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CLARK DRILLING ENGINE INSTALLED BY RENO-TEX

A Clark drilling engine has been installed at Conway No. 1 by the Reno-Tex Company. This is a new type of engine to be used in oil fields and if proven satisfactory the company will use the engine to drill the first test on the M. Phelan tract. The engine is of the oil burning, combustion type.

Drilling was resumed at Conway Wednesday, S. A. Sloan, manager of the company, stated. This well was drilled to 3,000 feet last year when operations were temporarily suspended on account of water short age. Sloan stated Tuesday that the rains last week failed to put out any water near the well.

TWO MORE TEST WELLS.

H. H. Enders of Boston, president of the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association arrived Thursday to watch developments in connection with Enders-Cushing well No. 1 on the Cushing ranch, twenty miles southeast of Big Spring.

This well is now drilling in a lime formation similar to that encountered in the Underwriters wells in Mitchell County and it would not be surprising to see it come in a producer soon.

The water has been cased off and every precaution taken to bring it in right when pay oil is encountered.

Mr. Enders is going to be a busy man during his stay here in addition to keeping a close watch on Enders-Cushing No. 1, he will also purchase tools necessary to spud in Sparkman well No. 1, three miles southeast of Enders-Cushing No. 1 and get ready to start McIntyre No. 1 on a 20,000 acre lease in Sterling County. McIntyre No. 1 will be located about 12 miles northwest of Sterling City and 2 miles north of the ranch home of Geo. McIntyre. Timber for the derrick is on the ground and geologists state the structure at this location is exceptionally favorable for oil.—Big Spring Herald.

WEST TEXAS EXHIBITS TAKE VALUABLE PRIZES

The judges at the Southwestern Exposition, Fort Worth, awarded the first prize for the best general agricultural exhibit, and represents the largest single premium earnings ever made in Texas for an agricultural exhibit.

Every loyal West Texan ought to feel gratified at the extraordinary fine showing by West Texas at the Southwestern Exposition, and also should be glad to congratulate Fort Worth upon the marvellous showing made there this year in the enlarged and expanded Southwestern Exposition. It was indeed a real fair in every sense of the word.

Total fair prize winnings of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the past six months are:

- Cotton Palace (Waco), \$1,200;
 - South Texas Fair (Houston), \$300;
 - Southwestern Exposition Ft. Worth, \$1,500; West Texas Fair (Abilene), \$400.
- No group prizes were awarded at the Dallas State Fair and the exhibit was not allowed to compete with Louisiana products at the Louisiana State Fair at Shreveport.

INTERSCHOLASTIC TRACK MEET MITCHELL COUNTY

The Mitchell County interscholastic meet was held at Loraine last Friday and Saturday. The literary events were held Friday and the field events Saturday. Colorado was well represented and carried off her share of the honors. The senior girls declamation was won by Fae Thompson and the juniors by Elizabeth Terrell. The junior and senior boys were both won by Loraine. Loraine also won in the debating contest. Colorado won in the essay contest. Mildred Cook of Colorado carried off the honors in the junior spelling. The senior spelling was a tie between Loraine and Colorado.

C. H. TRACK TEAM TAKES HONORS AT MEET

In this year's county meet the Colorado track team reversed the usual procedure of Mitchell County track meet by walking away with the happy end of the score. The individual high point winner of the meet was J. T. Gist of Colorado, who won a total of 17 points for old Colorado High. T. B. Cowan, Jr., was next with a total of 13 points, and Huron and Morgan Gist tied for third place having a total of 10 points each. The three Gists are brothers and are making a record which will outshine that of the much famed Coffees of Loraine.

The following is the list of events in the Senior Boys division showing places and points won by Colorado boys.

Event	Place won	Points
100 yard dash—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	10
50 yard dash—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	7
220 yard dash—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	8
440 yard run—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	10
880 yard run—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	8
1 Mile run—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	7
1 Mile relay—1st place	1st	5
Shot put—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	8
Standing brd. jump—1st, 2nd, 3rd	1st, 2nd, 3rd	10
High jump—4th	4th	1
Pole vault—4th	4th	1
Total points		75

The Gist boys took 37 of the total of 75 points won by Colorado in track.

Colorado's tennis teams met very little opposition and the match was a walk away from start to finish. Colorado took boys and girls doubles and singles, making a total of 40 points on tennis.

In the literary events the local high school won 70 points, making a grand total of 185 points for the meet.

This is by far the best showing Colorado has made in a County meet and we are proud of her boys and girls. The track team goes to Big Spring Saturday for a meet with the Big Spring track team. The boys are working hard and the coach says that he will take a full team to the district meet at Abilene in April.

REVIVAL MEETING BEGINS SUNDAY AT M. E. SHURCH

A revival meeting to be conducted by Evangelist D. L. Cole of Los Angeles, California, will begin at the Methodist church Sunday. The services are to continue for two weeks.

Read the classified department.

MORRISON IMPROVING; TEN CARS OIL BE SHIPPED

The Morrison well is expected to blow in a gusher any time, according to local oil men who are watching closely the daily performances of the well. The flows continue to last longer and to be recorded more frequently from week to week, and in every respect the well is acting exactly as did the Rogers well at Mexia, the discovery well in that field.

Tuesday afternoon the well flowed continuously for several hours, and now all available storage, 2,500 barrels is full. Some 500 barrels are being wasted every week from overflows.

C. L. Lockhart of El Paso, manager of the Rio Grande Oil Co., has been here during the past week directing the work of the company pipe line from the field to Westbrook. The line was completed today and oil will be turned into the first pipe line in Mitchell County this afternoon. Ten tank cars arrived from El Paso Thursday and these are being loaded with production from the Underwriters wells.

Lockhart stated Tuesday that the prediction of his company was that the Mitchell County field was destined to become one of the largest oil fields in the southwest. He has been a frequent visitor to the field during the past four or five weeks and recently contracted for the entire production of the Underwriters for his refinery at El Paso, among the largest in the country.

"If my company did not have every reason to believe that this was to become one of the big fields in the Southwest, we most certainly would not come here and make an initial investment of \$15,000 in laying pipe line to handle production," Lockhart stated. "And this initial expenditure is but the beginning. It is only a matter of time until millions of dollars will be invested in production, pipe lines, refineries and other kindred industries here."

During the week no less than a score of prominent operators have announced their intention of locating at Colorado. These men, some of whom are old line company representatives, and others independent operators, represent millions of capital and several have acreage in the field.

Another party to visit the field Wednesday and Thursday was headed by Morgan Jones of Abilene, president of the Abilene Southern Railway. With Mr. Jones were Geo. Paxton, president of the Citizens National Bank, Abilene; W. G. Swenson, Abilene capitalist; and J. E. Stowe, Abilene automobile dealer. The party was met at Colorado by J. L. Jones of Rule, and together they visited the Morrison well and were driven over the county, going as far as Vincent to the northwest.

Stowe stated that the Abilene party were here for the purpose of investing capital in the field, and that the contemplated investments would be developed.

At Iatan the Colorado-Tex Company report Foster No. 1 showing up splendid since being recently cleaned. The hole is reported to now be free of water and production is expected to increase when the well is again placed on the pump.

Use Brick

Roads and streets paved with Vitrified brick will not wear out. Write Thurber Brick Co., Ft. Worth, Texas.

GENERAL OIL COMPANY TO BE REORGANIZED

The outlook for operations to be started on a big scale in the Big Spring section is foreshadowed by the announcement that district judge Walter E. Monteith of Houston has granted permission for the re-organization of the General Oil Company.

In a lengthy decree, signed March 22, Judge Monteith granted permission for the re-organization and the changing from the name of the General Oil Company to that of the General Petroleum Company with \$1,000,000 per value preferred stock and 1,000,000 shares of common stock of no par value.

Phone O. Lambeth, 346 for feed.

EARLY HISTORY OF LIFE IN WESTERN TEXAS

John Chism, the Cattle King, and "Billy The Kid," Outlaw, Were Noted Characters.

These two noted characters made Lincoln county, New Mexico, famous wherever the English language is spoken.

In the beginning of the '70's following the civil war, John S. Chism, from Central Texas, stocked the Pecos Valley with long horn cattle bought for a few dollars a head in the Lone Star state.

These cattle were driven in bands of three or four thousand head across the Staked Plains of Texas, known as the Llano Estacado, to the Horse-head crossing of the Pecos river, thence up that stream into Lincoln County, New Mexico, one of the largest counties in the whole United States, it being about two hundred miles square.

Now the far-seeing cattle king of New Mexico chose as his "Jingle-bob" cattle range two hundred miles along the Pecos river, with a space of twenty-five miles on each side of the stream, his range extending from the "New Mexico line on the south of Fort Sumner on the north.

By the year 1881 this vast free range contained about 60,000 "Jingle bob" cattle. They were known as "Jingle-bobs" from the fact that each animal was marked with a "Jingle-bob" in front of the brisket, a chunk of the dewlap being slashed downward, leaving a dangling piece of flesh and hide.

The "Jingle-bob" headquarters ranch was established on South Spring river, a tributary of the Pecos, five miles south of where the city of Roswell now stands, the distance being about half way between the south line of the range and Ft. Sumner, then a government post.

At that time Lincoln county was only inhabited by a Mexican population in the mountain districts, nearly a hundred miles to the westward and northward.

It was a risky undertaking for John Chism to drive these large herds across the Staked Plains, over one hundred miles between permanent watering places.

These plains derived their name from the fact that government troops had crossed them to the Pecos river, and stuck up stakes so they could find their way back. These soldiers came very near perishing for lack of water. On reaching the Pecos many of their horses died from drinking too much of the alkali water of the Pecos river.

This crossing derived its name, "Horse-head Crossing," on account of the many horses' heads and carcasses around.

Up to 1876, John S. Chism was "big chief" of this big "Jingle-bob" range. During that year small ranchmen and cattle rustlers began to encroach on the Chism range, by taking up choice watering places along the foot of the Captain and Guadalupe mountains, to the westward. Many of Chism's cattle were stolen. This brought on a cattle war, which terminated in what was known as the "bloody Lincoln County war."

One of the main actors in this bloody local war was William H. Bonney, known as "Billy the Kid." He was a smooth-faced boy, with brown curly hair and a complexion like a school girl. He was a good-natured and jovial, quick on the draw and a dead shot. He was born in the slums of New York City and came to New Mexico and Western Texas when but a child.

He had killed several men and committed other crimes in Arizona, New Mexico and Old Mexico, and Western Texas, although still in his teens, when the bloody Lincoln County war started.

He landed in Lincoln County, N. M., from the Republic of Mexico, and was befriended by a young Englishman by the name of John S. Tunstall, who was a late arrival from England, and who had embarked in the cattle business with Lawyer McSween of Lincoln.

A band of the "Seven River Warriors" from the Chism cattle range on the Pecos river, who held commissions from Sheriff William Brady made a raid on the Tunstall cattle

ranch on the Ruidoso, at the foot of the White mountains, murdering John S. Tunstall in a cold-blooded manner. His mount and himself had been shot down when one of the posse, Tom Hill, dashed up and placed the muzzle of a rifle to the young Englishman's head and fired scattering brains over the ground.

Billy the Kid was on the Rio Pelez when a runner brought him the news of Tunstall's murder. He then swore that he would kill every man who had a hand in it. He mounted his favorite horse and started for Lincoln, where he organized a band of daredevil friends to avenge the murder of Tunstall. He never let up until most of the murderers were in their graves—even to Sheriff William Brady, who had deputized the posse who killed the young Englishman.

The bloody Lincoln County war ended during the summer of 1878. Many men had been killed.

Now Billy the Kid became the leader of a gang who defied the laws. They stole cattle and horses and committed many murders.

In the winter of 1880, Pat Garrett, sheriff of Lincoln County, with the help of fighting cowboys from the Texas Panhandle (the writer being one of them) broke up the gang by killing and capturing the leaders.

To show what a wild country eastern New Mexico and the Panhandle of Texas was in those days, I will quote from a recent letter received from a prominent surgeon, Dr. Henry F. Hoyt, of Long Beach, California:

"From a very pleasurable reading of 'The Lone Star Cowboy,' recently handed to me by our mutual friend, Jack Ryan, it is quite evident that you have forgotten me. I have the distinction of being the first physician that ever located for the practice of medicine in the Panhandle of Texas. I mean of course in civil life, as there were doubtless army doctors at Fort Elliott prior to the time I arrived at Tascosa in November, 1877.

"I had drifted south from the Black Hills of Dakota Territory looking for an opening to practice my profession. Traveling overland with my camp outfit, I came into New Mexico over the old Santa Fe Trail to Santa Fe, thence to Anton Chico, where I followed the Pecos river to Fort Sumner, then the home of the Maxwells. Some follower, an old chap formerly a jockey for Lucius Maxwell, came into my camp and learned I was a doctor. In a short time I was called to one of the buildings at the fort to see William Maxwell, Pete's brother, who was dying with about the worst case of smallpox I ever saw. He was past help and only lived a few minutes.

"I then went south along the river to about where Roswell is now located. Here I met the famous cattle king, old John Chism, with a big outfit, rounding up a bunch of very poor steers to fill an Indian contract in Arizona. He was very nice to me, and when he found what I was looking for, advised me strongly to cut across the Staked Plains to the Panhandle of Texas, where there was a big country full of people, no doctor and an epidemic of smallpox on the rampage. I took his advice, had one ride of eighty miles without water, and struck the Canadian river just above Campbell's sheep ranch.

"Campbell took a fancy to me and invited me to join him on a buffalo hunt that he was starting on, south on the Staked Plains. I accepted and on Thanksgiving day, 1877, a Mexican rider, leading an extra horse and saddle, rode into our camp, and stated that he was sent by his boss, Casimiro Romero, at Tascosa, to find and bring a doctor that he had heard was with Campbell, to see his daughter, Piedad, (who Campbell told me was called the belle of the Panhandle), who was very ill with smallpox. We started just at sundown for a hundred-mile ride to Tascosa, reaching there after swimming the Canadian river, about sundown the following evening. The girl was very sick, but she got well, and is now married to a wealthy American by the name of Thompson, and they live at Amarillo.

"Chism was wrong in one statement, that the Panhandle was full of people at that time, and as soon as the smallpox disappeared there was very little for a doctor to do. As a result I was broke, and being too proud to write home for money, I tackled Moore of the LX ranch for a job, which, being short of men, he gladly gave me. I worked for him about nine months. The boys all treated me fine, taught me the trick of the game and I got on in great shape.

"Later, I quit the LX ranch and stopped with Howard & McMasters in Tascosa for some time, meeting Billy the Kid and his band many times. In fact, we became quite good friends, he telling me all about himself, etc. I had won in a poker game a very nice ladies' gold watch that Billy the Kid wanted very much to buy to give to that sister of Pete Maxwell, who he was crazy about. I refused to sell it, cowboy-like, but made him a present of it, and he promised to give it to her with my compliments, I having met her when I saw her brother the year before. She was quite pretty and as I remember about fifteen or sixteen years old.

"I had saved my earnings at Moore's and picked up quite a little besides at Tascosa, and decided to get back into a country where there was enough people to practice on, so arranged to go to Las Vegas, New Mexico. The day before I pulled out Billy the Kid rode in from his camp leading beautiful chestnut sorrel Mexican race horse that he called 'Dandy Dick,' and which to my agreeable surprise he made me a present of. As the horse had originally come from New Mexico and as there was a possibility of my ownership being questioned, in order to protect me, he stepped into Howard & McMasters' store, picked up a piece of paper, wrote a bill of sale, and had it duly witnessed by Howard and McMasters. This paper I have always preserved, and an enclosing a photograph copy as a souvenir. I imagine any handwriting of his is rather scarce."

I happened to be in Carrizo, the present county-seat of Lincoln County, when I received this letter from Dr. Henry F. Hoyt. I showed it and the bill of sale to William at the time of his father's death and remembers the chestnut sorrel race horse named "Dandy Dick." He says this horse was presented to his father by Major Murphy, of Fort Stanton, New Mexico, and that his father put his own brand, B. B., on the animal; that finally he disappeared and they never knew what became of him. Forty-three years is a long time to remain in ignorance of what became of a valuable horse. Brady, who is a janitor and interpreter at the court house. He is a son of former Sheriff William Brady killed during the Lincoln County war by Billy the Kid. He was a boy at the time of his father's death and remembers the chestnut sorrel horse named "Dandy Dick." He says this horse was presented to his father by Major Murphy, of Fort Stanton, N. M., and that his father put his own brand B. B. on the animal; that finally he disappeared and they never knew what became of him.

In a later letter to me, Dr. Henry F. Hoyt, who served nine years as Commissioner of Health of his home town, St. Paul, Minnesota, and at the same time was chief surgeon for the Great Northern Railway controlled by the late James J. Hill and employing 30,000 men, tells of his next meeting with Billy the Kid. When the war with Spain broke out in 1898, Dr. Hoyt was commissioned by the President as chief surgeon with the rank of major in the army, serving as such in the Philippine Islands for four years, being wounded in battle and recommended by President Roosevelt for a brevet lieutenant colonelcy for distinguished service in the army.

Dr. Hoyt's letter goes on to say that after the capture of Billy the Kid in the winter of 1880-81, he called to see him in the Santa Fe jail. He found him heavily ironed, the chain shackles having been riveted to his ankles. And on his wrists he wore a strong pair of handcuffs. He was cheerful and gave the doctor a hearty welcome.

At that time Dr. Hoyt was practicing medicine in Bernalillo, New Mexico.

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CONGRESSMAN PARRISH DIES AT WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, March 28.—Lucian W. Parrish is dead.

The end came at the sanitarium at Wichita Falls, after a long fight against the injuries received while enroute from Anson to Roby to fill a speaking date in the interests of his candidacy for the United States.

The end was not unexpected after the relapse of yesterday, although earlier reports had him well on the way to recovery. All that medical science could do was rendered him in his game fight for life. First aid was rendered at Roby, then he was taken to Stamford and later to this city. The immediate cause of death was cerebral meningitis.

Members of his family and numerous friends were at the bedside of the Congressman when he died at 9:30 o'clock.

HENRIETTA, March 29.—The funeral of Congressman Lucian W. Parrish, who died at Wichita Falls last Monday night, was held at the First Baptist church here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Masonic lodge conducting the services, assisted by Rev. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, and Rev. Finnis Crutchfield of the Methodist church of Dallas.

The flag over the postoffice here has been flying at half mast all day in honor of Congressman Parrish.

Congressman Parrish was a candidate for the Democratic nomination to the United States senate, and was on a speaking tour when an automobile containing him and a companion went off a bridge. Congressman Parrish suffered a fractured jaw in addition to other severe injuries. For several days he showed improvement but later an attack of cerebral meningitis caused his death.

Congressman Parrish spoke in the Court house in Colorado a few days before the accident occurred, and went from here to Big Spring and Midland where he spoke in the interest of his candidacy. He had many friends and admirers in Colorado and his death is deplored by the entire citizenship of the County.

Born in Grayson County.

Congressman Lucian Walton Parrish was born in Van Alstyne, Grayson County, Texas, Jan. 10, 1878. He was a son of Jefferson C. and Mattie Parrish.

He began life as a cowboy on the ranches of Texas, and in that way he earned money with which to pay the expenses of his education at the University of Texas. He took the bachelor's degree at this institution in 1906, but continued his studies until he received the degrees of Master of laws, in 1909. On Sept. 4, 1912 he was a member of the law firm of Wantland and Parrish at Henrietta. He was a member of the Democratic executive committee for Clay county during 1917 and 1918. In 1919 he was elected to congress from the Thirteenth Texas district. He served in that capacity until his death.

Received Many Honors.

Many honors had been conferred upon Congressman Parrish during his public career, cut prematurely short. He was chairman of the school board of the Henrietta independent school district, and for a long time president of the Chamber of Commerce at Henrietta.

He belonged to several fraternal organizations—the Masonic Lodge,

Knights of Pythias, Elks and Woodmen. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist church.

His first schooling as he recounted often to his friends, was alternated with helping the other members of the family to combat the drouths, prairie dogs, grasshoppers and coyotes that made life miserable for the frontier families. Mr. Parrish, in those youthful years, spent more time helping to keep the wolf from the door and the Texas coyote from the sheep fold than he did in the school room.

A good and visionary mother is credited with the success the Congressman attained. This good mother coveted an opportunity for her son to acquire an education and he heeded her call and left the rest of family to go to Bowie where he attended the public schools after he had first worked as a cow puncher at \$18 a month for a year and a half, he being almost a grown man. Whatever humiliation there was in being classmates with boys and girls half his age Lucian Parrish swallowed and plowed through his studies with vigor. After one session he went back to the ranch on which he had been employed, and he stayed there during a summer vacation.

At the time he returned to Henrietta and engaged in the practice of law he stated he had to borrow the money with which to buy the desk at which he worked. Practice came to him gradually as he won cases in the courts and it is said that he won these cases by out working the opposition. If the opposition worked 15 hours a day he went on through the night and worked twenty-four.

Oil Investment Helps.

It is said that his investment in land that later proved to be oil land enabled him to offer for public service and furnished him sufficient income to prosecute his candidacy for Congress, which was very successful, even a surprise to his friends. After a successful term in congress, he had heard the call of his friends and was prosecuting his candidacy for the Senate when the accident occurred.

Congressman Parrish is survived by his wife and two children, age 7 and 5, besides numerous other relatives.

Caught With The Goods.

W. L. Doss was caught with a big stock of talking machines on hand that must be sold regardless of prices or cost.

TO THE CITIZENS OF COLORADO—MEN AND WOMEN

Will you please let this serve to inform you that I am in the race for City Marshal, and will appreciate your vote and influence. If elected I promise to the utmost of my ability, to enforce all laws devolving upon me to enforce, and will do my best to enforce the following in particular:

- 1st. To stop speeding throughout the city limits.
- 2nd. To keep all streets and alleys open and clean.
- 3rd. To eliminate all dangers of fire, as far as possible.
- 4th. To go my limit in assisting other officers in apprehending and bringing to justice "Bootleggers," Hi-jackers and Lewd Women.
- 5th. Prohibit the gathering together, holding and feeding of herds or bunches of stock within the city limits at any places other than provided by law.

My Motto—Equal rights to all; social favors to none.

LOYED A. WHITE.

NEWS ITEMS FROM WESTBROOK

Arrangements for a big barbecue and picnic at Westbrook Monday, April 3, celebrating the initial shipment of oil from the Underwriters production near Westbrook, were completed here Tuesday night at a joint meeting of the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce. Dr. P. C. Coleman, president of the Colorado Chamber, president at the meeting, which was attended by forty representative business men of the two towns.

The celebration will be one of the most important events in the history of Mitchell County. Amid the cheers of the thousands of visitors, ten tank cars, loaded with oil from the new field, will leave the shipping point for the refinery. This oil will be loaded into the cars by pipe line, connection of which was completed to the wells today.

W. J. Vaughan, first president of the Underwriters Producing & Refining Company, was in long distance telephone conversation with his Fort Worth representative several times during the day Wednesday outlining plans for getting an aviator to bring his machine to Westbrook for the occasion and also to obtain the services of a motion picture cameraman to film "movies" of the various events to be staged.

The dinner is to be an old fashioned basket picnic, but in order to provide lunch for the hundreds of visitors expected from outside Mitchell County, the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce will barbecue twelve or fifteen beebes, with all the accessories, and furnish coffee free on the grounds. Citizens of Mitchell County are expected to bring well filled baskets, as the short time will not permit arranging to feed all at the barbecue tables.

Col. Charles M. Adams of Colorado, chairman of the program committee, stated Wednesday morning that he was arranging to bring two West Texas League ball teams to Westbrook for a series of games during the day. Concert will be furnished by the Colorado Booster band, and arrangements are being worked out for races, rodeo events and other attractions. Several prominent West Texas men have promised to attend to deliver addresses.

All stores and business houses in Colorado are expected to be closed throughout the day Monday in order that the entire city be enabled to attend the celebration.

The citizenship of Mitchell County are urged to join with these two commercial organizations in making the celebration all that it should be. The fact that Mitchell County is an oil field is the biggest commercial asset ever in the history of the county and there is not a citizen of the county but who should join in declaring Monday a holiday and celebrate the dawn of a new era of prosperity. Colorado business houses will close at ten o'clock Monday morning and visitors from here should begin arriving at Westbrook by ten thirty.

Alvin Bell of Westbrook, has charge of the barbecue end of the celebration and those cattlemen and other citizens desiring to donate beebes should communicate with him at once. Several beebes have been given already.

There will be nothing overlooked that would add to the comfort and convenience of visitors during the day. Ice water will be had free and in abundance on the grounds.

"Say, fellows, look at the big chief. Says he can't break away till he finishes his Kellogg's Corn Flakes! Guess he knows good things, aw' right!"



Mighty appetizing to open the day with Kellogg's Corn Flakes

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Tempting in their appearance, wonderful in supreme flavor and crunchy and crispy to the very last degree, Kellogg's Corn Flakes are really and truly a revelation in good things to eat—for breakfast, for any meal and for between-times nibbles!

How all your folks will delight to get Kellogg's; how they'll appreciate Kellogg's crispness. For, Kellogg's are never tough or leathery or hard to eat! You'll see big and little bowls come back for "some more Kellogg's, Mother, please!"



When you order Kellogg's today—insist upon getting KELLOGG'S—the delicious Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package! It bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. NONE ARE GENUINE WITHOUT IT!

Bear in mind KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes are made by the folks who gave you the JUNGLELAND Moving Pictures. Coupon inside every package of KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes explains how you can obtain another copy of JUNGLELAND.

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LONE STAR.

This community was blessed with a good rain Friday evening and night, which we needed very badly but still need more.

Bro. S. H. Young filled his appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community went to the singing at Bauman Sunday evening. They reorted fine singing. We are looking for the Bauman and oLoney singing classes next Sunday evening. Everyone invited. Eddie Richburg spent the week end with home folks last week.

Pearl Richardson, Lillian Richburg and Grace Long were dinner guests of Nannie Lou Taylor Sunday.

W. H. Harris and family were guests in the Sanford Fraser home Sunday.

Clifton Henderson and family spent Saturday and Sunday at Lorraine.

N. L. Henderson entertained with a singing Sunday night.

Grace young spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Milton Hamilton.

Milton Hamilton, wife and baby spent the day Sunday with Mr. C. W. Groom and family.

Our "Lone Star" basket ball boys played Rogers Saturday morning. The score was 20 to 3 in favor of Lone Star. Hurrah for our boys.

I think most every one attended the track meet Friday and Saturday.

Miss Mattie McAdams is on the sick list this week.

H. D. Mearse and family, Dexter Taylor, Florence Richardson, Mrs. Albert Land and daughter were guests in the Homer Mearse home Sunday.

Allie Hallmark spent Sunday night with Lissie and Bessie Porter and Hellen Hamilton with Lois Jackson.

Arbie Richburk attended church at Buford Sunday night.

Some Lorraine folks were out last Sunday evening to hear Bro. Young preach.

BLUE EYES.

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FOR SALE—Carload two year old registered horned Hereford bulls; also carload two year old registered Polled Hereford bulls.—Wm. E. WALLACE, Box 475, Midland, Texas. 1tp

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Auto Tops and Cushions repaired Ford wheels and windshields.—Roberts Top Co.

The same being the 21th day of April, A. D. 1922, then and there to give a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1922, in a numbered on the docket of said Court 4902 wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff and J. S. Ruggles and all les owners or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter filed, are Defendants; the nature of Plaintiff's demand being as follows: An action by Plaintiff praying for judgment against the Defendants for the sum of \$51,100 Dollars, on account of State and County Taxes, interest, penalty and costs to-wit: For the taxes, including school taxes, with penalty and interest, assessed and due on each tract of lands hereinafter described for the following years, to-wit: 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, and 1919; said taxes, with interest, penalty and costs, are a lien upon each tract or lot of the following described lands, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, to-wit: Lot number 5 in block number one in town of Westbrook as shown on the Amended Map or plat of said town of record in Book 16, pages 642 and 643 of Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas. And Plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its said lien, for an order of sale, a writ of possession, costs of suit and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear from Plaintiff's Original Petition now on file in this office.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness My Hand and Official Seal at my office in Colorado, Texas this 20th day of March, A. D. 1922. W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk, District Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon J. M. Seitz, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the 4th Monday in April, A. D. 1922, the same being the 21th day of April, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3962, wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff, and J. M. Seitz and all parties owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, are Defendants; the nature of Plaintiff's demand being as follows: An action by Plaintiff praying for judgment against the Defendants for the sum of Twenty-one & 51,100 Dollars on account of State and County Taxes, interest, penalty and costs, to-wit: For the taxes, including school taxes, with penalty and interest, assessed and due on each tract of lands hereinafter described for the following years, to-wit: 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, and 1919; said taxes, with interest, penalty and costs, are a lien upon each tract or lot of the following described lands, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, to-wit: Lot number 2 in block number 3 in the town of Westbrook as shown on the Amended Map or plat of said town of record in Book 16, pages 642 and 643 of Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas. And Plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its said lien, for an order of sale, a writ of possession, costs of suit and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear from Plaintiff's Original Petition now on file in this office.

The Sox Social given by the Methodist Missionary Society last Thursday at the parsonage was well attended and quite a nice sum added to the treasury. The decorations were green. The favors being Shamrock. An informal program of music and readings was given by Misses Hawkins, King, Hazel Cook and Saling. A geographical contest tested the memory of teachers, pupils and mothers alike. Sandwiches and tea were served.

The lack of patronage of the larger number of Colorado business men has in no wise tended to make the publishers a grouch or to sulk in his tent, for the Colorado public is bound to admit that the paper continues to serve as a medium of publicity second to none. There is not a weekly paper between Fort Worth and El Paso that maintains a better batting average in all of the real points of newspaper excellence, typographically, editorially, quantity and variety of news matter, or that half way equals its circulation, which is the real test of its value to the advertiser.

For the past six weeks the Record has printed from three to five hundred extra copies each week that have been mailed out to parties from New York to California and from Minnesota to South America, some even going to China.

So desirous has the Record been at times that the paper should show to the world that Colorado has more than one or two stores, a postoffice and a blacksmith shop, that the publishers have thought of making a proposal to the half hundred other business establishments of the city that we be allowed to display their names and wares in our advertising columns without cost to them, but really it keeps us pretty busy these days meeting the payroll as it is. The Editor believes that nothing is too good for Colorado and has done his dead level best to sing its praises abroad, but this California fellow's letter attacks us at our most vulnerable point. The Record can't make any kind of a defense for a situation which has given the editors more concern during their labors in Colorado than anything else connected with the work of editing and running a newspaper.

The Record always believed that Colorado business people would some day wake up to their opportunities of selling their town abroad through their patronage of the local newspaper, and shall continue to hope that the heaven is working for the accomplishment of such a concert of action.

The letter of the California inquirer follows: San Francisco, Calif. Whiskey Printing Co., Colorado, Texas. Dear Sir:

Desiring to get some information about the country near Colorado I got one of your papers, but what's the matter with you or the people there? Generally speaking, by looking over the ads, one can judge something of the town, but I do not find any hotel, only three grocery, no drug store, stationers, stenographers, restaurants, cafes, no picture house, hardware, soft drink place, and but two auto ads, and no tire ad and no Laundry ad.

You have six real estate firms, so that as far as the advertisers in your town are concerned, they don't give an outsider much information. Perhaps there are none of the named

the following years to-wit: 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, and 1919; that said taxes, with interest, penalty and costs, are a lien upon each tract or lot of the following described lands, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, to-wit: Lot number 5 in block number one in town of Westbrook as shown on the Amended Map or plat of said town of record in Book 16, pages 642 and 643 of Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas. And Plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its said lien, for an order of sale, a writ of possession, costs of suit and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear from Plaintiff's Original Petition now on file in this office.

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Witness My Hand and Official Seal at my office in Colorado, Texas this 20th day of March, A. D. 1922. W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk, District Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this the 17th day of March A. D. 1922. W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas. 4-14c A true copy, I certify. W. J. CHESNEY, Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas.

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CONGRESSMAN PARRISH DIES AT WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, March 28.—Lucian W. Parrish is dead.

The end came at the sanitarium at Wichita Falls, after a long fight against the injuries received while enroute from Anson to Roby to fill a speaking date in the interests of his candidacy for the United States.

The end was not unexpected after the relapse of yesterday, although earlier reports had him well on the way to recovery. All that medical science could do was rendered him in his game fight for life. First aid was rendered at Roby, then he was taken to Stamford and later to this city. The immediate cause of death was cerebral meningitis.

Members of his family and numerous friends were at the bedside of the Congressman when he died at 9:30 o'clock.

HENRIETTA, March 29.—The funeral of Congressman Lucian W. Parrish, who died at Wichita Falls last Monday night, was held at the First Baptist church here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Masonic lodge conducting the services, assisted by Rev. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, and Rev. Finnis Crutchfield of the Methodist church of Dallas.

The flag over the postoffice here has been flying at half mast all day in honor of Congressman Parrish.

Congressman Parrish was a candidate for the Democratic nomination in BIBLE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

From the Dallas News:

Whitesboro, Texas.—I have been a newspaper man, and I know what it means to grant space to every man clamoring for a hearing, and how valuable space is and the cost of setting it up. But with all these facts before me I ask that you grant me space in your Sunday's issue just this one time more and I will promise not to trouble you again until my desire to editorialize comes upon me with such force that I can no longer resist the temptation to ask your indulgence. There are two things I wish to mention: The first is the Bible being taught in the public schools. I am opposed to it for the following reasons:

The public schools are for the education of all the children of the state. We have Jews and Gentiles, bond and free, all sorts of faiths among the American people. They all stand on an equal footing in our public schools. The State can put the hands on the brain and train it to the highest efficiency. It can put its hands on the body and develop it to the highest perfection. But the State cannot put its hands on the soul. That must be left to the individual conscience of the child or the parents. The Jew and the Catholic have as much right to the benefit of our public schools as any other religious people in America, and I would be as much opposed to enforce any interpretation of the Sacred Record on them as I would that they should force their views on my children. I am as much in favor of the Catholic or the Jew having his rights in this country as I am of having my own. This is pure Americanism, and to legislate against them in anything in which we are all to stand on the same footing is class legislation pure and simple. If the Christian world can not meet the Jew with the Testament in hand and heart then it deserves to go down. It is a matter of interpretation of the Holy Bible and not a

Knights of Pythias, Elks and Woodmen. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist church.

His first schooling as he recounted often to his friends, was alternated with helping the other members of the family to combat the drouths, prairie dogs, grasshoppers and coyotes that made life miserable for the frontier families. Mr. Parrish, in those youthful years, spent more time helping to keep the wolf from the door and the Texas coyote from the sheep fold than he did in the school room.

A good and visionary mother is credited with the success the Congressman attained. This good mother coveted an opportunity for her son to acquire an education and he heeded her call and left the rest of family to go to Bowie where he attended the public schools after he had first worked as a cow puncher at \$18 a month for a year and a half, he being almost a grown man. Whatever humiliation there was in being classmates with boys and girls half his age Lucian Parrish swallowed and plowed through his studies with vigor. After one session he went back to the ranch on which he had been employed, and he stayed there during a summer vacation.

At the time he returned to Henrietta and engaged in the practice of law he stated he had to borrow the money with which to buy the desk at which he worked. Practice came to him gradually as he won cases in the courts and it is said that he won these cases by out working the opposition. If the opposition worked 15 hours a day he worked 24 hours a day.

Legislate upon and force men to our view by process of law.

I am a Baptist, and the greatest doctrine of our fathers was soul liberty, that is, that I can use persuasion to make converts to my faith, but not force. When Paul was at Rome human slavery was at its height. But he did not get up any public indignation meetings for the purpose of opposing slavery or any other existing order of the Government of that time, but he did cast a seed thought in the heart of his hearers that when it germinated made slavery impossible. And that seed thought was that men were brothers, that is, had a common origin, they all had one God, and if that was true we were brothers. When that thought took root deep enough it made slavery impossible with those who accepted that teaching.

Who shall interpret the Bible in our schools? I would be unwilling to permit any Methodist, Presbyterian, or Catholic to interpret it for my children and they would not be willing for me to interpret it for their children. I would be unwilling to permit the Jewish rabbi to interpret the Bible for the youth of the land, and he with equal honesty would not permit me to interpret the Bible for his children. The only way therefore to do is to have denominational schools, each denomination where we have the right, according to our Constitution, to teach what we think is the truth to our children. This is the reason I am such a strong believer in denominational schools. I want my children to be Baptists and to insure that I want them to go to a Baptist school. Then there is nothing left to me but to support with my money and my influence a Baptist school. I believe I can take a ten cent New Testament and defeat the Pope of Rome in open discussion, but if I cannot I would be unwilling to force him by the authority of the law to stand with me. But I want all the Catholics to have their children educated and if they will not sup-

NEWS ITEMS FROM WESTBROOK

Arrangements for a big barbecue and picnic at Westbrook Monday, April 3, celebrating the initial shipment of oil from the Underwriters production near Westbrook, were completed here Tuesday night at a joint meeting of the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce. Dr. P. C. Coleman, president of the Colorado Chamber, presided at the meeting, which was attended by forty representative business men of the two towns.

The celebration will be one of the most important events in the history of Mitchell County. Amid the cheers of the thousands of visitors, ten tank cars, loaded with oil from the new field, will leave the shipping point for the refinery. This oil will be loaded into the cars by pipe line, connection of which was completed to the wells today.

W. J. Vaughan, first president of the Underwriters Producing & Refining Company, was in long distance telephone conversation with his Fort Worth representative several times during the day Wednesday outlining plans for getting an aviator to bring his machine to Westbrook for the occasion and also to obtain the services of a motion picture cameraman to film "movies" of the various events to be staged.

The dinner is to be an "open" one, and is to be a picnic, by which he believes he has passed upon a matter and made thorough investigation than to risk his own judgment. Texas need not fear what Cowell does; he has the wisdom and the courage to do the right and for the best interest of the State.

A. J. HARRIS.

To The Citizenship of Mitchell County.

I have been asked: "What will you give me to vote for you?" Others say, "I'll vote for the highest bidder, there's two votes in my family." And my answer is this: I offer to the citizenship of Mitchell County genuine expert service. I want to be Tax Assessor of Mitchell County because I know that I can fill the office as it should be filled; the work is not new to me, I can do it. I made all tax rolls for Mitchell County, and the independent school districts for the year 1921 and I made approximately half of the Nolan County tax rolls. The tax rolls are important, but there are many other things to be considered—taxation affects the title to your property, an inefficient tax assessor would cause you trouble and expense in the years to come. I can improve the efficiency of the office, improvements that will last for years.

L. B. ELLIOTT.

PECOS VALLEY HAS GOOD IRRIGATION SYSTEM

PECOS, Texas, March 28.—With the first waterings of the season completed the Balmorhea irrigation reservoir is filled and the farmers of the territory southwest of Pecos are facing the growing season with one of the biggest supplies of water on hand for years. Practically all available land in the valley is being put in cultivation this year, the cotton fields which lay idle last year being utilized for this year.

There is less carbon in that Supreme Auto Oil—get prices before buying.

NO MORE FISHING.

Water Valley, Texas, March 27.

Dear Mr. Whipkey: Will you please print the following for me in the Record?

To my friends in different counties will say that owing to so many coming to my place to fish I will have to bar all for this year at least and again the river has not had a rise to cause fish to come up in almost two years and they are caught out and again there is so many that do think they should not do such as trespassing on ditches levys and taking things without permission and shooting all squirrels and quail and many things too numerous to mention. There were 37 car loads here on my place last year camping and that many more above and below that walked up and down the river and at least that many bathing and lounging around and each one tells their kinfolks and then they come even from Crosby and Hale and Lubbock counties.

We have had a good rain here—about one inch or more but still dry near Angelo. My alfalfa is looking up good and oats also. I enjoy the Record oil news and other reading fine. I am banking on Smith No. 1 being a gusher. Selfishness did you say, well yes.

Send bill and will remit. D. A. NEEL.

MEETING AT ABILENE.

The fourteenth annual session of Abilene District will convene in Abilene on Wednesday, April 12, at 9:30 a. m., in the Simmons College Chapel.

All visiting ladies will be entertained in the two dormitories for girls, of the college.

The "Federation of Baptist Women's Missionary Societies" of Abilene will serve lunch at noon in Smith Hall.

An interesting program has been prepared. Several of our State leaders will be with us, and some of our leaders in our own district will give stirring reports of the work in their Association during the past year.

Remember Sisters, all Baptist women who are members of the Missionary Societies of our District are messengers to the annual meetings of the District and are voting members of that body.

The program will continue throughout the day.

Simmons College invites all visiting ladies to remain for the night and hear the famous boy evangelist, Charles Forbes Taylor ("Charlie") who will be holding a meeting in the First Church. He will speak at the chapel hour in the College at 10:30 a. m.

We want a great number of ladies to come. We are beginning early to plan for your coming and want to make your stay with us one of profit and pleasure.

Write Mrs. Jennie Blackburn, Mary-Frances Hall, Simmons College, that you will come and when to meet you.

Come praying that the Heavenly Father will guide and direct us and that all that we shall do will be for His name's honor and glory.

Your co-workers in the Master's service,

Mrs. O. H. Cooper, President. Mrs. R. J. Ellis, Cor. Sec.

Found a Cure for Indigestion.

"I use Chamberlain's Stomach Liver Tablets for indigestion and find they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried and I have used many different medicines. I am nearly fifty one years of age and have suffered a great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want to, now," writes George W. Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. These tablets contain no pepsin but strengthen the stomach and enable it to digest the food naturally.

Office supplies. Everything in the line of school tablets, office supplies, inks, paper, pencils, purses, etc. Local agents for that new Shilling Bros Typewriter. Price everywhere only \$75.00. Make our office your office and try out one of those new machines. Demonstration free.

LET ME DO YOUR PLUMBING

I want to install your bath room fixtures and do your plumbing of all kinds. Am ready at all times to give you estimates on any kind of plumbing. Phone me at R. B. Terrel's and I'll be on the job in fifteen minutes.

J. C. McClarty.

Your vote and influence for Loyed A. White for City Marshal will never be regretted.

Call me for good coal oil, in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following parties authorize the placing of their names in this column for the various offices, subject to the Democratic Primary in July and ask a favorable consideration of their claims:

COUNTY OFFICES:

Sheriff:

J. B. HOLT.
IRVIN W. TERRY
J. W. (Joe) DEAREN
T. A. MORRISON
J. R. (Joe) SHEPPARD

County Judge:

J. C. HALL
W. W. PORTER

County and District Clerk:

W. S. STONEHAM

County Attorney:

THOS. J. COFFEE
R. H. (Harry) RATLIFF.

Tax Assessor:

L. B. ELLIOTT
J. M. PAGE
FLOYD T. KENNEDY
O. R. (Roy) McCRELESS
G. E. QUINNEY
ROY E. WARREN
E. O. BRITTON
FRED B. ISON
W. W. (Will) WADE

PRECINCT OFFICES:

County Commissioner Precinct No. 1

J. W. GROSS
U. D. WULFJEN.
ROCELIOUS A. POWELL

County Commissioner Precinct No. 2

H. A. LASSETER

County Commissioner Precinct No. 3

JOHN D. LANE

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:

JACK HELTON.
TOM TERRY.

CITY OFFICES:

City Marshal:

LOYED A. WHITE.
J. T. (Jim) FULKERSON.
J. ALEX FREE.
T. A. HICKMAN.
J. A. THOMPSON.
W. C. BUSH.
W. C. (Clarence) HARGIS.

W. H. GARRETT

Lawyer
Notary Public
Colorado, Texas.

When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Rube Hart.

A Tonic For Women

"I was hardly able to drag, I was so weakened," writes Mrs. W. F. Ray, of Easley, S. C. "The doctor treated me for about two months, still I didn't get any better. I had a large family and felt I surely must do something to enable me to take care of my little ones. I had heard of

CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

"I decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took eight bottles in all. . . I regained my strength and have had no more trouble with womanly weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my housework and a lot outdoors. . . I can sure recommend Cardui."

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C. L. ROOT, M. D.

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No commission collected until sale is made. We have pleased others—we can please you. TRY US.

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We have been scouring the United States for a lady doctor sufficiently qualified for our ever increasing patronage. . . We have found just whom we were looking for in Dr. Josephine Gaffney, of Hartford, Connecticut. Dr. Gaffney is a graduate of the Universal Chiropractic College of Philadelphia and Blumer's School of Natureopathy of Hartford. Dr. Gaffney is a lady of rare refinement and qualifications and has enjoyed a large practice in Hartford the past three years.

Many ladies prefer a lady practitioner and it affords me much pleasure to secure a lady of the character and ability of Dr. Gaffney to assist in my work. All those desiring consultation, examination or treatment will please phone for hour so that we will not be obliged to keep you waiting. Our service car calls for and delivers you free of charge in all parts of city.

Dr. A. W. CANFIL, Owner
Grogan Wells Sanitorium

SWEETWATER, TEXAS.

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RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST EIGHTEEN YEARS.
This record is made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of, and accurately kept, by E. Keathley. He can give you any other information.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1904	1.85	.02	.00	1.42	2.01	5.01	1.37	1.77	6.97	1.93	.46	.29	22.22
1905	.39	6.92	6.71	3.73	4.64	2.94	4.07	3.71	1.61	1.74	.57	.29	33.82
1906	.29	7.81	4.3	3.19	6.01	2.12	3.15	7.82	2.95	2.72	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.00	2.04	2.4	2.10	2.33	4.22	1.51	17.63	1.92	.44	.29	25.76
1908	.45	.08	3.35	3.73	6.81	3.2	3.71	2.25	1.54	2.21	.71	.00	21.52
1909	.03	.02	.37	.06	1.33	.01	2.25	1.60	1.18	1.33	1.58	.00	13.36
1910	.00	.20	.48	.60	1.40	.15	1.61	1.14	2.95	.53	.88	.00	11.42
1911	41.48	7.22	1.12	.67	.00	2.52	2.77	3.11	.00	.53	.20	.00	19.26
1912	.00	.00	.00	1.11	.89	1.07	1.08	2.92	.06	1.22	.00	1.56	12.11
1913	2.17	4.02	0.71	2.25	1.30	2.77	2.09	.16	.00	2.69	2.75	4.57	23.23
1914	.00	.15	.40	3.35	3.73	7.02	7.53	8.51	7.03	7.71	8.13	8.53	31.86
1915	.17	.21	2.15	2.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.89	6.58	2.53	.00	.43	25.24
1916	.09	.08	.84	2.22	1.72	.00	.38	.28	.62	.90	.20	.21	7.84
1917	.11	.00	.00	1.23	.47	1.41	1.50	.27	.00	.07	.00	.00	4.47
1918	.15	.47	1.11	3.02	2.88	.74	.24	.92	.52	.81	.66	.00	14.26
1919	1.19	2.4	4.82	4.8	2.19	6.81	7.04	6.53	3.74	2.28	.82	.25	36.28
1920	2.11	.49	.16	.00	7.94	5.66	.27	7.07	3.21	2.94	2.09	.27	32.91
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The Texas Oil World, Fort Worth, carried a cartoon on the first page Saturday in which Texas was represented as having "Oil Rash." The three principal eruptions on his face were "Mexia," "Pioneer" and Mitchell County, with smaller "sores" scattered over his face. The cartoon caused unusual comment here and was displayed at some of the stores several days. The Oil World is giving the Mitchell County field some mighty good publicity, there being one article in the paper Saturday of more than one column.

"It looks like you folks out here mean business in developing the Mitchell County field," a visitor from Cisco stated Saturday. "I noticed three derricks loaded out from Cisco to this field a few days ago and I also happened to notice storage coming through Cisco by truck bound for Colorado. That is the only way to realize a big oil field—to get busy and drill wells."

Bill Vaughan pulled a good line in a speech at an oil banquet at Colorado the other day. Referring to the slurs of some "knockers" that Colorado would not have an oil field in spite of the three wells already producing, William spilled the following: "You might just as well claim that some humming bird could fly from its perch in South America to Texas and light on the only honey suckle vine in the State."—Texas Oil World.

"Record want ads pay," says Joe Y. Fraser, chief clerk at the Colorado postoffice. Two weeks ago Mr. Fraser stated to The Record that the address of a former service man had been lost and as the government had some important mail for him it was important that he be located. The Record carried a short notice about the matter and in a few days information came from a subscriber at Abilene, telling the proper address of the man. Record want ads pay.

B. F. Carter, "the deaf man," writes us: "Yes, it pays to advertise. If I was in business I would advertise continuously." Recently Mr. Carter lost his glasses and when The Record learned of it we ran a notice in the paper, requesting that the finder return the glasses to Mr. Carter. The result was quick and sure. He had his glasses within a short time after the paper left the press.

"I expect to live to see the day when there will be no saloons under the flag of any civilized country. We have won our fight and we have to hold what we have won. Don't be surprised if the law is not enforced in every case. This is the greatest moral reform ever brought about in the world's history. Don't charge lawlessness to prohibition. Think what crime there would be if drunkenness were widespread."—William Jennings Bryan.

The sheriff at Laredo sure knows how to stop Ku Klux parades, and his plan should be copied by sheriffs in other counties where persons disguise in bedsheets and pillow cases try to show their contempt of law, order and decency by public parades. The Laredo sheriff gave warning that an advertised parade through the streets would not be permitted, and in order to make sure his warning he placed a machine gun on the court house steps with a former soldier who had used machine guns against Germans in France in charge. He also armed many citizens with rifles, and they stood guard until after midnight, but no Klansmen showed up. A man who disguises himself to do an act is naturally a coward, and is afraid to face hot lead. The sheriffs of several Pan-

handle counties would do well to go to Laredo and imbibe some of the courage of the border sheriff and maybe they would develop some backbone.—Plainview News.

FOR MORE EFFICIENCY.

El Paso proposes to try out a new plan by consolidating the county and city governments, as has been done in Denver, Colo.

Under its plan county judge will also be mayor of the city, two of the commissioners will be from the country outside the city and the other two from the city. The sheriff of the county will be chief of police of the city, the tax assessor, tax collector, county clerk, county treasurer, county attorney and other county officers will also handle the city business. The court house will also be the city hall. This, it is urged, will cut down the number of officials, do away with so much duplicated work—and save many thousands of dollars of tax money.

The plan is a good one. The reason why our state, county and city taxes foot up so high is, there is so much waste of effort and money—several men doing the work one could do.

The editor has for years been thinking of the great waste in public administration. For instance here in Colorado three tax assessors (county school city) come around each year and take assessments of the same property, and three tax collectors collect taxes on it—when one assessment and one collection should be sufficient, saving the salaries of two assessors and two collectors and the time of the taxpayer in going to three different places to pay his taxes.

We have thought out very carefully a program which we believe would mean more efficiency and save thousands of dollars to the taxpayers. It is as follows:

One tax assessor, for county, city and school, who would take one rendition; and he also be the tax collector for county, city and school; do away with all city peace officers and have the sheriff's office attend to same; combine the county and district clerks into one; abolish the county treasurer and let the depository bank handle the business, cashing vouchers direct from the county clerk; make the justice of the peace judge of the city court; the county attorney also city attorney; make the county commissioner of this precinct street and alley superintendent of the city.

Under this plan a number of official positions would be abolished viz: City and school tax assessors, and collectors, district clerk, county treasurer, city marshal, street superintendent, mayor, city marshal, city attorney.

Then we would change the city government to the commission form, of three or four members, one of whom would be the presiding officer. This commission would legislate for the city and employ a city manager who would have charge of all the city's affairs, and see that same is conducted efficiently; his secretary could handle the water and sewer collections.

The legislature should overhaul the whole system, and use the pruning knife in getting rid of every twig of deadwood. The people want more business efficiency and reduced taxes, and they should get it, for it can be done.

"KWITCHERBELLIKIN!"

The Abilene Reporter says that Colorado is going to build a viaduct across the Colorado river where the Bankhead Highway crosses that historic stream. Colorado is claiming everything these days. She claims the Westbrook oil wells, the Iatan well, and the Landers well was her's when it was thought there would be oil there. Not satisfied with all these honors she is now claiming the bridges on the county and state highways. What we want to know is where this is going to end. The next thing we know Colorado will be claiming the post office and section house at Loraine. We had thought that we would vote for a bond issue to build a court house for Mitchell county—(if ever a county needed one this one does)—but from now on we are "agin" it for the obvious reason that Colorado would get all

the credit in the columns of the Abilene Reporter and Loraine would have to help pay the taxes.

We were afraid of this when the Colorado Chamber of Commerce employed Cooper as secretary. Cooper is a newspaper man and understands how to manipulate the power of the press to suit his own whim. Why, it wouldn't surprise us a bit if Cooper, in behalf of his town, were to lay claim to the much contested bed of Red River; now that Arkansas has failed to make her claims stand up.—Loraine Leader. (?)

The Record has only one motive for reproducing the above editorial from the Loraine Leader. That motive is to reveal to the public the type of men who find their way into the newspaper fraternity, the same as in all other fraternities. Knowing the very small circulation of the Loraine paper, The Record is carrying the slush on to the public. We have no statement to make in reference to the allegations the Loraine journalist makes, because we are endeavoring to stay above the status set by such cheap ethics.

Last week our Buford correspondent in his letter "Out Buford Way" made several statements about an alleged bootlegger in which he was not justified in making. We try to censor all matter sent in to the paper but this was over looked and got in. The man was not indicted or ever charged with "bootlegging" and so far as we can learn was not guilty of any crime. We have been informed by reliable citizens that the party was a reputable citizen of that community, was well thought of and was preparing to make a crop. The whole thing was an unfortunate affair and the paper regrets that the matter published slipped by us as it is not our intention to destroy but rather build up the citizenship of the county.

WHY TEACH AGRICULTURE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

Agriculture helps to keep boys in school. A few days ago in White Deer, Texas, where they have a good course in Stock Judging, a mother told me how her son who had never cared for high school work before was interested in Agriculture. Her story was interesting. The son had run away from school the year before and had been locked up in jail at Amarillo. She had forced him back in school asking the teacher to whip him, but found the boy had no interest in any school work. This year, since becoming interested in Vocational Agriculture, her boy is making an excellent record in the White Deer high school.

Regardless of the fact that West Texas is a stockman's country, our schools have failed to teach those things which are interesting to stockmen's sons. We have given too much thought to the few that will go to the University and too little study to the problems of the many who will go to the farm.

The most important argument in favor of agriculture courses in the high schools is not that more than half the salary of the teacher is paid by the Federal Government; nor the fact that such courses become a great aid in discipline; nor the fact that another man is added to the faculty, thereby strengthening athletics; but it is the fact that no West Texas school has ever seen fit to give up a course in Vocational agriculture when once it has been tried.

In high schools where full-time teachers of Agriculture are employed, the State and Federal Governments will pay all of a salary of \$2,400, except \$1,050. If the man teaches other subjects, the local funds must be increased. Applications for this money should be made at once. "First come, first served."

Say friends what will you take for your vote? If you will give it to me I will make you a good hand. I am a citizen of Colorado and believe it is a good city and in a good county. My motto is do right. I believe it right to give a days work for a days pay. I am a radical prohibitionist, don't believe it right to even ride a white mule. I stand for high morals and pure society. If you elect me your City Marshal I will do all in my power to carry out my obligation and to give you a clean city and if I fail I will certainly step out of the way as I have the interest of the city at heart. Thanking you in advance for all favors you show me, I am,

Yours for a good City Marshal
Adv. JNO. A. THOMPSON.

Before selling your hogs see Oliver & Bell. We buy any kind and pay top market price.

I am still in the fuel business. plenty wood and coal.—R. L. Spalding.

WESTBROOK ITEMS

We are going to have a real barbecue in Westbrook on Monday, April 3rd and your presence will be appreciated and the people here will extend to you each and every one a welcome you have the right to expect from the people of Mitchell county and think this saying a very little for there is a live bunch on all committees for the occasion working with the committees from Colorado and we feel confident everything possible will be done to make this a day of real enjoyment and I will say to those who are interested in Mitchell County leases, land and town lots, will be sure to reap a profit ever beyond their expectation. There will be plenty of amusement of all kind also men on the ground to assist everyone in any way they desire.

This will be a day of days for this section of this county, especially so on account of the completion of the pipe line being laid by the Rio Grande Oil Company, Westbrook will have the chance it has been waiting for these many ears to show the people who will be present the one fact and that is we really have an oil well near this place and you may see Mitchell county Liquid Gold being piped from the well 3 miles distance from Westbrook to the tank cars on the T. & P. track at Westbrook for shipment to El Paso. We are going to put forth every effort to give everyone a good time and will have plenty of men here to take care of all investors. To the readers of this paper we will say this: Talk this to your friends and come to this entertainment and have your friends come. Your reporter feels confident that we will soon have a second Ranger at Westbrook and now is the time to get in on the ground floor and make big profits.

Messrs Hayslip and Erwin have purchased the lot south of Mr. Hudson's store and are busy making preparations to build an up-to-date garage and filling station.

The public school closed last Friday with a big picnic for the pupils at Horse Shoe bend. The short notice that the close of school was near at hand was quite a disappointment to the faculty as well as the patrons, as plans were laid for a nice commencement exercise. Miss Ida Petty and Hatty Coffee will teach a private school for six weeks or longer. Prof. Elliott and Miss Opal Jackson left Friday night for their respective homes, Cisco and Loraine, and we are glad to have Mrs. King to remain with us.

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Replying to a telegram from W. J. Vaughan, extending an invitation to return to Mitchell County for the big barbecue and celebration at Westbrook Monday, Theodore B. Westgate, president of the Underwriters Producing & Refining Co., and John O. Crawford, secretary-treasurer of the company, wired as follows:

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The kid element keeps up with the times by favoring the open pantry door.

Phone O. Lambeth, 346 for feed.

S. R. McDonald, contractor on the Smith No. 1, has the rig about completed and will be ready to resume operations soon.

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FARMS, RANCHES AND CITY PROPERTY.
OIL LEASES AND ROYALTIES
LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH US.
Located up stairs First State Bank Bldg.
Over Palace Market.
PHONE No. 101 "LET'S TALK IT OVER" P. O. BOX 666

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adams have returned from Bedias to spend the spring and summer here.

The Lone Star moving picture show have pitched camps with us this week and will show for several nights.

Dr. W. H. Butler of Dallas is among the prospective visitors here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Buckerstaff left Tuesday for Coahoma.

The dance which was given by Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McCallum was much enjoyed by all present.

CANDIDATE SAYS PUNISH PERSONS PARADE IN MASK

AUSTIN, Texas, March 28.—V. N. Fugler, who has announced his candidacy for re-election to the Legislature from Harrison County, today said that in the event he is elected he will introduce at least two bills at the coming regular session of the Legislature aimed at masked secret organizations.

One of the bills would require all state and county officers to take an additional oath that they do not belong to such organizations, and the other bill would impose a heavy fine upon any person appearing in public in mask and who refuses to remove the mask when ordered to do so by any peace officer.

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Vote for Hargis.

The City Marshal's race seems to be attracting the most attention in the city election next Tuesday. It is generally conceded by a majority of the voters that the whole bunch is now running against the present marshal but there seems to be a concerted action to center on one man and not scatter the vote. Hargis says he is that man because the people have investigated him as a peace officer and reliable citizen. It is believed now that a vote for Hargis will be a winning vote. Adv.

An Oakland, Calif., traffic cop appeared at Police Court as complaining witness against his wife for cutting a corner at a crossing where he was on duty. His courage is explained by the fact that he halted the offending driver before discovering who she was. Of course then he had to go through with it and arrest her, but one may imagine what happened to him in the session in the nuptial court following the Police Court.—Denton Record Chronicle.

Citation on Appointment of Temporary Guardian.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the welfare of Oscar R. Conoway and John Edward Conoway, minors, J. A. Conoway was by the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on the 7th day of November A. D. 1921, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the persons and estate of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the First Monday in May A. D. 1922, the same being the First day of May A. D. 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this 17th day of March A. D. 1922.

W. S. STONEHAM,
Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

RESOLVE

To save and have for future use—your money.

When you realize how little you are depositing to your credit with the bank, it is very evident you are not making the right preparation.

Eliminate extravagance—resolve to save each day but don't delay the start.

Trade in Colorado BANK WITH US

THE BANK OF SERVICE—THE CITY NATIONAL BANK—COLORADO, TEXAS

MORE NEW GOODS

Step in and take a peep at our
New Spring Dress Goods
 Silk Pongee in All Colors
 Tissue Gingham, Organdies, Voiles
 The newest creations at the lowest price they have
 been offered

SUMMER VACATION
 Get ready for your summer vacation and price our
**Full Line Suit Cases, Hand Bags
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Jones Dry Goods

O Lambeth carries a complete line of feed. We deliver. Phone 34.

INFORMATION?

Do you desire information about Colorado and the Mitchell County Oil Field? The facilities of this office are at your service, write us

Chamber of Commerce
 Colorado, Texas.

PHONE 149

Card of Thanks.
 We wish to express to our good friends and neighbors our heartfelt thanks and sincere gratitude for the many words of sympathy and acts of kindness during the illness and death of our darling little baby and grandbaby, Joe Pritchett Girvin. May each of you have such attentions shown you in your hours of sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Girvin.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pritchett.

WELL DRILLING.
 We are drilling a well for your neighbor, why not let us drill for you.

Our well drilling rig is now here and we are at work. This machine is of the latest type, a double arm spudder and will do the work. We will drill you a well to any depth up to 500 feet. For any well work see L. L. Dorn or W. C. Morrow. Phone 11.

Let me sell you coal for your base burner, the best that can be bought.—R. L. Spalding.

Majestic Rooms

Now under new management thoroughly renovated. A nice, clean place to stay.

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ALVIN MYHRE
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 WE CAN SAVE YOU SOME MONEY

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everything you need for the office. Blank books, all loose leaf ledgers, a complete line of writer supplies. Drop in and see your important letters, we will furnish the stationary and printer free. Make our office sharp pencils and leads at our office.

Vitrified Brick for Paving.
 Good roads mean prosperity and travel your way.—Thurber Co., Ft. Worth, Texas.

NOTICE

now have a carload of **Young Missouri Mules** wagon yard. See these
 We are offering extra
ver & Bell

Thursday.
 "We hope to have our pipe line laid and commence taking crude from your wells at Westbrook by Saturday," L. E. Lockhart, manager of the El Paso refinery, wired Monday.

BIG BOX SUPPER FRIDAY NIGHT AT SEVEN WELLS
 A. W. Dearen, principal of the Seven Wells school, states that a box supper is to be featured at the school house Friday, March 31, proceeds of the sale of boxes to be applied on a fund for the benefit of the school. Dearen extends an invitation to the general public to attend.

RIG MATERIALS SMITH NO. ONE ARRIVE SUNDAY
 Material for rebuilding the rig at Smith No. 1, five miles west of Colorado arrived in the yards at Colorado Saturday afternoon and was hauled to the location Sunday. McDonald of Big Springs has contracted to build this derrick.
 Drilling at this location will be resumed just as soon as the derrick can be built and the tools strung. L. Vaughan, stated Monday. The derrick here burned down two weeks ago.

IN SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS

1921 Study.
 The 1921 Study met with Mrs. Roy Dozier. The lesson was on the cities of Detroit and Cleveland. Special papers were given. Mrs. Coffee had one on History of Detroit with a paragraph on 1920 census. Mrs. Soper, History of Cleveland Why called the Forest City. Ohio and her presidents was given by Mrs. W. T. Dickerson. Mrs. J. M. Green and Mrs. W. A. Dozier were guests. The hostess served salad, stuffed eggs, sandwiches, ice tea and Osgood pie.

Standard.
 The Standard met with Mrs. J. H. Guitar. Mrs. P. C. Coleman led the lesson in In Memoriam and Mrs. R. N. Gary in Civics. Officers for next year were elected as follows: Mrs. Guitar, president; Mrs. Sherwin, vice president; Mrs. Coleman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. G. W. Shebino of San Angelo, a former member of the club was a guest. At the social hour the hostess served a salad course, cake and ambrosia.

Bayview.
 The Bayview met with Mrs. D. H. Snyder. The lesson was in Macbeth. At the social hour a two-course luncheon of cream chicken in patty cases, sandwiches, fresh tomatoes, olives, cakes and pineapple whip was served. The next meeting is with Mrs. Tom Stoneroad.

Hesperian.
 Mrs. Lee Jones entertained the Hesperian for Mrs. Broaddus. Mrs. Edgar Majors led the first lesson in Kennelworth. The club was honored with three of the candidates for city marshal to make their announcements. At the social hour the hostess served ice cream and little cakes. The meeting will be with Mrs. T. J. Ratliff this week.

Missionary Meeting.
 The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in regular session at Mrs. Arnett's Monday afternoon. There was a good attendance and good reports were given by all officers. Mrs. Carter was elected as a delegate to the district meeting in Stamford in April. Mrs. Roy Dozier was elected alternate. The dues and pledges amounted to sixteen dollars. The program was on social service conducted by Mrs. Merritt.

Epworth League Program.
 Leader—Pauline Smith.
 Song.
 Scripture reading—Mattie Dorn.
 Prayer.
 What Can our League do to Arouse More Interest during our Revival Meeting—Jaunita Cook.
 Duet—Tommy Smith and Bruce Moore.
 Debate—Are irls and Boys Growing Better or Worse? Affirmative—Millard Smith and Ida Richardson. Negative—Allie Merrell and C. L. Browning, Jr.
 Business.
 League Benediction.

Entertained for Sister.
 Mrs. Y. D. McMurry entertained the friends, who had called on and entertained her sister, Mrs. V. Van Geison Tuesday afternoon. An informal program was given Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Marcus Snyder gave Reading Mrs. Dawes and Mrs. J. L. Bennett favored with piano and vocal selections. Mrs. Sherwin read an original paper on Othello. Also a pleasant time was spent in talking over other days as Mrs. Van Geison was reared here. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

U. D. C. Meeting.
 The U. D. C. held a most interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Soper Tuesday afternoon. The program, as announced was carried out in full. The hostess served cream chicken in patty cases, sandwiches, olives, pickles, fresh tomatoes on lettuce with mayonaisse dressing, cake and tea.

Hamburger Supper.
 Miss Mary Riordan accompanied her Sunday school class of boys of the Presbyterian school, the Live Wire, on the cliffs last Tuesday after school for a Hamburger supper. It is needless to say the boys had a good time.

Entertained for Guest.
 Mrs. Jerold Riordan entertained a few friends honoring her mother Mrs. Riordan's guest of San Angelo. Mrs. G. W. Skeibino, who lived here more than twenty-five years ago. A pleasant afternoon was spent talking of other days. The hostess served pineapple whip and caramel cake. Mrs. Van Guson of San Antonio was an out of town guest.

WITH THE CHURCHES

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH.
 Beginning next Sunday and continuing through the week, there will be held a service at the Methodist Church every evening at 8:00 o'clock and lasting forty-five minutes. These meetings will be given to prayer and organization for the revival beginning the following Sunday. All the official members of the church, Sunday school teachers and officers, the ladies of the Missionary Society, the members and officers of the Epworth League, are especially urged to attend these preliminary meetings during the week.

Evangelist Coale's singer will be with us about the middle of the week for the organization of the choir. The regular choir and all who will help with the music during the meeting are urged to be with us each night of the week of preparation. Brother Coale will be with us for the Sunday services, April 9th, and will remain for two weeks.

The pastor will conduct the services the first week. This will be a week for organization, for prayer, for a definite objective. Each service will be interesting and devotional. Each member of the church is urged to enlist for service. We need you and it is your duty to enlist. I shall be delighted and strengthened by your hearty co-operation from the beginning of the campaign. Let all Methodists rally to the call and be present next Sunday morning and evening. All Christians of the town and community are cordially invited to co-operate as far as possible in winning men for Christ.

C. L. BROWNING.

Rev. M. C. Bishop left Tuesday for Lamesa to attend the Worker's Conference of the Baptist churches of Dawson county, which was convened there Wednesday evening.

Rev. Bishop will return in time to fill his pulpit here as usual Sunday.

The following program was followed at the Lamesa meeting:
 8:00 p. m. Sermon—M. C. Bishop.
 9:30 a. m. Thursday—One Hour Devotional.
 10:30—Address—E. B. Speck.
 11:15—Address—M. C. Bishop.
 Lunch.
 1:30 p. m.—If We Fail—J. F. Wood.
 2:15—Where the Responsibility Lies—S. C. Shipley.
 3:00—Roun Table led by R. F. Self.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
 Our Bible school is keeping, so far, a safe distance in the lead with Big Spring Christian Sunday school. However, we should not slack up on our work. Let's keep going and moving. We enjoyed fine audiences last Sunday. We welcome the visitors and strangers in our city to all our services. Remember we begin promptly at 10:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

D. R. HARDISON.

Your vote and influence for Loyed A. White for City Marshal will never be regretted.

Why not have your clothes cleaned the Klasy way, by men who know how?

Civic League.
 There will be a meeting of the Civic League at the home of Mrs. Coleman Saturday at 4 o'clock.

Joint Meeting.
 Mrs. Jim Johnson and Mrs. Pearl Ruddick Shannon entertained the Harmony and Merry Wives clubs jointly Wednesday afternoon at the home of their mother, Mrs. Ruddick. Besides the members of the club the guests were Mesdames B. F. Dulane, Joe Smoot, Tom Stoneroad, D. H. Snyder, Prather, W. B. Crockett, Harry Landers, Jr., J. H. Greene, Bert Robertson, Y. D. McMurry, V. Van Geison of San Antonio and Miss Caroline Chambers. Apricot ice and black and white cake were served. The Merry Wives meet next week with Mrs. Shropshire and the Harmony with Mrs. Edwards.

Mrs. W. W. Gross of Snyder visited Mrs. Broaddus and Mrs. F. B. Whipkey Tuesday.

Auto Tops, cushions repaired.—Roberts Top Co., Coe Bldg.

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey has been sick all this week.

Mrs. V. Van Geison of San Antonio, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, left Thursday for a visit with friends in Big Spring and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller in El Paso.

Mrs. Chambers visited her brother Mr. Bennett, in the Lone Wolf community this week.

Auto Tops and Cushions repaired Ford wheels and windshields.—Roberts Top Co.

PLAY THURSDAY NIGHT A GREAT SUCCESS

One of the best shows ever put on in Colorado by local talent was staged last Thursday night at the Opera House. Mrs. Jas. H. Guitar and Mrs. E. Dupree were the promoters of the show and that is enough to guarantee its success. Mrs. Guitar had spent several weeks training pupils of the school, principally those who are music pupils of Mrs. Dupree, in the play, "A Musical Bouquet." Mrs. Guitar and Mrs. Dupree are par excellence in the art of training children to appear properly on the stage, and they excelled on this occasion. We have heard only the highest praise of the performance, and there was quite a demand for a repetition of the play on Friday night, but it was thought best not to repeat at that time.

These good ladies contributed all the proceeds of this show, after the expenses were paid, to the school to help pay off the remaining indebtedness on the school piano. Between \$175.00 and \$180.00 was the amount received at the door and we are told that the expense is about \$35.00.

We take this opportunity to express the thanks of the school and the thanks of all who are interested in the school to these two ladies and all others who in any way helped to make the play a success. The work was done by a master hand, and it was very generous on the part of those who trained the children. This will very materially help in paying off the balance due on the school piano.

E. Frank King, Supt.
 H. L. Hutchinson,
 President School Board

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Look Here!
 Don't forget your old friend, Alex Free, is still in the race for City Marshal and racing to win. Your vote and influence will always be remembered. Adv

Windmill repairing done at R. B. Terrell's.

Some folks try to promote confidence in their financial responsibility by wearing clothes bought on credit.

Formerly people did too much mooning, and now they do too much moonshining.

The Lease Man And The Farmer.

A successful farmer can't afford to neglect his farm standing on the streets trying to sell his lease, whom he can secure the services of a man whose

ONLY BUSINESS

is selling leases. I want your lease listed exclusively with me.

If you have listed leases with me exclusively. I can afford to give you exclusive service.

If you have listed your lease with two or three agents, you'd better remove it from the listing and place it with one man.

My business is conducted through the Colorado National Bank and I will protect your interests in every possible way.

Have connection with parties who want to drill in this field, and can handle acreage of any size.

Get your abstracts up to date, and get ready to do some business. Come and see me.

Arthur W. Palmer

Office: Colorado National Bank.

Real Estate.

We are in touch with parties wishing to buy royalties in Mitchell County, also have buyers for oil leases, city property and farm lands. If you have anything to sell see us.

HART.COSTIN REALTY CO.

No Leko rings will give your car more pep and stop that oil leak—Womack Garage.

Now is the time to have your windmill repaired. Phone 280.

Everybody is getting ready for the oil rush that is on the way.

If it is coal or wood see me.—R. L. Spalding.

Call for that GOOD GULF gasoline. It costs no more and has more power.

Horseless age not yet arrived, but the sawhorse is out of style.

Good second hand cars for trade. Harrell & Madden.

Before selling your hogs see Oliver & Bell. We buy any kind and pay top market price.

We Serve You

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We like to put it in capitals that way because we believe it is the most important thing in the battery business.

Of course we can't make a new battery out of an old one, or a good battery out of a poor one, or a long-lived battery out of a short-lived one. There are limits even to battery service.

But we can make any battery last longer and serve better if you give us a chance. We can make the Willard Threaded Rubber Battery do both—and it already holds records for long life and reliability.

We can always do more with a battery if we get a chance right at the start, although we are ready to help anytime. Come in!

You'll say, too, that we give—
SERVICE!

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Our parlor is open for your inspection. Come and get a

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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

CHICKENS AND EGGS.

Bring you chickens and eggs to the Oliver and Bell Wagon Yard. Highest market price paid.

W. M. BREWEN.



W. O. Kent, editor of the Stanton Reporter was in Colorado Monday.

When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Rube Hart.

For Oxyacetylene welding see DeGarmo and Son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wulfjen returned Friday from Tucson, Ariz., where they spent several months.

If you have old thrown away hats let me clean and block and retrim them and make them serviceable for many months. Klassy Kleaners. Phone 133.

T. E. Fisher of Sparta, Tenn., has some nice things to say about The Record and encloses money order to renew his subscription to the paper.

When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Rube Hart.

We still sell feed best quality. Prices are right.—Vaughan and Son.

Mrs. George McFann of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, is among the list of new readers of the Record.

Get Oliver & Bell's price before you sell your maize.

Out of the whole bunch for City Marshal W. C. Hargis seems to be the man.—Adv.

Max Elser returned to Cisco Saturday night after spending two weeks at Colorado on business in connection with his interests in the Mitchell County oil field.

There is no trouble in starting cars when you use that Good Gulf gasoline. Call for it when buying gasoline.

When your windmill needs repairing, phone 280.

R. C. Dale was in Colorado Saturday and requested that the address of his paper be changed from Loraine to Westbrook. Mr. Dale has been deputy sheriff at Loraine for some time.

When in need of Klassy Kleaning Phone 133. I'll be there on the run.

FISK TIRES



For mileage, for safe tread, and for good looks—Next Time—BUY FISK DeGARMO & SON

TO CITY VOTERS

I have served you in your local steam laundry for 10 years and now I want to be your City Marshal. Give me your vote. I can serve you right.—J. ALEX FREE. 31-p

P. L. Strickland of Green's Gap, New Mexico, writes: "I am afraid the Mitchell County people are all going to be washed away with oil. Send me The Record so that I may keep up with them."

HAVE YOUR CAR REPAINTED

ADAMS MOTOR CAR CO., SWEETWATER. We have good cow feed and prompt delivery service. Phone us your wants. Phone 181.—Oliver & Bell. We deliver.

W. J. Flick, field manager for the Travelers' Oil Company, arrived in Loraine the latter part of last week to take charge of his company's affairs in the Loraine territory. According to information given the Leader, Mr. Flick will probably start the last of this week to drill the Landers well 500 feet deeper.—Loraine Leader.

Get our prices on casings, tubes and accessories before buying. We can save you money.—Womack Garage.

Large or small business is appreciated just the same at the Klassy Kleaner. Phone 133.

The Foster No. 1 was showing up splendidly Friday afternoon. The crew had been on a cleaning job and were bailing out. It was to be noticed that the bailer came up each time filled with oil and no water was to be detected. Because of the high quality of petroleum in this well, the general public is manifesting much interest in the well.

It seems like Jno. A. Thompson is leading the ticket for City Marshal. Vote for him he will make you a good hand. Adv

Oliver and Bell want to sell you all your cow feed. Phone 181.

I am still in the fuel business. plenty wood and coal.—R. L. Spalding.

Mrs. Christy who was called here two weeks ago on account of the illness of her father, Mr. Hutchinson, returned to her home in Houston Monday night.

Fisk Red Top tires at DeGarmo & Son Garage.

Good milch cow for sale.—Oliver & Bell.

Mrs. G. W. Sheibino of San Angelo visited old time friends here last week. Dr. and Mrs. Sheibino lived here during his lifetime and are remembered by many old timers.

We want about 25 or 30 chickens at market prices.—Vaughan & Son.

Mrs. Merritt left Tuesday night for San Antonio to attend the Southern Methodist Missionary Council. While there she will be a guest of Mrs. Annis.

We have any kind of grain you need and good hay. Phone 181. We deliver.—Oliver & Bell.

When in need of a windmill or pipe, see Colorado Supply Co. Phone 280.

Mrs. D. C. Byrne left Saturday for an extended visit with her son at Ozona.

Save your Ford fenders by installing a set of Star Fender braces—Womack Garage.

The demand for residence, business and vacant property in Colorado is growing and if you have property to sell, list it with us. We are prepared to give you the best of service.—Colorado Lease & Royalty Co., Office opposite Post Office.

A vote for W. C. Hargis for City Marshal will be a good vote.

Herman Hooker and daughter, Eddie, of Sterling City, are visiting J. C. Hooker and family. Herman is a brother of J. C. Hooker.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

Roy Farmer has the Colorado Record on sale at his stand.

Read Smith's market ad this week. Phone 145 and let him explain the discount on his coupon books.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Len Bodine on Sunday morning a sweet little girl and the parents are not so proud as the grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hooker.

W. L. Doss has all kinds of windshield glass. Get your next windshield here and save 50 per cent.

EARLY HISTORY OF LIFE IN WESTERN TEXAS

(Continued from page 9.)

Mexico. He had come up to Santa Fe to attend a reception given by Gen Lew Wallace, the famous author of Ben Hur, who was then governor of the territory.

Doctor Hoyt goes on to tell in the letter of a dramatic story.

Governor Lew Wallace told of a visit he had with Billy the Kid in the Santa Fe jail. He said when the Kid was brought before him shackled and handcuffed he told him that he had not come as the governor of the territory, but as one man to see another in distress. He then gave the Kid a box of fine cigars and a bottle of whiskey. The Kid refused the whiskey saying that he didn't drink, but he accepted the cigars with thanks.

Then Governor Wallace asked the Kid to give him his view of life and why he preferred to be an outlaw instead of a law-abiding citizen.

The story told by Billy the Kid was repeated by Governor Wallace to a few select friends, Dr. Hoyt being one of them.

In his letter the doctor says he never heard such a dramatic story in his life. That while telling it the governor passed back and forth before a blazing fire with his hands behind his back.

At his trial in La Mesilla, the county seat of Dona Ana County, Billy the Kid was sentenced to hang for the killing of Sheriff William Brady in 1878 the day of his execution being set for May 13, 1881.

On the 28th of April, 1881, the Kid killed his two guards, J. W. Bell and Robert Ollinger, making his escape on a black pony with half the population of Lincoln cheering him as he galloped down the main street.

He made his way to Fort Sumner to see his sweetheart, to try and persuade her to leave with him for Old Mexico, to live happy ever afterwards, but the pretty young miss refused to leave her mamma.

For over two months Killy the Kid hovered around old Fort Sumner so as to be near his sweetheart. This caused his undoing, as, on the night of July 14, 1881, he accidentally met Sheriff Pat Garrett in Pete Maxwell's bedroom. The result was that the Kid fell with a bullet thru his heart.

According to the story told to the writer by Mrs. Charley Bowdre, a few months after his death, the Kid had just come in from a sheep camp. He was in the habit of putting up with an old Mexican peon in an adobe cabin back of the Maxwell home. Finding the old peon in bed he lit the lamp, then pulled off his coat, hat and boots, and began glancing over the newspapers which had been left there by loving hands for his special benefit. Finding no accounts of himself he laid down the paper, which he had been going over, and asked the old peon to get up and get him some supper, as he was very hungry. The old man told him there was no meat in the house. The Kid then told him to get up and build a fire, that he would go over and get some meat from Pete Maxwell.

Picking up a butcherknife from the table, he started in his shirt-sleeves, bareheaded and barefooted. Reaching the porch in front of the Maxwell home he came in contact with Deputy Sheriffs John W. Poe and Kip McKinnie, whom Sheriff Pat Garrett had left outside while he went into Pete Maxwell's room to question Pete about the Kid's whereabouts.

Reaching the porch in front of the Maxwell home he came in contact with Deputy Sheriffs John W. Poe and Kip McKinnie. Both John W. Poe and Billy the Kid pulled their pistols. Neither knew who the other was. The Kid backed into Pete's room where Pat Garrett sat on the bed talking to Maxwell. Garrett's bullet pierced the Kid's heart. In his right hand was a double action Colt's .41 calibre pistol and in his left a butcher knife.

At the time of his death he was 21 years, 7 month and 21 days old, and had killed 21 men, not counting Indians, whom, he said, were not worth counting.

Contrary to sensational reports, Billy the Kid never murdered for the sake of spilling blood. His killings were always justified according to his way of thinking. He was one of the most tender-hearted boys the writer ever knew, when he found a friend or a stranger in trouble. The writer knows one case in particular here, in Fort Sumner, the Kid risked his life by visiting a young American who was left to die with smallpox in a cabin in the outskirts of the old fort. The kid heard of the case and rode out to see the patient who was lying on a dirt floor almost at the point of death. The result was that Billy the Kid hired a Mexican with his team

to haul the patient to a doctor in Las Vegas, a distance of over 60 miles. After seeing that the stranger who had no money, was comfortably provided with a soft bed in the bottom of the wagon, the Kid gave him a handful of gold to pay his expenses in Las Vegas while under a doctor's care. This story was told to the writer by the patient, who had recovered, during the winter of 1880, and he cried like a baby while telling it. Many cases could be cited where the Kid came to the rescue of suffering humanity. If you wish to hear a case "hot off the griddle" ask John P. Meadows, a prominent resident of Tularosa, New Mexico, who it was that put him on his feet, with a new Stetson hat on his head, when he struck Fort Sumner in 1879, a stranger, and sick. If he doesn't shed a tear when he tells you that the good Samaritan was Billy the Kid I will be surprised.

Billy the Kid seemed possessed with a charmed life up to the time of his death, for he had many narrow escapes. When the Kid's band shot down Sheriff William Brady, and his deputy, George Hindman, on the main street in Lincoln, the Kid jumped over the adobe wall where they were in hiding and ran into the street, picking up the sheriff's rifle. Just then J. Mathews, one of the deputies, who had taken shelter behind a cabin, fired at the Kid. The bullet shattered the stock of the sheriff's rifle, crippling the Kid in one hand.

One of the Kid's most narrow escapes was on the night of July 19, 1878, when a large posse of "Seven River Warriors," and a company of United States soldiers, under command of Lieutenant Colonel Dudley of the Ninth Cavalry, had his band surrounded in Lawyer McSween's eleven-room adobe residence.

The front part of the residence was set afire, and as the blaze worked its way from room to room, towards the rear, Billy the Kid made merry by singing and thumping on Mrs. McSween's fine piano which was moved ahead of the blaze. The make-believe music and the singing ceased in the kitchen when the fire forced the brave band to make a dash for liberty.

Lawyer McSween fell in the back yard with nine bullets in his body. Four of the Kid's band were killed

and several wounded. One of the wounded men, Salazar, is still alive and lives near the old plaza in Lincoln. The writer talked with him early in the spring of 1921.

He had fallen on his stomach in the back yard with a bullet through his body. Two of the "Seven River Warriors" stumbled onto his prostrate form lying in the grass. One man was going to fire a bullet into him when the other said: "Hell, don't waste ammunition on him, he is dead." To prove it he sprang onto Salazar's back and began to jump up and down. Salazar says he wanted to scream from the pain, but knew that would mean death.

During the night Salazar crawled to a friend's house and was nursed back to health. In this battle two of the "Seven River Warriors" were killed.

John S. Chism died several years ago. He was not happy when the Pecos Valley began to settle up with small ranchmen and farmers. His mind would drift back to the early and middle 70's when his cowboys could live on venison, antelope steaks and buffalo humps.

The winter. On our way back we camped at the head of Tulle Canyon, where those bones of horses killed by General McKenzie laid, as described in your Lone Star Cowboy book."

The photograph of the old Maxwell home, which burnt down 25 years ago, was sent to me by a granddaughter of Lucium Maxwell, the famous land grant king of New Mexico.

In a letter from one of my fighting cowboys who helped capture Billy the Kid, James H. East, now a well-to-do resident of Douglas, Arizona, I will quote a few lines:

"After we captured Billy the Kid at Arroyo Tivan, we took him, Dave Rudabaugh, Billy Wilson and Tom Pickett—also the dead body of Charley Bowdre—to Fort Sumner. On arriving there Sheriff Pat Garrett told Louis Housman and me to take Charley Bowdre's body to his wife—a young half-breed Mexican woman. As we started in the house with the body she struck me over the head with a branding iron, and we had to drop Charlie at her feet. The poor woman...

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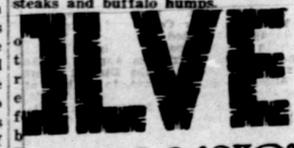
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A. J. HERRINGTON



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BIG SUCCESS PREDICTED FOR OIL CELEBRATION

Everything is in readiness for the big celebration at Westbrook next Monday. There are at least fifty men, representing the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce, who have spent their entire time since Wednesday morning perfecting plans for the event. Alvin Bell, directing the barbecue end of the celebration, was in Colorado Friday morning and stated that fifteen beehives were to be cooked. The Westbrook Chamber of Commerce is to furnish ice water on the grounds.

Every store and office in the city will be closed after ten o'clock Monday in order that no one have an excuse for not attending the big celebration. Some of the business men have stated their plans to remain closed throughout the day, that is, not to open their stores at all Monday morning.

Visitors from every portion of West Texas and many points outside the State are coming. Friday morning automobiles, profusely decorated with advertising matter, left Colorado and visited towns in all directions from here, boosting the celebration and distributing advertising matter. At all places visited the people were found enthused and pledged to come. Big delegations especially are expected from Abilene and San Angelo.

Porter A. Whaley, general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has notified the local Chamber of Commerce of his inability to attend because of a conflicting appointment, previously made. He will be represented, however, by "Bill" Wheeler of Fort Worth, assistant manager of the West Texas chamber.

Those managing the program announce that base ball, basket ball, races music by one of the leading bands of this section and other features are to be observed in addition to the speaking. The Texas & Pacific will stop the Sunshine Special trains at Westbrook during the day in order that visitors may stop off there, Porter Whaley states in a wire received Thursday. Under the regular schedule, these trains do not stop at Westbrook.

The Morrison well was showing up fine today and the usual number

of visitors were noted at the well. That she will soon blow in a gusher is fast becoming the prevalent opinion among oil men who are watching the well. All storage of the Underwriters is full and oil is being wasted on the ground. This, however, will be eliminated probably today when the first oil to pipe run to Westbrook is turned into the Rio Grande Oil Co. pipe line.

Special stress is being made upon the importance of each Mitchell county family carrying a well filled basket to the celebration. Be it noted that only a few days elapsed from the time the event was planned until Monday, the management did not have sufficient time in which to prepare a barbecue dinner large enough to feed all the visitors expected. The plans are to have sufficient dinner to feed the out of county visitors.

Telegrams and letters are being received from the leading daily papers over the state, in which they pledge their full co-operation in putting the big celebration over through giving the occasion publicity. Several of these papers have already signified their plans to have staff men attend the barbecue.

HERMLEIGH COTTON WEIGHER SHOT DOWN

W. B. Hooper, public weigher of the Hermleigh precinct, was shot and instantly killed on the principal street of Hermleigh at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. He was 24 years old and had lived in Hermleigh practically all his life.

Immediately after the shooting J. W. Burris, constable, surrendered to the sheriff of Scurry county at Snyder. A court of inquiry is being held at Snyder to inquire into the shooting.

It is said a brother of Hooper was engaged in a fight with a man named Ethridge. Constable Burris attempted to stop the fight when Bronner Hooper attacked him, the report stated. Two shots were fired, both taking effect. Hooper died instantly.

On account of high feeling occasioned by the shooting the examining trial of Burris, which was to have been held at Snyder Thursday, has been postponed until next week.

Mrs. J. E. Hooper of Abilene is spending a ten day visit with friends here.

Phone 181. Oliver & Bell. Sheriff Byrd of Scurry County in Colorado Tuesday afternoon on official business.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, none better than Supreme XXX, sold by all leading garages.

IF IT'S FEED
We have it in all quantities and sizes. Phone 181 for all your feed. Oliver & Bell.

See that new Shilling Bros. Type, Standard keyboard machine. Pidgeon has been looking for efficient help in his garage. March 11th, when a fine boy moved in their home.

Hogs Wanted.
I want all your hogs, all kinds, sizes—bring us your hogs—best prices. Phone 181. Oliver & Bell.

Drum repairing done at R. B. Bell's.
Have your Ford fenders by installing a set of Star Fender braces—back Garage.

W. W. Beall of Sweetwater, county district judge, was in Colorado Wednesday on legal business. Windmills and windmill repairs pipe fittings phone 280.

The Citizens of Colorado.
I am particularly anxious to be next City Marshal because I am in the office and feeling sure at the same time I can fill it satisfactorily to your wishes and having been in the Laundry work of the city for more than 10 years I feel I am not a stranger to you and if elected I will put forth every possible effort with the cooperation of your citizenship to make Colorado the cleanest and the organized city of the West.

I wish to say that on the account of my present employment every day of my time it is almost impossible for me to of you, but want to ask you to hold that against me but to head and give me your whole support and I will prove to you my appreciation by extending my best service to you as a Mayor of your city.

J. ALEX FREE. 3-31 Record

Best prices paid by Oliver & Bell. R. M. Adams, of the Adams Motor Car Co., of Sweetwater, accompanied by his father, was in Colorado Monday.

Out of the whole bunch for City Marshal W. C. Hargis seems to be the man.—Adv.

I have some good used Singer Sewing machines to sell. Get my terms and prices. Will also repair any old machine.—J. D. Pierce, Phone 77, Colorado, Texas, Box 482.

I have fed you for 35 years, now I want you to sleep with me 35 years try my beds. First door north of Barcroft Hotel across the street from Burns Store.—Jake.

S. A. Barker, managing editor of the Sweetwater Reporter, was in Colorado Saturday.

Do you want the laws enforced? If you do, vote for John A. Thompson for City Marshal. He will enforce them.

Maize Heads.
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When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Rube Hart.

Judge Alexander of Fort... was in Colorado... business.

Below is Halbert's weather forecast for April. Mighty little consolation in this if Halbert is right:

All Major period run over from March and chances not good for rains. Some clouds and local showers may possibly come around April 1st.

Minor period from 6th to 9th. April showers if not heavy rains, can be looked for with confidence from the moon's direct influence.

Major period from 12th to 15th. Mrs. with heavy rains from the ship canal list this to Central Mexico, and our chances will depend upon heavy South winds. Roy Minor period from 19th to 22nd, of little or no benefit to our section.

Good time. Major period from 27 to 30th, with torrents of rain as near as Cuba and Central Mexico from combination of both sun and moon, with our chances good for rains from strong south winds.

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LET'S GO JOLLYING ALONG.

(BY R. H. McCARTY.)

Most of the American people are joy riders, and real sports in the time of great crisis. Yes, the American Yanks on the battle line overseas, cracked jokes, told funny stories, smoked cigarettes, while they killed boches, and their spirit of laughter took the starch out of the German morale, and thus Europe evaded the crunch of the iron heel of Prussian despotism. During the Spanish-American war our company was aboard a United States pilot boat down there at Point Isabel, and we were in the midst of a great squall, trying to tack up and get into harbor. The waves were running across the deck of this pilot boat about waist deep and we had one arm around the mast pole, and holding the company's mascot with the other to keep from washing overboard and feeding the sharks. It was indeed a crisis, and it looked like every wave would be the last one, and just when it looked like all hope of a safe landing was gone, Sergeant Albert Tankersly said to Corporal Bob Miller, what do you think about our chances for a dry landing? And Bob answered him and said, "Oh, there ain't no chance for us, the ship pilot has given it up and we are goners. Then Sergeant Tankersly came back at him and said, "Well to say the least of it, we are in a hell of a fix, and the whole company caught the spirit of Alberts rejoinder and began to laugh, and about that time one of the boys started off on that old familiar jazz song: "It will be a hot time in the old town tonight," and it sure looked like it was going to be, and this jolly sing song of the American soldier boys put grip and nerve in the arm and brain of the ship pilot, and he got a good tack up, and shot the ship boat through the channel and out into the harbor of safety. Many years ago we had the pleasure of hearing the immortal Bob Taylor deliver his famous lecture entitled: "The fiddle and the bow," and it was a tonic of laughter in the time of need. Bob Taylor was not what the world termed a deep philosophical thinker, but he was possessed of that knack of taking the old folklore of the mountaineers of East Tennessee, the log rolling, corn shuckin',

shooting match, political gatherings and the fox chase and he spun and wove it into a web of humor, climbed upon the stage and made all the world laugh with this hill-billy stuff. Yes, immortalized it. But we sure do love to meet the fellow who goes along down the street, jollying every fellow that he meets, and it don't matter how dry or how hot, he just goes a jollying along, how are you John, and good morning Mary, oh, yes, he is a ray of sunshine and a wave of joy in a desert, and as he passes by, you hear the bird songs and catch the fragrance of the rose of hope—and when he dies the community has lost one of its greatest assets. **Folks, let's get the habit of making the world laugh, and plant some roses of joy along the way and be a benefactor to the race, and not a knocker.**

FOSTER'S WEEKLY WEATHER BULLETIN

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The week centering on March 29 will average below normal temperatures on meridian 90 from the Gulf of Mexico to the far North. The high temperature of that disturbance will be in northwestern Canada about March 25, on and all along meridian 90 March 27, and in eastern sections March 29. A cool wave will be in the northeast near March 27, on meridian 90 March 29, eastern sections March 31.

The cooler than usual weather of last half of March will extend to near middle of April and then temperatures will go above normal. Severe storms first week in April will cause bad and cold weather. Balance of the month does not give promise of severe storms and the better weather will give opportunity for better roads. Farmers are expected to deliver large quantities of grain to the markets last half of April. Many farmers are pressed for money and will be compelled to get rid of their grain during April and May while the roads are good.

My warnings about the dangerous storms of this month were surely well founded and my good percentages on that kind of forecasts are large. My success in forecasting the shortage of rain in the winter wheat section and the prediction that relief would come in March, suggests

that my warnings that great and destructive drouths will occur between this and first of April, 1923, in fourteen countries, may also be well founded. I know they are almost as sure as the sun will continue to rise. Many are getting interested and all will be convinced within the next six months. Here is the opportunity for the critics; I have placed all my eggs in one basket and if I win the critics must shut up.

One of the most important weather events within fifty years, past or future, will occur near May 1. It will affect the world's crop production immensely and thereby will become an historical event. Why do I not give the details in advance? I am giving all the facts to some of those who have assisted me. Those who do not believe in Foster's forecasts will miss something and thereby learn a valuable lesson.

Much is being said these days about man's origin, especially in the religious press. God answers questions on man:

(1) A living soul, Gen. 2:7: And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

(2) Lower than the angels, Heb. 2:6-7: What is man? * * * Thou madest him a little lower than the angels.

(3) Higher than brutes, Ps. 8:6-9: Thou hast put all things under his feet—all sheep and oxen, yea, and the beasts of the field, the fowl of the air, and the fish of the sea, and whatsoever passeth through the paths of the seas.

Of what two parts does he consist?

(1) Body, 1 Cor. 15:44-47: It is sown a natural body * * * There is a natural body. The first man is of the earth, earthly. Gen. 2:7: And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground. Gen. 3:19: In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread; till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken; for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return. Eccl. 3:20: All go unto one place; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again. Luke 24:39: Behold My hands and My feet * * * A spirit hath not flesh and bones.

LORAINE NEWS

Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity.

—MISS PEARL TEMPLETON—

Miss Templeton is also authorized receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whiskey Printing Company in Loraine and Vicinity. See her and take your County Paper.

B. W. Dorn of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rhodes were Sweetwater visitors Wednesday.

Mr. H. H. Carroll left Friday night for a business trip to New Mexico.

Miss Opal Jackson is home from Westbrook, the school there having closed Friday.

A. B. Green and wife of Colorado spent Saturday and Sunday in the L. W. Rhodes home.

W. D. McCorley left Friday night for a business trip to east Texas.

Mrs. Amos Burnett and children of Ft. Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cranfill.

John Luther, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. Hester is quite sick this week.

Loraine has renewed its membership in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the ensuing year by the taking of twelve memberships.

Mr. and Mrs. Homan Fulkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Fulkerson and Miss Hazel Kay of Colorado spent Sunday in the Oscar Jones home.

Edd Garrett of Breckenridge visited the home folks Sunday and Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson attended church at Snyder Thursday. Rev. Jameson formerly of Loraine but now pastor of the Snyder church is holding a meeting over there.

The Loraine territory was treated to two good rains last week, one fell Thursday with considerable hail and the other Friday. The hail did some damage to young gardens and to fruit trees.

News was received this week from Mrs. C. M. Black at the Carlsbad sanitarium that she is improving rapidly. Mrs. Black's many friends will be glad to hear this.

A. G. McGee, after a three weeks visit with relatives here returned to his home at Dove Creek, Colo., Monday. D. V. McGee accompanied him home for a visit and also a prospecting trip.

Mrs. F. Johnigan of Temple who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Segar, left Wednesday for Tuscola and Abilene, where she will visit relatives. Mrs. Segar accompanied her.

Mrs. W. R. Martin is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. S. Baird and baby went to Merkel Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Meeks.

Rev. Kimmel of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Saturday.

Married.

Felix Ballinger and Mrs. Pansy Martin motored to Colorado Saturday where there were united in marriage, Rev. M. C. Bishop officiating. The bride's mother, Mrs. J. R. Burrus and brother, Lee Burrus, accompanied them and witnessed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballinger will make their home on a farm near Roscoe. We join a host of friends in extending to this worthy couple best wishes for a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Class Party.

Homer Johnson, assisted by his mother, entertained the members of his class, the ninth grade, with a party Saturday evening. Their teacher, Miss Thelma Hudson was also a guest. Music, games and contests furnished the entertainment till a late hour. Refreshments of jello and whipped cream and Angel food cake were served.

Howard Spikes is suffering from injuries received Monday, when a horse fell with him, several miles north of town hurting his leg and hip. The horse also kicked him, striking his head and cutting a gash just below the temple. He was brought to town and Dr. Hester summoned. It was necessary to take five stitches on his head.

A deal was closed this week whereby Press Luttrell exchanged his town property for a farm near Lou in Dawson county owned by J. H. Owen. Mr. Luttrell and family left Tuesday for their new home at Lou. Mr. Owen and family moved here Wednesday.

Mr. Thomas Dawes of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Derryberry visited his parents in the Valley View community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Price, Mrs. J. T. Chambers and daughter, Miss Caroline, visited in the R. E. Bennett home Sunday. Mrs. Chambers stayed over till Tuesday morning.

Messrs Oran and Glen Coon, Mike Looby, Ira Coffee and Misses Connie Baird and Willie Howell motored to Sweetwater Sunday afternoon where Glen Coon, Mike Looby and Ira Coffee took the train for Stephenville to resume their school work at John Tarlton College.

Misses Annie, Fannie and Lucile Jarrett, were Sweetwater visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Burtis Perry and Children of Roscoe visited in the W. A. Jarrett home Monday.

Mr. D. P. Hollis went to Abilene Tuesday to visit relatives.

Elder Kimmel of Colorado will hold services at the Church of Christ Sunday. He will probably be here and continue preaching all the week.

Morgan Hall left Friday night for Stanton after a week's visit here.

Harvey Williams, who was run down by an automobile on the street Friday afternoon, was not hurt as seriously as was thought at first. The accident happened during the rush attending the Mitchell County track meet being held here.

Mr and Mrs. J. K. Taylor entertained a number of their friends with a big turkey dinner Thursday. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Chancel Gunn, Marion Mahon and Misses Mattie Thompson, Mary Ethel Richards, Annie, Lucile and Opal Jarrett. In the afternoon they went to Champion creek where they fished and had their supper picnic style.

The Adult Missionary Society met with Mrs. Frank Johnson Monday afternoon. There were fourteen present. After the Bible lesson they enjoyed a social meeting. The hostesses served salted peanuts and candied pop corn. The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. A. Hutchins.

W. F. Altman left Friday night for his home at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Barna Haney of Roscoe spent Sunday in the Roy Edwards home.

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The early bird catches the worm but not always. This time it is sox. From 9:00 to 9:30 a. m. we will sell Mens Sox 5c per pair, only 5 pair to a customer.

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Bring your children, make it a holiday for your little Kiddies. We have a wonderful supply of toys and play things, which are FREE for the asking.



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This is your chance in a thousand to get your Spring Suit at a reasonable price. We are in position to fit the tall, small and slim. We can offer you the best in Style and Quality. Our stock consists of high grade Serges, Worsteds and Cassimere of all Wool. We also have some real snappy and conservative styles in Cool Cloth that will keep anyone cool. Just take a glance at these prices below and it will open your eyes. Of your last suit did not come from us—your next one will after reading over this advertisement.

- \$35.00 Special Sale price - \$29.50
- \$30.00 Special Sale price - \$24.25
- \$25.00 Special Sale price - \$19.75
- \$20.00 Special Sale price - \$16.50
- \$15.00 Special Sale price - \$11.90

This lot of Mens Suits consists of all standard brands such as Hart, Schaffner and Marx and other standard brands.



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Our stock is complete in every detail. We are showing the Newest Styles in all the novelty foot wear at prices which will open your eyes. It is unnecessary to boost our quality as we have the distinction of carrying nothing but Solid Leather Shoes. We have put away one pair of slippers for the first lady who can wear them, providing she buys \$3.00 or over of other merchandise.

A Tip to Mother

Your boy is going to need a Suit this summer. Why not buy him one now? If you don't have the money to spare at this time, don't worry. We have cut the prices so low that you will be surprised. Just think, we have one lot of suits to sell at \$5.90. This suit has two pairs of trousers. You know what it means to have two pair with one suit. It means double service of course. Below are a few prices which may interest you:

- \$14.00 Suits reduced to \$9.90
- \$11.50 Suits reduced to \$7.40
- \$8.90 Suits reduced to \$5.90

Space does not allow us to quote more prices but we invite you to come and see for yourself.



Big Clean O Shoe Sale

If you fail to see this special lot of close out slippers and pumps in patent leather, kid and c. Baby French, Military and Flat heels. You will see our display tables with a special sale price in plain sight will open your eyes. Please come early and get your share as this lot is exhausted.



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Your little kiddies want to wear heavy summer months. No get ready for the enormous stock of Sandals, Tennis Shoes at prices so low that to lay up a supply summer.

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Men Take Notice

We have a Union Suit for you at 69c per garment that is worth \$1.00. Take a look at it. You'll be surprised and we have one for 89c which is worth \$1.25.

MOTHERS

If you want your little kiddies to be comfortable while playing this summer take notice at our close out lot of Childrens summer weight union-suits, they are only 59c.

OIL CLOTH

We have about 1000 yards of regular 35c oil cloth which we will sell during the first day of our sale at 15c per yard, only three yards to a customer.

LADY O

If you havent gotten your spring hat on account of care to pay out any too much money, that times now is your chance. We have the best stock in town at prices that everyone can afford a hat. Come to our store and make yourself at home, in our Ladies Rest Room upstairs.

Store will be closed all day Friday for remarking our entire stock of merchandise.

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HAIL ACCOMPANIES RAIN IN SOME LOCALITIES IN CO.

Hail accompanied the rain in some localities of Mitchell County Thursday afternoon of last week. At Lorraine two inches of rain fell, which was accompanied by a severe hail storm. The fall at Colorado Thursday afternoon was light.

Friday night a good rain covered the county, the precipitation ranging from less than one inch to two inches. At Colorado the rain gauged ninety two hundredths of an inch.

Farmers report a good season in the ground for planting and cattle-men bring in the reports that surface tanks are once more containing stock water and that a luxuriant growth of spring grass on the range is assured.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Nothing so Good for a Cough or Cold.

"Everyone who has used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy speaks well of it," writes Edward P. Miller, Abbottstown, Pa. People who once use this preparation are seldom satisfied with any other. It is excellent to allay a cough or break up a cold.

The church work; the meetings of church societies or guilds; the visits to the sick; the relief of the poor; these things make life happier and make life nobler.

From the way some folks work, they are apparently trying to avoid the evils of over production.

Just received car North Texas Prairie hay, five bale lots, 60c per bale. O. Lambeth. Phone 346.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD HERE SATURDAY

Two aldermen and a city marshal are to be elected in the municipal election here Saturday. The campaign for marshal has proven very interesting, since there are seven candidates for the place and each of them is conducting an aggressive campaign.

A. A. Dorn has been appointed presiding judge of the election to take the place of F. A. Winn, deceased.

Eighteen Bands.

PLAINVIEW, Texas, March 22.—Cash prizes in the sum of \$1000 will be offered by the Chamber of Commerce of Plainview and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in the West Texas band concert contest to be held in this city on the occasion of the Fourth Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber, May 22 and 23. John Boswell of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce announces that already eighteen West Texas bands have entered the contest.

An important meeting of the Plainview and West Texas Chamber of Commerce committees in connection with the Fourth Annual Convention will be held at Spur on March 25. At this meeting various details in connection with the Plainview Convention will be taken up.

We want to buy all your cow and calf hides. Top prices.—Vaughan & Son.

Some people are reported getting so dry that water turns into steam when it flows down their throats.

SEVEN WELLS SCHOOL TO ENTERTAIN FRIDAY NIGHT

A community entertainment given for the benefit of the school is announced for Friday night at Seven Wells, a few miles south of Colorado. A comedy drama, "The Mischievous Nigger," and a box supper are on the program.

Excellent Remedy for Constipation.

It would be hard to find a better remedy for constipation than Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial when you have need.

EXAMINATION FOR CLERK COLORADO POSTOFFICE

The civil service commission announces an open competitive examination for postoffice clerk at Colorado, on April 15, 1922.

Both male and female applicants will be admitted to the examination. Male applicants must measure 5 feet, 4 inches in bare feet, and must weigh at least 125 pounds on date of appointment. Those whose normal weight is less than 125 pounds should not apply for examination. Female applicants are not required to be of any specific height or weight. Married women may be admitted to the examination.

Photograph of applicant must accompany application. Kodak unless 2 inches square will not be accepted unless it is a good likeness of applicant. Application blanks on file at the Colorado postoffice.

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WEST TEXAS A VIRGIN EMPIRE.

At the recent meeting of representatives of irrigation enterprises called by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and held at Austin, Texas, with the State Board of Water Engineers, it was estimated that the value of irrigation properties within the State is approximately \$100,000,000; and the Chairman of the Board of Water Engineers told the writer that not more than 5 per cent of the irrigable properties in Texas are yet developed. This means, with full development, that there is a value in irrigation properties in the State of two billion dollars.

One of the most important irrigation areas lies in the valley of the Pecos river, in the States of Texas and New Mexico. There are well developed private enterprises now operating at Grand Falls, Imperial, Buena Vista, Barstow, and at some other places in Texas and the government project at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Essential elements of a successful irrigation enterprise are fertile irrigable lands, sufficient, and suitable water, and climate. All of these elements are found in the valley of the Pecos. Some of the enterprises mentioned have been in operation for more than twenty-five years, and for a sufficient time to prove, or disprove the soil, the water and the climatic conditions as they bear upon the crop, plant growth, and production. And when we say there is more land being prepared for cultivation for the coming season than ever before in this area, it would seem that experience has proven the irrigation values there.

There are thousands of acres of alfalfa, cotton, maize, kaffir corn, and other crops grown there yearly. The alfalfa produced, it is asserted in official bulletins of the State, is of the best quality of alfalfa produced in Texas. The cotton is a long staple, and brings a price considerably above that paid for the rain belt cotton farther east. The boll weevil, for climatic or other reasons, is practically unknown there.

The method of putting water on the land in this district involves no pumping. Dams are built across the river and the water diverted into reservoirs, from which the water is taken off by gravity flow, to the farms. In some instances the water is carried direct from the river dam to the farms; but the reservoir system is preferable because it makes possible the retention of flood water thereby furnishing a storage and serving as a safeguard against loss by reason of periods of low water in the river. There are several reservoirs along the river; among them, those of the Orient Company, and the Pecos River Reservoir Irrigation Company, near Imperial and Buena Vista, Texas, under which there are now something like 10,000 acres under cultivation, with a great deal more to be developed. The Government reservoirs at Carlsbad, New Mexico, furnish supply water to about 25,000 acres of land, practically all of which is developed.

At Grand Falls, Texas, irrigation has been carried on for more than a quarter of a century without a retaining reservoir. At Fort Stockton, in Pecos county, Texas, several thousand acres are being successfully irrigated from Comanche Springs. These springs are remarkable in that they are flowing daily 35,000,000 gallons of water and there is no record of material change in the amount of their flow, notwithstanding these springs have been known since the days of the early Spanish history of the Southwest dating back more than 200 years.

Lands under these various enterprises sell at prices varying from \$50 to \$250 per acre, according to location and state of development, and when rented they earn more per acre than the lands in the Middle West, which have been selling from \$400 to \$5000 per acre.

The valley soil is very rich and being naturally level, the cost of adjusting it to irrigation is comparatively small. Over much of the land is a small growth of mesquite and other plants which, at the low cost of Mexican labor, can be taken out and the land prepared for the plow very cheaply, the salvage being valuable for fuel. With adequate storage capacity, the flood waters of the river will furnish sufficient water to serve vast areas of land.

And the climate! There is none to excel it; a southern latitude and high altitude, about 2,000 feet, tempers the winter's cold and the summer's heat. It is a big land—a land of wide horizons, roofed by a high, blue, clean swept sky, by day, and where, by night, the moon hangs low to meet the caress of the gentle night breezes, and where, as Fiona McLeod, the Irish muse would say, "He has strown the outer shores of

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night with the pebble of the stars."

There are some small irrigation projects along the Colorado river in operation, and one of the largest proposed irrigation projects in the United States is being planned at Bronte in Coke county south of Colorado. The Colorado river, both above and below Colorado affords ample opportunity for irrigation and doubtless will be used for this purpose at some future date most extensively. R. P. Price of this city owns a farm south of Colorado on the river which is irrigated to some extent and it is reported that the water from the Colorado river is of excellent quality for irrigation, and leaves a sediment with the land that is most beneficial. Yes, West Texas is a veritable empire of wealth and Mitchell county is about the center of that empire.

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RURAL SCHOOLS IN MANY SECTIONS CLOSE

Over in Hopkins county, so reports declare, more than one-third of the rural schools have already closed because of lack of funds and practically all the rest will be forced to do so within the next few days, unless the state comes to their rescue.

Hopkins county draws every year more money from the state school fund, above the amount of all taxes it pays into the state treasury, than any county in Texas. It is a rich county with high priced lands, and important towns. But, the people in the rural districts refuse to vote special taxes for school purposes, and expect the money from the state available school fund to pay the expenses of their schools. This year the state money has fallen short and Hopkins county schools are being forced to close long before the usual time.

Under present laws there is no excuse for a community not having enough money from local taxation to support its schools, for the lid was taken off two years ago, and a com-

munity will vote to do so. But, a number of East Texas counties, unlike the counties in West Texas, believe in letting other folk educate their children, and have a policy of not voting special local taxes.

The state school tax should be abolished, the state rural aid fund should be done away with, and only the revenue from the bonds and lands of the permanent school fund should be used. Except for this aid every community should educate its own children with money raised by its local people.

West Texas has for many years not only educated its own children, but has paid a large part of the money used in educating the children of East Texas (Thousands of whom are negroes.) The present system should be worked over for it is robbing our people.

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grading in Martin County will probably be completed the last of this month. In Howard County the grading is seventy-five per cent completed and the construction of concrete bridges and culverts is sixty-five per cent completed.

In Ector County the grading is not as far advanced as in the other three counties.

It would be much better for the roads if a big rain should come before the gravel is placed on this highway.

CONCRETE VIADUCT ACROSS COLORADO

S. S. Posey, assistant bridge engineer from the State Highway Department has made surveys for the proposed viaduct across the Colorado river in the western city limits.

Boring to test foundation sites at the approach of the river have been completed and a good sandstone foundation was found to exist. This stone sets in on a level with the bottom of the river and was drilled into for a depth of seven feet.

The floor of the new viaduct will be approximately three feet higher than that of the present bridge, the engineer stated, if recommendations to be made by him to the department are followed out. This would place the bridge at a height as to guarantee safety from damage in any contemplated high water and also take practically all the street depression out. Approaching the bridge from either side of the river now the street follows a slight incline and this the engineer desires to eliminate.

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EDITOR CLATED.

Frank E. Force, associate editor of the Texas Oil World, Fort Worth, who visited the Colorado field recently and inspected the Morrison well, has been giving the field quite a bit of publicity through the columns of his paper. In fact Force says he was elated over the prospects of this field.

"Morrison No. 2 is a might good well," Force stated, "and there is doubt that a big producer will be brought in there. The geology of this section is very similar to that of Burkburnett and you better commence preparing to meet a big boom for it is sure coming."

This journalist has been in ever proven field in the United States and says the Mitchell field looks very good to him and predicted that this would make one of the best fields in the State.

The conservative policy of the public in Mitchell county relative to news reports about oil development was praised by Mr. Force. "But the time is here for the people of Colorado to become active, and let the outside world know what you have. You have an oil field of wonderful possibilities and it is nothing but proper that the information be carried to the thousands of people in America who are interested primarily in oil and oil development."

Many other journalists of repute have visited the Mitchell county field all of whom are enthusiastic about the potentialities of the field, and the field is receiving wide-spread publicity since the Morrison well came in.

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MOVING PICTURES OF WESTBROOK CROWDS

A knockout feature of publicity for the Mitchell county oil field will be recorded Monday when moving pictures will be made of scenes at the big barbecue at Westbrook by the Fox Film Corporation. This company, one of the largest motion picture producers in the United States, will send a cameraman to Westbrook Monday to take pictures of the big crowds and various events attendant upon the celebration. Actual oil field scenes will be taken and reproduced before interested spectators and theatre goes all over the country.

The pictures are to be taken for the International News Service, which means that the pictures will follow some of the largest circuits in the country.

This is indeed a very fine feature

of the celebration and the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce who have been instrumental in securing this moving picture company to film the scenes at the celebration, is certainly splendid work, and shows what a real live commercial organization can accomplish.

MAKING PROGRESS ON BANKHEAD HIGHWAY

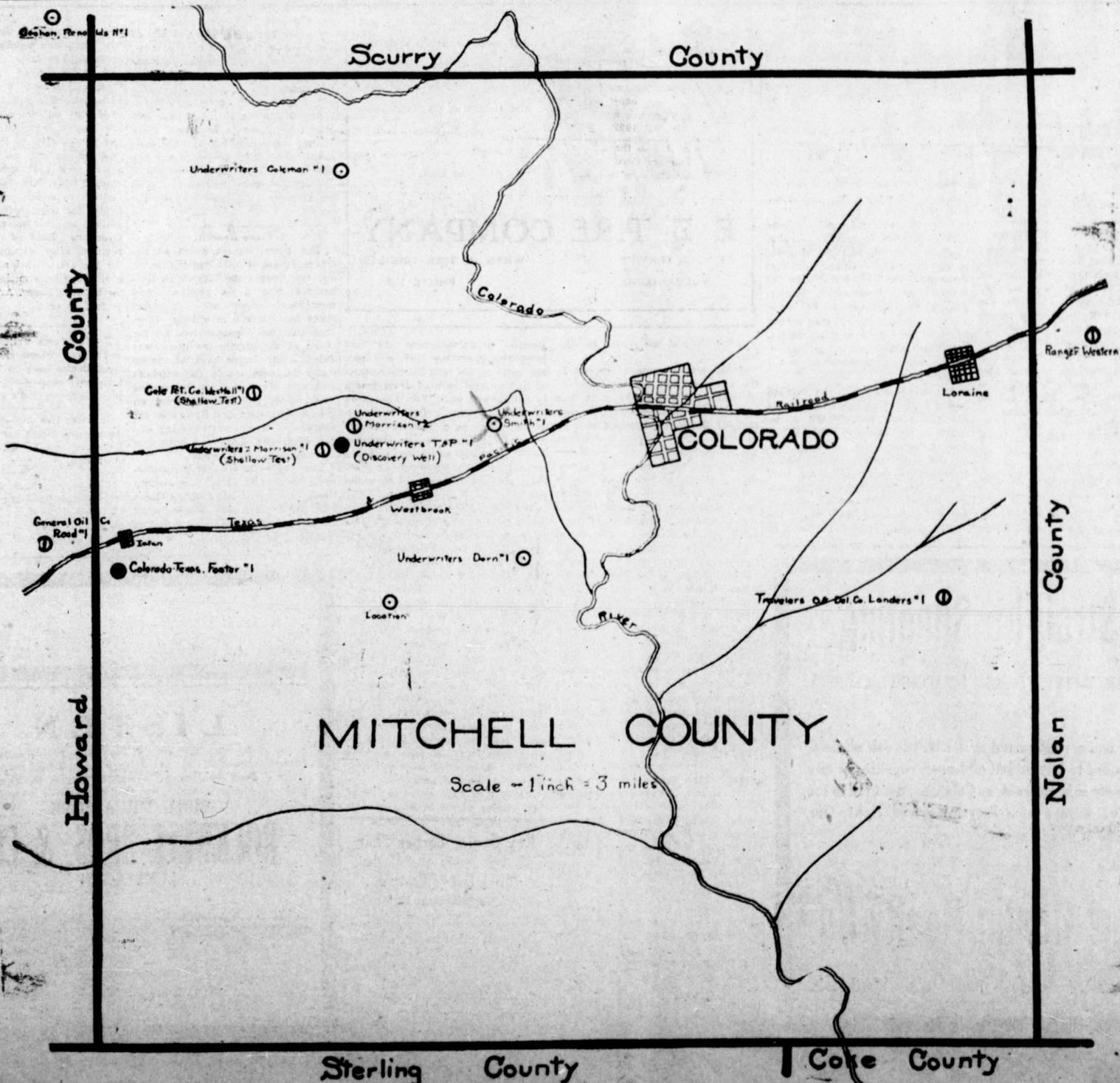
Work on the ninety-nine mile section of the Bankhead National Highway in Howard, Martin, Midland, and Ector county is going forward steadily. The grading up of the highway is rapidly nearing completion and it will not be long until the placing of gravel will be in full swing. The grading of the road thru Midland County has been practically completed and gravel will be started to that county immediately. The

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER RECEIVES INVITATION

STAMFORD, March 28.—An invitation has been received by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from the Southern commercial commission through Clarence J. Owens, director general, Washington, to have a West Texas representatives on the international trade commis-

sion tour to Europe. It is likely that at the fourth annual convention of the West Texas organization to be held in Plainview, May 22-23, that a delegate will be elected to make the tour. The party will visit most of the principal European cities.

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About one-third of the State of Texas is arid, or semi-arid, and there is a very large portion of the State that is subject to reclamation by irrigation. In many sections of the Southwestern and Western part of the State there are ideal opportunities for irrigation on both large and small scales. In the Lower Rio Grande valley alone is a project covering eight hundred thousand acres that has already received preliminary investigation by the United States Reclamation Service. A project of large magnitude is proposed in Coke county near Bronte and the U. S. Reclamation Service is and has been investigating the proposition. It is proposed to place a dam across the Colorado river there to store up the flood waters for gravity irrigation, and thousands of acres of fine land will be reclaimed and made to be worth millions of dollars if the project is put through. In many sections of West Texas irrigation on a small scale is practiced. Henry M. Half of Midland has been advocating the advantages of irrigation from water wells in Midland county and has demonstrated beyond a doubt that this would be very successful there, and the prospect is that several hundred acres in that county will be under irrigation in this way before long. Pecos, Reeves, Ward and several other counties in the Pecos River Valley district are now successfully irrigating farm lands and many acres are being put under cultivation yearly as new projects are established. One of the largest projects under the supervision of the Government is at Carlsbad, N. M., on the Pecos River.

Many counties on the Plains have demonstrated the possibilities of irrigation from wells, as almost an unlimited supply of water is to be had at shallow depths in most of the Plains counties. In many sections of Mitchell county this kind of irrigation could be carried on successfully as well as irrigation from the Colorado river in some localities. While Mitchell County is in the rain belt and a complete crop failure is improbable, for the raising of truck and small fruits irrigation is very desirable.

Reclamation on a scale larger than was ever dreamed of before, will be made possible if the bill known as the Smith-McNary bill, recently reported favorably by the Senate Irrigation Committee, in Congress, becomes a law.

This bill provides for a bond issue of \$350,000,000 to provide a capital fund for the construction of great irrigation and drainage projects throughout the United States by the United States Reclamation Service. This is not, however, to be issued all in one year, as it will take several years to build up a working organization of sufficient magnitude to handle such a tremendous undertaking.

The bond issue will be spread over a series of seven or eight years not to exceed \$50,000,000 to be issued in any one year. This is less than the price of one battleship, and yet the plan involved in this bill, it is estimated, will within the next thirty years provide for an expenditure of \$2,000,000,000 in reclaiming arid and swamp lands within the United States, without the cost of

a single penny to the federal government.

This seemingly impossible feat is accomplished by what is known as a revolving fund. The bill provides that any district or political subdivision, having lands to reclaim may issue bonds to cover the estimated cost of the project. These bonds are to be placed in escrow with the federal land board, and the project constructed out of the reclamation fund which is created by the bond issue provided for by this bill. After the project is constructed and in operation, the bonds are then sold on the open market and the proceeds of the fund returned to the reclamation fund to be used over again in the construction of other projects, and at the end of 30 years the original United States bond issue is gradually retired out of the repayments made by the district.

Reclamation is thus made to ultimately finance itself, the government merely lending its credit during the construction period, and while the project is getting on its feet.

Texas would be the largest user of this service. That is, Texas has more land subject to reclamation than any other state in the Union. There are vast areas of land in Texas, particularly in the coast country that can be reclaimed by drainage, which is provided for in the Smith-McNary bill, in addition to the millions of acres of land in Western Texas that could be reclaimed by irrigation projects.

It is a well known fact that both arid and swamp lands when reclaimed, are the most valuable and highly productive lands found anywhere. Not less than one million could be added to the population of Texas by the development of some of the most accessible arid and swamp lands which will be made possible

other States are becoming acquainted with the possibilities in Texas and are assisting the local citizens to develop and prove up this vast area of wealth producing territory. The most phenomenal growth and advancement ever recorded has been credited to the Texas oil fields, and more money is said to have made, and more millionaires created by Texas oil fields than all others in the United States combined. Even the great Wall Street of New York if detached from interests in Texas could hardly compete with the Texas oil money. There are many counties in Texas that have been made famous by the discovery of oil underneath their surface. Among these Mitchell bids fair to become one of the most famous. Oil men as well as others, predict that even the much talked of Ranger or Eastland county field will be surpassed by Mitchell when its oil resources will have been developed to its capacity. Even the great Mexia field in Texas may be forced to take second place when extensive development has been accomplished in the Mitchell county area, and even though this is not now a reality, it is at least a very probable fact, since the actions of the Morrison No. 2 well is said to have been very similar, indeed, to those of the Rogers well, the discovery well in the Mexia field. In as far as development has gone in Mitchell county as compared to development at Mexia when the discovery well was first brought in there, Mitchell county has a decided advantage in chances to outstrip all other fields in Texas in the production of oil. This is true from the fact that in other fields much more development was done before the field was proven up to the extent of the proven field here. Work in the Mitchell county field has been slow and tedious owing to the dif-

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**BUSINESS MEN ENDORSE
TAKING BAND TO MEET**

The suggestion made in The Record a few weeks ago that the Colorado Booster Band should accompany the Colorado delegates to the fourth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Plainview in May has been endorsed by several of the local business men with whom the matter was discussed. Some of these are of the opinion that Colorado should not only take her band, which is one of the best in this part of the state, but that provisions should be made to provide the members with suitable uniforms.

Announcement from Plainview says that already 18 bands have entered the contest to be staged there during the convention. Colorado should send fifty delegates and her band to the West Texas Convention. We are getting on the map now, and by all means, we must stay on the map.

The specialties were worth the price of admission. The chorus girls in their white organdies festooned with flowers, their white hats trimmed to match made a lovely scene and delighted with their choruses. The picture book characters from Mother Goose rhymes in costume, the old but ever new gingles delighted the older folks as well as the children. The bachelor revue was well portrayed as many charming young ladies passed before his royal highness, the bachelor and Cupid, in the person of little Frances Price sent the darts all to miss the mark till the domestic girl appeared on the scene with a cake and man-like his heart was touched through his stomach. The tableaux, My Country 'Tis of Thee and Spring Flowers were also scenes of beauty and brought forth much applause. Every character on the program showed not only training but that she had put her personality in her part and made the patrons of the school feel justly proud of such a splendid student body. Mrs. Dupree and Mrs. Guitare are under obligations to the public for their untiring efforts in getting up this splendid program. Over one hundred dollars were realized after expenses were paid for the piano fund and much more could have been made had the auditorium been larger. Anyhow it was a perfect success.

Piano Benefit.

The entertainment given at the Opera House last Thursday evening by Mrs. Dupree and Mrs. J. H. Guitare was one of the prettiest and most highly appreciated programs given in Colorado in a long time. Long before the hour arrived for the rising of the curtain the house was filled, chairs were brought, many stood up, boys sat in the windows and still many had to be turned away. Over one hundred were on the program and the Record would like to list the names of every one for each one deserves honorable mention but space forbids.

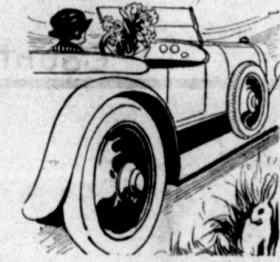
The play—"A Musical Boquet"—with the grandmother, Miss Juanita Cook, the mother, Miss Mattie Conoway and the fourteen daughters, all talented, was so well given that it was hard to tell who did the best.

J. T. Adams writes from Bedias and says: "Please change my paper from Bedias back to Westbrook for I am sure coming out of these dark stick back to God's country."

It seems like Jno. A. Thompson is leading the ticket for City Marshal. Vote for him he will make you a good hand. Adv

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Texas already stands second in the value of farm products produced and will, within the next five years, stand at the head of the column of States of America as crop producers. Only a few years ago Texas was almost at the bottom of the column of farm products producing states, and it is only since the great lands of West Texas have been placed under cultivation, and the enormous possibilities of agriculture in the West been discovered, that the Lone Star State has been able to lift her record as an agricultural State above that of the proud North Central States. When the full resources of the Western part of Texas are developed, no other State in the Union can even reach the hip pocket of old man Texas, and many of them now boasting their records as oil and agricultural states will be unable even to crawl about the feet of Texas. Texas is already first in the number of individual farms within its borders and is also first in the production of livestock. The value of livestock alone in Texas is almost, if not, equal to the entire value of some other states. Texas also leads in the production of cotton as an individual crop. The largest hog producing county in the WORLD is in Texas and is among those of West Texas. That county is Hale, a comparatively small county in area.

Texas Leads in Oil.

In the production of oil Texas has in most recent months reached the top of the list of States, and is now the leading oil producing State in the Union, even though her vast oil and other natural resources have merely been scratched as it were, and are yet barely past the wildcat stage. However, many thousands of investors and interested parties of

facilities to be overcome by the companies operating here, and consequently no big rush has been started and no real rush of development in drilling new wells. For this reason the Mitchell county field has been proven up along a line of twelve miles, from Iatan to the Morrison No. 2, without attracting any big amount of attention until the Morrison blew in spraying oil over the derrick.

Mitchell county is destined to be one of the leading counties in Texas in the production of oil, according to the oil fraternity, and in this respect she will doubtless even outstrip her record among West Texas counties as an agricultural county. She is already one of the leading counties of the West in the production of farm products.

We can with truth say that Texas is the greatest state in the Union and affords greatest opportunities for farmer, oil operator, or home-seeker of any State under the sun today, and she stands ready to welcome you here, fellows, with the glad hand, even though it be a little greasy from oil and a little rough from handling hogs and hominy and cotton and cash.

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CLARK DRILLING ENGINE INSTALLED BY RENO-TEX

A Clark drilling engine has been installed at Conaway No. 1 by the Reno-Tex Company.

Drilling was resumed at Conaway Wednesday, S. A. Sloan, manager of the company, stated.

TWO MORE TEST WELLS.

H. H. Enders of Boston, president of the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association arrived Thursday to watch developments in connection with Enders-Cushing well No. 1.

This well is now drilling in a lime formation similar to that encountered in the Underwriters wells in Mitchell County.

The water has been cased off and every precaution taken to bring it in right when pay oil is encountered.

Mr. Enders is going to be a busy man during his stay here for in addition to keeping a close watch on Enders-Cushing No. 1, he will also purchase tools necessary to spud in Sparkman well No. 1.

WEST TEXAS EXHIBITS TAKE VALUABLE PRIZES

The judges at the Southwestern Exposition, Fort Worth, awarded the first prize for the best general agricultural exhibit.

Every loyal West Texan ought to feel gratified at the extraordinary fine showing by West Texas at the Southwestern Exposition.

Total fair prize winnings of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the past six months are:

- Cotton Palace (Waco), \$1,200; South Texas Fair (Houston), \$300; Southwestern Exposition Ft. Worth, \$1,500; West Texas Fair (Abilene), \$400.

INTERSCHOLASTIC TRACK MEET MITCHELL COUNTY

The Mitchell County interscholastic meet was held at Loraine last Friday and Saturday. The literary events were held Friday and the field events Saturday.

C. H. TRACK TEAM TAKES HONORS AT MEET

In this year's county meet the Colorado track team reversed the usual procedure of Mitchell County track meet by walking away with the happy end of the score.

Table with 3 columns: Event, Place won, Points. Includes 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 440 yard run, etc.

Total points in the meet were 185.

Colorado's tennis team met with little opposition and the match was a walk away from start to finish.

In the literary events the local high school won 70 points, making a grand total of 185 points for the meet.

This is by far the best showing Colorado has made in a County meet and we are proud of her boys and girls.

REVIVAL MEETING BEGINS SUNDAY AT M. E. SHURCH

A revival meeting to be conducted by Evangelist D. L. Cole of Los Angeles, California, will begin at the Methodist church Sunday.

Read the classified department.

MORRISON IMPROVING; TEN CARS OIL BE SHIPPED

The Morrison well is expected to blow in a gusher any time, according to local oil men who are watching closely the daily performances of the well.

Tuesday afternoon the well flowed continuously for several hours, and now all available storage, 2,500 barrels is full.

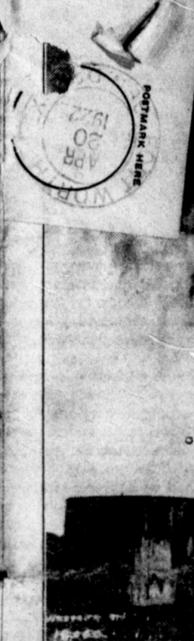
C. L. Lockhart of El Paso, manager of the Rio Grande Oil Co., has been here during the past week directing the work of the company pipe line from the field to Westbrook.

Lockhart stated Tuesday that the prediction of his company was that the Mitchell County field was destined to become one of the largest oil fields in the southwest.

"If my company did not have every reason to believe that this was to become one of the big fields in the Southwest, we most certainly would not come here and make an initial investment of \$15,000 in laying pipe line to handle production."

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Mitchell County Field Barbecue Picnic

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Monday, Apr. 3 -- Westbrook, Tex.

The Best Theatre advertisement for Friday and Saturday, March 31st and April 1st, featuring 'Empty Arms' and 'Seashore Shapes'.

Use Brick advertisement for roads and streets paved with vitrified brick.

GENERAL OIL COMPANY TO BE REORGANIZED advertisement.

CONGRESSMAN PARRISH DIES AT WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, March 28.—Lucian W. Parrish is dead.

The end came at the sanitarium at Wichita Falls, after a long fight against the injuries received while enroute from Anson to Roby to fill a speaking date in the interests of his candidacy for the United States.

The end was not unexpected after the relapse of yesterday, although earlier reports had him well on the way to recovery. All that medical science could do was rendered him in his game fight for life. First aid was rendered at Roby, then he was taken to Stamford and later to this city. The immediate cause of death was cerebral meningitis.

Members of his family and numerous friends were at the bedside of the Congressman when he died at 9:30 o'clock.

HENRIETTA, March 29.—The funeral of Congressman Lucian W. Parrish, who died at Wichita Falls last Monday night, was held at the First Baptist church here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Masonic lodge conducting the services, assisted by Rev. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, and Rev. Finnis Crutchfield of the Methodist church of Dallas.

The flag over the postoffice here has been flying at half mast all day in honor of Congressman Parrish.

Congressman Parrish was a candidate for the Democratic nomination to the United States senate, and was on a speaking tour when an automobile containing him and a companion went off a bridge. Congressman Parrish suffered a fractured jaw in addition to other severe injuries. For several days he showed improvement but later an attack of cerebral meningitis caused his death.

Congressman Parrish spoke in the Court house in Colorado a few days before the accident occurred, and went from here to Big Spring and Midland where he spoke in the interest of his candidacy. He had many friends and admirers in Colorado and his death is deplored by the entire citizenship of the County.

Born in Grayson County.
Congressman Lucian Walton Parrish was born in Van Alstyne, Grayson County, Texas, Jan. 10, 1878. He was a son of Jefferson C. and Mattie Parrish.

He began life as a cowboy on the prairies of Texas, and in that way earned money with which to pay the expenses of his education at the University of Texas. He took the bachelor's degree at this institution in 1906, but continued his studies until he received the degree of Master of Laws in 1909. On Sept. 4, 1915 he was a member of the law firm of Westland and Parrish at Henrietta. He was a member of the Democratic executive committee for Clay county during 1917 and 1918. In 1918 he was elected to congress from the Thirteenth Texas district. He served in that capacity until his death.

Received Many Honors.
Many honors had been conferred upon Congressman Parrish during his public career, but prematurely short. He was chairman of the school board of the Henrietta independent school district, and for a long time president of the Chamber of Commerce at Henrietta.

He belonged to several fraternal organizations—the Masonic Lodge,

Knights of Pythias, Elks and Woodmen. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist church.

His first schooling as he recounted often to his friends, was alternated with helping the other members of the family to combat the drouths, prairie dogs, grasshoppers and coyotes that made life miserable for the frontier families. Mr. Parrish, in those youthful years, spent more time helping to keep the wolf from the door and the Texas coyote from the sheep fold than he did in the school room.

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Oil Investment Helps.
It is said that his investment in land that later proved to be oil land enabled him to offer for public service and furnished him sufficient income to prosecute his candidacy for Congress, which was very successful, even a surprise to his friends. After a successful term in congress, he had heard the call of his friends and was prosecuting his candidacy for the Senate when the accident occurred.

Congressman Parrish is survived by his wife and two children, age 7 and 5, besides numerous other relatives.

Caught With The Goods.
W. L. Doss was caught with a big stock of talking machines on hand that must be sold regardless of prices or cost.

TO THE CITIZENS OF COLO. RADO—MEN AND WOMEN

Will you please let this serve to inform you that I am in the race for City Marshal, and will appreciate your vote and influence. If elected I promise to the utmost of my ability, to enforce all laws involving upon me to enforce, and will do my best to enforce the following in particular:

- 1st. To stop speeding throughout the city limits.
- 2nd. To keep all streets and alleys open and clean.
- 3rd. To eliminate all dangers of fire, as far as possible.
- 4th. To go my limit in assisting other officers in apprehending and bringing to justice "Bootleggers," Hi-jackers and Lewd Women.
- 5th. Prohibit the gathering together, holding and feeding of herds or bunches of stock within the city limits at any places other than provided by law.

My Motto—Equal rights to all; special favors to none.

LOYED A. WHITE.

NEWS ITEMS FROM WESTBROOK

Arrangements for a big barbecue and picnic at Westbrook Monday, April 3, celebrating the initial shipment of oil from the Underwriters production near Westbrook, were completed here Tuesday night at a joint meeting of the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce. Dr. P. C. Colburn, president of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, presided at the meeting, which was attended by forty representatives of the men of the two towns.

The celebration will be one of the most important events in the history of Mitchell County. Amid the cheers of the thousands of visitors, ten tank cars, loaded with oil from the new field, will leave the shipping point for the refinery. This oil will be loaded into the cars by pipe line, connection of which was completed to the wells today.

W. J. Vaughan, first president of the Underwriters Producing & Refining Company, was in long distance telephone conversation with his Fort Worth representative several times during the day Wednesday outlining plans for getting an aviator to bring his machine to Westbrook for the occasion and also to obtain the services of a motion picture cameraman to film "movies" of the various events to be staged.

The dinner is to be an old fashioned basket picnic, but in order to provide lunch for the hundreds of visitors expected from outside Mitchell County, the Colorado and Westbrook Chambers of Commerce will barbecue twelve or fifteen beefs, with all the accessories, and furnish coffee free on the grounds. Citizens of Mitchell County are expected to bring well filled baskets, as the short time will not permit arranging to feed all at the barbecue tables.

Col. Charles M. Adams of Colorado, chairman of the program committee, stated Wednesday morning that he was arranging to bring two West Texas League ball teams to Westbrook for a series of games during the day. Concert will be furnished by the Colorado Booster band, and arrangements are being worked out for races, rodeo events and other attractions. Several prominent West Texas men have promised to attend to deliver addresses.

All stores and business houses in Colorado are expected to be closed throughout the day Monday in order that the entire city be enabled to attend the celebration.

The citizenship of Mitchell County are urged to join with these two commercial organizations in making the celebration all that it should be. The fact that Mitchell County is an oil field is the biggest commercial asset ever in the history of the county and there is no question of declaring Monday a holiday and celebrate the dawn of a new era of prosperity. Colorado business houses will close at ten o'clock Monday morning and visitors from here should begin arriving at Westbrook by ten thirty.

Alvin Bell of Westbrook, has charge of the barbecue end of the celebration and those cattlemen and other citizens desiring to donate beefs should communicate with him at once. Several beefs have been given already.

There will be nothing overlooked that would add to the comfort and convenience of visitors during the day. Ice water will be had free and in abundance on the grounds.

"Say, fellows, look at the big chief. Says he can't break away till he finishes his Kellogg's Corn Flakes! Guess he knows good things, aw' right!"



Mighty appetizing to open the day with Kellogg's Corn Flakes

Those big, sunny-brown "sweet-hearts-of-the-corn" just seem to get things going right, from the littlest "star boarder" to the eldest! For Kellogg's Corn Flakes hit-the-spot as no other cereal ever could; and they are a continuous taste-thrill!

Tempting in their appearance, wonderful in supreme flavor and crunchy and crispy to the very last degree, Kellogg's Corn Flakes are really and truly a revelation in good things to eat—for breakfast, for any meal and for between-times nibbles!

How all your folks will delight to get Kellogg's; how they'll appreciate Kellogg's crispness. For, Kellogg's are never tough or leathery or hard to eat! You'll see big and little bowls come back for "some more Kellogg's, Mother, please!"



When you order Kellogg's today—insist upon getting KELLOGG'S—the delicious Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package! It bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. NONE ARE GENUINE WITHOUT IT!

Bear in mind KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes are made by the folks who gave you the JUNGLELAND Moving Pictures. Coupon inside every package of KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes explains how you can obtain another copy of JUNGLELAND.

Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLES and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and krumbled

LONE STAR.

This community was blessed with a good rain Friday evening and night, which we needed very badly but still need more.

Bro. S. H. Young filled his appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community went to the singing at Bauman Sunday evening. They reported the singing was very good. The singing was very good. The singing was very good. The singing was very good.

Pearl Richardson, Lillian Richburg and Grace Long were dinner guests of Nannie Lou Taylor Sunday.

W. H. Harris and family were guests in the Sanford Fraser home Sunday.

Clifton Henderson and family spent Saturday and Sunday at Lorraine.

N. L. Henderson entertained with a singing Sunday night.

Grace young spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Milton Hamilton.

Milton Hamilton, wife and baby spent the day Sunday with Mr. C. W. Groom and family.

Our "Lone Star" basket ball boys played Rogers Saturday morning. The score was 20 to 3 in favor of Lone Star. Hurrah for our boys.

I think most every one attended the track meet Friday and Saturday.

Miss Mattie McAdams is on the sick list this week.

H. D. Mearse and family, Dexter Taylor, Florence Richardson, Mrs. Albert Land and daughter were guests in the Homer Mearse home Sunday.

Allie Hallmark spent Sunday night with Lissie and Bessie Porter and Hellen Hamilton with Lois Jackson.

Arbie Richburk attended church at Buford Sunday night.

Some Lorraine folks were out last Sunday evening to hear Bro. Young preach.

BLUE EYES.

We have a buyer for a block or half block of building lots in town. What have you. Turk & Goldman Realty Co., Up stairs State Bank Bldg. Phone 101. tf

Your vote and influence for Loyed A. White for City Marshal will never be regretted.

Buy your paints and wall paper at W. L. Doss'. Best paint at big reduction in prices.

OIL LANDS AND LEASES

Oil lands and leases. We have twenty years experience in the oil business; we know the game, and we are now in an oil field and in touch with the buyers. If you want to buy see us first; if you want to sell list with us, we get results. LANHAM & COMPANY, Office opposite the postoffice, Phone 155, Colorado.

When you think of gasoline think of that GOOD GULF, because there is more power in it.

McClarty is the best plumber Colorado has and his prices are reasonable. Phone him at R. B. Terris for any kind of plumbing work.

If it is coal or wood see me. —R. L. Spalding.

We weld anything from a broken heart to the break of day—DeGarmo and Son.

WE DO AUTOMOBILE BODY WORK—ADAMS MOTOR CAR CO. SWEETWATER.



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That's What a Trip Through Our Store is Bound to Be

We have studied our business, have studied your tastes until we are prepared to offer you more suggestions of good things to eat than you ever thought possible. Whether hungry or not, give us a chance at your grocery requirements.

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If you spend more than 90% of the money you earn, you are depriving yourself of the means for a home, a business, a future. 10% of your earnings is the minimum which the average man CAN and ought to save. Your first obligation is to your family.

BUILD YOU A HOME.

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FREE EASTER FREE HAT

To the girl under 16 years of age who brings us the most eggs on

Saturday, April 8th

We will give a Beautiful Easter Hat Free and will pay the highest market price for the eggs; so girls move the old hens and get all the eggs you can on that day—the prize is surely worth working for.

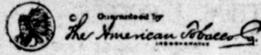
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PENN'S CHEWING TOBACCO



LET'S GO JOLLYING ALONG.

(BY R. H. McCARTY.)
 Most of the American people are joy riders, and real sports in the time of great crisis. Yes, the American Yanks on the battle line overseas, cracked jokes, told funny stories, smoked cigarettes, while they killed boches, and their spirit of laguter took the starch out of the German morale, and thus Europe evaded the crunch of the iron heel of Prussian despotism. During the Spanish-American war our company was aboard a United States pilot boat down there at Point Isabel, and we were in the midst of a great squall, trying to tack up and get into harbor. The waves were running across the deck of this pilot boat about waist deep and we had one arm around the mast pole, and holding the company's mascot with the other to keep from washing overboard and feeding the sharks. It was indeed a crisis, and it looked like every wave would be the last one, and just when it looked like all hope of a safe landing was gone, Sergeant Albert Tankersly said to Corporal Bob Miller, what do you think about our chances for a dry landing? And Bob answered him and said, "Oh, there ain't no chance for us, the ship pilot has given it up and we are goners. Then Sergeant Tankersly came back at him and said, "Well to say the least of it, we are in a hell of a fix, and the whole company caught the spirit of Alberts rejoinder and began to laugh, and about that time one of the boys started off on that old familiar jazz song: "It will be a hot time in the old town tonight," and it sure looked like it was going to be, and this jolly sing song of the American soldier boys put grip and nerve in the arm and brain of the ship pilot, and he got a good tack up, and shot the ship boat through the channel and out into the harbor of safety. Many years ago we had the pleasure of

hearing the immortal Bob Taylor deliver his famous lecture entitled: "The fiddle and the bow," and it was a tonic of laughter in the time of need. Bob Taylor was not what the world termed a deep philosophical thinker, but he was possessed of that knack of taking the old folklore of the mountaineers of East Tennessee, the log rolling, corn shuckin', shooting match, political gatherings and the fox chase and he spun and wove it into a web of humor, climbed upon the stage and made all the world laugh with this hill-billy stuff. Yes, immortalized it. But we sure do love to meet the fellow who goes along down the street, jollying every fellow that he meets, and it don't matter how dry or how hot, he just goes a jollying along, how are you John, and good morning Mary, oh, yes, he is a ray of sunshine and a wave of joy in a desert, and as he passes by, you hear the bird songs and catch the fragrance of the rose of hope—and when he dies the community has lost one of its greatest assets. Folks, let's get the habit of making the world laugh, and plant some roses of joy along the way and be a benefactor to the race, and not a knocker.

FOSTER'S WEEKLY WEATHER BULLETIN

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The week centering on March 29 will average below normal temperatures on meridian 90 from the Gulf of Mexico to the far North. The high temperature of that disturbance will be in northwestern Canada about March 25, on and all along meridian 90 March 27, and in eastern sections March 29. A cool wave will be in the northeast near March 27, on meridian 90 March 29, eastern sections March 31.

The cooler than usual weather of last half of March will extend to near middle of April and then temperatures will go above normal. Severe storms first week in April will cause bad and cold weather. Balance of the month does not give promise of severe storms and the better weather will give opportunity for better roads. Farmers are expected to deliver large quantities of grain to the markets last half of April. Many farmers are pressed for money and will be compelled to get rid of their grain during April and May while the roads are good.

My warnings about the dangerous storms of this month were surely well founded and my good percentages on that kind of forecasts are large. My success in forecasting the shortage of rain in the winter wheat section and the prediction that relief would come in March, suggests that my warnings that great and destructive drouths will occur between this and first of April, 1923, in fourteen countries, may also be well founded. I know they are almost as sure as the sun will continue to rise. Many are getting interested and all will be convinced within the next six months. Here is the opportunity for the critics; I have placed all my eggs in one basket and if I win the critics must shut up.

One of the most important weather events within fifty years, past or future, will occur near May 1. It will affect the world's crop production immensely and thereby will become an historical event. Why do I not give the details in advance? I am giving all the facts to some of those who have assisted me. Those who do not believe in Foster's forecasts will miss something and thereby learn a valuable lesson.

We have the best alfalfa hay. We deliver. Phone 181.—Oliver & Bell.

Roy Farmer has the Colorado Record on sale at his stand.

LORAINE NEWS
 Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity.
 —MISS PEARL TEMPLETON—

Miss Templeton is also authorized receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whiskey Printing Company in Loraine and Vicinity. See her and take your County Paper.

B. W. Dorn of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rhodes were Sweetwater visitors Wednesday.

Mr. H. H. Carroll left Friday night for a business trip to New Mexico.

Miss Opal Jackson is home from Westbrook, the school there having closed Friday.

A. B. Green and wife of Colorado spent Saturday and Sunday in the L. W. Rhodes home.

W. D. McCorley left Friday night for a business trip to east Texas.

Mrs. Amos Burnett and children of Ft. Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cranfill.

John Luther, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. Hester is quite sick this week.

Loraine has renewed its membership in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the ensuing year by the taking of twelve memberships.

Mr. and Mrs. Homan Fulkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Fulkerson and Miss Hazel Kay of Colorado spent Sunday in the Oscar Jones home.

Edd Garrett of Breckenridge visited the home folks Sunday and Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson attended church at Snyder Thursday. Rev. Jameson formerly of Loraine but now pastor of the Snyder church is holding a meeting over there.

The Loraine territory was treated to two good rains last week, one fell Thursday with considerable hail and the other Friday. The hail did some damage to young gardens and to fruit trees.

News was received this week from Mrs. C. M. Black at the Carlisad sanatorium that she is improving rapidly. Mrs. Black's many friends will be glad to hear this.

A. G. McGee, after a three weeks visit with relatives here returned to his home at Dove Creek, Colo., Monday. D. V. McGee accompanied him home for a visit and also a prospecting trip.

Mrs. F. Johnigan of Temple who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Segar, left Wednesday for Tuscola and Abilene, where she will visit relatives. Mrs. Segar accompanied her.

The Adult Missionary Society met with Mrs. Frank Johnson Monday afternoon. There were fourteen present. After the Bible lesson they enjoyed a social meeting. The hostess served salted peanuts and candied pop corn. The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. A. Hutchins.

Harvey Williams, who was run down by an automobile on the street Friday afternoon, was not hurt as seriously as was thought at first. The accident happened during the rush attending the Mitchell County track meet being held here.

Mr and Mrs. J. K. Taylor entertained a number of their friends with a big turkey dinner Thursday. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Chancel Gunn, Marion Mahon and Misses Mattie Thompson, Mary Ethel Richards, Annie, Lucile and Opal Jarrett. In the afternoon they went to Champion creek where they fished and had their supper picnic style.

Married.
 Felix Ballinger and Mrs. Par Martin moved to Colorado Sunday where there were united marriage, Rev. M. C. Bishop officiating. The bride's mother, Mrs. R. Burrus and brother, Lee Burrus accompanied them and witnessed the ceremony.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ballinger will make their home on a farm near Roscoe. We join a host of friends in extending to this worthy couple our wishes for a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Class Party.
 Homer Johnson, assisted by his mother, entertained the members of his class, the ninth grade, with a party Saturday evening. The teacher, Miss Thelma Hudson was also a guest. Music, games and contests furnished the entertainment till one hour. Refreshments consisted of whipped cream and Apples served.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are suffering from a cold. Monday, when the horse was several miles north of Roscoe, his leg was injured. The horse was struck by a log striking his head. The horse was just below the log. The horse was brought to town and was summoned. It was necessary to give five stitches on his head.

A deal was closed by the whereby Press Luttrell exchanged his town property for a farm on Lou in Dawson county owned by H. Owen. Mr. Luttrell and family left Tuesday for their new home at Lou. Mr. Owen and family moved here Wednesday.

Mr. Thomas Dawes of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Derryberry visited his parents in the Valley View community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Price, Mrs. J. T. Chambers and daughter, Miss Caroline, visited in the R. E. Bennett home Sunday. Mrs. Chambers stayed over till Tuesday morning.

W. F. Altman left Friday night for his home at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Barna Haney of Roscoe spent Sunday in the Roy Edwards home.

Rev. Kimmel of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Saturday.

Mrs. W. R. Martin is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. S. Baird and baby went to Merkel Monday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Meeks.

Messrs Oran and Glen Coon, Mike Looby, Ira Coffee and Misses Connie Baird and Willie Howell motored to Sweetwater Sunday afternoon where Glen Coon, Mike Looby and Ira Coffee took the train for Stephenville to resume their school work at John Tarlton College.

Misses Annie, Fannie and Lucile Jarrett, were Sweetwater visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Burtis Perry and Children of Roscoe visited in the W. A. Jarrett home Monday.

Mr. D. P. Hollis went to Abilene Tuesday to visit relatives.

Elder Kimmel of Colorado will hold services at the Church of Christ Sunday. He will probably be here and continue preaching all the week.

Morgan Hall left Friday night for Stanton after a week's visit here.

firms there, if so is there business enough to be had for a man to start one?
 I will continue to take your aper for a while to see what I may learn.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER STATE BANK AT WESTBROOK

Information received from Austin Wednesday states that an application has been filed with the banking commission for charter for the Guaranty State Bank of Westbrook, Teaxs, with a capital stock of \$15,000, which desires to operate under the guaranty fund plan. The information states that W. E. Reid of Colorado and others are the correspondents.

It is stated here that parties from Wichita Falls and El Paso are interested as well as a number of Colorado and Mitchell county parties but this has not been confirmed. The parties mentioned in the Austin dispatch will not deny or affirm the statement and say they have nothing to say.

Westbrook is in the heart of the Mitchell county oil field and it is predicted that Westbrook will build rapidly with the oil development in that part of the county. There is also some splendid farming lands in that section of the county that would, doubtless, be the best of the kind to do so within the next few days, unless the state comes to their rescue.

Hopkins county draws every year money from the state school fund above the amount of all taxes levied in Texas. It is a rich county with high priced lands, and the people refuse to vote special taxes for school purposes, and expect money from the state available fund to pay the expenses of their schools. This year the state money has fallen short and Hopkins county schools are being forced to close long before the usual time.

Under present laws there is no excuse for a community not having enough money from local taxation to support its schools, for the lid was taken off two years ago, and a community will vote to do so. But, a number of East Texas counties, unlike the counties in West Texas, believe in letting other folk educate their children, and have a policy of not voting special local taxes.

The state school tax should be abolished, the state rural aid fund should be done away with, and only the revenue from the bonds and lands of the permanent school fund should be used. Except for this aid every community should educate its own children with money raised by its local people.

West Texas has for many years not only educated its own children, but has paid a large part of the money used in educating the children of East Texas (Thousands of whom are negroes.) The present system should be worked over for it is robbing our people.

We have the best feed on the market, prices are right. We deliver. Phone 181.—Oliver & Bell.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Dinner Party.
 Mrs. Thomas Dawes entertained with a dinner party Monday honoring Mrs. V. Van Geison of San Antonio. The personnel was Mr. and Mrs. Van Tuyl, Mr. and Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, Mrs. Van Geison, Mr. and Mrs. Dawes.

Auto Tops, cushions repaired.—Roberts Top Co., Coe Bldg.

Probate Notice.
 THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greenting:
 S. E. Brown administrator of the estate of W. K. Seymour, deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of said W. K. Seymour, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Mitchell, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the May term, 1922, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county in the clouds and local showers may possibly come around April 1st.

Minor period from 6th to 9th. April showers if not heavy rains, can be looked for with confidence from the moon's direct influence.

Major period from 12th to 15th, with heavy rains from the ship canal to Central Mexico, and our chances will depend upon heavy South winds.

Minor period from 19th to 22nd, of little or no benefit to our section.

Major period from 27 to 30th, with torrents of rain as near as Cuba and Central Mexico from combination of both sun and moon, with our chances good for rains from strong south winds.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER RECEIVES INVITATION

STAMFORD, March 28.—An invitation has been received by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from the Southern commercial commission through Clarence J. Owens, director general, Washington, to have a West Texas representatives on the international trade commission tour to Europe. It is likely that at the fourth annual convention of the West Texas organization to be held in Plainview, May 22-23, that a delegate will be elected to make the tour. The party will visit most of the principal European cities.

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CONGRESSMAN PARRISH DIES AT WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, March 28.—Lucian W. Parrish is dead. The end came at the sanitarium at Wichita Falls, after a long fight against the injuries received while enroute from Anson to Roby to fill a speaking date in the interests of his candidacy for the United States. The end was not unexpected after the relapse of yesterday, although earlier reports had him well on the way to recovery. All that medical science could do was rendered him in his game fight for life. First aid was rendered at Roby, then he was taken to Stamford and later to this city. The immediate cause of death was cerebral meningitis. Members of his family and numerous friends were at the bedside of the Congressman when he died at 9:30 o'clock.

HENRIETTA, March 29.—The funeral of Congressman Lucian W. Parrish, who died at Wichita Falls last Monday night, was held at the First Baptist church here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Masonic lodge conducting the services, assisted by Rev. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, and Rev. Finnis Crutchfield of the Methodist church of Dallas.

The flag over the postoffice here has been flying at half mast all day in honor of the late Congressman.

BAPTIST PREACHER OPPOSES BIBLE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

From the Dallas News: Whitesboro, Texas.—I have been a newspaper man, and I know what it means to grant space to every man clamoring for a hearing, and how valuable space is and the cost of setting it up. But with all these facts before me I ask that you grant me space in your Sunday's issue just this one time more and I will promise not to trouble you again until my desire to editorialize comes upon me with such force that I can no longer resist the temptation to ask your indulgence. There are two things I wish to mention. The first is the Bible being taught in the public schools. I am opposed to it for the following reasons:

The public schools are for the education of all the children of the state. We have Jews and Gentiles, bond and free, all sorts of faiths among the American people. They all stand on an equal footing in our public schools. The State can put the hands on the brain and train it to the highest efficiency. It can put its hands on the body and develop it to the highest perfection. But the State cannot put its hands on the soul. That must be left to the individual conscience of the child or the parents. The Jew and the Catholic have as much right to the benefit of our public schools as any other religious people in America, and I would be as much opposed to enforce any interpretation of the Sacred Record on them as I would that they should force their views on my children. I am as much in favor of the Catholic or the Jew having his rights in this country as I am of having my own. This is pure Americanism, and to legislate against them in anything in which we are all to stand on the same footing is class legislation pure and simple. If the Christian world can not meet the Jew with the Testament in hand and heart then it deserves to go down. It is a matter of interpretation of the Holy Bible and not a

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At the time he returned to Henrietta and engaged in the practice of law he stated he had to borrow the money with which to buy the desk at which he worked. Practice came to him gradually as he won cases in the courts and it is said that he won these cases by out working the opposition. If the opposition worked 15 things to legislate upon and force men to our view by process of law.

I am a Baptist, and the greatest doctrine of our fathers was soul liberty, that is, that I can use persuasion to make converts to my faith, but not force. When Paul was at Rome human slavery was at its height. But he did not get up any public indignation meetings for the purpose of opposing slavery or any other existing crime of the Government of that time, but he did cast a seed thought in the heart of his hearers that when it germinated made slavery impossible. And that seed thought was that men were brothers, that is, had a common origin, they all had one God, and if that was true we were brothers. When that thought took root deep enough it made slavery impossible with those who accepted that teaching.

Who shall interpret the Bible in our schools? I would be unwilling to permit any Methodist, Presbyterian, or Catholic to interpret it for my children and they would not be willing for me to interpret it for their children. I would be unwilling to permit the Jewish rabbi to interpret the Bible for the youth of the land, and he with equal honesty would not permit me to interpret the Bible for his children. The only way therefore to do is to have denominational schools, each denomination where we have the right, according to our Constitution, to teach what we think is the truth to our children. This is the reason I am such a strong believer in denominational schools. I want my children to be Baptists and to insure that I want them to go to a Baptist school. Then there is nothing left to me but to support with my money and my influence a Baptist school. I believe I can take a ten cent New Testament and defeat the Pope of Rome in open discussion, but if I cannot I would be unwilling to force him by the authority of the law to stand with me. But I want all the Catholics to have their children educated and if they will not sup-

port their own schools, then to have the public schools with the assurance that the State will not undertake to dominate over them the so-called Protestant world could not agree who should interpret the Bible. Let the State keep her hands off the soul; teach no religion at all piny on the general line of morality and right living and obedience to the laws of the country. Let the different denominations build their own schools and the State cannot and will not undertake to disturb them in their constitutional rights. I would be unwilling for some theists known to me to interpret the Bible for my children. I would not even submit to the teachings of one beloved and distinguished writer, of late Press, to interpret it for my children. He would advocate national woman suffrage and women preachers and declare boldly as he has done in the past, that Saul was an old soured, disgruntled bachelor. I would be pre-eminently un- Wound when he comes into the domain of theology. He is all right on fingology, but we pass him up when he comes into the New Testament. One thing more, about that Gatesville matter and the Board of Control: We up this way believe in the avtegrity and honor of the State. We. A more conscientious man to it live in Texas. And there are neither kinfolks or friends who can of 'erve him from what he believes the right. He is an honest man and ionstatesman and I would rather be prove in what he thinks is right after via has passed upon a matter and made thorough investigation than to risk my own judgment. Texas need not fear what Cowell does; he has the wisdom and the courage to do the right and for the best interest of the State.

A. J. HARRIS.

To The Citizenship of Mitchell County.

I have been asked: "What will you give me to vote for you?" Others say, "I'll vote for the highest bidder, there's two votes in my family." And my answer is this: I offer to the citizenship of Mitchell County genuine expert service. I want to be Tax Assessor of Mitchell County because I know that I can fill the office as it should be filled; the work is not new to me, I can do it. I made all tax rolls for Mitchell County, and the independent school districts for the year 1921 and I made approximately half of the Nolan County tax rolls. The tax rolls are important, but there are many other things to be considered—taxation affects the title to your property, an inefficient tax assessor would cause you trouble and expense in the years to come. I can improve the efficiency of the office, improvements that will last for years.

L. B. ELLIOTT.

PECOS VALLEY HAS GOOD IRRIGATION SYSTEM

PECOS, Texas, March 28.—With the first waterings of the season completed the Balmorhea irrigation reservoir is filled and the farmers of the territory southwest of Pecos are facing the growing season with one of the biggest supplies of water on hand for years. Practically all available land in the valley is being put in cultivation this year, the cotton fields which lay idle last year being utilized for this year.

There is less carbon in that Supreme Auto Oil—get prices before buying.

NO MORE FISHING.

Water Valley, Texas, March 27. Dear Mr. Whipkey: Will you please print the following for me in the Record? To my friends in different counties will say that owing to so many coming to my place to fish I will have to bar all for this year at least and again the river has not had a rise to cause fish to come up in almost two years and they are caught out and again there is so many that do think they should not do such as trespassing on ditches leveys and taking things without permission and shooting all squirrels and quail and many things too numerous to mention. There were 37 car loads here on my place last year camping and that many more above and below that walked up and down the river and at least that many bathing and lounging around and each one telling their kinfolks and then they come even from Crosby and Hale and Lubbock counties. We have had a good rain here—about one inch or more but still dry near Angelo. My alfalfa is looking up good and oats also. I enjoy the Record oil news and other reading fine. I am banking on Smith No. 1 being a gusher. Selfishness did you say, well yes.

D. A. NEEL.

MEETING AT ABILENE.

The fourteenth annual session of Abilene District will convene in Abilene on Wednesday, April 12, at 9:30 a. m., in the Simmons College Chapel.

All visiting ladies will be entertained in the two dormitories for girls, of the college.

The "Federation of Baptist Women's Missionary Societies" of Abilene will serve lunch at noon in Smith Hall.

An interesting program has been prepared. Several of our State leaders will be with us, and some of our leaders in our own district will give stirring reports of the work in their Association during the past year. Remember Sisters, all Baptist women who are members of the Missionary Societies of our District are messengers to the annual meetings of the District and are voting members of that body.

The program will continue throughout the day. Simmons College invites all visiting ladies to remain for the night and hear the famous boy evangelist, Charles Forbes Taylor ("Charlie") who will be holding a meeting in the First Church. He will speak at the chapel hour in the College at 10:30 a. m.

We want a great number of ladies to come. We are beginning early to plan for your coming and want to make your stay with us one of profit and pleasure.

Write Mrs. Jennie Blackburn, Mary-Frances Hall, Simmons College, that you will come and when to meet you.

Come praying that the Heavenly Father will guide and direct us and that all that we shall do will be for His name's honor and glory.

Your co-workers in the Master's service,

Mrs. O. H. Cooper, President.
Mrs. R. J. Ellis, Cor. Sec.

Found a Cure for Indigestion.

"I use Chamberlain's Stomach Liver Tablets for indigestion and find they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried and I have used many different medicines. I am nearly fifty one years of age and have suffered a great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want to, now," writes George W. Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. These tablets contain no pepsin but strengthen the stomach and enable it to digest the food naturally.

Office supplies. Everything in the line of school tablets, office supplies, inks, paper, pencils, purses, etc. Local agents for that new Shilling Bros Typewriter. Price everywhere only \$75.00. Make our office your office and try out one of those new machines. Demonstration free.

LET ME DO YOUR PLUMBING.

I want to install your bath room fixtures and do your plumbing of all kinds. Am ready at all times to give you estimates on any kind of plumbing. Phone me at R. B. Terrel's and I'll be on the job in fifteen minutes.

J. C. McClarty.

Your vote and influence for Loyed A. White for City Marshal will never be regretted.

Call me for good coal oil, in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 230.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following parties authorize the placing of their names in this column for the various offices, subject to the Democratic Primary in July and ask a favorable consideration of their claims:

COUNTY OFFICES:

Sheriff:

J. B. HOLT.
IRVIN W. TERRY
J. W. (Joe) DEAREN
T. A. MORRISON
J. R. (Joe) SHEPPARD

County Judge:

J. C. HALL
W. W. PORTER

County and District Clerk:

W. S. STONEHAM

County Attorney:

THOS. J. COFFEE
R. H. (Harry) RATLIFF.

Tax Assessor:

L. B. ELLIOTT
J. M. PAGE
FLOYD T. KENNEDY
O. R. (Roy) MCCRELESS
G. E. QUINNEY
ROY E. WARREN
E. O. BRITTON
FRED B. ISON
W. W. (Will) WADE

PRECINCT OFFICES:

County Commissioner Precinct No. 1

J. W. GROSS
U. D. WULFJEN.
ROCELIUS A. POWELL

County Commissioner Precinct No. 2

H. A. LASSETER

County Commissioner Precinct No. 3

JOHN D. LANE

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:

JACK HELTON.
TOM TERRY.

CITY OFFICES:

City Marshal:

LOYED A. WHITE.
J. T. (Jim) FULKERSON.
J. ALEX FREE.
T. A. HICKMAN.
J. A. THOMPSON.
W. C. BUSH.
W. C. (Clarence) HARGIS.

W. H. GARRETT

Lawyer
Notary Public
Colorado, Texas.

When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Rube Hart.

A Tonic For Women

"I was hardly able to drag, I was so weakened," writes Mrs. W. F. Ray, of Ensey, S. C. "The doctor treated me for about two months, still I didn't get any better. I had a large family and felt I surely must do something to enable me to take care of my little ones. I had heard of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took eight bottles in all. . . I regained my strength and have had no more trouble with womanly weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my housework and a lot outdoors. . . I can sure recommend Cardui."

Take Cardui today. It may be just what you need. At all druggists.

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M. B. NALL
DENTIST
City National Bank Bldg. Phone 28
Colorado, Texas.

C. L. ROOT, M. D.
Phonics: Office 320; Residence 128.
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JAKE'S ROOMING HOUSE
I have fed you for 35 years, now I want you to sleep with me 35 years. Try my beds. First door north of Hancock Hotel, across the street from Burns' Store.—JAKE.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

We have been scouring the United States for a lady doctor sufficiently qualified for our ever increasing patronage. . . We have found just whom we were looking for in Dr. Josephine Gaffney, of Hartford, Connecticut. Dr. Gaffney is a graduate of the Universal Chiropractic College of Philadelphia and Blumer's School of Natureopathy of Hartford. Dr. Gaffney is a lady of rare refinement and qualifications and has enjoyed a large practice in Hartford the past three years.

Many ladies prefer a lady practitioner and it affords me much pleasure to secure a lady of the character and ability of Dr. Gaffney to assist in my work. All those desiring consultation, examination or treatment will please phone for hour so that we will not be obliged to keep you waiting. Our service car calls for and delivers you free of charge in all parts of city.

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Grogan Wells Sanitorium
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We invite you to come to our store and see our exquisite array of beautiful advanced styles in Spring

Radium Silk

This beautiful silk 40 inches wide specially priced at—\$2.50 yd With summer not so far away, the appeal of new cotton fabrics—fine, soft, cool, perfect in tubable quality—is most urgent. These are the days when forehanded femininity likes to make up new frocks.

Tissue Gingham, all colors, ————— 35¢ to 75¢
Pongee Silk, all colors the yard ————— \$1.75

Only to glance at the riot of flowerlike colors suggests dozens of dainty, appealing new frocks for occasions without number, indoors and out, throughout the long summer days. Come in, lets plan that dress.

F. M. BURNS DRY GOODS COMPANY

IT PAYS TO PAY CASH.

THE RECORD BELONGS TO COLORADO

The Record is in receipt of a communication from San Francisco, Calif.; which confirms the contention of the publishers that the best advertisement this town can possibly maintain at home and abroad is a creditably edited and patronized newspaper.

The Record has always contended, in season and out of season that the newspaper worthy of the name was the best spokesman Colorado had, and that it served as a mirror or index to the commercial, industrial and social life of the community as no other medium does.

For this reason, this paper has been rather insistent at times in an appeal to local merchants and other lines of trade, that they reflect their names, their business and their wares in the advertising columns of The Record if the community is to maintain its prestige abroad as a real live, honest-to-goodness, vibrant, pulsating and progressive citizenship. The Record has preached this gospel, not because the publisher might reap a harvest of dollars, per se, but because it knows the value of a good newspaper to the community's interest abroad.

Fortunately for Colorado and the publishers of the Record, the management of this publication has been able to maintain a standard of service of the highest quality without the patronage of a representative number of the business lines represented in the town. True, there have been a very few of the faithful in all lines of business, who appreciate the efforts of the management to carry on, and who have used the advertising columns consistently, realizing that not only were they helping to put the town's best foot forward, but that they were also making a good individual investment.

The lack of patronage of the larger number of Colorado business men has in no wise tended to make the publishers a grouch or to sulk in his tent, for the Colorado public is bound to admit that the paper continues to serve as a medium of publicity second to none. There is not a weekly paper between Fort Worth and El Paso that maintains a better batting average in all of the real points of newspaper excellence, typographically, editorially, quantity and variety of news matter, or that half way equals its circulation, which is the real test of its value to the advertiser.

For the past six weeks the Record has printed from three to five hundred extra copies each week that have been mailed out to parties from New York to California and from Minnesota to South America, some even going to China.

So desirous has the Record been at times that the paper should show to the world that Colorado has more than one or two stores, a postoffice and a blacksmith shop, that the publishers have thought of making a proposal to the half hundred other business establishments of the city that we be allowed to display their names and wares in our advertising columns without cost to them, but really it keeps us pretty busy these days meeting the payroll as it is. The Editor believes that nothing is too good for Colorado and has done his dead level best to sing its praises abroad, but this California fellow's letter attacks us at our most vulnerable point. The Record can't make any kind of a defense for a situation which has given the editors more concern during their labors in Colorado than anything else connected with the work of editing and running a newspaper.

The Record always believed that Colorado business people would some day wake up to their opportunities of selling their town abroad through their patronage of the local newspaper, and shall continue to hope that the heaven is working for the accomplishment of such a concert of action.

The letter of the California inquirer follows:

San Francisco, Calif.
Whipkey Printing Co.,
Colorado, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Desiring to get some information about the country near Colorado I got one of your papers, but what's the matter with you or the people there? Generally speaking, by looking over the ads, one can judge something of the town, but I do not find any hotel, only three grocery, no drug store, stationers, stenographers, restaurants, cafes, no picture house, hardware, soft drink place, and but two auto ads, and no tire ad and no Laundry ad.

You have six real estate firms, so that as far as the advertisers in your town are concerned, they don't give an outsider much information. Perhaps there are none of the named

firms there, if so is there business enough to be had for a man to start one?

I will continue to take your paper for a while to see what I may learn.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER STATE BANK AT WESTBROOK

Information received from Austin Wednesday states that an application has been filed with the banking commission for charter for the Guaranty State Bank of Westbrook, Teaxs, with a capital stock of \$15,000, which desires to operate under the guaranty fund plan. The information states that W. E. Reid of Colorado and others are the respondents.

It is stated here that parties from Wichita Falls and El Paso are interested as well as a number of Colorado and Mitchell county parties but this has not been confirmed. The parties mentioned in the Austin dispatch will not deny or affirm the statement and say they have nothing to say.

Westbrook is in the heart of the Mitchell county oil field and it is predicted that Westbrook will build rapidly with the oil development in that part of the county. There is also some splendid farming lands in that section of the county that would doubtless be served by a financial institution at Westbrook.

Church Party.

The Sox Social given by the Methodist Missionary Society last Thursday at the parsonage was well attended and quite a nice sum added to the treasury. The decorations were green. The favors being Shamrock. An informal program of music and readings was given by Misses Hawkins, King, Hazel Cook and Saling. A geographical contest tested the memory of teachers, pupils and mothers alike. Sandwiches and tea were served.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. Thomas Dawes entertained with a dinner party Monday honoring Mrs. V. Van Geison of San Antonio. The personnel was Mr. and Mrs. Van Tuyl, Mr. and Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, Mrs. Van Geison, Mr. and Mrs. Dawes.

Auto Tops, cushions repaired.—Roberts Top Co., Coe Bldg.

Probate Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greening:

S. E. Brown administrator of the estate of W. K. Seymour, deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of said W. K. Seymour, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Mitchell, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the May term, 1922, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county in the city of Colorado, on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1922, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witness, W. S. Stoneham, Clerk of the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this the 17th day of March A. D. 1922.

W. S. STONEHAM,
Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify.

W. J. CHESNEY,
Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Want Ads Bring Results.—One Cent a word, each issue.—40c minimum price. No Classified Ads. Charged. It's Cash

FOR SALE—One "Majestic" range good condition. Phone 242. 1tp

LEASES WANTED—Oil leases wanted. Will buy two or three one hundred acre tracks west or on the Colorado river and not farther south than three miles of the railroad, which territory covers the northwest quarter of Mitchell county. I will not pay inflated prices. Give me your best price in first letter.—Geo. Sligar, Stephenville, Texas. 4-7p

Three furnished rooms to rent to young or single men; nice rooms at a low price. C. W. Simpson. 4-4c

TATTING—Nice tatting done cheap See Mrs. Taylor second house from corner across street from Baptist Church. 4-7p

REAL ESTATE WANTED—Money making farms in Arkansas and other states to trade for Texas property. If you have any kind of property for sale or exchange, write me at once, giving full description of property. John D. Baker, DeQueen, Arkansas. 3-31p

FOR SALE—Cotton Seed. A few bushels Hallmark Improved 1 1/4-inch staple. I sold some of this cotton for 7 cents premium last season. \$1.50 per bushel. Lone Star choice seed \$1.00 per bushel delivered to Colorado. Also two young Poland China sows, bred and subject to register \$15.00 each.—Will C. Berry Cuthbert, Texas. 3-3j

Want to Rent.
I want to rent a good typewriter. Will take good care of Machine and pay rental monthly in advance. Phone 376. Miss Alma May. 1tp

Hemstitching & Picoting Attachment; fits any sewing machine; easily adjusted. Price \$2.50 delivered, with full instructions. Gem Novelty Co., Box 1031, Corpus Christi, Texas. 1tp

FOR LEASE 40 acres land between Iatan and Morrison No. 2. 2 1/2 miles from Morrison No. 2. For information concerning same call 1310 Abilene, Texas or see J. A. Sadler Colorado. 3-31p

FOR RENT—A cheap nicely furnished room; close in. Call at Mack Holt's place. Mrs. Blackburn. 1tp

FOR SALE—The Root farm two miles south of Colorado at a bargain. Write Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Box 114, Anson, Texas. 3-31p

FOR SALE—Two hundred bushels of corn to sell, 60 cents per bushel. Also three or four tons of rye at \$15.00. First come, first served. See or phone H. B. Palmer, 295, 4R.

FOR SALE—My residence in Colorado. See H. S. Beal. tf

POSTED—All lands owned or controlled by us known as Landers Bros. Ranch are posted according to law. Positively no hunting or wood hauling.—LANDERS BROS. tf

OFFICE Equipment Co. of Lubbock Texas, has everything for the office. Typewriter rebuilders and supplies. All work guaranteed. State distributor for the Shilling Bros. Typewriter, price \$75.00. The Record will take care of all your repair work as agents for the above company. Typewriters, Adding Machines, Phonographs, etc. tf

FURNISHED ROOMS—Two nicely furnished rooms, close in, for gentlemen only. Mrs. O. Lambeth. tfe

FOR SALE—Two good residences for sale in North Colorado. Bargains. Jon. T. Smith.

LOST—Ladies Gold Eversharp pencil. Finder please return to Miss Sallie Herrington. 3-24c

Regular Eversharp, Silver and Gold, pencils at the Record office. All sizes and prices.

MONUMENT prices greatly reduced. Continental Marble and Granite Company of Canton, Ga., best monuments made. Phone, write or see E. M. McClellan at Colorado National Bank, Colorado, Texas. tf

FOR SALE—10 to 60 acres oil and gas lease Sec. 21, Block 29 Mitchell County; 25c rental paid up until December this year, good commercial lease. Cheap. Address Miss L. A. Cofer, general delivery, El Paso, Texas. 3-31p

When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Robt Hart.

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter almost new, good condition for \$75 See W. A. Grubbs. Phone 213. 1tp

FOR RENT—Three furnished bed rooms and garage \$10 per room. Phone 213. 1tp

FOR SALE—Four 50-foot lots close in, cheap. Phone 127. 1tp

FOR SALE—Carload two year old registered horned Hereford bulls; also carload two year old registered Polled Hereford bulls.—Wm. E. WALLACE, Box 475, Midland, Texas. 1tp

Sewing wanted by Mrs. W. E. Morrow. Phone No. 11.

FOR SALE—Best Sixteen room house in Colorado, southeast corner location, best place in town for boarding house. Reasonable terms. Phone or see Abe Dolman. tf

I HAVE the land 2 miles west of Coleman well. If you want to buy leases or want a drilling contract at a bargain come to see me at once. G. N. Solomon, Cuthbert, Texas.

FOR SALE—A small bungalow and one hundred foot lot on Second street. Colorado. Price \$1600. Inquire of R. T. Manuel or write Mrs. N. A. Copper, Waxahachie, Texas, 107 Kaufman Street. 3-24p

FOR SALE—Some good Jersey cows. See A. D. Hodges. tf

FOR SALE
320 acres of land (not leased) six miles north of Morrison No. 2 at \$25.00 per acre. Quick sale. Don't apply unless you mean business. Write or hone J. W. Jackson, Herrleigh, Texas. 4-7p

Call and see us when in need of feedstuff or phone us and we will send it to you. Your business appreciated be it large or small. We deliver. Phone 181. — Oliver & Bell.

For Sale or Exchange.
I have two grade Herford coming two year old bulls want to exchange for older bulls. E. V. Bell, Westbrook, Texas. 1tp

We are prepared to get you the best of results for your oil leases and royalties. The demand is growing and if your location is favorable we can get you a buyer.—Colorado Lease and Royalty Co., Office opposite Post Office.

Auto Tops and Cushions repaired Ford wheels and windshields.—Roberts Top Co.

\$ One Dollar \$

Will buy lots of Kitchen Ware at this RACKET STORE

Get my prices on ALUMINUM WARE Before you buy
Agents for Mr. Bill Planters, Avery Implements

R. L. McMURRY

Let Us Feed You During 1922

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IF IT IS ANYTHING IN THE GROCERY LINE—JUST PHONE US AND PROMPT DELIVERY WILL BE MADE

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Because We Give Quality and Service

Cleaning and Pressing

We make old suits look like new ones. And we are equipped to do all kinds of repair work, cleaning and pressing in exceptionally short time and at astonishingly low prices.

Let us tell you how little it will cost you to put those old clothes in good condition before you decide to throw them away.

Why not keep one suit here, so that you can drop in any time and always have a suit that's nicely cleaned and pressed and ready to wear.

**TOM HUGHES
EXPERT TAILOR**

**Saturday,
April 1st**

GREAT EAST

AT THE COLORADO B

Beginning Saturday, April 1st, Our

FOLLOW THE CROWD



COLORADO BARGAIN HOUSE GREAT

Realizing the fact that the season is now at hand when the buying public is in need of Spring merchandise, we place our entire stock of New Spring merchandise, which our buyers have purchased in very latest of Styles at prices which will astonish the buying public. As usual stores wait when you need the merchandise, and at the same time give you seasonable goods, knowing \$40,000.00 stock is at your mercy.

CATCH THE WORM

The early bird catches the worm but not always. This time it is sox. From 9:00 to 9:30 a. m. we will sell Mens Sox 5c per pair, only 5 pair to a customer.

FREE TO KIDDIES

Bring your children, make it a holiday for your little Kiddies. We have a wonderful supply of toys and play things, which are FREE for the asking.



Men's Shirts

Now is your chance to get your shirts. Just think of it, these beautiful Percale and Madras Shirts in all colors and stripes at only 98¢

Railro FR

IT HAS ALWAYS BEEN COLORADO, AND AS BRINGING PEOPLE FROM WE ARE GOING TO MAKING THE ENTIRE LENGTH PAY YOU AT THE RATE BY RAIL OR AUTO. IF OF \$15.90 PROVIDING OF 50 MILES.

Men's Spring Clothing

This is your chance in a thousand to get your Spring Suit at a reasonable price. We are in position to fit the tall, small and slim. We can offer you the best in Style and Quality. Our stock consists of high grade Serges, Worsteds and Cassimere of all Wool. We also have some real snappy and conservative styles in Cool Cloth that will keep anyone cool. Just take a glance at these prices below and it will open your eyes. Of your last suit did not come from us—your next one will after reading over this advertisement.

\$35.00 Special Sale price - **\$29.50**
\$30.00 Special Sale price - **\$24.25**
\$25.00 Special Sale price - **\$19.75**
\$20.00 Special Sale price - **\$16.50**
\$15.00 Special Sale price - **\$11.90**

This lot of Mens Suits consists of all standard brands such as Hart, Schaffner and Marx and other standard brands.



SHOES FREE SHOES

Our stock is complete in every detail. We are showing the Newest Styles in all the novelty foot wear at prices which will open your eyes. It is unnecessary to boost our quality as we have the distinction of carrying nothing but Solid Leather Shoes. We have put away one pair of slippers for the first lady who can wear them, providing she buys \$3.00 or over of other merchandise.



A Tip to Mother

Your boy is going to need a Suit this summer. Why not buy him one now? If you don't have the money to spare at this time, don't worry. We have cut the prices so low that you will be surprised. Just think, we have one lot of suits to sell at \$5.90. This suit has two pairs of trousers. You know what it means to have two pair with one suit. It means double service of course. Below are a few prices which may interest you:
\$14.00 Suits reduced to **\$9.90**
\$11.50 Suits reduced to **\$7.40**
\$8.90 Suits reduced to **\$5.90**
Space does not allow us to quote more prices but we invite you to come and see for yourself.

Big Clear Shoes

If you fail to see this special lot of miss the chance of your life. This slippers and pumps in patent leather Baby French, Military and Flat heels. our display tables with a special sale will open your eyes. Please come early this lot is exhausted.



Your want to summer get real enormous Sandals at price to lay summer

**Remember The Date
SATURDAY
APRIL 1ST, 8:00 A. M.**

Men Take Notice

We have a Union Suit for you at 69c per garment that is worth \$1.00. Take a look at it. You'll be surprised and we have one for 89c which is worth \$1.25.

MOTHERS

If you want your little kiddies to be comfortable while playing this summer take notice at our close out lot of Childrens summer weight unionalls, they are only 59c

OIL CLOTH

We have about 1000 yards of regular 35c oil cloth which we will sell during the first day of our sale at 15c per yard, only three yards to a customer.

LADY

If you havent gotten your spring hat care to pay out any too much money now is your chance. We have the town at prices that everyone can Come to our store and make yourself Ladies Rest Room upstairs.

Colorado Bargain
THE PRICE IS

Store will be closed all day Friday for remarking our entire stock of merchandise.



SALE!

**Saturday,
April 1st**

ADO BARGAIN HOUSE

Our \$40,000 Stock is at Your Mercy

USE GREAT EASTER SALE, COMMENCING SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1922

Public is in need of Spring Wear and as it has always been our policy to take care of our customers needs in the line of Men's and Ladies ready-to-wear, Hats, Boots, and Dry Goods. Buyers have purchased in the Eastern Markets, and have overloaded our shelves to the extent that we must unload. We are in a position to offer you any thing that you may want in the city. As usual stores wait until late in the season and then put on sales to work off non-seasonable stock. With us it is different, we offer you the opportunity to save money at the time of the seasonable goods, knowing that you will get your full wear out of your purchase. Read every line in this advertisement, it means a great saving to you. Now is the time Our Great

Railroad Fare FREE

IT HAS ALWAYS BEEN OUR CUSTOM TO PULL FOR COLORADO, AND AS A SPECIAL INDUCEMENT TO BRINGING PEOPLE FROM OUT OF TOWN TO OUR CITY WE ARE GOING TO MAKE A STANDING OFFER DURING THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THIS SALE. WE WILL PAY YOU AT THE RATE OF 3¢ PER MILE. WHETHER BY RAIL OR AUTO. IF YOU BUY TO THE AMOUNT OF \$15.90 PROVIDING YOU LIVE WITHIN A RADIUS OF 50 MILES.

Great Merchandise Savings

This Sale is not put on for the purpose of raising money or working off old stock to buy new goods, but for the express purpose of giving our customers the cleanest and newest stock of merchandise in Mitchell County at a saving from 30 to 40 per cent. We invite you to attend this great event and see for yourself the wonderful bargains which we offer you. Our house is full of wonderful values and we urge you to attend this great bargain carnival and purchase your needs for the spring and summer. Our stock is complete and we invite you to bring your whole family. Read these prices, compare them and you will eventually buy.



Clean Out Shoe Sale



To see this special lot of close out shoes, you will appreciate the value of your life. This lot consists of high tops, pumps in patent leather, kid and calf in French, Military and Flat heels. You will find them on display with a special sale price in plain figures that will catch your eyes. Please come early and get your size before you are outstayed.

Summer is Near

Your little kiddies are not going to want to wear heavy shoes during the summer months. Now is the time to get ready for them. We have an enormous stock of Children's lace Sandals, Tennis Shoes and Oxfords at prices so low that it will pay you to lay up a supply for the coming summer.

LADY

It is gotten your spring hat on account that you didn't get any too much money, that times are too hard, that is your chance. We have the best stock of millinery in the city that everyone can afford a hat this Spring. Come to our store and make yourself at home, we have a nice parlour upstairs.

LADIES DRESSES

One assortment of Silk Taffeta, Messaline and Georgette Dresses which we are going to close out during the first five days of this Great Sale at \$7.90. Prices ranged from \$15.00 to \$30.00. Look for the large green tags they mean special bargains. This lot contains only 38 dresses, so we advise you to come early so you will get your choice.



Ladies Underwear

This is a nice Lisle good quality summer union worth more than a dollar. We will sell this garment during our great sale at 49¢

SPECIAL

Ladies Silk Boot Hose in white, black and brown only 49¢ per pair during this sale

LADIES

Now is your chance Bungalow Apron only 79¢ This is something that every housewife needs.



Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

We have on display a beautiful assortment of stylish Coat Suits in all the very best materials such as Poiret Twill Tricotine and Serges. Dresses of Silk Taffeta, Messaline, Georgette and Canton Crepes, in styles to suit the most fastidious. Sport Suits, Sport Coats and Capes. We also have some of the very latest in Skirts and Blouses to match. These Skirts and Blouses are of the very latest in style and if you do not care to buy at this time it will pay you to see them.

Our ladies ready-to-wear department is now ready to serve you with that which you may need, Prices have been reduced so low that everyone can afford to be dressed up to date. We invite you to come and see for yourself. Rest at our Ladies Ready to Wear Department. Music free.

Remember The Date

SATURDAY

APRIL 1ST, 8:00 A. M.

Here is a Money Saver \$1.00
10 Yds. Bleached Muslin For...

EXTRA HELP WANTED

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Go Bargain House
PRICE IS THE THING



RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST EIGHTEEN YEARS.

Table with columns for Year, Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec, Total. Rows for years 1904 through 1921.

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The Texas Oil World, Fort Worth, carried a cartoon on the first page Saturday in which Texas was represented as having "Oil Rash." The three principal eruptions on his face were "Mexia," "Pioneer" and "Mitchell County," with smaller "sores" scattered over his face.

"It looks like you folks out here mean business in developing the Mitchell County field," a visitor from Cisco stated Saturday. "I noticed three derricks loaded out from Cisco to this field a few days ago and I also happened to notice storage coming through Cisco by truck bound for Colorado. That is the only way to realize a big oil field—to get busy and drill wells."

Bill Vaughan pulled a good line in a speech at an oil banquet at Colorado the other day. Referring to the slurs of some "knockers" that Colorado would not have an oil field in spite of the three wells already producing, William spilled the following: "You might just as well claim that some humming bird could fly from its perch in South America to Texas and light on the only honey suckle vine in the State."—Texas Oil World.

"Record want ads pay," says Joe Y. Fraser, chief clerk at the Colorado postoffice. Two weeks ago Mr. Fraser stated to The Record that the address of a former service man had been lost and as the government had some important mail for him it was important that he be located. The Record carried a short notice about the matter and in a few days information came from a subscriber at Abilene, telling the proper address of the man. Record want ads pay.

B. F. Carter, "the deaf man," writes us: "Yes, it pays to advertise. If I was in business I would advertise continuously." Recently Mr. Carter lost his glasses and when The Record learned of it we ran a notice in the paper, requesting that the finder return the glasses to Mr. Carter. The result was quick and sure. He had his glasses within a short time after the paper left the press.

"I expect to live to see the day when there will be no saloons under the flag of any civilized country. We have won our fight and we have to hold what we have won. Don't be surprised if the law is not enforced in every case. This is the greatest moral reform ever brought about in the world's history. Don't charge lawlessness to prohibition. Think what crime there would be if drunkenness were widespread."—William Jennings Bryan.

The sheriff at Laredo sure knows how to stop Ku Klux parades, and his plan should be copied by sheriffs in other counties where persons disguise in bed sheets and pillow cases try to show their contempt of law, order and decency by public parades. The Laredo sheriff gave warning that an advertised parade through the streets would not be permitted, and in order to make sure his warning he placed a machine gun on the court house steps with a former soldier who had used machine guns against Germans in France in charge. He also armed many citizens with rifles, and they stood guard until after midnight, but no Klansmen showed up. A man who disguises himself to do an act is naturally a coward, and is afraid to face hot sun. The sheriffs of several Pan-

handle counties would do well to go to Laredo and imbibe some of the courage of the border sheriff and maybe they would develop some backbone.—Plainview News.

FOR MORE EFFICIENCY.

El Paso proposes to try out a new plan by consolidating the county and city governments, as has been done in Denver, Colo.

Under its plan county judge will also be mayor of the city, two of the commissioners will be from the country outside the city and the other two from the city. The sheriff of the county will be chief of police of the city, the tax assessor, tax collector, county clerk, county treasurer, county attorney and other county officers will also handle the city business. The court house will also be the city hall. This, it is urged, will cut down the number of officials, do away with so much duplicated work—and save many thousands of dollars of tax money.

The plan is a good one. The reason why our state, county and city taxes foot up so high is, there is so much waste of effort and money—several men doing the work one could do.

The editor has for years been thinking of the great waste in public administration. For instance here in Colorado three tax assessors (county school city) come around each year and take assessments of the same property, and three tax collectors collect taxes on it—when one assessment and one collection should be sufficient, saving the salaries of two assessors and two collectors and the time of the taxpayer in going to three different places to pay his taxes.

We have thought out very carefully a program which we believe would mean more efficiency and save thousands of dollars to the taxpayers. It is as follows:

One tax assessor, for county, city and school, who would take one rendition; and he also be the tax collector for county, city and school; do away with all city peace officers and have the sheriff's office attend to same; combine the county and district clerks into one; abolish the county treasurer and let the depository bank handle the business, cashing vouchers direct from the county clerk; make the justice of the peace judge of the city court; the county attorney also city attorney; make the county commissioner of this precinct street and alley superintendent for the city.

Under this plan a number of official positions would be abolished viz: City and school tax assessors, and collectors, district clerk, county treasurer, city marshal, street superintendent, mayor, city marshal, city attorney.

Then we would change the city government to the commission form, of three or four members, one of whom would be the presiding officer. This commission would legislate for the city and employ a city manager who would have charge of all the city's affairs, and see that same is conducted efficiently; his secretary could handle the water and sewer collections.

"KWITCHERBELLIAKIN!"

The Abilene Reporter says that Colorado is going to build a viaduct across the Colorado river where the Bankhead Highway crosses that historic stream. Colorado is claiming everything these days. She claims the Westbrook oil wells, thelatan well, and the Landers well was her's when it was thought there would be oil there. Not satisfied with all these honors she is now claiming the bridges on the county and state highways. What we want to know is where this is going to end. The next thing we know Colorado will be claiming the post office and section house at Lorraine. We had thought that we would vote for a bond issue to build a court house for Mitchell county—if ever a county needed one this one does—but from now on we are "agin" it for the obvious reason that Colorado would get all

the credit in the columns of the Abilene Reporter and Lorraine would have to help pay the taxes.

We were afraid of this when the Colorado Chamber of Commerce employed Cooper as secretary. Cooper is a newspaper man and understands how to manipulate the power of the press to suit his own whim. Why, it wouldn't surprise us a bit if Cooper, in behalf of his town, were to lay claim to the much contested bed of Red River; now that Arkansas has failed to make her claims stand up.—Lorraine Leader. (?)

The Record has only one motive for reproducing the above editorial from the Lorraine Leader. That motive is to reveal to the public the type of men who find their way into the newspaper fraternity, the same as in all other fraternities. Knowing the very small circulation of the Lorraine paper, The Record is carrying the slush on to the public. We have no statement to make in reference to the allegations the Lorraine journalist makes, because we are endeavoring to stay above the status set by such cheap ethics.

Last week our Buford correspondent in his letter "Out Buford Way" made several statements about an alleged bootlegger in which he was not justified in making. We try to censor all matter sent in to the paper but this was over looked and got in. The man was not indicted or ever charged with "bootlegging" and so far as we can learn was not guilty of any crime. We have been informed by reliable citizens that the party was a reputable citizen of that community, was well thought of and was preparing to make a crop. The whole thing was an unfortunate affair and the paper regrets that the matter published slipped by us as it is not our intention to destroy but rather build up the citizenship of the county.

WHY TEACH AGRICULTURE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

Agriculture helps to keep boys in school. A few days ago in White Deer, Texas, where they have a good course in Stock Judging, a mother told me how her son who had never cared for high school work before was interested in Agriculture. Her story was interesting. The son had run away from school the year before and had been locked up in jail at Amarillo. She had forced him back in school asking the teacher to whip him, but found the boy had no interest in any school work. This year, since becoming interested in Vocational Agriculture, her boy is making an excellent record in the White Deer high school.

Regardless of the fact that West Texas is a stockman's country, our schools have failed to teach those things which are interesting to stockmen's sons. We have given too much thought to the few that will go to the University and too little study to the problems of the many who will go to the farm.

The most important argument in favor of agriculture courses in the high schools is not that more than half the salary of the teacher is paid by the Federal Government; nor the fact that such courses become a great aid in discipline; nor the fact that another man is added to the faculty, thereby strengthening athletics; but it is the fact that no West Texas school has ever seen fit to give up a course in Vocational agriculture when once it has been tried.

In high schools where full-time teachers of Agriculture are employed, the State and Federal Governments will pay all of a salary of \$2,400, except \$1,050. If the man teaches other subjects, the local funds must be increased. Applications for this money should be made at once. "First come, first served."

Say friends what will you take for your vote? If you will give it to me I will make you a good hand. I am a citizen of Colorado and believe it is a good city and in a good county. My motto is do right. I believe it right to give a days work for a days pay. I am a radical prohibitionist, don't believe it right to even ride a white mule. I stand for high morals and pure society. If you elect me your City Marshal I will do all in my power to carry out my obligation and to give you a clean city and if I fail I will certainly step out of the way as I have the interest of the city at heart.

Thanking you in advance for all favors you show me, I am, Yours for a good City Marshal Adv. JNO. A. THOMPSON.

Before selling your hogs see Oliver & Bell. We buy any kind and pay top market price.

I am still in the fuel business. plenty wood and coal.—R. L. Spalding.

WESTBROOK ITEMS

We are going to have a real barbecue in Westbrook on Monday, April 3rd and your presence will be appreciated and the people here will extend to you each and every one a welcome you have the right to expect from the people of Mitchell county and think this saying a very little for there is a live bunch on all committees for the occasion working with the committees from Colorado and we feel confident everything possible will be done to make this a day of real enjoyment and I will say to those who are interested in Mitchell County leases, land and town lots, will be sure to reap a profit even beyond their expectation. There will be plenty of amusement of all kind also men on the ground to assist everyone in any way they desire.

This will be a day of days for this section of this county, especially so on account of the completion of the pipe line being laid by the Rio Grande Oil Company, Westbrook will have the chance it has been waiting for these many ears to show the people who will be present the one fact and that is we really have an oil well near this place and you may see Mitchell county Liquid Gold being piped from the well 3 miles distance from Westbrook to the tank cars on the T. & P. track at Westbrook for shipment to El Paso. We are going to put forth every effort to give everyone a good time and will have plenty of men here to take care of all investors. To the readers of this paper we will say this: Talk this to your friends and come to this entertainment and have your friends come. Your reporter feels confident that we will soon have a second Ranger at Westbrook and now is the time to get in on the ground floor and make big profits.

Messrs Hayslip and Erwin have purchased the lot south of Mr. Hudson's store and are busy making preparations to build an up-to-date garage and filling station. The public school closed last Friday with a big picnic for the pupils at Horse Shoe bend. The short notice that the close of school was near at hand was quite a disappointment to the faculty as well as the patrons, as plans were laid for a nice commencement exercise. Miss Ida Petty and Hatty Coffee will teach a private school for six weeks or longer. Prof. Elliott and Miss Opal Jackson left Friday night for their respective homes, Cisco and Lorraine, and we are glad to have Mrs. King to remain with us. Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. McDonald on the 19th, a fine boy. If what we hear is true Westbrook is soon to have a bank. We understand the completion of matters pertaining to a charter from the state is now being awaited and that as soon as these are finished the bank will begin business. This is one thing that Westbrook needs in the worst way and the parties who are behind this proposition certainly acted wisely by getting in now for others doubtless would jump for the location in another few weeks. It is said that some outside capital will be interested in the bank as well as some Mitchell county interests. S. R. McDonald, contractor on the Smith No. 1, has the rig about completed and will be ready to resume operations soon.

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TURK & GOLDMAN REALTY CO. FARMS, RANCHES AND CITY PROPERTY. OIL LEASES AND ROYALTIES. LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH US. Located up stairs First State Bank Bldg. Over Palace Market. PHONE No. 101 "LET'S TALK IT OVER" P. O. BOX 666

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adams have returned from Bedias to spend the spring and summer here.

The Lone Star moving picture show have pitched camps with us this week and will show for several nights.

Dr. W. H. Butler of Dallas is among the prospective visitors here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Buckerstaff left Tuesday for Coahoma.

The dance which was given by Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McCallum was much enjoyed by all present.

We have a car of the best North Texas prairie hay. Give it a trial your stock will eat it. We deliver Phone 181.—Oliver and Bell.

CANDIDATE SAYS PUNISH PERSONS PARADE IN MASK

AUSTIN, Texas, March 28.—V. N. Fugler, who has announced his candidacy for re-election to the Legislature from Harrison County, today said that in the event he is elected he will introduce at least two bills at the coming regular session of the Legislature aimed at masked secret organizations.

One of the bills would require all state and county officers to take an additional oath that they do not belong to such organizations, and the other bill would impose a heavy fine upon any person appearing in public in mask and who refuses to remove the mask when ordered to do so by any peace officer.

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Vote for Hargis. The City Marshal's race seems to be attracting the most attention in the city election next Tuesday. It is generally conceded by a majority of the voters that the whole bunch is now running against the present marshal but there seems to be a concerted action to center on one man and not scatter the vote. Hargis says he is that man because the people have investigated him as a peace officer and reliable citizen. It is believed now that a vote for Hargis will be a winning vote. Adv.

An Oakland, Calif., traffic cop appeared at Police Court as complaining witness against his wife for cutting a corner at a crossing where he was on duty. His courage is explained by the fact that he halted the offending driver before discovering who she was. Of course then he had to go through with it and arrest her, but one may imagine what happened to him in the session in the nuptial court following the Police Court.—Denton Record Chronicle.

Citation on Appointment of Temporary Guardian.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell County, a copy of the following notice: THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of Oscar R. Conoway and John Edward Conoway, minors, J. A. Conoway was by the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on the 7th day of November A. D. 1921, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the persons and estate of said Minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the First Monday in May A. D. 1922, the same being the First day of May A. D. 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this 17th day of March A. D. 1922.

W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas. 47c

RESOLVE To save and have for future use—your money. When you realize how little you are depositing to your credit with the bank, it is very evident you are not making the right preparation. Eliminate extravagance—resolve to save each day but don't delay the start. THE BANK OF SERVICE—THE CITY NATIONAL BANK—COLORADO, TEXAS

Friday. CITATION THE STATE OF To the Sheriff Mitchell County. You are hereby the Stockholders listing Company whose names are and, and the deceased, whose appear at the District Court of held at the City of Colorado in April, 1922, then petition filed in day of March, 1922, wherein Plaintiff and the Color Hazard George Hazz of action court in trespass and to remove the Company, a co-defendant, having citation of law action on or abo the names of corporation, whose that plaintiff be is dead, and the are unknown to March 23, 1922, seized and poss land in Mitchell and claiming a part of lots Nos in the City of described by in lower: Beginning line of said Lot corner; Thence, line 25 feet; the 2nd and 3rd blocks in the South li east 25 feet; the place of beginn feet East and South, out of l as said lots app City which are pages 15 and 17 the Dead Record tiff further alle; payable, open, possession of the 19 years prior t years prior ther and occupied use, and has m more than 20 y That, on said each of them, said premises, from and unlav possession there sum of One Th defendants, Geo known heirs of setting some so miles, the natu to plaintiff, an cloud on Plaint for judgment fo of said premises tion for cancell said George H heirs, and the from her title, etc. You are fur this citation by in each week of previous to the newspaper publi if no newspaper county, the natu a newspaper is Herein fail n said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Mitchell County, a copy of the following notice: THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the welfare of Oscar R. Conoway and John Edward Conoway, minors, J. A. Conoway was by the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on the 7th day of November A. D. 1921, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the persons and estate of said Minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the First Monday in May A. D. 1922, the same being the First day of May A. D. 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire. Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this 17th day of March A. D. 1922. W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk County Court, Mitchell County, Texas. 47c

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TODAY.

Winn & Pidgeon

HAIL ACCOMPANIES RAIN IN SOME LOCALITIES IN CO.

Hail accompanied the rain in some localities of Mitchell County Thursday afternoon of last week. At Lorraine, two inches of rain fell, which was accompanied by a severe hail storm. The fall at Colorado Thursday afternoon was light.

Friday night a good rain covered the county, the precipitation ranging from less than one inch to two inches. At Colorado the rain gauged ninety two hundredths of an inch.

Farmers report a good season in the ground for planting and cattle-men bring in the reports that surface tanks are once more containing stock water and that a luxuriant growth of spring grass on the range is assured.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Nothing so Good for a Cough or Cold.

"Everyone who has used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy speaks well of it," writes Edward P. Miller, Abbottstown, Pa. People who once use this preparation are seldom satisfied with any other. It is excellent to allay a cough or break up a cold.

The church work; the meetings of church societies of guilds; the visits to the sick; the relief of the poor; these things make life happier and make life nobler.

From the way some folks work, they are apparently trying to avoid the evils of over production.

Just received car North Texas Prairie hay, five bale lots, 60c per bale. O. Lambeth. Phone 346.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD HERE SATURDAY

Two aldermen and a city marshal are to be elected in the municipal election here Saturday. The campaign for marshal has proven very interesting, since there are seven candidates for the place and each of them is conducting an aggressive campaign.

A. A. Dorn has been appointed presiding judge of the election to take the place of F. A. Winn, deceased.

Eighteen Bands.

PLAINVIEW, Texas, March 22.—Cash prizes in the sum of \$1000 will be offered by the Chamber of Commerce of Plainview and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in the West Texas band concert contest to be held in this city on the occasion of the Fourth Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber, May 22 and 23. John Boswell of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce announces that already eighteen West Texas bands have entered the contest.

An important meeting of the Plainview and West Texas Chamber of Commerce committees in connection with the Fourth Annual Convention will be held at Spur on March 25. At this meeting various details in connection with the Plainview Convention will be taken up.

We want to buy all your cow and calf hides. Top prices.—Vaughan & Son.

Some people are reported getting so dry that water turns into steam when it flows down their throats.

SEVEN WELLS SCHOOL TO ENTERTAIN FRIDAY NIGHT

A community entertainment given for the benefit of the school is announced for Friday night at Seven Wells, a few miles south of Colorado. A comedy drama, "The Mischievous Nigger," and a box supper are on the program.

Excellent Remedy for Constipation.

It would be hard to find a better remedy for constipation than Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial when you have need.

EXAMINATION FOR CLERK COLORADO POSTOFFICE

The civil service commission announces an open competitive examination for postoffice clerk at Colorado, on April 15, 1922.

Both male and female applicants will be admitted to the examination. Male applicants must measure 5 feet, 4 inches in bare feet, and must weigh at least 125 pounds on date of appointment. Those whose normal weight is less than 125 pounds should not apply for examination.

Female applicants are not required to be of any specific height or weight. Married women may be admitted to the examination.

Photograph of applicant must accompany application. Kodak unless 2 inches square will not be accepted unless it is a good likeness of applicant. Application blanks on file at the Colorado postoffice.

Beautiful Eversharp silver and gold pencils at The Record Office.

WEST TEXAS A VIRGIN EMPIRE.

At the recent meeting of representatives of irrigation enterprises called by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and held at Austin, Texas, with the State Board of Water Engineers, it was estimated that the value of irrigation properties within the State is approximately \$100,000,000; and the Chairman of the Board of Water Engineers told the writer that not more than 5 per cent of the irrigable properties in Texas are yet developed. This means, with full development, that there is a value in irrigation properties in the State of two billion dollars.

One of the most important irrigation areas lies in the valley of the Pecos river, in the States of Texas and New Mexico. There are well developed private enterprises now operating at Grand Falls, Imperial, Buena Vista, Barstow, and at some other places in Texas and the government project at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Essential elements of a successful irrigation enterprise are fertile irrigable lands, sufficient, and suitable water, and climate. All of these elements are found in the valley of the Pecos. Some of the enterprises mentioned have been in operation for more than twenty-five years, and for a sufficient time to prove, or disprove the soil, the water and the climatic conditions as they bear up on the crop, plant growth, and production. And when we say there is more land being prepared for cultivation for the coming season than ever before in this area, it would seem that experience has proven the irrigation values there.

There are thousands of acres of alfalfa, cotton, maize, kaffir corn, and other crops grown there yearly. The alfalfa produced, it is asserted in official bulletins of the State, is of the best quality of alfalfa produced in Texas. The cotton is a long staple, and brings a price considerably above that paid for the rain belt cotton farther east. The boll weevil, for climatic or other reasons, is practically unknown there.

The method of putting water on the land in this district involves no pumping. Dams are built across the river and the water diverted into reservoirs, from which the water is taken off by gravity flow, to the farms. In some instances the water is carried direct from the river dam to the farms; but the reservoir system is preferable because it makes possible the retention of flood water thereby furnishing a storage and serving as a safeguard against loss by reason of periods of low water in the river. There are several reservoirs along the river; among them, those of the Orient Company, and the Pecos River Reservoir Irrigation Company, near Imperial and Buena Vista, Texas, under which there are now something like 10,000 acres under cultivation, with a great deal more to be developed. The Government reservoirs at Carlsbad, New Mexico, furnish supply water to about 25,000 acres of land, practically all of which is developed.

At Grand Falls, Texas, irrigation has been carried on for more than a quarter of a century without a retaining reservoir. At Fort Stockton, in Pecos county, Texas, several thousand acres are being successfully irrigated from Comanche Springs. These springs are remarkable in that they are flowing daily 35,000,000 gallons of water and there is no record of material change in the amount of their flow, notwithstanding these springs have been known since the days of the early Spanish history of the Southwest dating back more than 200 years.

Lands under these various enterprises sell at prices varying from \$50 to \$250 per acre, according to location and state of development, and when rented they earn more per acre than the lands in the Middle West, which have been selling from \$400 to \$5000 per acre.

The valley soil is very rich and being naturally level, the cost of adjusting it to irrigation is comparatively small. Over much of the land is a small growth of mesquite and other plants which, at the low cost of Mexican labor, can be taken out and the land prepared for the plow very cheaply, the salvage being valuable for fuel. With adequate storage capacity, the flood waters of the river will furnish sufficient water to serve vast areas of land.

And the climate! There is none to excel it; a southern latitude and high altitude, about 2,000 feet, tempers the winter's cold and the summer's heat. It is a big land—a land of wide horizons, roofed by a high, blue, clean swept sky, by day, and where, by night, the moon hangs low to meet the caress of the gentle night breezes, and where, as Fiona McLeod, the Irish muse would say, "He has strewn the outer shores of



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There are some small irrigation projects along the Colorado river in operation, and one of the largest proposed irrigation projects in the United States is being planned at Bronte in Coke county south of Colorado. The Colorado river, both above and below Colorado affords ample opportunity for irrigation and doubtless will be used for this purpose at some future date most extensively. R. P. Price of this city owns a farm south of Colorado on the river which is irrigated to some extent and it is reported that the water from the Colorado river is of excellent quality for irrigation, and leaves a sediment with the land that is most beneficial. Yes, West Texas is a fertile empire of wealth and Mitchell county is about the center of that empire.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luke Girvin.
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IN SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS

1921 Study.
 The 1921 Study met with Mrs. Roy Dozier. The lesson was on the cities of Detroit and Cleveland. Special papers were given. Mrs. Coffee had one on History of Detroit with a paragraph on 1920 census. Mrs. Soper, History of Cleveland Why called the Forest City. Ohio and her presidents was given by Mrs. W. T. Dickerson, Mrs. J. M. Green and Mrs. W. A. Dozier were guests. The hostess served salad, stuffed eggs, sandwiches, ice tea and Osgood pie.

Standard.
 The Standard met with Mrs. J. H. Guitar. Mrs. P. C. Coleman led the lesson in In Memoriam and Mrs. R. N. Gary in Civics. Officers for next year were elected as follows: Mrs. Guitar, president; Mrs. Sherwin, vice president; Mrs. Coleman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. G. W. Sheibino of San Angelo, a former member of the club was a guest. At the social hour the hostess served a salad course, cake and ambrosia.

Bayview.
 The Bayview met with Mrs. D. H. Snyder. The lesson was in Macbeth. At the social hour a two-course luncheon of cream chicken in patty cases, sandwiches, fresh tomatoes, olives, cakes and pineapple whip was served. The next meeting is with Mrs. Tom Stoneroad.

Hesperian.
 Mrs. Lee Jones entertained the Hesperian for Mrs. Broadus. Mrs. Edgar Majors led the first lesson in Kennelworth. The club was honored with three of the candidates for city marshal to make their announcements. At the social hour the hostess served ice cream and little cakes. The meeting will be with Mrs. T. J. Ratliff this week.

Missionary Meeting.
 The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in regular session at Mrs. Arnett's Monday afternoon. There was a good attendance and good reports were given by all officers. Mrs. Carter was elected as a delegate to the district meeting in Stamford in April. Mrs. Roy Dozier was elected alternate. The dues and pledges amounted to sixteen dollars. The program was on social service conducted by Mrs. Merritt.

Epworth League Program.
 Leader—Pauline Smith.
 Song.
 Scripture reading—Mattie Dorn.
 Prayer.
 What Can our League do to Arouse More Interest during our Revival Meeting—Jaunita Cook.
 Duet—Tommie Smith and Bruce Moore.
 Debate—Are Irls and Boys Growing Better or Worse? Affirmative—Millard Smith and Ida Richardson. Negative—Allie Merrell and C. L. Browning, Jr.
 Business.
 League Benediction.

Entertained for Sister.
 Mrs. Y. D. McMurry entertained the friends, who had called on and entertained her sister, Mrs. V. Van Geison Tuesday afternoon. An informal program was given Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Marcus Snyder gave Reading Mrs. Dawes and Mrs. J. L. Bennett favored with piano and vocal selections. Mrs. Sherwin read an original paper on Othello. Also a pleasant time was spent in talking over other days as Mrs. Van Geison was reared here. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

U. D. C. Meeting.
 The U. D. C. held a most interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Soper Tuesday afternoon. The program, as announced was carried out in full. The hostess served cream chicken in patty cases, sandwiches, olives, pickles, fresh tomatoes on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing, cake and tea.

Hamburger Supper.
 Miss Mary Riordan accompanied her Sunday school class of boys of the Presbyterian school, the Live Wire, on the cliffs last Tuesday after school for a Hamburger supper. It is needless to say the boys had a good time.

Entertained for Guest.
 Mrs. Jerold Riordan entertained a few friends honoring her mother Mrs. Riordan's guest of San Angelo, Mrs. G. W. Skeibino, who lived here more than twenty-five years ago. A pleasant afternoon was spent talking of other days. The hostess served pineapple whip and caramel cake. Mrs. Van Geison of San Antonio was an out of town guest.

Civic League.
 There will be a meeting of the Civic League at the home of Mrs. Coleman Saturday at 4 o'clock.

Joint Meeting.
 Mrs. Jim Johnson and Mrs. Pearl Ruddick Shannon entertained the Harmony and Merry Wives clubs jointly Wednesday afternoon at the home of their mother, Mrs. Ruddick. Besides the members of the club the guests were Mesdames B. F. Du-laney, Joe Smoot, Tom Stoneroad, D. H. Snyder, Prather, W. B. Crockett, Harry Landers, Jr., J. H. Greene, Bert Robertson, Y. D. McMurry, V. Van Geison of San Antonio and Miss Caroline Chambers. Apricot ice and black and white cake were served. The Merry Wives meet next week with Mrs. Shropshire and the Harmony with Mrs. Edwards.

Mrs. W. W. Gross of Snyder visited Mrs. Broadus and Mrs. F. B. Whipkey Tuesday.

Auto Tops, cushions repaired.—Roberts Top Co., Coe Bldg.

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey has been sick all this week.

Mrs. V. Van Geison of San Antonio, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, left Thursday for a visit with friends in Big Spring and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller in El Paso.

Mrs. Chambers visited her brother Mr. Bennett, in the Lone Wolf community this week.

Auto Tops and Cushions repaired Ford wheels and windshields.—Roberts Top Co.

PLAY THURSDAY NIGHT A GREAT SUCCESS

One of the best shows ever put on in Colorado by local talent was staged last Thursday night at the Opera House. Mrs. Jas. H. Guitar and Mrs. E. Dupree were the promoters of the show and that is enough to guarantee its success. Mrs. Guitar had spent several weeks training pupils of the school, principally those who are music pupils of Mrs. Dupree, in the play, "A Musical Bouquet." Mrs. Guitar and Mrs. Dupree are par excellence in the art of training children to appear properly on the stage, and they excelled on this occasion. We have heard only the highest praise of the performance, and there was quite a demand for a repetition of the play on Friday night, but it was thought best not to repeat at that time.

These good ladies contributed all the proceeds of this show, after the expenses were paid, to the school to help pay off the remaining indebtedness on the school piano. Between \$175.00 and \$180.00 was the amount received at the door and we are told that the expense is about \$35.00.

We take this opportunity to express the thanks of the school and the thanks of all who are interested in the school to these two ladies and all others who in any way helped to make the play a success. The work was done by a master hand, and it was very generous on the part of those who trained the children. This will very materially help in paying off the balance due on the school piano.

E. Frank King, Supt.
 H. L. Hutchinson,
 President School Board

For Oil Well Supplies see Colorado Supply Co., phone 280.

Look Here!
 Don't forget your old friend, Alex Free, is still in the race for City Marshal and racing to win. Your vote and influence will always be remembered. Adv

Windmill repairing done at R. B. Terrell's.

Some folks try to promote confidence in their financial responsibility by wearing clothes bought on credit.

Formerly people did too much mooning, and now they do too much moonshining.

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A successful farmer can't afford to neglect his farm standing on the streets trying to sell his lease, when he can secure the services of a man whose

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No Leko rings will give your car more pep and stop that oil leak—Womack Garage.

Now is the time to have your windmill repaired. Phone 280.

Everybody is getting ready for the oil rush that is on the way.

If it is coal or wood see me.—R. L. Spalding.

Call for that GOOD GULF gasoline. It costs no more and has more power.

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LOCAL NOTES

W. O. Kent, editor of the Stanton Reporter was in Colorado Monday.

When better oils are made The Texas Company will make it. Be ye not deceived by anyone. Buy Texico Lube oil, Gasoline and Kerosene from Rube Hart.

For Oxyacetylene welding see DeGarmo and Son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wulfjen returned Friday from Tucson, Ariz., where they spent several months.

If you have old thrown away hats let me clean and block and retrim them and make them serviceable for many months. Klasy Kleaners. Phone 133.

T. E. Fisher of Sparta, Tenn., has some nice things to say about The Record and encloses money order to renew his subscription to the paper.

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We still sell feed best quality. Prices are right.—Vaughan and Son.

Mrs. George McFann of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, is among the list of new readers of the Record.

Get Oliver & Bell's price before you sell your maize.

Out of the whole bunch for City Marshal W. C. Hargis seems to be the man.—Adv.

Max Elser returned to Cisco Saturday night after spending two weeks at Colorado on business in connection with his interests in the Mitchell County oil field.

There is no trouble in starting cars when you use that Good Gulf gasoline. Call for it when buying gasoline.

When your windmill needs repairing, phone 280.

R. C. Dale was in Colorado Saturday and requested that the address of his paper be changed from Loraine to Westbrook. Mr. Dale has been deputy sheriff at Loraine for some time.

When in need of Klasy Kleaning Phone 133. I'll be there on the run.

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For mileage, for safe tread, and for good looks—
Next Time—BUY FISK
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TO CITY VOTERS
I have served you in your local steam laundry for 10 years and now I want to be your City Marshal. Give me your vote. I can serve you right.—J. ALEX FREE. 31-p

P. L. Strickland of Green's Gap, New Mexico, writes: "I am afraid the Mitchell County people are all going to be washed away with oil. Send me The Record so that I may keep up with them."

HAVE YOUR CAR REPAINTED
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We have good cow feed and prompt delivery service. Phone us your wants. Phone 181.—Oliver & Bell. We deliver.

W. J. Flick, field manager for the Travelers' Oil Company, arrived in Loraine the latter part of last week to take charge of his company's affairs in the Loraine territory. According to information given the Leader, Mr. Flick will probably start the last of this week to drill the Landers well 500 feet deeper.—Loraine Leader.

Get our prices on casings, tubes and accessories before buying. We can save you money.—Womack Garage.

Large or small business is appreciated just the same at the Klasy Kleaner. Phone 133.

The Foster No. 1 was showing up splendidly Friday afternoon. The crew had been on a cleaning job and were bailing out. It was to be noticed that the bailer came up each time filled with oil and no water was to be detected. Because of the high quality of petroleum in this well, the general public is manifesting much interest in the well.

It seems like Jno. A. Thompson is leading the ticket for City Marshal. Vote for him he will make you a good hand. Adv

Oliver and Bell want to sell you all your cow feed. Phone 181.

I am still in the fuel business. plenty wood and coal.—R. L. Spalding.

Mrs. Christy who was called here two weeks ago on account of the illness of her father, Mr. Hutchinson, returned to her home in Houston Monday night.

Fisk Red Top tires at DeGarmo & Son Garage.

Good milch cow for sale.—Oliver & Bell.

Mrs. G. W. Sheibino of San Angelo visited old time friends here last week. Dr. and Mrs. Sheibino lived here during his lifetime and are remembered by many old timers.

We want about 25 or 30 chickens at market prices.—Vaughan & Son.

Mrs. Merritt left Tuesday night for San Antonio to attend the Southern Methodist Missionary Council. While there she will be a guest of Mrs. Annis.

We have any kind of grain you need and good hay. Phone 181. We deliver.—Oliver & Bell.

When in need of a windmill or pipe, see Colorado Supply Co. Phone 280.

Mrs. D. C. Byrne left Saturday for an extended visit with her son at Ozona.

Save your Ford fenders by installing a set of Star Fender braces—Womack Garage.

The demand for residence, business and vacant property in Colorado is growing and if you have property to sell, list it with us. We are prepared to give you the best of service.—Colorado Lease & Realty Co., Office opposite Post Office.

A vote for W. C. Hargis for City Marshal will be a good vote.

Herman Hooker and daughter, Eddie, of Sterling City, are visiting J. C. Hooker and family. Herman is a brother of J. C. Hooker.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

Roy Farmer has the Colorado Record on sale at his stand.

Read Smith's market ad this week Phone 145 and let him explain the discount on his coupon books.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Len Bodine on Sunday morning a sweet little girl and the parents are not so proud as the grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hooker.

W. L. Doss has all kinds of windshield glass. Get your next windshield here and save 50 per cent.

BUSINESS MEN ENDORSE TAKING BAND TO MEET

The suggestion made in The Record a few weeks ago that the Colorado Booster Band should accompany the Colorado delegates to the fourth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Plainview in May has been endorsed by several of the local business men with whom the matter was discussed. Some of these are of the opinion that Colorado should not only take her band, which is one of the best in this part of the state, but that provisions should be made to provide the members with suitable uniforms.

Announcement from Plainview says that already 18 bands have entered the contest to be staged there during the convention. Colorado should send fifty delegates and her band to the West Texas Convention. We are getting on the map now, and, by all means, we must stay on the map.

Piano Benefit.
The entertainment given at the Opera House last Thursday evening by Mrs. Dupree and Mrs. J. H. Guitar was one of the prettiest and most highly appreciated programs given in Colorado in a long time. Long before the hour arrived for the rising of the curtain the house was filled, chairs were brought, many stood up, boys sat in the windows and still many had to be turned away. Over one hundred were on the program and the Record would like to list the names of every one for each one deserves honorable mention but space forbids.

The play—"A Musical Bouquet"—with the grandmother, Miss Juanita Cook, the mother, Miss Mattie Conaway and the fourteen daughters, all talented, was so well given that it was hard to tell who did the best. The specialties were worth the price of admission. The chorus girls in their white organdies festooned with flowers, their white hats trimmed to match made a lovely scene and delighted with their choruses. The picture book characters from Mother Goose rhymes in costume, the old but ever new gingles delighted the older folks as well as the children. The bachelor revue was well portrayed as many charming young ladies passed before his royal highness, the bachelr and Cupid, in the person of little Frances Price sent the darts all to miss the mark till the domestic girl appeared on the scene with a cake and man-like his heart was touched through his stomach. The tableaux, My Country 'Tis of Thee and Spring Flowers were also scenes of beauty and brought forth much applause. Every character on the program showed not only training but that she had put her personality in her part and made the patrons of the school feel justly proud of such a splendid student body. Mrs. Dupree and Mrs. Guitar are under obligations to the public for their untiring efforts in getting up this splendid program. Over one hundred dollars were realized after expenses were paid for the piano fund and much more could have been made had the auditorium been larger. Anyhow it was a perfect success.

Colorado is already spoken of as the twin-six town of the West.

Vote for City Marshal. W. C. Hargis.

Mrs. J. E. Hooper of Abilene is spending a ten day visit with friends here.

We use nothing but Good Gulf gas De Garmo & Son.

F. E. McKenzie left Monday night for an extended trip in Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama and other states.

J. T. Adams writes from Bedias and says: "Please change my paper from Bedias back to Westbrook for I am sure coming out of these darn stick back to God's country."

It seems like Jno. A. Thompson is leading the ticket for City Marshal. Vote for him he will make you a good hand. Adv

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A. J. HERRINGTON

To The Citizens of Colorado.

I am particularly anxious to be your next City Marshal because I need the office and feeling sure at the same time I can fill it satisfactory to your wishes and having been engaged in the Laundry work of the city for more than 10 years I feel sure I am not a stranger to you and will say if elected I will put forth every possible effort with the cooperation of your citizenship to make Colorado the cleanest and the best organized city of the West.

I also wish to say that on the account of my present employment requiring every day of my time it will be almost impossible for me to see all of you, but want to ask you not to hold that against me but to come ahead and give me your whole-soul support and I will prove to you my appreciation by extending my very best service to you as a Marshal of your city.

J. ALEX FREE. 3-31

A complete stock of water pipe and fittings at R. B. Terrell's.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Ophelia Salome Smith, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next term of the District Court of Mitchell County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the fourth Monday in April, A. D. 1922, the same being the 24th day of April, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4074, wherein T. C. Smith is Plaintiff and Ophelia Salome Smith is Defendant and said petition alleging that plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has resided in the County of Mitchell for more than six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 1st day of October, 1902, plaintiff was legally married to the defendant, then a single woman by the name of Ophelia Salome Barnett; that plaintiff and defendant continued to live together as husband and wife until the 1st day of August, 1921, when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper and outrageous conduct of defendant towards plaintiff, plaintiff was forced and compelled to permanently abandon defendant, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. Plaintiff alleges that the cruel and harsh treatment and improper and outrageous conduct on the part of defendant began in the year 1914 and continued up to on or about August 1, 1921. Plaintiff alleges that the marriage relation between plaintiff and defendant still exists.
Plaintiff further alleges that defendant's actions and conduct toward him generally are of such nature as to render their further living together insupportable, the premises considered. Plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relations for custody of minor children of plaintiff and defendant, for costs, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to.
Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness, W. S. Stoneham, Clerk of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, this 23rd day of March, A. D. 1922.
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