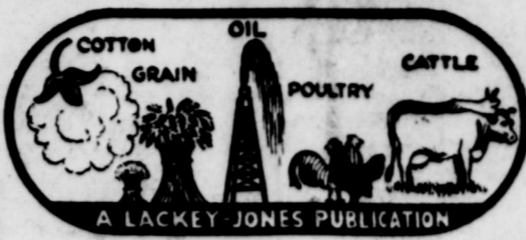


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## Throckmorton Youth Charged With Slaying of His Father

Throckmorton youth, John Miller, 18, was charged with the slaying of his father, J. E. (Ed) Miller, a long time resident of Throckmorton county, who was slain Sunday August 10. Miller admitted the slaying to County Judge D. Williams of Throckmorton. The county prosecutor, J. E. Miller, in a Breckenridge where he is under treatment for a diabetic condition. Miller riddled and badly wounded the body of the elder Miller, who was found approximately 8 miles from his farm home 8 miles west of Throckmorton. Searchers for him at Saturday morning. R. T. (Bob) Rankin said Miller to the Miller home after midnight Friday to a long distance telephone call concerning his son, reported in a hospital at Throckmorton. Rankin found no one at the Miller home at daylight and returned to the group to search for the farmer. Miller appeared to have been several days, the sheriff reported. The body was found under a tree in a pasture. A statement made to County Judge D. Williams, young Miller told that he stood in the door of his father's home on Aug. 10 and shot him six times as the older Miller went on the back porch. Miller told the county attorney that he loaded his father's pickup truck, took it to a pasture and dumped it. He then returned to the house, his clothes, loaded several pieces of cattle into the truck and returned to Fort Worth. Throckmorton he said he had a young boy, Bo Beatty, who he said he sold the cattle to. He returned to the house and returned to the house where he let Beatty out of the truck. He went to Uvalde, he said. Beatty could assign no money for slaying his father, the attorney said.

## Fines Ordered For Traffic Violations During Fires

City officials, taking note of the hazards created by thoughtless motorists who try to answer fire alarms ahead of the fire department, this week issued a blunt warning that fines would be imposed against all persons who violate traffic regulations or otherwise interfere with proper operation of the fire trucks during an emergency. Sections of a City Ordinance covering these violations is published in this issue of The Free Press, and Traffic Officer Harold Hodges warns motorists that they can expect tickets when violations occur.

Most flagrant violation, Chief Hodges said, was that of drivers following the fire trucks when an alarm is sounded. Cars should not follow, nor park within 300 feet of any fire department vehicle, he pointed out. Driving over fire hose laid across streets and alleys is also prohibited, and this offense has resulted in fines against several persons recently, city court records show. "Cooperation of the public when a fire occurs is earnestly desired," Hodges said, "and firemen must have that cooperation if they do an efficient job in saving property—which might be your own home. If that cooperation is not given willingly, there is only one recourse, and that will be strict enforcement of all ordinances and penalties against offenders," the officer said.

## Familiar Landmark Being Razed

Razing of a familiar Haskell landmark for more than thirty years was started this week when workmen began demolishing the West Texas Horse and Mule Barn, frame structure one block south of the square. The site is being cleared preparatory to erecting a modern service station by Magnolia Petroleum Company, purchasers of the property. Adjoining property has been bought by Bill Wilson, local Ford dealer, who has announced that he plans to erect a modern building on the site in the near future. Leveling of the large frame building, which was erected in 1915, removes one of the town's oldest landmarks. The structure was built by Kellum & McKelvin, Fort Worth and Haskell men who dealt extensively in horses and mules during the period preceding and after World War I. In later years the building and yards were used as a livestock exchange and trading post by local dealers.

## John Dyer Named Coach At Rule

John Dyer will coach the Rule Bobcats through a nine game schedule this year. Dyer, a graduate of Howard Payne college and coach at Comanche, will also serve as principal of the Rule high school. The season's schedule: Sept. 12—Clyde at Rule. Sept. 19—Haskell at Rule. Sept. 26—Munday at Rule. Oct. 3—Open. Oct. 10—Trent (site not determined). Conference games: Oct. 17—Rule at Woodson. Oct. 24—Rule at Aspermont. Oct. 31—Rule at Weinert. Nov. 11—Rochester at Rule. Nov. 21—Rule at Lueders.

## Tom Watson Injured In Oil Field Accident

In an oil field accident near Olney, Texas, Friday, Thomas Watson, son of Mrs. M. B. Watson of this city, suffered a fracture of his leg in three places. Mr. Watson was working on an oil rig helping to pull casing when the accident occurred. Mrs. Watson went to Olney Monday to be with her son for a few days.

## Norton Oil Test Will Be Drilled Deeper

Arrangements have been made for the deepening of what is locally known as the Norton oil test near this city. Nearly a year ago, the Humphrey interests drilled a test on the W. C. Norton land about three and one-half miles northeast of Haskell to a depth of 3744 feet. The test encountered several shows of oil and gas, but was abandoned. Some sixty days ago Paul L. Miller of Shreveport, La., acquired the lease on the land on which the test was located. It is reported that Miller and associates holding nearby leases have contracted to go into the old site and drill the test deeper. Operators plan drilling to the KIMA lime and to the Strawn sand if necessary to produce pay. Ten days or two weeks will be required to complete the test to that depth, operators estimate. It is reported that geologists declare that the logs of the old well and others in the nearby vicinity indicate that the Norton test is on a structure and its deepening will be watched with interest.

## 1947 CWT Fair to Offer Elaborate Entertainment

In addition to the enlarged scope of exhibits which will be housed in additional buildings now under construction, the 1947 Central West Texas Fair will present the largest and most elaborate program of entertainment ever offered the people in this section. Booked for the week of Sept. 22-27 is the Victory Exposition Shows, one of the largest carnival expositions in the Southwest. The shows will come from Tulsa, Oklahoma, to Haskell for this year's fair. They are booked to show later in Dallas. Gala feature of the Fair will be the opening day parade, and entries are already being made in the various divisions, according to W. O. Holden, who will direct this event. School children of the county will be admitted to the fairgrounds free on opening day, Sept. 25.

## Mrs. Walt Cousins Dies In New York

Word was received here Sunday August 10 by relatives, of the unexpected passing of Mrs. Walter H. Cousins, whose death occurred that day in New York City at the home of her daughter, Miss Margaret Cousins. Mrs. Cousins, whose home was in Dallas, had arrived in New York only the day before. Death was attributed to a heart attack. Mr. and Mrs. Cousins were pioneer residents in this section. Mr. Cousins owned and operated the first drug store in Munday about 1900. Later he owned a drug store in Wichita Falls, where they lived for a few years. For almost 30 years Mr. Cousins served on the State Board of Pharmacy in Texas as secretary. About 1915 they moved to Dallas where Mr. Cousins was publisher of the Southern Pharmaceutical Journal for more than 25 years. He died in 1942. Mrs. Cousins was buried beside her husband in beautiful Restland Cemetery in Dallas, Wednesday August 13. She is survived by her daughter, Miss Margaret Cousins, editor of Good Housekeeping Magazine, New York; her son, Walter Cousins Jr., of Dallas, publisher of the Southern Pharmaceutical Journal; two nieces, Mrs. Lawrence Hibbs of Tulsa, Okla.; and Mrs. William Ward of Wichita Falls; a nephew, Dr. Bailey Collins of Wichita Falls. Mr. Cousins was a brother of Al Cousins, Mrs. J. R. Mitchell and Mrs. J. M. Diggs of Haskell.

## Paint Creek School Will Begin Term Monday, Aug. 25

The 1947-48 term of Paint Creek Rural High School will begin Monday, August 25 with a faculty of ten teachers. All of the teachers have been employed, and assignments made as follows: Mrs. J. M. Owens, First grade and lower Second. Mrs. Lucy Ivy, upper Second and Third grades. Mrs. Iva Commons, Fourth and Fifth grades. Mrs. Floy Guillet, Sixth grade. Mrs. Frank Heflin, Seventh grade. Warren Morton, High School principal and coach. Ben F. Riggen, vocational agriculture. Mrs. Maybelle Foote, Home-making. Miss Mary Frances Birtcher, English. John M. Ivy is superintendent, Paint Creek School has made many improvements in the last few months, having installed baths in all teacherages, and a new water pump on one of the wells. New classroom furniture for all of the rooms has been bought but has not been received. Paint Creek is also securing buildings to improve the lunchroom and agriculture classroom and shop.

## Automobile Crash Is Fatal to Knox County Youth

Billy Joe Morrison, 22 of Vera, died in the Knox City hospital Monday following injuries received in a head-on automobile collision on the highway between Knox City and Munday Saturday night, in which several persons were injured. Young Morrison did not regain consciousness after the Saturday night wreck when seven other young people were injured. Two of the youths, A. W. Arthur, 18, of Bomarton, and Bob John Howard, 16, of Munday, who suffered serious injuries, were reported in improved condition Wednesday.

## Softball Title Games Are Scheduled

Play-off games of the softball season have been scheduled to begin Friday night, when the undefeated Mattson team is matched against the South Siders in the top bracket. Two other top ranking teams, the Odd Fellows and Honeycutt, will play either Monday or Tuesday night, with a definite date to be announced at Friday night's game. Standing of the teams at the close of the season had Mattson in first place with a record of no defeats, Odd Fellows second, Honeycutt third, and the South Siders in the cellar position.

## Baptist Revival Has Large Attendance

With large crowds attending each service, the annual summer revival meeting now in progress at the First Baptist Church has resulted in a number of conversions and additions to the church, and a revived spiritual interest throughout the community. Dr. C. Gordon Bayless, the evangelist, has brought inspiring messages to the large audiences. Arthur Nelson, soloist and harpist, is directing the song service. Services are being held at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. each day, and will continue through Sunday.

## Mrs. Johnnie Lytle Added to CC Staff

Johnnie Raye Lytle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis of the Rose community has been added to the Chamber of Commerce and CWT Fair staff with offices in the chamber of commerce. Her duties will be that of office secretary. She is a 1945 graduate of Haskell High School. Her husband is in the Navy and is serving on the USS Bucky with headquarters in San Diego, Calif.

## School Opening Set For September 1 At Weinert

With the faculty intact from last year and all buildings nearing complete repair, the Weinert Rural Consolidated High School will begin the 1947-48 term Monday Sept. 1. Connor Horton, superintendent, is beginning his third year in that capacity. The school employs 15 teachers and is fully accredited, teaching through twelve grades. Scholastics this year will total more than 456 pupils and the school is offering 28 affiliated credits. Included among the improvements made this year is the addition of a 35mm film stripper and an opaque machine which gives the school the only fully equipped Visual Education class in this section. All classrooms are equipped with loud speakers with the radio centrally controlled and offers a complete radio system for the schools. Two years ago a 16mm sound and film projector was installed. Radio Speech has been added as a part of the curriculum. Weinert is a member of District 12-B football and with I. L. Whitfield serving his second year as coach, prospects are good for an improved team this year. Opening conference game will be played October 3 with Lueders with games following on successive Fridays with Aspermont, Rochester, Woodson and Rule.

## Vocational School Adds Instructors

Four new instructors were added to the staff of the Haskell County Vocational Training School for veterans this week. J. Welton Young, director, announced. The newly-appointed directors replace others who have resigned to enter private business, and in other instances represent additions to the training staff. A new instructor is Joe B. Smith of Rule, who will conduct classes in carpentry. He is a skilled carpenter, and has had wide experience in all phases of the building industry. W. F. Kennedy replaces Roy Florence as teacher of the agriculture class at Peacock, a branch of the Haskell school. Florence recently resigned to take up studies for his ministry. Kennedy is a graduate of Sul Ross College, Alpine. W. H. Cowan, HSU graduate, succeeds Gene Campbell who has resigned as instructor to enter private business. A new agriculture class at Rule will be taught by Bertis T. Richey who is a graduate of Texas A & M College. This phase of instruction has attracted wide interest of veterans in the Rule section. Lewis E. May has been added to the branch school at Rochester where he will teach the second class in agriculture, succeeding James E. Frierson, who has resigned to accept a position as manager of the Haskell hospital.

## T. J. Arbuckle Named Election Judge In Precinct 1

T. J. Arbuckle of this city has been named presiding judge in Precinct 1 for the special election to be held Saturday. He succeeds County Judge O. E. Patterson, former banker who served as election judge for a number of years. In other voting boxes of the county, the regular election officials will have charge of both the State constitutional amendment and precinct road tax balloting.

## Haskell Girls Team Will Play Knox City, O'Brien Softballers

The Haskell girls softball team will play the Knox City-O'Brien girls team on the local CWT ball grounds Tuesday night, August 26, it was announced Thursday. The local team has an impressive record of wins for the season and they are expected to meet their toughest opposition in the combination of players from O'Brien and Knox City.

## Voters of Three Precincts to Vote On Special Road Tax Saturday

### Rule-Jayton Co. Buys Sanders Gin

Change in the ownership of Haskell County's oldest cotton ginning plants was made public this week, when purchase of the F. T. Sanders & Son Gin in this city by the Rule-Jayton Cotton Oil Company was announced. F. T. (Fred) Sanders, who established his first cotton gin in Haskell in the early 1900's is retiring from active business in this field and will devote his time to other interests. New manager of the Haskell gin under ownership of the Rule-Jayton Company will be T. L. Holland, manager of the Farmers Gin in Rochester for the past seven years. Previously he was with a gin in Anson in a similar capacity. He is an experienced gin operator and during his management of the Rochester plant the establishment was rated as one of the best in this section. Mr. Holland took charge of the local properties this week, and the gin plant is being placed in readiness for opening of the season. Mr. Holland and his daughter, Mrs. M. D. Taylor, plan to make their home in Haskell. Her husband, Sgt. Taylor, is stationed at Hobbs, N. M., in the Army.

### Haskell Girls Model In Fashion Review At Wichita Falls

Starring in "Classics for College" the Perkins-Timberlake college fashion review at the Wichita Theater in Wichita Falls last week, were four Haskell girls. Miss Eddie Bess Fouts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fouts, modeled in a coat of big bold plaids. The coat was a swing back, with huge pockets. She cast a fashionable shadow in the "Silhouettes of '47" scene. She wore a plain gabardine dress beneath, of purest Del Sarto red, a Forstmann tapestry tone, and was a Rosenblum original. She is to attend Hardin-Simmons. Miss Carolyn Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turner, wore one of the newest coats in fur—a black Mouton. Under this she wore an Ann Sodesky black crepe with a peek-a-boo neck. With it she wore a demure Christine Bonnet, such as Scarlet O'Hara might have worn during her widowhood. She is going to Hardin-Simmons. Going to TCU is Miss Catherine Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis. She wore a Mitchell Hoffman petite casual with two high clasps and wrap around wing skirt. Pheasant stick-ups adorned the Christine roller she wore. North Texas State Teachers College will be seeing Miss Pat Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harrison. She wore a pencil slim white crepe evening dress. A Barbara Claire original, the corset waist line was pinched in to focus the fan design in bugle beads. These girls also served as hostesses in the College Center.

### Doyle Eastland Buys Interest in Real Estate Firm

Announcement was made this week of change in the partnership of Hendrix & Smith, local real estate, loan and insurance agency. Doyle Eastland, county treasurer, has purchased the interest of O. M. Smith in the agency, and the concern will be operated in the future under the firm name of Hendrix & Eastland, with Mr. Hendrix in active charge of the business. Mr. Smith, former partner in the firm, plans to move his family to Olney where they will make their future home.

### J. J. Haygood Dies Aug. 20 Following Lengthy Illness

James J. Haygood, 77, former ginner and resident of Haskell for almost 30 years, died at the family home in North Haskell Wednesday at 1:30 a. m. He had been in failing health and confined to his bed most of the time for over two years. Mr. Haygood was born at Greenhill, Alabama March 10, 1870, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haygood Sr. He married Miss Minnie Landrum of Wright, Ala., May 10, 1896, and they later moved to Bell County. They came to Haskell County in 1919. Mr. Haygood had been a member of the Church of Christ for several years. Immediate survivors include his widow, Mrs. Minnie Haygood, of Haskell; a daughter, Mrs. C. B. Baggett of Stamford; two brothers, Dee and Wylie Haygood of Greenhill, Ala.; and two grandsons, Charles and Billie Baggett of Stamford. Funeral service for Mr. Haygood was held at the Church of Christ Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with the minister, Roy Deaver officiating. Interment was in Willow Cemetery with Holden's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Active pallbearers were Horace O'Neal, Ira Johnson, Roy Thomas, John F. Ivy, Howard Smith, Joe Maples, Barney Frazier, Belton Duncan.

### Scout Cavalcade Coming to Haskell August 27th

The Cavalcade of Scouting, a show of scouting skills which will make a tour of the Chisholm Trail council area, Boy Scouts of America next week, will visit Haskell Wednesday August 27th, for about one hour. The Cavalcade will appear on the court house lawn, and will be welcomed by city officials and local Scout leaders. It will be free to the public, and all Scouts and adults interested in Scouting are invited to be present. The traveling show will consist of a 30 or 45 minute show presented by scouts, senior scouts, and cubs of the council. Purpose of the show is to create an interest in scouting and to let the public know more about the program of the Boy Scouts.

### BANK WILL OBSERVE HOLIDAY SATURDAY

The Haskell National Bank will be closed all day Saturday, August 23, and business men and other bank patrons are reminded to keep the date in mind. The date is a legal holiday due to statewide special election to be held Saturday.

### Haskell and Rule Scouts in Second Place at Meet

Haskell and Rule Boy Scout patrols tied for second place with 48 points each in the District Swimoree of the Chisholm Trail Area held at Camp Tonkawa, near Buffalo Gap. First place was won by the Santa Anna patrol. With Bally Charles Matthews as coach, Haskell Scouts taking part included Abe Turner, Bobby Neil Smith, Rufus Dodson, James Miller, Bobby Miller, Temple Williams, Don Payne, Kirby White, Billy Mack Taylor, and Jimmy Ray Lee. Adult leaders accompanying the Scouts were Clay Smith, A. M. Turner and Doyle Eastland.

### VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. C. H. Breazeale and little daughters of San Angelo visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ellis last week, returning home Sunday.

Haskell County voters will express with ballots Saturday their opinion regarding the proposed long-term financing of buildings for State-owned schools and colleges, and in three precincts of the county will vote for or against a special road tax levy of not to exceed 15c on each \$100 valuation of property.

Principal interest of local voters is expected to center on the latter issue, which deals with maintenance of roads in Precincts 1, 2, and 4 in the county. State-wide voting is on a Constitutional amendment which would set aside a portion of tax money for permanent building purposes of the various State schools.

If approved by voters, the special road tax would be used for building and maintaining roads in the three precincts. Rising costs of labor, machinery and other factors in recent years have made it impossible to maintain roads on the present tax income. Commissioners of the three precincts declare. The special tax for road maintenance will provide sufficient revenue for this purpose without a blanket raise of property valuations in the county, it is believed.

Balloting on the constitutional amendment will be at all voting boxes in the county Saturday, while voters in only three precincts will vote on the road tax proposal. The special road tax was voted in Precinct 3 several years ago.

### Red Cross Chapter Maps Disaster Relief Set-Up

The Haskell county chapter of the American Red Cross, which contributed materially to all Red Cross activities during the late war, has mapped plans for peace time activities to cope with any need that may arise. Chapter officials and workers have given generously of their time and means in outlining a program for continuing the work of the Red Cross in the many fields in which community life is affected.

Principal among these is the disaster relief set-up, designed to provide assistance in time of fire, flood, tornado or other catastrophe which might imperil the community.

Committees to direct various phases of Red Cross work in all communities of the county have been named and a concise booklet of instructions and information has been sent each committee member and worker. Foreword of the pamphlet point out: "We do not know if nor when our town or towns may be the target of destruction by tornado, fire, or flood. But should disaster strike in this territory we can and will be better prepared if we familiarize ourselves with the instructions in this booklet."

With B. C. Chapman as chairman, the Disaster Committee is sub-divided into the following branches: Medical Staff, Nursing Staff, Surgical Dressings, Rescue and Survey, Registration, Communication, Food, Clothing, Cots and Blankets. A Central Purchasing Committee is composed of Geo. L. Neely, Morris Neal, T. L. Holland, Jr., Sam Reid, Bob Speck and Conner Horton.

### Graveside Rites Held For Ray Infant

Rites were held at the graveside in Willow cemetery Friday, August 15 at 2:00 p. m., for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ray of this city. The infant died August 14 at 12 a. m. in the Haskell County Hospital.

Rev. H. G. Hammer, Baptist minister of this city, conducted the service, and funeral arrangements were in charge of Holden's Funeral Home. In addition to the parents, other survivors include a brother, David Gene of Haskell; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ray and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wheeler, all of Haskell.







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## The Right To Read

The American people, according to an estimate, spent two-thirds billions of dollars for reading matter in 1947 for newspapers, books and magazines.

This indicates that the people of the United States are serious readers but the important thing to remember is that each individual had the privilege of selecting the material he or she chose to read. This is somewhat different from the situation prevailing in Russia, where the Government selects the stuff that the people read. It is different from what went on in Germany when Hitler took charge of the reading of the German people and set up the peculiarity that supported Nazism.

The important thing for every citizen of Haskell to remember is that nobody has the right to censor the press in the United States. This is a precious heritage of the people. It is the architect of intellectual progress and greatness. Let no American permit any attempt to cramp or control what Americans can read.

## More Than 4 Billion

Federal tax collections for the fiscal year which ended on 30, 1947, were one and a half billion dollars before the previous fiscal year.

Receipts from several sources increased but the drop in the almost entirely to the repealed excess profits tax, was down by more than four billion dollars, which gives the public a fair idea of what the repeal of the tax is worth to corporations.

## WILL FARM PRICES COLLAPSE?

Farmers of Haskell County will be interested in the expressed by I. W. Duggan, Governor of the Farm Administration, who points out that high farm commodity prices will stay up only as long as we make exports of foodstuffs.

The Farm Credit expert believes that farm land prices probably reach an all-time high in another year but wonders how long the high prices will last for farm commodities. Certainly, as long as the world demands a considerable part of our farm crops, prices will be up. If the world demand ends, or when the United States that it can no longer provide the exports, production in this country will vastly exceed domestic consumption.

The stage is being set for a repetition of the overproduction that plagued agriculture for many years after World War I. The same factors are at work and the same are likely to occur. With this in view, it might not be a bad idea to remind agriculturalists that there were three farm foreclosures between the two World Wars.

Now that vacation days are approaching the head of the parade is beginning to wonder whether he can afford to take vacations to which his family is accustomed.

It is about time for the people of the United States to wonder whether they are going to support the one world which will cost some money, or whether they prefer the same course that they followed after World War I which cost another war.

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# HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

**20 Years Ago**  
After ten months of mystery surrounding the murder of J. K. Beauchamp, Haskell nightwatchman, the arrest last week of two Comanche county men and the confession by one in which he implicated the other, has ended a long search by officers for the slayers.

A fleet of twenty Chevrolet trucks from the Dallas branch of the company, visited Haskell Monday. The Cavern, which is making a tour of Texas included every type of body used on commercial trucks.

Leafworms in great numbers are appearing in many cotton fields of Haskell County, and farmers are advised to take steps to control the pests, County Agent Trice said this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cox have returned from a visit in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crow are in Temple this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields, Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Stephens of Anson and Mrs. C. D. Kelley of Groesbeck are in El Paso where they will make final plans for the state meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Misses Opal and Durelle Davidson have returned to their home in Mineral Wells after a visit in the home of Miss Agnes Cox.

Mrs. R. C. Couch and daughter Mary were in Knox City Tuesday.

**40 Years Ago**  
Chas. McGregor has sold his farm in the northeast part of the county for something over \$40 per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott entertained a large party of the young people Monday night in their usual hospitable style.

Sunday night burglars broke into the Wichita Valley Depot at this place and blew open the door of the iron safe with dynamite and nitro and secured about \$140 in money. The outer door of the safe was shattered into bits and scattered over the floor, and a crow bar was used to prize open the inner door.

Messrs. W. T. Weaver, E. O. Chapman and R. B. Guess, all of Bell County have purchased farms out of the old Ed Whitaker ranch northeast of town.

J. W. Light of Chickasha, I. T., was here this week looking for cattle of the feeder class.

The bronc riding contest held here last Saturday furnished some lively sport, and all the worst horses in this section seemed to be on hand. There were many entries and some expert riding. The first, a \$55 saddle, was awarded to Edgar Jones. Second prize, \$25 in cash, went to Monroe Howard.

Sam Pierson and wife of Aspermont returned home Wednesday after a few days visit with relatives here.

Fields Bros. are of the opinion from the condition in which they found the door of their store Thursday morning, that an attempt was made to enter the building the previous night.

J. W. Cude of Temple was in Haskell this week and arranged for the building of a nice residence in the northwest part of town.

**50 Years Ago**  
R. E. DeBard, who came up last week to visit his wife, who was ill at the home of her father, left

for home again this week after finding Mrs. DeBard much improved in health.

Hugh Meadors is having a residence built in the northwest part of town.

J. T. Lawley has returned from a trip to the Nashville Exposition and visit with relatives in Alabama.

If the present cotton prospect holds out, as there is every promise that it will the farmers will need to import pickers to gather the crop.

T. G. Jack tells us that the new gin at Sand Hills is a settled fact. Wagons have gone to bring the machinery. It will be located on the M. H. Lackey place.

T. D. Isbell of Knox County was here this week. He expressed the intention of moving to Haskell this fall to give his children the advantages of our schools.

Attention of farmers is directed to the advertisement of the Anson Roller Mill. This mill is turning out a good line patent flour in several grades and makes a liberal exchange of flour for wheat.

J. W. Parker of Austin is here on a visit to his children.

J. F. Jones is enlarging his gin and states that he is expecting his new machinery to arrive within a few days.

Showers which have fallen over the county during the past ten days have brought relief from the extremely hot weather.

Anson now has telephone connections with Abilene, and a move is on foot to build a line between Haskell and Anson to connect with the Abilene circuit.

## TO THE DEPOSITORS OF THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK, HASKELL, TEXAS

Please take notice that on July 5, 1947, the deposit liabilities of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Haskell, Texas, were assumed by the Haskell National Bank, Haskell, Texas. The deposits of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Haskell, Texas, will continue to be insured in the Haskell National Bank, Haskell, Texas, as provided by the Banking Act of 1935.

This notice is given in pursuant to paragraph (4) subsection (i) of Section 12B of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended.

Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Haskell, Texas  
By: A. M. Turner 40.13tc

## NOTICE

An election will be held in Precinct 1, Precinct 2, and Precinct 4 of Haskell County, Texas, to determine whether the Commissioners Court shall levy a special road tax not to exceed 15 cents on the \$100.00 valuation for the maintenance of the roads in each of the precincts. Said election to be held on the 23rd day of August, 1947, and at the regular voting boxes in said precincts. 4tc

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**OPERATION OF VEHICLES**  
Section 10. Operation of Vehicles on Approach of Authorized Emergency Vehicles. Upon the approach of any authorized emergency vehicle or vehicles giving audible signal by bell, siren or exhaust whistle, the operator of every other vehicle shall immediately drive the same to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right hand edge or curb of the street, clear of any intersection, and shall stop and remain in such position until the authorized emergency vehicle or vehicles shall have passed, unless otherwise directed by a police officer.

Section 11. Following Fire Apparatus Prohibited. Upon the sounding of gongs or warning devices used upon fire apparatus, operators shall stop their vehicles as near to the right curb as possible and shall remain standing until such fire apparatus has passed or until five minutes after the official fire siren has started sounding. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to follow any fire apparatus in response to a fire alarm closer than three hundred (300) feet from the rear of such apparatus.

### ARTICLE V STANDING, PARKING AND STOPPING

Section 6. Parking Prohibited in Certain Places. (c). It shall be unlawful for any operator to park any vehicle within three hundred (300) feet of any burning building or structure or thing where fire fighting apparatus is being used for the purpose of extinguishing same, except under the direction of the Chief or other officer of the Fire Department, or a police officer of the City. 2tc

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Harold G. Wise, Pastor-elect  
"Costliness Of Prayer" and "Behold, I Stand At The Door And Knock" are the sermon subjects for the Sunday School lesson at 9 o'clock.

"Wise Words Concerning Honesty" is the Sunday School lesson at 9:45 o'clock.

"Why Could Romans 8:29-31 Be a Favorite Scripture Of Yours will be considered at Prayer meeting, Wednesday, August 27th, 7:30 p.m. See a photostatic copy of the Mat-

thew's Bible of 1537 at this meeting.

Mrs. Sam Herren will be the leader of the Woman's Auxiliary program at the Church, Monday, August 25th, at 4:00 p.m.

Rally Day at Sunday School, September 28.  
You are welcome to worship here.

## IN NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pogue are spending their vacation at Carlsbad and other points in New Mexico.

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**Exhibits Invited At Agents, 4-H Club Conference**

The Texas A and M College Extension Service extended invitations this week to all commercial concerns in Texas to set up exhibits of their products at the annual Extension agents' conference and State 4-H Club Round Up, September 2-5, at College Station.

The five day conference and 4-H Round Up will be attended by all county agricultural and home demonstration agents in Texas. Four 4-H Club members and two adult club leaders are expected to come in from every Texas county for the Round Up. The Extension Service, sponsoring the event, advises commercial concerns wishing to put up exhibits to contact the Extension specialist at College Station whose field of work is closest related to the type of exhibit to be set up.

**Fryers Plentiful At Reasonable Price**

Chicken dinners can be on the family menu often now. They're plentiful and priced reasonably says Myrtle Murry, home marketing specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

The wholesale prices of fryers are now below the last OPA ceiling. In fact, says the specialist, they are back to the 1926 price levels.

Fryers are popular because they are adaptable. Served hot or cold, country fried or French fried, the plentiful young birds fill the menu bill.

Very plump fryers weighing not over 2 1-2 pounds are tops for broilers, and the heavier fryers, weighing around 3 1-2 pounds lend themselves best to roasting, braising and fricasseeing.

However the housewife prepares them, fryers are excellent eating and they are a good buy, says the marketing specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford and Horace and Mrs. T. J. White of Abilene visited in Carnegie, Okla., and other points during the week end.

**VISIT IN OKLAHOMA**

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**Rochester News**

Pete Lee and family of Petersburg were guests in the homes of their mothers, Mrs. T. J. Lee and Mrs. Sallie Fields during the week end.

Billy Bob Glenn is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Grady.

Maybelle Taylor Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met with Mrs. Roy Young Monday afternoon. Two new members were added, giving the Circle a total membership of fourteen.

Joe Paul Fields of Lubbock is spending his vacation here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Melvin of Bovina spent Monday night in the Allen Bell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Glover and son John Ben visited relatives at Dublin last week.

Mrs. Earl Booth of Madill, Oklahoma is a house guest in her brother's home, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Driver.

Miss Florence Hutchens is visiting her aunt and family, Mrs. Joe Ash in Aztec, N. M.

Mrs. J. H. Wolf and Mrs. Curtis Love visited Mrs. O. B. Smedley and family at Wichita Falls a few days last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall last week were Mrs. Lottie Green of Lubbock and Mr. W. A. Burdine, also of Lubbock, sister and nephew of the Hall's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Speck visited relatives at Petersburg and Marietta last week.

La Juana Brown and Zodie Riggins of Amarillo spent Wednesday here in the home of friends, George Riggins, who has been visiting here the past month returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hambly and family left for their home in Houston after a two weeks stay here with relatives. Mr. Hambly is on the police force at Houston. J. B. Cowan of Sweetwater visited in the home of Roy Cowan last week.

Mrs. Mardis Grant and Edge York of Lampasas visited friends here last week.

**Animal Balloons In Parade at West Texas Fair**

The 23rd annual West Texas Fair and Sheriff's Posse Rodeo will be held at the West Texas Fair Grounds, September 15-20, with rodeo performances each evening at 8:00 p. m. and afternoon performances at 2 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.

The 1947 Fair will be officially opened at 10 a. m., September 15, with a colorful parade, led by the Hardin-Simmons world famed Cowboy Band. One of the feature attractions of the parade will be the giant animal balloons which were featured in New York. More than thirty beautiful floats have already been entered, and several college and high school bands will be on hand to add music and color in the event. Mounted rodeo performers, quarter horses and flashing palominos will be in the parade.

Cutting horse contests, quarter horse races and specialty acts will be held on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons.

Bill Hames shows will be on the midway with the very latest rides and shows to entertain both young and old.

The exhibition buildings have been remodeled and enlarged to take care of the hundreds of exhibits which will be on display during the six days. These will include manufacturers, retailers, community agricultural exhibits, automobiles, farm machinery, road machinery and others.

The livestock show this year includes registered Herefords, Jerseys, sheep and goats, quarter horses, swine, poultry, and rabbits.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Fuller returned Saturday from a vacation trip to points in Arkansas and Missouri.

**RETURN FROM VACATION**

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**FARM FACTS**  
WORTH KNOWING

Q. Is there any treatment that is effective against Newcastle disease?

A. At the present time there is no specific medicinal treatment which can be recommended. Affected birds should be isolated or quarantined, and birds that are paralyzed or dead should be disposed of either by burning or burying. As a control measure, dispose of those birds which may survive an outbreak of the disease.

Q. May ducks be raised on dry ground?

A. Yes. At the Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company it was found that ducks may be successfully raised on dry ground. When it is convenient, however, a small concrete pool should be provided for swimming so the ducks may wash themselves and keep clean and comfortable.

Q. What percentage of pigs that are farrowed reach market age?

A. The death rate of pigs is much higher than with other kinds of livestock. Normally not more than 90% of the pigs farrowed are raised to marketable weights. Figures based on five-year records on typical farms by the United States Department of Agriculture show that each dead pig represents a loss of:  
140 lbs. of feed at farrowing time.  
260 lbs. of feed at 10 weeks.  
600 lbs. of feed at 6 months.

Q. What causes some of my eggs, when candled, to show spots all over the inside of the shell although the outside is smooth?

A. This condition is caused by a drying out of the moisture in the shell of the egg, and while it does not hurt the quality of the egg, it does injure the marketability of the egg. This condition can be prevented by holding eggs in a room where there is at least 75% relative humidity.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 815 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

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DEMAND QUALITY

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tidwell, Mrs. Will Harrell, Minnie Glover and her children, Imogene, Bob, Charlene, Pat and Roy returned home Friday from Houston where they visited their grandson and nephew J. J. Hooker who is in the Navy Hospital there. They also visited their sister and family of Seabrook. On their return trip they visited with Mrs. Will Harrell's brother and attended the Hico reunion.

**RETURNS FROM DECATUR**

Mrs. W. D. Hellums has returned home after a week's visit with relatives at Decatur and Alford. While there she attended the Homecoming at Audubon Church and the Gossett Reunion at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Gossett.

**TO THE EMPLOYEES AND ELECTED OFFICERS OF HASKELL COUNTY:**

I wish to give each and every one of you my sincere thanks and appreciation for giving me your cooperation in helping me to install the pure Group Life Insurance and complete Hospitalization for all county employees, which has just been made available by a recent legislation of the State. It was my intention to see each of you but if I missed anyone, will be glad to enter you in the group in the future. 95% of employees and elected officers that were eligible were insured.

O. L. JOHNSON,  
Agent for Republic National Life Insurance Co., Dallas

**LARGEST ON RECORD**

The U. S. Department of Agriculture forecasts that the final count on the nation's wheat crop will be 1.4 billion bushels, the largest crop on record. That record would be 61 per cent above average production, and 24 per cent above last year's production.

**VISITOR FROM SNYDER**

Miss Annetee Perdue of Snyder visited relatives and friends in Haskell during the week end.

Carolyn Williams has returned from an extended vacation in New York, Canada and points.

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11 A. M. Morning Messare.  
7:30. Great Song Service by the Booster Band and Church Choir.  
8:15. Evening Message.  
Wednesday 7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting.  
Friday 7:30 P. M. Teachers Meeting and Young People's Training Service.  
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**High Yield Cotton**

Yields of 2 to 3 bales per acre were obtained at the Weslaco and Ysleta substations of the Agricultural Experiment Station during 1946, according to a report by D. T. Killough, agronomist in the department of agronomy at Texas A. and M. College. Favorable conditions resulting in high yields from some better varieties as produced at those substations.

Weslaco and Ysleta the highest yielding varieties at a number of points in the state for the last several years. Deltapine 14, Stone Empire, certain types of better strains of Roden and including Roden 41B, Comstock 200, Coker 4 in 1; Lantern Northern Star; Floyd, Wat-

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The City of Haskell will receive bids to furnish one (1) Adams 512 Diesel Motor Grader, 4-wheel Tandem Drive, 13.00x24 rear tires, leaning wheel front axle, 9.00x24 front tires, 12-ft. Oil Mix Moldboard, cab without top, electric starting, 11-tooth V-Type Scarifier, air pre-cleaner, with muffler. Bids will be received by the City Secretary at his office at the City Hall in the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas until noon September 5, 1947. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JOHN A. COUCH, Mayor.  
Attest: J. Belton Duncan, City Secretary. 35 3c

son and Bryant strains of Mebane; Lockett 140-46 and Western Profitic.

**HASKELL VISITOR**

Mrs. J. J. Pace of Mineral Wells visited last week in the home of her son Lynn Pace Sr., and family.

**Veterans' News**

**Q. I am a World War II veteran and work part time. I intend to apply for readjustment allowance and would like to know how the amount I receive is computed.**

A. As a partially employed veteran you can receive the maximum number of allowances to which the length of your service in the armed forces entitles you, but each weekly allowance would be reduced by the wages you receive so that readjustment allowances and wages combined will not exceed \$23 a week. Each weekly allowance thus received, regardless of the amount of payment, would reduce by one the number of remaining payments available.

**Q. I was released from the army with a bad conduct discharge and would like to know if I am entitled to any of the benefits under the GI Bill?**

A. You should contact your nearest Veterans Administration office for a decision as to whether you were discharged under conditions other than dishonorable since that is the determining factor for entitlement to benefits.

**Q. Will the amount of compensation I receive for a service incurred disability be reduced in event I find employment?**

A. No. Earnings from such work do not effect the amount of compensation received.

**Q. Is there any limit to the amount I can borrow under the GI Bill?**

A. You can borrow any amount that the lender is willing to lend you, but VA will guarantee only 50 percent of the amount up to \$4,000 on a real estate loan and up to \$2,000 on a business loan.

**Girls Sewing Class Has Final Meeting Of Summer**

The Summer Society of Seamstresses met August 1 for the final meeting. The class met at the Homemaking Cottage and discussed what had been done, the progress made and the problems and highlights of each pupil's project.

Each person taking this summer project turned in the original write-up consisting of the things planned to be done, the final write-up including the plans fulfilled, changes made, and full details of all work done, and also a time chart showing dates and the time spent on project. We spent about one hour talking about our work.

At five o'clock we started on a progressive dinner, taking our first course at Sue Busby's with co-hostess Verna Elkins. They served a delicious mixed fruit cocktail. The centerpiece was an attractive zinnia arrangement. The garments and some preserved foods Verna and Sue made were on display. After being served we went to Mary Payne's for the second course of tomato aspic. Co-hostesses were Mary Glass and Virginia Frierson, who served us at tables decorated with marigolds. They also had garments and refinished furniture on exhibit. We saw some bathrooms Mary Beth had painted.

Next we went to Gloria O'Neal's for the main course consisting of meat loaf, English peas, hot rolls and iced tea. Betty New, Wanda Stocks and Deen Williams were co-hostesses. This course was served buffet style.

The dessert was served at Mary Tyler's where June Brock and Pansy Moore were co-hostesses. They served on the lawn, with watermelon for dessert. The table was decorated with grapes, grape leaves and zinnias.

The girls completing the required work and receiving one-half credit follow, with the names of their summer project:

Mary Payne, "Mother's Summer Helper."  
Patsy Toliver, "Doing What Needs to be Done."  
Virginia Frierson, "Spending My Summer Hours."  
Gloria O'Neal, "Helping Out."  
Verna Elkins, "Fun in Summer Homemaking."  
Pansy Moore, "Progressing to be a Good Homemaker."  
Wanda Stocks, "My Second Summer Project."  
Betty Jane New, "A New Wardrobe."  
Mary E. Glass, "Life On a Farm."  
June Brock, "Progress in Homemaking."  
Deen Williams, "Learning New Things."  
Mary Tyler, Summer Experience."  
Sue Busby, "Seeing What I Can Do."  
Laverne Rivers, Mrs. Bernard Phelps was teacher.

**Hydroponic Garden Is Help to Army**

Fresh vegetables for use with Army rations in overseas installations where they cannot be otherwise supplied, are being produced successfully and in large quantities by the employment of hydroponic gardening. This process, also known as nutriculture, water culture, and chemi-culture, consists of beds of gravel, stones, cinders or other inert material in which vegetables are grown by supplying them with water and the nutrient chemicals necessary for their growth. This supply of fresh vegetables in this manner is contributory to high moral among the troops.

**Sugar Has Firming Effects on Fruits**

Here's a tip for Haskell County housewives on making preserves out of the fruit crop that's coming to market now.

Fruit preserves are successful only if the fruit holds its shape, yet is tender and translucent in the syrup, home economists for the U. S. Department of Agriculture say as they explain that sugar has a firming effect on fruit tissues but must be applied differently to various types of fruit.

Sugar is added "straight" to tender, juicy fruits like peaches, cherries and berries. If the fruit stand overnight in sugar, they become firmer and are less likely to go to pieces in cooking. The sugar draws out the juice and shrinks the fruit somewhat, but the juice provides enough liquid so that no water need be added, and this shortens the cooking time. The shorter the cooking time, the better the color and flavor.

Juicy fruits with a firm skin, like plums, do not need overnight firming. But because they are juicy they are put in a thick syrup. This helps keep their shape as they cook, and the juice, as it cooks out, thins the necessary amount.

Firm fruits like quinces and crabapples are put in thin syrup to cook, for thick syrup toughens them, and too, they have time to cook tender while the syrup boils down.

ces. These off-duty programs offer to the trainee the chance to pursue a hobby, participate in amateur show productions, join guided tours to points of interest, enroll in educational classes, enjoy good music, and take part in competitive athletics. Morality, religion and citizenship will receive stress to prepare the young soldier for a more active role in his community.

**READ THE WANT ADS.**

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The City of Haskell will receive bids for the purchase of one (1) Austin 77 Jr., street and road maintainer, now the property of said City and which may be inspected by prospective purchaser upon application to the said City Secretary. Bids will be received until noon September 5, 1947. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids received.

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**HOME FOR SUMMER**

Janice Pace is spending her summer vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Pace, Sr. Janice will be a senior in Texas Christian University this coming year.

**RETURN FROM VACATION IN PAMPA, CARLSBAD**

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brewer and daughter Beverly Ann and Curtis Graham have returned home from a vacation spent in Pampa and Lefors, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ammons and daughter Earlene and neice Frances Oliphant accompanied them home by way of New Mexico where they visited Carlsbad Cavern and other points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Ammons will return to Pampa after a two weeks visit in Haskell.

**GUESTS IN ADAMS HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams had as guests in their home during the week end Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hays of Carlsbad, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Shreveport, La., Charlie Horner of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Isham of Miles and Mrs. Floy Powell of Comanche.

**VISIT IN WICHITA FALLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dee Larned and family spent the week end in Wichita Falls, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mears.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**

Rev. James E. Harrell, Pastor of the First Methodist Church is to begin a revival at Knox City Friday night. The Rev. John W. Price is the Pastor. The revival is to continue through Sunday night August 31.

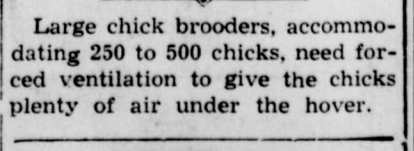
Rev. John W. Price, Pastor of the First Methodist Church of Knox City, will occupy the pulpit for the pastor next Sunday morning. The Rev. Mr. McKudy, pastor of the First Christian Church, is to preach at the Methodist Church Vesper Service in the evening.

Methodism has set a goal of 25% increase in Sunday School enrollment. Our church has set a goal of at least 50% increase in regular attendance. The campaign begins the first of September. A great Sunday School means a great church.

We welcome visitors.

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**Nutrition Conference Planned Oct. 23-24 At A. and M.**

The Texas Nutrition Conference will hold its third meeting at Texas A. and M. College, October 23 and 24, according to an announcement by the nutrition conference committee.

Some of the outstanding men in the nutrition field will speak during the meeting. They are Dr. C. F. Huffman, research professor of dairying, Michigan State College; Dr. H. R. Guilbert, professor of animal husbandry, University of California; Dr. R. M. Bethke, in charge of nutritional investigations, Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station; Dr. J. W. Hayward, director of nutritional research department of Archer-Daniels-Midland Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota; and Dr. T. H. Jukes, head of the department of nutrition and physiology, Lederle Laboratories, Pearl River, New York.

The nutrition conference is held to aid feed manufacturers and others interested in the feeding and nutrition of farm animals. The public is invited to attend the two-day meeting.

**AGF Adopts New Training Program**

All Army Ground Forces recruits will receive the benefits of new training and off-duty programs tested successfully by the Fort Knox, Ky., Universal Military Training Experimental Unit, it has been announced. "Major emphasis will be placed upon extensive use of off-duty programs," said General Devers, Commanding General of the Army Ground Forces.

**FARM LOANS**

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**WAA News**

Further information regarding the veterans' sale of 480 automobiles at 17 Texas installations was announced this week by the WAA at Grand Prairie. All of the actual selling will take place at the Grand Prairie sales warehouse immediately following a drawing to be participated in by all veterans present at 1 pm, Monday, August 25. Honorable discharge copies or other proof of World War 11 service will qualify the veterans as buyers. Veterans will continue to make their selection from the shiny sedans, station wagons and other vehicles by inspection daily through August 22, and the buying will continue until August 27, with veteran dealers scheduled to buy on August 28.

There has always been a rather steady demand for army used and new clothing. Wool overcoats, coats and gloves in sizeable quantities will be offered through the Grand

Prairie office of War Assets Administration until August 27, it has been announced. This clothing which has been used, is stored at Camp Hood, at Killeen, and at Ft. Worth Quartermaster Depot. The bidding is open to everyone and the clothing will be sold in lots.

A sealed bid sale of automotive truck parts has been announced by War Assets Administration and will be offered in a catalogue sale until 11 a.m., August 26, the Grand Prairie WAA office has announced. Among the automotive parts are main bearing shells, fuel pumps, links, suspension springs and top assemblies. The majority of the material, located at the Red River Arsenal, near Texarkana, is unused. A complete listing may be obtained from the Customer Service Center at Grand Prairie.

Chick and poult brooders, using ordinary lamp bulbs as a source of heat have been proven under test to be satisfactory and efficient.

**Farm Labor Program Will Be Continued Until End of '47**

The farm labor program of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service will continue in full force until the end of the year, Caesar (Dutch) Hohn, state supervisor of the program has announced.

The program has been operated by the Extension Service under Congressional authorization since the spring of 1943 when the acute farm labor shortage demanded emergency action, but will revert to the Texas Employment Commission on January 1, 1948, Hohn explained.

"There will be no let up in the educational work being carried on with both laborers and farmers," the farm labor official declared. "The Extension program throughout has been an educational program designed to bring about bet-

**Legume Growers of County Organize**

A group of Haskell county farmers met in Rochester August 13 and organized a Legume Seed Growers Association.

Purpose of the organization is to secure legume seed in order to increase the acreage of legumes in Haskell County. Dave Persons of Haskell, was elected president of the organization; J. D. Brown of Rochester, vice president; and F. W. Martin, Haskell, was elected secretary-treasurer. The following were elected to serve as directors: Eugene Wheeler, Rule; Carl Clark, Rochester; L. B. White, Rochester; Clinton Herren, Rule; and they will serve with the officers of the Association to make a board composed of seven members.

According to County Agent Martin the group was very enthusiastic about the meeting, with eighty farmers in attendance.

The association was organized following the charter of another seed association.

The following farmers joined the association and placed their order for seed: Joe Fletcher, Rochester; George H. Sloan, Rochester; Clyde W. Harrell, Rule; Paul S. Grinstead, O'Brien; Richard E. Mathis, Rochester; Alfred R. Porter, Rochester; Elbert L. Brown, Rochester; Chris Fletcher, O'Brien; Dave Persons, Haskell; J. C. Holt, Rule; H. D. Gammill, Rochester; W. G. May, Rule; Luther Hester, Rochester; F. W. Martin, Haskell; Clarence Gauntt, Rochester; Carl Clark, Rochester; Clinton Herren, Rule; Basil T. Murphy, Haskell; Alvin Dörner, Haskell; R. G. Foote, Haskell; K. K. Kirkpatrick, Haskell; R. L. Gannaway, Haskell; L. B. White, Rochester; Scott White, Rule; J. G. Flournoy, Rochester; John W. Wyatt, Rochester; J. D. Brown, Rochester; James E. Frierson, Haskell; Joe B. Cloud and Eugene Wheeler, Rule.

It is hoped that acreage for winter legumes will be increased this year in the county.

**Funeral Rites Held At Rule Sunday for W. O. Smith, Sr.**

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Sunday for W. O. Smith, Sr., 66, Rule real estate dealer who died in that city Saturday.

Mr. Smith had been a resident of Haskell county for 47 years and a deacon in the Baptist church for 27 years. He was born August 8, 1881.

The Rev. C. A. Powell conducted the services at the Baptist church and burial was in the Rule cemetery under the direction of Gauntt funeral home.

Pallbearers were O. B. Cave, L. W. Jones Jr., Goodson Sellers, D. Tanner, Jiggs Westbrook, Ferber Chambers, Ray Penick, and Tom Ed Sampson.

Survivors include the widow, one son, W. O. Smith Jr., and one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Barnes.

**RETURN FROM COLORADO**

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smallwood have returned from a visit with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark of Englewood, Colorado.

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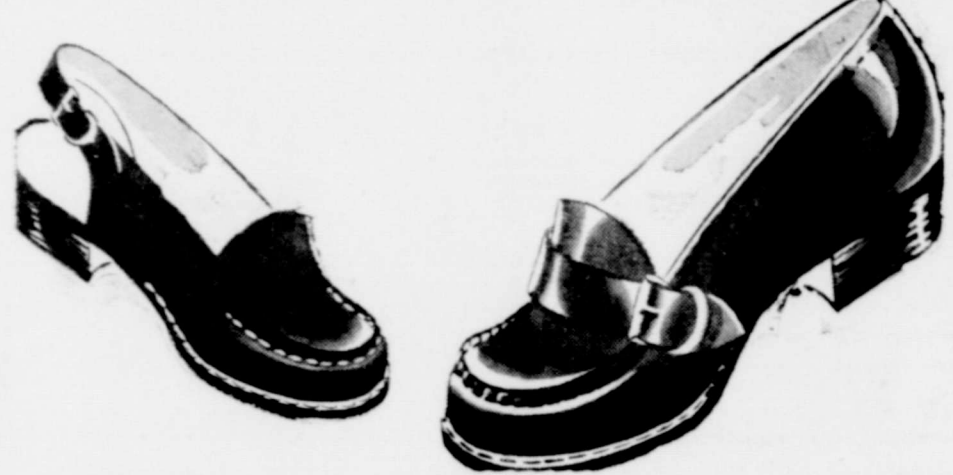
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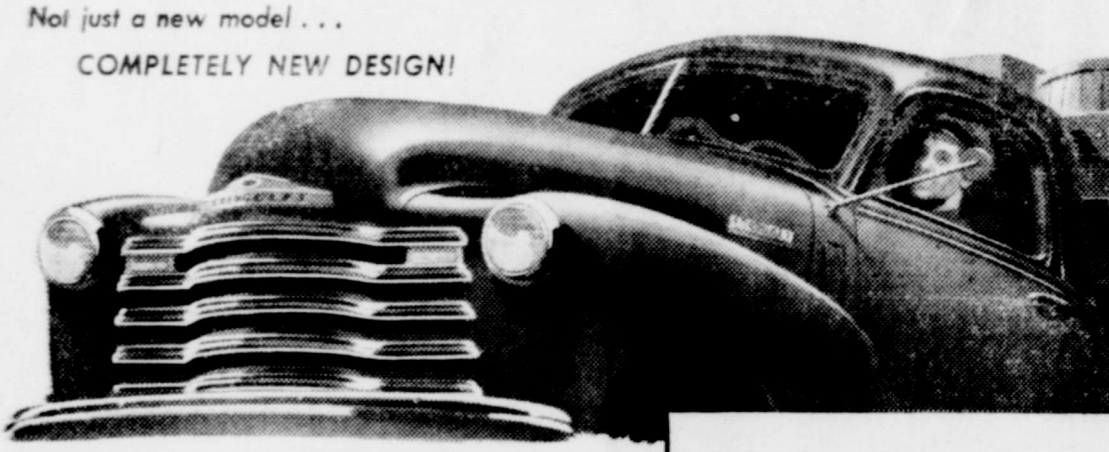
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ter understanding between laborer and producer so that they might better realize that it is to their mutual interest to cooperate fully.

The Extension Service has always felt that if the right understanding existed between laborer and producer, there would be no necessity for an agency to do placement work, since placement would take care of itself. Hohn declared, pointing out that the Extension program was based on the idea of getting correct information to workers and farmers alike.

The 59 farm labor reception centers, spotted at strategic points throughout the migrant areas of the state and build cooperatively by communities and the Extension Service, will become the responsibility of the communities. Hohn said, adding that he sincerely hoped the communities would continue to maintain the centers either on their own or in cooperation with the employment commission. The centers provide migrant families with cooking and sanitary facilities and a place to spend the night. Prior to the launching of the farm labor program, no such facilities were available in most sections to which migrants traveled.

**VISITORS IN HASKELL**

H. G. Caste and Steve Powers of Abilene were Haskell visitors Saturday.

Feeding wheat alone to steeds is not advisable, but it can be fed safely when mixed with corn or grain sorghums equal amounts.

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**VISITING IN CROWELL.**

Miss Betty Ann Rogers left Sunday for Crowell, where she will visit on the Haisell Ranch with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Smith and family.

**SUNDAY VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Taylor of Amarillo were Sunday visitors in the home of W. E. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rogers and family.

**HERE FROM MINERAL WELLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goodwin of Mineral Wells visited relatives in Haskell Saturday and Sunday.

**Diphtheria Easily Preventable, Health Official States**

Education of the public to the value of diphtheria immunization has resulted in lowering the incidence of this dread disease, but Texas still had over 1500 cases of this preventable disease last year according to records in the Texas State Department of Health.

"It is a generally accepted fact among public health authorities," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said, "that any community may control its death rate from diphtheria. Immunization has been proved a safe and effective preventive measure. Whenever immunizing treatment has been extensively used, diphtheria has steadily decreased.

"The most forceful weapon in the control of diphtheria is prevention through immunization, rather than cure of the disease after it has developed. Children can be protected against diphtheria by the use of what is known as toxoid. Young children are particularly susceptible to the disease. Accordingly, as soon as a baby is six months old, parents are advised to take it to the family physician and have it immunized—protected, by the use of toxoid. Older children in the family who have not had the protective treatment, should be immunized also, and this should be attended to now before the school season begins. This immunizing agent is absolutely safe to administer; there is only a slight local reaction, and practically no constitutional or troublesome after effects. It confers a lifetime immunity in the majority of cases. To be certain that immunization is complete, however, the child should be taken back to the physician six months after the toxoid was administered, and given the Schick Test.

"It is within the power of the parents of this State, cooperating with their physicians and public health departments to eliminate diphtheria from Texas."

**RETURN TO AMARILLO**

J. L. and Jackie Connell returned to their home in Amarillo Sunday after spending the past two weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rogers and family.



MRS. HAROLD B. PAYNE

**Julia Anne Marlowe and Harold B. Payne Recite Wedding Vows In Home Ceremony**

Miss Julia Anne Marlowe and Harold B. Payne were married Saturday August sixteenth. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. J. D. Marlow and the late J. D. Marlow and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Payne, Goree.

The double ring ceremony was read in the presence of the immediate families in the home of the bride's mother. Officiating was the Rev. James Harrell, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Haskell. Mrs. Orb Coffman, an aunt of the bride, presented the music.

The bride wore a street length dress of dark brown crepe, fashioned with a draped skirt with matching accessories. She carried a white prayer book, topped with white gardenias.

Miss Hortense Marlow attended her sister as maid of honor and the groom's brother, Wayne Payne, served him as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Haskell High School and attended North Texas State College, Denton. The groom was graduated from high school in Goree and served over two years in the Merchant Marine.

After a wedding trip the couple will be at home in Goree.

**GUESTS IN HELLMUMS HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hellums had as their guest Mrs. Hellums' mother, Mrs. A. J. Gossett of Alvord and sister, Mrs. C. H. Wall and Mr. Wall of Portales, New Mexico.

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**BUMPER RICE CROP**

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**Baptist Hospitals Launch Drive for Student Nurses**

With the aim of educating more women for the nursing profession to help relieve the present critical shortage of graduate nurses, the five Baptist hospitals in Texas are this month launching an intensive student nurse recruitment program preliminary to the opening of new freshmen classes in their schools of nursing in Sept. Personal appeals will be issued to young women aged 17 to 35 through Baptist churches and Sunday schools over the state, to interest them in preparing for the nursing profession. Speakers will outline to the girls the advantages nursing offers of a well-paid livelihood, position of community prestige and an opportunity to aid suffering humanity, officials stated.

"The demand for nurses far exceeds the supply," Andrew Q. Allen, volunteer director for the nurse recruitment campaign, stated. "Unless more young women

answer the call and enter nursing, the people of this country will suffer for lack of adequate care in time of sickness. The shortage in civilian hospitals has been acute since the beginning of the war and has not been relieved since war's end because of the great number of nurses now required in veterans hospitals."

The varied fields open to graduate nurses today include hospitals, doctors' offices, industry, public health agencies, government service, nursing school faculties and foreign missionary

work. All are in desperate need for more nurses.

The five Baptist hospitals in the statewide student nurse recruitment campaign and the opening dates of their Nursing School classes are: Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, September 18; Baylor Hospital, Dallas September 22; Valley Baptist Hospital, Houston, September 2; Hillcrest Memorial Hospital, Waco, September 18. Interested young women are urged to write to the hospital of their choice.

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**Abilene Breeder Has Registered Dam**

A registered Jersey cow owned by L. B. Duck, Abilene, has qualified as a Tested Dam under the requirements of the American Jersey Cattle Club.

Extension dairymen at Texas A M College were informed by the club headquarters in Columbus, Ohio, that the dam, Gamboze Jap Noblesse of E. V. 1169437, now has three offspring with official production records which more than double the production of the average dairy cow in the United States. The records make the cow a Tested Dam, in the books of the American Jersey Cattle Club.

Production records of Noblesse's offspring averaged 7,794 pounds of milk and 403 pounds of butterfat per cow, with the milk testing out on an average of 5.14 percent butterfat.

The dam's own record gives her a good rating of Good Plus under the Jersey club's type classification program. That rating is equal to a score of 80 on a score card that allots 100 points to a perfect animal.

Duck has been congratulated by the cattle club's officials, who stated that the Tested Dam, through her offspring, can be a definite boost to Taylor County dairying.

**VISIT IN HOME OF MOTHER**  
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ratliff of DeQuincy, La., were week end visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. D. Ratliff. They will also visit a daughter near Springfield, Mo., before returning home.

**GUESTS IN RATLIFF HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ratliff of Stamford, visited Mrs. L. D. Ratliff and family Sunday.

**Migratory Bird Laws Announced**

Copies of the migratory game bird proclamation covering open season dates and bag and possession limits as adopted by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission for the fall and winter seasons, have been received in Haskell.

The regulations, adopted at a meeting of the commission July 3 go into effect on and after August 31 and provide as a penalty for violation for killing or possessing any migratory game bird "except in accordance with permission granted in this proclamation" fines of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 and forfeiture of hunting right for a period of one year from conviction.

Here are hunting dates and bag limits for the various types of migratory birds:  
Ducks, Geese, Brant and Coot—Nov. 4 to Nov. 17, both days inclusive, and Dec. 16 to Dec. 29, both days inclusive, except shooting on Nov. 4 and December 16 shall not begin until 12 o'clock noon. Otherwise, shooting hours are from sunrise to one hour before sunset.

Rails and Gallinules (Except Coot)—Sunrise to one hour before sunset each day, September 1 to November 30, both days inclusive.

Mourning Doves—In Val Verde, Kinney, Uvalde, Medina, Kendall, Comal, Hays, Travis, Williamson, Milam, Robertson, Leon, Houston, Cherokee, Nacogoches and Shelby counties and all counties north and west thereof, September 1 to October 15.

Daily bag limit on ducks, except American and reb-breasted Mergansers, is 4 in the aggregate of all kinds, including in such limit not more than one wood duck. Any person may possess not more than 8 ducks in the aggregate of all kinds.

Daily bag limit on geese and brant is 4, provided such limit shall not contain more than one of either Canada goose (including Hutehins or Cackling geese) or white fronted geese. Possession limit is one day's kill.

The regulations permit possession of 10 in the aggregate of either or both kinds of mourning or white winged doves.

Attention of hunters is also called to the retention limits, which require a person to place his game birds on storage within three days after the close of the season for the species that is being stored. No limit is provided for retaining same. Federal regulations provide that migratory game birds may not be retained for longer than 90 days after the close of the season for the species of migratory game bird that is being held.

**ATTEND STATE FLORIST CONVENTION IN DALLAS**  
Mrs. Chas. M. Conner and Miss Velma Frierson have returned from Dallas where they attended the Texas State Florist Convention and Floral Design School. In the school new methods and flower arrangement were taught. More than 1100 florists from over the state attended the convention.

**Eschberger Reunion Held Sunday In Abilene Park**

The Eschberger children celebrated their family reunion at the Abilene State Park Sunday, Aug. 17. This was the first time the six sisters and two brothers were together in ten years. All their children were present excepting four who were unable to be there. In all there were 106 present.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Salling and children, Martha and Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Werner Harsch and children, Hollis, Mary Helen and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Eschberger and children, Dorothy, Emily, Irene, Pauline, Elna, Clara Lois, Eldon, Lenell Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Max Eschberger and children, Junior and Betty Ann, all of Miles, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Salling and son Terry of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lehmann and son Ronald of Georgetown; Mrs. T. O. Burleson and son Donald Max; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lippe and children Lena and Lavern, all of Mertzon; Mr. and Mrs. Vance Klose and children Venell and Lynett of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith and children, Willine, Pat-sy Jo, Ronnie Dale and Connie Gale of Mason; Frank Burleson, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burleson and children, Clifford Ray, Fairis Lee and Geraldine of Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burleson and children, Larry Don and Fay Beth of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Lippe of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herring of Munday; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Askins, Fort Worth; Joseph Herring, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Rebus Guess of Munday, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. John Steiwert and son Leo; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Steiwert; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klose and son Fred; Mr. and Mrs. George Klose and children Elton and Vernell; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harris; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peiser and daughter Evelyn; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Peiser and children Burlee and Deloris; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peiser and daughter, Sandra; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fischer and daughters Clara Ann, Margaret and Paulette; Mrs. Ida Von Gonten; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rueffer and children, Raymond, Lois and Gay Nell Dippel, Elline, Lena Mae, Dorothea and Martin Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Puschel, all of Haskell, Texas.

**State 4-H Boys Rate High As National Award Winners**

Texas members rate high as national winners in 4-H awards programs, according to records of the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.

Since the inception of the contests now in progress, 19 rural boys and girls in the Lone Star State have won top recognition. Eighteen of the 19 received \$200.00 college scholarships as rewards for their outstanding 4-H records. The number of Texas scholarship winners in various contests and donors were: one in 4-H Leadership—Edward Foss Wilson; one in 4-H Achievement—National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, (and President's Trophy); one in Girls' Record—Montgomery Ward; six in Meat Animal—Thos. E. Wilson; two in Better Methods Electric—Westinghouse Educational Foundation; three in Dairy Production—Kraft Foods Co.; two in Farm Safety—General Motors; one on Soil Conservation—Firestone; and one in Field Crops—International Harvester Co.

The other Texas member received a national award of a \$100.00 U. S. Savings Bond provided by Ails-Chalmers in the 4-H Garden program.

All 4-H awards programs are conducted annually under the direction of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

**Early Start Seen On Veterans Hospitals**

Army Engineers have been given the "green light" on construction of new Veterans Administration hospitals at Shreveport, La., and Big Springs, Texas, VA announced this week.

It is expected that the engineers will advertise for bids on the hospitals within sixty days.

Meanwhile, by order of General Omar Bradley, VA's new hospital construction program was being considerably revised because of the mounting costs of building.

In order to build the hospitals with the money originally appropriated by Congress, it will be necessary to eliminate all features not essential to good medical treatment for veterans, Bradley

**VISIT PARENTS IN GEORGIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gipson have just returned from a weeks visit in Georgia. They were accompanied by one of Mrs. Gipson's sisters of Mount Pleasant, Texas. While there Mrs. Gipson's five sisters and one brother were together for the first time in 35 years, and it was the first time Mrs. Gipson had seen her brother in 30 years.

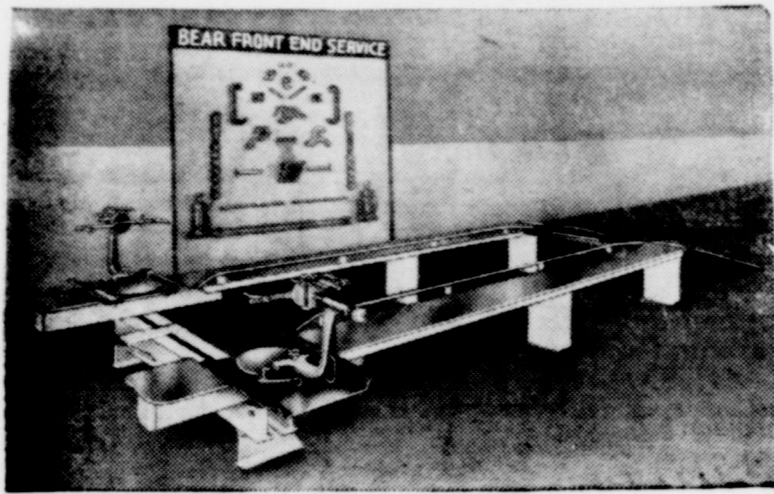
**HERE FROM KERMIT**

Mrs. W. R. Lam and children of Kermit are here visiting Mrs. Lam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Conner.

**RETURNS FROM PLAINS**

Mrs. Blanche Yancey returned home last week after a visit with relatives and friends in Lubbock, Slaton and Post City. She had been away from Haskell since June 16.

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**WINDMILL FOR SALE**—8 foot blade, 24 foot steel tower, in good condition. Also water tower and tank. Paint Creek School, John M. Ivy, Supt. 3tc

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I want to thank each and every one for the business they gave me since I have been in business, for I have tried to give everyone a square deal. I regret leaving all of my friends and customers. I have made mistakes, so has everybody else. Maybe some day I will be back in, and I will certainly appreciate your business. Thanking each and everyone for their patronage. Yours forever—**D. T. DUNN.** 1tp

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**FOR SALE**—Nice yellow cling peaches. See Mrs. John Mullis at Jud. 34 2p

**FOR SALE**—John Deere rubber tired TOY Tractors—ideal for gifts. Gilmore Implement Co., "The John Deere House." 1c

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**FOR SALE**—'34 Chevrolet coupe. See Bill Nellums. 1c

**FOR SALE**—1941 Mercury, new paint, new leather upholstery, new tire, new motor, new transmission; run less than 1000 miles. 1937 Ford truck with new motor. Also 1942 Ford de luxe four door sedan, with new rubber. Will sell any or all of the above. Bert Welsh, Haskell. 34 2p

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**FOR SALE**—One good '40 model four door Chevrolet. Stanley Furrh, at Burton-Dotson Chevrolet Co. 1c

**HAVE 1937 V8 Coupe** for sale worth the money. Lots of transportation cheap. C. W. Smith at Smitty's. 1c

**FOR SALE**—1942 Plymouth four door sedan, repossessed; good

condition; can be bought for just what we have in it. See J. B. Hendrix at Hendrix & Eastland. 1tc

**FOR SALE**—1941 Chevrolet special 4 door sedan. Excellent shape and good rubber. Reasonable price. H. C. Sanderson, Haskell, Texas. 1p

**FOR SALE**—Model A truck. Inquire at Railway Express office, Haskell. 1p

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**GOOD BUNDLE HIGARI** at 8c. See Garland Calloway, 2 1-2 miles northeast of Paint Creek school house. 35 2p

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### FARM MACHINERY

**FOR SALE**—One 6 foot Oliver Combine No. 15. This is the latest model out. Only cut about 200 acres. Worth the money. See Clay Kimbrough, Jr. 2tp

**FOR SALE**—John Deere Tractor Umbrellas. Gilmore Implement Co., "The John Deere House." 1c

**FOR SALE**—1947 GM John Deere tractor and 10 foot power-trol plow. George W. Burkett, Haskell, Texas. 35-3tc

**FOR SALE**—Oliver 12 foot combine, 1940 model. In good shape

and ready to go. If interested see Bailey Tolliver, Weimert, Texas, Route 1. 33 2p

**FOR SALE**—F-20 Farmall with power lift and NEW six ply tires. Gilmore Implement Co., "The John Deere House." 1c

**FOR SALE**—Model B John Deere tractor and equipment and John Deere Cotton harvester. 9 miles north of Haskell. J. B. Dunnam. 34 2tp

**FOR SALE**—Regular Farmall with latest model cultivator and planter. One six disc one-way on rubber. Two row go devil. See J. R. Pollock, Munday, Texas, at Yarbrough Hotel. 1p

**FOR SALE**—One new McCormick Deering one row binder. Cut only 25 acres of feed. T. J. Wilson, Sagerton, Texas. 1tp

**FOR SALE**—Rubber tired gauge wheels for Tool Bar Bedders. Gilmore Implement Co., "The John Deere House." 1c

**LOST**—Diamond engagement ring, probably on north side of Haskell square Monday. Reward. See Robert Wheatley or call 422W. 33 2tp

**LOST**—Pair of rimmed glasses at the Assembly of God Church last week of the revival. Mrs. Sterling Edwards, 909 Ave. D, Haskell. 33 2p

**LOST**—One black and white spotted dog. One white female with speckled ears. Both have my name on collar. Liberal reward. Lost south of town 3 miles. W. F. Patterson. 1tp

**FOUND**—Watch Wednesday Aug. 13. Owner may have same by describing and paying for advertising. Inquire at The Free Press. 1tp

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**FOR SALE**—One used (late model) Hamilton Beach Vacuum Cleaner with all attachments. Like new. Woodson Radio & Electric. Call 25W. 1tc

**REAL ESTATE**—**FOR SALE**—5 room house to be moved. See Ira Hester 3 1/2 miles southeast of O'Brien. 33 4p

\$65 per acre cash. See or write John Ed Jones, Box 151, Kerrville, Texas. 28 1tc

**FOR SALE**—Three room house, newly painted, built-in cabinet, windmill, water piped to house, lot and garden, brooder house, chicken house, small barn, good garden spot, few fruit trees, two

acres land. See me at Courtney Hunt's office. Mrs. Opal Rose.

**LOOK**—7 room house, North Swenson Ave., Stamford, for sale or trade. Bargain. See Jim Darden. 33 2tp

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**FOR SALE**—3 room house on lot with 60 foot front. See Mrs. J. F. Harris at Mrs. Mary Oates residence. 34 3tp

**FOR SALE**—Two room house to be moved. See Paul Dunlap at garage on Rule highway. 1p

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—4 room house with bath. Also vacant lot for sale. Cash or terms. Mrs. Cole, 1104 Ave. O. 1tp

**FOR SALE**—Seven room house, bath and two lots. Mrs. R. L. Dewey, 1804 North 4th St. 1tp

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**FOR RENT**—2 room furnished apartment. Corner Ave D and North 3rd Street. A. Y. Corley. 1tp

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**FOR RENT**—Two room apartment with bath. 1806 Ave B at North 3rd. Telephone 124-W. A. Y. Corley. 1tp

**New Bulletin on Cotton Insects Now Available**

A new bulletin, entitled "Cotton Insects", has just been published by the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service and has been distributed to county Extension Service offices for use in cotton insect control.

The bulletin, No. B-154, is authored by Charles A. King, Jr., associate Extension entomologist and gives the life history, description and control measures for the major cotton insects—leafworm, boll weevil, bollworm, red spider.

flea hopper and aphid. The publication contains color illustrations showing exactly what the insects look like in different stages of development, and how the damage of the insects shows up on the cotton plant.

Due to the limited quantities available, the publication is aimed at the present time at county agricultural agents, vocational agriculture teachers and other farm workers who are attempting to do cotton insect control work, says the author. However, he urges all cotton farmers who are interested to contact their local county agent to get the benefit of the information in the bulletin.

Through a loose binding arrangement, the publication is put together so that additional information or changing recommendations for insect control may be stapled in to bring it up to date from season to season.

### VISITOR IN HOME OF MRS. L. D. RATLIFF

David Ratliff of Stamford is visiting in the home of Mrs. L. D. Ratliff this week.

**VISITS PARENTS IN SHERMAN**—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tilly spent the weekend in Sherman visiting his parents.

### ATTENDS FUNERAL OF RELATIVE IN DALLAS

Mrs. J. M. Diggs attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter H. Cousins in Dallas last week. She accompanied her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bridges of Plainview, Texas.

### MAKE BUSINESS TRIP TO OVERTON

Lynn Pace, Jr., and Riley James Pace made a business trip to Overton, Texas, recently.

### Agricultural Writers To Meet Sept. 2-3 Experiment Station

The twenty-second Texas Agricultural writers conference will be held at Texas A. and M. College September 2-3, according to an announcement by Tad Moses, chairman of the arrangement committee. The meeting will be held in conjunction with the Extension Service and Agricultural Experiment Station staff annual meeting.

Those attending the twoday meeting will visit the A. and M. College Brazos River plantation to see demonstrations of latest farm equipment, including flame cultivator, mechanical cotton picker, mechanical corn harvester, Graham Hoeme plow, one-man hay baler, hay dryer, and livestock fog machine. The meeting will enable agricultural writers to see first hand application of new agricultural developments.

A business meeting and election of officers for the next year will take place at a luncheon to be held September 3, in Sbis Hall on the campus.

Agricultural writers planning to attend the conference are requested to advise Tad Moses, Agricultural Experiment Station College Station, for reservations.

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Added: "Wolf Dog" No. 10 and Cartoon



MR. AND MRS. W. H. O'NEAL

**Mr. and Mrs. W. H. O'Neal Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary At Home Here**

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. O'Neal of this city observed their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday August 10. All of their children with the exception of one son, were present for the occasion.

At the noon hour a delicious lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal received many lovely and useful gifts. In the afternoon Mrs. Lee Roy O'Neal served cake and punch to those who called in the afternoon.

The couple has made their home in Haskell for the past 26 years. Six children were born to this union, four of whom are living. Mr. O'Neal is 69 years old and Mrs. O'Neal is 70.

Numerous friends and relatives called throughout the day. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Daily, Mr. and Mrs. Caddell, Mrs. L. N. Lusk, Vernon Lusk, Vernay Lusk, Mrs. Rosa Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Darnell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fouts and Eddie Bess, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deaver and son, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Webb, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glass and Mary Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrison and Pat and Ann, Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, Dr. Gertrude Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Horace O'Neal, Gloria, Elaine and Horace Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bean, Wynell and Carolyn, R. L. LeClaire, Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. O'Neal and Barry.

Those from out of town were: Mrs. Pearl Stratton and Lee from Loving; Mrs. Zada Chapman and Gerald Lynn from Snyder; Mrs. Mattie Brown from Loving; Mr. and Mrs. Corbet Drum and children from Fluvanna, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeder and children from Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Daily and son from Loving; Mr. and Mrs. McClure, and Mr. and Mrs. Casselman from Olney.

**Bride-Elect Is Party Honoree**

Mrs. Lynn Pace Jr., was hostess Thursday morning for a Coke party honoring Miss Sue Ratliff, who will wed Sept. 13. Mrs. Pace will be matron of honor at the wedding of her niece.

The home of Mrs. Lynn Pace Sr., was the scene of the enjoyable occasion, and the guest list included Carolyn Williams, Pat Harrison, Jane Richey, Cathryn Davis, Evelyn Mann, Nancy Perrin, Sara Beth Brock, Jimmie Lou Free, Wanda Dulaney, Sue Pate, Jean Conner, Mary Lou Gilliland, Janice Pace, Sue Wair, Martha Meadors, Maxie Rhea Casey, Nancy Ratliff, Ruby Grace McKelvin, Martha Ann and Janice West of Goree.

FOR SALE — Big New Zealand White rabbits, Red Does. Will sell reasonable. Across street from Hospital, South 1st and Ave. N. R. A. Harris. 34 2c

**Club Women Make Extensive Plans for Fair Exhibits**

When visitors at the Central West Texas Fair look at the educational exhibits this year they will realize that months of planning and work have gone into each exhibit. The work really began in April when Mrs. A. C. Denison, chairman of the Exhibit Committee of the County Home Demonstration Council in Haskell County met with her two committee members, Mrs. Ollie B. Vernon and Mrs. J. R. Davis to discuss rules and subjects for the exhibits. Following the trend established by fairs in other parts of the state they decided that the educational exhibits should teach a definite practice or show a comparison of methods or products, that the exhibit must be practical, and that the signs or posters accompanying the display must give a complete explanation of the subject.

By June each club had submitted the subject it wished to use to see that it met the approval of the committee. Since that time the members have been deciding the phases of their subjects to explain and in doing as much of the work as is possible.

Dennis Chapel is to show the steps in tying springs and in covering a footstool; Josselet plans to have a display on glove making; O'Brien is working with flower arrangement; Liberty is to show steps in re-upholstering furniture; Sunshine chose nutrition—good and poor food habits. Lucky is to show the steps in preparing foods for freezing; Blue Bonnet is to display lamps and lamp-making. If you want to learn to make good lye soap be sure to see the Center Point exhibit. New Mid is to show their looper clip bed spreads and rugs; Tonk Creek is working on the toy exhibit and Pinkerton will show you how to refinish your old furniture so that it will "be as good as new." Mattson will feature bedroom improvement.

Other educational exhibits will be shown by the Future Homemakers Clubs and the 4-H Club girls.

With a final payment to the U. S. Treasury recently from the St. Paul Land Bank, all of the 12 land banks in the U. S. became completely owned by the farmer and ranchmen patrons.

The best reason for knowing enough to come in out of the rain is not to keep from getting soaked but to avoid being struck by lightning.

READ THE WANT ADS

**Family Reunion Held In C. W. Marion Home Sunday**

A family reunion was held in the C. W. Marion home Sunday, August 17.

Children present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Long, Childress, Texas, and son Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Lee Long and Cheryl Kay of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Marion, Lois Laverne, Troy, Roy, and Trent, of Walsh, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marion, Verna Lee, Hugh Gene of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kreger, Melba, Jessie Pearl, and Glenn of Weinert; Mr. and Mrs. Oris Gibson, Darel, Jeanett and Bobbie of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marion and Alvin Rex of San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Marion's sister, Mrs. A. E. Cain and Mr. and Mrs. Elby Cain and family of Walters, Okla., also were present.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Caddell, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kreger, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dunning and Jerry Donnie Turner of Austin, Texas; Victor

**RETURN FROM VACATION IN CALIFORNIA AND ROCKY MOUNTAIN STATES**

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilkinson returned Tuesday from a fifteen days vacation, which included California and all the Rocky Mountain states. Stops were made at the homes of Pat Jones in Sierra Blanca; Henry Jones in Globe, Ariz.; and John Jones in Holbrook, Ariz. Their trip included stops on the Pacific coast, the Grand Canyon, Reno, Salt Lake City, Yellowstone National Park and Teton National Park. They returned through Denver and Colorado Springs.

**IN WICHITA FALLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Pedy and Mrs. W. E. Pedy made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

**Lowery and Henley Marion**

All the children and grandchildren were present except one grandson, Billy Ray Long, who is in the Marines on Guam. This was the first time all the family had been together since before the war.

The cotton leafworm is not known to survive the winters in the United States. New infestations are started each spring by moths that fly in from the south and lay their eggs on cotton.

Boll weevils pass the winter as adults in weeds, grass, woods, trash or other protected places near cotton fields.

**ON VACATION TRIP**

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pitman left last week for Mexico and other parts of the world. They plan to be gone for several months.

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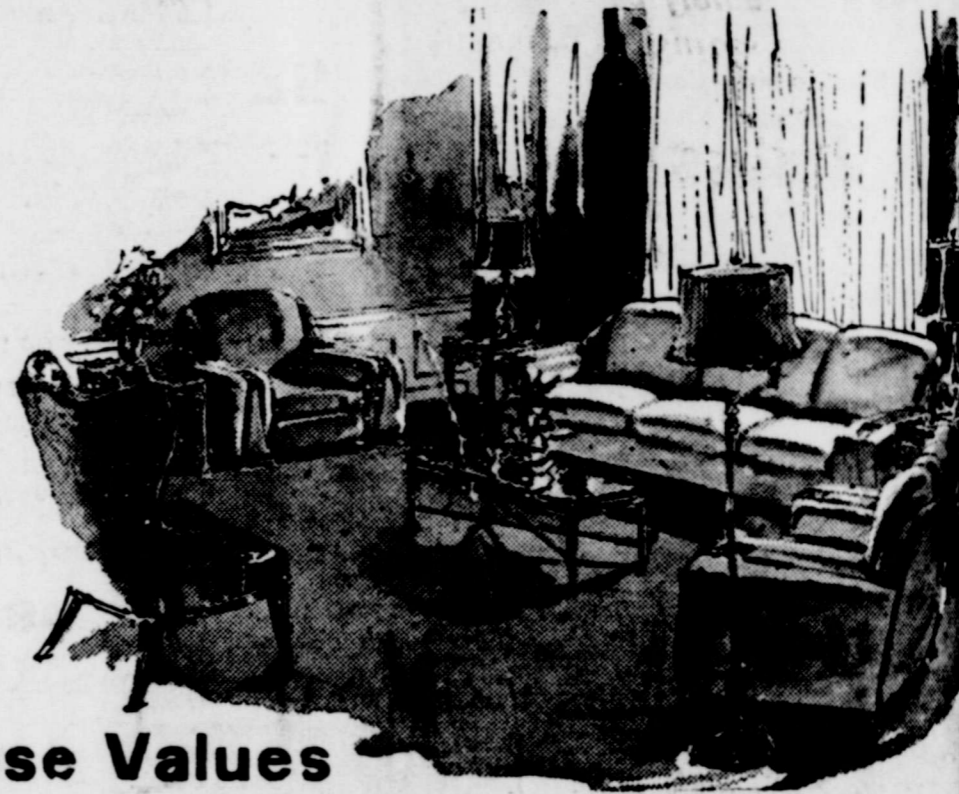
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