second grade children presented their program called "A Thanksgiving Tree." A Thanksgiving song was sung. It was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Fouts introduced our guest speaker, Mr. Vaughter, whose topic was "Giving Thanks." He declared we had very much to be thankful for, considering the things our grandfathers and grandmothers, and early ancestors before us did without, still lived and reared large families and had time for relaxation.

This was a very interesting talk and we were thankful and happy to have Mr. Vaughter with us, and hope he visits us again soon.

During the business meeting, plans were made for Christmas. Everyone seemed eager to help make the occasion a happy one. It was voted that we have a floodlight for the front door and east door of the school building. We are very proud of this as we were badly in need of a light. After the room count was taken

en the second grade won with the first grade next. We gave both the first and second grades \$1.00 considering the close run of 20 mothers for first grade and 19 for second grade present and voting for their favorite grades.

The South Ward P. T. A. wishes to express our deepest regrets in the loss of Roy Sanders' mother, Mrs. Fred Sanders. May God's richest blessings fall upon him and help him in his bereavement.

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Veterans Administration estimated the veteran population at nearly 17,900,000 on Oct. 31, an increase of more than 150,000 over Sept. 30.

Typhus Fever Chief Cause Is Rats, Says State Health Officer

In a preventive program directed against typhus fever in Texas, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has prepared for distribution through the State and local health departments, a pamphlet explaining the importance of incorporating rat-proofing in the construction of new buildings.

"I am anxious to have this pamphlet in the hands of every builder and prospective builder in Texas," Dr. Cox said. "Detailed drawings show how simply and cheaply fundamental rat-proofing can be incorporated in designing a building."

The booklet further explains how much less expensive it is to include rat-proofing in the construction, than it is to include rat-proofing after it is already built. "When we build new homes in Texas, they should be for our families only. Rats should be excluded," Dr. Cox declared. "When a new home is not rat-proofed, the rats usually move in about the same time your family does. As long as this continues, typhus fever menaces your family and community."

Family Reunion in J. K. Morgan Home

A family of fifty gathered Sunday, December 1, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Morgan in Haskell to a dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pierson of Lake Dallas. The Piersons were visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Saffel of Rule for Thanksgiving.

Among those present were: Mrs. A. L. Saffel of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Hunt and son of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jackson and family of Knox City, Mrs. R. H. Saffel and family of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Morgan and daughter of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bristow and family of New Cook, J. K. Morgan, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller and daughter of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Saffel of Rule, R. N. Wilson of Rule and fiancée Allene Brown of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Byrd of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gann of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian West and daughter of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brothers of Knox City, J. M. Betts of Midland, Leroy and Billie Wilson of Rule.

day afternoon to return to their home at Lake Dallas.

Judged on the basis of September 1 conditions, the supply of feed grains for 1946-47 will total about 138 million tons.

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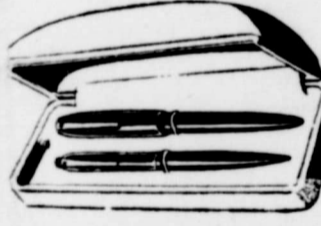
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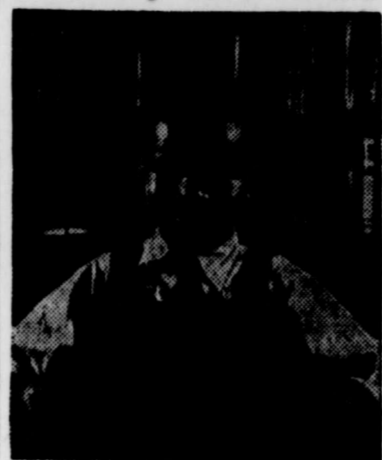
HD Council Has Party at Church

Haskell County Home Demonstration Council and club members entertained with a party Friday night November 22 at the Methodist Church...

ATTEND TEXAS-AAM GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richey attended the A & M-Texas football game in Austin Thanksgiving...

Healthy and Wise



This youngster has learned early in life that knowledge can prevent illness. Health education programs are sponsored to schools by tuberculosis associations from Christmas Seal funds.

VISITS MOTHER

Royse Adkins, student in Texas A. & M. College spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Olen Dotson and Mr. Dotson.

VISITS PARENTS

Miss Mildred Chapman, student in Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Chapman.



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Inventors and builders of machines speak a forceful language. Once I heard an engineer discussing a new invention his firm was about to manufacture and sell...

Usage Will Tell

Now I want to point out that this principle is just as rightly applied to governmental devices as to mechanical ones. In service is precisely where statesmen find out how good their theories are...

This is why advocates of this and that brand of Socialism avoid telling the history of socialistic experiments. Most of them have come to such dismal ends. In theory they are very pretty but in service they don't work.

Revised Early. Fathers of this republic, back in the 1770's when they wrote and ratified the Constitution of the United States, certainly did not imagine that they were drawing up the specifications of a perfect state.

A Flexible Plan. America's economic system, free private enterprise, the only one compatible with our Constitution as it stands, can lay no just claim to any dreamer's idea of perfection.

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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.

AMATEUR HOUR PLANNED AT WEINERT SCHOOL

There will be an Amateur Hour Contest in the High School auditorium at Weinert on Thursday night, December 12, at 7:00. Ten dollars will be given in prizes.

CHURCH BAZAAR WILL BE HELD AT IRBY

The Trinity Ladies Club will sponsor a program at the Irby school house Friday evening, Dec. 13. The program will begin at 6:30. In addition to the program there will be all kinds of handwork and cuts for sale.

SPEND THANKSGIVING IN AUSTIN

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan and Mrs. Virgil Reynolds visited in Austin Thanksgiving with Mrs. Duncan's sister, Mrs. Crockett English and Mr. English, and in the home of Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Hon. and Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant.

HERE FOR THANKSGIVING

Miss Nan Allen of Shawnee, Oklahoma, spent Thanksgiving with her grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Clifton and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Clifton and family. Miss Allen is head of the speech department at Oklahoma Baptist University in Shawnee.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Piland of Rupert, Idaho, are announcing the birth of a baby girl. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Piland and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Marges. The little girl has been named Etta Lee. Mrs. Piland is now visiting in the home of her daughter.

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Loretta Withers Is Bride of Army Man In Vernon Ceremony

Miss Loretta Withers of Vernon, niece of Mrs. Joe Raggsdale of Haskell, became the bride of First Lieut. Charles P. Carley of Hazen, Ark., in simple rites performed Saturday afternoon November 16 at the Central Christian Church in Vernon, with the minister, Rev. Robert E. Austin, officiating for the double-ring ceremony.

Pre-nuptial wedding music by Mrs. W. L. Wallace, pianist, included "I Love You Truly." She also accompanied R. L. Allston, vocalist, who sang, "Because." Selections played during the ceremony included a medley of "Always," "Laura," and "At Dawning."

As the vows were exchanged, the couple stood beneath a white archway, behind which was a fan-shaped arrangement of greenery. Large baskets of China mums were placed on each side of the altar.

Miss Bernice Dickey, maid-of-honor for the bride, wore a street-length frock of pale blue wool jersey. Her accessories were dark brown, and her corsage was of white pom-pom mums.

The bride was attired in a street length dress of dove gray silk crepe, which featured three-quarter length sleeves, a draped bodice, and full skirt. She carried a single white orchid on a satin-covered Bible.

Bob Hardison acted as best man for the groom. Ushers were T. E. Stafford, Jr., and Ernest Howard. Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Claude Hardison residence on West Wilbarger.

The dining table was covered with a Madeira cloth, and the crystal punch bowl and two-tiered wedding cake were outlined

with garlands of greenery and tiny white mums. A large arrangement of China mums in a crystal bowl was placed on the buffet. Other decorations throughout the entertaining rooms emphasized the all-white theme. Mrs. James Stubbs who presided at the punch bowl, was assisted in serving by Miss Mae Belle Riedel and Miss Opal Thomas.

Mrs. Carley, daughter of the late Mrs. A. W. Everett, attended schools at Lubbock and Childress. Since coming to Vernon in 1941, she has been employed by the

Vernon Daily Record and Radio Station KVWC.

Lieutenant Carley, who is the son of Mrs. Bess E. Carley, attended the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. He entered the Army Air Corps in 1942 and served in the European Theater as pilot of a B-26.

As the couple left on their wedding trip, the bride wore a two-piece suit of pale green wool. Her accessories were of chocolate brown and she wore an orchid corsage. After the wedding trip, the

Fall Farrowed Pig Supply Is Short

Supply of fall-farrowed pigs in Texas will be very short this year, according to a survey made by E. M. Regenbrecht, swine husbandman of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

The survey was conducted by a committee of swine raisers and the results show that the supply of fall-farrowed pigs is very short. This is due to the fact that the number of pigs farrowed in the fall is much smaller than in previous years.

among county agricultural agents and swine breeders in the state to determine the number of pure-bred pigs that are available for distribution as future breeding stock.

Reports indicate, says Regenbrecht, that very large numbers of fall farrowed pure-bred pigs at weaning time were sold to farmers for feeding purposes at very attractive prices. Apparently, the recent removal of ceiling prices on fat hogs, with the sudden resulting price increase, has

caused farmers who have supply on hand to think of feeding it to hogs. Regenbrecht explains. Prices for fat hogs climbed as high as 25 cents a pound. This sudden increase in prices for market hogs caused a strong feeder pig demand.

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Statement...

By George L. Neely, Member of Haskell City Council

The only proposal ever made to the City Council concerning the Trapp Gas Franchise has been the following:

"If Mr. Trapp be granted a right to use the streets and alleys of the city for the laying of distributing lines, he will cause a test to be made of the quantity and quality of the Haskell County Natural Gas; and if it be found to be of sufficient quantity and quality to warrant its use as a business proposition, it will be furnished to Haskell citizens at the reduced rates provided in the franchise."

I can see no possibility of the proposed franchise ever to cost the people of Haskell anything, and it might result in a material savings to every citizen of the town. The Council was not furnished a "Financial Statement" by Mr. Trapp, but was cordially invited to make any inquiry and investigation through banking channels or Commercial Agencies, such as Dunns' and Bradstreets.

My personal inquiries satisfied me and I favored the Council granting the franchise without the expense of an election and referendum, believing that I was elected a member of the Council for the purpose of exercising my best judgment.

The City of Haskell has never heretofore refused any reasonable request for the use of its streets and alleys and I know of no such use that has ever cost the City or any of its citizens any money. I have attended every regular meeting of the Council since the proposed franchise was presented and no vote on the franchise has ever been taken on the adoption or rejection of it. We were freely invited to make any desirable investigation of Mr. Trapp's integrity and financial ability to serve our people on the proposal made. I am not personally acquainted with Mr. Trapp but have talked with a number of people who are personally acquainted with him and who have unqualifiedly recommended him as a man of high personal integrity and financial standing. I favor the granting of the franchise and recommend it to our citizens as a means of possible further development of Haskell County and its natural resources.

Respectfully submitted, George L. Neely

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