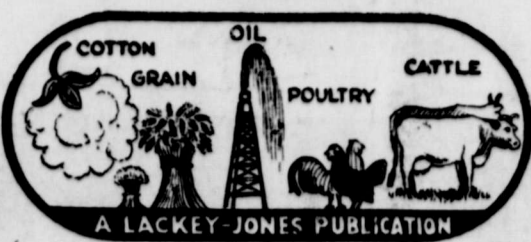


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SIXTY-THREE

Middlebrook Shows Grand Champion In 4H-FFA Livestock Show Held Here Monday

Milk-fed calf belonging to Billy Middlebrook, Paint Creek community, grand champion of the annual Haskell FFA Livestock Show here Monday.

\$2,000 Cleared In Legion Building Fund Drive

Current campaign for funds to complete the American Legion memorial building in this city, which was closed Saturday night, brought in approximately \$2,000, Post Commander Clinton Herren announced Monday on the basis of a preliminary check of receipts from the drive, which was launched Christmas week.

A special event Saturday marking the close of the fund raising drive, attracted large crowds to Haskell, and a considerable sum was received during the closing hours of the campaign.

Herren, joined by other officers and members of the local Post, expressed appreciation to the public for generous support given the campaign, and to scores of workers who gave liberally of their time in promoting the enterprise.

The \$2,000 raised will be sufficient to retire outstanding indebtedness and pay for ceiling interior of the building, Herren said. This work was done recently by the Carpenter Class of the Veterans Vocational Training School here, under the supervision of John Clifton, instructor, without charge for the labor, he explained. This amounted to a considerable saving to the Post and is appreciated by the officers and members alike, he added.

Haskell Sailor Visits Several Ports In Mediterranean

Billy Boyd Howeth, teleman, third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howeth of Route 3, Haskell, recently visited Athens, Greece, and Istanbul, Turkey while serving aboard the destroyer USS Hawkins with the Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Forces, under the command of Admiral Richard L. Conolly.

The Hawkins is on a world cruise as an escort of the aircraft carrier USS Tarawa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bird and granddaughters, Earnestine and Jean Bird, visited friends and relatives in Electra over the week-end.

Grand Champion In 4H-FFA Stock Show



Pictured above is Billy Middlebrook and his 930-pound milk-fed calf, "Lucky," judged Grand Champion of the annual 4H-FFA Livestock Show here Monday.

12-year-old Billy, who lives in the Paint Creek community, is showing his blue ribbon winner in the Wichita Falls show today, along with nine other top calves and their owners entered the regional show. (Photo by Steffa)

ADVERTISED FOOD PRICES LOWER HERE THAN IN MANY AREA TOWNS, COMPARISON REVEALS

Comparison of advertised food prices in Haskell and surrounding towns reveals that local grocery merchants are offering people of this trade territory substantial savings on practically all advertised staple foods, ranging from 10c per pound on sugar to 30c on a 25-lb. sack of quality brand flour.

Comparison of advertised food prices in Haskell and three towns last week showed that a large loaf of bread costing Haskell housewives 17c was 2c under the lowest price in other nearby cities; 3 pounds of shortening, 63c in Haskell, 89c elsewhere; chuck roast, 37c per lb. here against 49c in three nearby towns; dry salt bacon 24c lb. in Haskell and 4c higher in three nearby towns; sliced bacon, 37c here, 43-45c out of town; roll sausage, 29c here ranged from 30-3c in nearby towns. Three pounds of pure lard for 39c in Haskell sold at 39c to 53c in other towns. Similar savings were revealed on many fruit and vegetable items, regularly advertised by Haskell merchants.

Price Support Plan Applies Only to '48 Grain Sorghum

A good many Haskell county farmers have taken advantage of the Commodity Credit Corporation's price support program on their 1948 crop of grain sorghum, Joe S. Harper, secretary of the Haskell County ACA, said this week.

However, Harper pointed out, some confusion has resulted concerning the program. In that farmers concluded the price support also covered grain sorghums to be produced in 1949.

The support price of \$2.28 per hundredweight, basis No. 2 grain sorghum, applies only to the 1948 crop, the ACA official explained.

In order for a producer to be protected, he must sign a purchase agreement with the Commodity Credit Corporation, at the county PMA office not later than Feb. 28. No agreements will be accepted after that date.

O'Brien Beats Sunset For District 12-B Cage Title

O'Brien High School Bulldogs defeated Sunset (Knox County) cagers in the finals for District 12-B title, in a series of games played Feb. 14, 15 and 16. The O'Brien quintet will go to Abilene Feb. 25 where they will play in regional contests.

Towering Booger Emerson, six foot, four and one-half O'Brien star, almost wore out the goal Monday night in scoring 26 points for the Bulldogs. Charles Hutchison, 6 ft. 2 1/2 inch member of the Bulldog thin-clad, scored 22 points Tuesday night.

Duck Walling was high point man on the Sunset team. Other players who placed on the O'Brien team in the finals included Jim Beauchamp, John Hayes, W. D. Johnston, and Herman Smith. Joe Davis is O'Brien coach. The district championship trophy was presented the winning O'Brien team Tuesday night at Sunset.

Attend Funeral of Dr. Hughes Gilliam Here Saturday

Among out-of-town relatives and friends attending the funeral of Dr. Hughes Gilliam, young Galveston physician, here last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick and W. E. Jr., of Dimmitt; Mrs. Roy English of Plainview; Mrs. E. E. Smith of Temple; Ira Gilliam of Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. Reid B. Hughes of Los Vegas, N. M.; Mrs. J. A. Lane of Mr. and Mrs. George Box and Mr. and Mrs. Winford Miller, all of Lubbock; Mrs. I. J. Jurecka of Galveston; Dr. and Mrs. Grady Bruce of Sulphur Springs; Dr. and Mrs. Henry Pettit of Kerrville; A. J. Smith, Jr., of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Aday of Fort Worth.

Quota of \$3,556 Is Goal In Red Cross Drive Starting March 1

Radio Program to Herald Coming Red Cross Drive

John B. Martin, chairman of Public Relations of the Haskell County Chapter, American Red Cross, has been advised that a Red Cross program, preceding the 1949 Fund Campaign, will be broadcast by the American Broadcasting Company network on Feb. 28, at 8:30 p. m. CST, to all sections of the country. The national drive will begin March 1st.

The 30-minute program will include a 10-minute speech by General Eisenhower, after which Helen Hayes and Jimmy Stewart with a supporting cast will be featured in a specially written tone poem. Wayne King's orchestra will furnish the musical background. Then Mr. Stewart will switch the program to the White House, where Mr. Basil O'Connor, head of the American Red Cross, will introduce President Harry S. Truman, who will give his annual kick-off message.

All networks, including NBC, CBS, and MBS, will join ABC to carry the President's message at 8:55 p. m. CST.

The public is urged to tune in on this inspirational program to hear its impressive array of speakers.

Texas Independence Day, March 2, Is Bank Holiday

Tuesday, March 2, Texas Independence Day, will be a legal holiday for banks in this state, and merchants and business men of Haskell county are reminded to keep the date in mind in arranging their banking business next week. Observing the day as a business holiday will be the Haskell National Bank, Farmers National Bank of Rule and Home State Bank of Rochester.

HHS FACULTY SELECTS 8 STUDENTS FOR 'WHO'S WHO' IN 1949 ANNUAL

Temple Williams, son of Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams; Mary Beth Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Payne; Tommy Rhoads, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhoads; Betty Oates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates; Bobby Ann Herren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herren; Margaret Dendy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dendy; Sid Woodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woodson; and Nelda Vaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Vaughter, have been named by the high school faculty for honors in "Who's Who" for the high school annual which is to be published in the near future.

These outstanding students were chosen by comparison with the average of their classmates, and in earning these honors they had shown themselves to be better than all-around citizens, and to have greater potentialities for future usefulness.

Considered also by the faculty was a superior above average proficiency in one or more of the following fields: Scholarship, athletics, publications, speech, dramatic arts, music, leadership and service in school, church or community activities; membership and offices in school and school clubs; and useful and successful hobbies.

Other students receiving honorable mention were Kenneth Stuart, Evelyn Linville, Nancy Burton, Nancy Furrh, Bobby Jack Price, Bobby Neil Smith, Virginia Frierson, Bobby Don Smith, Joyce Matthews, Nabella Hassen, Mary Tyler, and James Miller, Doris Nell Camp, Wanda Cook, Melton Christian, Rose Ann Johnson, Chan King, Abe Turner, Betty Clifton, Geneva Wheeler, Frankie Robinson, Margaret Lassiter.

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On Church Program



REV. B. F. DEARMORE

3-Day Fellowship Meeting Planned at Fundamental Church

A three-day Fellowship Meeting will be held at the Fundamental Baptist Church in this city March 2, 3 and 4. Rev. C. Jones, pastor, announced this week.

Rev. B. F. Dearmore of Fort Worth, one of the Southwest's outstanding religious leaders, will be guest speaker, with others from Fort Worth and surrounding territory appearing on the program from time to time.

Program being arranged for the morning and evening sessions of the three-days meeting will be of interest to all who attend, local church leaders pointed out.

Breakfast will be served both noon and evening, and all who plan to attend are urged to come prepared to stay throughout each session, beginning Wednesday night March 3, at 7 o'clock.

Building Damaged In Recent Fire Being Repaired

Extensive repair work is under way this week on the H. M. Rike building on the east side of the square, which was heavily damaged by fire early last week.

Complete new roof is being placed on the structure, together with a new ceiling and repairs to walls and flooring. Plate glass fronts which were broken by heat are also to be replaced. All building fixtures, walls, ceilings and fronts are to be repainted in completing the repair project.

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Harold R. Spain, Haskell postmaster and World War II veteran, has been named drive chairman of the 1949 American Red Cross Fund Campaign in Haskell County, according to John H. Banks, chapter chairman. The quota to be raised by this county is \$3,556.00, of which \$2,519 will remain in the county and \$1,046 will be this chapter's share in national and international needs.

The 1949 drive will be launched Tuesday, March 1, with a kick-off breakfast to be held in each of the six towns of the county at 8 a. m. on the opening day of the campaign for the workers in those territories and the surrounding rural communities. The fund supplies will be issued at that time.

The following Haskell citizens have volunteered their services, with several others on a potential list: G. L. Neely, Joe Thompson, George W. Fouts, Wix Curry, Roy Cook, W. I. Coggins, John A. Couch, Cecil Gregory, F. C. Nickerson, J. M. Crawford, Payne Hattox, W. O. Holden, Stanley Furrh, J. L. Alderice, Lyndon Newton, Jeffie Toliver, D. L. Speer, and Mrs. W. P. Trice.

The names of the chairmen in the various towns and communities, and their workers will be published as appointed.

This county received national recognition and praise for exceeding its quota the opening day of the campaign last year, and Mr. Spain has stated that the same challenge is being offered the workers in the 1949 campaign.

The breakfast for the Haskell workers will be held at the Texas Cafe, from which they will begin their solicitations.

Reburial Rites For Pfc. Dickenson Held Tuesday

Re-burial rites were held here Tuesday afternoon for Pfc. Wm. Orland Dickenson, killed in action Dec. 29, 1941, in a Japanese attack on Camp Mills, Corregidor Island, P. I. The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dickenson, he was the first native of Haskell county to lose his life in World War II following Pearl Harbor.

The rites were conducted at the gravesite in Willow Cemetery by Rev. F. C. Nickerson, pastor of the First Christian Church. Sgt. Morris of the Army Quartermaster Corps, Ft. Worth, was military escort accompanying the body to Haskell. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Holden's Funeral Home. Pallbearers were George Neely, Rogers Gilstrap, Doyle Eastland, Clinton Herren, Gene Frierson and Sonny Reynolds.

Pfc. Dickenson was born January 31, 1912, in Haskell. His parents were residents of this city for many years. Entering the Army some time before the outbreak of war, Pfc. Dickenson had been stationed in the Philippines for some time before his death. His mother, now deceased, was making her home in Mineral Wells when he was killed.

Only immediate survivor is a sister, Mrs. Frances Miklus of Mineral Wells.

Record Tax Refunds Are Being Repaid By Uncle Sam

The national treasury, much as it hurts, is now refunding to Americans the taxes they overpaid last year.

It is one of the treasury's biggest jobs ever. It is estimated that about 40,000,000 taxpayers will get refunds. How much is uncertain, but it is believed it will be higher than the \$1,600,000,000 refunded to 31,000,000 persons last year.

In January the treasury refunded \$70,000,000 to 1,500,000 persons. No figures are available yet for February.

The reason for the refunds is that the last congress cut taxes. The tax cut applied to the whole year. But the new withholding rates did not go into effect until May 1. Therefore overpayments on withholding taxes between Jan. 1 and May 1 will be refunded.

For another thing, congress extended to the whole nation the community property principle in effect in a number of states.

Under this provision married couples can split their income to take advantage of lower tax rates.

T. R. Odell, Jr., of Haskell Pilots 'Skymaster' on Arizona 'Haylift'

Thomas R. Odell, Jr., of the Air Force transport squadron of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Odell, played an active role in the much-publicized mission carried out by government recently in food supplies and feed back in snowbound areas of the nation.

Recent issue of the Santa Ana Register, almost a space was devoted to a report on the young Haskell pilot and his crew.

The mission was illustrated with pictures. Brief excerpts from the story follow:

A Santa Ana captain of Marines and a wiry Navajo Indian from Tuba City, Ariz. teamed together to make a success of "Operation Tommyhawk," that part of "Operation Snowbound" conducted from Naval Air Facility, Litchfield Park, Ariz.

"Snowbound" is the same as the Airforce's "Haylift."

Capt. Thomas R. Odell, Jr., of 2128 Woodland Ave., Santa Ana, lifted his giant "Skymaster" from the field located 18 miles west of Phoenix at noon. By his side, between him and co-pilot (Continued on Last Page)

World Day of Prayer Proclamation

WHEREAS, from the foundation of the American Republic, fathers, whatever their creed, or condition, or race, or origin, have been wont to turn to the God of the Universe for guidance and blessing; and the founders of Haskell built here homes of worship; and God has signally blessed people whenever they have called upon Him and followed Him;

WHEREAS, men of all faiths today realize that only divine aid and the following of God's commandments can help our and the world in the bewilderment and turmoil of these years; and

WHEREAS, the Council of Church Women of Haskell, with similar groups across America and throughout the world, has designated Friday, March 4, 1949, as a "World Day of Prayer," urging people to gather to ask for divine guidance themselves and all mankind, and to give of their plenty as a token of brotherhood and of gratitude.

WHEREAS, I, W. Q. Casey, Mayor of Haskell, Texas do hereby call a Day of Prayer in Haskell; and do call upon citizens to give reverent attention to the purposes of this day, to offer their own prayers and petitions to their heavenly Father, and, if possible, to attend corporate worship and religious service of the day. Let us each call upon God in the establishment of lasting peace, goodwill, and brotherhood everywhere in the world.

W. Q. CASEY, Mayor, City of Haskell.

New Dodge Has Low Silhouette, Greater Roominess and "Get-Away" Engine

New exterior styling, greater interior roominess, and a new, higher 7.0 to 1 compression "Get Away" engine, feature the new Dodge cars, W. H. (Hut) Pitman, local Dodge dealer, declares.

Dodge models are being manufactured on two wheelbases. The new Coronet and Meadowbrook models on a 123 1/2 inch wheelbase, a 4 inch increase, replace the former custom and deluxe cars. A wholly new addition to the Dodge line is the lower priced Wayfarer on a wheelbase of 113 inches.

First public showing of the new Dodge will be Friday, Feb. 25, in Haskell and more than 4000 other dealer showrooms across the country.

The new Dodge has been designed from the inside out to provide more head room, leg room and elbow room. Mr. Pitman said. At the same time, he emphasized that exterior dimensions have been decreased. The new models are lower in height, shorter in overall length and narrower in overall width in comparison with previous models—welcome parking and garaging news.

In the Coronet and Meadowbrook models, front seats are 6 inches wider and rear seats nearly 8 inches wider. Dodge knee-level seats have been retained and head room is now the same for both front and rear seat passengers. In relation to the rear axle, seats have been moved forward to further improve Dodge's well-known cradled ride. The new stationary footrest for rear seat passengers is scientifically placed for proper support and rear seat leg room is unaffected by the five inch travel adjustment of front seat.

Important factors in effecting additional spaciousness in the front seat area are movement of the instrument panel a full four inches further forward and location of bulky parts of the new Dodge fresh air heating and ventilating system under the engine hood.

Dodge's functional design has resulted in an attractive exterior style with graceful body and fender lines and a new low silhouette. Massive sheet metal

fender sections have been avoided. Fender units, are bolted on and, if necessary, can be quickly and easily replaced at minimum inconvenience and at least cost.

Front and rear doors swing wider, opening almost a full 90 degrees, to make it easy to enter or leave the new Dodge. Rear doors of sedan models are hinged on the center post further contributing to ease of entry as well as providing an important safety factor. Forward motion of the car tends to swing the rear door closed if it is accidentally left open.

The front end of the new Dodge is highlighted by the massive chrome finished grille of simplified design which is easy to keep clean. Headlights are spaced 3 1/2 inches further apart and are 3 1/4 inches higher than previous models. This, together with improved sealed beam headlight units, assures better road illumination for safer night driving.

A distinctive rear end styling resulting from the natural blending of body and rear fender lines, helps to accentuate Dodge's new low silhouette. Deck lid lock, stop light and license light are combined in one attractive chrome unit. New plastic lenses of superior optical properties are used in all rear lights for greater brilliancy and better protection from the rear.

All Dodge models have larger windshields and rear windows with the windshield area being increased 24 per cent. Windshield wiper blades sweep a 44 per cent larger area. Better vision is provided by new hood contours and higher seats. Vent wings have been added to rear door windows for better rear seat ventilation. Vent wings in both front and rear doors have a new tamper-proof lock.

Instrument panels are completely restyled with all instruments centered in front of the driver an dressed into panel to avoid confusing light reflections. Rotary controls which replace the former push-pull type are grouped for easier access and neater appearance. Instrument panel lighting adjustable from dim to bright and a combination ignition

New Low Lines of Dodge Coronet



The completely new and distinctive functional styling of the new Dodge Coronet presents a lower silhouette with graceful body and fender lines. Interior overall length, width, and height have been increased although exterior dimensions have been reduced. Front and rear seats have been moved forward to permit better cradling between the axles. The Dodge Coronet has a wheelbase of 123 1/2 inches, 4 inches longer than previous models.

tion and starter switch are new features.

In keeping with the Dodge tradition of powering its cars with a dependable and economical engine to meet modern driving needs, the Dodge "Get Away" engine lists a number of improvements. Much faster acceleration and better idling and low-speed performance are obtained by a higher 7.0 to 1 compression ratio and a new carburetor, intake manifold, camshaft, fuel pump and generator. Other engine improvements include better sealing of crankcase against dirt and more dependable wet weather driving.

All models continue to feature the famous Dodge fluid drive as standard equipment. In addition, Mr. Pitman explained, there is a new Gyro-Matic transmission which frees the driver from gear shifting. It will be available as optional equipment on Coronet

History of Albany Fandangle Is Told Harmony Club

The Harmony Club met in the Homemaking Cottage Feb. 10.

Mrs. John H. Banks presided for a short business session.

Roll call was answered with a current event in music. The collection was read in union.

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead spoke on Musical Therapy and Mrs. Calvin Henson on Music in Industry.

Mrs. O. W. Tooley discussed Folk Music. Mrs. Cadenhead played piano number, Jubilo and Tantiyo.

Mrs. John H. Banks gave the history of the Albany Fandangle and played a recording of the song sung by the boy singer, "A Hale In The Bottom of The Sea."

Mrs. Floyd Cook sang "Will You Remember" accompanied by Mrs. M. E. Helber.

Carroll Turner sang, "Lost Night" (H.Kierulf) accompanied by Mrs. C. F. Cadenhead.

Thirteen members were present. Mrs. J. W. Medley was hostess.

Lucky H. D. Club Meets In Home of Mrs. Smith

The Lucky H. D. Club met Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1949, in the home of Mrs. George Smith. The slick trick demonstration was given by Mrs. Boyce Foil. The contribution to THDA fund was taken.

Mrs. C. G. Stark gave report of call meeting at Haskell, Feb. 9.

Mrs. Herschel Hines was elected delegate to district THDA meeting. Mrs. C. B. Spreyberry was elected alternate.

The club decided on the demonstration to be given at Training Day soon.

Hostess and members quilted on a quilt.

The club will meet March 2, 1949, in the home of Mrs. C. B. Spreyberry at 2 o'clock.

Those present were: Mesdames Ora Yarbrough, C. B. Spreyberry, C. G. Stark, Boyce Foil, Herschel Hines, and the hostess, Mrs. George Smith.

HAS SIX MINISTER SONS

Cleveland, O.—At the close of a family reunion service in St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran Church, the pastor, Rev. George A. Naumann stood in the pulpit, with his six sons at his side. Like their father, all six sons are ministers. Of four daughters, two are married to ministers.

models.

The Coronet and Meadowbrook lines include three four-door sedan models, a club coupe, a convertible, an 8-passenger sedan and, for the first time in a number of years, Dodge will have a station wagon. The Wayfarer line will include a two-door sedan, a 3-passenger coupe and a new roadster which is scheduled for later production, Mr. Pitman concluded.

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Bluebonnet H. D. Club Meets With Mrs. Lytle

The Bluebonnet H. D. Club met Thursday, Feb. 17, with Mrs. Corbet Lytle, south of Rule. Mrs. A. C. Denson, president, presided for the business meeting. Mrs. R. V. Hagle was nominated representative for the Bluebonnet Club at the District Meet to be held April 21, at Hardin College, Wichita Falls.

"Magnificent Obsession" by Loyd Douglas was reviewed by Mrs. Corbet Lytle. Mrs. Lytle marked attentively the occurrence of the unescapable influence of an idea and how this actuates the steering and purity of life.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Fred Knipling, R. V. Hagle, Edd Conner, Joe Helcomb, Rex Murry, Arthur Williams, John Wendeborn, Lee Cornelius, Raymond Astin, A. C. Denson, Clyde Grace.

The club meets March 3, with Mrs. R. V. Hagle.—Reporter.

HASKELL COUNTY H. D. COUNCIL IN SPECIAL MEETING, FEB. 9

The Haskell County H. D. Council called a special meeting February 9, at which the District Agent, Mrs. Myrtle Negy, presided.

Mrs. Negy explained how a home demonstration agent is promoted and gave an interesting demonstration on Swedish over-weaving.

The clubs were encouraged to carry on their own demonstrations until another agent can be secured.

READ THE WANT ADS.

Mrs. D. I. White Hosts Meeting of H. D. Club

On Friday, Feb. 18, the Dennis Chapel Club met in the home of Mrs. D. I. White, with six members present. Roll call was answered with 15 cents for THDA. "Beautiful Texas," was sung for opening exercise. Club pal gifts were exchanged. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames G. C. Marshal, R. E. Hutchinson, C. C. Childress, Clyde Walker, Coyt Hix, and D. I. White.

"Texo," the grand champion steer from Pecos County, will be remembered for quite a while. Eight pairs of cowboy boots are being made from his hide for Club boys.

Anna LeClaire Paul L. Mann In Longview

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Le Claire and Paul Mann, February 7th. The ceremony was read by C. Moore at his home view.

The newlyweds have their home at 1112 in Longview.

Mrs. Mann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haskell and Mr. Mann is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. 3303 Washington, Abilene.

Fundamental Baptist Church

114 Ave. D, South 2nd St.

REV. C. JONES, Pastor

Three Days Fellowship Meeting March 2, 3, 4, 1949

Rev. B. F. Dearmore, guest speaker, with other from Fort Worth and surrounding territory, who will be on the program from time to time.

Basket lunch will be served both Noon and evening.

preparation to stay throughout each session, beginning at 7:00 P. M.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS, Rev. Joe Scheets, Teacher. THIS WEEK'S "BANNER" CLASS.

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2 Lb. Jar— Grape JELLY 30c

2 Lb. Jar— Apple JELLY 27c

No. 2 Red Pitted— CHERRIES 27c

Quart Sour— PICKLES 25c

Wilson's Certified— OLEO Colored (Whole or Quarters) lb. 37c

No. 2 Concho— CORN can 14c

Skinner's— MACARONI 10c

Cherry Bell— MEAL 5 lbs. 32c

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West Texas— 5 Lb. Pail— MAPLE SYRUP 65c

West Texas— 5 Lb. Pail— CANE SYRUP 62c

Carnation— MILK 3 Large Cans for 38c

FAB Large Boxes 2 for 43c

BREEZE large boxes 2 for 35c

TIDE Large Box 29c

DREFT Large Box 27c

RINSO Large Box 29c

LUX SOAP 3 Bars for 25c

Yacht Club— CHERRIES No. 2 Can 35c

Yacht Club— GREEN BEANS No. 2 Can 22c

Monarch— CORN No. 2 Can 24c

No. 2 Can— TOMATOES 3 cans 44c

Tall Can— PORK & BEANS 2 for 25c

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Holds Firm Price Drop Commodities

Escaped last week's losses, according to the PMA, U. S. of Agriculture. In Oklahoma and other markets tightened cotton dropped 40 cents last Tuesday. Buyers want to make any of the prolonged slow sell continues. Unsettled prices have recently detoured buying to some extent but second quarter business is being booked in fair volume.

to 32.95 before the break came. Cotton followed a similar pattern during February last year, opening the month at 34.45 per pound, Dallas, and dropping to 31.30 the close of the second week. Total sales at Dallas, Houston and Galveston ran only a few hundred bales below those of the previous week. Domestic inquiries were small but export demand continued good. Cotton textile markets have been relatively active in the past few weeks. Business has improved considerably in some sections of the gray goods market, principally print cloth and sheetings. In some others, the prolonged slow sell continues. Unsettled prices have recently detoured buying to some extent but second quarter business is being booked in fair volume.

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Naomi Bible Class Party Held Friday Evening

The three-months contest ended in December for the Naomi Bible Class, but weather conditions prevented the losers from entertaining the winners until Friday night, Feb. 11. The losers invited the winners to the annex of the First Baptist Church for an evening of fun.

The house was made beautiful by carrying out a Valentine theme. Various colors and sizes of Valentines were used.

The losers presented a good program by using skits from radio programs.

First, they presented Beulah Quattlebaum with a birthday corsage. It was made of tiny yellow squash and carrot greens, and tied with a red bow of ribbon.

The audience sang "Happy

Birthday" to her. Freddy Ballard, with her wit and charm, acted as radio announcer.

The Andrew Sisters being impersonated by Stella Josselet and Flossie Rogers, sang a duet, "When You Wore a Tulip and I Wore a Big Red Rose."

Then came Bonnie Cothron as Jerry Wright. She read a poem for the day, and told of her bargain in hosiery. Selling 2 pairs for only \$1.29 and they were selling fast at such a bargain.

The announcer paused for station identification, which was LOSERS to the WINNERS.

Pinch hitting for Betty Crocker, was Ruby Alvis. She gave a wonderful recipe, "The Spice of Life." She said it must be seasoned with kindness and thoughtfulness, with a mouthful of sunshine stirred in. Salted with sweetness and prayer. And a comforting word to the downhearted. And none of this can be beat.

Next was Freddy Ballard as Jack Bailey, presenting "Queen For A Day."

This program was humorous from start to finish. Faye Self, Virgie Bledsoe, Flossie Rogers and Ethel Alvis read interesting and comical letters as to the wishes of the winners.

Della Ashley got an audition to sing on Jack Bailey's program. She sang an amusing song, with the tune of "Where The River Shannon Flows."

She was elected Queen For A Day and received many valuable gifts such as antique silver, a solid gold pitcher and golden cups, and numerous other gifts. But it proved too much for her, she became very up set and blacked out. Mr. Bailey called for a nurse and Stella Josselet was in the crowd. She came with her thermometer and her aid came with a wash cloth, fan and hot water bottle. After a lot of fun, she was revived.

Mrs. Whatley sponsored a Dr. I. Q. program. And a laugh it was. In her clever way, she kept the group laughing with her questions. When the contestant failed to answer them, she would give them a box of Forever Yours candy. Hazel Tyler proved herself good in giving the tongue twister perfectly, and got the 12 silver dollars.

Ruth Taylor, in her quiet manner, ask the doctor to repeat the question please.

After the radio program, the group joined in singing hymns, and was dismissed with prayer. Refreshments were served to 30 members and six visitors.

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TRAPPED 5 DAYS

Oakland, Calif.—Rescued after being trapped beneath his wrecked auto for five days, surgeons believe that Ernest K. Steele will live, although it may become necessary to amputate a portion of his right hand. The man was trapped beneath his overturned car only 150 feet from a busy highway and was found by telephone linemen who noticed something bright down the deep embankment and investigated.

\$12,000 IN PANTS

New York City.—Found unconscious in an alley with a fractured jaw, G. Longo, a 63 year old junk dealer, was taken to a hospital. Attendants found that the patient wore three pairs of pants and three shirts and, sewed into the lining of the inside trousers, was more than \$12,000. The money was in 10, 20 50 and 100-dollar bills.

RESCUES OWN SON

Lakeville, Ind.—Answering a call for help, Mrs. James Peters plunged fully clothed into the chilly waters of Riddle's Lake to rescue a child who had fallen in. She swam out and brought the child to the top, learning for the first time that he was her son, Jimmy, 4. Towing her unconscious son back to the shore, she began artificial respiration. By the time firemen and a doctor arrived, the boy had been revived.

NOT THE CUSTOM

Kuln, N. D.—After living in Sweden for 20 years, Dr. Frank P. Tollen, stopping at a hotel in a large American city, on his way to his former home, put his shoes outside his hotel door before retiring, expecting to find them the next morning. That may have been the custom in Europe, but not in America. Some one stole the shoes, instead.

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Philadelphia.—New York to Philadelphia, 71 miles, in 7 minutes and 11 seconds seems unbelievable and yet Capt. Charles E. Yeager recently flew a P-84, the Army's new jet fighter, from the Empire State Building to the City Hall in Philadelphia in that time.

FIRES HIMSELF

Spokane, Wash.—Ordered to cut his employees by 90 percent because of appropriation cuts, C. P. Dowmen, state administrator for the PMA, gave out dismissal notices, giving one to himself. He said it was only fair to fire himself along with the others. He is going back to his farm.

WHO'S NEXT?

New York.—When Dr. Henry Cerully, dentist, called out, "Who's Next?" two robbers walked in and extracted \$150 and some dental gold from the doctor.

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VISITORS IN RALPH DUNCAN HOME

Mrs. J. E. Duncan of Stamford, Mrs. George Connell, Mrs. Buster Walton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duncan of Abilene, were in Haskell Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan and daughter, Jennifer Sue.

UNDERGOES MAJOR SURGERY IN HOUSTON

Clifton C. Chapman, former resident of Haskell and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Chapman of Haskell, underwent major surgery in a Houston hospital last Friday. He was doing as well as could be expected on last report.

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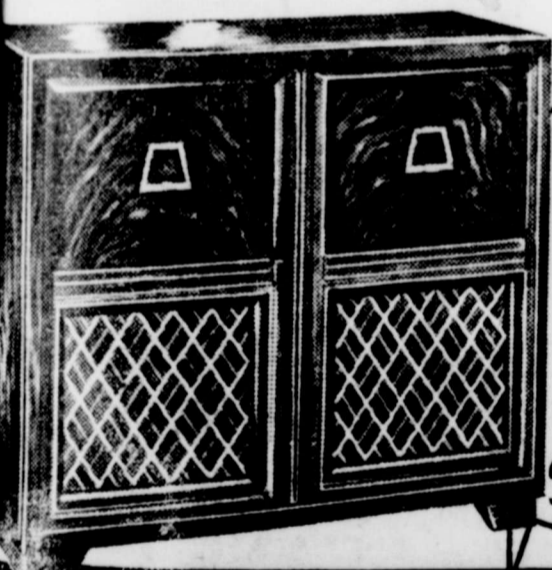


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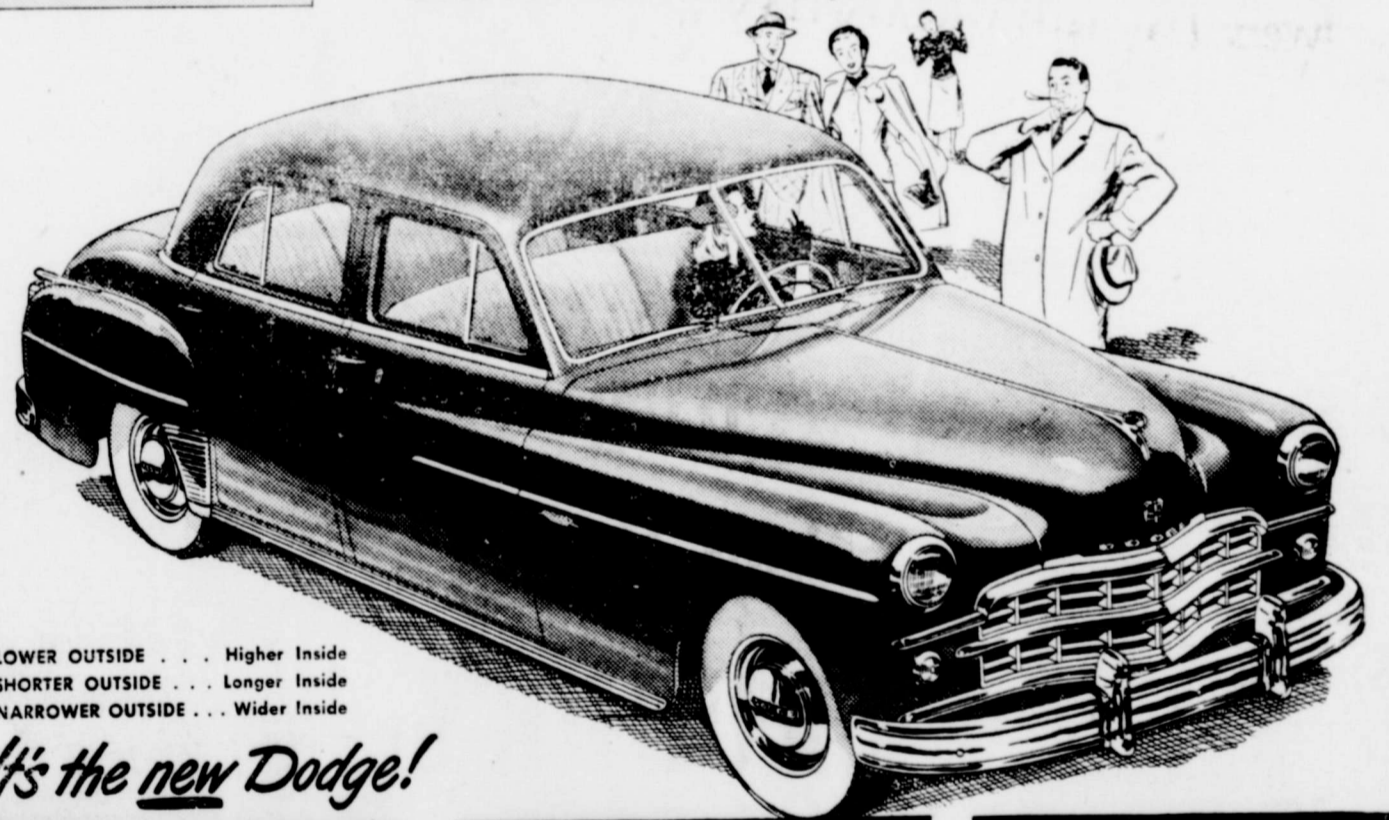
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Now is the time you can help before it happens by giving through your Red Cross.

Haskell County Chapter

Mrs. Paul Hester of Rule Is Honoree at Bridal Shower

In the lovely home of Mrs. W. J. Taylor, mother of the honoree, on Feb. 22, was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Paul Hester, the former Marquita Taylor.

The guests were greeted at the door by the hostess, Mrs. Jake Wheeler, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. W. J. Taylor, the groom's mother, Mrs. O. H. Hutchens.

Miss Ruby Caldwell presided at the bride's book. Mrs. Jake Wheeler and Mrs. J. P. Caldwell assisted with the gifts.

The guests were invited into the dining room, where the table was laid with a lovely lace table cloth and decorated with hatched. Mrs. John Stockton and Mrs. Frank Foraythe served sandwiches, candy topped cookies, and cocoa.

Hostesses were: Mesdames Jake Wheeler, Jno. Stockton and Frank Foraythe.

Those attending and sending gifts were:

Mesdames A. V. Townsend, Carl Norman, Kenneth Tanner, Raymond Saffel, Bill Dunham, Jake Wheeler, John Stockton, Frank Foraythe, Joe Bullock, Ferber Chambers, Travis Horton, Edd Cloud, Irene Cloud, Jean Cloud, Joe W. Cloud, Roy Lewis, Hollis Davis, Doyle Norman, Bill Kittle, Robert Sollock, J. F. Norman and Lillian, Jiggs Westbrook, James A. Lisle, Sr., Bob Dickey, W. D. Payne, Roy Norman, W. C. Camp, Dix Carnes, C. B. Sprayberry, Jess Glover, Carl Medford, Rip Barbee, Howard Perry, D. O. Stephens, Bert Cox, Obie Wright, Curtis Gibson, Jack McAdoo, Fisher McAdoo, Jim Holcomb, Mordant McKinney, Opal and family, Carl Thomas, Florence, Alvin Singleton, Charles Reeves, Earnest Vanover, F. A. Bryan, W. J. Taylor, Wilson Gibson, Melvin Miller, Marion Ray, Stone, Haskell Stone, Jack D. Wester, Homer L. Chambers, L. J. Vanover, Edith Marshall and boys, J. P. Caldwell, Ora Yarbrough, Dick Andrews, Chan Stark, Johnnie Mullins, Marlin Brown, Hugh Carrol, Holland Weaver, Bessie Hutchens, Emmitt Eakins, LeRoy Casey, and George Poole.

Misses Wanda Hester, Ritta and Bobbie Castleberry, Pearl Cox, Christine Poole, Mary Johnson, and Ruby Caldwell.

John A. Couch Is Speaker at Meeting Of Magazine Club

Mr. John Couch was the guest speaker at the Magazine Club Friday, Feb. 18. He was introduced by the director of the program, Mrs. J. G. Vaughter, and his subject was, "Election Methods."

Mr. Couch not only discussed local and state elections, but also national election methods as well. He is perhaps, one of the most qualified persons in Haskell to speak on this subject since he has participated in some phase of the elections for many years in one of the three divisions.

Mrs. Hugh Smith made an informative address on, "Being An Intelligent Witness," and Mrs. Leonard Florence demonstrated finger printing cards, and explained their uses and their

importance on state and local government marked another step in the vital course of the club has chosen for the year, "Know Your Government."

Brett McCollum Is Guest Speaker at WSCS Meeting

The WSCS had as their guest speaker Monday afternoon, February 21st, Mr. W. P. McCollum, principal of the Haskell High School. The mission study for the past few weeks has been "China, Twilight or Dawn," by Frank W. Price. Mr. McCollum, who spent eleven months in China, spoke on, "China, As I Saw It." He was presented by Mrs. J. U. Fields, director for the afternoon. At the conclusion of his talk, Mrs. McCollum displayed some lovely pieces brought back by her husband from the Orient.

Refreshments were served to the following members and guests:

Mrs. W. P. McCollum, Kenneth and Johnnie McCollum; Mesdames J. M. Diggs, Mildred Tonn, F. L. Cummins, O. E. Patterson, C. L. Lewis, Vernon N. Henderson, W. E. Johnson, C. G. Burson, O. W. Tooley, Cecil Gregory, M. E. Helber, W. D. Kemp, D. H. Persons, J. W. Medley, B. Cox, W. H. Pitman, Ethel Irby, Edd Hester, J. T. Hester, Sam T. Chapman, R. C. Lowe, Paul Frierson, Hugh Smith, Everett Medley, K. H. Thornton, J. H. McClelland, J. U. Fields, Wallace Cox, Prim and Pearsall, of Sweetwater; Rev. Vernon N. Henderson and Mr. McCollum.

RECOVERING IN VET HOSPITAL AT MCKINNEY

C. L. Beck, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beck of Haskell, is recuperating from a major operation in the Veterans' Hospital in McKinney, Texas. Mr. Beck was transferred from the Amarillo hospital to McKinney recently.

Typewriter Ribbons, Carbon Paper, Second Sheets, etc., at the Free Press.

Haskell Men Try Luck at Fishing In Old Mexico

A group of Haskell men spent most of this week on a fishing trip at Don Martin Lake in Old Mexico. In the party, leaving last Saturday and expected to return tomorrow (Friday) were Ed Hester, Jim Byrd, Alton Middleton, Ira Sturdivant, S. A.

Norris, J. B. Gignone, Lane.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mrs. Ruby Wilson visited her daughter, Mrs. D. and Mr. Bassing, Doyle, more, with his wife, West, Fla., to visit Mrs. Frank Stalling.

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Funeral of ... At Santa Sunday

Mrs. C. M. Baird, and Miss Fern Baird, and Mrs. Connard Baird of Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Baird of Haskell, at general services of the nephew, Sgt. Jimmie Santa Anna Sunday, Santa Anna Sunday, November 7, 1944. He

was with the 24th Division and a veteran of the Hollandia invasion.

Dining Room Is New Addition to Club Cafe Here

Addition of a private dining room to the Club Cafe, on the south side of the square, was announced this week by Mrs. T. A. Tate, operator of the establishment. The addition will permit

the cafe to offer special facilities for private parties and gatherings of clubs and other groups, on special occasions. New furniture and fixtures have been installed in the dining room, which is attractively decorated and lighted. A special feature of the new addition will include serving of Mexican dishes as well as the regular menu. The proprietor said.

At the first sign of poor health in young farm animals, it is a good idea to get a diagnosis of the situation. Find out whether disease, parasites or faulty nutrition is responsible. If something is done soon enough, costly animal losses will be cut down.

Wool Takes The Stylelight In New Spring Fashions

High favor of Dame Fashion's followers will be bestowed upon the more casual types of woolsens. This Spring will be season of tweeds and tweedy effects. It will be a season that turns to the graceful draping qualities of the softer woolsens.

Tweeds and the smaller effects in plaids and checks will continue their rise to fashion fame. Both coats and suits will feature tweeds. And the popular coat-dresses, which provide a costume that may be worn with or without a fur piece, will also be featured in tweed.

Plaids and checks are important style notes in worsteds and woolsens. Plaids will continue on into Spring as a pattern favorite and with them fabrics in the smaller checks will be in prominent evidence.

The highly effective use of "companion" woolsens is a style note to be reckoned with. Combination of plaids and novelty woolsens with solid color woolsens, in jackets and skirts, will provide much contrast interest. In these combinations, the basic grounds of the figured fabric will repeat the plain color. The jackets may be worn separately.

In colors, blues take the spotlight in hues ranging from light to Navy. The beige family is also highly favored. The beige palette extends into the dark browns with cocoa a popular choice.

Worth noting is the shift from bright green to bright reds, particularly as an accent color. Beiges, greys and pastels dominate in dress woolsens.

Buttons Are "In" On New Spring Costumes

This season, buttons play a primary part in the ultimate drama of a design and often inspire the silhouette of the costume they adorn.

Noted fashion creator, Nettie Rosenstein, for example, emphasizes the detail of a sheer woolen frock with bound button-holes and skimmer-slim buttons. Designer Esther Dorothy favors buttons for furs. She likes burnished brozed buttons for Nutria and gleaming silver or gold ones for Hudson Seal and Persian Lamb.

On tailored suits, Handmacher likes to use polished Ocean Pearl buttons; while Jane Derby unites sparkling rhinestone buttons with brocade cocktail costumes.

Prominent milliners also have employed buttons for decorative purposes. And Aris Gloves has adapted them as jeweled cufflinks or sometimes as a touch of glamour on a long leather gauntlet.

Ladies Spring Hats are Finely Detailed, Modest

Whether it's a sailor bonnet or cloche, your first Spring hat will undoubtedly be modest in size and simple in silhouette. But it won't be plain.

The stark, close-cropped headlines of Winter take on gentler contours and subtle trimmings as the costume silhouette narrows down towards pencil-slimness. A change of emphasis gives the hat, and he face it is designed to flatter, important over any other part of the Spring costume.

Trimmings for Spring are finely detailed rather than lavish. Tiny flowers scattered lightly over crowns and brims or bunched in delicate sprays, look newer than garlands or bolder blossoms. A single bright flower is occasionally used for accent.

All-flower hats use pressed petals modeled into simple pill-box, cap or bonnet shapes. Wide satin-striped and iridescent taffeta ribbons are puffed, looped and draped in wide bands or contrasting facings, or used to fashion entre hats. White tulle, chiffon veiling and thin silk are often used to give a dressed-up look.

Fine milan-type straws, opalescent candy braids, linen-weave straws, candy braids, linen-weave straws, smooth balubuntal, shantung and all sorts of novelty straws are available in hats at all price ranges this Spring.

Strawcloths, cotton, silk, nylon and rayon fabrics are used alone or in combination with with felt, straw, or ribbon for hats with texture interest that lend sophistication to silhouettes of moderate dimensions and restrained lines.

Muted pastels, including soft greens, mauve, lavender, pink, blue and yellow make the new hats more feminine. Natural straws from palest off-white to rich mahogany tans, will also be popular. White hats will be accented with a pastel or vivid color.

BURNING SALAD

Highland ark, Ill. — Ralph Wheeler and his sister, Virginia, loaded their car with lettuce, chard and other green stuff from their garden and started for home. When their auto caught fire, Ralph smothered it with the salad greens.

To hide water spots or other stains on a smooth leather purse, rub it with a colored shoe cream or wax polish, either colored or clear. Shiny spots on a suede bag often may be removed by light rubbing with very fine sandpaper.

Downward Trend Is Shown in Cotton Markets

Trading in Oklahoma and Texas cotton markets declined last week, according to the PMA-U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Sales at Dallas, Houston and Galveston dropped 13 per cent and totaled 46,317 bales. Similar downward trends showed up in the week's total sales at the country's ten spot markets.

Country cotton markets were dull, too. Farmers put very few lots up for sale. Equities were down early in the week, but advanced some later. Some offers were as high as \$6 per bale in central Texas.

Spot quotations for middling 15-16 inch cotton climbed to 32.40 cents per pound at Dallas and Galveston, and 32.45 cents at Houston last Wednesday, but leveled off at 32.50 to 32.35 on Friday. This is about \$1 to \$2.25 per bale higher than a week ago at these markets. On the corresponding day last year, cotton was \$1.25 per bale higher at Dallas, but \$1.50 lower at Houston.

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Mrs. Carrie Moser, of Stratford, Texas, spent several days here the first of the week with relatives and friends. She returned home Thursday morning.

Almost Third of Land In State Leased for Oil

About 58,000,000 acres of Texas land, nearly one-third of the state's area, has been leased for oil and gas exploration and production, a report released to the Free Press recently by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association indicates.

Land has been leased from land owners in each of the 254 counties, the report showed, and there is oil and gas production in 175 counties at the first of 1949. Ten more counties have had production but are not now producing. During 1947 Kenedy, San Augustine and Sterling counties produced oil for the first time.

The Texas petroleum industries during 1947 paid Texas land owners scattered over 254 counties a total of \$331,738,000 for leases, rentals, bonuses and royalties.

Land owners last year received more than \$89,348,000 in bonus and lease payments. The report said this sum was "considerable income in view of the fact that only a portion of these leases will ever become productive."

When the property is productive the land owner receives royalty payments which average one-eighth of the oil or gas produced, the report stated. These payments in Texas during 1947 were \$242,390,000.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

What sunshine is to flowers, smiles are to humanity. They are but trifles, to be sure; but scattered along life's pathway, the good they do is inconceivable.—Addison. The mind that is cheerful at present will have no solicitude for the future, and will meet the bitter occurrences of life with a smile.—Horace. Cheerfulness is a friend to grace; it puts the heart in tune to praise God, and so honors religion by proclaiming to the world that we serve a good master.—Thomas Watson. Let a smile do the service of a sermon.—Louis Ansnacher. Always look out for the sunlight the Lord sends into your days.—Hope Campbell.

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HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

50 Years Ago—Feb. 25, 1895
Quarterly report of County Treasurer J. E. Murfee, approved by the Commissioners' Court this week, shows the county's bonded indebtedness at \$58,780, and a cash balance in the various funds of \$8,709.94.

Misses Bee Albin and Lucretia Dickenson are getting up a class in town to instruct in chemical painting on glass.
Miss Lela Lawson, who has been residing with the family of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Shook for some time, left this week for California where she will visit her sister.

40 Years Ago—Feb. 20, 1909
Two carloads of bananas, amounting to 46,000 pounds in all, have been sold here in the past week by W. H. Wattam. He says Haskell would be a fine place for a wholesale grocery.

Dispute over division of a reward of approximately \$1,800 offered for the arrest and conviction of persons guilty of killing a Haskell nightwatchman in October, 1926, was settled in District Court last Saturday when Judge Bruce W. Bryant ordered a pro rata division of the reward among 14 claimants, after all court costs had been paid.

BARGAIN IN HASKELL, \$4500 CASH
7 large room house, old style, can easily be remodeled into house or duplex. 2 halls, 3 porches, 1 small room, wood house, well, cellar, 2 lots, east front, 140ft. by 160, sidewalk, curb and gutter, trees, street is being widened and paved, choice location for home or business, on highway 277. 507 N. Avenue E. \$4500 CASH!

Church Calendar
FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
114 Ave. D, South 2nd St.
Rev. C. Jones, Pastor
10 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Morning Message.
7 p. m. Young People's Service.

7:30 p. m.—Evening Preaching Service.
THE CHURCH OF GOD
909 South 1st Street, East
Geo. Ivy, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Message at 11:00 A. M.
Preaching Sunday Evening 7:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Tuesday 7:00 P. M.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Irby, Texas
Sunday, February 20
Sunday School and Bible Class, 2:30 p. m.
Service and installation of the newly elected church council, 9:45 A. M. Bible School

3:30 p. m.
A cordial welcome to all.
M. C. Hoermann, Pastor.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Corner of Ave. F and N. 2nd)
Francis C. Nickerson, Minister
9:45 A. M. Bible School

11:00 A. M. Morning and the Lord's Supper, subject: The Trial of Teronomy.
6:30 P. M. The Theme of Teronomy.
Free Press Want Ad get results.

The Cleanest Used Cars In West Texas

AT THE MOST REASONABLE PRICES

Table listing car models and prices: '48 Ford Fordor, radio and heater \$1,795.00; '48 Ford Tudor, heater, seat covers and Sun Visor \$1,745.00; '47 Mercury Fordor, radio and heater \$1,795.00; '46 Ford Tudor \$1,245.00; '41 Ford Tudor, a brand new motor installed this week \$945.00; '41 Ford Tudor \$895.00; '36 Ford Tudor \$445.00; '36 Ford Tudor \$345.00; '46 Chevrolet Winch Truck, complete \$1,645.00.

(Cost when new \$3,600.00)
All the cars listed above are local cars with low mileage and have been thoroughly re-conditioned and guaranteed.

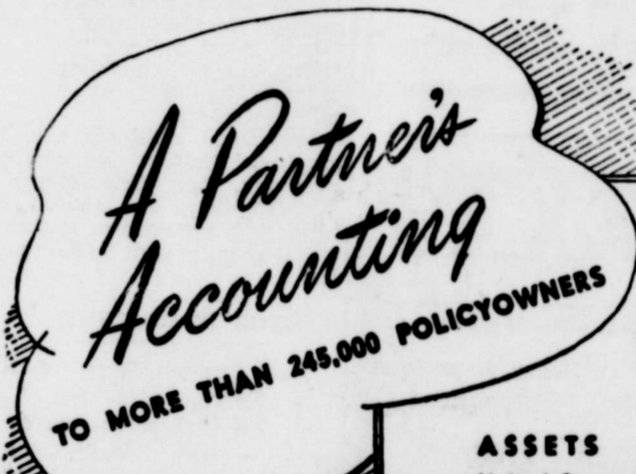


Roy Ratliff Manager, Used Car Dept.

Friday - Saturday and Monday SPECIALS

Just received—A new shipment of our nationally advertised Kayser Underwear in Gowns, Slips, and Panties in all sizes.
1 Table Spun Rayons. Chambrays and Cotton Prints— 39c Yard
Sanforized Chambray. Regular 98c yard— 79c Yard
81x99 Sheets. First quality. Regular \$3.49— 2.59
1 Table of Cannon Towels 29c Each
Men's Shorts and Shirts 59c Each
Bleached and Unbleached Domestic 29c Yard

You'll Find Numerous Other Bargains In Every Department of This Store
THE FAIR STORE



46 TH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CONDITION

December 31, 1948

ASSETS
United States Government Bonds \$ 65,032,721.26
Texas County and Municipal Bonds 11,757,409.79
Public Utility and Corporation Bonds 17,374,656.98
First Mortgage Loans on Texas Real Estate 38,489,534.87
Collateral Loans 1,548,428.79
Home Office Building and Annex 2,050,000.00
Preferred Stocks 8,261,697.63
Bank Stocks 3,040,027.16
Other Common Stocks 7,173,572.43
Cash 2,960,822.44
Loans Against Cash Value of Policies 14,465,043.44
Accrued Interest and Miscellaneous Assets 637,762.05
Net Premiums to Complete Policy Years 6,390,065.07

LIABILITIES
Policy Reserves \$154,782,055.74
Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance 5,572,627.81
Reserve for Taxes and Other Liabilities 1,778,969.46
Total Liabilities \$162,133,653.01
Surplus Funds for Protection of Policyowners:
Capital Stock \$4,000,000.00
For Interest Fluctuation and Other Contingencies 6,468,288.90
Surplus 7,000,000.00
Total \$179,601,941.91
Increase in Assets during 1948 \$19,239,813.75
Insurance in Force: \$697,208,140.00 Gain for Year: \$56,341,122.00



Southwestern Life is big enough for strength, old enough for experience, young enough for progress, and near enough to serve you.

WIX B. CURRIE REPRESENTATIVE

Box 415

Haskell

Southwestern Life Insurance Company
JAMES RALPH WOOD, PRESIDENT HOME OFFICE • DALLAS

For Better Life in Texas

Haskell Merchants and Individuals Give \$359.25 For Livestock Show Awards

Haskell business firms and individuals contributed a total of \$359.25 for awards and expenses of the annual 4H-FFA Livestock Show held Monday. Eighty-seven donors to the fund were listed as follows:

R. B. Spencer & Co.; Stamford Production Credit Ass'n; Hill Oates; The Hub Dry Goods; S. A. Norris; Piggly Wiggly; J. W. Gholson; Payne Drug Co.; Wiley Reid; Hut Pitman; The Fair Store; W. V. Felker; Lone Star Gas; John F. Ivy; W. A. Holt; Service Cleaners; Bill Wilson Motor Co.; Haskell Nat'l Bank; Crawford, J. M. & Oliphant; Hallie Chapman; Brazelton Lbr. Co.; Shirer Bledsoe; Guinn Medford; Benson Auto Supply; Bruce Young; W. W. Warren; Lyles Jewelry; Leonard Florence; Texas as Cafe; Collier's Grocery; Cox Motor Co.; Clifton Grocery; Conner Nursery & Floral; Sturdivant Home & Auto Supply; Fouts Dry Goods & Variety; Burton-Dotson Chevrolet Co.; Hattox Hardware; West Side Barber Shop; Perry Bros.; Perkins-Timberlake Co.; O'Neal's Food Store; Coffield Ladies & Children's Shop; Jones, Cox & Co.; Tonkawa Hotel; Jones & Son; Josselit Service Station; Gilmore Implement Co.; Smitty's; Homer Campbell; T. C. Cahill & Son; Frazier's Radio & Record Shop; Fashion Shoppe; Clifton Shoe Store; T. R. Odell; Jones Dry Goods; M. L. Blahm; Holden's Funeral Home; Tom Davis; Campbell Service Station; Grates Service Station; Lanier-Mobley; Marlow Tractor; Haskell Clinic; Drew Lumber Co.; Ern Lowe; Ralph Merchant; Implement; Humble Agency; Walling; Futane; Herge-Harrison Gln; Warren Drive Inn; West Texas Sheet Metal; C. R. Cook Service Station; Haskell Implement Co.; West Texas Utilities; Bynum Office Supply; Wagon Wheel; Modern Way Grocery; Dee; Perry Grocery; Market Poultry & Egg Co.; White Auto; W. L. Coggins; Cook Bros. Barber Shop; Personality Shoppe; Haskell Free Press; Leon Theatre; Dr. T. W. Williams.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the host of friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and understanding sympathy extended to us in our bereavement in the loss of our loved one, and for the beautiful floral offerings. The remembrance of your kindness will always remain with us, and we pray God's richest blessings on each of you.

The Gilliam Family.

Livestock Show—

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an average price of 30 cents per pound, with the top price going to Sonney Denson of Rule. The Farmers National Bank of Rule paid 32 cents for his animal.

A bid of 41 cents was made for the reserve champion, but the offer was turned down by Gilbert Brandenberger, its owner.

Sixteen hogs brought an average price of 27 cents per pound. The top price went to Elgon Ammonett and was 29 cents paid by the Piggly Wiggly Store.

Individual sellers and buyers, and price paid, in the swine division were:

Tommy Ballard to Personality Shoppe at 28c; Bob Stone to Market Poultry & Egg Co. at 28c; Millard Mullins to Clover Farm Store at 26c; Elton Ammonett to Piggly Wiggly at 26c; Elton Ammonett to John E. Fouts at 27c; Kirby White to French M. Robertson of Abilene at 28c; Bob Stone to A. C. Humphreys at 28c; Tommy Ballard to Market Poultry & Egg Co. at 26c; Jack Downey to O'Neal Grocery at 26c; Cox to John E. Robinson at 26c; Don Yandell to Burton-Dotson Chevrolet Co. at 26c; Sidney Corley to Piggly Wiggly at 25c; Eugene Parker to A. C. Humphreys at 25c; John Stone to A. C. Humphreys at 25c; Millard Mullins to A. M. Turner at 25c; Kirby White to Haskell National Bank at 26c.

Sellers and buyers in the calf division:

Tommy Manker to Hattox Hardware at 29c; Don Collins to Haskell Implement Co. at 29c; Jas. Foster to Market Poultry & Egg Co. at 28c; Roy Ammonett to Buford Cox at 30c; Arlis Morrison to Phelps Ice Co. at 30c; Willard Free to Western Cotton-oll Co. at 30c; Tommy Ballard to Piggly Wiggly at 30c; Weldon Leonard to Hallie Chapman at 30c; Donald Tidwell to Dr. T. W. Williams at 30c; Larry Wheeler to Gholson Grocery at 31c; Earnest Strain to Haskell National Bank at 29c; Gilbert Brandenberger to Eager Feed Store, in Stamford, at 31c; Kenneth Hertel to J. E. Walling Jr. at 30c; Bob Glover to Mead's Bakery, Abilene, at 30c; Jerry Welsh to Perkins-Timberlake at 30c; Lane Bros. to Marlow-Turner Implement Co. at 31c; Sid Woodson to Haskell National Bank at 30c; Andy Wilfong to A. C. Humphreys at 31c; Ed Fouts to Rule-Jayton Cotton Oil Co. at 30c; Sonney Denson to Farmers National Bank, Rule, at 32c; Lane Bros. to F. M. Robertson, Abilene, at 30c.

Capt. Odell—

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Tech. Sgt. Henry Widfang, stood Tim Yazzie, full-blooded Navajo graduate of the Indian school near Riverside, class of 24. Behind them, up to the roof of the huge transport plane, were stuffed 149 bales of hay, which in this most terrible of winters, has taken an importance far out of proportion to its usual value.

In the first four days of the operation, which began on February 1, 87 flights over the stricken areas were made and 307 tons of hay were dropped and this week showed a remarkable increase as crews smoothed out and slipped into the routine of dropping hay, refueling while reloading, and taking off immediately. Lunch is eaten in flight to save valuable time. "Skymasters" are able to make three round trips a day from Phoenix. The smaller DC-3's shuttle to Winslow, Ariz., and fly to four missions each from there during the day, returning to Phoenix each night.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS HONOR BOY SCOUTS AT MEETING

A group of the Boy Scouts were guests at the regular meeting of the Checochelo Camp Fire Girls. The meeting was from 6 to 7 o'clock at the City Hall. The two groups learned to do the Schottische. Camp Fire Girls present for the meeting were: Paula Starriff, Doris Strain, Kay Starr, Mary Sue Byrd, Terry Bynum, Vonnie Matthews, Beverly Gilstrap, Annette Merchant, and the leaders, Mrs. Glenn Mann and Genelle Bailey.

Boy Scouts present were: David Middleton, James Mann, Charles Burnett, Max Johnson, and Jimmy White.

Taffy apples were served by the hostesses: Kay Starr and Mary Sue Byrd.

WEEK-END VISITORS HERE

In Haskell, from Austin, during the week-end to visit relatives and friends were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts, Paula Jo and James Arnold; and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Adkins, Paul and Royce, two students in the University of Texas.

Fernest Lewis to Gene Hunter at 29c; Bobby D. Smith to Giles Kemp at 30c; Andy Wilfong to Ern Lowe at 30c; Larry Wheeler to Gilmore Implement Co. at 30c; Lane Bros. to Bob Herren at 29c; David Selby to Eager Feed Store, Stamford, at 29c; Bob Stone to Haskell Implement Co. at 28c; David Selby to Jones, Cox & Co. at 29c; Billy Couch to Cox Motor Co. at 29c.

Southwestern Life Reports Increase In Policyholders

In 1948 the people of Texas increased their life insurance with Southwestern Life Insurance Company to \$697,208,140. James Ralph Wood of Dallas, president, announced in releasing the company's 49th annual financial statement to policyowners.

This was an increase during last year of \$56,341,122.

He stated that inasmuch as Southwestern Life is wholly a Texas company, with every director and its more than 800 employees and agents living and working in Texas, this evidence of the confidence and good will of the more than 245,000 Texas citizens who are now numbered among the company's policyowners was especially gratifying.

During last year more than \$3,300,000 was paid to the owners of the company's policies and to their beneficiaries.

The assets of Southwestern Life increased \$19,239,813.75 during 1948 to a total of \$179,601,941.91, enabling the company to close the year in the strongest financial position in its history.

The largest increase in any of its investments was in loans made on Texas real estate, raising its holdings of such loans to an all-time high of \$38,689,534.87.

Mr. Wood stated that Southwestern Life had a larger proportion of agents who had qualified for the Texas Leaders Round Table, an honorary organization of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters, than any other company. He said this was due to the high calibre of men selected to represent the company and to the carefully organized and continuing program of instruction maintained for them.

Southwestern Life is represented here by Wix B. Currie.

ATTEND BEAUTY SHOW AND COUNCIL MEETING IN DALLAS

Mrs. Della Medford, owner of the Criterion Beauty Shop, and operator, Mrs. Edna Langston, and Mrs. Ethel Kirkpatrick, owner of Kirkpatrick's Beauty Shop, attended the Texas Annual Beauty Show in Dallas the past week-end. They also attended a National Council Meeting of All State Beauty Show.

RETURNS HOME AFTER VISIT HERRE

Mrs. Archie Manly, of Nacona, Texas, returned to her home Wednesday after a visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins.

Modern Way Food Store

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS — WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

| | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----|---|--------------|-----------|
| Hunt's— Fruit COCKTAIL | No. 2 1/2 Can | 34c | Veri-Fine Green— ASPARAGUS | 300 Size Can | 25c |
| Red Sour— Pitted CHERRIES | No. 2 Can | 25c | White— KARO SYRUP | Pt. bottle | 19c |
| World Over— TOMATO JUICE | Tall Can | 5c | Spuds—New Whole— POTATOES | No. 2 can | 9c |
| Best Maid, Sour or Dill— PICKLES | quart | 21c | El Morro— PINEAPPLE | Flat Can | 2 for 25c |
| Zestee, Pure— Peach PRESERVES | qt. | 39c | Del Haven— Beans & Potatoes | No. 2 can | 15c |
| Bocanco Whole Kernel— CORN | No. 2 Can | 15c | Diamond— PINTO BEANS | 300 Size Can | 8c |
| Best Maid— SALAD DRESSING | Quart | 42c | Recipe— PINK SALMON | Tall Can | 59c |
| Wapco Whole— GREEN BEANS | No. 2 Can | 19c | Fanco-American— SPAGHETTI | Tall Can | 14c |
| Zestee— APPLE BUTTER | qt. | 19c | TOILET TISSUE | Roll | 5c |
| Diamond— GRAPE JELLY | qt. | 25c | KLEENEX | 300 Count | 27c |

FRUIT and VEGETABLES

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|--|-----|-----|--|------|-----|
| APPLES Large Size | lb. | 15c | ROLL SAUSAGE | lb. | 24c |
| Large Size, Pink— GRAPEFRUIT | lb. | 7c | Fresh Country EGGS | doz. | 39c |
| LEMONS | lb. | 18c | Hy-Grade— All Vegetable OLEO | lb. | 25c |
| Large, Firm Heads— LETTUCE | | 15c | Swift's or Armour's— CHOPPED HAM | lb. | 54c |

MEATS



Perkins-Timberlake

SALE

OUR BOOKS ARE CLOSED. CHARGE PURCHASES PAYABLE APRIL 1st.

CHENILLE RUGS
Assorted colors
\$1.

Women's
Scuffies
\$1.00 value
50c

GROUP Girdles
Values to \$10
1-2 Price

Group Women's Shoes
Values to \$6.95
\$2.98

Women's
Handkerchiefs
You would expect to pay 25c
10c

Men's
Work Shoe
Plain toe, composition sole
\$3.98

Boys' Knit
Shorts
Sizes 1-16
39c

WOMEN'S COTTON DRESSES
Stripes, Plaids, Checks. Smartly styled
House Dresses. Special purchase.

\$2.98

GROUP BLOUSES
Values to \$4.98

\$2.49

WOMEN'S SWEATERS
Special Purchase. All wool pull-over.

\$2.98 value.

\$1.98

GROUP DRESSES
Cottons, Spuns, Prints. Just a few of these.

Values \$8.95.

\$5.00

GROWING GIRLS
Brown Loop OXFORD

For the service active feet demand—for smart appearance—for school—for play.



\$5.50

4 to 9
A and B Width

Men's Handkerchiefs
Special purchase
10 for
\$1.

FAST COLOR PRINT
36 inches wide
29c

BROWN SHEETING
36 inches wide. 80x
25c

SHEETS
140 Type
\$2.49

Printed Pique
36 Inch
79c Value
49c

54 Inch PLAIN WOOLEN
Ideal for Coats, Skirts
Regular \$4.98 value
\$2.29
Yard

CHENILLE Bed Spread
Full bed size. \$8.95 value
\$5.95

CHAMBRAY
Stripes, Solids. Fast color
forized shrunk. 48c
39c yd.

36 INCH Brown Domes
Nice quality, soft finish
fine count
25c yd.

Men's Dress Sox
50c value—4 Pair
\$1.