

100,000 CITY BOND ELECTION CALLED FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16TH

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Fires Cause Slight Damage During Past Week

Members of the Haskell Fire Department were called out on five alarms from Saturday through Wednesday, when a series of fires caused damage of several hundred dollars.

Chaplain Barnett Requests Toys For German Children

With the thought in mind that possibly some person in the Haskell vicinity might want to help make Christmas a brighter season for some German child, Chaplain Robt. Barnett, former Baptist minister in this city ten years ago, has resigned from active pastoral duties after 47 years in the ministry.

Rev. C. Jones Retiring After Devoting 47 Years To Baptist Ministry In Area

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HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

Brief Items Taken from Old Copies of The Free Press

20 Years Ago—Nov. 28, 1929

A total of 17,204 bales of cotton had been ginned in Haskell county up to Nov. 14, according to a report of the U. S. Department of Commerce. This compares to 24,169 bales ginned to the same date last year.

Jones, Cox & Co., local dealers for Farmall Tractors and equipment, have announced a two-day demonstration of machine farming to be held Dec. 5 and 6 on the M. O. Field farm southeast of Haskell.

40 Years Ago—Nov. 27, 1909

W. B. Lee, cashier of the Rochester State Bank, was a visitor in Haskell Monday.

W. B. Anthony and son, Cedrick of Austin, were here several days this week. Mr. Anthony served three terms as Sheriff and Tax Collector during the early days of Haskell county. He is now connected with the State Land Office.

50 Years Ago—Dec. 2, 1899

Mr. Weatherly has resigned his position as cattle inspector in Haskell, Jones and Shackelford counties. T. J. Lemmons of this city has been named his successor.

Messrs. Turner and Ferguson failed to get off with their sheep Monday because of the rains, but plan to leave the city in a few days.

Mrs. E. H. Morrison of Graham, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Rike and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery.

Miss Nevada Baker is visiting friends in Fort Worth, Denton and Dallas. She will return the last of the week.

County Attorney French Robertson made a business trip to Stamford Monday afternoon.

Misses Dessie Kennedy and Lelia Hart, teachers in the Dennis Chapel school, were in Canyon during the week end and attended the McMurry College-Canyon football game.

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60 Years Ago—Nov. 27, 1889

W. H. Cousins of Munday was in Haskell Thursday.

W. G. Allen of Judd spent several days here this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Whitman left this week for Rossell, N. M., where they will make their home.

Mrs. M. S. Pierson and children, Alfred and Ruth, spent several days in Haskell this week.

Born Saturday, Nov. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wankan, three daughters, each weighing five pounds. These are the first triplets ever born in Haskell county.

Mother and babes are doing well.

Prof. Tolman and wife of Abilene chaperoned the Simmons College team of basketball players on their trip to Haskell last Thursday.

W. B. Gaddy, who lives west of town, was in this city a few days ago and displayed a peanut vine from his farm that had nearly a gallon of nuts on the vine. He said he had about a fifth of an acre of peanuts that were the equal of the vine displayed.

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Dec. 4-11 Set As Better Health Week In Texas

Governor Allan Shivers, by official proclamation, has designated the week between December 4-11 as Better Health For Texans Week, emphasizing venereal diseases.

The purpose of the week long drive, according to State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox, is to "acquaint all segments of the population with true facts concerning this most serious group of illnesses, thus providing a weapon of knowledge which all persons can use in their own protection."

Cox indicated that the health department informational campaign would be a year to year project from now on, with a different phase of public health being the subject each year.

Highlights of this year's drive will be a state-wide radio address by Governor Shivers, and a short motion picture trailer featuring the Governor and the State Health Officer. Informational packets have been prepared for distribution throughout the State by city and county health units.

The official proclamation reads: "One of the most important factors that will influence the future of Texas is a healthy citizenship. Public health has many phases, all contributing to the welfare of mankind.

"One of these is the campaign to eliminate the venereal diseases. Methods of diagnosis and treatment are at hand to prevent the unnecessary suffering caused by these diseases. All that remains now is to induce our citizenship to take advantage of the present day knowledge.

"In recognition of these facts and the vital importance of health in our everyday lives, I, as Governor of the State of Texas, designate the week of December 4-11 as Better Health For Texans Week."

Principal appeal of the campaign is directed to leaders of individual communities. Dr. Cox believes that the "final solution to the venereal disease problem will be forthcoming only when it is tackled on a community basis.

Veterans Wives H-D Club Holds Regular Meeting

The V. W. H. D. Club met for a regular meeting, Wednesday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Howard Sloan. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. G. May. Songs were led by Mrs. Sloan. Slick tricks were given by Mrs. Lee Bevins. Secret Pal gifts were given out, and the pals were revealed, and members drew for new ones.

Refreshments were served to Mr. W. G. May, Lee Bevins, Tramel Stockton, H. B. Berry, Grady Newsome, C. G. Burson, Joe Edd Parsons, J. C. Haliburton, Shelby Bell, and one visitor, Mrs. Dal Adkins.

Mrs. Sloan gave a nice demonstration on Baking Batter Rolls and Mrs. W. G. May gave a demonstration on Making a Center-piece for Your Christmas Table.

H-D Club Members Entertain Husbands With Dinner

Members of the V. W. H. D. Club entertained their husbands with a turkey dinner Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Berry. Games of 42 were

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| PORK & BEANS | Tall Can | 10c |
| HUNT'S—PEACHES | No. 2 1/2 Can | 2 for 49c |
| PURASNOW—FLOUR | 25 lb. Bag | \$1.65 |
| FOLGER'S—COFFEE | 2 Pound Can | \$1.45 |
| FOLGER'S—COFFEE | Pound | 73c |

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| ROMAN BEAUTY—APPLES | Pound | 10c |
| TEXAS—ORANGES | Bag | 45c |
| TURNIPS | Pound | 7c |
| PECANS | Pound | 35c |

MEATS

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| VELVEETA—CHEESE | 2 Lb. Box | 75c |
| PREM HAM | Can | 45c |
| WILSON'S—ROLL SAUSAGE | Lb. | 35c |
| WILSON'S—BACON SQUARES | Lb. | 25c |

WILSON'S BAKE-RITE—SHORTENING

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| 3 Lb. Can | 55c |
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KRAFT—MIRACLE WHIP

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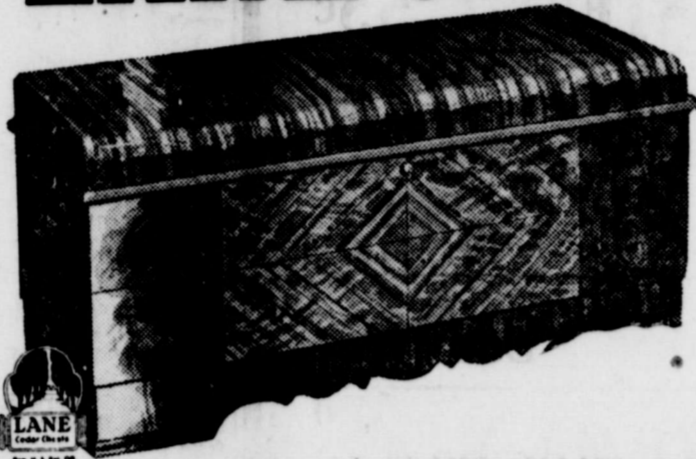
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Zion Walter Leaguers of Sagerton Have Venison Barbecue on Thanksgiving Day

A venison barbecue was the big attraction of the Zion Walter Leaguers at the Alfred Hertel home on Thanksgiving Day. During the afternoon, the leaguers enjoyed themselves by playing tennis, jumping rope, volley ball, and kodaking. The barbecuing was done by the Rev. Driessner, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, with the able assistance of Alfred Hertel and Buster Tredemeyer and was enjoyed by some 45 persons. A business meeting took place after the meal. During the meeting Jean Diers shot a few pictures of the group with a flash bulb camera.

The following students of Texas Lutheran College in Seguin visited their respective parents here during the Thanksgiving holiday: Dorothy Pearl Knippling, Nat Hoerman, Leland and Leroy Naurert, and Fred Kupatt. Mr. and Mrs. Yater Benson, Jr., and daughters, Marie and Margaret, of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton during the holiday. Venison and wild turkey were enjoyed at a dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Manske and Jerry. The dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar LeFevre of Lordsburg, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mr. Bob Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark and Glenda, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Linda and Jerry, all of Sagerton. Other guests were Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis of Rule, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gray of Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and children, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre went to Teague Thanksgiving Day for the funeral of Ottilie LeFevre, brother of Cliff LeFevre, who died of a heart attack. Carl Manske of San Angelo, visited his father, Mr. E. Manske, here last Friday. Cliff LeFevre and his brother, Oscar, of Lordsburg, N. M., made a business trip to Dublin Monday. Mr. and Mrs. August Hahn visited relatives near Wilson last week. Mr. and Mrs. Don Henley and son, Chris, formerly of Waco, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hess Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer made a week end trip to Schulenburg and Austin. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells of Littlefield brought Mrs. W. P. Nienast here last week to be at the bedside of Mrs. F. W. Stegemoeiler, who was seriously ill. Mrs. Stegemoeiler has improved, and Mrs. Nienast returned to her home Monday. Mary Lou Wendeborn, a student at McMurry in Abilene, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Walter Wendeborn. Mildred Thames, a student at Draughon's Business College in Abilene, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thames. Melvin Lehrmann, a student at John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lehrmann and family. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Herring and children and Mr. Herring's mother, of Ranger, stopped by for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis Sunday while en route home from Amarillo where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Tullie Herring. Mellany Beth, small daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Burdon Smith, pastor of the Methodist church here, was a patient at the Stamford hospital several days last week. Kenneth Stegemoeiler, a student at Concordia College in Austin, spent the holiday with his folks. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeiler. Mrs. C. L. Guinn has returned home from the hospital in Gatesville, Texas, where she was under medical care. Her condition is much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luck of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. John Clark Sunday. They also visited other old friends here. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kittley, C. L. and Bill Guinn of Sagerton, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Rector and Mr. and Mrs. Rector Guinn of Stamford attended the funeral of their aunt, Miss Nenny Rector of Lockhart last week. Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Sandefer and children of Kilcom visited in the G. A. Lambert home last week. Mrs. Lambert is on the sick list this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness and children, Denese, Jack and Tim, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. O.

Progressive Study Club Hears Program By Harmony Club

Mrs. F. W. Martin, director for the program in Progressive Study Club last Thursday evening, presented the Harmony Club in a Musical Festival. She introduced Mrs. O. E. Patterson, who explained the word "festival". Mrs. Roten, club president, expressed appreciation to Mrs. Martin and the Harmony club for a very interesting and entertaining performance. Mmes. Pveatt McCollum and Brooks Middleton, hostesses, served refreshments to about forty members. Bake the fruit cake at a temperature of 250 degrees and allow about 45 minutes of baking time for each pound the cake weighs.

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TSCW Experts Offer Ten Suggestions For Cooking Vegetables

Time, fuel, flavor and food value can be saved by following a set of ten rules in cooking fresh vegetables says food specialists in the Home Economics Department of Texas State College for Women.

1. Prepare vegetables for cooking just when ready to cook.
2. Start cooking vegetables in a minimum amount of boiling salted water.
3. Cook vegetables whole (perhaps in jackets), or in as large pieces as possible to avoid exposing too much surface to water and air.
4. Cook in a covered utensil at simmering point.
5. Raise the cover and stir only when necessary.
6. Shorten the cooking time to have vegetables just tender.
7. If any cooking liquid is left, serve with the vegetables or use in soups and sauces.
8. Refrain from holding foods hot for long periods of time.
9. Cook frozen vegetables before they thaw.
10. Make raw salads or slaw at the last minute.

J. B. Pumphrey Is Re-elected Director Of Credit Bureau

As a result of an election by the 36 production credit associations in Texas, J. B. Pumphrey of old Glory, Texas, has been re-elected to his third three-year term as a director of the Farm Credit Board of Houston. As a member of this board, Mr. Pumphrey serves as director for the Federal Land Bank of Houston, the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, the Production Credit Corporation of Houston and the Houston Bank for Cooperatives. Mr. Pumphrey is also a director of the Stamford Production Credit Association, Stamford, Texas, and has served several terms as president of the association. He has extensive farm and ranch holdings in Stonevill county and is actively identified with agricultural and civic affairs in that area.

Weinert Fifth Graders Feted At Party

The fifth grade of Weinert school was entertained by their room mothers, Mrs. R. J. Rainey, Mrs. Clyde Walker, and Mrs. Bailey Guess, with a cake and candy party Thursday afternoon. After being served the group and their teacher had their pictures taken with color film. The following pupils were present: Ginger Means, Donny Keith Owens, Jerry Turnbow, Bill Bailey Guess, Charlene Alexander, Lora Lois Rainey, Eddie Ray Swanner, Delores Dunnam, Robert Walker, Becky Sue McGuire, Richard Hix, Roy Glenn Stewart, Robert Grimsley, Roberta Raynes, Shirley Herricks, Linda June Walker, Patsy Sue Laine, Loretta Rainey, John Patton, Shirley Stice, Thomas Pace, Margaret Ann Yandell.

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11 a. m. Morning Message.
7 p. m. Young People's Service.
8:00 p. m. Evening Message.
Wednesday, 7:15 p. m. Prayer Meeting.
Friday, 7:15 p. m. Teachers' Meeting and Young People's Training Service.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
South 5th St. East
Rev. Joe Scheets, Pastor
O. E. Nuckles, Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Prayer Service—11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Prayer Service—Wednesday, 8 p. m.

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9:45 Sunday School.
11:00 Worship and Sermon.
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7:30 Evangelistic Service.
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Wednesday, 7:30, Prayer Meeting.
Saturday, 7:30, Young Peoples Evangelistic Service.

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Young People's Class 5:30-6:20
Evening Service 6:30-7:30
Wednesday: Ladies' Bible Class 4:00-5:00
Mid-Week Bible Study 7:30-8:30
Thursday: Broadcast 11:15-11:30

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11:00 A. M. Preaching Service.
6:30 P. M. Young People's Class.

7:00 P. M. Song Service.
7:30 P. M. Preaching Service.
Wednesday, 7:00 P. M., Prayer Service.
Friday, 7:00 P. M. Choir Practice and Teachers' Meeting.

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MATTSON BAPTIST CHURCH
10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
11:00 A. M. Preaching Service.
7:45 P. M. Evening Service.

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Rev. W. T. Priddy, Pastor

8:30 A. M. Radio Sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Priddy, over Station KWDT, Stamford.
9:45 A. M. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Morning Preaching Service.
7:00 p. m. — Young People's Meeting.
7:30 p. m. — Evening Preaching Service.

LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES
Trinity Lutheran church members will meet at the Presbyterian church in Haskell Sunday evening at 7:30 for services conducted by Rev. M. C. Heermann.

VISIT IN ABILENE
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Martin and son, Johnny Carl spent the week end in Abilene with relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ree Gardner are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Brucille, to H. D. Garrett, son of Ben F. Garrett of

Olney. The wedding will take place at 5 o'clock on the evening of December 18, in the First Baptist church. Rev. Allen Webb will read the ceremony.

Spinster Breakfast Honors Miss Anita Jo Pitman

Sunday morning, November 20, Anne Katherine Rike gave a breakfast honoring Anita Jo Pitman, bride-elect of Wilda Medford. The entertaining rooms were decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and snapdragons. Places were laid for eight guests, who were the members of the

wedding party and the house party. A two-course breakfast was served.

Trinity Ladies Club Will Meet Sunday December 4th

The Trinity Ladies club will again have its regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. August Steinfath Sr., Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2:30. Everyone is invited.



IRON STAIRS IN ABILENE HOSPITAL — This ancient iron stairway at the Abilene State Hospital has caused many falls—not only by the epileptic patients in the hospital, but by the nurses as well. Several patients in the last dozen years have fallen on those stairs and been killed. Injuries occur nearly every week. Notice how cautiously the nurse in the picture is moving from step to step. Abilene State Hospital was one of the several hospitals at which newspapermen of the state recently inspected conditions.

Wesleyan Guild Meets In Home Of Mrs. Banks

Ten members attended the Wesleyan Guild which met in the home of Mrs. John Banks, on Monday night, Nov. 28th. The Guild elected Mrs. Brooks Middleton to the office of promotion secretary. There was discussion about changing the meeting day. It was agreed upon

to change the day from the fourth Monday of the month to the first Monday.

Mrs. Arlis Weaver was program chairman and Mrs. S. H. Vaughter and Mrs. Vernon Henderson and Mrs. J. A. Bynum contributed to the program which stressed the need of missionary workers in other countries.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. S. H. Vaughter. This will be the Christmas meeting. Each Guild member is urged to attend and bring a guest.

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Mrs. R. J. Paxton returned home Wednesday from Hawley,

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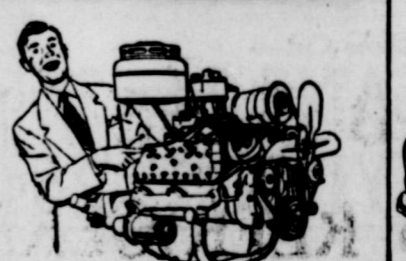
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South Ward PTA Hears Talk by Mrs. Jimmie Thompson

The South Ward P. T. A. met at the American Legion Building November 22nd at 3 o'clock. In the absence of the president, the vice-president was in charge. The program opened with several songs by the 2nd and 3rd grades with Mrs. Roter directing and Miss P'Pool at the piano. They also gave pledges to the Bible and to the Flag. Then Mrs. Hood as director of the afternoon, announced a play by Mrs. Nanny's fifth grade, and a piano solo by Peggy Pogue. Then Mrs. Jimmie Thompson was introduced as guest speaker. Her topic was "Team Work Between Parents." Her talk was of great value to those fortunate enough to hear it. The business meeting opened with discussion of the plays to be given Dec. 8th, at the High School auditorium. It was decided to charge 35c for adults and 15c for children and to let the band members sell tickets. It was also voted that the next P. T. A. meeting be on Tuesday, Dec. 20th. Room count was taken with

Win Lone Star State 4-H State Championships

FOUR Texas 4-H State winners in the 1949 Canning, Dress Revue, Field Crops and Food Preparation programs each received an all-expense trip to the 25th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. Brief outlines of their records follow. State honors in the 1949 National 4-H Canning Achievement program went to Laverne Goertz, 18, of Red Rock. Besides having an outstanding canning record, she did a good job in other phases of 4-H work, completing 36 projects. Laverne canned 4,500 quarts of fruits and vegetables in the seven years she devoted to her canning project and has won 15 ribbons for canned products entered at county fairs. Besides preserving fruits, vegetables and soup mixtures, she has also canned some meats and fruit juices. This contribution to the family food supply not only cut costs, but added a greater variety of healthful meals. Laverne took an active part in the local club, serving as president and secretary, and as song leader in the county group. She is the winner of several first place prizes for her work in food preservation. In recognition of her achievements, Laverne was awarded an



Laverne Goertz all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, provided by Kerr Glass Mfg. Corp. Five years in 4-H Club work brought State honors to Leora Callahan, 16, of Bastrop. In the 1949 National 4-H Food Preparation program, Leora became an expert meal planner, having cooked and served more than 3,100 meals in five years for 10 members of her family ranging in age from three to 26 years. She estimates the value as \$9,300. During one summer when the new house was being built, she cooked for eight carpenters too, all on an oil stove. Now she works in a modern, well planned kitchen. Leora believes planning and management are very important in meal preparation. She gave an excellent demonstration to 50 Bastrop County women in the use of a master mix for biscuits and desserts. She has completed 31 projects and served

Leora Callahan office in his club and has been their leader for 3 years. Lucille Downey, 16, of Kirkland, was judged State winner in the 1949 4-H Dress Revue. Her dress is a blue grey chambray. The blouse has short cuffed sleeves, a high collar and is buttoned down the front with pearl buttons. Her skirt has soft unpressed pleats. Lucille wears a navy blue ribbon hat, navy calf shoes and bag, white cotton gloves and white necktie to complete her costume. She estimates the cost of her outfit at \$34.53, including all accessories. Lucille has carried her clothing project for six years and has won high honors on her 16 exhibits. She has held many offices in her local club and is their junior leader. In recognition of her achievement, Lucille was awarded an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, provided by Simplicity Pattern Co.

Lucille Downey

the 5th grade having the most mothers in attendance. Visitors to our meetings are always welcome.

Men Charged In Old Glory Robbery Admit Thefts Here

Two young men arrested in Carlsbad, N. M., several days ago in connection with a safe robbery at Old Glory, in Stonewall county have admitted burglaries of two service stations in Haskell recently. Sheriff Bob Cousins said the two men, Robert Thurman Motley and Calvin Gene Hale, had admitted entering the Paul Keunster and Harve Fry stations in Haskell. A radio and dother articles taken from the two Haskell establishments were recovered. Sheriff Cousins said. In the Old Glory burglary, biggest haul taken was \$10,000 in Government bonds. The bonds were recovered by Carlsbad police when the two men were arrested. A 1949 Mercury sedan which the men were driving was believed to have been stolen in Wichita Falls. Motley and Hale have been returned to Aspermont, where they are being held pending grand jury investigation of the robbery in Old Glory.



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State Mental Hospital Facilities Pitifully Inadequate, Tour of Institutions Shows

AUSTIN—(Special)—Patients in Texas mental hospitals are desperately in need of "breathing room."

Now numbering 16,000 and increasing daily, the State's mental wards are jammed into 30-year-old buildings for less than half the present hospital population.

Newspapermen, representing some of the State's largest and smallest papers, recently got a first-hand look at this pathetic situation, when they made a 1,000-mile swing through Texas. Their stopping points were the packed mental institutions.

The tour was inspired by Governor Allan Shivers and sponsored by the Austin professional chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, a journalism fraternity composed mostly of working newspapermen.

Early this fall the Governor inspected the institutions himself,

finding them overcrowded and understaffed. Later, he described his findings to the journalism fraternity. The journalists started planning a press tour before the meeting ended to see for themselves the conditions.

Guided by Dr. James S. Scarborough, medical director for State hospitals, the newsmen saw what the Governor told them they would see.

In San Antonio's mental hospital, 26 beds were jiggled into a wardroom with space for 15. Some of Abilene's epileptic cases were eating in bathrooms for lack of dining space.

At Terrell, 77 Negro women were confined in a rotting "infirmary," condemned and evacuated decades before, but pressed into service again when "breathing room" ran out.

Rusk State Hospital's superintendent told the visitors that 30 patients were on a "waiting list" to enter his hospital. Half were still living at home, half in jail cells.

In the Austin hospital tubercular patients could not be isolated from other patients for lack of dormitory space.

In more than one hospital patients slept on open porches, winter as well as summer. Buildings with fire escapes were in minority at several hospitals.

Superintendents of the institutions pointed out that, while adequate bed space is essential in ordinary hospitals, it is even more imperative in mental hospitals.

The officials emphasized that mental patients often become "disturbed" during the night and can inflame a whole ward when beds are only inches apart.

The hospital authorities also explained that hundreds of new patients with only slight mental illness have become hopeless cases after living with the acutely-ill for a few months.

More space, the hospital men

added, is the only means of separating patients according to the stage of their insanity.

Abilene's hospital for epileptics offers a special, deadly problem.

All the Abilene institution's buildings have three or four stories. Steep flights of razor-sharp slate steps make every building a death-trap for epileptic patients who are subject to "seizures" at any time. Falls down the stairs have taken some lives and resulted in many serious injuries.

An unrehearsed demonstration of this hazard was seen by the newsmen. They watched while a nurse ran to help a little girl who, unnoticed, had pulled herself almost to the top of a steep flight of stairs.

Officials of the hospitals told the newspapermen they plan to ask the special January session of the Legislature for funds to give their patients "breathing room."

Similar appropriations were proposed during last spring's regular session, but the lawmakers could act to ease the strain on the State's mental hospitals.

Achievement Day Observed by Jud H. D. Club

Willing Workers H. D. Club of Jud met in regular session on Thursday, Nov. 24, at 2:30 p. m. The club room was decorated with yellow and orchid chrysanthemums and yellow marigolds.

The program was opened with the song, "He Leadeth Me". Mrs. S. E. Lewis read an editorial, Our Prayers on Thanksgiving Day, the time for us to humbly bow our heads to thank God for manifold blessings. He has given us America, power, glory, honor, wealth and leadership wisely and well. We need God's help as never before. Our prayers should be for tolerance, kindness, firmness, and above all, that we have peace on earth and be spared the horrors of a third world war.

Mrs. Joe Mathis gave the timely topic, Your Child and Christmas, as discussed by Corinne Justice Grimley in Parent's Corner. Mrs. Mathis quoted "The saddest folk of all who live are those who never learn to give. It need not be a present, but a service or some kindness." Singing children are happy children," quoted Mrs. Mathis, "so have the family sing the beautiful Christmas carols often." Read to children the stories of Christ's birth in Matthew and Luke. Be sure all members in the family share in decorating the house and trimming the tree. Christ spent his life in giving, not getting. Before a child can understand Christmas, his parents must have a clear vision of the One whose birthday we are to celebrate soon.

Mrs. Lewis showed us her slick trick demonstration, how to remove a broken light bulb from the socket by using cork to save cut fingers. Another slick trick was to place deviled eggs wrapped in wax paper in egg cartons to carry on picnics.

Mrs. E. E. Burleson told how to treat leaves to preserve color. She also demonstrated the making of Christmas corsages with pine cones. Each member present brought ribbon and made a corsage from the material furnished by Mrs. Burleson.

Refreshments of coffee and pumpkin pie topped with pastry turkeys and whipped cream were

served by the hostesses, Mmes. Burleson and Cecil Jetton.

Among articles shown for Achievement Day were cut-work

embroidery, aprons, vanity scarfs, Italian hemstitching, and jars of canned vegetables and jams, jellies, preserves, relish, pickles,

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At 1:30 the entire student body assembled in the auditorium for a Thanksgiving program. A song, "Thanksgiving Day", was sung by the first and second grades, led by Mrs. Derr. "Heavenly Father" and "Come, Ye Faithful People, Come," sung by third and fourth grades led by Danny Earle. "I Thank My God" by the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades, led by Bill Bailey Guess.

High School sang "Faith of Our Fathers," led by Elva Gaye Reeves. Pansy Wiggins gave a reading, "Things or Which We Are Thankful." Carl Marshall gave the devotional, the 100th Psalm. The closing prayer was by Mr. Connor Horton.

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FLOUR		\$1.49
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MUSTARD GREENS		14c
Aywon—		
Beans & Potatoes	No. 2 Can	18c
SPUDS	lb.	5c

RECIPE OF THE WEEK
by Mary Lee Taylor
Hawaiian Sweet Potatoes

1 lb. sweet potatoes* 1/4 teaspoon salt
3 medium 1/2 slices canned
3 cups boiling water pineapple, drained
1/4 cup Pet Milk 1/4 cup crushed corn
2 tablespoons brown sugar

Cook potatoes, covered, for 20 min., or until tender in boiling water. Turn on oven; set at moderate (375° F.). Grease a shallow quart baking dish. Drain potatoes; remove skins. Mash potatoes thoroughly. Beat in milk, brown sugar and salt. Put into greased baking dish. Cut pineapple slices in halves. Arrange on outer edge of potatoes. Sprinkle corn flakes in center over potatoes. Bake about 30 min., or until thoroughly hot. Serve from baking dish. Makes 4 servings.

*1 1/2 cups well drained, canned sweet potatoes also can be used.

You Will Need:
Small Cans
Pet Milk 6c
Sweet— Lb. 8c
Potatoes 8c
Sliced— Can 19c
Pineapples 19c
Pkg. 13c
Brown Sugar 13c

APPLES lb. 10c
ORANGES lb. 12c
4 Dozen Size—
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Rochester News

Joyce Cooper is here on a few days leave from the Navy to visit his mother, Mrs. J. H. Cooper and other relatives. They spent Sunday in Childress with a son and brother, Joe Cooper and family.

Ray Fields of Austin is here for a few days visit with his mother, and to see after business interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and their children, Tart, Woodrow, Dick, and Susie Turner, of Wilson, attended the funeral of their brother and uncle, Jim Turner here Thanksgiving Day. Mrs. Jim Turner returned to Monahans Saturday with her children, and will spend several

days there with them. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Berryhill returned last week from O'Donnell where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Amos Barton. They were accompanied home by their little grandson for a visit. Ray Fields and Mrs. Sallie Fields were in Haskell on business Monday. H. L. Matheny visited in Jud Monday.

Miss Nannie Wagner and Mrs. Senie Croome had as Thanksgiving dinner sent from Warren's Drive Inn, which was changed to the following Sunday. Opal Gilliam and Jerry Spain went to visit with Doris, Frances and Eula Mae and also Theo. Burton, to take refreshments and pal gifts. Carolyn Turner sang "My Task." Jerrene Couch gave a

reading on Thanksgiving. Mrs. Webb directed a game of fruits and nuts, with the two's winning. Our surprise was our new "Year Books." Carolyn sang "No, John, No" and Gladys O'Neal dismissed with a prayer. Pal gifts were exchanged while a delicious refreshment of pumpkin pie and coffee was served to the following: Trudie Gresham, Jerrene Couch, Mozelle Lowe, Rena Brown, Ina Lee Gipson, Bessie Rich, Margaret Watson, Elsie Eastland, Josephine Adams, Elsie Burton, Gladys O'Neal, Freida Littlefield, Cretia Brooks, Billie Bynum, Carolyn Turner, Mary Lou Josslet, Ethel Lou Shelton, Gladys Darnell, Delia Ashley, Bety Jo Clanton, Dorothy Trussell, Nancy Reeves, Evelyn Mercer, Lora Mae Mullins, Leola

carried out on the Thanksgiving theme. The center piece was brought out in a pilgrimage decoration. The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mrs. Brooks. The president called for reports of the officers, each giving a good report. Jerrene Couch started letters to Doris Reeves, Eula Mae Herren and Frances Thomas, each girl writing a short note. Allene Wheatly suggested that we have Theo. Burton's Thanksgiving dinner sent from Warren's Drive Inn, which was changed to the following Sunday. Opal Gilliam and Jerry Spain went to visit with Doris, Frances and Eula Mae and also Theo. Burton, to take refreshments and pal gifts. Carolyn Turner sang "My Task." Jerrene Couch gave a

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Olin Ashley Is Appointed to McM Publicity Post

Olin Ashley, 1941 graduate of Haskell High School and 1949 graduate of McMurry College, has been appointed assistant publicity director at McMurry, according to Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president.

Formerly editor of Whoop, McMurry editor of the Plains Herald to accept the position of Olin Ashley on his return from Hardin-Simmons University in January. Read the ads in the

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The Ruth Bible Class met on November 21 for their regular monthly meeting in the home of Mary Lou Josslet which was

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HONORABLE DISTRICT COURT OF HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS

Homer McGee, Plaintiff, vs. A. A. Freeman, et al., Defendants.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 15 day of November, 1949.

The file number of said suit being No. 7563.

The names of the parties in said suit are: D. A. Taylor, as Plaintiff, and J. S. Owen, Homer McGee, T. E. Matthews and A. A. Freeman, as Defendants, and the unknown heirs of J. S. Owen, Homer McGee, T. E. Matthews and A. A. Freeman, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and the unknown stockholders of J. W. Crowdy Drug Company, a defendant corporation, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Trespass to try title for damages of and concerning lots 2, 4,

5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block 21 of the Highland Addition to the town of Haskell County, Texas, in statutory form, as the first count, and with special pleas of the ten and five years statutes of limitations as further grounds of recovery against the defendants, the plaintiff claiming the title to said land in fee simple and alleging that defendants unlawfully entered upon said lands and premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof to his damage. Said petition containing an appropriate prayer for relief, all as is fully set out in plaintiff's original petition on file as aforesaid.

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

Issued this the 15 day of November A. D., 1949.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell County, Texas, this the 15 day of November A. D., 1949.

Jesse B. Smith, Clerk, District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

ATTENTION ALL HASKELL COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEMBERS

Haskell County Farm Bureau is growing.

There will be an office open every afternoon, December 1, 1949, from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. Gene Tonn will be in the office at this time.

Members are eligible to enroll in Blue Shield until December 15, 1949. The office (located one block north of the Masonic Building), for complete details on mobile and Life Insurance problems or contact H. D. Gammill or Mr. Clinton H. Herren.

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Fight Colds With All Means Possible. Is Doctor's Advice

Many Haskell people will readily agree with Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who declares there's hardly anyone who hasn't caught cold at one time or another. The common cold is common indeed! Besides making you feel miserable, colds steal your time and your money. They fool you, too, because the early signs are often the same as those of more serious illnesses. And long-continued colds may pave the way for an attack of pneumonia, tuberculosis, or a chronic infection of the nose, throat, ears, or sinuses. So, do your best to keep from catching cold. And if you do catch one, take proper care of yourself so you can get rid of it.

- When you have a cold:
1. Get as much rest as possible. Stay in bed or indoors for the first day or so if you can.
 2. Keep comfortably warm and dry. If you must go to work, wear clothes that will protect you adequately when you go outdoors, and avoid drafts and sudden chilling when overheated.
 3. Drink plenty of citrus fruit juices, water, and other liquids. Eat simple foods which agree with you.
 4. Protect other people as much as possible. Cover your mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze. Use paper handkerchiefs or paper napkins that can be burned. Wash your hands frequently with soap and water.
 5. Blow your nose gently. If you don't, you may force infected material from your nose into your sinuses or middle ear and develop sinus trouble or serious ear infection.
 6. If a cold starts with chills, fever, or aching, or seems more severe, or lasts longer than usual, consult a physician without delay.

Make Fruit Cake Now and Store Until Christmas To Give It Mellow Flavor

Christmas and the holiday season are weeks away but now is the time to make your fruit cakes for that season, says Mrs. Vee J. Howle, county Home Demonstration agent. She says make it and store it—for proper storing will give it that good mellow flavor—the thing all cooks want in their cakes.

If you need a recipe, Mrs. Howle suggests that you go by your local county home demonstration agent's office and ask for one. She can supply recipes for either the light or dark cakes.

She says the preparation of the fruits for the cake is important and this job should be done the day before you plan to bake the cake. Cut the citron, orange and lemon peel in very thin strips, the cherries in half and the pineapple in thin wedges. Wash the raisins and currents and spread out to dry. Cut up the nuts coarsely with a sharp knife.

The baking pans should be readied before you start mixing up the cake, she says. Grease and line them with oiled brown paper. Set the oven at 250 degrees so it will be ready when you have prepared the cake. Divide the flour in half and mix part of it with the fruits—this keeps them from sticking together—and finish mixing the cake with your hands, adds Mrs. Howle. Place the

batter in the pans with your hands and press it down firmly. This firming helps to get a compact or solid cake and one that is easy to slice.

The time allowed for baking is very important, says Mrs. Howle, and she recommends about 45 minutes per pound for the larger cakes. A seven pound cake would need to bake for approximately five hours at 250 degrees. Heavy brown paper tied over the top of the pan while it is cooking will help keep the cake from getting too dry and brown, she adds.

Decorations, such as candied fruits or nuts, should be added when the cake has almost finished baking. Some cooks like to glaze on their cakes and Mrs. Howle says to get it on a dark cake, brush the surface with a mixture of molasses and water and for the light or white fruit cake brush with honey and water or egg white and water about an hour before the baking time is up.

When the baking time is up, remove the cake from the pan, but do not remove the paper from the bottom of the cake after it has thoroughly cooled, wrap and tie it securely in waxed paper and store in a clean, tight container and she likes to place a few apples or oranges in the container with the cake. They will supply moisture to the cake as it mellow in storage. She points out that the fruit will need to be replaced during the storage period for you'll want it to mellow from now until Christmas or New Years.

WILL MAKE HOME IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. C. A. Massie left last week for Lubbock, where she will make her home with a son, C. A. Massie, who has a position in the district office of Veterans Administration of that city.

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The file number of said suit being No. D-1232.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Jesse Fullen as Plaintiff, and John W. Fullen, as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce alleging that Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married in Haskell County, Texas, on or about the 22nd day of January, 1944, and lived together as husband and wife until on or about October 1, 1948, when Defendant, without cause or provocation abandoned Plaintiff and has not since contributed anything to the support and maintenance of Plaintiff nor their baby girl, Maryland Joyce Fullen, and Defendant's conduct is of such nature as to render further living together as husband and wife insupportable. Plaintiff asks judgment of the Court for divorce from Defendant and support of their minor child.

Issued this the 7th day of November, 1949.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell County, Texas, this the 8th day of November A. D., 1949.

(SEAL) Jesse B. Smith, Clerk, District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

Bluebonnet H. D. Club Meets In Williams Home

The Blue Bonnet H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Arthur Williams on Nov. 3, in rule.

Mrs. A. C. Denson, club president, presided over the business meeting. Plans for Achievement Day were discussed.

Mrs. G. E. Davis had charge of the program. Mrs. Fred Knippling gave Timely Topics and Mrs. R. V. Hazel gave slick tricks.

Refreshments were served to 12 members.

A Harvest Dinner At Less Lewis Home

The Blue Bonnet H. D. Club met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Less Lewis on Nov. 20, for a harvest dinner. The traditional Thanksgiving turkey dinner with all of the trimmings were enjoyed by the members and their hus-

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Hunt's, Dark Sweet— CHERRIES	Tall Can 29c	Dromedary— PIMIENTOS	4 Oz. Can 14c
Hunt's— PORK & BEANS	Tall Can 10c	Sea Ace— MACKEREL	Tall Can 21c
Hunt's, Whole New— POTATOES	Tall Can 10c	Lady Royal— GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	46 Oz. Can 25c
Hunt's— TOMATO JUICE	Tall Can 10c	Baker's— COCONUT	4 Oz. Box 15c
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Large Size— LEMONS	Pound 15c	Swift's Summer— SAUSAGE	Pound 44c

Rule Bobcats to Meet Wylie In Bi-District Tilt

Rule High School Bobcats will meet the Wylie Bulldogs at Bulldog Stadium in Stamford in a bi-district play-off Friday night, Dec. 2. Game time has been set at 7.30 p. m. The Bobcats are the winners in District 9-B conference play and the Wylie Bulldogs took the District 10-B title. The winner of the game Friday will meet the winner of the Rising Star-Valley Mills game for the regional title. School officials of Wylie and Rule picked the Stamford neutral field as most convenient site for the bi-district contest.

Stamps Quartet To Give Program Here Friday Night

The Stamps Ozark Quartet of Radio Station KWFT, Wichita Falls, will appear in concert at the American Legion Building in Haskell Friday night, Dec. 2, 1949. The singers are appearing under the sponsorship of Rogers-Cox Post 221 of this city. The performance will start at 7.30 p. m. Tickets for the concert may be obtained from any Legionnaire and most of the business houses in town.

Haskell to Have Special Day at Ft. Worth Show

Haskell has been extended a special invitation to have a "day" designated in its honor at the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock show which will be held in Fort Worth, Jan. 27 through Feb. 5. The invitation was extended by Mayor Edgar Deen of Fort Worth, secretary-general manager of the Stock Show in a letter to Ralph E. Duncan, manager of the Chamber of Commerce. On this city's "day", the high school band is invited to give a concert in front of the Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum. Band members in uniform are admitted free to the exposition grounds and are given aisle seats at a rodeo performance. This city is invited also as a feature of its day, to designate a young lady as its "cowgirl sweetheart" and she will ride in the rodeo grand entry and will

be introduced to the audience. "We appreciate greatly the cooperation you as your citizens have given in the past and we are counting on you again this year," Deen states. The exposition in Fort Worth founded in 1896, is the oldest and largest stock show in the Southwest.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas)
County of Haskell)
City of Haskell)
To the residents, qualified electors of the city of Haskell, Texas, who own taxable property in said city and who have duly rendered the same for taxation: Take notice that an election will be held in the city of Haskell, Texas, on the 16th day of December, 1949, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the resolution adopted by the City Council on the 25th day of November, 1949, calling said election, which is as follows:

"Resolution By the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, calling an election on the question of the issuance of \$85,000.00 street improvement bonds; on the question of the issuance of \$40,000.00 waterworks improvement and extension bonds and on the question of the issuance of \$25,000.00 sewer improvement and extension bonds."

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned: Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas: 1. That an election be held in the City of Haskell, Texas, on the 16th day of December, 1949, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION NO. 1 "Shall the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the amount of \$85,000.00, maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the City Council, the maximum maturity date being not more than thirty (30) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four (4%) per cent per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay interest as it accrues, the principal as it matures on said issue of bonds, for the purpose of improving the streets within said City, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

City Council, the maximum maturity date being not more than thirty (30) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four (4%) per cent per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay interest as it accrues and the principal as it matures on said issue of bonds, for the purpose of improving and extending the City's Waterworks System, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 "Shall the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the amount of \$25,000.00, maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the City Council, the maximum maturity date being not more than thirty (30) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four (4%) per cent per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay interest as it accrues and the principal as it matures on said issue of bonds, for the purpose of improving and extending the City's Sewer System, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

PROPOSITION NO. 1 "For the issuance of Street Improvement Bonds" "Against the issuance of Street Improvement Bonds" PROPOSITION NO. 2 "For the issuance of Waterworks Improvement and Extension Bonds"

in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of said election, to-wit: At the City Hall, with the following directors: V. A. Brown, Presiding Judge, Mrs. C. V. Payne, Judge, Mrs. Charlie Quattlebaum, Clerk, Mrs. Virgil Brown, Clerk. 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 163, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty Second Legislature, as further modified by the provisions of Articles 1111-1118, both inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended. Only legally qualified electors who own taxable property in the City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote.

4. The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following: PROPOSITION NO. 1 "For the issuance of Street Improvement Bonds" "Against the issuance of Street Improvement Bonds" PROPOSITION NO. 2 "For the issuance of Waterworks Improvement and Extension Bonds"

"Against the issuance of Waterworks Improvement and Extension Bonds". PROPOSITION NO. 3 "For the issuance of Sewer Improvement and Extension Bonds" "Against the issuance of Sewer Improvement and Extension Bonds". Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the expressions on each proposition, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on such proposition.

5. A substantial copy of this resolution signed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Secretary shall serve as proper notice of said election. Notice shall be given in accordance with Article 704, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 as amended. The Mayor is authorized and directed to have a copy of said notice posted at the City Hall, in said City, and at two other public places within said City, not less than fifteen days prior to the date fixed for holding said election. He shall also cause said

notice to be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City, the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen days prior to the date set for said election. Except as otherwise provided in said Article 704, as amended, the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas. Adopted and approved this 25th day of November, 1949. Courtney R. Hester, Mayor, City of Haskell, Texas. ATTEST: T. J. Armbuckle, City Secretary, Haskell, Texas.

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