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for people who realize that a good job costs a little more than a skimmed one; but that the small difference in first cost is quickly made up in the savings in after-expense. A roof's greatest enemies are the elements. A poor job may fool you, but it can't deceive the snow rain and scorching sun.

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BUREAU OF INFORMATION.

The Colorado Chamber of Commerce has done many things in furtherance of the material interests of the county at large and the town of Colorado in particular. Not the least important of its activities is the establishment of a bureau of information for the benefit of those who seek work and those who want work done.

The bringing together of the two factors of the economical equation. A list is kept by the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of those who want work, the kind of work they want to do or can do, and those who want various kinds of work done for them. It only needs that you file your name and wants with Secretary Roe. He will keep a tabulated list and the Record will publish every Thursday afternoon, the unsupplied list existing at that time.

This is a commendable service to both classes, and is paving the way to organization along other lines of altruistic work. Organized charity will naturally follow upon this activity and instead of having the community preyed upon by fakers and medicants of every kind, every citizen appealed to for help will refer the applicant to the secretary of the United Charities for investigation. If the applicant is deserving he or she will not object to rigid investigation. If they are fakers and imposters, they will never show up before the secretary.

So, make use of the bureau furnished by the Chamber of Commerce. If you need any kind of work done, file your wants with Secretary Roe. If you want to do any kind of work, do the same. He will do the rest and bring about a meeting between Mohammed and the mountain.

Coming down town from the northeast periphery thereof to the business center, one of an observant turn of mind and averagely keen eyesight, detects many and sundry persons worrying the ground in every lot. Inquiry later on, elicits the quasi information that these people have been making a patriotic response to President Wilson's appeal for the conservation of all the nation's potentialities. They are determined to raise a garden to lower the cost of living at home, and many of them (us) are making a brave showing thereof.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

There will be a County Farmers' Institute held at the court house in Colorado, Saturday, May 12th, beginning at 10 a. m. and the following program will be carried out:

10 a. m.—Address of Welcome—Dr. P. C. Coleman.

10:15 a. m.—Response—R. C. Morgan.

10:25 a. m.—Organization of County Institute.

11 a. m.—Importance of organization—H. H. Lincler.

11:30 a. m.—Successful Poultry Raising—

12 m.—Noon.

1:30 p. m.—How your county demonstrator can be of more use to you by organization.—W. A. Dulin.

2 p. m.—Importance of raising more food and feed products.—L. W. Sandusky.

2:30 p. m.—General Discussion.

3 p. m.—Conservation of food and feed products.—A. M. Northcutt.

3:30 p. m.—General Discussion.

3:50 p. m.—Report of any committees and setting time of next meeting, and the transaction of any business that may come before the Institute.

It is earnestly requested that all farmers and business men attend this meeting and take part in the discussion of the above named subjects, and if possible Mr. T. G. Marks and J. W. Neill, representing the State Department of Agriculture will be present and take part in the discussions.

Drilling operations at Rattlesnake Gap, near Iatan, by the Consolidated Oil and Gas Company, are going on very smoothly and satisfactorily to the managers and board of directors. The drill is now down some 200 feet or more and a minute log is being kept of the strata through which it goes. The striking of oil or gas in commercial quantities in this locality would mean the fortune of many landowners in that community; and the Record hopes the greatest anticipations of the promoters of this enterprise may be realized even sooner than they expect. If geological and accepted scientific knowledge, combined with practical drilling experience, go for anything, the Iatan field promises more of success than many others that have made their promoters both rich and famous in the oil world.

TO TAKE COUNCIL TOGETHER.

Arrival of Distinguished English and French Leaders for War Council.

Many of the most prominent and efficient men of England and France are now in Washington, conferring with leaders of this government and formulating plans for the merger of America's gigantic resources with those of the European nations now arrayed against Germany. These men safely arrived in the United States last Saturday.

Scarcely had the cheers and waving flags of the rural village at the point of reception faded into the perspective and the gold braided officers of the army, navy and air corps disappeared into their state rooms when the tall slender form of Balfour appeared to deliver his first message to the American people.

Summed up it was: "Realize, people of America, that you face a real fight. And be prepared for great individual sacrifice—for it will be demanded."

Almost the first act of the British minister as he and his party of twenty boarded the train now speeding him toward the waiting American war counsellors at Washington was to explode the theory that this country faces a short, bloodless war.

Balfour made it clear that the war will be long; that it will tax our resources of men; it will require all we have of financial strength; it will command our commercial and industrial energy; it will involve the individual effort of every true American.

"We have come," he said, to help America turn the first page in a new chapter in the history of mankind."

"The United States does not yet realize all it will be called upon to do and what we know it will do. And it is much. Time will bring the war home to you—as it has done to us."

"But—" it was suggested, "there is an impression that we will be called upon to do nothing but make munitions and build ships."

Balfour's expression showed clearly that he was astonished. After a pause he said significantly:

"You shall see."

"I appreciate," he went on, "that it will be quite a little time before the people of the United States, to borrow an American phrase, thoroughly realize what they are up against."

"No public expression of opinion on points of policy would be useful or tolerable, until I have had the honor of conferring with your President and learning his views. I have come here to do what I can to make co-operation easy and effective between those who are striving, with all their power, to bring about a lasting peace by the only means that can secure it—namely, a successful war."

"On my behalf let me express the deep gratification I feel at being connected in any capacity whatever with events which associate our countries in a common effort for a great cause."

"On behalf of my countrymen, let me express our gratitude for all that the citizens of the United States have done to mitigate the lot of those who in the allied countries have suffered from the cruelties of the most deliberate cruel of all wars—to name others, the efforts of Mr. Gerard to alleviate the condition of British and other prisoners of war in Germany and the administrative genius which Mr. Hoover has ungrudgingly devoted to the relief of the unhappy Belgians and of the children in the territories still in enemy occupation, which will never be forgotten, while an inexhaustible stream of charitable effort has supplied medical and nursing skill to the service of the wounded and sick."

"These are the memorable doings of a beneficent neutral, but the days

MORE FEED PROPAGANDA.

The citizens of Mitchell county, in common with the citizens of all other progressive sections, realize that the country is facing a possible feed famine the coming year. Not only was the feed crop of Mitchell county far too short last year to meet the demands of the county itself, but unbelievable sums of money have been sent out of the county to feed the cattle and other live stock in its borders. This is an unhealthy and unnatural economic condition.

In order to promote the greater production of feed and food stuffs in the county, an organization was effected last week by the representative farmers from several sections of the county, the business interests of Colorado, backed by the Colorado Chamber of Commerce. The organization is not local in its aims or purposes, but intended to promote the interests of every community of the county. County Farm Demonstrator, W. A. Dulin was made chairman of the executive committee and general superintendent of the campaign. His advice is on tap at all times for every one willing to call on him.

Representatives of the state agricultural department, specialists in various lines, will come out from time to time and give the farmers the benefit of their experience and observations. Notice of their coming, time and place of their lectures, will be published in the Record a week before they occur. Watch for these notices. The scope and purpose of this campaign can be gathered from the following articles of the organization:

To place under cultivation the uncultivated lands, urban and rural.

To provide seeds, implements, livestock, poultry.

To enlist the service of individuals in soil cultivation.

To conserve the food and feed produced by providing the necessary storage facilities, canning plants, drying houses and the like.

To create an economic marketing system whereby the food produced will reach the consumer with the least possible cost and whereby the excess production may be diverted into needed State and National channels.

That such Food and Feed Crops of Texas be placed at the disposal of the United States Government.

of neutrality are, I rejoice to think, at an end.

"Your President in a most apt and vivid phrase has proclaimed that the world must be made safe for democracy—democracies wherever they are to be found and not the least the democracies of the British empire will hail the pronouncement as of happy augury. That self governing communities are not to be treated as negligible simply because they are small; that the ruthless domination of one unscrupulous power imperils the future of civilization and the liberties of mankind are truths of political ethics which the bitter experience of war is burning into the souls of all freedom-loving peoples."

"That this great people should have thrown themselves wholeheartedly into this mighty struggle, prepared for all the efforts and sacrifices that may be required to win success for this most righteous cause, is an event at once so happy and so momentous that only the historian of the future will be able, as I believe, to measure its true proportions."

Balfour walked about, his tall, slender, frock-coated form, his snowy head, and smiling, affable countenance visible here and there in the throng as he chatted democratically with everyone with whom he came in contact.

Conversation with other members of the party elicited expressions of amazement that all the German waiters in our hotels and restaurants

have not been locked up. The Britishers were interested in everything. They wanted to know all about the value of money and gold, silver and paper money of the United States and paper money of England was flying about from hand to hand with many explanations.

The party was six days on the water, saw no submarines, had a very quiet passage and had quite as mysterious and veiled a time as to where and how they were going to get here as did the party waiting to meet them.

One of the big questions to be discussed at the Washington conference will be whether the United States will make peace with Germany before the European allies have attained the objects which they now seek in the war. The United States will be urged not to make a separate peace. Another question will concern the distribution of this government's \$3,000,000,000 loan to the allies. Another great problem is stated to be the maintenance of the flow of American munitions and food supplies to Europe.

How to strengthen Russia is considered a problem of paramount importance and one that will receive careful consideration at the conference here. It is realized that if Russian resistance should collapse Ger-

many would be able to turn upon its western foes and perhaps break down the wall behind which the United States is slowly preparing for the conflict.

U. S. SHIP SINKS GERMAN SUBMARINE

NAVAL GUNNER HIT PERISCOPE AT 1000 YARDS, AS GERMAN SUB WAS LAUNCHING TORPEDO AT SPEEDING VESSEL.

London, April 25.—Captain Rice of the American steamship Mongolia which has arrived at a British port, told the Associated Press today that the Mongolia had fired the first gun of the war of the United States and sunk a German submarine.

The submarine, Captain Rice said, was about to attack the great liner, in British waters on April 19. He declared there was absolutely no doubt that the U-boat was hit and that there was every reason to believe it was destroyed.

The naval gunners on board made a clean hit at 1000 yards. The periscope was seen to be shattered.

Announcing Change In Policy of Business

To Our Customers:

Owing to the unprecedented high price of all kinds of food products, and the consequent larger amount of capital necessary to run a business in the grocery line the size and volume of ours, we are compelled to make a change in the policy of our business, which will effect the grocery department only.

This is not due to any condition either in the financial world or in farm production. But if we continue to serve our patrons on the basis of "the Best Quality for the Least Price," we must be able to turn our capital over oftener than we have been able to do under the former system.

On and after May 1st we will put our grocery department on a Cash or Thirty Day basis. To our regular customers and responsible parties, we will accord the courtesy of 30 days' time on their accounts. If not paid promptly on the first of each month, this courtesy will be discontinued.

This is done as much in the interest of our customers as in our own interest. By it we can serve those who comply with its terms, for less profit, because we will have less loss in the aggregate.

This change is made in no spirit of panic or gloomy forebodings for the future. It is but clearing the deck of all dead wood and useless expense, that we may serve others better and at less cost.

All other departments of our business will be conducted as heretofore. The same liberal terms and close prices will be accorded all who trade with us. We only ask that you carry a part of the burden and responsibility in the national campaign of conservation of the nation's resources. We shall cheerfully bear our part of it.

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OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK

THE BEST MONEY CAN BUY—:—TRIANGLE PROGRAM TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
—GREED— Third Number of the Seven Deadly Sins—Don't miss this one. Prices 10 and 20 cents.	TRIANGLE NIGHT. LITTLE LIAR—Featuring the popular star Mae Marsh. SHE LOVED THE SAILOR—A very laughable comedy in two reels.	—PATRIA No. Five.— With Mrs. Vernon Castle as the Star Always a Good Comedy is shown with this play, and a 2-Reeler Also.	TRIANGLE NIGHT. THOROUGHbred—Featuring the "thoroughbred" Frank Keenan. DOLLARS AND SENSE—A 2-Reel Comedy.	MUTUAL STAR NIGHT. DIAMOND RUNNERS—A Mutual Star—Featuring HELEN HOLMES BIG-V COMEDY—Always Funny.	—MATINEE 5 and 10c— SHORTY GOES INSANE—2 Reels. TAILOR'S TRIMMINGS—A 2 Reel Veggie Comedy. JERRY AND THE OUTLAWS.

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HIS J. P. EXPERIENCE.

Brother L. P. Loomis, editor of the Slatonite, was mayor and J. P. of the town of Slaton for one year. On retirement from office he publishes a few experiences and reflections on the sidelights the latter office affords on the lives of his fellows. He says:

"An officer of the peace comes to know the life of the underworld, a life unknown to the general public, and he has in his possession confidences that would tear the heart strings in many homes of the community if made public. The public never realizes what it owes a peace officer for not gossip. For the morbidly curious and the mind that delights in salacious gossip and the unwholesomeness of the underworld, the knowledge of the peace officer is a continuous movie film of the lower impulses that influence humanity.

"If some fond and doting parents knew as much about the gadding of their boys and girls on the streets after the sun goes down as the of-

ficers know, there would be blanched faces for their impending peril and flushed cheeks over their uncleanness.

"As justice of the peace we had to impose fines for differences between neighbors that were settled with fists, to impose fines for drunkenness, for gambling, for street walking by women of neither shame nor decency. To sit in preliminary trials for theft, robbery, gun toting, giving worthless checks, making an assault with a knife, rape, attempted murder, murder—and so on almost through the entire category of felonies. We were called to the side of a man who had been shot by another, and saw the wounded man die from internal hemorrhage. We held an inquest over the body of a valued friend. The domestic life of Slaton demanded considerable attention."

MOTHER! DON'T TAKE CHANCES IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Clean Little Liver and Bowels.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's complaint, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Co." Adv.

Phone 203, Pickens & Reeder, for Fish and Oysters on Fridays and Saturdays.

"EVERY SCOUT TO FEED A SOLDIER."

The executive board of the national council, Boy Scouts of America, has issued an emergency circular having for its purpose a campaign to have every scout feed a soldier. Following are the chief features of the order:

Resolved, That every officer and member of the Boy Scouts of America be urged in addition to the service they will render the police and civic authorities in their home cities, to definitely assist in the development of the plans which the National Council has made with the following organizations:

First, the Department of Agriculture and the Council of National Defense. To co-operate in the extension and development of home gardens, under the slogan, "Every Scout to Feed a Soldier."

Second, the American National Red Cross. To co-operate with the Red Cross through its local chapters in meeting their responsibilities occasioned by the state of war.

Third, the Navy Department. To co-operate with the Navy Department in organizing an Emergency Coast Patrol along the Sea Coast Towns.

Scout Master, John W. Person informs the Record that about eight acres of vacant lots have been secured for the Boy Scouts to put in cultivation, and that work will soon begin. There will be planted peanuts, sweet and Irish potatoes, Mexican beans and other such saleable products.

WAGNER-WRIGHT DUO.

On Wednesday morning Mrs. A. L. Whipkey received the following telegram in regard to the Wagner-Wright Duo to be given here May 1st, for the benefit of the school library.

Brownwood, Texas, April 24.
Wagner-Wright Duo last evening—Splendid Program—Audience delighted.
WM. T. HAYWOOD
Howard Payne College.

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URGES MILITARY HIGHWAY.

Blanton Plans to Offer Bill Calling for \$15,000,000 With Which to Build Road.

Washington, April 21.—The idea of a proposed military highway paralleling the Mexican border, from Brownsville to the Pacific Coast is being revived by Representative Thomas L. Blanton of Texas, who proposes to introduce a bill appropriating \$15,000,000 for the purpose of constructing such a roadway. Unless his plan is altered, Mr. Blanton wants the road constructed by United States troops and National Guard that are doing border duty. Such a proposal would meet with opposition from the War Department.

Army officers have indorsed the idea of a military road, which the engineers reported should be sixteen feet in width and made of concrete. It is Mr. Blanton's belief that the main road should be connected with railroad stations by lateral highways. He does not believe the work is feasible by the States or even with State or local co-operation. The plan he believes, would call for about 2,400 miles of improved road.

GOVERNORS' CONFERENCE IS PLANNED.

Washington, April 22.—Governors of all states were asked by the council of national defense today to send representatives to Washington May 2 for a conference on measures of state co-operation in the conduct of the war. Military affairs and the food situation will be the most important questions taken up. The governors, also were requested to send as delegates the heads of state defense councils where they have been created.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN FOR INDIGESTION OR SOUR, ACID STOMACH

In Five Minutes! No Dyspepsia, Heartburn or Any Stomach Misery.

Sour gassy upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and upsets you; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the wonderful acid neutralizing power in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all such stomach misery, due to acidity, vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" sweeten out-of-order stomachs that give it its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest antacid and stomach relief known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home. Adv.

If war must come, let's stand behind the president. But we do not love war and enter it with no false illusions of its glories. We recall the remarks of General Sherman on the question, which were as follows: "I confess without shame that I am tired and sick of war. Its glory is all moonshine. Even success, the most brilliant, is over dead and mangled bodies, the anguish and lamentations of disbanded families appealing to me for missing sons, husbands and fathers. It is only those who have not heard a shot nor heard the shrieks and groans of the wounded and lacerated that cry aloud for more blood, more vengeance, more desolation. War is hell!"

SPRING.

Spring is looked upon by many as the most delightful season of the year, but this cannot be said of the rheumatic. The cold and damp weather brings on rheumatic pains which are anything but pleasant. They can be relieved, however, by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

Dr. L. G. C. Buchanan, practice limited to diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat. Office, Big Springs. For the accommodation of patients in the vicinity of Colorado, I will be in Colorado 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. Office with Dr. Henthorne.

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The advantage of two or three money crops as against one are many. With long seasons and varying climatic conditions the Southwest is adapted to many kinds of crops and suitable for raising almost all kinds of animals needed in progressive farm management.

Now since we have made a good beginning in developing markets for crops other than cotton, we can afford to include some of the best suited crops in our rotations to supplement cotton as a money crop.

Each farm manager must be his own judge as to how much he should plant in such crops as peanuts, Sudan, milo, Kaffir, sorghum, peas, soy beans, sweet potatoes and June corn. But there are very few farms where some of these crops would not be suitable, thus reducing the danger of dependence on cotton.

Let us not forget that the market

for cotton next fall is unknown. While prices are now high we cannot tell what might cause disastrous markets next fall. Let us take no chances, but plant for food and feed as well as for money crops.

In doing this "we shall reap in due season if we faint not."—Farm and Ranch.

HUPMOBILE SALES.

Stowe & Price announce that in the last forty days they have sold five new Hupmobiles, as follows:

- Mrs. R. L. Boren, R. G. Anderson, R. H. Fanning, Otto Jones, J. P. Hunter.

The fact that this is the best car on the market for the money makes the sale of them easy to all who know a good car when they see it. Sample cars on display on the floor at Colorado Mercantile Co., store and free demonstration any time. Phone Mr. Stowe or Mr. Price.

Triangle program at the opera house every Tuesday and Thursday nights for 10c.

Get the Best Implements

The rain has come and Farm Implements will now be in active demand. The famous

J. I. CASE Line

has been in THE FOREFRONT for FIFTY YEARS.

I carry a full line of Single and Double Row Planters and Cultivators, Go Devils, Section Harrows. The Cell-Drop (one seed at a time) planter is the most economical planter made. It pays for itself in one season.

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THERE will be many things, both large and small, that will have to be renewed to snit the spring season and summer.

There are floor coverings, lighter weight chairs, curtains, swings, lawn furniture, porch accessories, refrigerators, ice chests, water coolers, and a host of little things that the changing season suggests for comfort and convenience.

My Lines in All These Things Are Full and the Prices Will Simply Astonish You

New Home Sewing Machines and Columbia Grafonolas are still going strong.

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DISTRICT COURT.

The Honorable District court of Mitchell County met on Monday the 23rd, a month earlier than heretofore by reason of the new law changing the component counties of this district. All the officers of the court were on hand.

The Court appointed as jury commissioners, J. M. Page, H. C. Doss and Earl Jackson, who selected the following grand jury: H. S. Beal, Hall Jarman, H. L. Rhodes, R. H. Jones, E. Hamilton, J. H. T. Johnson, Jr., E. M. Baldwin, W. O. Campbell, Z. M. Davis, Lee Jones, J. B. Annis, R. E. Bennett, R. B. Terrell and W. E. Gandy, who are now at work on such business as may come before it.

The Snyder will case will be tried at this term of the court. There are only two criminal cases on the docket, both of which have been set for the fourth week of the court.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL! HORRIBLE!

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on the Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not sallowate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

UNION ITEMS.

Planting is now in full blast. Mr. J. W. Turner and family of the Buford community visited in the home of E. M. McCreless last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. E. M. McCreless is visiting this week in the Buford community.

Professor Marks of Lynn county and W. A. Dulin, visited Union on last Monday night and succeeded in reorganizing a farmers institute. The meeting was very well attended and very enthusiastic. We predict good results with J. W. Dorn at the head as president and T. J. Halbert as secretary. Everybody that is eligible to membership are earnestly solicited to join and take a lively part. Any enterprise in a community is what the people make it.

Eli is glad to note that the food proposition is gradually growing. We that are in the sixties and upward know of the lessons learned in time of the civil war; therefore let us make home as near self supporting as possible. ELI

HOUSEWORK IS A BURDEN.

Woman's lot is a weary one at best. But with backache and other distressing kidney ills life indeed becomes a burden. Doan's Kidney Pills have made life brighter for many Colorado women. Read what Mrs. Curry says:

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T. & P. TIME TABLE.

East Bound
Sunshine Special 6:48 a. m.
Daily Passenger, No. 6 7:34 p. m.
West Bound
Daily Passenger No. 5 8:21 a. m.
Sunshine Special 10:35 p. m.

Constantinople alone is an empire; whoever possesses it can rule the world—Napoleon Bonaparte.

Despite Germany's "ruthless" campaign of submarine warfare, the American March exports exceeded the sum of \$550,000,000, the second largest in the history of the country.

It is worthy of note that the negro regiments of the U. S. Army have been recruited to their limit by volunteers. No more negroes will be taken although many continue to volunteer their services.

W. G. Sterrett is running a series of articles in the Dallas News relating to America and the war on which this country is launched. His second article was a most lugubrious one, conjuring up a whole procession of misfortunes that are not likely to arise.

The "Cub," in editorial charge of the Midland Reporter, during the temporary indisposition of both the regular editor and foreman, assures his trusting readers that his dictionary was the work of one "Daniel Webster." He is not the first to "Noah" Webster when he sees it.

The consensus of reports by the farmers is that quite enough moisture has fallen for the planting and bringing up of the various crops. The success of farming operations from now until harvest time depends upon the amount of moisture to fall in the future. A profound and abiding belief in the direction of an inscrutable but All-wise Providence prompts us to rely upon Him for the working out of His comprehensive and beneficent plan for the greatest good for the greatest number and the furtherance of the interests of His kingdom on earth.

The Dummam resolution passed by the present extraordinary session of the legislature, abrogates all appropriations made by the regular session and they will be considered de novo. This will likely stir up a pretty kettle of fish. Of course, this effects the appropriation for the West Texas A. & M. College. It is all laid to the account of the "war." But the Record has an idea in the back of its cocoon that the palpable bait hung up by Governor Ferguson for the big land owners of West Texas, proved a fly in the gubernatorial ointment. He has certainly kicked up a muss.

NOT BY MIGHT NOR POWER. Napoleon said that the morale of an army was a greater factor in its success than mere physical equipment and supplies. No army ever started out with greater anticipations of and reasons for success, than the invading German army that thrust Belgium out of its path and pushed on to Paris. So unprepared were the French and so unexpected the attack through a neutral country, that the German army reached a point within 25 miles of its goal before General Joffre had time to formulate plans. He commanded every vehicle within the limits of Paris, and owing to the good roads of that country, within one night, had accumulated an army, food, supplies and transportation, necessary to turn the German horde. Doubt entered the plans of the Germans then. The failure at Verdun, where their efforts reached high water mark for both violence and continuity, further accentuated doubt and begat fear; while the present drive of Field Marshal Haig is fast turning fear into despair. The morale of the German army has been a lessening force, while that of the British and French armies has grown with every month of the war, and is today stronger and a more potential factor toward the final result than ever.

See the Mutual Star Features at Opera House every Friday—30 cents.

WHY NOT AN ANNUAL FAIR?

If all things work together for good as we are taught they do, the annual exhibit of the boys and girls clubs of Mitchell county, next fall, should be larger, better and on a greater scale than all preceding ones. This prediction being verified, the occasion would be a most opportune time for the organization of an annual fair, to be held in Colorado at some convenient time during the fall.

There was such an organization here up to a few years ago—a regularly chartered organization—with all the rights of dress and redress that inheres in such organizations. It at one time owned quite a tract of land northwest of town, on which were a race track and many other improvements incidental to such institutions. The organization may be today only in abeyance, retaining all its former rights and franchises.

It would require but little work and but comparatively little outlay of capital to put the old grounds in condition to accommodate a very creditable exhibit coming fall or any fall thereafter. The fairs held at Roscoe the past few years have been of such success, that the destruction of what buildings the association had by fire not long since, was a real loss. The stockholders, however, had the stockholders' meeting for the coming year, which was held in July.

Colorado can certainly do what Roscoe has successfully accomplished. The interest begotten by our county farm demonstrator in the poultry, fruit and other industries allied with farming, among the boys, girls and wives of the farmers, demands some more public and wider outlet than the little exhibit heretofore given it on the court house lawn. Agriculture and all its allied activities is assuming the dignity and acquiring the literature of a learned profession, and the greatest advancement made along educational lines during the past half century, has been, without doubt, in the agricultural department. It has been lifted from the slough of superstition and blind precedent to the highlands of intellectual attainment consorting with honest toil. And it well becomes the patrons of such husbandry to celebrate its successes as well as those of a purely intellectual character.

PUBLICITY STUNTS VS. COMMON SENSE.

Herbert Quick of the Federal Farm Loan Board, was for many years a staff writer on several of the leading newspapers of the country, and is thoroughly well posted as to actual conditions and speculative theories. In view of the published statement that Ogden Armour and other prominent millionaires, are going to spade up their lawns in front of their palatial city houses and plant them to such commonplace things as potatoes and onions, Mr. Quick says with much reason:

"It is foolish to urge plowing up lawns and tennis courts for vegetable gardens when fully 40 per cent of the arable land in the United States is uncultivated. This, says he, is like urging all the old ladies to knit sweaters while permitting scores of textile mills to remain idle. Production, says Quick, is held back and wise cultivation prohibited because of the enormous increase in land values due to the buying and holding of farm land as a speculation. 'The time is always opportune,' he says, 'for urging a federal tax on land values, and especially now when war revenues are to be raised. We ought to take in taxation some of these speculative values and incidentally force these lands into use. This would do more to help the food situation and answer the revenue question than anything else we possibly can do.'

"If a baby finds a cup of coal oil it will drink every drop of the nauseating stuff, but it requires an hour's work of mother, doctor and nurse to force a spoonful of sweet medicine down the same baby's goggle," laments Jim Lowry of the Honey Grove Signal. "A 14-year-old boy will work four hours the hottest day in summer cleaning off a baseball ground, but it requires two lickings to make him carry in a small load of stovewood. A woman will stand four hours with her feet encased in glove-fitting shoes and serve punch at a reception, who can't possibly stand up twenty minutes at the ironing board in carpet slippers. A man will sit on a beer keg for three hours and listen at a demagogic spiel on saving the country who couldn't stay awake one hour in church to save every soul in christendom. The world, however, is not without beautiful examples of consistency, faithfulness and common sense. Consider the birds, the dogs and the horses."

LEST WE ALL FORGET.

It has been said that if any suggestion be made often and strong in favor of doing a certain thing, that thing will soon materialize. The Record has tried this "suggestion" method on several needed improvements, and has experienced the satisfaction of seeing and enjoying most of them (of course we except the court house and \$2,000 Seth Thomas clock rotting in its cupalo).

Among the things for the public good we have continually suggested to materialization, may be mentioned town incorporation, a new passenger station, road bond issuance, municipal ownership of waterworks, the union tabernacle, safeguarding the life and limb by bannisters on the hill west of town, an auto fire truck, a city hall and fire station, the building of the St. James corner, and several other public improvements and utilities.

The bridge across Lone Wolf creek on Second street is the next thing on which we shall try the power of suggestion and importunate mention. Aside from its crazy situation and constant invitation to accident, the gills under the western end of it have become so rotten that the stability of the structure hangs almost upon hair trigger. Its angling relation to the street on both sides is an abiding menace to all vehicles. Several accidents have occurred by reason of its abnormality and as many more been narrowly averted.

The relation of the big telephone pole on the north side of the western end of the bridge, is out of kilter also. It has been run into and broken down once, by the necessity of making an abrupt and unnatural turn on leaving or entering upon the bridge from the town end of it. The present structure is entirely too narrow for the traffic passing over it day and night, while it is rapidly reaching a stage of overt danger to all who cross it.

It is quite likely that 60 per cent of the motor cars and other vehicles coming to Colorado, pass over this bridge, and its dilapidated condition can not be longer ignored without serious accident and probable damage suits against county or town.

As to just whose province the upkeep of this bridge belongs, seems to be a matter of uncertainty. Some hold that the city should stand the expense of its repair or replacing; others deem the county its proper custodian and owner. However this may be, the bridge should be rebuilt, and that soon. Some there are who suggest that the matter be prorated between city and county, and if the expense be too great for both, that a public subscription be taken to help out. The Record believes the last plan would be the easiest and quickest of accomplishment.

Another plan that has been suggested, and it seems to us feasible, that the money to build this bridge be borrowed from the banks, to be repaid from the first installment from the automobile tax. This tax will be levied by the state July 1, and the county will get half of it returned sometime in the early fall. This fund would be ample to pay for a first class viaduct, and the expense would be about equally distributed between city and county, probably the town would pay more of the tax than the people outside the town, but be that as it may, the money would belong to the county, and the law provides that it shall be spent on the roads—what better improvement could be made with it?

Rough estimates for a bridge, street wide, with long abutments and retaining walls on both sides, place the cost at between \$1,700 and \$1,800. This would give a permanent job, and the roadway on top the bridge could be worked just as any other part of the street. Considering the permanence of the work, the importance of the structure and security of life and safety of property, this is not an unreasonable sum. The Record has been requested by numbers of persons who come over this bridge to town, to keep the matter before the powers that ordain, and the paper would be glad to publish any communication on the subject that would tend to action.

SCARCITY OF FOOD.

Another condition, world-wide in this case, and which can not be shut out from the eye, is the scarcity of food. In our own country the prices of staple foods have gone so high that the man who makes fair wages in times of peace can not now daily have meat upon his table. Wheat commands a price of \$2.40 or more a bushel, a price hitherto unheard of. Potatoes and onions can not be bought as common everyday food for the table.

Now we are in a land of plenty. We have the most fruitful soil in all the world and there is no crop known to man which it will not produce. And yet, right here in Texas, we are being forced by the scarcity of food, to ration ourselves. Our crops have not been destroyed. They have been normal. As they have increased year by year, because of more land being placed in cultivation, so they increased last year, with, possibly, here and there, some special crop below normal. Stop and consider that for a moment. Stop and consider that we have had no serious disaster to our crops and yet the price of what we must have in the way of foods to live comfortably have gone so high that the average citizen has been forced into rationing himself and family.

It is hard to understand this. But the fact as written presents itself to all. The only explanation is that Europe has called on us to a hitherto unheard of extent; that her demands attended by her seductive prices have caused us to part with that which we should have kept. She sent us money and we sent her meat and bread. She had to have the latter, as her producing powers were greatly lessened. We got the fancy price—the money. But we can't eat money.

Locating the cause of the scarcity of food in this country to the draft on it by Europe, what is the prospect in the future? The demands of the war in that country and the stress of it has uniformed every able bodied producer of food as a soldier. Only the old, the very young, the weak and the woman are left in the fields, which are the commissary of the armies. The production in those fields will be less than last year, much less than the year before. The demand on us will increase as the supply lessens there. Without a change in present conditions—without our presence on the battlefields in Europe—the food question will become more and more serious. We can not and will not lay an embargo on the furnishing of food to France and England, our allies in this contest with Germany.—W. G. Sterrett in Dallas News.

GETS BIGGER EVERY DAY.

Hearing the detonation of hammer and rasp of saw in the back end of A. J. Herrington's Ford Depository this morning, we went in to see what new thing he was springing on the public in his business.

We found several carpenters and helpers just about finishing double-decking the big store room back of his office and filling it with auto tires. We hardly believed there were as many tires in West Texas as Herrington has in his establishment. He showed us the stock in "cold storage" and read us off the price of a few of them. He has some tires that cost \$62.16 for the casing, while the inner tubes cost \$10 each. But these are the extra size and quality. His stock of tires now is worth about \$7,500. He is looking for another car of

Fords this week, every one of which is sold and partly paid for. And Herrington will cheerfully tell you that the present status of his big business is due largely to advertising—to taking the public into his confidence and telling them as much about his business as he knows himself. Then, of course, he takes care of his business and gives every customer a "square deal."

His business in Case implements and Mitchell wagons is also showing the effects of judicious and continuous advertising. He knows he has the standard quality of goods, and is

not ashamed or afraid to put their merits to the test and investigations. The business Herrington has built up is its own best commentary. (Adv.)

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System. The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. See.

The boys in the trenches behind the plow are as mighty in war as those in the trenches behind the guns. Use less the latter without the former.



A Little Stick of WRIGLEY'S Makes the Whole World Kin!

No climate affects it for the package protects it. WRIGLEY'S goes to all parts of the world—in all seasons, to all classes.

Fresh, clean, wholesome and delicious always. It aids appetite and digestion, quenches thirst, keeps the teeth clean and breath sweet.



"JOY-RIDE" The Automatic Puncture Cure! "JOY-RIDE" is guaranteed to cure all punctures to the size of a twenty-penny spike, or money is refunded. Something NEW Sold in Colorado by J. B. ANNIS -I also have a full line of Genuine Leather Trunks and Suit Cases. J. B. ANNIS

...MY... Boot and Shoe Shop has been opened in the store of J. B. Annis, where I shall be glad to see and serve all my friends and former patrons. None But the Best of Materials and Workmanship I will have associated with me Mr. B. E. Johnson, one of the best repair men in West Texas. TOM PAYNE

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CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SCHOOLS ENTERTAINMENTS, PARTIES AND SOCIETY'S DOINGS

BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY— You will confer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department if you will 'phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item

THE CLUBS.

The Hesperian met with Miss Ruby McGill, with Mrs. M. K. Jackson as leader. The subject was Leaves of Grass, Whitman.

Roll call, current events. Whitman and the Critics—Mrs. Broadus.

Reading, O Captain, My Captain. Song of the Banner at Daybreak, Mrs. W. L. Doss.

What the Art Department of the General Federation is doing, Miss Dry. Art in the Ardmore Schools, Mrs. Merritt.

Table Talk.—Federation Gossip. Plans were made for quite a number to attend the district meeting which is to be held in Sweetwater next week. Ice cream, with whipped cream and cake were served at the social hour. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Whitmore.

Mrs. J. L. Doss was hostess for the Bayview, with Mrs. Arbuthnot. The lesson was: Current Events and Henry IV, Act II.

Mrs. Galbraith of South Carolina, and who lived in Colorado several years ago, was a welcome visitor. Ice cream and cake were served at the social hour. Mrs. Brennan is hostess this week, at Mrs. Henry Doss.

The Standard met with Mrs. Fowlkes at Mrs. Prude's. Roll call, Quotations from the Drama. Pippa Passes, Act III, evening, leader, Mrs. Smoot. History, The Liberation of Northern Italy, Cavoit, leader, Mrs. Riordan. Paper, Comparison of Pippa Passes with McBeth, Mrs. Prude. Social hour—Refreshments.

The Merry Wives met with Mrs. L. C. Dupree. After a number of games ice cream and cake were served.

BUSINESS SESSION. The M. E. Missionary Society met in business session at the church Monday afternoon. Besides the regular business Mrs. Leslie was appointed to go to the conference at Snyder as Mrs. Lambeth reported that she could not go.

MISSIONARY MEETING. The Baptist Missionary Society met with Mrs. Hooper last Thursday with Mrs. J. L. Shepherd leader. The subject for study was Foreign Missions, with a bible lesson on Missions. The seven countries in which the Southern Baptists have work, were studied about. They are China, Africa, Brazil, Japan, Mexico, and Argentina. The offering goes for Foreign Missions. At the social hour Mrs. White, mother of the hostess, was a welcome visitor. Salad, pickles sandwiches and coffee were served. The May meeting will be with Mrs. Greenwood.

DISTRICT SCHOLASTIC MEET

The District Interscholastic Track meet met at Sweetwater last Friday and Saturday. The district was well represented with entries for all contests and many enthusiastic friends accompanied them. Colorado was well represented, and won third place in tennis, while Miss Hallie Roddy won first place in the Senior girls' declaiming, and will go to Austin to enter the state contest. Those who went were, Supt. Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Spruill, Godfrey Spruill, Raymond Smith, J. G. Keathley, Joe Earnest, Misses Estelle Smith, teacher of expression; Jeannette Earnest, Halley Luddy, Fannie Bess Earnest, Carrie Mae Mitchell, Winnie Vaughan. Lottie Landers and Lottie Pritchett.

HONORING MRS. GALBRAITH

Monday afternoon Mrs. Shropshire entertained informally, a few of her friends, honoring Mrs. Galbraith of Waverly Mills, South Carolina, but who lived here for several years, Rev. Galbraith being rector of All Saints church for nine consecutive years. All brought their sewing and the time was spent in pleasant conversation. The hostess served an ice and cake. Those present were Mesdames Galbraith, Williams, J. C. Prude, J. L. Doss, R. H. Waldo, Lupton, Coleman, W. V. Johnson, G. W. Smith, Geo. Major, M. Carter, R. O. Pearson, J. W. Person, J. G. Merritt, Thomas Dawes, Misses Roe and Coleman.

WONDERFUL ATTRACTION COMING MAY 1

The Wright-Wagner Duo Company, of two most talented young women rendering an entertainment to please every one, big, little, old and young. The numbers given will consist of musical monologues, whistling solos, readings, guitar solos, character sketches, songs in costume, and child dialect. The Duo comes under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Association for the benefit of the school library.

This program will be given for the popular prices of 25c and 35c, which is a rare opportunity for Colorado, as the Shriners at Austin are charging \$1.00 a seat for this exact program. Reserve May 1 for the Duo and you will greatly help your school as well as contribute to your own pleasure by attending. Watch for further announcements.

HONORING MRS. EMMETT.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Barcroft entertained at 42, honoring Mrs. Robert Emmett of Fort Worth. Those attending were Mesdames W. L. Doss M. K. Jackson, J. L. Allen, L. E. Laster, S. D. Vaughan, Oscar Majors, D. C. Byrne and Mrs. Emmett. After a number of enjoyable games, peach ice cream and cake were served.

Go to Jo's market for the best of meats, chickens and fresh eggs.

B. Y. P. U.

On last Sunday afternoon the B. Y. P. U. of this place visited Westbrook and had charge of the program. The regular program, besides some special numbers were given. The crowd was composed of six automobile loads of people.

Take your chickens and eggs to Joe's Market for the highest market prices.

FREE SOUL KISS FACE CREAM

To every purchaser of a box of the famous SOUL KISS Face Powder, we will present, with our compliments, a full-size 50-cent jar of SOUL KISS Face Cream. This remarkable offer is made only for a short time, to acquaint you with the quality of SOUL KISS Toilet Requisites. Take advantage of it NOW! JNO. L. DOSS' Pharmacy

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A Brilliant and interesting Program in Character Costumes, expressing a wide range of Artistic Ability, Song, Music, Mirth and Tragedy.

ADMISSION - - Children 25c; Adults 35c

BOY SCOUTS ON HIKE.

The Boy Scouts were all excited last Friday. The cause being the long looked for hike. Immediately after school they met near the postoffice with rations and bedding, ready for the command to march, which was given by their honored Scout Master, Jno. W. Person and assistants, Edgar Majors and Will Smart. They went to the Earnest pasture and "pitched tent" for the night. They cooked their own meals and did as much as possible like real soldiers. Some of the boys said they did not sleep much, but had a big time all the same, and look forward to another trip of like kind.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS.

The Campfire Girls met with Mrs. Merritt last Saturday. After a lesson from "First Aid," they were invited into the kitchen and shown how to make Scotch scones. They were served with butter and tea for refreshments.

After the lesson, Mrs. Homer Nabors, one of their members who was recently married, was honored with a miscellaneous shower. Each member brought a gift which were arranged on a tray and presented to her by Mrs. Merritt, on behalf of the members. Miss Hazel Costin then gave a toast to the honoree.

Again on Tuesday night they met with Miss Ruby Schroder. After the lesson Mrs. Schroder showed them how to prepare bandages. Jessie Schroder and Lois Whipkey were received as new members. Ice cream and cake were served after work.

CONTINUOUS PREACHING.

There has been preaching at the Baptist church each night this week. On last Sunday morning and night Rev. W. O. Dean of Seymour preached. Monday night J. O. Heath of Lorraine filled the pulpit. Tuesday night Dr. Hanks of Abilene preached. On Thursday night Rev. E. E. Dawson of Abilene, editor of the Evangel, did the preaching, and on Friday and Saturday there will be discussions with preaching each night. Saturday afternoon will be devoted to woman's work, and several visiting ladies are expected.

WORKERS' CONFERENCE.

The Workers Conference met with Mrs. Leslie Crowder last Friday evening. A large number was in attendance. The lesson in greater efficiency was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Burkhardt. All on the program had parts assigned them. Mrs. Lee Jones was an appreciated guest. At the social hour light refreshments were served.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

You are cordially invited to attend all the services of the Presbyterian church. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. Young Peoples' Society at 7 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Every member of the church specially urged to attend every service. A loyal people makes a live church.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Subject:—The Frances Willard of Japan (Mrs. Yajima). Japan Before the Awakening in 1850—Mattie Conaway. The Awakening of Japan—Conrad Watson. Mrs. Yajima's Experience as a Teacher—Addie Watson. Mrs. Yajima as a Temperance Worker.—Daisy Adams. Questions—Mabel Smith. Summary—Yajima's Rule of Life.

EASTERN STAR MEETING

Mrs. Mabel Lee Eldridge of San Antonio, Texas, Worthy Matron of the Order Eastern Star of Texas, will visit the local chapter on Saturday night, April 28th. A full attendance of the membership is most earnestly requested by the officers.

Take your eggs to Pickens & Reeder's market for the highest cash prices.

Miss Pauline Payne has returned from her visit with relatives at Abilene.

Helen Holmes at the Opera House Friday.—5 and 10c.

Highest cash prices paid for fresh eggs at Pickens & Reeder's market.

The I. O. O. F. will duly celebrate their ninety-eighth anniversary this week.

MARRIED.

Mr. Boyd Dozier, of Colorado, and Miss Ruth Peebles were married last Sunday evening, Dr. John Collier officiating. Mr. Dozier is a popular young business man of Colorado and of an excellent family. Miss Ruth is the beautiful and popular daughter of Rev. H. M. Peebles, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Baird. The good wishes and congratulations of the many friends are extended to these excellent young people.—Baird Star of April 20.

PICNIC AT SEVEN WELLS.

At this time of year one of the first germs to be caught is the picnic germ, and as Tuesday was an ideal day for the enjoyment of an outing, a whole crowd had the symptoms at one and the same time. It took a trip, with ample nourishment, to Seven Wells to get it out of the system. This crowd was headed by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crowder with a following of Mr. and Mrs. Pickard, Mr. and Mrs. Beckner, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Crowder Mr. and Mrs. Price, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. John Fale, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, Mrs. Fayette Robinson and Mrs. Kelley of Sweetwater.

Y. W. A.

Miss Ruby Campbell was hostess for the Y. W. A. Tuesday afternoon. After the regular business and study period the hostess served ice cream and cake. Mrs. Bruce Phenix of Lorraine was a guest.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. Barcroft at the hotel parlors last week, in business session. As they are on the program at the Snyder meeting most of the time was spent preparing their numbers. A large number was in attendance and they are enthusiastic over the work. Peach ice cream and cake were served by the hostess. The social meeting next week will be with Miss Elnora Dulaney.

JAPANESE TEA.

The Daughters of the King gave a Japanese Tea at the home of Mrs. D. N. Arnett last Saturday. Mrs. Annis and Mrs. Merritt greeted the guests at the door and started the feeling for a pleasant time. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Costin presided over a fish pond which contained Japanese articles. Mrs. Arnett and Mrs. Cooksey led the guests to the dining room, which was appropriately decorated, where Misses Jewell Mitchell, Hazel Costin, Edna Morrow and Mrs. Homer Nabors served refreshments of sandwiches, wafers and tea. A very pleasant time was had, and their exchequer was increased to a gratifying extent.

A fresh shipment of Jacob's candies "made last night" at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

If you want the best kitchen cabinet that money can buy, get a Hoosier—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

PROGRAM PARENT-TEACHERS.

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet at the High school building on Wednesday, May 2, at 4 p. m. instead of Tuesday May 1, on account of the District meeting of Federated Clubs which meets at Sweetwater on that date. The following program will be given:

Roll call: Some methods of economizing in the home and school.

Extracts from President Wilson's speech to the People.—Mrs. Broadbent. Public Economy.—Judge Bullock.

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood... I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

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"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . . It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

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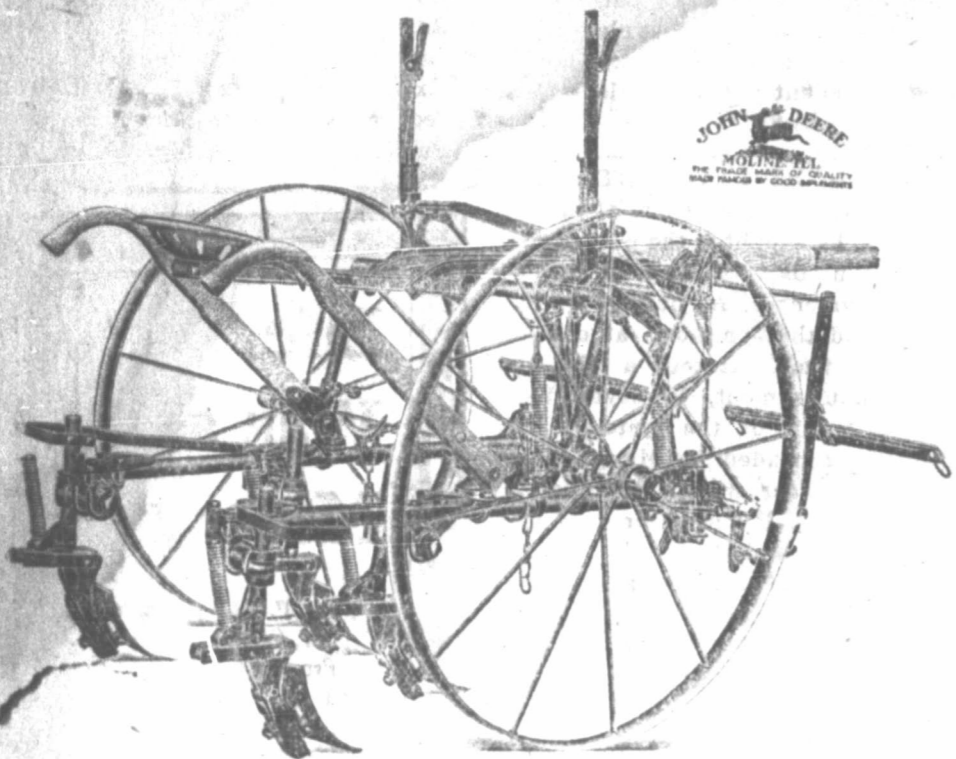
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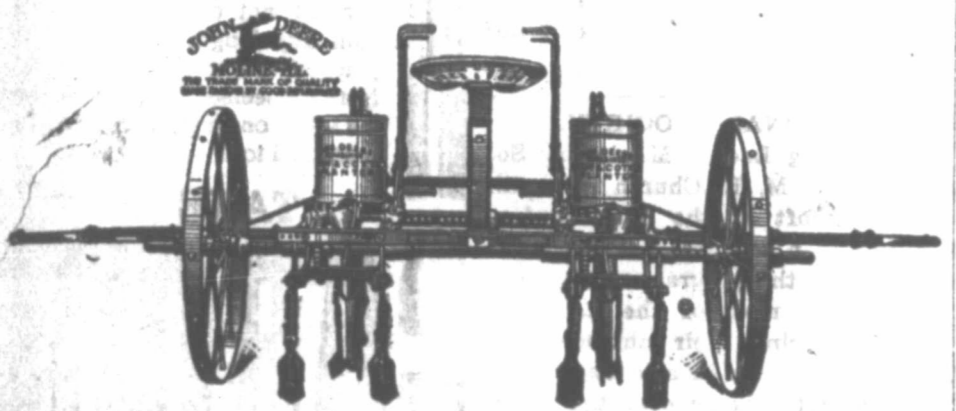
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THE JOHN DEERE PLANTER MAN

LORAIN LOCALS. Mesdames Toler and Rives and children attended the entertainment at the Christian church on Sunday evening which was given by the Junior Mission Band. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Aycock of Colorado were here Tuesday. Miss Bernice Terrell of Colorado visited Mrs. Mullin from Wednesday to Saturday. Misses Annie and Ethel Gregg closed their school at Conway on Friday and returned home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jarrett have moved to their farm at Champion. Mr. Charlie Bartlett of Rosage was here Wednesday. Mrs. Duran and children returned home in Oklahoma after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. ... Ladies Aid of the Cumberland ...

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of her daughter Mrs. W. C. Stevenson Mrs. Allie M. Erwin will occupy her residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Homer McRea. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Richards of Silver attended the chautauqua on Wednesday. Mr. Jim Evans of Maryneal was here this week and purchased a new Maxwell from Toler and Petty. Mr. W. R. Charters of Colorado was busy here Wednesday. Mr. Earl Jackson and Mrs. Avery of Colorado attended the chautauqua here Tuesday. Mr. J. E. Stowe and family of Colorado were here this week. Mrs. Joe Jackson will be hostess for the Philomath club Friday. Miss Fannie Cockreham of Colorado and Mr. White of Merkel were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson. Mrs. Chambers returned to her home at Bronte this week. Rev. C. E. Jameson, accompanied by Messrs D. C. McRea, J. M. Bruce, O. E. Stevenson and W. B. Wimberly left Thursday for Post City to attend district conference. Mr. Roy Erwin has accepted a position with the oil mill at Colorado. Loraine has had her first chautauqua here this week, held under canvas and directed by the Co-Operative Chautauqua Bureau. The series of entertainments furnished was of the very best and highly pleasing from first to last. All who attended were delighted and will welcome the coming of the next chautauqua. Mrs. M. B. Knott returned this week from Jacksonville where he spent the past several months and will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Winstead. Mrs. Chambers and son, and Mrs. A. M. Erwin and Miss Isophene Toler were Sunday guests in the R. E. Bennett home. Prof. J. S. Rives left Saturday night for Dallas accompanied by his daughter, Dorothy, whom he carried to the sanitarium for treatment. Dr. and Mrs. Henthorne motored over Monday evening and enjoyed one of the chautauqua programs. Mrs. M. C. Hollingsworth of Colorado visited with her daughter, Mrs. B. Toler and attended the chautauqua the earlier part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Chariston Brown visited relatives in Coleman from Friday to Sunday. Mr. Wm. Perkins of Lamesa was busy here the latter part of the week.

Prof. J. T. Elliott of Cisco visited here Saturday. Miss Gene Hall was over from Colorado, Saturday. Mrs. Payton Parker and daughter Misses Bettie and Dell, visited Mrs. L. C. Tatum of Roscoe Sunday. Rev. Jameson of El Paso visited his brother Rev. C. E. Jameson the earlier part of the week. Rev. W. D. Green of Abilene was here Saturday and held services at Baumann Sunday. Mrs. I. J. Pierce and children of Santo arrived this week and will make her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Homer McRea left Wednesday for Dallas where he has secured employment and they will reside. The six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miles who was carried to Abilene for an operation last week died on Friday and the remains were brought back and buried here in the city cemetery Saturday. Rev. C. E. Jameson conducted the funeral service. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Champion of Arizona visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gandy from the latter part of the week. Miss Grace Burrus is home from Cisco where she has been in school. Mrs. S. W. Altman and baby girl, left Tuesday night for Arlington where she will visit with Mrs. Altman for several weeks. Miss Jennie Hall of Colorado visited with relatives here this week before going to Wichita Falls to attend the trial of her brother-in-law for the killing of her sister. Miss Mann spent Sunday in Colorado with home folks. Miss Mary Pope visited in Sweetwater from Friday to Sunday and attended the track meet. Mr. M. D. Cranfill left Tuesday for Clairette. He was accompanied by his mother who visited here the past month. The W. M. S. are having the parsonage remodeled inside and have planned to put a new rug on one of the floors. Mrs. W. B. Wimberly will give a tacking party at her home on Friday evening to which every one is invited. An admittance fee of 10 cents will be charged and the proceeds be used on the parsonage. Mrs. Dunnahoo and Altman and children motored to Sweetwater to the track meet on Saturday. Mr. W. F. Altman has returned from Arlington where he has put in a stock of dry goods, and reports good business there. Messrs Tom and Charley Wade of Roscoe were busy here Friday.

Messrs Tom and Charley Wade of Roscoe were busy here Friday. CLIP THIS AND PIN ON WIFE'S DRESSER Cincinnati Man Tells How to Shrive Up Corns or Calluses So They Lift Off with Fingers. Ouch ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain. He says freezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezone tell him to order a small bottle for you. Adv. 2.

KING COUNTY ENJOYS UNIQUE DISTINCTION AUSTIN, Tex., April 23.—Checking up of the annual report of G. W. Moore of King County by the comptroller's department has disclosed that that county has no lawyers, doctors or Justices of Peace. It is the only county in Texas enjoying this unique distinction. In spite of the fact that King county is "wet" there are no saloons in its confines, and it has been 18 months since anyone occupied a cell in the county jail. No occupation taxes have been collected for several years, and during 1916 there were only 136 poll tax receipts issued and five exemptions. The population is 1,000 and there is one merchant in the county and he is rated as a millionaire. Just unloaded a full car load of unthreshed pea-green Alfalfa hay, the best on the market, and the best and cheapest feed. A. M. BELL, Westbrook, Texas. Get your spring millinery at Mrs. Mills, then you'll know its the latest and most stylish.

HAS NOW LAID HIS CRUTCHES ASIDE. Rheumatism And Kidney Trouble of Eight Years' Standing Have Disappeared, He Says.

"Yes sir, it's a fact, this time last month I was one of the sickest men you ever saw," said Frank Jinks, who lives on the Martin Mill pike, South Knoxville, Tenn., "And today I feel as well and strong as I ever felt in my life. "I have been suffering from kidney troubles for the past eight years and the pains in my back at times would almost kill me. When I had these spells, I would have to quit work. I have lost as high as three weeks at a time. I also suffered a great deal with rheumatism. About six weeks ago, I had it so bad I could not even put on my shoes. My suffering was terrible and once or twice it got so bad I cried. "The doctor seemed unable to give me any relief and his medicine seemed to tear my stomach all to pieces. You do not have to take my word for what I'm telling you—there are twenty people who knew of my condition who will tell you the same thing. My case has been the talk of the neighborhood, and everybody is praising the medicine. "Tanlac has done me so much good I hardly know how to praise it. Only two weeks after I began taking it I was able to lay my crutches aside and I can now walk as good as anybody. Only a few days ago I walked from the race track to the South Knoxville Macadam Company, a distance of about four miles. I am now back at work again and can go about as good as anybody. It has not only driven away the pains in my back and the rheumatism, but I feel well in every way. I simply can't get enough to eat and everything seems to agree with me. My strength has returned also, and I have gained ten pounds in weight. When I go to bed at night I sleep like a child—something I have not done for months. "If anyone doubts what you tell them about my case, just tell them to call new phone 1923-B and I will be more than glad to tell them about the wonderful benefit I have received from it. Tanlac is worth its weight in gold and I will always feel grateful for what it has done for me." Tanlac is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss, and in Lorain, by Garland & Elliott Adv.

KEEP YOURSELF UP TO SCRATCH. Fortify Your System before It is Weakened by Ills.

Don't wait until you are actually sick to take a laxative, you know "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." If you will just take LIV-VER-LAX regularly, it will keep you continually in the best possible shape, bright, energetic and happy. It is made of harmless vegetable matter, and by acting gently but effectively keeps the system cleared of poisons and ready to perform its best work. LIV-VER-LAX is sold under a positive guarantee to give satisfaction, or money will be returned. For sale in 50c and \$1 bottles at all drug stores.

Colorado and Mitchell county will do their "bit" in the food promotion campaign. Co-operating with the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, County Demonstrator Dulin, backed by all the auxiliary organizations of the county, both of boys and girls and farmers' institutes, will align every progressive farmer, his wife and his children with the great national phalanx that will march to victorious harvests the coming summer and fall. The fact is being pressed home to the farming interests of the nation by no less a person himself, than the president of these United States, that the production and transportation of an ample supply of food and feedstuff, is no less important a factor in the successful termination of the war on which it is now launched, than recruits for the firing lines and munitions for the guns? The nation is responding with a spontaneity in all sections that is a prophecy of an early and successful termination of the conflict.

Many of these half-way folks get by, but they never get far. There is always a premium in business on the man who does his work painstakingly, with completeness and finality; he is the man who will be trusted with more and more responsibility, up to the limit of his capacity. The man who informs himself adequately about his firm, its methods, its policies, and its products, who does his work so well that no one need follow him up to patch the ragged edges, is on the safest, surest, and shortest road to achievement.—J. Ogden Armour in Texaco Star. Charters & Sadler have it.

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BANKS GOBBLE UP FIRST \$200,000,000 WAR FUNDS.

Washington, April 22.—The first American offering in any form, \$200,000,000 in treasury certificates, has been heavily oversubscribed. How great the over-subscription, officials were unable to say last night, as many of the banks before which the offering had been placed informally by the federal reserve board, had not been heard from.

The certificates were offered only to financial institutions. The response, officials believe, presages a patriotic outpouring of funds unparalleled in the history of any nation when the \$5,000,000,000 issue is placed before the general public.

Offer of the certificates was made informally because the \$7,000,000,000 finance measure is not yet a law. As soon as it is disposed of by congress, probably by Wednesday of next week, the formal offer will be made, and proceeds of the subscription called for at once.

The informal offering the subscriptions has been before the banks for only three days. It was presented by the twelve reserve banks, which will act as the government's agents.

The certificates will bear 3 per cent interest and will mature June 30, the end of the current fiscal year. They may be used in lieu of cash in paying subscriptions to the big bond issue, and the date of their maturity indicates the belief on the part of officials that the \$5,000,000,000 bond issue will be floated by that time.

INSOMNIA.

Indigestion nearly always disturbs the sleep more or less, and is often the cause of insomnia. Eat a light supper with little if any meat, and no milk; also take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper, and see if you do not rest much better. Obtainable everywhere. Adv

GRAVE INTERNAL TROUBLES IN CENTRAL EMPIRES.

Pall of Silence Adds to Suspense—Revolutionary Feeling in Austria—Food Riots in Sweden.

London, April 23.—A pall of silence hangs over the Central Empire accentuating the reports of grave internal troubles.

There is evidence that the strikes in Germany are not over and that they are still of serious proportions. Reports coming from Berlin in regard to the strikes are very meagre and the belief is expressed here in some quarters that the disturbances have assumed great proportions.

There seems to be a revolutionary spirit in Austria.

In Sweden, meantime, remarkable violence for food demands is under way at Stockholm and unrebuked shouts elsewhere for the republic, furnishes food for thought.

MRS. CASTLE PLAYS THRILLING SCENES.

Mrs. Vernon Castle's ability as a swimmer was severely tested in several of the episodes of *Patria*, the fifth episode of which will be shown at the Opera House, Wednesday 25.

In one scene she is shown on the screen coming to the surface of the water, freeing herself from her bonds and tearing away the gag with which her screams were prevented. She is then shown deftly removing her shoes and stockings and heavier garments and swimming out of the picture.

In this chapter she escapes again from her foes by diving boldly into the Sound, and swimming under water to escape the bullets sent after her. She is finally rescued far from shore by a hydroplane, and a little later she is seen under way in the hydroplane skillfully manipulating a gun at a flying machine sent after her by her relentless enemies.—Fifth Episode, Opera House, Wednesday matinee and Night.

The many friends of J. V. Cunningham are glad that he has returned to Abilene to spend the balance of his days with us. Coming to Taylor county in 1878, and having served faithfully and well as sheriff for twenty-odd years, no man in the county has a greater number of friends than he.—Taylor County Times.

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WOMAN GIVEN 20 YEARS.

A verdict of twenty years in the penitentiary was returned last week by a Potter county jury against Mrs. Florence Reynolds of this city, charged with the killing of her husband east of this city last September.—Canyon City News.




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SOME SALARY THIS.

Washington, April 19.—Secretary Baker today announced the appointment of Frederick P. Keppel, dean of Columbia university, to be assistant secretary of war with an indefinite assignment of advertising and aiding the secretary with the nominal salary of \$1 per month.

Since the government has begun to build wooden ships, two of the largest shipbuilding yards of the nation are on the gulf of Mexico coast, one at Orange, Texas, and the other at Lake Charles, Louisiana. The yard at Orange has the distinction of turning out the first all wooden ship, a vessel of 2,800 tons and christened "The City of Houston." The yards hope to be able to turn out one ship complete each, per month.

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Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few week's use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv2

MARRIAGE WILL NOT EXEMPT FROM SERVICE

Washington, April 19.—Men of military age who have married since a state of war against Germany was declared, will not escape their obligation of military service under a war department policy formally announced today. The statement follows:

"The war department announces that all men married since the outbreak of war will be treated upon the same basis as unmarried men, in so far as their military obligations are concerned. It is desired that the utmost publicity be given to this announcement."

The department was moved to this action so all men might understand exactly what is contemplated in the organization of an army to fight Germany. It was desired that there should arise no question of "slackers."

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WESTBROOK ITEMS.

Quite a number from here attended the district track meet, which was held in Sweetwater, Friday and Saturday. Events in which Westbrook representatives won places were: First in the Senior boys' one mile relay. Those who took this race were Geo. Candler, Arland Clinton, Clint Myrick and Coit Butler. There were four teams represented in this event, viz: Roscoe of Nolan county; Clyde of Callahan; Breckenridge of Stephens, and Westbrook of Mitchell. The race was close between Breckenridge and Westbrook, but Westbrook won out at the final outcome. Other events which they entered were as follows:

Second in the 50 yard dash, won by Arland Clinton. Third in one mile run, Coit Butler. Third in 12-lb shot put, Curtis Smith. Third in broad jump, Buss Gressett. Third in 30 yard dash, Marie Cope. Fourth in high jump, Buss Gressett. Fourth in 100 yard dash, Buss Gressett. Fourth in 220 yard dash, Coit Butler.

Mrs. E. Hamilton and daughter Rabelle, were shopping in Colorado Tuesday.

Miss Ruby Green, of Colorado, spent the week end in Westbrook as the guest of Miss Elon McDonald.

Miss Thelma Hudson of Colorado spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

The program given at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon by the B. Y. P. U. of Colorado, was interesting and much appreciated by the people of Westbrook and yielded an inspiration to those interested in the young peoples' work.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Armstrong on the 19th, an eleven pound boy.

Mrs. P. M. Van Horn and little daughter left Sunday night for Christoval. Mr. and Mrs. Tillson entertained Friday night. A large crowd was present not only from Westbrook but a number from Cuthbert and Colorado motored over for the occasion. This entertainment was given complimentary to the school children as the closing feature of this year's work.

Miss Bernice Board of Loraine spent the week end with home folks.

Messrs Baldwin and Longbotham of Colorado spent a few hours in Westbrook Wednesday.

Miss Mary Parker stopped over for a few days with home folks this week while en route to Tehoka.

Mr. Griggs Butler of Abilene spent the week end with home folks.

Instead of observing Mother's Day on the second Sunday in May, Parents Day will be observed. A nice program is being prepared, and all the young people are asked to take part in the singing.

Miss Willie Mae Harper of Colorado was visiting in Westbrook last week as the guest of Miss Maja McKinney.

Miss Leonora Little entertained Saturday night, honoring Miss Ruby Green. Games and music were had

throughout the evening. Miss Ruby has a large circle of friends here who enjoyed having her in their midst again.

Hon. J. G. Camp of Atlanta, Ga., "The South's Most Finished Orator" lectured here Tuesday night on prohibition. It was the best lecture that has been given in our town in many years.

Mrs. Tina Little was visiting in Loraine Sunday.

Misses Inez Board, Bess Golden and Flo Hooper motored out to Womack Friday and visited the school of Miss Agnes Hooper.

Mr. J. T. Adams left Monday for the plains to be gone for quite a while.

J. E. Lasseter is on the sick list this week.

Miss Susie Leach was a Colorado visitor Tuesday.

Mr. J. H. Airhart is real sick at this writing with measles. There are a number of other cases in town.

Mr. T. Y. Pool was sick several days the last of the week.

FOR MALARIA.

Why everybody should take McCroskey's Tonic: It acts on the liver, kidneys, stomach, blood and spleen, and removes all forms of malaria. I have tried it for twenty-one years in the Mississippi and Arkansas River bottoms for chills and fever, and by taking a course of purgative medicine and then following with McCroskey's Tonic, I do not care if you are so full of malaria that you are all bloated and yellow as a pumpkin and green around the mouth and eyes, it will take out the bloot, clear the skin, and build you up. McCroskey's Tonic will reduce the spleen when everything else fails, and breaks the chills when calomel and quinine will not touch it. It is sold in Colorado by W. L. Doss. Adv 4-27

HIGH COST OF LIVING KNOCKING SLOP BUSINESS.

An old-time negro living east of the oil mill who has been in the hog business for several years, fattening his porkers from slop gathered from the hotels, restaurants and from private homes in the city, was asked a few days ago, by a Times reporter in regard to his business, when he replied: "Jes' sold my last hogs and am out ob de btziness for good, I guess, on account ob de high cost of prices."

Didn't know you bought feed for your hogs, Uncle George, thought you fed altogether on refuse from Abilene kitchens, we suggested.

"Yes sah, yes sah, dats been my feed for several years. But de white fokes has quit makin' slop or de eats it, one ob do two, as da done been quit puttin' it out for me since de hard times set in."

Here, Uncle George, with a melancholy look on his wrinkled brow turned and left us, muttering to himself, "Dat wah! dat wah!"—Taylor County Times.

Kreso Dip, good for cattle, horses and hogs. at Charters & Sadler's

Willys-Overland Motor Cars Experience Overland. Back of this season's new Overland Big Fours and Light Sixes are a direct line of nine preceding models from which they were developed. They directly continue the line of models that made the Overland name stand in the public mind for integrity of value. Overland policy has steadfastly sustained that integrity of value in the car throughout its entire service in the hands of owners. Over three hundred thousand of these cars are now in use and the helpful suggestions of their owners and of the more than four thousand dealer and factory-branch organizations that sold and served them, are largely responsible for the balanced greatness of this season's Big Fours and Light Sixes. Their new beauty, their perfected easy riding qualities, their proven sturdiness and mechanical excellence, their admitted tire, fuel and oil economy make them worthy of the confidence we enjoy, that they will still further enhance Overland prestige. They embody the wisdom of the unmatched Overland experience in building cars of this type. They are dominant values, cars of proven dependability and sterling worth. As long as we have them for delivery before May 1st, the prices are \$850 for the Big Four, \$985 for the Light Six—thereafter \$895 and \$1025. WINN & PAYNE Local Dealers. The Willys-Overland Company, Toledo, Ohio. Manufacturers of Willys-Knight and Overland Automobiles and Light Commercial Cars.

TEXACO CRATER COMPOUND The Great Gear Lubricant Makes Tractor Gears Last Longer. DURING plowing and seeding there's a cloud of dust around the gears all the time. Dust and sand get on the gear teeth, cause rapid wear—early replacements. CRATER COMPOUND on gears, chains and sprockets protects them even under these severe conditions. In spite of the dust and dirt this great lubricant sticks to the treated parts and protects them. It coats each and every tooth with lubricant and keeps them coated. It doesn't dry or flake off. Neither will it wash off nor melt. It just sticks and lubricates always. That's why CRATER-COMPOUND makes gears last longer—saves replacements and delays. Increases the profits on your tractor investment. Try a 25-lb. can of TEXACO CRATER COMPOUND. Call on Texaco dealer, or write our nearest office. There is a Texaco lubricant for every purpose. THE TEXAS COMPANY General Offices - Houston, Texas Dealers Everywhere

POULTRY DEPARTMENT

By J. W. Burkhardt

With the price of feed high and soaring higher daily the poultry man must use his wits to make ends meet. But a poor way to economize is to put the chicks on half rations. It will require less feed to develop a chick to two pounds by feeding it well than by half starving it. Besides it will come to the broiler size so much earlier the extra price will more than compensate for any imaginary saving in feed. The early chicks should by all means be rushed to the place where they are ready for the market and then sold, save only such as are sure to be needed as breeders another year. This will give extra room for the young chicks and also provide money to purchase more feed. Properly cared for chicks from well bred stock ought to weigh two pounds when from seven to ten weeks old. From my chicks hatched one month and four days ago, I just weighed one that tipped the scales at 15 ounces. These chicks have not been crowded as I am expecting to use most of them for breeders, they have simply been well cared for. Three to four pounds of feed will grow a chick to two pounds if properly cared for. So you can see even at 6c per pound for feed we can produce chicks at the present market price, providing we are careful about the little details and are able to prevent the losses that are so common. As to losses that are preventable a word might be said. If one is frequently visited by hawks or cats, or rats, the safe way is to provide wire runs for the chicks till they are out of danger. Then it is not hard to make war on a chicken-eating cat. That is one kind of war that never excites me much and into which I am always ready to go. Another thing that ought to be looked into as far as possible is the class of hens that are best known as drones. Every old hen that eats high priced feed but never lays an egg or only one now and then is a constant drain on your

bank account. Chickens are like folks. The best looking ones are not always the best workers. So when you go out to cull out the drones remember they are as apt as not to be the handsomest individuals in the flock. They may have bright red combs, well groomed feathers, and be quite gifted at singing, but when it comes to real work, they are not there. A hen will eat on the average about 75 pounds of feed a year. At 2 cents per pound she will consume \$2.25 per year. To pay for her board—she must work or go to the butcher.

And what about the rooster? Of course he will eat more than his wife and the inference is if you are through hatching get rid of all males. They are of no further use since hens lay better without the males and the eggs are always preferred when infertile. My suggestion is that no males be kept that are not valued as such as \$2.50 each since one will eat

that amount before you need him again. Besides you have him in the way all summer and run the risk of losing him from disease. Speaking of infertile eggs made me think of the statement I read in the last issue of the "Farm News." It is as follows: "Reports from 17 representative egg circles organized by the extension service of the A. & M. college, 1260 cases of infertile eggs sold co-operatively during the summer of 1916. These eggs netted the farm women an average of 7 1/2 cents a dozen above their local market prices." This was an increase of 49 per cent over the local markets. Does this sound interesting? Instead of getting 20 cents for your summer eggs, you might as well be getting 30 or 35 cents. Now such advantages come to all communities that are willing to get together and co-operate in the selling of eggs. Last week we asked that all interested in the organization of the poultry producers to the end that we have better markets and better shows, etc., write and tell us so. We have not been deluged with postal, not so much as one has come. It hardly seems possible that people who have already put their time and money into production of goods would be quite indifferent about finding a suitable market for the same. But such seems to be the case with our good friends and neighbors who are producing chickens and eggs. And yet these same folks, many times, will complain about how they have to pay the other fellow's price for what they buy and take whatever the other fellow sees fit to pay for what they have to sell. We will prick up our ears and listen once more.

TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED

Best For Liver and Bowels, Bad Breath, Bad Colds, Sour Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach. Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache. Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

Get a Sturgis Co-Cart and own the best for both wear and comfort—H. I. Hutchinson & Co.

The boys in the trenches behind the plow are as mighty in war as those in the trenches behind the guns. Use less the latter without the former. Pickens & Reeder pay the highest cash prices for your eggs.

CHICAGO SALOONS MAY BE CLOSED.

Chicago, April 22.—A possibility that Mayor Thompson may recommend to the city council that all Chicago saloons be closed as a war measure or that the sale of liquor be limited to certain hours in the day, was intimated at a conference between the mayor and Samuel Ettleson, corporation counsel, today.

SAFE MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN

"Is it safe?" is the first question to be considered when buying cough medicine for children. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has long been a favorite with mothers of young children as it contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. It is pleasant to take, too, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. This remedy is most effective in relieving coughs, colds and croup. Obtainable everywhere. Adv

Has just arrived at Charters & Sadler's.—TANLAC.

Take your chickens and fresh eggs to Joe's market and get top prices.

Editor Tells How D. D. D. Cured His Eczema

Clergyman and Banker Also Write

H. G. Hotchkiss, Editor Echo, Prophetstown, Ill.: Remember mine was eczema of fifteen years' standing. Now I am completely healed, after 4 bottles of D. D. D. I have seen a case of 25 years' standing cured. I have seen my own doctor cure of barber's itch, which he could not cure himself. F. B. Fear, Banker, Hopkinton, Ia.: I treated with three doctors for six months. They did me no good: my face and scalp were full of the disease. I applied D. D. D. Result—my face is as smooth as a baby's. Rev. L. J. Downing, Pastor 5th Av. Presbyterian Church, Rockville, Va.: For three years I suffered intensely so. I have at last found relief in D. D. D. I am no longer tortured—completely cured. I have no hesitancy in acknowledging the great virtues of this specific. Druggists are glad to recommend this soothing, cooling liquid. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Come to us and we will tell you more about this remarkable remedy. Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. Soap keeps your skin healthy. Ask about it. At W. L. Doss' Drug Store.

One Fly Swatted Now Means the Prevention of a Billion in June

AN ounce of PREVENTION now is worth a Simple-ton of Swatting later on. The following statistics are from the observations of experts: The female fly lays about 600 eggs during her lifetime. She lays four batches of about 120 to 150 each. Allowing 50 per cent of the eggs to hatch, we have this progression:

APRIL 1—1 fly	600 eggs
APRIL 15—300 male flies; 300 female flies	180,000 eggs
MAY 1—90,000 male flies; 90,000 female flies	54,000,000 eggs
MAY 15—27,000,000 male flies; 27,000,000 female flies	16,200,000,000 eggs

A fly egg takes less than twentyfour hours to hatch and the flies reach maturity in less than ten days. The United States government declares, however, that "a single fly at the end of the ninth generation may reach the number of 1,953,000,000 female flies, to say nothing of the male flies."

The time to keep down the fly nuisance is before they become a nuisance—prevent them by using **DISINFECTANT LIME**, a preparation harmless to all else, that can be sprinkled anywhere, at any time, odorless, sure in its work. **DISINFECTANT LIME** not only kills the eggs of flies and other vermin, but makes pure and wholesome cellars, sinks, cesspools and other noxious places. It is prompt and sure in its work, and of the greatest prophylactic value during the hot summer months. Typhoid fever germs can not exist in the presence of Disinfectant Lime. For sale by

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See our new woollens and be measured TODAY!

J. H. Greene & Co

LOCAL HAPPENINGS and PERSONAL MENTION

We have just added to our many lines the Patton Sun Proof line of Paints and Varnishes, also floor stains. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Nujol, something new at Charters & Sadler.

Mrs. Anna Simon left Monday night for Dallas, where she goes for special medical treatment.

Joe's Market pays the top figures for fresh eggs and chickens.

Misses Zaidie Mae and Johnnie Bills of Gail, who are attending school here, spent the week end with home folks. They were accompanied by Misses Geneva Holt and Mattie Conaway.

Don't fail to see us when in need of anything in the furniture line.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

It will cost just \$1.00—TANLAC. At Charters & Sadler's.

Mrs. A. J. Coe and Mr. Sam Majors motored to Abilene Saturday for Mrs. Majors and little daughter, Elsie Lee, who have been visiting relatives there.

Let us show you the beautiful new spring millinery we have in stock.—Mrs. B. F. Mills.

Mrs. C. H. Earnest returned from a few days visit in Dallas, Monday.

Mrs. George Robertson, son Pink, and daughter, Mrs. John Marshall of Bauman, visited her sister Mrs. DeGarmo, this week.

John L. Doss' Pharmacy carries the finest line of toilet articles in the city. See them before you buy.

1884—Jakes. Still here—1916.

Mrs. Girvin and baby of Garvin are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pritchett.

W. L. Doss has a fine line of jewelry and at Drug Store prices, not at Jewelers' prices.

Kreso Dip, good for cattle, horses and hogs, at Charters & Sadler's.

Mrs. Girvin and baby of Girvin are home, both their schools being out.

W. L. Doss keeps all kinds of window glass. He cuts it to size.

Shaw Bros' ice cream is the best made anywhere. Dispensed in Colorado at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Claude Mitchell left Monday for Abilene, where he will work for the season.

If wanting the Best Ice Cream go to W. L. Doss' and say Alta Vista.

Highest cash prices paid for chickens and eggs at Joe's market.

Mr. Geo. G. Thornton, the new manager of the West Texas Electric Company, and his wife, are now citizens of Colorado.

Spring hats, spring ribbons, spring flowers and millinery at Mrs. Mills.

Alta Vista Ice Cream is the best made. W. L. Doss handles it in Colorado.

On last Saturday night there were nine young men left Colorado for enlistment in the army and navy. They were all husky full grown men thoroughly alive to the importance and seriousness of the step they were taking. Only two or three have so far been rejected by reason of physical disability.

O Cedar Mops and Oil will make your house cleaning easier for you. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

You can see "Jerry" at the opera house every Saturday.

Mrs. Ed J. Hamner honored her daughter, Mrs. Stanton Hamner's guests, Misses Lois Prude and Miss Gladys Sedwick of Albany with a beautiful five course luncheon and matinee party Thursday afternoon. Those present with honor guests were Miss Mae Snell, Mmes. Sam Sorenson, Paul Sorenson, Boren, Herman Harp and Margaret Hamner.—Sweetwater Cor. to Ft. Worth Sunday Record.

Plenty of Corn, Bran, and Chops on hand.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Fish and Oysters served any style at Jake's.

Mrs. Burns left Monday for Dallas to join Mrs. Looney, who has been at Mineral Wells for some weeks, and they will motor home from there.

Pickens & Reeder want your fresh eggs. Highest cash prices paid for them.

Help the public school library by attending the Wagner-Wright Duo at the school auditorium, May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLeroy of Cuthbert visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cox, Monday.

Complete line of fishing tackle—everything needed by the perfect angler at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Robert Smith, who has been here since the death of his father, J. W. Smith, returned to his work at El Paso with the Rogers Furniture Company, Wednesday night. Of course he had the Record follow him.

You can get Pope's Cold Compound at Charters & Sadler.

Make your porch beautiful this summer with hanging baskets and porch boxes. Mrs. J. W. Smith at Colorado Green House has them in great variety.

WINDMILL REPAIRING.

Phone 334 about your windmill troubles. We will come at once and guarantee our work. New mills erected. Mills repaired and wells cleaned out.—Phone 334—Beard & Brunlow, Colorado. 5-11p

The Lasker building next the alley on the west end of that block has been put in repair by being replastered, painted, etc., and will be outfitted by Sol Robinson as a first class pool and billiard parlor. Sol proposes to run a place of entertainment absolutely free from all usually objectionable features that attach to such places—clean, open as the day, quiet and orderly.

Joe's market buys and kills only the best that can be found on the market. Your patronage is appreciated and the best efforts made to please.

Ben Morgan believes in keeping up with the procession and is usually to be found just behind the band wagon of progress and business acumen. His latest addition to his public service automatic utilities, is an electric popcorn and peanut roasting machine. It comes as nearly doing the work with human intelligence as mere machinery can be made to do. The machine was installed last Saturday and attracted a great deal of attention as well as business.

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The stockholders of the Colorado, Texas, State Bonded Warehouse will meet on Saturday, April 28th, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve during the ensuing year.

J. M. HELTON, Pres.
H. E. GRANTLAND, Sec.

REV. AND MRS. J. E. H. GALBRAITH HERE.

Rev. Dr. J. E. H. Galbraith and wife of Waverly Mills, South Carolina, were visitors to Colorado last week. Dr. Galbraith was for several years rector of the All Saints Episcopal church at this place and greatly endeared himself to the people of this Parish, as well as to the people of all other communications. Dr. Galbraith is a profound student, a graduate of King's College, Dublin, Ireland, than which there is no higher institution of learning in the United Kingdom.

Dr. Galbraith informs us that his eldest son, Richard, is now teaching in a leading educational institution in Massachusetts, and knowing Richard as the Record does, when a pupil in the Colorado schools, it is no guess to predict high honors and honorable position for him in his chosen profession.

Dr. Galbraith gets the Colorado Record regularly in his South Carolina home, and complimented it by saying that he enjoyed reading it every week—not only by reason of the Colorado news it conveyed, but for its utterances and positions on many questions.

Judge W. R. Smith stopped over last Saturday en route from Washington to his home in El Paso. He had remained on the ground at the national capital until his confirmation as special judge for the western district. All Judge Smith's friends congratulate him upon securing this honorable position, which carries as good salary as congressman and has a life-tenure. He is eminently fitted both by temperament and experience for the work, and the Record predicts he will make a brilliant record in his new position.

Flies Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAGO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Eyes in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 5c.

Brother H. F. Smith (the marrying parson) had much to say on last Monday about the "great day" at Shepherd on the previous Sunday. Until we learned from other sources that Mrs. Smith had accompanied him and taken a leading part in all the services did we completely understand the cause of it all. There's many a so-called self-made man, who is in reality only a "wife-made" man, and Parson Smith is one of the shining examples of the latter class.

Had you thought of having all your clothes washed and ironed by the steam laundry? If you have not please give it some serious thought. It has many points to recommend it. It is best for the clothes, best for you and best for economy. We are pleasing some of our town's most fastidious families—give us a chance to please you.—The Laundry.

SACRED HARP SINGING.

Will be held at Zion's Rest church, nine miles northeast of Colorado and seven miles north of Lorraine, on the fifth Sunday in April. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

IN RE FIRE PLUG.

Several inquiries have been made of the Record as to the status of the movement to provide fire protection for the public school buildings, which was set afoot last winter.

Inquiry of the secretary of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce elicits the information that about \$300 of the estimated cost, which was placed at \$700, has been secured by private subscription. The Colorado Chamber of Commerce undertakes to finance the balance, and has ordered the necessary pipe, etc., for the work, while the city of Colorado agrees to do the work of laying the pipe, making connection and installing hydrants.

The material has been ordered for some time, and on its arrival work will begin on laying the pipe and installing the hydrants.

SEED FOR SALE.

Mexican June corn, handpicked and nubbed, 5c per pound; 4c if picked and shelled by buyer. A few bushels of bread corn, also maize, hand picked and floated at 5c per lb. Phone 349-2long-2short, or see W. H. Bodine. 5-4p

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The Home of Little Necessary Things

Mrs. Kelley of Sweetwater is the guest of Mrs. Allan Soper.

Attend the Wagner-Wright Duo at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening, May 1.

Mr. Homer Scott of Abilene was the guest of Mr. Herman Griffith Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. B. F. Mills is headquarters for the very latest and most approved creations in all lines of millinery.

Mrs. Bruce Phenix of Lorraine visited relatives here Tuesday.

Our stock of Poultry Wire Netting is complete and the price is right.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Miss Ethel Mann, teacher at Lorraine, spent Sunday with home folks.

The latest shades in fashionable stationery at John L. Doss' Pharmacy

Henry George and family are visiting his father at Baumann this week.

W. L. Doss makes a specialty of all sizes and qualities of window glass. See him.

Horace cook and family of Barnett were Colorado visitors Tuesday.

Charley Cheshire, who was operated on for appendicitis on the 11th instant by Drs. Ratliff & Ratliff, was taken home last Saturday fully recovered.

Prompt service and the best the market affords always to be had at Joe's market.

Mr. John W. Moorar is fast recovering his strength and former health. He is now able to walk about the yard and enjoys company.

Price the carbon handled by John L. Doss before buying elsewhere.

Shaw Bros' celebrated ice cream dispensed at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Mr. W. F. Hughes was taken rather suddenly ill last Sunday and his condition for two days was regarded as very serious. His daughter, Mrs. Dick Arnett Jr., was wired for and is now here. We are glad to be able to state that his condition has very much improved and he is now regarded as out of danger.

Joe Beck pays the highest prices in cash for chickens and eggs.

Beautiful line of box paper just received at John L. Doss' Pharmacy.

Miss Josie Moody of Sweetwater was the guest of Miss Omiedel Payne last week.

Helen Holmes in the Diamond Raiders at opera house Friday—5 & 10c.

Mrs. Jarman was called to Kelley this week to the bedside of her brother who is quite ill.

We have just the color of floor stain that you want for your floors.—H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carter of Sweetwater are the guests of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Allen.

Mutual Star Features every Friday at the Opera house.

TO THE SINGERS OF MITCHELL COUNTY.

Inasmuch as the price of all kinds of food products has soared so high, and realizing that the following request will distribute the burden of feeding the people who will attend the Mitchell County Singing Convention at Colorado, Sunday, May 6th, in such a way and among so many people that it will not be hard on anyone.

The people of Colorado request that all who come or who sent representatives, provide and send a WELL FILLED BASKET. This applies to the people living in Colorado and other towns of Mitchell County, as well as to those who live in the rural districts. The committee will furnish an abundance of ice water and the table on which to serve whatever may be brought.

The business session of the convention will be held on Saturday night, May 5th. Ample accommodations will be provided all who come in on Saturday to attend this business session.

(Signed)
COMMITTEE.

Nuxated Iron, ask for it at Charters & Sadler.

Just unloaded a full car load of unthreshed pea-green Alfalfa hay, the best on the market, and the best and cheapest feed. A. M. BELL, Westbrook, Texas.

Misses Ruby and Hattie Conaway and Fannie Reese will leave Friday morning for Abilene to attend the piano recital given by Miss Cecil Conaway Friday evening.

Get your TANLAC at W. L. Doss' Exclusive agency.

J. E. Stowe returned this week from Corpus Christi, where he went after his daughter, who had been in school there.

Plenty of Corn, Bran, and Chops on hand.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Helen Holmes Friday, opera house regular price—5 and 10c.

Mrs. Looney, Miss Looney and Mrs. Burns returned in their car from Dallas Wednesday. They reached Colorado at six o'clock.

Nuxated Iron, ask for it at Charters & Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Doss will attend the M. E. Conference at Post next Sunday.

Jim Smith came in from Thurber Tuesday night to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Mrs. Wilson and son of Mangum, Oklahoma, are here on a visit to her sister, Miss Neally Mills.

Rev. Peebles of Baird visited his daughter, Mrs. Boyd Dozier Thursday.

News comes from Fort Worth that Mrs. Obie Avery who underwent an operation last week is now considered out of danger. Mrs. Earl Jackson is still with her.

If its TANLAC you want Charters & Sadler have it.

It is better to be safe than to be sorry. Better get your State Life Policy while you are insurable, then you will have no occasion to be sorry. M. K. Jackson, General Agent.

Judge and Mrs. Adamson of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall of Sweetwater, were here on Sunday last, the guests of Capt. and Mrs. Q. D. Hall.

Plenty of Corn, Bran, and Chops on hand.—A. M. Bell, Westbrook.

Mrs. D. C. Byrne went to Stanton last week on account of the illness of her little grandson, Bruce, who is there in school.

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General Agent
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Home Economy

We have in mind an economic thought which we believe, if properly carried out, will prove a blessing as well as a benefit to our country as well as the entire world. As a request on our part and an effort from you, we name you an estimate of the number of householders in our Lorraine territory, our Colorado territory and our Roscoe territory as follows:

Colorado territory	600
Lorraine territory	400
Roscoe Territory	500
Making a total of	1500

Now then we would suggest that each of these 1500 householders, during the next sixty days, make a special effort in hatching off 100 chickens to each family. If all would co-operate in doing this, the total number of chickens hatched would be 150,000. Making an average estimate of four pounds to each chicken this fall, the total in pounds would be 600,000. Basing an estimate on the present market value of 18c per pound, by fall these chickens would bring \$108,000.00.

The question will be asked by some of the householders, "How are we to feed these chickens?" We offer the following suggestions:

Every farmer should fix a suitable place on his planter or cultivator to carry his gun with him every day he is on the farm, in order that he will be prepared to kill every rabbit he comes in contact with each day, with a view of killing the rabbits for his chickens and hogs. One rabbit per day we would think would be ample for 50 to 75 hens or for as many smaller chickens. We also consider one rabbit per day would be ample feed for a hog. Considering the thought of saving other expensive feed and ridding your farm and community of the rabbits, which you have no idea of how much destruction to growing crops they can do each year, the thought is, you grow the food for the rabbits, and then utilize the rabbits to feed your hogs and fowls.

We know the nature of chickens and hogs, and that as a rule they thrive on meats, bugs, worms, insects, etc. We would suggest to the householder to feed this rabbit meat cooked or raw, chopped or mixed with scraps of feed, that is, changing the diet in various ways. We believe that this will beat any rabbit drive and will enable you to use same as your chickens and hogs demand it.

The days of economy are now upon us. We believe this to be a thoroughly practical plan and a saving to you in many ways, as we fully realize the stern necessity of times and conditions that force us to grow what we eat and wear at home and to conserve our food and clothing. Put into effect every thought on economy and confine your wants to what you grow at home, and manage to stay out of debt.

Your friend and well wisher in every plan for economy.

W. L. Edmondson & Co.

LORAINÉ COLORADO ROSCOE