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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY MARCH 11, 1948

NUMBER ELEVEN

One Exception, All City Races Will Be Contested



REV. JESSE JONES

Haskell Ministers Purchase Site For Church In Rule

Purchase of site for a new church building in Rule was announced this week by Rev. C. Jones, founder and pastor of the Fundamental Baptist church in this city, and his son, Rev. Jesse Jones, assistant pastor of the local church.

Building site comprises an entire block in East Rule, fronting on the Haskell-Rule Highway, and title is held jointly by Rev. Jones and his son. Construction of the new church building, to be built of tile, and approximately 32x75 feet, will be started as soon as weather conditions permit. The younger Haskell minister will supervise construction work, and he will serve as pastor of the church when completed.

Haskell Baby Is Winner In Wolfe City Contest

Jan, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herren Jr., of this city was judged winner in a popularity contest held in Wolfe City, Texas, and the recently completed Community hospital nursery in this city will be named in her honor. One hundred and one contestants were entered in the six weeks contest, which ended Friday evening, March 5. Entry of the Haskell baby in the contest was made by her aunt, Mrs. R. L. Mullins of Wolfe City.

Singers Will Meet In O'Brien Sunday

The Haskell County Singing Convention will meet at the Baptist church in O'Brien, Sunday 14 at 2 p.m., for an afternoon program of singing. Invitations have been extended to singers and music lovers throughout this section, and a large attendance is expected.

Dr. Cadenhead To Attend Clinical Conference

Dr. James F. Cadenhead Jr., of this city has been accepted by the State Department of Public Health to attend a clinical conference on Obstetrics to be held in Galveston from March 8 to 13. The conference consists of a discussion and presentation of the latest advances in obstetrics, and is given each year by the most eminent physicians in that field.

Resident of Vienna Grateful to Haskell Woman For Clothing

Mrs. D. H. Persons of this city received a letter last week from Francis Hubeny, Vienna, Steingasse, Austria, in which she expressed the gratitude of herself and family for articles of clothing they had received. Mrs. Persons had attached a slip of paper with her name and address to clothing she had placed in a box sent by women of the Methodist church for European relief last fall.

Rites Held At Lexington For Mrs. Anderson

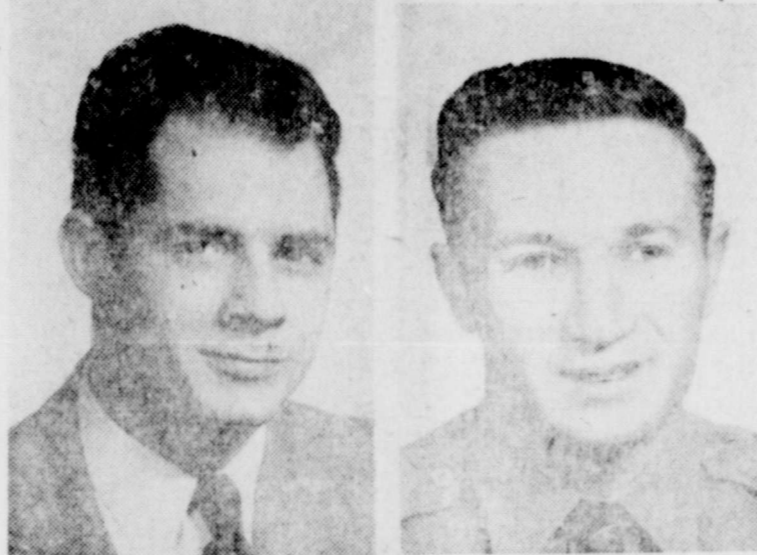
Final rites for Mrs. Margaret Anderson, 93, who died Thursday, March 4 at 11:15 p.m., at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Sam Sorenson in this city, were held at Lexington, Texas, Saturday at 3 p.m. Burial was in Mequite cemetery near that city. Local funeral arrangements were in charge of Holden's Funeral Home.

Kirkpatrick Beauty Shop Adds Third Member To Staff

Mrs. Ethel Kirkpatrick, owner of the Kirkpatrick Beauty Shop, in this city, is announcing the addition of Miss Florence Jenkins, an experienced beautician, to the staff of the shop, which recently moved to a new location east of Holden's Funeral Home. Staff of the beauty salon now includes three operators, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Velma Haynes and Miss Jenkins.

S-S Representative Here March 18

A representative of the Social Security Administration, Abilene office, will be at the Chamber of Commerce office in Haskell on Thursday, March 18, at 2:30 p.m. All persons wishing to contact him should call promptly at 2:30 p.m., as he will remain in the office only a short time.



BEN CLIFTON

NORMAN HANCOCK

Young Veterans Named To Lead Boy Scout Activities

Appointment of Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 36, was announced this week by the Boy Scout Committee of this city, first step toward initiating an intensive and community-wide program of Scouting during the spring and summer. Troop 36 is sponsored by the First Methodist church.

Generous Response Boosts Red Cross Fund Above County Goal

Better Health Is Challenge To Education

The State Department of Education is making a determined effort to promote a richer health program through all grades in the schools, Mrs. Iva Palmer, county superintendent, said this week.

She quoted a recent statement by Dr. L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, in which he declared: "The promotion of health through instruction related to real life situations is a challenge to present-day education. Although schools have unique opportunities for instruction of large numbers of young people, the health instruction in a community should not be limited to school children. Adults have health interests and needs which should be met by a community-wide program of health instruction."

STAMPS QUARTET HERE MARCH 15th

The Stamps Ozzard Quartet will appear at the Haskell High School Auditorium on Monday evening, March 15th, at 8:00 o'clock. The program is being sponsored by the W.M.U. of the East Side Baptist Church. The public is invited to attend.

With reports from seven divisions in the county incomplete, a total of \$3,213.29 had been reported the first of the week in the annual Red Cross Fund Campaign, indicating a substantial oversubscription of the county's goal of \$2,998 set for the drive. Every community or sub-district reporting to date, has turned in contributions in excess of their quota.

The following district have made their final report of contributions: Haskell North Side \$421.00, Haskell West Side \$255.67, Haskell South Side \$226.00, Haskell Residential \$188.00, Haskell Outskirt Business \$222, Haskell Courthouse \$89.63, Rule Division \$509.00, Rochester \$533.25, Sagerton \$218.14, O'Brien \$302.25, Center Point \$30.00, Irby \$54.00, Cobb Community \$39.45, Mattson \$61.50, Paint Creek \$53.50.

John H. Banks, chairman of the drive, urges the remaining districts to complete their drive and turn in their reports to the Red Cross office by Saturday noon, March 13, so that a final tabulation may be made to forward to National headquarters.

IN DALLAS DURING WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Warren and Mrs. and Mrs. John Darnell visited in Dallas the first of the week.

Late Blast of Winter Sends Mercury to Season's Low

Haskell County School Census Being Taken

Scholastic census for Haskell county is being taken this month according to Mrs. Iva Palmer, county school superintendent, who asked the cooperation of parents and the public in general with the census enumerators in order that an accurate count of scholars could be made.

Final Rites Held In Rule For Mrs. Bristow

Mrs. Etheridge Bristow, 32, of Rule, died in the Haskell County Hospital at 1 a.m., Tuesday, after a three months illness.

Mrs. Bristow was born Flora Hunt in Haskell county, west of Rule, and had lived in that area all her life. She married in 1933. Survivors are her husband and one daughter, Nelda Gaye, both of Rule; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hunt of Rule; five brothers, Dave, Roy, Earl and Marcos, all of Rule, and Arthur of Oklahoma; four sisters, Myrtle Hunt of Rule, Vera Hunt, Mrs. R. D. Bristow of Roswell, N. M., and Mrs. Bett of Oklahoma.

Haskell Student On Honor Roll At MH-B

Miss Genetha Gwendolen Wheatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wheatley, Haskell, is one of ninety-eight Mary Hardin-Baylor college students listed on the "A-B" Honor Roll for the fall semester at MH-B according to an announcement this week by Miss Zelma Lee Bond, college registrar.

TEMPLE VISITOR HERE OVER THE WEEK END

W. F. Burchard of Temple was a week end guest in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Banks and family the past week end. Mr. and Mrs. Banks accompanied him to Wichita Falls, Sunday, where they visited with another daughter and his sister. From there he left for his home in Temple, Sunday afternoon.

Demonstration Of Emergency Unit Held Monday

An interested group of Haskell people, including business men and civic leaders, witnessed a firsthand demonstration of a Mechanical Respirator at the Legion building in this city Monday evening, sponsored by the Haskell Fire Department. The emergency unit, developed by the Mullikin Company, was demonstrated by a representative of the company, who explained that the portable unit could be used wherever artificial respiration is needed to preserve life.

The demonstration was sponsored by the local fire department with the view of securing the equipment for permanent use in the Haskell area in cases of emergencies such as drownings, suffocation, or similar accidents.

A spokesman of the fire department said that firemen were ready to underwrite one-fourth of the cost of the unit if support of other civic groups and organizations could be secured in defraying cost of the respirator. It was pointed out that the National Foundation for Relief of Infantile Paralysis recommended the availability of equipment of this nature in every community supporting the national organization.

If sufficient interest in the proposal is shown, another public demonstration of the emergency unit will be arranged at an early date in the future, it was announced.

Zelma Campbell Dies In Wichita Falls Hospital

Zelma Campbell, about 42, former resident of Haskell, died March 6th in a Wichita Falls hospital. He was born in Erath County in 1906, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, who at one time lives west of Haskell.

Deceased is survived by a sister, Mrs. Carroll McFadden, and a brother, Audry Campbell of Haskell.

Funeral services for Mr. Campbell were held at Holden's Funeral Chapel in this city March 7 at 2:30 p.m., conducted by Rev. W. T. Priddy, pastor of the East Side Baptist Church. Interment was in Willow cemetery under direction of Holden's Funeral Home.

Rites Held On Sunday For Smallwood Infant

Final rites were held in Stamford, Sunday for Robert Earl, 5-month-old son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smallwood of that city. Burial was in Stamford cemetery.

The infant was found dead Saturday morning, apparently smothered under bedclothing arranged for the extremely cold weather prevailing during the weekend.

In addition to the parents, the infant is survived by grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smallwood of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson of Stamford.

Negro Returned From Paris To Face Complaint

Deputy Sheriff Doss Fuller went to Paris, Texas, Monday to return Ezell Birmingham, Negro man to this city where a theft complaint is pending against him, Birmingham, former resident here, was arrested by officers at Paris at the request of the local sheriff's department.

In the wake of a week-end wintry blast which brought sub-freezing temperatures, sleet and snow to this area Friday, a near blizzard struck West Texas early Wednesday, accompanied with sleet and snow driven by strong winds.

The related blast of winter tumbled the mercury to record low of 7 degrees during Wednesday night, lowest temperature recorded here in March in several decades, according to records kept by Mrs. H. J. Hambleton, local government weather observer. Previous low reading for the winter was 11 degrees on January 28. Some relief from the extreme cold was in sight Thursday, with clearing skies and sunshine bringing the mercury to 16 degrees at 11:30.

Wednesday's sleet and snowstorm, estimated between one and one-half to two inches, slowed highway traffic almost to a standstill, and made travel hazardous but no mishaps were reported in this immediate area. Bus schedules were interrupted, however, but travel through Haskell was maintained on a delayed basis.

Considerable livestock suffering resulted during the cold wave, but no serious losses were expected, stockmen said.

Precinct Offices Attract Two Candidates

Precinct offices in Haskell county attracted three additional candidates this week, as interest in the coming city election and county Democratic primaries continued uppermost in the minds of voters.

Announcing this week as a candidate for office of Public Weigher in Precinct 1, Haskell, was George Weaver, well known farmer of Paint Creek section. He is the sixth candidate listed for this office.

For Weigher in Precinct 7, which embraces O'Brien territory, two additional candidates were listed this week — Melvin Stephens, young farmer of that section, and C. B. Banner, present weigher who is asking for a second term. Two candidates had previously announced for the Weigher's post at O'Brien.

School Lunchrooms Receive Juices And Fruits

The county school lunchrooms recently received 272 cases of grapefruit juice, 88 cases of whole tomatoes, and 45 cases of fresh pears. Mrs. Iva Palmer, county superintendent, reported this week. The supplies will be distributed among all school lunchrooms in the county.

Sgt. Kenneth Collins Now Stationed On Guam

Haskell friends of Sgt. Kenneth Collins will be interested to learn that he is now stationed with Army Air Forces at North Army Air Base in Guam. He went overseas in February, 1947, and was on Iwo Jima for six months before going to Guam. The young soldier was born and reared in Haskell.

Rebekah Lodge Instituted At Rule

The Rule Rebekah lodge Number 163, was instituted last Friday night, March 5th. The Haskell Rebekah drill team gave the initiatory degree to 25 candidates. The Haskell lodge met in regular session Monday night, March 8th in regular meeting and voted to accept the invitation to exhibit the floor work at the I.O.O.F. and Rebekah Association, District 1, at Baird, Texas, April 15th.

VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. James E. Turner of Dallas, spent the week end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Warren.

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**Progressive
Study Club Met**

The Progressive Study Club met in the Homemaking Cottage March 4, at 7:30. After a brief business meeting a program on "Texas in American Literature" was presented. Mrs. R. C. Coucu Jr. was director of the program.

Miss Louise Newman spoke on the "Poet Laureates of Texas," reading some of their poems. Mrs. James A. Byrd spoke on Bayre House, reading parts from his books—and many of his "tall tales". Mrs. R. W. Harrison summarized the life and works of J. Frank, Dobie.

After the program, refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Bill Woodson and Miss Jean Cener.

**PRE NUPTIAL TEA
COMPLIMENTS KATHERINE
HARRELL, BRIDE ELECT**

Saturday afternoon, March 6th, from 4 to 6 o'clock, Joan Berry with Eddy Bess Fouts, Nell King and Betty Ann Free as co-hostesses entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Berry with a gift tea honoring Katherine Harrell, bride-elect of Tommy Ray Foster. Snap dragons, sweet peas and ivy were used throughout the entertaining rooms.

Guests were greeted by Joan Berry, who presented the honor to her mother, Mrs. C. E. Harrell and the groom elect's mother, Mrs. Nat F. Foster.

Eddy Bess Fouts and Nell King presided at the refreshment table which was laid with a handsome lace cloth appointed with crystal and silver. A silver double bear formed the centerpiece, with a

**Revival Will Begin March 14th
At Weinert Foursquare Church**



REV. KEENER

Rev. R. L. Moorhead, pastor, has announced a revival to be held at the Weinert Foursquare Gospel Church, beginning Sunday, March 14. Evangelists will be Rev. Naom Keener and Rev. Mildred Gower of Oakland, Calif.

Rev. Moorhead and the church



REV. GOWER

congregation invited the people of Weinert and surrounding communities to attend the revival and hear old fashioned preaching, good music and singing every night beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

**Harmony Club
Has Program
On Opera**

The Harmony club met Feb. 26 at the home making cottage in a regular session combining the program scheduled for Feb. 11 and 26 under the direction of Mesdames O. E. Patterson and R. L. Harrison. The following program on Opera was presented.

The Birth of Opera—Mrs. O. E. Patterson.

Roll Call—Favorite Opera. Classical austerity, laughter—Mrs. Calvin Henson.

Handel—Modette Collins.

Voice—Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life—Mrs. Alberta Mikuta.

The French Opera—Mrs. O. E. Patterson.

Federation Hymn—Mrs. Tommie B. Hawkins.

Mopart—Mrs. Leonard Florence.

Trio—Giannina Mia, by Frim—Mesdames F. W. Martin, John H. Barks and C. E. Carvin.

Hostesses were Mrs. Tommie B. Hawkins and Mrs. G. F. Mullino.

Aaron Edgar, editor and publisher of the Munday Times was a business visitor in Haskell Saturday.

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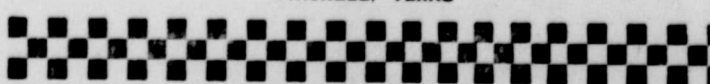
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Morning worship, 11 a.m. Film-strip, "Two Dollars." Sermon, "Our Opportunity."

Evening worship at 7 p.m. Sermon, "Downfall of Pilate."

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship led by Youth Fellowship department. Lesson, "The Worth of Christian Character."

Youth Fellowship, 3 p.m. Theme "What Do You Owe the Church?" Subject, "Why Give To The Church?"

"Work Night," Tuesday, 7 p.m. Praise, prayer and power meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Communion class, 3:55 - 4:55 p.m., Monday through Friday (March 15 through 19th.)

Do you want a church home with us? Then, welcome.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To: T. E. Matthews, Amy Brewer, John D. Hill, D. H. Howard, J. Haven, J. B. Massie, N. G. Black, W. A. Howard, and Mrs. J. J. Fleming, a feme sole, the unknown heirs, legatees, devisees and legal representatives of each of the foregoing Defendants and the heirs, legatees, devisees and legal representatives of such unknown heirs of T. E. Matthews, Amy Brewer, W. H. Murchison, John D. Hill, D. H. Howard, J. Haven, J. B. Massie, N. G. Black, W. A. Howard, and Mrs. C. J. Fleming, a feme sole, if living (whether dead or alive is unknown to Plaintiffs and their Attorney).

whose names and places of residence are unknown to Plaintiff and to his Attorney, and the unknown claimants of the land hereinafter described, Defendants:

GREETING: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Haskell, Texas, at the Court House thereof in Haskell, Texas, at or before ten o'clock A.M., on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 26th day of April, A. D. 1948, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Original Petition filed in said court on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1948, in this cause No. 7486 on the docket of said court and styled C. V. Fowler et al vs. T. E. Matthews, et al.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: Trespass to Try Title. Plaintiff alleges that on the 1st day of January, 1948, they were and still are the owners in fee simple title and entitled to the possession of all of Lots Nos. One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block No. Thirteen (13) of the

Highland Addition to the town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

Plaintiffs alleges that on said date Defendants unlawfully entered upon said property and dispossessed him and has since such time unlawfully withheld from Plaintiffs the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of One Thousand and No/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars.

Plaintiffs plead the five and ten years statute of limitation as barring any claim to said property upon the part of any of said Defendants. Plaintiffs pray for judgment for title and possession of the property above described and alleges "This action is brought as well to try title as for damages."

The officer... shall process same according to due return as the... Issued and sealed... office in Haskell... 9th day of March... (Seal) 11-4tc Haskell

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Extra Social Security Numbers Spell Future Grief

Two heads are better than one, says the proverb, but the Social Security Administration points out that two social security numbers, like two many cooks, may spoil the broth.

"When you multiply your social security account numbers, you stand a good chance of dividing your future benefits," Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene social security office said today.

Only wages posted to the account of the worker involved are considered when a claim is filed. Unless the applicant can furnish a record of all account numbers he has used, some wages on which he has paid social security taxes won't be counted.

Fisher said that every effort is made to combine all the worker's accounts. Even so, in many cases, the amount of benefit is smaller because wages have been posted to accounts which he doesn't have a record of the number. In rare instances, so much of the worker's wages are credited to these "unknown" account numbers that the total work credits shown on the "known" account numbers are not enough to make any payment possible.

"Future social security benefits can be best protected," Fisher said "by asking for a 'duplicate' to replace the card which has been lost or worn out. Remember that one card may not last a lifetime, but one account number will."

Europe is becoming known as a collection of countries with chips on their shoulders and none on the table.

'Savage'



The right touch of sultry beauty combined with fiery temperament won lovely Gale Sherwood the important title role in "Blonde Savage," the new Eagle Lion films release showing at the Texas theatre, Friday and Saturday. Leif Erickson co-stars and Veda Ann Borg, Douglass Dumbrille and Frank Jenks head the supporting cast.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown to us during the recent illness and death of our mother and grandmother, and also thank you for the beautiful flowers. May the same kindness be shown to you when sorrow comes your way is our prayer.—Mrs. Sam Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sorenson, and Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Speck Sorenson and family; and Mrs. C. F. McNeil and family. 1p

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: The Western Plains Oil & Gas Co., Inc., a Delaware Corporation without an office or agent in this State.

Greeting: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 29th day of March, A.D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock a.m., before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, at the Court House in Haskell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 12th day of February, 1948. The file number of said suit being No. 7483.

The names of the parties in said suit are:
 Dorothy Whitley Welton, as Plaintiff, and
 Western Plains Oil & Gas Co., Inc., as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:
 I
 Heretofore on the 14th day of November, 1947, plaintiff recovered judgment in the Superior Court of the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, against the Defendant, Western Plains Oil & Gas Company, Inc., for the full sum of \$15,216.30, in a suit theretofore brought and maintained in said court by plaintiff against said defendant, on service of process duly had in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware, and that thereby the defendant became bound and obligated to pay unto plaintiff said sum of \$15,216.30, with legal interest thereon at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum from said date until paid, aggregating \$15,406.50 as of February 1, 1948; but said defendant has wholly failed and refused to pay, to plaintiff's damage in such amount, with interest.

II
 That said judgment was based on the demand note of said corporation in the sum of \$15,000.00, executed by said defendant to Herbert C. Smythe Jr., and by the said Herbert C. Smythe Jr., for valuable consideration endorsed and delivered to plaintiff before maturity, whereby plaintiff became the legal holder and owner thereof and entitled to recover thereon, as she did under and by virtue of the terms of said judgment.

III
 Wherefore, plaintiff sues and prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, as provided by law; that upon hearing hereof she have judgment for the amount of her debt, with interest, costs of suit and general

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Woolens
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1-2 Price

Ladies Suits
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One table of LADIES SHOES
 Former sold for \$5.95 a pair—but to be closed out at
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GRANDMA will tell you that housecleaning was one chore she hated—and Grandpa dreaded. But that was before Reddy Kilowatt, your electric servant, was available to take so much work out of housework.

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TO: E. P. Mitchusson, and if married, the wife of the said E. P. Mitchusson, whose name is unknown to plaintiff; W. C. Richardson, and if married, the wife of the said W. C. Richardson, whose name is unknown to plaintiff; T. E. Matthews, and if married, the wife of the said T. E. Matthews, whose name is unknown to plaintiff, the residence of each and all of said hereinbefore named being unknown to plaintiff; and if deceased, (and whether living or dead is not known to plaintiff) the heirs, devisees, legatees and legal representatives of each and all of said persons as may be dead, whose names and residences are unknown to the plaintiff; and the unknown owners or claimants of the lands and premises herein-after described, whose names and residences are unknown to the plaintiff, Greeting:

You, and each of you, are commanded to appear and answer the Plaintiff's Original Petition, at or before 10 o'clock, a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 12th day of April, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock, a.m. before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, Texas, at the Court House in Haskell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1948.

The file number of said suit being 7485.

The names of the parties in said suit are S. M. Burson, as plaintiff, and the defendants (without repeating here) are all those first named hereinabove in this citation, and to whom it is directed.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title, as well as for damages, for the title and possession of the following described lands and premises, situated in Haskell County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lot No. Three (3), in Block No. Nineteen (19), of the Highland Addition to the town of Haskell, in Haskell County, Texas; also, all of the North Sixty (60) feet of Lots Nos. Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6), in Block No. Nineteen (19) of the Highland Addition to the town of Haskell, in Haskell County, Texas, said North Sixty (60) feet more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Lot No. 6, Block No. 19 of the Highland Addition to the town of Haskell, Texas;

Thence South 60 feet;

Thence due West 150 feet;

Thence North 60 feet to the Northwest corner of Lot No. 4, Block No. 19, said Highland Addition to the town of Haskell, Texas;

Thence East 150 feet to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff specially pleads the

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An artist pictures his conception of the thrill-filled fight between a wild bear and a courageous horse that is one of the high-light sequences of Eagle-Lion's Cinecolor production, "The Red Stallion," playing at the Texas, Sunday and Monday. Robert Paige, Noreen Nash, Ted Donaldson and Jane Darwell are featured in the film which tells a poignant and heartwarming story of a boy's devotion to his horse.

Blue Bonnet H. D. Club Met Thursday

Thursday afternoon Mrs. John Windeborn demonstrated a variety of dinner rolls to the Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration club of Rule. They were artistically arranged, the buns portraying plants, clover leaf, bow knot, criss-cross and the twist.

Party favors were discussed and demonstrated by Mrs. Rex Murray. One special favor was made with a prune and feathers, pipe stem cleaners and a small piece of cardboard glued together, representing a turkey. Some five favors were shown and discussed.

The club have received an assortment of greeting cards which they are selling to help on their budget. The cards are above average.

Mrs. Alf Denson, the president, presided at the business meeting. The hostess, Mrs. R. V. Hagle, served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames Rex Murray, Raymond Astin, Alf Denson, Lonnie Martin, Ed Conner, Arthur Williams, Corbett Lytle, Sam Jennings, Fred Knipling, Lee Cornelius, John Windeborn, G. E. Davis and Less Lewis.

HERE FROM ABILENE
Mr. and Mrs. Karl McGregor of Abilene were visitors in Haskell during the week end.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a City election will be held at the City Hall in Haskell, Texas, Tuesday, April 6, 1948, between the hours prescribed by law for the election of the following officials, each for a 2-year term: Mayor, City Secretary, three Aldermen, Recorder, City Marshal. Dated Feb. 17, 1948.

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

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

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

Issued this 28th day of February, A. D., 1948.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at my office in Haskell, Texas, this the 28th day of February, A. D. 1948.

JESSE B. SMITH,
(Seal) Clerk of the District Court, 10-4th Haskell County, Texas.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH LADIES' AID MET

The ladies aid of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Monday, March 8th. The meeting was opened with the group singing "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms," followed by a prayer by Mrs. Glass. Miss Fields gave the devotional.

After a short business meeting Mrs. Lynn Pace Jr., led the discussion of the 10th through 15th chapters of Leviticus.

There were nine ladies present. We wish to remind the ladies of Haskell that the First Christian Church ladies are to be hostesses at the fifth Monday meeting, March 29th.

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Early Combine Hegari, per 100 \$7.50	Dutch Boy Cane Seed, per 100 \$11.50
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George Weaver Is Candidate For Public Weigher

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of George Weaver for Public Weigher of Precinct 1, subject to action of the Democratic primaries.

Mr. Weaver needs no introduction to people of Haskell and surrounding territory, having lived here for the past 42 years, most of that time in the Paint Creek community where he has been engaged in farming for many years. In asking for the office of Public Weigher, he does so with the intention, if elected, to devote his entire time and efforts to handling the affairs of the office in a manner satisfactory to the farmers and all others having business with the Weigher's office.

Before the primary is held, Mr. Weaver hopes to make as thorough a study as possible of the office and to discuss his claims for the office personally with as many

voters as possible. In the meantime he solicits the consideration and support of the voters in the precinct in behalf of his candidacy.

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HHS Students Elect Favorites



Students in Haskell High School have selected and announced seven favorites. They are left to right, top row: Lois Helwig, most beautiful girl; Don Nanny, most handsome boy; Nancy Ratliff, annual Queen. Second row: Glenn Marusg, most popular boy; Genevieve Bailey, most popular girl; and James Foster, best all around boy. Bottom row: Ann Katherine Rike, best all around girl. (Photos by Zelma).

board of Haskell county for two and a half years and for the past three years in the county Clerk's office in Abilene.

Mr. Carson is a graduate of the Merkel High school and served three and a half years in the U. S. Army.

He is now engaged in the grocery business in Merkel.

After a short wedding trip they plan to make their home in Merkel.

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The next meeting will be March 8 at the clubhouse, with Mrs. H. E. Bland as hostess.

Political Announcement

The Free Press is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries:

For Representative, 113th Legislative District:
Clyde Whiteside of Baylor County.
Chas. M. Conner (re-election).

For County Judge:
O. E. Patterson.
(First Elective Term).

For County Attorney:
Curtis Pogue (Second Term).

For Tax Assessor/Collector:
R. A. Coburn (Second Term).

For District Attorney:
John H. Banks (Second term).

For District Clerk:
Jesse B. Smith (Second Term).

For County Clerk:
Horace Oneal (Second term).

For Sheriff:
D. P. (Doss) Fuller.
R. M. (Bob) Cousins.
Aubrey W. Shelley.

For County Treasurer:
Doyle Eastland.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
Ira Blair (Reelection).
Norman Nanny.

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
W. R. (Bob) Edwards.
W. A. (Drew) Leonard.
Slover Bledsoe.

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
M. B. Cobb. (Second term).
C. G. Hammer.

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
C. L. (Roy) Clark.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:
C. K. Jones (Second term).

For Constable, Prec. 1:
Sterling Edwards (reelection).

For Public Weigher, Prec. 1:
Jas. O. (Doc) Henshaw.
Raymond Stuart.
Frank McCurley (second term).
Ben Mapes.
W. E. (Bill) Von Gonten.
George Weaver.

For Public Weigher, Prec. 7:
A. A. Cox.
H. A. Reeves.
Melvin Stephens.
C. B. Banner.

CITY OFFICES

(Election, April 6, 1948)

For City Secretary:
J. Belton Duncan (reelection).

For City Marshal:
Eal Treadwell.

Miss Connie Norton Is Bride Of H. J. Carson

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Norton are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Connie to Herman J. Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Carson of Merkel.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. E. B. Surface in Abilene on March 6th at six-thirty o'clock p.m.

Attendants were Miss Jean Norton, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, and Mr. Leon Walker of Merkel, best man. They were accompanied by Mrs. Leon Walker.

The bride is a graduate of the Haskell High school, graduating with the class of 1941. She was employed by the selective service

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Center Point Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Bland

The Center Point Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon, March 4, in the home of Mrs. Clyde Bland, hostess.

The meeting was opened by the secretary, Mrs. Larus Hunt. In the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Bill Fouts was voted acting chairman for the afternoon. Mrs. A. M. Bird informed the members the T.H.D.A. was meeting in Quanah in April. A delegate was elected to attend.

Hot Rolls were demonstrated by Mrs. Clyde Bland, assisted by Mrs. A. M. Bird. Cloverleaf, Parker House, butterflake, bow-knot and hat cross rolls were made. Each member was given a scoring sheet to score the rolls. The cloverleaf theme was carried out throughout the afternoon. Mrs. C.D. Pennington, Mrs. H.E. Bland, Mrs. Tony Patterson and Mrs. Bill Wiseman sang "I'm Looking Over A Four-leaf Clover."

Refreshments were Cloverleaf rolls, butter, preserves, bananas and prune bread, candy, hot tea and coffee. Plate favors were toasted coconut covered marshmallows. Mrs. Truett Cobb served the rolls and Mrs. Jark Chapman poured tea and coffee.

Members present were Mes-

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- CELERY** pound 10c
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- Hubay **COD FILLETS**, lb. 39c
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Six 4-H Club Girls In County Have Outstanding Achievement Records

Programs on the radio and special articles in newspapers concerning National 4-H Club Week, March 1-7, helped Haskell county 4-H club members realize that they are a part of nation-wide organization for rural youth.

A "Who's Who" among Haskell county 4-H club girls has the following names:

Betty Anne Free—county entry in the state-wide dress revue at College Station, attended District III Recreation Training School, was camp registrar for District III Encampment.

Novis Allison—District III winner in Maggie W. Barry Scholarship contest.

Lois Allison—Received a \$25.00 Talent Club award from Producers Grain Corporation to be used in developing a club project, and was a county delegate to the 4-H club Roundup at College Station.

Laura Thornton—County delegate to the 4-H Club Roundup, and was 1946 Cold Star winner for the county.

Jean Diers—1947 Gold Star winner, will be a county delegate to the 1948 Roundup at College Station.

Lois Wyatt—winner of the Junior Division in the county-wide dress revue, placed second in the Gold Star contest, helped direct metal etching at the District Encampment.

Girls 4-H clubs strive to assume their share of responsibility for

creating a happy home life and improved standard of living. Leading each club are officers elected by the girls. President, this year are Laura Thornton, Mattson; Bobbie Stephens, O'Brien; Geraldine Tidwell, Paint Creek; Frances Wade, Rochester; Patsy Ingram, Rule; Dorothy Pearl Knipping, Sagerton; Brenda Fossett, Weinert Junior club, and Ruth Williams, Weinert Senior club.

During 1947 the girls reported earning 219 quarts of fruits, 800 quarts of vegetables and 33 quarts of meat, helped with 212 home gardens, helped prepare 11,300 meals, made 217 garments and remodeled 200 garments.

Local club girls received more recognition last year than they have since the end of the war. The Haskell Chamber of Commerce sponsored prizes for the first county-wide dress revue and paid the expenses of two delegates to the 4-H Roundup at College Station in September. Six girls were awarded silver pins by the Simplicity Pattern Company and one girl received a \$25 prize from the Producer's Grain Corporation to develop a club project.

Club sponsors are Mrs. W. H. Merchant, Mattson; Mrs. Robert Edwards, Weinert; Mrs. K. D. Tanner and Mrs. Grady Newsom, Rochester; Mrs. Ted Campbell, Rule; Mrs. Elmo Stephens, O'Brien, and Mrs. John Guilette, Paint Creek.



For All the People

America, we sometimes say, is made up of Fords and Frigidaires, Kodaks and Coca-Colas. We like brands and trade-marks. We respect the successful products of industry, and have confidence in them. We're even likely to take these things for granted, without knowing the how or why behind them. America is the only land where initiative, enterprise, and competition have been allowed to work for the good of all the people.

Yet, to view our industry as comprising a few great names and trade-marks only, is to have a confused and off-balance picture. To think that manufacturers of goods we all like to buy—automobiles, for instance—are the "great monopoly" is to fail to see how big and how productive the nation really is. Neither General Motors, nor any of the others, could get by without their hundreds of helper factories that make everything from cotter-pins to hub-caps.

Where the Supplies These helper factories are in turn supplied with parts and materials by hundreds of other firms. A supply line may even go back to a simple "alley shop," where three or four men grind or polish a part. Or take a town like Worcester, Mass. The total wage bill there for workers in plants supplying the automotive industry was almost \$40,000,000 in 1946. That's a good sized payroll.

Or take the whole parts industry, of which there are more than 1,000 companies, with plants spread all over America. Most of these parts producers are small businesses, employing less than 500 workers each. Usually their origin may be traced to fertile minds that invented and patented an idea for improving automobiles. Many newcomers are still getting into the parts and equipment field. Under the American system, this is possible.

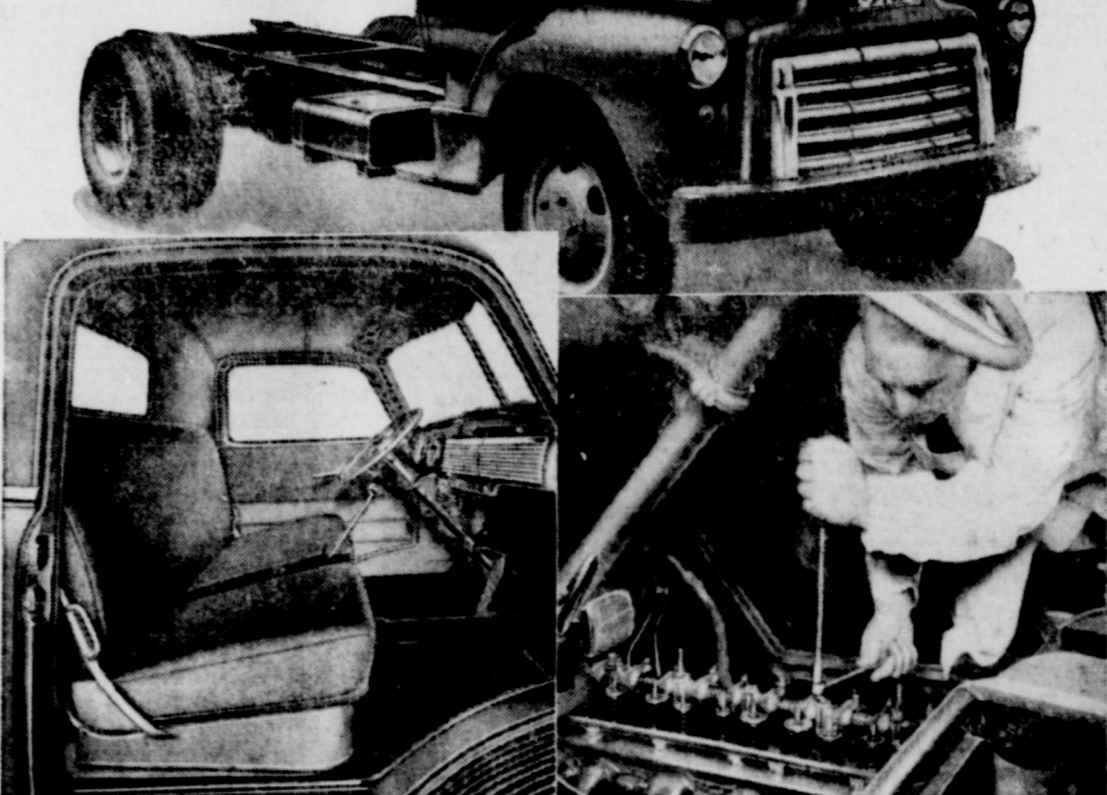
Each Has a Part Mistaken in their complaint about monopolies, in the next breath some folks berate the "machine age" for not offering the worker a chance to take pride in his work. Just putting in cotter-pins all day in the same old assembly-line position, they say, is poor substitute for craftsmanship. Right here, I want to go on record as praising the free and responsible American who put the cotter-pins firmly and safely in the chassis of my automobile! He did a good job.

I'll give the average American worker the praise that is his due. He has the intelligence to see his place in our method of mass production of goods for the use of everybody. Not so long ago, war workers were being told they were "right behind the man behind the gun." Indeed, the lowliest assembly-line worker or file-clerk is a part of a peace-time production. And it is this production that makes America the best land in the world in which to live.

Yes, hundreds and sometimes thousands of suppliers and fabricators are the craftsmen behind the automobiles we drive, the radios we hear. As workers in a free America, we can never overlook the importance of the place we have behind the name tags on the products of our skill. As we work, and to the extent that we understand and depend upon that system, so shall we succeed in preserving American ways and liberties.

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width with nearly twice the number of seat springs and complete insulation. RIGHT: In addition to the wide hood opening, easy accessibility to the engine is made possible by the removable one-piece insulated engine cover and right and left side floor boards.

RODLS MEETING IN WICHITA FALLS
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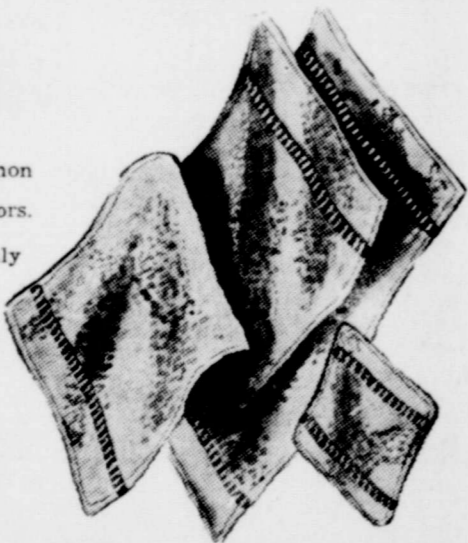
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Dennis Chapel HD Club Meets With Mrs. Marshall

The Dennis Chapel Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. G. C. Marshall on Friday, March 5, with five members present.

Mrs. Clyde Walker will be on the program to go to Quana.

The shaping of hot rolls was the demonstration for the meeting. Our next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. C. C. Childress on March 19.

Those present were Mesdames C. C. Childress, R. E. Hutchinson, Clyde Walker, D. I. White and the hostess, Mrs. Marshall.

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"It is true that tuberculosis no longer is first on the list of killing diseases as it was formerly," Dr. Cox said, "but despite having been reduced to fifth place in Texas, it still is responsible for more deaths between the ages of fifteen and forty-five than any other disease. And this fact exists even though the majority of tuberculosis patients could have their condition arrested if it were recognized early and proper treatment applied."

"Treatment of the early recognized case is essential. It is of equal importance, from a public health viewpoint, that the spread of this devastating infection be prevented. A more intelligent appreciation of this fact would result in the saving of thousands of lives."

"When a diagnosis of active tuberculosis has been made, examination of the other members of the immediate family should follow as a matter of course. Tuberculosis runs in families, not because of any special susceptibility to the disease, but because it is communicable, being usually transmitted through close and prolonged contact with the active case."

"To reduce number of deaths caused by tuberculosis, Dr. Cox suggests periodic examination of all adults a check-up by physicians of the known active cases and contacts, regular examinations of high school children, isolation or hospitalization of the active tuberculosis case, and a more intelligent application of hygienic living principles."

ter News

Hicks of Dallas in the home of J. M. Hicks. Hunt hosted a tea for Mrs. A. B. Thursday in Mrs. home in Rule. Mrs. Curtis Guess of Weatherford spent a few days here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell. Hubert Bell of Bangs spent a few days here last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell. Mrs. Holt Mosely returned to

chester were Mesdames A. E. Mitchell, Sallie Fields, Mattie Gauntt and Louisa Bean. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell returned home Sunday from Mineral Wells where they spent two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Robert King and children spent Sunday in Hamlin with relatives. Mrs. Curtis Guess of Weatherford spent a few days here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell. Hubert Bell of Bangs spent a few days here last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell. Mrs. Holt Mosely returned to

her home in Muleshoe last Friday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins. Joe Watkins and family of Knox City were visitors here Tuesday in the home of their parent, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins. Mrs. Walter Mooney and daughter, of Goree, visited here Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Mooney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Turner. Rochester Rotary club observed Ladies' Night, Tuesday. The meeting was held in the school lunch room, and was opened with the singing of several songs, after which dinner was served. Club members and ladies then went to the high school auditorium where they enjoyed a social hour playing forty-two. During the month of January the Rochester club had a 100 per cent attendance record. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Henry, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Matherly and Mrs. A. C. Henry returned home last week from a visit with relatives at Elgin and Austin. Arthur Lambert and family of Irvin spent the week end here in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnston. Mrs. Clarence Webb was brought home Saturday from the Knox City hospital. Mrs. W. H. Bittick had as guests during the week end, her children, R. B. Hettick and family. Pete Huntsman, who has been in the Knox City hospital several days, is slowly improving. His many friends are anxious to see him back in his office again soon. Linda Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ray, underwent surgery at the Haskell County Hospital last week. Mrs. E. Moseley's little grandson, who has been critically ill in Knox City hospital, is improving and was able to be brought home Tuesday.

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Veterans' News

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q—Do World War II veterans who are entitled to out-patient dental care have the right to select any dentist they want?

A—Where veteran's administration dental clinic service is not feasible available, the VA has adopted a policy that any veteran entitled to out-patient dental care at the expense of VA may choose any dentist participating in the program of dental care of veterans.

Q—If a veteran contracted a disease or was injured in line of duty while he was in service is the line-of-duty determination, as made by departments of the Armed Services, binding on Veteran's Administration?

A—No. However, the record of the Service Departments generally will be accepted in determining line-of-duty status of diseases and injuries, unless considerations and legal presumptions of the various laws warrant a different finding.

Q—Does the age of World War I and World War II veterans affect the amount of compensation or pension paid to them?

A—Compensation is not affected but pension for nonservice-connected permanent, total disability is increased upon reaching age 65.

Q—I have completed my job-training course and find that I still have entitlement time left under the education provisions of the G-I bill. Will I be permitted to go to another school for the remainder of my entitlement?

A—If you have entitlement time left, you may use the remainder either for job training or for educational training with Veteran's Administration prior approval.

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CABBAGE	lb. 1 1/2c
Large size Winesap	
APPLES	pound 8c
GRAPEFRUIT	lb. 3c
CARROTS	bunch 5c

MEATS

Longhorn CHEESE	lb. 48c
BACON Squares	lb. 38c
BOLOGNA	pound 25c
PICNIC HAMS	pound 44c

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Warships To Turkey

Announcement that the United States plans to transfer four powerful long-range submarines to the Turkish Navy, in addition to some other warcraft suitable for operations in the Middle Eastern area, emphasizes the purpose of this country to give assistance to the Turkish fleet.

Somewhat similar assistance has been rendered to Greece, but the dispatch of a few small warships should not mislead anybody into the belief that the navies of these countries, even when augmented, are sufficient to do more than minor naval operations.

The press releases speak of the recent announcement as a part of military and diplomatic moves designed to give Russia and her Balkan satellites notice that any use of power in the Dardanelles will have serious consequences.

While the transfer of surplus naval vessels to friendly powers may have its beneficial results, there is no use overlooking the fact that if trouble develops with Soviet Russia, the United States will have to bear the consequences almost alone.

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HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—March 15, 1928

The City Council has designated March 28 and 29th as Clean-up Days in Haskell, and has asked the cooperation of all citizens in the observance.

Misses Brucille Bryant, Galen and Ruth Robertson, all of this city, were among the seventy-two honor students during the first semester at the College of Industrial Arts in Denton.

Theft of 20 cowhides from the warehouse of the City Meat Market has been reported to the Sheriff's department. The theft occurred Saturday night.

Local Agent Leo Southern of the Wichita Valley Railroad informs us that 22 cars of pipe have been unloaded here, consigned to the Shell Pipeline Corporation, who are building a line from the West Texas oil fields to Oklahoma.

Preliminary work of laying out grade lines and replacing old water pipe lines was started this week in preparation for actual work of paving a number of streets in this city.

Miss Katherine Rike of Haskell has been chosen freshman representative to the dormitory council at Southern Methodist University, Dallas.

The organization of a Lions club for Haskell was discussed at a meeting of local business men and a delegation from the Anson Lions club, held in the City Hall Friday noon.

Four children were carried to Weibert Friday afternoon for medical treatment after they had been bitten by a dog believed to have been infected with rabies. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wheatley

are spending a few days with relatives in Waxahachie, Dallas and Fort Worth.

Courtney Hunt returned from Dallas, where he purchased new merchandise for the Hunt Dry Goods store and the Grissom store.

Years Ago—March 16, 1918

Mrs. Curtis Ballard and Miss Alma Ballard left this week for Tobe, Colorado.

J. V. Hudson, Haskell stockman shipped two cars of fine white-faced cattle to the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth this week.

Constable R. B. Wilson of Monday, was the victim of pickpockets while on a visit to Fort Worth last week. He was relieved of a billfold containing a chashier's check for \$490 and about -15 in currency.

On Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, Mrs. P. D. Sanders, retiring president of the Missionary Society, was the guest of honor. Mrs. J. U. Fields was co-hostess.

Joe Jones, cashier of the First National Bank in Rule, was in the city Sunday.

Misses Elsie and Lydia Tomm motored to Monday Sunday to visit their sister, Mrs. Ned Hendrix, who returned home with them for a visit.

King Perdue, after a month's stay with home folks in the Foster community, left Sunday for Camp Cody.

Three men who were alleged members of the FLPA, and convicted in Federal Court at Abilene on a charge of conspiring against the government, have been allowed bond of \$10,000 each by U. S. District Judge Geo. W. Jack



Wage-Hour Fixing

Thurman Sensing, who directs research for the Southern States Industrial Council, Nashville, Tenn., is a man who speaks with wisdom. Sometime ago Mr. Sensing released comments on our wage and hour law, in which he predicted there would be continued agitation to fix minimum wages at high figures. I think it is true, as Mr. Sensing suggests, that few people understand the implications of wage and hour fixing by the government.

Says Mr. Sensing: "The whole system of democracy is directly opposed to any sort of planned economy. . . . Deny it though we may, the fixing of wages by legislative action can be regarded as nothing else than part and parcel of planned economy. If the government is allowed to assume the power to fix minimum wages and maximum hours, there is nothing to keep the government from reversing this process and fixing maximum wages and minimum hours." With that, democracy flies completely out the window, Mr. Sensing declares.

Real Guarantee

Everybody, he says, should have a living wage — or more — if he earns it. "But no one who believes in democracy will argue that a person should have a certain wage whether he earns it or not. Productivity comes first, not wages. The only real guarantee behind a wage in a democracy is the productivity of the person who receives the wage."

These words are so logical and the reasoning so plain that I would like to continue with Mr. Sensing's comments. Suppose an employer couldn't pay the minimum wages set up, and had to close down. There are two choices for the government; "either the business must be taken over . . . and workers paid without any reference to the earnings of the business; or the workers go on relief and are issued a dole at the expense of the general public."

False Promises

The first would be state socialism, which the people of America would never endorse willingly or knowingly. "Socialism never has and never will bring the people a strong government and a high standard of living." Mr. Sensing cites state socialism in England: "Promising them greater production, it has brought decreased production; promising them a higher standard of living, it has brought them a lower standard of living; promising them happiness, it has brought them misery."

Whence Prosperity?

The other alternative, says Mr. Sensing, would bring a great body of unemployed. "They are unemployed simply because the laws of the land have made it unprofitable for them to be employed. . . . They are living off the enterprise and productivity of the rest of the people. Their incentive is dulled, their energy is stifled, their initiative is warped. They are drones in a free society." When the drones are too numerous to be supported by the workers, Mr. Sensing continues, the government takes over and the society is no longer free.

"If minimum wages fixed by the law are to make us prosperous, we might as well set the figure at one dollar per hour or two dollars per hour or five dollars per hour. . . . In a democracy the requirement must always be that the individual shall earn his wage, whether it be ten cents per hour or ten dollars per hour; moreover, that it shall be fixed by free enterprise in a competitive economy. Our whole history has shown this to be the road to prosperity."

sitting in New Orleans. The bonds must be made before United States Commissioner W. D. Durand at Abilene and to date have not been perfected.

50 Years Ago—March 19, 1898

Henry Cousins of McLennan county is here taking a look at the country with the view of buying a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Carney have returned from a trip to Galveston and St. Louis.

Miss Attie Westlake of Cooper, Delta county, arrived yesterday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Gilbert.

Judge Hamner is holding court in Fisher county this week.

The Graham Leader says that the deal for the conveyance of the young county coal lands to an English syndicate has been settled. Lawyers at Graham are preparing the abstracts of titles and deeds to the lands and when these are

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The Wesleyan Service Guild meets the 4th Monday night in each month at 7:30.

Regular meeting of the Board of Stewards each first Tuesday night in the month at 7:30.

Choir practice each Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.

Prayer Service Wednesday night after choir practice.

Youth Fellowship program and choir practice each Wednesday night at 7:30.

The pastor, Rev. James E. Harrell will bring a message Sunday morning on "God's Call". The pastor will also speak at the Vesper service at 5 p.m.

Special music will be arranged by the choir. The young people's choir will have charge of the music arrangement for the Vesper service.

Sunday is designated as Membership Sunday. Those who are to join the church as a result of the visitation efforts of the week will be received Sunday morning. Several have expressed themselves as wishing to join next Sunday, and we are planning for a great decision and membership service.

Visitors are welcome.

Rev. James E. Harrell will preach at the Paint Creek Methodist church next Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Everyone in the community is urged to be present and all visitors will find a warm welcome.

completed Mayor Paddock of Fort Worth will go to London to close the deal with the syndicate.

Messrs. J. M. Baldwin, R. B. Fields, W. T. McDaniel and Gil Bennett are off on a fishing expedition to the Clear Fork.

H. T. Daugherty, county treasurer of King county and president of the Cowboy's Association, spent several days here this week.

The Haskell delegation to the big cattlemen's convention at Fort Worth report a big time and a good business session.

J. W. Wright is building a new residence just east of his present one, which he has rented to Mr. Johnson to run as a hotel.

County Clerk Couch and Deputy Fitzgerald are attending court at Roby this week in connection with a perjury case transferred from Haskell to Fisher county.

F. R. Leonard of Gainesville has been here for several days prospecting for a location for a saddle and harness shop.

The following candidates announced for office this week: F. M. Greer for Tax Assessor, C. D. Long for County and District Clerk, and S. E. Carthers for Tax Assessor.

J. W. Bailey of Gonzales is here visiting his nephew, J. A. Bailey.

VISITS OUT OF TOWN RELATIVES.

Mr. and Mrs. August Steinfath Jr., and Miss Alma and Lena Steinfath, spent last week visiting in the homes of their sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fallstad and family at Riesel, Texas, another sister, Miss Frieda Steinfath, who is attending the Texas Lutheran college at Seguin, Tex-

as, and a brother, fath who is attending Arlington, Texas. Visited San Antonio, Austin and Fort W.

TO WACO W.M.U. STATE MEETING
Mrs. Hugh Watson, R. Whatley left Tuesday where they will attend board meeting of the

Notice to the Public

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FOR SALE—One clean 43 Ford tractor, new motor and new rear tires. Burl Darnell, Rt. 1, Haskell, Texas. 11-4p

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USAF RECRUITER HERE
Sgt. C. S. Boykin of the Army and Air Force recruiting office at Stamford, will be at the Post office in Haskell Thursday of each week. He will be glad to explain the many advantages and opportunities offered young men who are interested in enlisting in the Army or Air Force.

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**The Blue
Dahlia**
Added: Devil Horse No. 3



Senior Class to Present Play Friday Night

The Senior Class of the Haskell High School will present the senior play "Tattletale" on Friday night, March 12th, in the Haskell High School Auditorium.

The cast of characters include: Nancy Ratliff, Patay Cain, Don Nanny, Genelle Bailey, Rex Williams, Anne K. Rike, Raja Hansen, Don Peavy, Marvin Hagebeck, Freddie Kendrick, Anita Jo Pitman, G. W. Mullins, Gay Nell Dippel, Jane Gentry, Billy Matthews, James Foster, James Strain, Doris Taylor, LaVeita Bowen and Betty Adkins.

The proceeds of the play will be used to help defray the senior expenses on a trip to Austin, Houston and Galveston. The play is being presented under the direction of Mrs. Arlos Weaver and Mr. Fayette McCollum.

Uncle Sam Says



A new bonnet may get you in the Easter parade but your participation in the Payroll Savings Plan or the Bond-4-Month Plan will put you in the Security Parade. For the wage earner, payroll savings where you work enable you to acquire Savings Bonds on the partial payment plan. For the self-employed, your local bank maintains the Bond-4-Month Plan. U. S. Treasury Department

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Irby Hall

**Saturday Night
March 13th**

Music By
**Sunset
Ramblers**

Everyone Invited

County HD Council Meets March 6th

The Haskell County Home Demonstration Council met March 6 at 2:30 o'clock in the District Court room. Mrs. A. M. Bird, president, presided at the meeting.

Mrs. Ted Campbell presented the 4-H Gold Star girl, Jean Diers. Paint Creek girls displayed shoe bags they had made. Novis Allison made a report on the work she had done in the Maggie Berry contest.

Mrs. Ollie B. Vernon gave the treasurers' report. Mrs. Jim Perrin read a letter on "Overseas Aid For Children." Mrs. Edward Newton gave a finance report.

A forty-two tournament is to be held March 19 at the lunch room. Receipts from which will be used to finance the Council.

Mrs. J. R. Davis asked the Exhibit committee to meet with her and Mrs. Corbet Lytle, marketing chairman, wants orders for sifters turned in. Mrs. Clyde Walker gave an expansion report.

Mrs. A. M. Bird appointed a committee of five to plan a program for National Home Demonstration Week, May 2 to 8.

H. D. A. delegates were elected as follows: Mrs. Jim Perrin, Mrs. E. B. Calloway, Mrs. Raymond Aston. Alternates were Mrs. Bill Gann and Mrs. W. M. Lowery.

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