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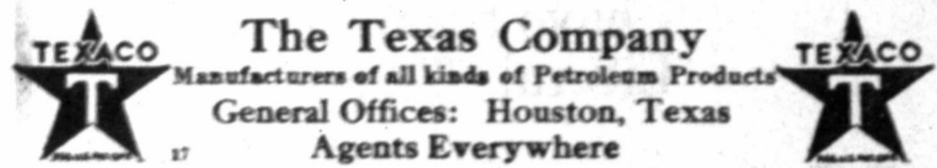
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It is a rich, heavy lubricant which cannot be squeezed out from between the teeth. The pinions run on this heavy film—cutting and wear are stopped.

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FARMING AS A BUSINESS.

The principles which underlie profitable farming are not unlike those which underlie the profitable conduct of any other business. The difference is merely in the application. The one fundamental principle underlying all successful business undertakings is that the cost must be less than the selling price. In the operation of this principle agriculture is no exception. Farming, however, is such a complex business, and the different enterprises making up the farm unit are so intricately related, that it is often well-nigh impossible to determine the true cost or the true selling price of a farm product. However, the relation of say factor in farming to the profits of the farm as a whole, by the study of a large group of farms, can be fairly accurately determined. This relation of the individual enterprise to the profits of the whole is perhaps the best guide to successful farming and to an understanding of the principles upon which good farm organization is based.—J. S. Cates. Yearbook, 1915.

GOVERNMENT TO BUY LAND.

An amendment to the federal constitution to encourage farm home ownership was introduced in the senate by Senator Sheppard of Texas in

the course of a speech on rural credits. The amendment would authorize congress to purchase land anywhere in the United States, hold, improve, subdivide and sell the same, and also to make loans, for the purpose of encouraging and promoting farm ownership. A restriction is that the land shall not be sold at less than cost.

Senator Sheppard called attention to a similar amendment to the Massachusetts constitution which he said was adopted three to one last November, authorizing the state to buy and improve property to relieve crowded sections and furnish people with homes.

TEXAS POPULATION FACTS.

There is a child born every four minutes in Texas. We build seven houses in Texas every working hour in the day. Fourteen per cent of our population is in the cradle. There are 241,990 young women in Texas between fifteen and twenty four years of age that are unmarried. We have 466,500 men in Texas that have never braved the matrimonial seas. There are 26,000 old maids in Texas. We have a half million unmarried women in Texas. There are 10,000 grass widows in Texas and 117,000 of the sod variety. The average size of a Texas family is four and nine tenths.

OBITUARY.

Died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Hales, near Cuthbert, Mrs. L. E. DuBose; born Sept. 7, 1847; departed this life May 5, 1916, 4 p. m.

Thus another of our country's heroines has fought the good fight and passed on to her just reward.

Grandma made peace with her God at an early age, and for more than 55 years she has lived a devoted christian life, being a member of the Baptist church, and doing all she could in her humble way to cause others to see the way that was always so clear and bright for her.

Since death is the portion of every one, we should engrave the thought in the most legible characters on the tablets of our memory, for in death we must all be blended together in the same common dust.

The last enemy has not only unnumbered avenues for his approach, but even holds his fortress in the seat of our lives. Therefore hope is the great blessing of mankind, and that hope only is rational which we are certain cannot deceive.

Grandma leaves two sons and one daughter, Dr. J. P. DuBose of Livingston, Texas; T. R. DuBose of Manning, Texas and Mrs. J. W. Hales of this place. Her boys could not be with her in her last hours.

As we gazed on her dying form we realized that her life had been well spent and the partition which separates time from eternity is nothing more than the breath of our nostrils and the change may be made in the least particle of time.

Her body was laid to rest in the Teville cemetery Saturday afternoon at 4 p. m. The funeral services at the grave were conducted by Rev. Ray.

To the family I would say that it is not from this world that any ray of comfort proceeds to cheer the gloom of the last hour, but the future still has its prospects and there is yet happiness in reserve sufficient to support you under every affliction.

A FRIEND.

AN ACT OF KINDNESS.

A Colorado Resident Speaks Publicly for the Benefit of Colorado People.

If you had suffered tortures from kidney trouble,

Had experimented with different remedies without relief;

If you were finally cured through a friend's suggestion—

Wouldn't you be grateful?

The following statement has been given under just such circumstances:

Mr. Cooper has used Doan's Kidney Pills.

He publicly tells of the benefit he has received.

His is a simple act of kindness to other Colorado sufferers.

No need to experiment with such convincing evidence at hand.

Mr. Cooper speaks from experience. You can rely on what he tells you.

J. H. Cooper, prop. blacksmith shop, Colorado, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills several times in the past, getting them at Doss' drug store. I took them for trouble with my back and from the good results obtained, I think they are a reliable medicine. I gladly recommend them to anyone, for they have benefitted me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Cooper had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

THEY SHALL NOT PASS.

Psychology claims the honors for the resistance of the defenders of Verdun. A high French official is quoted as saying that the success of the French in defending their positions against the massed material assaults of the German is explained by the self-suggestion, the self-hypnotizing effect upon the men of the constant repetition of the words, "They shall not pass."

This phrase, he says, is found upon the lips of all at all times, and even the wounded are ever repeating it. Hence the success thus far of the defenders is attributed to psychology.

In the Old Testament story is found the phrase that has stimulated the French; only a bit amplified; and the French embody the implication even if they do not use it in their hypothetical slogan. In the Good Book the words are "The wicked shall not pass this way."

For the Germans it may be said that they doubtless heartily assert that the French are dupes of hypnotism when they affect to believe that they can hold out at Verdun much longer, and the Germans would doubtless accept the challenge of offsetting hypnotism with their high power guns.—Baltimore American.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

Buy it in Colorado.

Weak, ignorant, incompetent, vacillating and treacherous, with nothing but a loud voice and a dirty vocabulary to recommend him, he is again asking the people whom he betrayed and slandered to still further indulge his career of treachery.

(O, Lord, we thank Thee that we have been easy on Cyclone, for we are sorely tempted to say unpleasant things about his political career.)—Sterling City Record.

FEDERAL COURT FOR WEST TEXAS DISCUSSED

Washington, May 11.—In a report to the House Judiciary Committee today on the bill by Representative W. R. Smith of Texas creating a new Federal Judicial District in West Texas, Attorney General Gregory made no recommendation, but discussed the conditions made the basis for the legislation. The committee asked for an expression as to whether an additional Judge would answer the purpose or a new district created. The committee it is understood, is inclined to give an additional Judge.

THEY DRANK HAIR TONIC.

Seventeen young men of Plainview who needed something to steady their nerves in the absence of the accustomed booze, congregated in a barber shop one morning last week, and at the suggestion of one of the number, they decided to try some of the hair tonic that was labeled to contain 60 per cent alcohol.

Within an hour all of them were in a profound stupor. They were taken to their respective homes and boarding houses and every physician in town summoned to their aid. Four of them died before the following morning; another was in a dying condition, while six others were in an alarming state. One of the attending physicians gave it as his opinion that if the six should recover, they would more than likely be blind for the rest of their lives. The alcohol that formed the base of the hair tonic was of the denatured or poisoned variety.

WILL ALLOW DANCING.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y. May 12.—Members of the Methodist Episcopal church who play cards, dance and attend the theatre will no longer be liable to expulsion, if recommendations made by a subcommittee of the general conference which has been considering the question of amusements are adopted by the committee on the state of the church, and later by the conference. The report was offered to the main committee late tonight and after a discussion debate was deferred until Monday.

REGULAR ARMY OF 254,000 HAS BEEN AGREED ON

Washington, May 13.—A regular army of 296,000 men at peace strength capable of extension to 254,000 in the time of war, was agreed on today by the House and Senate conferees on the army re-organization bill. A report will be submitted to both houses next week.

A whole lot of men get the idea that they are breezy when they are merely windy.

Arrange to be a guest of Shadowland at the first episode of "The Strange Case of Mary Page."

Matinee every day at Shadowland. Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

Order That Suit From Us NOW

And We Will Tailor to Your Measure—to Your Own Ideas—

A COAT and PANTS and an EXTRA PAIR of Pants AT THE SUIT PRICE

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Double Life to Your Suit

Our display of Spring and Summer Woolens has no second. Here you will find just what you want at the price you want to pay.

Come in NOW--Don't Wait

All garments will be ready for delivery when you want them.

Absolute Satisfaction Guaranteed

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There is a cordial standing invitation for you to use our wide open doors for

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as well as every Courtesy we can extend.

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We can fit you out in the most seasonable goods for warm weather. Here are just a few.

- Men's Sport Shirts from 35c up. 75c values.....60c
- Men's splendid Hose, all colors, 10c—3 pairs for.....25c
- Men's Suspenders and Belts in great variety and at the Greatest Bargains ever known.
- Men's and Ladies' Underwear at unusual values.
- Tan Chambray Apron Dresses for girls You can't buy the goods for what we offer the dresses—only.....25c

We Have Shoes for the Whole Family

- Boys' Straw Hats up to \$1.00 values, our price only..... 50c
- Boys' Blouses, sizes up to 12 years, 35c values for.....25c
- Better Grades—50c values for.....40c
- Best Ladies' Vest money can buy for 50c, our price only.....35c
- Ladies' Waists, 75c values, our price.....50c
- Better Waists, \$1.50 values, for.....95c
- Better see our line of high grade waists; will save you money.
- Line of Tennis Shoes and Parasols and Hose just received.

Come and See What We Have to Offer in the Line of GENUINE BARGAINS

When you come to town to do your shopping, shop here first every time. If we have not exactly what you want, then go elsewhere and pay far more. Shop here first because it will pay you.

Colorado Bargain House

Another Car Just Arrived!

I unloaded another car of Furniture this week, which makes my various lines better and fuller than ever. Space is too limited to attempt detailed mention. Come and see for yourself.

Have Received a Few of the Famous New Home Sewing Machines

but they won't last long. If thinking of buying a sewing machine, better hurry if you want one of the BEST MADE.

The Columbia Grafanola

is still on the musical job, delighting all who hear it. Am still in the ring to give all mail order house prices the Solar Plexus blow. Just lead 'em to me.

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Cards of Thanks, Obituaries, Resolutions of Respect and such like matter will be charged for at two-thirds regular rates.

RAINFALL FOR COLORADO THE LAST TEN YEARS.

This record was made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of Mr. Joe Earnest.

Table with 12 columns: Year, Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., May, June, July, Aug., Sep., Oct., Nov., Dec., Total. Shows rainfall data from 1904 to 1916.

T. & P. TIME TABLE.

Table with 2 columns: Direction and Time. Lists East Bound and West Bound train times for Sunshine Special No. 2 and Train No. 6.

Millions of feet of standing timber have been destroyed and much other property burned in forest fires raging at widely separated points of eastern North Carolina.

The Texas onion crop of 1916 is estimated to cover 10,657 acres, as compared with 8,943 acres in 1915, an increase of about 12 per cent.

There are some people who are never so good as when under a pending indictment, either before the judicial bar or that of public opinion.

The further the senatorial campaign progresses, the less prominently do the "favorites" loom up. With Colquitt and Henry trying to knife each other over the German-American vote...

We have in this country three aristocracies: The aristocracy of intellect, founded by the Almighty; the aristocracy of money, founded by Mammon, and the aristocracy of family, founded by fools.

In spite of the fact that many people oppose Mr. Bryan, yet he goes right on making his speeches and doing what he pleases.—Stamford Leader.

Trade with home merchants. Take your county paper.

TEXAS WILL SUFFER. The mob that took the negro, Washington, from the court room in Waco just as the jury had sentenced him to be hanged, dragged him to the public square, chained him to a tree, burned and mutilated him—the special ones who did the act and the fifteen thousand citizens of Waco and McLennan county who stood by and witnessed the orgy, started something that will be read of around the world and for which the state of Texas will long suffer.

Richmond Pearson Hobson has been straggled in his race against young Bankhead for congress in Alabama. He tried to beat the elder Bankhead once and failed and has now suffered defeat at the hands of the old man's son.

If the demand for eligible business houses increases as it has the past year, one of two things must happen—either rents will be raised almost to profit-eliminating power or more houses provided.

CHAS. W. LEWIS ANNOUNCES FOR DISTRICT JUDGE.

By reference to our announcement column it will be seen that Mr. Chas. W. Lewis of Sweetwater is a candidate for the position of district judge for this district, subject to the usual democratic primary in July.

Judge Blanton, candidate for congress from this district, needs no press agent in keeping his interests before the voters and in directing the back-lash at his opponent.

For lack of space several interesting contributions had to be omitted this issue. Have patience, friends.

Every evening some men try to think up something to boast about to the neighbors.

What protection does the law and its courts guarantee any citizen of this commonwealth with such a spirit of demonical vengeance uncurbed and unpunished? In practically all the notable instances that have occurred in Texas and elsewhere, in which black brutes were burned at the stake, there was at least a fear that the offender might possibly escape his deserts.

Waco and the State of Texas will suffer for this crime for many years to come, and "her proud sons traveling in other sections will blush to hear the story of their dishonor as it falls from the sneering lips of the stranger."

Villa and Zapata of Mexico, are merely bungling amateurs in comparison with this standard of barbarism in the center of christian education.

CONFEDERATE VETERAN CALL PEECHER LIAR. San Antonio, May 14.—Resenting a statement made at the Ham-Ramsey revival meeting, alleged to impugn the moral character of high school girls, caused the arrest of Capt. C. A. Denny, a confederate veteran, on a charge of disturbing the peace.

THREE VILLA BANDITS KILLED IN SKIRMISH. Columbus, N. M., May 15.—Three bandits, including Julio Cardenas, the Villa leader, were killed today in a skirmish with an American detachment near the Rubio ranch, twenty miles east of here.

Don't forget Strange Case of Mary Page Monday, Shadowland.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Record is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the Democratic Primary in July, 1916; at the following schedule of rates, with the cash in advance without any deviation:

- For District and County offices... \$10.00
For Precinct and City offices... 5.00
For District Judge, 32nd District. CHAS. W. LEWIS.
For County Judge—A. J. COE. J. H. BULLOCK (Re-election).
For Sheriff and Tax Collector—A. W. COOKSEY (Re-election).
For County Tax Assessor—CHESTER THOMAS. E. J. CALLAWAY (Re-election). J. W. (JIM) SMITH. J. PRESTON SCOTT. BRUZA C. SMITH. E. C. MCCOLLUM.
For County and District Clerk—W. W. PORTER. EARL JACKSON (Re-election).
For County Treasurer—THOS W. FIELDS. A. J. CULPEPPER. DOCK S. NETTLES. W. R. MORGAN.
For Justice of the Peace—Pra. No. 1. M. C. RATLIFF (Re-election). FRED MYER.
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1—W. T. ROGERS (Re-election). LAY POWELL.
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2—J. M. HELTON (Re-election).
For Commissioner Precinct No. 3—B. O. JOYCE (Re-election). E. BARBER.
For Public Weigher, Pra. No. 1—W. F. CRAWFORD (Re-election). MAC C. HOLT.
For Public Weigher—Precinct No. 2 (Westbrook) J. E. SKELTON.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

- FORD CAR—Who wants a good second-hand, 5-passenger Ford. Car in good mechanical condition. Will demonstrate. Address P. O. Box 331, Colorado, Texas.
LOST—Somewhere in town a fine fountain pen, will pay \$1 reward for its return to me.—W. P. Leslie. Its
STRAYED—One bay mare mule, about 3 years old, Spanish brand on left shoulder. Finder notify A. B. Hines, Westbrook, Texas 5-19c
LOST—One dark English slip-on rain coat. Return to Tom Payne for reward. 5-19c
FOR SALE—Now ready 100,000 sweet potato plants. Phone or see C. H. Lasky. tfe
FOR SALE—Several bushels of Honey Drip cane seed, 2½ cents per pound by the bushel, or 3 cents per pound in smaller amounts. Finest cane on the market for syrup, also good forage. J. A. Conaway, Westbrook, or phone 311-F21. 6-2p
FOR SALE—A good buggy and harness at a bargain. Will sell on time. See or phone Harry Smith, Colorado.
WANTED—Six good teams to haul gravel from river to cars. Apply to R. O. Pearson at Burton-Lingo Co.
POSTED—We have posted according to law the lands known as the Bush & Tiller ranch, now the Reynolds ranch. All trespassers, hunters, fishermen, wood haulers, etc. will be prosecuted without mercy. Stay out. 617-c REYNOLDS RANCH.
FOR SALE—80 acre farm, 6½ miles south from Colorado, Texas; 63 acres in cultivation; good house and well improved; will sell for \$2000; one-fourth cash, balance 3 per cent notes to suit purchaser. Farm netted \$269 last year; now rented and should yield buyer first payment this fall. Address Art R. Bailey, Brenham, Tex. tfe
FOR RENT—One southeast furnished bed room and rooms for light house-keeping. Phone or see Mrs. S. T. Shropshire. tfe
FOR SALE—I still have for sale a good lot of horses, mules and mares on the ranch. Will take prospective buyers to see them. C. P. Conaway. tfe
POSTED—The ranch and farm lands of Mrs. Mary Mann, situated between Colorado and Loraine, have been posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted. Chas. Mann. tfe

WANTED—A salesman to handle our line in Colorado and vicinity. Bond required; good proposition. Write Grand Union Tea Co., Colorado Springs, Colorado for particulars 69p

FOR SALE—I have for sale a lot of pure Red Top Cane Seed at 2½ cents per pound. Less price by the bushel.—W. R. Morgan, at W. L. Doss drug store. tfe

The Curtis publications are the best in the world. The Ladies Home Journal, The Saturday Evening Post and The Country Gentleman. Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is the agent, phone her at 157.

SIMPLEX GAS PLANT.

It is one of the greatest inventions of the age. It manufactures the gas from ordinary kerosene oil in the fire box of the stove. No smoke, no inconvenience, no smut. Saves time, fuel expense and temper. Territory and individual plants sold and installed. For demonstration, call on C. M. Wooten at the Jitney Cafe tfe

MAKE FARM HOME ATTRACTIVE.

In the design and construction of the farm house the question of utility alone should not be the determining factor. The first thought should be the making of a home. The amount of money to be invested in the building of the home should not be determined by its relation in size to the balance of the plant, nor by the amount that is necessary merely to provide a shelter, but the amount to be invested should be that which the owner may reasonably afford without financially crippling himself too severely.

There is no panacea that will cure the yearning for city life evidenced by the country boys and girls of today, but there are certain conditions which, if established, will add materially to the attractiveness of life in the country, and should, therefore, prevent them from flocking to the cities merely to avoid life on the farm. It is not to be expected that every person reared on a farm will desire to fellow farming as a life work, nor is it necessarily desirable that they should do so.

V. V. SHROPSHIRE Cash Buyer OF Chickens Eggs and Hides RING OR SEE ME FOR PRICES Office Phone 63—Res. Phone 50 Stand at Colorado Mer. Co's.

I have left a few more Go Devils, Planters and Cultivators. Every Implements are the BEST. R. L. McMURRY

No; we don't believe the mikado is going to be bell-hop in that \$3,000,000 hotel he is building at Tokio.

Keep Colorado Money in Colorado.

Free matinee at Shadowland from 3 to 6 o'clock, May 15th.

Luke McLuke tells us that the openwork waist is back. We will have to look into this matter. That's all.

Hot and cold drinks, fruit and candy at Ben Morgan's.

Certainly does seem queer, that Mexico can be a live issue and a grave issue at the same time.

Take your county paper.

What good old Uncle Sam seems to require, in this emergency is a mobile army as big as his automobile army.

Big Springs Marble and Granite Works

BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS
Manufacturers of
HIGH-GRADE MONUMENTS
Headstones, Curbing,
Markers, Etc.
See our designs and prices before placing your order.
If you are in the market, a post card will bring a salesman.

Remember Mrs. A. L. Whipkey is still agent for the Curtis Publishing Company. Phone 157.

If Gen. Obregon is really half Irish and half Mexican, Carranza had better not strike a match in his vicinity.



(State Senator)

H. L. DARWIN.

of Delta County
Candidate for
CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE
Subject to Democratic Primary Election, July 22, 1916.

Your support earnestly solicited.

MY PLATFORM:

I am for Woodrow Wilson for President; I favor Rural Credits, Marketing Bureau, Government aid to Good Roads, Organized Labor, Public Health, Preparedness, Prohibition, Flood Control, Levy and Drainage, Improvements of Harbors and worthy Waterways, Competitive Cattle Market, Merchant Marine, and oppose "Pork Barrel" appropriations of every nature.

Yours to serve,

H. L. DARWIN.

Resolutions adopted at Cooper, Texas, March 18th, 1916, at the organization of the Darwin Club:

"Whereas, Senator H. L. Darwin of Delta County is a candidate for Congressman-at-Large in the July Primary, and we, the voters and Democrats of Delta County, know his qualifications to be in every way such as to enable him to make a valuable Representative in Congress; therefore,

"We commend his candidacy to every Democrat in Texas, because he represents the best interest of all Texas, and Texas will be ably and favorably represented in his election. He is broad-minded, liberal and fair in all things.

"He is a graduate of the University of Texas, and the East Texas Normal College. He has represented the Second Senatorial District in the Texas Senate for the past four years, and was an able and conscientious member. Was prominent in advocating Workman's Compensation Act, "Blue Sky Law," Compulsory Education, Good Roads, Levy and Drainage, Property Rights of Married Women, Labor Legislation, Warehouse and Marketing Law, Rural Credits, Pure Seed Bill, Public Health, and opposed useless expenditure of Public funds of every nature. He was loyal to the best interest of the State, whether North, East, South or West, and no section appealed to him in vain when its best interests were involved.

"Senator H. L. Darwin possesses the highest educational training, which, combined with his native ability, energy and courage, will enable him to render valuable service in Congress. He represents the best the State affords in a personal, political and industrial way.

"Therefore, we urge all Democrats in Texas to support Senator H. L. Darwin of Delta County for Congressman-at-Large."

Resolution No. 2.

"We, the Farmers of Delta County, recommend Senator H. L. Darwin to the voters of Texas for their support. "He was raised on a farm in Delta County, and now owns and operates a farm in this county. He has equipped himself with the best education the State affords. As a member of the State Senate he was a supporter of better agriculture, better marketing, better roads, better schools and better public health. He is an active member of the State Corn Growers' Association, the Farmers' Institute, and Farmers' Union. He is one of those who is working to better the condition of the farming interest in every way.

"He will make an efficient Congressman, and we recommend him as one of our number to every farmer and voter in Texas. The business interests will be ably and fairly represented in his election, and the producing class will have one of their number in Congress and one who will faithfully render a service to the State and Nation."

Respectfully submitted,
W. S. Miller, W. White, Jack Lemmons, G. Skeen, Arch Hendrix, J. W. Russell, and 800 others.

HOW MRS. HARROD GOT RID OF HER STOMACH TROUBLE.

"I suffered with stomach trouble for years and tried everything I heard of, but the only relief I got was temporary until last spring I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised and procured a bottle of them at our drug store. I got immediate relief from that dreadful heaviness after eating and from pain in the stomach," writes Mrs. Linda Harrod, Fort Wayne, Ind. Obtainable everywhere.



What The War Is Doing For The Farmer

The European war is not an unmitigated blessing to our country. We shall not attempt to go into the ethical side of the question. We will say that we believe the war is a blessing to our country in many respects. We shall look at the situation from the standpoint of prices for raw products, either produced here in this country or imported from foreign countries. And



GATHERING SUGAR CANE

amongst them those that have not gone up in price in spite of the war. For example, here is a peculiar situation in regard to a beverage which is so universally liked that it has become almost a staple. The name of that beverage is Coca-Cola.

Now Coca-Cola, as you know, is really an agricultural product—a product of the soil. Cane sugar—the very purest and finest—constitutes a large part of Coca-Cola syrup. As you know, sugar has gone way up—so every glass of Coca-Cola you drink makes some farmer's heart gladder.

So it is with the pure fruit juices that, combined, produce the inimitable flavor of Coca-Cola. Not so much in quantity seemingly when you consider a single glass of this delicious beverage, but enormous when the entire Coca-Cola output is considered.

Yet this product of nature—of the farm—increased in cost though it has been to the makers, has not been raised one penny in price to dealer—or to you. The price at the soda fountain and in the bottle has not risen one iota.

Now inasmuch as the rural population alone of America consumes millions of bottles and glasses of Coca-Cola every year, you and the other agriculturists of this country will not only be able to continue to please your palates and get delicious refreshment with this beverage at no increased cost, but you will be sending back to the farm bigger profits and more money at no greater expense to yourself.

of course when we consider raw products we must carry the subject further on into the matter of the prices we get and the prices we must pay for finished products. We shall confine our consideration, too, to those products which have their origin on the farm either in the raw state or finished and manufactured into edible or wearable articles.

Let us take wheat, for example. We all know that the war has put the price of wheat way up. Very well—this means that the whole country, city, town and rural population as well as paying more for their flour—therefore the wheat raiser should theoretically be getting rich on a product which it costs him no more to raise than formerly and for which he gets more money.

But wait a minute—there are other things to consider in this matter of growing rich off of the war. Cotton and wool and meats and farm machinery and sugar have gone up too. This means that while the wheat raiser is getting more for his product, he is also paying some other agriculturist more for his product. This cuts down somewhat on the profits the war is bringing to the farmer. Then it would seem that the best way to keep ahead of the game is for the farmer to pay the farmer who raises his necessities the increased prices that the war has brought about and when buying his luxuries or those things that are not bare necessities of life to pick and choose from

How's Your Stationery?

HAVE added to my various other lines an assortment of the most approved Stationery, correspondence cards, box selections, etc.

Nothing serves as a better index to one's taste and refinement, as the kind and quality of the stationery one uses.

Many a solvent merchant has been turned down on his application for credit because of the indifferent stationery on which he wrote.

Good Stationery Presumes Good Methods

When next in need of writing material, drop in and see what I have.

John L. Doss' Pharmacy

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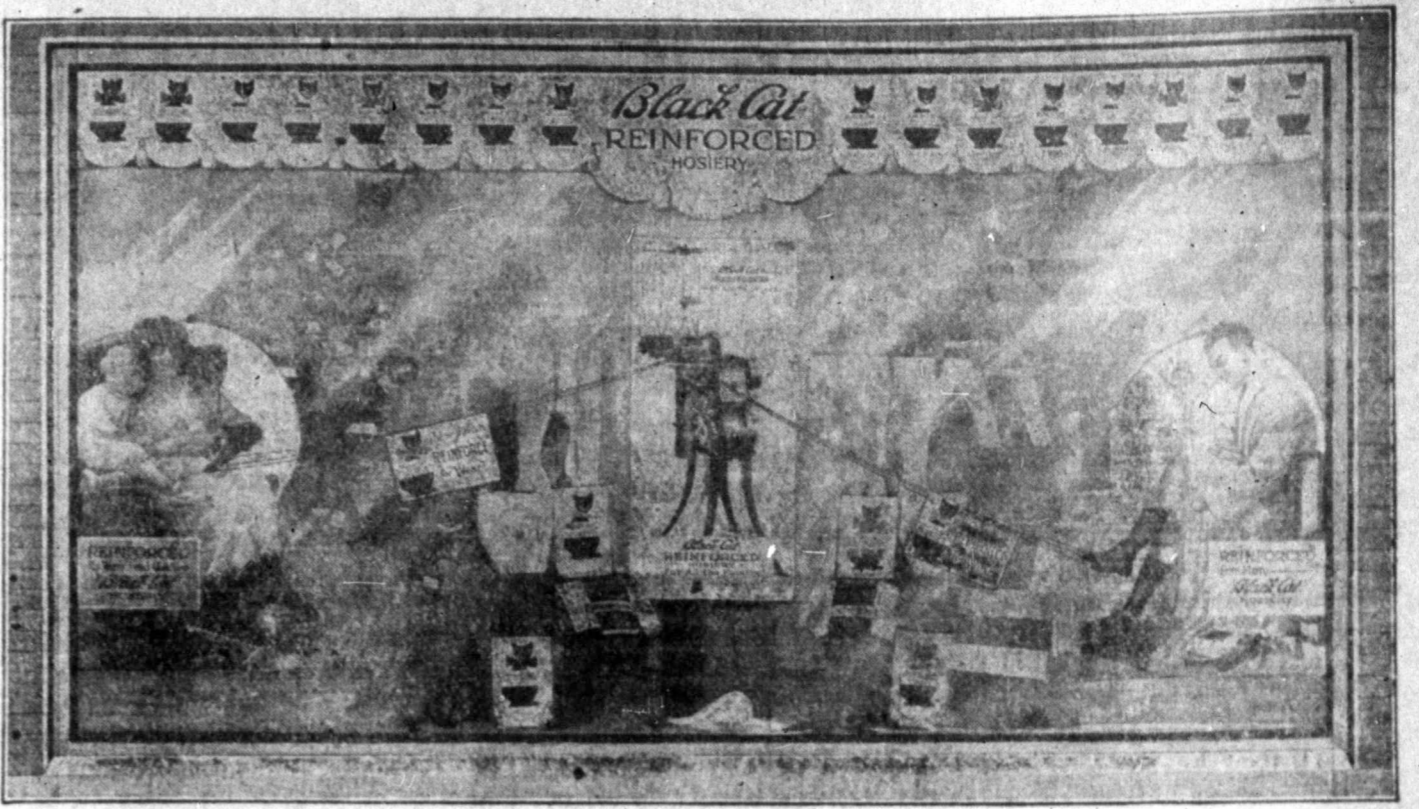
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IN THE SPRING.

(By Walt Mason).

In the spring the joyous husband hangs the carpet on the line, and assaults it with a horsewhip till its colors fairly shine; and the dust that rises from it fills the alley and the court, and he murmurs, 'twixt his sneezes "This is surely splendid sport!"

In the spring the well-trained husband wrestles with the heating stove, while the flippant-minded neighbors go a-fishing in a drove. With the pipes and wire he tinkers, and his laughter fills the place, when the wholesome soot and ashes gather on his hands and face; he says: "I'd like to labor at this task from sun to sun; this is what I call diversion—this is pure and perfect fun!"

In the spring the model husband carries furniture outdoors, and he gayly helps the women when they want to paint the floors; and he blithely eats his supper sitting on the cellar stairs, for he knows his wife has varnished all the tables and the chairs. Oh, he carries pails of water, and he carries beds and ticks, and he props up the veranda with a wagonload of bricks, and he deftly spades the garden, and he paints the barn and fence, and he rakes and burns the rubbish with an energy intense, saying ever as he labors, in the house or out of doors: "How I wish my wife and daughters could suggest some other chores!"

In the spring this sort of husband may be found—there's one in Spain, there is one in South Dakota and another one in Maine.

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Some excitement was created at the Murphy tent show Saturday night when a citizen of the city appeared on the scene with a double barrel shotgun looking for one or more gay Lotharios, who were supposed to be connected with the show, and who were thought to be trying to entice two young girls to leave town with the theatrical force. The matter was all settled without a tragedy and it is said to have served a good purpose in the way of calling the attention of a number of parents to the fact that the streets of the city are not good places at nights for young girls without proper escorts or chaperones.—Brownwood News.

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It is said that one of America's best known multi-millionaires—a man who ruined his digestion in the pursuit of wealth—stated that he would pay a million dollars for a new stomach.

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This millionaire's stomach is so ruined by abuse that it can never be made "as good as new" by any medicine. But YOUR stomach, if properly aided NOW can be restored to its normal condition.

If YOU suffer from indigestion, "heart-burn," gas in stomach, foul breath, sense of fullness after eating, sour stomach, and will act NOW instead of delaying longer, you can get PROMPT relief.

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will set your stomach right, and do it quickly. It will stimulate and regulate your liver, which supplies bile to the stomach. It will thus provide the stomach with JUST WHAT IT NEEDS in order to do its wonderful work of digestion more perfectly.

It will lubricate your bowels, and cause them to move naturally and gently. It will get your whole digestive "workshop" into working order, cleanse it, oil up the "machinery," strengthen it—and you'll be AMAZED by the change.

Your appetite will improve. Food will taste GOOD to you. There will be no more discomfort or pains. You'll feel STRONGER. Life will be better worth the living.

DO IT NOW—give your stomach the relief it is calling for, before you are like the millionaire, whose stomach is now BEYOND REPAIR. Dealers sell 50c and \$1.00 bottles. THACHER MEDICINE COMPANY, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

A PROPHECY FULFILLED.

When the lack of confidence and business uncertainty hung like a cloud over this fair land, when industries closed down and labor was thrown out of employment, when want stalked abroad and fear held sway, The Industrial Record time and again urged the industrial captains to keep steering the boat. Building materials and all lines of manufactured products began to stack up and the operators feared for their disposal. It was then that this publication urged upon all the coming of a time when there would not be too much surplus.

The Record is vindicated. Today the lumber stacks can not turn out enough lumber. They would have done well to have kept going steadily all through the hour of adversity. Even then they could not have been able to meet the strong demands now being made upon them. The steel mills shut down, and now they are woefully behind with orders. It is estimated that if they do not receive another order it will take them perhaps a year to catch up, and then they will have to work to the very limit.

It was needless that all plants be kept in constant operation, but that inexplicable attribute called fear asserted itself, and the industrial captains being just men, fell before its disquieting influence. Now the progress of the country must be somewhat retarded as a result. It had only been a short time since the close of the stringency, and even now prices in all commodities are increasing enormously. As an example bids were recently received for erection of a \$250,000 addition to the Federal building at Oklahoma City. Plans were so drawn that the appropriation would easily have covered the cost, but owing to the great advance in all building materials, estimated at fully twenty-five per cent, the bids had to be turned down and the plans will be revised.

Practically all the brick yards closed down, and many plants deemed it advisable to dispose of their stock at less than cost. The tide has turned and the surplus is rapidly being taken up. This lack of confidence proved a disastrous economic waste. Wage earners unemployed were in want for a time, while now it is hard to find enough competent men to supply the demand. Conditions must adjust themselves. Industrial advancement can not be stopped. If it is checked, then it must gain its average. The uncertainty that prevailed was childish in formation but distressingly severe in practice. The country is simply too great and filled with too many opportunities to go to the bow-wows, war or no war. Prosperity will over be assured if only men will throw off that mortal fear that sometimes creeps in unaware to do its dreadful work.—Industrial Review.

LAME BACK.

Lame back is usually due to rheumatism of the muscles of the back. Hard working people are most likely to suffer from it. Relief may be had by massaging the back with Chamberlain's Liniment two or three times a day. Try it. Obtainable everywhere.

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-REVIVAL-

-BEGINNING-

Thursday, May 25th

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An Evangelist of National Reputation, Will Do the Preaching

MISS GAIL WILHITE who will lead the song services, has a wonderfully sympathetic contralto voice that charms and touches the heart.

All Christian people of the community are urged to have a vital part in these services. A special invitation is extended to all who will assist with the music.

The whole-hearted co-operation of all the churches and of each individual Christian in the town of Colorado and vicinity is most earnestly invited. The prime and ultimate object of this series of meetings is the saving of souls, and to this end and the advancement of the Master's kingdom, we need your help and prayers.

You Need a Tonic

There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you. You can't make a mistake in taking

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is easy enough if you know how to do it, the trouble is that some people think they know when they don't. In consequence, your horse is poorly shod. We have demonstrated for years that we know how to shoe horses, and we solicit your trade, knowing that you will be pleased.

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Calomel salivates! It's mercury, Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It's harmless pleasant and safe to give to children they like it.

TWAS EVER THUS IN MEXICO.

Mexico! No other land has been more favored by God or more cursed by man! Will its people ever enjoy the benediction of that permanent peace which would make their country one of the happiest and most prosperous of all the realms under the sun? Both old world monarchy and new world republicanism have been tried there in vain. Twice imperial governments have been founded in Mexico because the world adjudged it incapable of republican self rule. Both terminated disastrously—the latter in one of the saddest tragedies ever enacted. Then, having shown that neither kings, dictators nor emperors could successfully rule there, Mexico again hoisted the banner of the blood-stained republic. As usual, there was a lull and they called it peace. It was but the stupor which follows a debauch, and now Mexico is itself again. Diaz has called the greasers from the mountains with the promise of a revolution, which to them means devastation, the sacking of cities, rapine, plunder and murder in all the mountain gorges. Diaz's pronouncement is as shameless a thing as ever was written. It is a mockery to the cause he would have the world believe he espouses. His bandits will go forth to battle to plunder and to kill. Thus it has been and thus it will ever be until a more orderly and stable population appears in Mexico to hold in check the wild race that now peoples its soil. Mexico is nothing but a big tribe of barbarous Indians, liable at any moment to be convulsed by the resistance which any ambitious and popular brave may offer to the authority of the principal chief.—Kansas City Star, April 9, 1876.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice to creditors of the estate of W. R. Adams, deceased:

Notice is hereby given that Original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of W. R. Adams, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 22nd day of April, 1916, by the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, sitting in Probate.

All claims for money against the said estate of said W. R. Adams, deceased, must be presented to me for allowance at Westbrook, Mitchell County, Texas, it being my place of residence and postoffice address, within one year from the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1916. If not presented within the year aforesaid, payment of the same will be postponed until the claims presented within that time are paid.

Witness my hand this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1916.

MARTHA ELIZABETH ADAMS,
Independent Executrix of the estate of W. R. Adams, deceased.

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POVERTY DEVELOPS CHARACTER.

Poverty is a serious handicap and a great burden, but it very often develops character if there is any character to be developed. Great prosperity very often is deadening and killing because it destroys all sense of proportion and value. Frank Oakley, who began his career in this country as a clown in the circus and received thousands of dollars for his service. At one time there was a great lawsuit between a circus and the New York Hippodrome over the right to present him to the public. He wallowed in wealth, but when the lean days came he lost his courage. And lean days come to all who are overpaid and overprosperous. Being refused a loan of 25 cents he committed suicide in his little hall bedroom and left a world in which he had made millions laugh and among these millions there will be but few to mourn his fate.—Scimitar.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

CITY NATIONAL BANK

At the Close of Business
MAY 1, 1916

Resources

Loans and Discounts.....	\$245,177.63
U. S. Bonds.....	15,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	2,700.00
Banking House and Real Estate.....	19,410.57
Cotton Acceptances.....	\$ 17,265.71
Cash and Due from Banks.....	124,897.15
Total.....	\$424,411.06

Liabilities

Capital Stock.....	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus.....	30,000.00
Undivided Profits (net).....	11,322.55
Circulation.....	14,700.00
DEPOSITS.....	308,388.51
Total.....	\$424,411.06

The above Statement is correct.

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A DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES.

We believe that most of the misfortunes of civilization are due to inordinate lust for power or incompetent conduct on the part of one or more of the subdivisions of society, and we pledge our best efforts to aid in restoring the different classes to their appointed tasks as contemplated by our system of government. It is our aim to expose and discourage improper conduct on the part of any profession, class, business occupation, service or subdivision of government or society, believing that such a policy will greatly increase general efficiency; insure a more equitable distribution of the fruits of labor and promote the prosperity of all the people. We direct the attention of the people to the Constitutional rights and powers of a citizen and reiterate that public officials are servants—not masters of the people, and we suggest that any person or influence that seeks to invert this order is guilty of crime against good government. As sovereign citizens we demand capable, honest and impartial conduct on the part of those who accept public service and we place business efficiency and economy in government to all other requirements.—Texas Economic League.

WHOOPIING COUGHL.

"When my daughter had whooping cough she coughed so hard at one time that she had hemorrhage of the lungs. I was terribly alarmed about her condition. Seeing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so highly recommended, I got her a bottle and it relieved the cough at once. Before she had finished two bottles of this remedy she was entirely well," writes Mrs. S. F. Grimes, Crooksville, Ohio. Obtainable everywhere.

A SQUARE DEAL FOR THE HORSE.

The European war and the automobile have played havoc with the horse, according to the horsemen who assembled recently at the Hotel McAlpin, New York City, to discuss ways and means for their protection in the future. The occasion was the meeting of the executive committee of the New York State Association of Horsemen.

The sense of the gathering was that the horse has as much right to the highways as the speeding automobile, and the organization is going to do all in its power to interest children, farmers and business men throughout New York State in the conservation of the horse.

William D. Hunt, of Brookline, Mass., treasurer of the Massachusetts Protective Association for Horses, pointed out that "the value of horses in this country is still three times greater than that of automobiles."

"If all horses died today," said Mr. Hunt, "we would all starve to death, principally because we depend on the horse for what we wear and what we eat. Horses are no longer considered when a group of men get together to project the building of a new road. Nowadays, when a horse slips on the wet asphalt road, officials simply laugh at him. In Massachusetts we are determined to give the horse a square deal."—Vehicle Trade Journal.

WHAT THE DOCTOR KNOWS. Kidneys Must Be Right To Insure Health.

Few people realize to what extent their health depends upon the condition of the kidneys.

The physician in nearly all cases of serious illness, makes a chemical analysis of the patient's urine. He knows that unless the kidneys are doing their work properly, the other organs cannot readily be brought back to health and strength.

When the kidneys are neglected or abused in any way, serious results are sure to follow. According to health statistics, Bright's Disease, which is really an advanced form of kidney trouble, causes nearly ten thousand deaths in one year in the state of New York alone. Therefore, it is particularly necessary to pay more attention to the health of these important organs.

An ideal herbal compound that has had remarkable success as a kidney remedy is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

The mild and healing influence of this preparation, in most cases, is soon realized, according to sworn statements and verified testimony of those who have used this remedy.

When your kidneys require attention get Swamp-Root at once from any pharmacy. It is sold by every druggist in bottles of two sizes—50c and \$1.00.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Colorado Weekly Record.

THE BIG DAM COMPLETED.

Elephant Butte, N. M., May 13—Work was completed today on the Elephant Butte dam, the reclamation project of the United States, forming the greatest reservoir in the world. The reservoir holds 115,000,000,000 cubic feet of water to irrigate nearly 200,000 acres of arid lands in New Mexico and Texas.

DR. S. P. BROOKS AND THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

(By J. B. Cranfill).

By every consideration of high civic duty, the patriotic christian citizenship of Texas should, in solid phalanx cast their ballots next July for Dr. S. P. Brooks for the United States senate. If the writer of these words, and every reader of them, will do their duty between now and the primaries, Dr. Brooks will be triumphantly elected to the senate, greatly to the credit of the state of Texas, and to the honor of the greatest body of law-makers in the civilized world.

I have no unkind words for any other candidate. Some of the candidates are my warm personal friends. Far be it from me to give utterance to any sentiment that would wound or in any sense reflect upon the men who are also in the race for the United States senate. It is not, however, too much to say that in point of character, training, statesmanship, manly qualities and high purpose, Dr. S. P. Brooks excels them all. Not in my day have the people of Texas been afforded the opportunity of voting for a man for this high office that more truly combines all the qualities essential to pre-eminent fitness as our representative in the senate, than does Dr. S. P. Brooks.

His platform has been promulgated, and is before the people, but his platform can in no wise portray to the mind of the suffragan the man himself. The man is far greater than his platform, and in saying this I do not mean in any wise to cast reflection upon the declaration of principles this great man has given to the public. I hazard nothing in the statement that Dr. S. P. Brooks as a man, as a citizen, as a statesman, as a leader, and as a christian, at once takes rank with Woodrow Wilson, our peerless president. Indeed, they are men of kindred type. Both of them have had the highest mental and moral training. Both of them are accomplished scholars, but, on the other hand, they have both come up from the ranks of the common people.

I shall never forget the time when S. P. Brooks, then a young man with the flush of youth upon his face, came to enter Baylor University. He had left the farm, and his tasks as a section hand up in Johnson county, to seek training and expansion for his virile mind. One of the highest honors I have ever enjoyed was that of enrolling him while in Waco as a member of my Bible class. In all my life I have never witnessed a happier combination of brain and brawn and character than was at once discerned in S. P. Brooks. None of us then knew the high place he was destined to fill in our state and national life. All we could then see was that here was a genuine man of lofty purpose, high resolve and sterling character. He went to work with a will just as he had worked in Johnson county, where he was dealing with life at its fountain head.

Today in all the political life of this nation, there is not a man before the people who combines higher excellence more far-reaching statesmanship, nobler character, or greater capacity to serve in the position to which we hope to elect him, than S. P. Brooks.

But the chief purpose of this article is not to give a life sketch of this great good man, nor to eulogize him, but to urge our people to rally to his standard to the end that his election may be gloriously achieved. He stands with President Wilson and other far seeing statesmen of our country on the vital problems that we confront, and with a greater aggressiveness for some of the reforms for which some of us long have toiled and wrought. He believes profoundly in the annihilation of the liquor traffic in precinct, county, state and nation. When we elect him to the senate—and we will, if we do our duty—he will be a co-laborer and co-adjutor of Hon. Morris Sheppard, the brilliant young statesman who has done so much for the cause of national righteousness since he reached Washington.

Will you not have a care for the interest of Texas, and give something of your time and energy and influence to the candidacy of Dr. S. P. Brooks? If we do not at once bestir ourselves it may be to us a source of profound and continuous regret. Let every man and woman among us put on our fighting clothes, and do everything within our power, in every way that we can, to elect S. P. Brooks to the United States senate!

DOUBLE TRAGEDY AT TAHOKA

Tahoka, May 11.—Milton Jones, son of J. N. Jones, a prominent furniture dealer of this town shot and killed Miss Vera Nobles, a school teacher, here Wednesday afternoon and then shot himself. He is still alive but it is thought his wound will prove fatal. No cause for the tragedy has been made known. Both parties were well and favorably known in the town and community.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

Colorado National BANK

At the Close of Business
MAY 1, 1916

Resources

Loans.....	\$381,675.22
U. S. Bonds.....	25,000.00
Banking House and Real Estate.....	20,174.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	6,000.00
CASH Due from Banks and in Vault.....	\$95,704.85
Bills of Exchange.....	54,337.67
Total.....	\$582,891.74

Liabilities

Capital.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus.....	100,000.00
Undivided Profits (net).....	29,079.19
Circulation.....	25,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	328,812.55
Total.....	\$582,891.74

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Mitchell.

I, J. M. THOMAS, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. THOMAS,
Cashier

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