

**STATE AID PROMISED
PAVING SECOND STREET**

That the State Highway Commission will approve application for State aid in a sum approximating one-third to one-half of the City and County's portion of the cost of paving Second street from Lone Wolf bridge to the Colorado river viaduct, in the event the voters favor taking advantage of the General Paving law is almost an assured fact, according to County Judge J. C. Hall, who was in Austin last week and met with the Highway officials, and among other business, presented this proposition for their consideration. The official meeting of the highway commission will be held on April 16th, when Judge Hall will go before the commission with formal application for State aid in a sum equaling approximately one-half of the total cost of the City's portion of this paving. This would mean that the State would pay one-sixth of the paving of the entire street, as the property owners on each side of the street would be expected to pay for one-third each, leaving the City to pay one-third, half of which Hall proposes to apply of the commission for as aid from the State.

"While no official action has been taken regarding this matter, I have the assurance of Captain J. D. Fauntleroy, State Highway engineer, that he will recommend that this aid be granted," Hall stated Monday, "and I believe that there will be no trouble in securing this aid in case the paving is put down. I am going to appear before the commission April 16th with full data and complete details of the proposed paving, and also with blue prints of Second street prepared by Engineer F. F. DuBose, local representative of the State Highway commission, showing all cross streets and complete map of the project, and I see no reason why the State Highway Department should not be interested in linking up the Federal aid project, the Colorado river viaduct, with the State aid project, the Lone Wolf bridge, which will be extended and completed at an early date, both of which are on the Bankhead National highway," Hall continued.

An official communication from Captain J. D. Fauntleroy, State Highway engineer, regarding the filing of application for State aid on this project, has been received by Judge Hall, in which the engineer says: "Referring to the estimate submitted by you of the cost of paving a portion of the Bankhead Highway through the town of Colorado in Mitchell County we wish to advise that this matter will be presented to the State Highway Commission at their regular monthly meeting on April 16th and we will advise you immediately thereafter what action has been taken."

It is noted that the County proposes to improve Highway No. 1 beginning within the town of Colorado river bridge, the proposed type of construction being three inches brick pavement on concrete base or some type of asphalt pavement on concrete. The estimate on this work is \$75,209.47 of which the County is to pay one-third or \$25,069.83. Your application requests State aid to the extent of twenty-five percent of the County's portion which State aid is \$6,267.45."

It is stated that since figures have been completed and further investigations made by Engineer DuBose have been made, together with other estimates furnished, it has been decided to ask the State for one-half of the County's portion mentioned above, since this improvement is on the route of the Bankhead National Highway and will link up two State and Federal aid projects, and it is believed that the State Highway Department will grant aid in that amount on paving.

Miss Georgia Lacey, county home demonstrator, was taken to the Colorado sanitarium Monday and underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her many friends will be glad to know she is doing nicely.

**DISTRICT COURT SESSION
BEGINNING APRIL 23RD**

The April session of the Mitchell County District Court is scheduled to begin April 23rd, with a docket, both criminal and civil, which promises a very busy session. Many of the cases on the civil docket are litigation over oil and gas leases and this promises to consume quite a bit of time, however it is expected that the criminal docket will take up considerable time.

Cases on the criminal docket are: F. C. Courney, charged with selling and delivering liquor; Sid Aiken and Lennie Henderson, both charged with transporting liquor; W. Ashby, charged with transporting liquor; John Miller, statutory offense.

The S. D. Woods case which has already been set down for a hearing on May 10th will not be called until that date.

**MITCHELL RURAL SCHOOLS
RECEIVE \$6,160 STATE AID**

Information received from the State Capitol this week, states that the final approval of the rural school aid appropriation and the transfer of the three million dollars to the state school funds, makes this amount available immediately, and that the Mitchell County rural schools will receive \$6,160 from this fund. According to Judge J. C. Hall, the rural schools are all progressing very satisfactory and the State aid, which is in addition to the State apportionment of \$13 for each scholar in the county, will make it possible for the schools to complete a full term this year, which was somewhat uncertain before the last session of the legislature came to the assistance of the school funds by appropriating the necessary amount to keep the rural schools of the state operating for a full term.

**BRENNAND ENCOURAGES
SALE GOV. CERTIFICATES**

With an increasing month-to-month demand for the Government Treasury Saving Certificates regularly reflected in the Colorado post-office's reports, the local investment per capita of safely salted away money is moving upward at a steady and gratifying rate, according to Postmaster R. S. Brennand. "Because of their loss-proof features, which eliminate any possibility of loss or depreciation, plus the attraction of the compounded interest, Treasury Savings Certificates here have become a greatly favored security for the investment of funds. This is all very pleasing, because every safely invested dollar and every coin added to a growing bank account means a more prosperous and solid community," Postmaster Brennand stated.

"Treasury Savings Certificates of the 1923 series," it was pointed out by the postmaster, "are to be had in any of three denominations, with the individual purchase limited to \$5,000, maturity value, this year. Persons who bought the limit last year are privileged to buy the limit this year also. The denominations are \$1,000, \$500 and \$25; these cost \$820, \$420 and \$20.50, respectively."

All 1918 War Savings Stamps should now be turned in at the post-office, he declared, as they matured January 1st and no longer bear interest. They may be cashed or invested in interest bearing certificates.

Persons holding Victory Notes, which mature in May, have the privilege of redeeming these bonds now and may invest the proceeds in Treasury Saving Certificates. Information may be obtained at the post-office, or may be had by addressing Dinsmore W. Hume, Federal Savings Director, who is located in the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas, Brennand said.

**MARCH RAINFALL ONE AND
SEVENTY-NINE HUNDREDTHS**

According to E. Keathley, local Government weather observer, the total rainfall at Colorado during the month of March was one and seventy nine one hundredths of an inch. The total rainfall for the first three months of 1923 is 6.39 inches, according to Keathley.

**RIG UP OFFSET SMARTT
ONE; ACTIVITIES INCREASE**

Reports from the Field Thursday evening were to the effect that rig was up for Morrions No. 4, of the Underwriters company, which is offset well to Smartt No. 1 of S. A. Sloan, et al. This well is 660 feet south of the Smartt well, and it is reported that the well will spud in at an early date.

Texas & Pacific No. 4 of the Underwriters Company, offset to the LeSure No. 1, will be spudded at once, according to reports received Thursday morning.

Information was received late Wednesday afternoon that Badgett No. 2, which is contracted by Bill Thomson, will resume drilling at once, after a shut down of several days. The information also states that Badgett No. 1, sensational salt gusher, which later developed into a petroleum gasser, will be cleaned out and drilled deeper with the hope of bringing this well in as a real oil producer. The Record is informed that this work will be started at a very early date.

The Underwriters T. & P. No. 3 in block 29, is rigging up and will spud at once. T. & P. No. 2 of this company, which is offset to Morrison 2, is cleaning out preparatory to going on the pump.

The California Company's Morrison No. 1 is drilling steadily at around 1000 feet. Richardson No. 1 of this company, five miles south of Colorado, is also drilling at 3350 feet.

Gulf Production Company's Crawford No. 1 in lot 14 of the O'Keefe subdivision, is drilling at around one thousand feet.

S. A. Sloan et al, Smartt No. 1, swabbing two hundred barrels daily, while awaiting arrival of tubing.

Flescher Petroleum Company's Coleman No. 1 has cleaned out and is standing full of oil. Tubing for this well is in transit and the well will be placed on the pump as soon as the tubing arrives.

The Lou-Tex Company's well at Ira is resuming operations after a shut down caused from boiler trouble. Bad water is the cause for the delay and boiler trouble at this well, it is said.

Smith No. 1 of Petroleum Operators Association is drilling at 2815, after having succeeded in drilling past string of tools lost in the hole. Looney et al, T. & P. No. 1, drilling at 2000 feet.

At Iatan, the Colorado-Texas Co.'s Foster No. 2 is drilling at 2600 feet, with the bit within less than one hundred feet of the pay, as found by their other well, the Foster No. 1. According to Judge L. W. Sandusky, attorney for the Underwriters company, all the completed wells in the field are active and holding up to normal with production. These wells which are producing include Morrison Two, T. & P. One and Two; Zilpha Morrison One, Le Sure One, Smartt One. According to local oil men the Smartt well is by far the best well in the field so far. This well would do at least 300 barrels a day, if placed on the pump.

According to information given the Record first of the week, another well will be drilled on the Le Sure tract at an early date, which will be drilled near the LeSure One, which is completed for a 30 barrel producer and pumping daily.

The Rio Grande Oil Company, the only company operating pipe line in this field, is handling all the available output of the field, and are shipping crude to their refinery at El Paso weekly. A part of the output of the field is being used by drilling wells which are burning the crude under boilers.

The A. T. Spalding company, owners of the Zilpha Morrison No. 1, are preparing to do some extensive development on this tract, it was stated Thursday morning. Field headquarters of this company have recently been transferred from Moran to Westbrook.

Reports from Loraine state that acreage east of Loraine is being blocked by another company which proposes to put down a test in that

**CHAMBER COMMERCE WILL
HOLD ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual banquet and business meeting of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday evening, April 10, at the Pullman Cafe, it was announced Thursday night following adjournment of a meeting of the board of directors. Dr. P. C. Coleman, president of the chamber, is to name the date for the annual meeting, but being called out of the city Wednesday night, a chairman protem was elected to fill his place.

The work of the organization during the past year will be reviewed in annual address of the president and report of the secretary. The past year has been the most successful in the history of the chamber, officials claim. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock. Entertainment features are to consist of a special program now being arranged, including readings, concert music by the Booster Band and addresses. Porter A. Whaley, general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and Hon. R. M. Chitwood of Sweetwater, legislative representative, are scheduled to speak.

Special efforts will be made to induce every member of the organization, as well as other citizens of Colorado, to attend the banquet. There will be no charges for table service, as the directors have expressed their intention of having the Chamber of Commerce bear all expenses to be incurred.

It is requested that every citizen of the city who will attend the banquet, register with either the secretary or some other official, in that sufficient reservations be made. Officials of the organization are expecting an attendance of 150 and the most enthusiastic mass meeting ever held in Colorado.

**DAUGHTER W. S. COOPER
VERY ILL AT SWEETWATER**

Alla B. Cooper, daughter of W. S. Cooper, news editor for the Record, is seriously ill at the home of the grandparents of the child in Sweetwater, having taken sick Saturday, last, while Mrs. Cooper and the child were on a visit to relatives there. Mr. Cooper was called to the bedside of the child Monday and a wire from him received by the Record Wednesday morning stated that the child spent a restless night Tuesday and that her condition was very serious. According to diagnosis of attending physicians the child has pneumonia with other complications and it is reported that the physicians hold out little hope for her recovery.

**FORMER COLORADO CITIZEN
DIES AT HANLEY, TEXAS**

News was received here Wednesday evening of the death of Cliff Beal at Hanley. The body will be sent here for burial Friday. Mr. Beal was born and reared in Colorado and the many friends here sympathize with the loved ones in this sad hour.

W. A. Shultz, a former citizen of Colorado, who now lives at Snyder, was here this week to meet Elder Warlick, they returned to Snyder yesterday.

territory. Acreage was blocked some days back for a deep test north of Loraine and we are told that operations on this block are scheduled to begin at an early date. H. T. Turnbow of Loraine is actively engaged in taking leases on acreage in that vicinity and, while he has made no statement, we are informed that a test is proposed on this acreage.

Local oil men are all optimistic over the outlook for the Mitchell county field and owing to the recent rains replenishing the surface water supply, much development is expected in the very near future. One of the most prominent and most active operators in the field stated Thursday morning that present indications are that activities in the field will be carried on continuously at a very largely increased rate and that the future looks very bright for the Mitchell county oil field.

**LOONEY AND COSTIN RE-
ELECTED; PAVING CARRIES**

Judge R. H. Looney was re-elected as mayor of the city of Colorado by a majority of more than two to one over his opponent, Dr. T. J. Ratliff, in the city election held Tuesday. City Secretary L. A. Costin was also elected to succeed himself by a large majority over the aspirant for this office, Miss Juanita Pond. R. O. Pearson and George Slaton, members of the board of aldermen, were also re-elected. The other member of the aldermanic board chosen in Tuesday's election is A. B. Blanks. L. A. Costin, candidate for city secretary, polled the largest number of votes, with Judge Looney and A. B. second and third, respectively.

The proposition authorizing the city to take advantage of the General Paving laws of Texas carried by a majority of almost seven to one. The vote on this proposition stood 291 for the proposition with 44 against it.

There were three aldermen to be elected, with seven names on the ticket. Ocie Lambeth was fourth man in the count of the votes, being only three votes behind R. O. Pearson, who was third on the list, in number of votes polled.

Considerable interest was manifested and a reasonably heavy vote was polled. The results as announced by the election judges are as follows:

Paving Law 291

**MITCHELL COURT HOUSE
BONDS DELIVERED BUYER**

Final approval and registration of the Mitchell County court house bonds was completed at Austin last week and the bonds delivered to bank at Austin for transportation to the purchasers at Oklahoma City, according to information given out at the county judge's office Monday, and it is expected that the money will be deposited in the two local banks, which have been designated as joint depository of the county, within the next few days.

Plans for the new court house have been completed and accepted by Commissioners' Court and as soon as working and quantity sheets, which Architect Castle is now working on, have been completed Commissioners' Court will be ready to advertise for bids for construction of the court house. It is expected that this will be done at an early date.

Against	44
For Mayor	
R. H. Looney	255
T. J. Ratliff	102
For City Secretary	
L. A. Costin	289
Miss Juanita Pond	70
For Alderman (Three Elected)	
A. B. Blanks	215
G. B. Slaton	210
R. O. Pearson	150
Ocie Lambeth	147
C. L. Root	125
Harry Ragan	91
E. H. Hurd	86

COMING!

**American Legion
MINSTRELS**

At High School Auditorium
FRIDAY
APRIL 6th, 8 p. m.

High Class Entertainment. The very latest songs by such famous blacks as PAUL ENO and LISTER DOOLEY. If you can't laugh—better not come, because it's a real scream from start to finish, and no "ruffstuff."

Music by Goldman Blackface Orchestra

Ticket Sales: Chas. Farris
Ticket Receipt: Roy Dozier

Stage Property: Floyd Quinney
Usher-in-Chief: T. W. Buzzo

Admission 25-50¢

Tickets on sale at all Drug Stores. Buy your ticket NOW

PALACE THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
Jack Holt and Bebe Daniels in—

"North of the Rio Grande"

SATURDAY, APRIL 7TH
NEAL HART IN

"RANGELAND"

A story of the Texas Cattle Range—made in Texas.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, APRIL 9 AND 10
VIOLA DANA IN

"They Like 'Em Rough"

"SPEED"

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11TH
MARY MILES MINTER IN

"Little Clown"

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, APRIL 12 AND 13
EMIL JANNINGS IN

"The Loves of Pharaoh"

Paramount Picture

Coming--
THE FAMOUS PRODUCTION
"Rich Men's Wives"

SLAT'S DIARY

Friday—pa is pushin a new 2nd handed ford today he sed that is the kind of masheen for a fellow 2 get 2 lern with. All he can tawk about is carburaytors & Differenchals and Magneters and etc. He sed he was a gonna get one of them Shevrolets in a little while as sun as he lurns to drive better. Ma sed she wanted a reel ottermobele. I sed well u is got one. Miss King is sum teacher. she likes me very good and is favorably impressed upon me, especially in one place. Gee she can hit hard.

Saturday—the forde is in the garage today as pa went over a bank on high. 2 stiches in his hed. Ma sed You ought let sum doby drive wot can drive, and likewise wot can stop. Pa sed Yes, wot can stop by having the wall of Winns brick garage in front of you. Pa wurked at the Spot Cash grocery today account of they had on a Big easter sail there and he got on. Pa ast them shuld he cum back next Saturday and Beakley sed not if I know it. He sed you are lazzier than my Pardner Hill and I'd prefer not to have youunes in the way. Pa sed wen I wurked at Broadduses mr. Broaddus sed I done more than his sun Clyde. Beakley sed Well, you done a head, Im sure.

Sunday—Pa went to the mens s. s. klass at the Palace and ma and me went to the Christian church to hear bro. Hardison disspate the gospel. ma sed he did right well for a man of his klass. I got to watchin mr. H. Bracy Broaddus knod and when he nearly fell offen his seat I lost contact with the preachers surman and forgot what he had done sed. Jane was there and I ast her wot did she think of our new masheen. She only curled her nose up & walked away indifferently. I guess my fushure prospecks with her is about as brite as sum of these street lights about Colorado. A hunk of coal is brite beside them lights.

Monday—Miss Lane, our teacher was explaining the 5 different senses which humans is supposed two have. They are seeing & hearing & smelling & feeling & tasteing. Dick Pearson sed his pa sed the last one named was not necessary enny more since the Volsteade akt went into affect.

Tuesday—We is haveing to cum to skool early these mornins, since we have to goo all day in the new skool. Had my pitcher tuk today down at the studio for the skool annual called the Lonesome Wolf. Miss Steadham sed that sun-in-law of Mr. Hurds is sum pitcher taker and I am hoped up that mine will be a good one for this first issue of the L. W. The pitcher taker sed, however, that he broke one of his masheens when he tuk mr. Lewises pitcher and had to get by with one now. Prof. King sed if they was gonna put mr. Fosters pitcher in the annual he did not want his in there as Fosters wuld spoil the whole thing.

Wednesday—Frank Pidgeon and me is the best of frends. He sticks close as a wart on yure thumb. You cudent melt him away frum me. So today Miss Watts defined the word Inseperable & then she ast John Helton 2 Compose a sentence with the word Inseperable included into it. John studied for a minnet and then he sed, Slat and Frank is as Inseperable as a pare of cordaroy pants.

Thursday—Missus Lewis ast Jane Wot is a vacuum. She looked worried for a few seconts & then her face brittened up like a nue coffy pot & she sed A vacuum is the place where the Pope lives. I snikkered & I know I am in bad now. pa applied for a new position with the City Nashional bank and he had 2 tell where all & what he had done all his life. Today he got a reply and mr. Compton Pritchett sed in the letter You are either a very old man or else a awful big lire. In either case you woud be a Undersirabul addishun to our force. He suggested that pa see Joe Smoot, however. sed they might cild use him. pa sed no, not a chance there.

THEATRE CALENDAR
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FOURTEEN YEAR-OLD BOY HANGS SELF THURSDAY

Jerom Dergal, 14, who made his home with his aunt, Senora Tala Jabor, was found dead about eight o'clock Thursday evening, last, in a closet at the Jabor home in north-west Colorado.

Justice C. S. Thomas held an inquest and rendered the decision that the boy committed suicide by hanging himself. The boy had been dead probably an hour when found suspended from the ceiling by a rope. Justice Thomas stated that the boy died from strangulation as the neck was not broken.

Jerom Dergal is said to have been of Syrian descent and it said that his parents live in Mexico City, Mexico. No reason for the act has been discovered, other than the fact that the boy received a message a few days ago stating that his mother was to be operated upon in Mexico City in a day or two, and relatives here believe the boy brooded over this until his mind became affected.

J. H. Greene, local undertaker, took charge of the body and forwarded it to El Paso for enternment. Manuel Jabor of Colorado accompanied the body to El Paso.

FORMER MITCHELL CITIZEN WRITES FROM 'MAGIC VALLEY'

The Record is in receipt of a letter from George E. Goodwin, former citizen of Mitchell County, who moved with his family to Mission, Texas, in the lower Rio Grande Valley, some weeks ago, in which he gives experiences of the trip to the "Magic Valley" and other interesting smont the most prominent farmers and stock raisers of the county. He owned property near Cuthbert before leaving for the Rio Grande section, and has many friends in this county, who will be glad to read the communication from him. The letter follows: "According to promise I shall try to give an account of myself. We arrived in the Valley the 21 of February in the rain and mud, but are very glad we are here. We left home Wednesday morning, the 14th of February and caught up with the boys and the truck Saturday morning in San Antonio. They had been on the road just two weeks that day. We all left San Antonio together Saturday morning and stayed together all the rest of the way thru, as they had had such a time and the roads were so bad. We had a good time camping out and pulling each other out of the mud. We had plenty to eat and a good place to sleep on our own beds.

"It did not rain on us after we left San Antonio until a few minutes after we reached home, it began raining and rained a week.

"We had our two son-in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Jenkins and Steve Tillson and a nephew G. A. Rose, wife and sweet baby Theima with us and on account of the rain and roads they stayed nearly two weeks with us and we enjoyed their stay very much.

"We had plenty of fish which were caught out of the canal just back of our place, every day while they were here.

"Tell Miss Georgia Laceywell we think of her every day while eating the meat and vegetables, also the 'sun-of-a-gun' which she helped us put up with our pressure cooker.

"Will say in regard to the country and climate, we still think this is the best place in the world. I have planted since we came 2034 citrus fruit trees, one dozen paper shell pecans and hundreds of cuttings from home, oleanders and shrubbery of all kinds.

"I brought some dewberry plants from home and set out and they are now blooming. Planted all kinds of garden stuff, corn and peanuts all up and doing fine. I can step across the street today in Mr. Shary's orchard, which is the largest orchard in the valley, which contains 40 acres of citrus fruits, and gather from one tree fruit in all stages from the blossom to ripe fruit.

"We get good milk delivered at the door as we want it for forty

BEST THEATRE

FRIDAY NIGHT, SATURDAY MATINEE

Dustin Farnum and Kid McCoy, a great combination

"OATHBOUND"

Comedy—"THE STRAPHANGER"

SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL

"SAVED BY RADIO"

With George Larkin. Radio on land and on the sea and in the air. Comedy—"THE PILL."

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, APRIL 9 AND 10

George Arliss in—

"The Ruling Passion"

A story recently in the Saturday Evening Post, a super photoplay entertainment.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, APRIL 11 AND 12

"Other Women's Clothes"

A romantic drama. Comedy—"WHEN SUMMER COMES."

RAGAN COUNTY OIL NEWS FROM THE BIG LAKE NEWS

The bit at the St. Rita No. 1, fourteen miles west of here is still cutting its way down in mother earth. They are now between 2750 and 2800 feet. Gushes of water have been coming within 100 feet of the top and are now shut off. Driller Cromwell states this is the third time water has almost reached the top. A bed of salt has been penetrated which causes the slush to be salty. This well is being drilled by the Texan Oil & Land Company.

Drilling at the potash well is delayed on account of mud caking in on the bit. This is now being underreamed. Drilling will be resumed as soon as underreaming is finished and casing arrives which will be but a few days. The Philadelphia Drilling Company is drilling the test with a core drill. The core drill brings up the natural formation as it exists under the ground! This test is located four miles west of the oil well. Riggins is on the ground at Best, eleven miles west of here and four miles east of the well now being drilled by the Texan Oil & Land Company. A strata of sixty foot thickness was encountered at the St. Rita well at a depth of about eleven hundred feet. Geologists claim that the formation consisted of fifty per cent potash which is among the richest in the world.

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

MASS MEETINGS WILL BE CALLED BY FARM BUREAU

W. W. Porter, secretary-manager of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau, stated Tuesday afternoon that plans are now being perfected toward the launching of the county-wide campaign to increase membership of the Farm Bureau in Mitchell County, and that as soon as those plans are completed, a call will be issued for mass meetings to be held at Lorraine and Colorado. The date for the mass meetings, however, has not been set, as the district offices at Lubbock are to be heard from before the final arrangements for starting the campaign are made. District Manager Overstreet of Lubbock is expected to be here and help conduct the campaign to increase the membership in this county, Porter stated.

Envelopes and Paper, finest quality Linen, you will like it, prices most reasonable.

"Lindell" High Quality Linen Envelopes, pkg. 15¢

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"Feeling Fine!"

"I was pale and thin, hardly able to go," says Mrs. Bessie Bearden, of Central, S. C. "I would suffer, when I stood on my feet, with bearing-down pains in my sides and the lower part of my body. I did not rest well and didn't want anything to eat. My color was bad and I felt miserable. A friend of mine told me of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

and I then remembered my mother used to take it. After the first bottle I was better. I began to fatten up and I regained my strength and good, healthy color. I am feeling fine. I took twelve bottles (of Cardui) and haven't had a bit of trouble since."

"Thousands of other women have had similar experiences in the use of Cardui, which has brought relief where other medicines had failed."

If you suffer from female ailments, take Cardui. It is a woman's medicine. It may be just what you need. At your druggist's or dealer's.

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We want you to come in as soon as you can because we believe we can tell you as we have told a good many other car owners—how to make your battery last longer and serve better.

When you do come in, why not stay until you have pumped us dry of every bit of battery information that may help you to get MORE MILES of uninterrupted service PER DOLLAR.

We'll tell you why rubber had to be made porous before it could be used for battery insulation and how the threads turn the trick.

WINN & PIDGEON

Willard Batteries

How about that spring suit? I have some real bargains, \$22.50 to \$35.00 wool and a yard wide—Klasy Kleaner.

FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The important seasonal crop weather changes from winter to summer are not regular; Bigelow gave them as April 20. For this year the principal storms of the month come during the week centering on April 7 and I expect the crop weather change to begin to take effect as those storms clear away. Last 12 days of the month will average more quiet than usual. No such crop season has occurred within twenty years as that just ahead, but a little further back I have records of a number that were similar. Of recent months the Atlantic States have been hogging the moisture. That was because the moisture came from the Caribbean sea south of the Atlantic States. The old belief was that one extreme follows another; but it does not always work that way. I am sure that North America will not produce as much grain in 1923 as it did in 1922 and that one very important crop will fall very far short. Many well informed business men believe Europe is bankrupt. But that will not hurt North America. Some people over there have plenty of money, and millions of them are coming to this continent.

Section 1: North of 47, between 90 and Rockies' crest; normal temperature near April 8, highest near 17 and 27, lowest 14; average warmer than usual; most severe storms of the month and most moisture of the month during week centering on the 8th.

Section 2: North of 47, east of 90; normal temperatures near April 10, highest 13 and 19, lowest 16; the month and most moisture of the most severe storms of the month and centering on 10th.

Section 3: Between 39 and 47 and between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures near April 8 and 14, lowest 11 and 16; average a little above normal; most severe storms of the month and most rain of the month during the week centering on April 7.

Section 4: East of 90, between latitude 39 and 47; lowest temperature near April 6 and 12, highest 9 and 14; average near normal; most severe storms of the month and most rain of the month during the week centering on April 7.

Section 5: South of 43 1/2 to Mexican line lowest temperatures near April 8 and 13; highest 11 and 17; average unusually cold; most severe storms of the month and most moisture of the month during the week centering on April 8.

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For Guaranteed shoe repairing see Ed Jackson's Main Street.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS

Civic League to Meet

The Colorado Civic League will meet in regular session Saturday afternoon, April 7th at 4 p. m. at the residence of Mrs. Coleman.

County Federation to Meet

The Mitchell County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet in regular monthly session, Tuesday, April 10th, at 3 p. m. at the Sunday school rooms of Methodist church, as guest of Daughters of the King, Colorado.

Church School Program

At the Episcopal church, Saturday a missionary Easter program was given by the church school. The numbers consisted of appropriate recitations and Easter anthems. Every country where the church is at work was represented by some pupil in the native dress, and his speech had told of some work in that field. The mime boxes were presented at this service. The amount which is placed in the missionary fund, was found to be \$15.67. After the service the customary egg hunt was held.

Election of Officers

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Coleman for the election of officers. The result of the election was: Mrs. J. E. Riordan, president; Mrs. W. M. Elliott, vice president; Mrs. P. C. Coleman, secretary; Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, treasurer; Mrs. Van Tuyl, secretary Spiritual life; Mrs. A. E. Madden, secretary Home missions; Mrs. Billie Hagler, secretary Foreign missions; Mrs. Reed, secretary Home missions, S. P. C.; Mrs. H. D. Womack, secretary Y. P. and S. S. Extension; Mrs. J. E. Riordan, secretary Christian education and ministerial relief; Miss Elliott, secretary literature. The reports of both circles of the auxiliary were completed to be given at the Presbytery, which meets here next Tuesday.

WOMEN OF N-W TEXAS CONFERENCE MEET IN SNYDER

The Annual Conference of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist church will meet in Snyder on April 24th for a five day session.

This is the first time that Snyder has ever entertained this conference, which comprises all counties from Abilene to Amarillo and a large delegation is expected to be present. Some 200 delegates are expected to be present in addition to visitors, according to information from Snyder, and great preparations are being made to entertain them.

Colorado will be represented at the conference by a large delegation, according to Mrs. Everett Winn, president of the local woman's missionary society.

Special Services

Special services were held at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. The church was beautifully decorated in ferns, carnations and Easter lilies. The lilies were sent from Mrs. R. E. Dolman, a member who is in Paris with her son. Appropriate music was given by the choir and an Easter message given by the pastor, Rev. W. M. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. George Witten were received into the church. At the commemoration of the Lord's supper the individual silver service, which was a gift from Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Maddin, was used. In the afternoon the pastor held services at Horn's Chapel.

Hesperian

The Hesperian met with Mrs. Leslie, Mrs. Whipkey led the lesson on O'Henry. Mrs. Edgar Majors gave a paper on the Structure, Style and General Qualities of O'Henry's stories. Mrs. Sam Majors, Mrs. Sadler, Mrs. Merritt and Mrs. Johnson gave special readings from the author. Mrs. Blanks, Mrs. J. A. Buchanan and Mrs. H. E. Grantland were guests at the social hour. The hostess served a salad course, coconut pie and coffee. On each plate were Easter favors of miniature baskets of chickens. The meeting this week will be with Mrs. T. J. Ratliff.

1921 Study Club

The 1921 Study met with Mrs. Harry Ratliff. The time was spent studying Antony and Cleopatra with Mrs. Jones leader. Special papers were given by Mrs. Pritchett, Mrs. Ratliff, Mrs. C. R. Earnest, Mrs. Hooks and Mrs. Dobbs, Mrs. Lambeth and Mrs. Jones were appointed as a committee to see about a picture show benefit. At the social hour the hostess served fruit salad, sandwiches, cheese straws and tea. The meeting this week will be with Mrs. Pritchett.

The Shakespeare Club

The Shakespeare Club had no meeting last week but will meet with Mrs. Jack Smith this week.

The Standard

The Standard met with Mrs. J. E. Riordan. Mrs. Gary led the lesson. The club decided to take space in the High school annual also to offer a medal next year to the high school student who made the highest average. At the social hour scalloped oysters, the accompaniments, fruit punch, angel food cake and coffee were served. The decorations and favors carried out the Easter idea.

Business Meeting

The Baptist Woman's Auxiliary met at the church Monday in business session. Besides the regular business it was decided to send a box of bed linens to Buckner Orphans Home the first Monday in May. More than thirty dollars was reported from the week of prayer. Plans were made to hold cottage prayer meetings each afternoon this week.

Parent-Teacher's Association

One of the organizations calculated to bring about much and lasting good for the present and future citizenship of Colorado is the Parent-Teacher's Association. On Thursday of last week the organization was perfected. The constitution and by-laws were accepted and the necessary committees appointed to set the machinery to working. The time for the regular meeting was set for the first Tuesday in each month at 7:30 p. m.

On Tuesday the first meeting was held at the High school auditorium and interested fathers and mothers and teachers were there to help carry on the school work in a more co-operative manner. Most of the evening was spent discussing plans that if put into effect will tend to increase the usefulness, service and health of the student body. Like all great undertakings foundations have been laid and the Parent-Teachers' Association is preparing for a much better school next year than any in the history of Colorado. Indeed, the work will begin immediately. Next month the program will be one on Health, bringing out the idea of the necessity of good health for the best work. This will be both interesting and instructive and every interested parent is expected to be there. If you have not joined the Parent-Teachers' Association you are expected to become a member before the next meeting. Join now.

A Supreme Entertainment

Monday and Tuesday the Best Theatre will present George Arliss in "The Ruling Passion." George Arliss has been making films since the beginning and should need no introduction to Colorado fans. To say that he made good in this picture would be putting it mildly. The story was recently published in the Saturday Evening Post and made one of the most sensational hits ever made by that magazine. The picture is released by United Artists and should prove to be some interesting entertainment.

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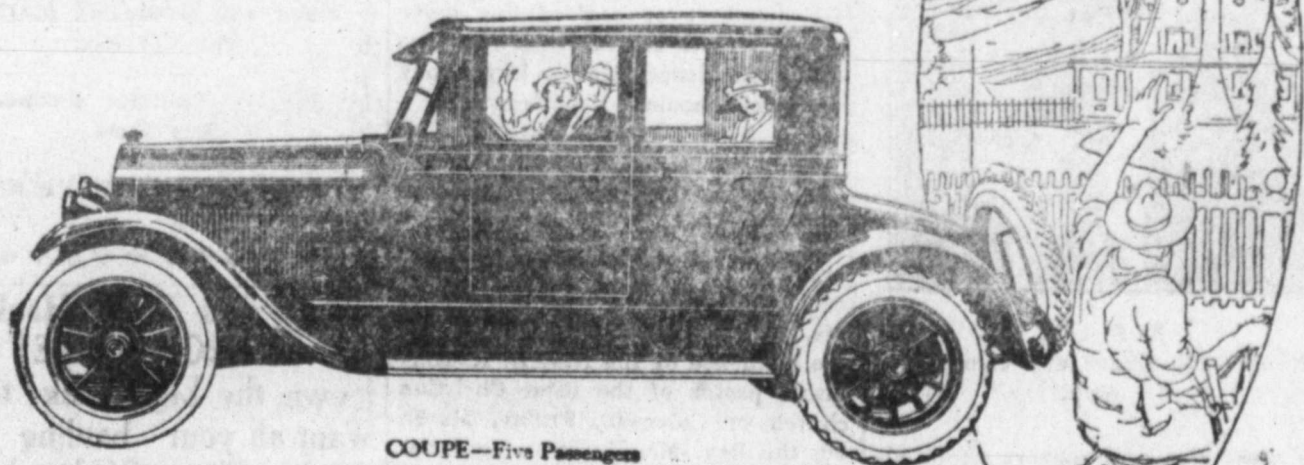
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Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this the 16th day of March A. D. 1923.

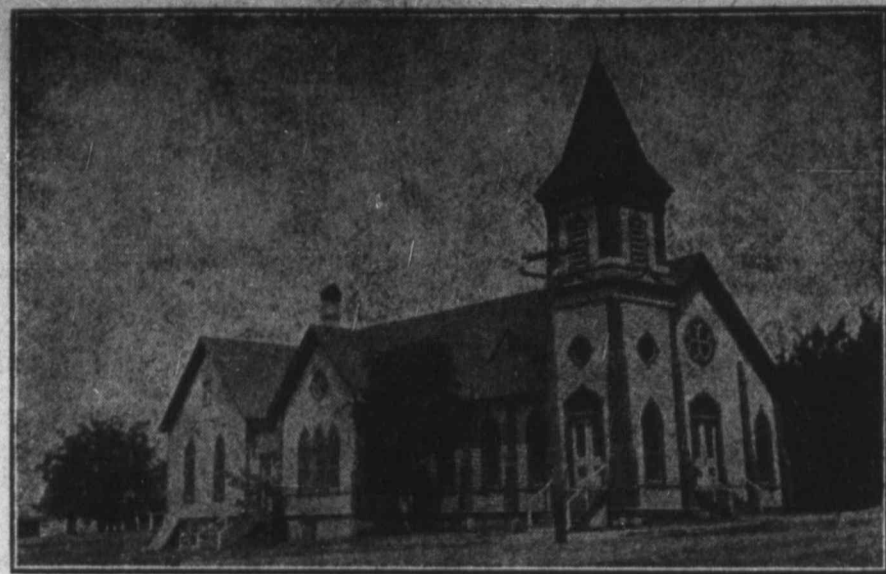
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Colorado, Texas.

REVIVAL BEGINS AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

There will begin Sunday, April 8th at the First Baptist church in Colorado a series of revival services. The pastor will do the preaching. We will have a first class musical director from Fort Worth, Mr. B. B. Cox with us. There are many important matters to look after during life but the most important thing is that matter that relates to God. It is the easiest one put off but the consequences



REV. M. C. BISHOP
Pastor First Baptist Church

of deferring are more far reaching in effect. We are living in rather strenuous times. Sin never was more bold and daring than it is today. We are asking the citizens of Colorado to help us in this work. We are one of you and one with you. We are for all the betterment of Colorado. As a fellow citizen we appeal to you to lend us your support and give us your co-operation for these services. A man can be indifferent about many things and get to Heaven but



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Evangelist.

SWEETWATER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION HOLD CONFERENCE

A conference of pastors and departmental workers of the Sweetwater Baptist Association embracing 56 churches, 39 Sunday Schools, 36 B. Y. P. U.'s, and 19 Women's Missionary Societies, has been called to meet in Merkel on Monday, April 16th for an all-day conference. The Taylor County monthly Worker's Institute and the Fifth Sunday meeting have been merged with this conference, therefore, the hope is to make it the best general meeting of the Association for the entire year.

The Days Program.

Assemble at 10 o'clock, Dr. J. C. Burkett of Abilene presiding.

1. Song and devotion 15 minutes, led by H. L. Knight, Sweetwater.

2. Sunday Schools and N. T. Evangelism, 30 minutes, W. A. Todd of Blackwell.

3. Pastoral Leadership and the denominational program, 30 minutes M. C. Bishop, Colorado.

4. Address, President L. R. Scarborough of Fort Worth Seminary. 12:15—Lunch served at church.

Important Committee Meetings

At 1:15 the following committees are requested to meet:

1. Executive committee, Association of S. Convention, J. H. Greene superintendent.

2. Executive committee, Association B. Y. P. U., Phil J. Little, president.

3. Executive committee, Sweetwater Baptist Encampment, Ira L. Parrack, president.

4. Associational Executive Board, Dr. Milard A. Jenkins, Chairman. Re-assemble at 2:00, Hon. E. I. Hill of Sweetwater presiding.

1. Devotional 15 minutes lead by Judge E. S. Cummings of Merkel.

2. The layman and God's Kingdom Work, Judge J. P. Stinson of Abilene

3. Address, O. B. Webb of Dallas or Jeff Davis, Field Secretary.

4. Organization of an Associational laymen's union.

Evening Service

7:45—Address by Dewitt McMurry of the Dallas News.

8:15—Closing Sermon or address by Dr. Scarborough or Jeff Davis.

Note—The importance of this conference should insist the forces in all departments of our work so that nothing but Divine Providence will keep them from attending. Pastors are urged to call special attention of their Board Members and others who are members of any of the above committees to the meeting and urge their attendance. May a large body of laymen come.—Reporter.

WESTBROOK REPRESENTATIVE MARRIED HERE FRIDAY

Miss Margaret Lasseter, for several years representative of the Record at Westbrook, was married to Mr. T. E. Hodges of Westbrook, at the residence of the Rev. D. R. Hardison, pastor of the First Christian church of Colorado, Friday, March 30, the Rev. Mr. Hardison performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Hodges will make their home in Westbrook, where the bride owns a drug and grocery store. Mrs. Hodges is the daughter of County Commissioner Lasseter of the Westbrook precinct.

UNION ITEMS

In as much as it was ye humble scribe's good pleasure to attend the reorganization of the Sunday school at Union church last Sunday under the leadership of Mr. B. B. McGuire, superintendent and whereas it was plainly seen that Union seemed to be coming back to its own, makes me want to tell the public about it. We all feel encouraged and to cap the climax our old wheelhorse, Rev. J. M. Dorn made a stirring talk on the subject of repainting our church, which resulted in raising a little the rise of \$70.00 for that purpose and we expect to contract for the work next week. Things generally seem to be on the upgrade in the Union community.

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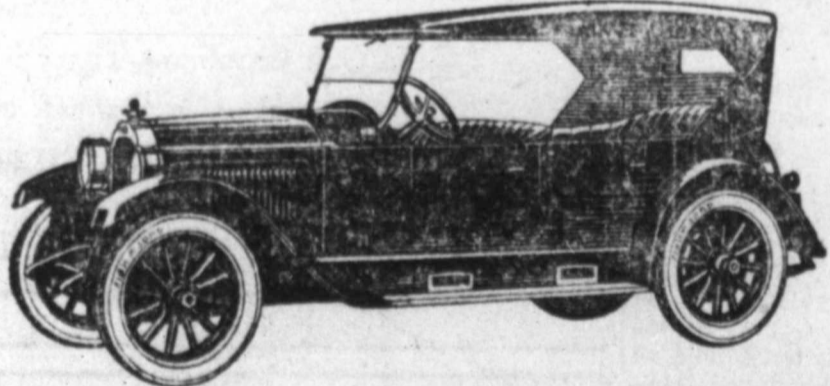
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County Federation
 To the members of the County Federation of Clubs:
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some ideas. Let's select a motto and colors for our County Federation.
MRS. J. G. MERRITT
 President Mitchell County Federation of Women's Clubs.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday was an exceptionally good day in every department of church work. The Bible school was well attended both at the church and the Men's Bible class at the Palace Theatre. There were about 70 present at the three Endeavor societies in the afternoon and evening. The church services were made attractive with special music and hymns by the choir and congregation. Dr. Root and Mrs. Daniel sang a duet composed by Dr. Root. Come to the service and bring your friends.
D. R. HARDISON.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM
 Vice president presiding.
 Song.
 Prayer—Mrs. Robinson.
 Old and new business.
 Secretary's report.
 Leader—Maxine Root.
 Introduction.
 1st, Richard Pearson; 2nd, Vernon Logan; 3rd, Grace Hunter; 4th, Lillian Pond; 5th, Wilma Allen.
 Violin Solo—Delma Bishop.
 Song.
 Adjournment.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 There will be services at the Episcopal church Sunday, April 8, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning service will be Holy Communion. Reverend Eteson appointments during the month of April only, will be:
 April 8, Colorado; 15th, Big Spring; 22nd, Colorado; 29th, Big Spring.

Beginning May 6th, Reverend Eteson's appointments will revert to former order, which has been and will be indefinitely: Colorado, First and Third Sundays in each month; Big Spring, Second and Fourth in each month.
 The Fifth Sunday of month, if any has not been assigned.
 Church school is held every Sunday morning at 9:45 a. m. with J. B. Reese, superintendent.
 The Auxiliary will meet every Thursday at 3:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. M. Thomas, superintendent. If you are not attending another Sunday school we would be glad to have you in ours.
 Sermon and worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
 The Presbytery of El Paso will hold its spring meeting in our church beginning next Tuesday evening at 7:30 holding over Wednesday. Every body is invited to attend all the sessions of the Presbytery.

Sunday school at Horns school house every Sunday afternoon at 3:30, Jerald Riordan, superintendent. There was a fine lot of people there last Sunday.
W. M. ELLIOTT.

Christian Endeavor Program
 Subject—What are wise and unwise uses of the Lord's day?
 Leader—Eloise Pond.
 Song—service led by Marcella Price.
 Sentence prayers.
 Scripture reading—Isa. 58:8-14; Psalm 118:24—Wilma Allen.
 Leader's talk.
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 Pastor's talk.
 Song.
 Mizpah.

Merry Wives
 The Merry Wives met with Mrs. Floyd Quinney at the home of Mrs. Lucian Maddin. Her guests were Mrs. P. K. Williams, Mrs. Jim Dobbs, Mrs. A. P. Baker, Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr. and Mrs. Vance Phenix of Dallas. The hostess served a meat salad crackers, potato chips, pickles, cheese straws, stuffed eggs, brown bread, sandwiches and tea. Mrs. Barcroft will entertain both the Merry Wives and the Harmony Clubs next week.

Young People Meet.
 The Y. P. M. S. of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Aubrey Herrington at Mrs. A. J. Herrington's Tuesday. The lesson was on Spain and Mexico. Mrs. Aubrey Herrington and Miss Hazel Costin were elected delegates to the conference which meets in Snyder the 24th and 25th of this month. Miss Johnnie Chesney and Miss Tommie Smith were received as new members. Mrs. Monroe Herrington and Mrs. Conrad Watson of Lamesa were guests. The hostess served ice tea and cake. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hope Herrington.

BAPTIST REVIVAL
 (BY THE EDITOR)

Every business man in town ought to boost Revivals because genuine Revivals make folks pay up bad debts.

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Every soul of accountable age that has not repented of sin and personally trusted Christ and Him only as Savior is a lost sinner.

The manufacturers of America would have a ten million dollar loss if Uncle Sam's mails were delayed only one day. But a delay of only 24 hours may cost you your soul! And Jesus asks the question: "What is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?"

It would not be worth the trouble of turning on the lights for a service to get fifty Church members merely,—we want "converts." No sinner is ready to join the Church of Jesus Christ until he has been born again; "Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God"—John 3:3.

God made the solar system, and sends the earth spinning around the sun at the rate of 68,000 miles per hour, with a revolving motion on its own axis at the same time of 19 miles per second; can't God also give us a Revival? "The Lord's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save"—Isa. 59:1.

In America it takes on the average eleven Baptists working a year to win one convert. That is because some of us are not working at it. Every Christian can bring somebody to Church and to Christ. God never intended that any should be unconverted in the Kingdom of Christ.

Pastor M. C. Bishop will preach, beginning this Sunday, April 8th, at the First Baptist Church. Brother B. B. Cox will lead the song service each service. There will be a solo, or other music special, at every service. Two pianos will lead the music. Everybody in Colorado has cordial and hearty invitation to attend.

U. D. C.
 The U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Hughes as hostesses at the residence of Mrs. Hughes April 10 at 3:30 o'clock.
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 Thursday morning at 11 o'clock a sermon by Rev. J. V. Johnson.
 Thursday morning Rev. W. M. Fairley will, at his discretion conduct a conference on Home Missions or preach a sermon.

"OATHBOUND"
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1904	1.08	.02	.90	1.42	2.91	5.01	1.57	1.77	6.07	1.93	.43	.59	22.02
1905	.30	.83	5.05	2.71	2.73	2.46	4.39	4.07	3.71	1.69	1.74	.57	29.95
1906	.29	.73	1.43	3.19	0.81	2.12	3.13	7.82	2.95	2.77	2.33	.62	33.32
1907	.21	.80	2.94	.34	2.16	2.53	9.42	.15	.17	6.83	1.93	.41	25.76
1908	.45	.08	.33	5.73	0.61	.32	3.71	1.22	1.54	.82	1.71	.09	21.62
1909	.05	.02	.27	.06	1.23	.01	2.75	1.09	1.18	1.23	4.58	.09	13.36
1910	.58	.29	.48	.69	1.78	.15	.16	1.14	.90	0.53	.58	.09	11.42
1911	.41	4.48	.72	2.12	.97	.99	2.53	2.97	2.11	.09	.49	2.90	19.26
1912	.09	.90	.09	1.11	.80	1.97	1.08	2.92	.06	1.92	.09	1.59	12.11
1913	2.17	.49	2.97	1.70	1.30	2.77	2.99	.16	.09	2.69	2.73	4.57	23.25
1914	.17	.21	.21	5.03	2.24	2.41	2.50	2.86	6.88	2.63	.09	.43	25.34
1915	.09	.08	.34	2.22	1.72	.90	.38	.38	.62	.90	.30	.31	7.84
1916	.11	.00	.00	1.51	.47	.14	1.56	.37	.90	.07	.09	.08	4.47
1917	.15	.47	.11	.59	2.58	3.48	.74	.24	.96	2.56	.81	1.99	14.36
1918	1.19	.24	4.48	2.48	2.19	6.81	7.94	1.65	3.74	2.38	.33	.25	36.28
1919	2.11	.49	.18	.90	7.04	5.96	.27	7.67	3.31	2.64	2.69	.27	32.61
1920	.26	.89	1.48	.42	.37	4.99	.48	1.99	2.77	.99	.99	.06	12.93
1921	.78	.17	1.27	12.28	4.98	2.03	.14	.21	.1	.31	1.61	.22	23.07
1922	.70	3.85											4.90

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FILTRATION

The biggest gun that Sweetwater has yet fired in the campaign to secure the Texas Tech college was touched off last week when the City Commission authorized the installation of a filtration plant.

In quantity and in quality, the water supply of this city has always compared most favorably with that of any city of any size in West Texas. Since 1916, when Lake Trammell was completed, there has never been the slightest worry about water and that is something that even Dallas cannot boast of. But this water was surface water and as such is subject to contamination. That the water shed is open, and isolated and comparatively free from anything that might contaminate does not alter the situation. There was always the possibility.

That water, its quantity and its purity, will play an important part in the location of the college is not denied by those who face the facts of the situation.

There never has been any question of quantity. And now there will be none regarding its purity.

And in a large sense, the filtration

plant will play an important part in the development of the city aside from the Texas Tech. If this installation will prevent just one death by typhoid or other waterborn disease, it will be worth to this city all it may cost.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Colorado has a fine supply of good water, which, with the exception of a small percent of solids, is considered pure. This, of course, is a point in our favor when speaking of location of the Texas Tech, but we need a water softening plant, to make our local water supply better for domestic purposes and to make it more desirable for industrial plants as well. The City of Colorado should by all means look to the installation of a softening plant, in the opinion of the Record, not only for the added advantage it would give in the location of the Texas Tech, but for the future industrial growth of the city. A number of industrial enterprises could be induced to locate here if an abundance of soft water could be assured for steam boiler usage. An ice plant is one of these enterprises that would be installed immediately by local men if this assurance of soft water supply was forthcoming. The Record would urge the city officials to take steps to increase the desirability of this town as a manufacturing metropolis as well as distributing center. If this is done Colorado will get her share of the worth while enterprises.

COME TO TEXAS.

According to Holland's Farm and Ranch, Texas leads the nation in total crop values by a wide margin, according to government values of 1922. Last year's crops were valued at \$716,408,000. Texas leads Iowa, the next state in the rank by \$261,621,000 or eight and four tenths per cent of the nation's agricultural wealth.—McKinney Courier Gazette And yet there are some folks who

think that Texas is nothing except a vast area of desert land and that everybody is either a cowboy or a mysterious kind of personage, who is like nobody else in the world. Texans sit back and look at anybody with amazement who thinks that way; Texans suppose that they ought to be either informed before they give expression to such thoughts or else consult a nerve specialist to see just why they think like they do. The Gazette shows just exactly what Texas can do in an agricultural way and that is only a small part of the things that Texas does. Come to Texas.—Abilene Reporter.

By way of annexation to the above The Record would like to call attention to the fact that West Texas is by far the most prosperous and most promising section of Texas. West Texas is fast becoming the agricultural mecca of all Texas. She has the most productive soil, most desirable climate and by far the most extensive acreage of fine tillable land of any section of this State or any other State in the Union. Thousands and thousands of acres of new sod are being broken in West Texas this year. Many hundreds of acres of land are being placed in cultivation this year in West Texas. Mitchell county alone will till several hundred acres of new land this year. Howard county claims an increase of more than fifty per cent, Scurry county about the same, Midland and Martin counties claim a large increase in actual farming lands, while Ector county claims an increase of over 1000 per cent of lands under the plow this spring as compared with last year. Other counties all over West Texas report large increases in acreage under the plow and it now looks as though Texas will be able to take any two States to task this fall when it comes to balancing the crop valuations. We join the Reporter in inviting you to come to Texas, but for fear you will be disappointed we beseech you to stop nowhere east of the well defined bounds of the great West Texas empire. To be safe and sure, better come to Mitchell county.

WILL McADOO BE NOMINATED?

Now that the good ship 1923 is sailing rapidly, and we might say, camly along toward its journey's end, considerable talk is prevalent about the Presidential nominations of next year. It seems, from what The Record can gather, that William G. McAdoo and Henry Ford are leaders on the list for the Democratic nomination. There is also a boom on for Senator Underwood as the Democratic nominee in 1924, however, The Record, ventures the assertion, despite the present plans and efforts to the contrary, that Underwood will not be the nominee. Personally we would favor either of the first two mentioned prospective nominees, rather than Underwood. While it is impossible to tell what the dear "people" will do in a great national campaign by judging from past actions, we believe that either of the first mentioned presidential prospects would have a clean sweep of the South. In Texas we think we could almost assure a landslide for either of them. Texas is essentially an agricultural country. Texas is mostly populated by farmers and rural inhabitants. Texas would go strong for McAdoo, therefore, The Record is of the opinion that the farmers all over the country would support McAdoo. In this connection the New York Tribune says:

"While McAdoo will have the railroad workers as one of his largest assets, one wonders whether the possession of this asset may not carry with it some accompanying liabilities. Can McAdoo have the railroad worker and at the same time have the discontented farmer? Under ordinary circumstances many of these farmers, who in the Republican party express themselves politically by following radicals or progressives such as La Follette and Brookhart, would tend to express themselves in the Democratic party in an analogous way by supporting men like McAdoo and Ford. In fact, so long as the farmers are in their present mood, and to the degree that they act within the Democratic party, McAdoo and Ford are about the only ones among those mentioned for the Democratic nomination who appeal to them. If the Democratic presidential primaries were held today the great bulk of those farmers who are Democrats would vote for one or the other of these two men. As between McAdoo and Ford, probably Ford would attract the larger number of the farmers. But McAdoo because of his identification in a broad way with progressive policies might ordinarily be expected to get a considerable following of the agricultural States of the West."

The Tribune, however, doubts the ability of McAdoo to command both

the railroad vote and the farmer vote. It states emphatically, though, that McAdoo would carry the railroad vote, and adds:

"And yet one may reasonably question whether it is possible, for one and the same candidate to go through the discussions and debates of a political campaign with the farmers on one shoulder and railroad labor on the other. To unite the farmer and the laborer is one of the commonest dreams of politicians. On paper it looks like a "cinch" Add the number of laborers in the country to the number of farmers in the country and the sum is more than a majority of all the voters. But while this looks alluring on paper, would it actually work out in practice? Would the cement of a paper combination of farmers and laborers stand the strain of discussion?"

"The fact is, the economic interests of the laborers are to a large extent the opposite of the economic interests of the farmers. And if their economic interests are diverse, can their political interests be united, and can they be led to act as a political unit? We are living in a period when politics is the expression of economic interest, when economic groups act as political "blocks." And at such a time can you have a permanent combination of the farm bloc and labor bloc?"

In as much as McAdoo was one of the leading officials in one of the most successful administrations the nation has ever known, even though conditions were most adverse, we believe that not only the farmers and railroad men would stand for him, but that a very large majority of the whole people of the whole United States would favor McAdoo for President if given an opportunity to express themselves on this matter. In speaking of Henry Ford's chances for the nomination, the New York Tribune continues:

"If it comes to comparisons of one industrial Moses against another industrial Moses, it may turn out that Henry Ford will be the man who will seem to all the workers, including the railroad workers, to be the real miracle man. Whatever doubts might be raised by a thoroughgoing investigation the fact sufficient for political purposes, is that a considerable portion of the public has got the impression of Henry Ford as a worker of economic miracles, the man who at one and the same time can pay higher wages to his workers and sell his product at lower prices. If in the United States in the year 1924 this sort of thing has come to be the heart of politics, Ford should profit by it."

Not Delivered, But Paid For.

The other day the Congressional Record came out with a \$10,000 issue. Congress had adjourned nearly two weeks before, but the Record continues to come out from day to day until all the speeches are printed. But it is not necessary for a speech to be delivered to be printed. Not at all. All that is necessary is for a Congressman to dictate it to his stenographer and then direct somebody to dump the manuscript into a wheelbarrow and take it around to the Government printing office. Then it is printed at the Government's expense. It is true that there is the formality of raising in his seat, addressing the speaker—or the president of the Senate, if the petitioner be a Senator—and requesting unanimous consent to extend his remarks in the Record. Nobody objects. Not even Mr. Blanton of Texas—who has probably objected more times in Congress than any other member of that honorable body ever objected—raises objection. In the \$10,000 issue of the Record the other day the Hon. Thos. L. Blanton himself had \$575 worth in the form of a speech which he never delivered.

Not that Mr. Blanton was the worst offender. He wasn't. Strictly speaking, it isn't an offense for a Congressman to print in the Record a speech which neither he nor any body else ever spoke. Pretty nearly all of them do it. In this same issue which is graced by Mr. Blanton's undelivered oratory there are forty-nine and one-half pages of rhetoric from Senator Heflin. It cost the United States—not Senator Heflin—almost \$2,500 to print that one speech. Twenty-two pages of that speech were tacked on by the Senator between the time he stopped speaking in the Senate on that occasion and the time he turned his revised speech over to the printer. Ostensibly the padded speech was intended to show what a terrible money devil there is in Wall Street and how he's crushing the life blood out of the people through his control of the Federal Reserve Bank. Actually, of course, the idea is to convey to the dear people back in Heflin's State what a fine thing it would be if they'd send the brave

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FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs I have better chickens than had last year but am selling eggs at same price. 1st pen \$1.50, 2nd pen \$1.25. Come and see these chickens, two blocks south and two blocks east of South Colorado bridge. Also have 100 bushels of pure Mebane cotton seed for sale. \$1.50 per bushel.—W. T. Martin. 5-1p

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FOR RENT—Three comfortable well furnished bed rooms with access to bath. No children. Ring 182.

LOST—Nickle rim, round lens temple glasses, between Record office and Coe hotel, Finder return to this office 1p

FOR RENT—Nice bed rooms for rent, close in. Rooms either furnished or unfurnished. Phone or see Mrs. J. M. Helton. 4-13c

LOST—Two very valuable hounds, one white and lemon spotted; other black with white around neck, branded triangle on left side, wearing collar with name O. S. Carlton, Houston, Texas. Will pay \$20 reward for each of these dogs. Running wolf near Spade when last heard of. Notify W. O. Jackson, Westbrook. 1p

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COMMUNITY BUILDING

The small town is doomed unless the rural people take steps to save it. Well, what of it? Who cares?

Do not get cynical until you have thought the matter over? You should care, and here are some reasons:

The American farmers live unto themselves as no other farmers do. In Europe they build together and form villages at the cross roads. They go out to their farms—small of course—to work but they spend the nights in social groups. The automobile has made distance a matter of time, not of miles, in this country of ours. So, our farmers can use the village and town as a community center if they will, though it is not as convenient to go five miles as five blocks and tumble into bed after the gathering.

The consolidated school in the country can serve as a community center if the building is equipped with kitchen and auditorium. These are essentials.

Community is not just a group of buildings. It is that territory with its inhabitants that have a common interest in a trading or social center. The well-balanced community has a church, a school, and a oneness of purpose in the people. Too many small towns have more churches than they can support. The people certainly would not allow too many schools. They pay for their support in taxes.

Do the people not get taxed, as it were, to support the churches not needed? Most small and large towns have too many stores—too much competition. It gives nobody a good living and certainly does not lessen prices. The same is true of banks.

But having the proper balance of school, church and business, there may or may not be a community spirit that is good for that locality. The pastor should not run things. The school superintendent should not run things. The leading merchant or banker or farmer should not run things. They should form a community council composed of all interests and this council should plan the activities of that community so that every interest gets its fair support, its share of evenings to put on its doings.—Farm & Home.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon L. A. Hayley, whose residence is unknown, and the heirs of L. A. Hayley, deceased, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, to be held at the court house thereof on the eleventh Monday after the first Monday in February, 1923, the same being the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 14th day of March, 1923, in a cause numbered 4404 wherein W. T. King is plaintiff and L. A. Hayley, the unknown heirs of L. A. Hayley, deceased and W. H. Abrams are defendants, plaintiff's cause of action being as follows: Suit in trespass to try title, plaintiff alleging that on January 1st, 1923, he was lawfully seized and possessed of Lots Nos. One and four (1 and 4) in Block No. Eighty-nine (89) of the City of Colorado in Mitchell County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple; that on said date, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and are withholding from him the possession thereof, to his damage \$2,000; that the reasonable annual rental value of said premises is \$200.00. Plaintiff further pleads title under the five years statute of limitations, alleging that he has been in peaceable, continuous, open and adverse possession of said lots, cultivating, using and enjoying same, under a duly recorded deed, for more than five years prior to January 1, 1923; Plaintiff also pleads that he has had actual possession of said premises, under an actual inclosure, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, for more than ten years prior to Jan. 1, 1923; and that defendant W. H. Abrams is asserting some title to said premises, the nature of which is unknown, but that said claim and that of defendants constitutes a cloud on plaintiff's title; plaintiff prays for citation, and judgment for title and possession on premises described in petition, removal of cloud upon title, issuance of writ of restitution, costs, etc., as more fully appears from his original petition on file in said cause.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in your county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

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 W. S. Stoneham, Clerk of the District Court of Mitchell County.

Given under my hand the seal of said court, in the City of Colorado, this 14th day of March, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL) W. S. STONEHAM, Clerk, District Court, Mitchell County, Texas. 4-6c

PURCHASING POWER OF FARM DOLLAR UNDER WILSON RULE

American farmers have prospered more under Democratic than under Republican administrations, it was shown by Representative Ewin L. Davis (Dem. Tenn.) in a speech which appears in the latest issue of the Congressional Record. The statistics which demonstrate the truth of Mr. Davis' statement were compiled by the Joint Commission of Agricultural Inquiry appointed by the last Republican Congress. The data include a table giving the purchasing power of the farmers' dollar from 1890 to 1922.

The figures represent the average purchasing power of all farm products measured in terms of all commodities, taking as a basis 100 per cent in 1913, the year before the beginning of the World War.

"It is gratifying to me that the purchasing power of the farm dollar was greater under the last Democratic administration than it had been under the preceding Republican administrations, and very much greater than it has been during the present Republican administration," said Representative Davis.

"The average purchasing power of the farm dollar under the eight years of the Wilson administration was 104 per cent, whereas it was only 94 3-8 per cent during the eight preceding years under a Republican administration. The purchasing power of the farm dollar during the two years of the present Republican administration has been only 86.5 per cent."

Expressed in terms of all other commodities, excluding agricultural products, which the farmer does not buy to the same extent that he buys other commodities, nor in the same volume in which other groups purchase the products of the land the average purchasing power of all farm products was only 67 per cent in 1921 and 1922, Representative Davis showed. This represented the lowest purchasing value the farm dollar has had in the history of the United States.

"As evidence that the condition of the farmer in this respect is not improving—at least not to any appreciable extent—I beg to call attention to the fact that the average purchasing power of the farm dollar in terms of all commodities, exclusive of farm products, was 68 per cent on January 1, 1923," said Mr. Davis.

"This slight increase over the previous two years' average is easily traceable to the fact that there is always a slight advance in farm products during winter months. These indisputable official figures should certainly serve to demonstrate the fact that the farmers fare better under a Democratic administration than they do under a Republican administration."

The average net receipts were \$1,100 a farm or \$220 for each farm resident in 1919, the last full fiscal year of the second Wilson administration. This was the highest net return ever recorded. Net receipts in 1921 were \$107 a farm, or \$21 a farm resident. In 1922 the average net receipts were \$252 a farm, or about \$50 a farm resident.

If there is any improvement in the financial and industrial conditions of the country it has been con-

fining to a few industries which are profiting at the expense of the farmer, Mr. Davis declared.

"It is poor comfort to the farmer to tell him that his neighbors are prospering in producing commodities of which his money will purchase only 67 per cent as much as it would prior to the war," he said.

EXAMINATION FOR TEACHERS CERTIFICATE FRI.-SAT.

Announcement has been made by Judge J. C. Hall, ex-officio county superintendent of public instruction, that examination of applications for teachers certificates will be held at Colorado today and tomorrow, April 6th and 7th.

See Neal Hart in "Range and" Saturday at the Palace. A thrilling story of the Texas cattle ranges, made in Texas.

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LORAINNE NEWS
Local and Personal News About Loraine and Vicinity

MRS. ZORA DEAN
Mrs. Dean is also authorized to 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.

Dental Notice

Dr. J. L. RICE, Dentist
Office with Dr. Martin at Martin Drug Store, Loraine, Texas

Methodist Church
We had a good attendance at S. S. Sunday. We are to begin work on our teacher training course next Monday. Our S. S. is the best in the county, we want to make it still better. Everybody is urged to attend services with us next Sunday. At the morning hour the pastor will lecture on the "Glories of Methodism." We have no chunks to throw, we only want to let the people know what we are doing. The subject for the evening hour will be "Billions for War, but only pennies for that which makes for peace." There will be no collection. Let everybody come. H. W. HANKS, Pastor.

The fourth grade taught by Mrs. Grace Jackson, entered into a contest in reading during the month of March. Robert Hendrick made 100 per cent and won the prize; a fountain pen. Josephine Cook, second in race made 99 per cent. A great interest was shown by all the pupils. Class making the best average of the year.

ATTENTION, KODAKERS --

After a month of reduced prices the following prices are again in effect:

Table with columns: No. Film, Size Print, Price, No. Film, Size Print, Price. Lists various film sizes and their corresponding prices.

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The STUDIO

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Alamo Hotel Building
Colorado Plumbing & Heating Co.

Complete stock plumbing and heating goods, Bathroom fixtures complete. Prices right and work guaranteed. SEE OUR DISPLAY ROOM GEO. HUTH, Prop.

Optimistic!

Our 1923 prospects were never better. Rural school state aid helps our county schools. Rainfall so far this year totals 6.39 inches. This leads us to remark that we have the largest stock of Variety and Racket goods ever carried by us in Colorado.

PRICES THE LOWEST
All we ask is to come in and see the novelty store man
R. L. McMurry

L. L. Bodine is having a four-room bungalow built on his farm near the J. C. Hooker farm in the China Grove community. Mr. Hall Hooker is farming the place and he and wife will occupy the new house as soon as the Loraine school closes. Mrs. Hooker is a teacher here.

Mrs. W. H. Hurd left Tuesday for Cisco for a week's visit.

O. W. Cosby of Abilene, Mr. Cook and Jack Newman of Sweetwater who are employed with the Planters Gin Co. are busy this week moving their seed out to Sweetwater. Mr. Will Rowland has been employed as manager of the Planters gin.

Aubrey Oglesby of Westbrook was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Chas. Coffee and Mr. and Mrs. John Coffee were Colorado shoppers Monday.

Rev. H. H. Binkley will fill his appointment here Sunday at the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Every one is invited to be present.

Mrs. L. T. Britton and children and Mrs. Ben Smith and son attended the Easter hunt at Mrs. C. H. Thomas'. The eggs were hid on the creek and a very enjoyable afternoon spent. Lunch was served to a large crowd.

Hugh Stricklen of Ft. Worth, known as the champion rider and roper of Texas, was here visiting J. F. Porter Monday and purchased a car load of wild steers for his rodeo from Snyder Looney.

Oscar Hambree and family are new settlers for Mitchell county, moving here from Oklahoma and locating 10 miles south of Colorado.

Harry Cranfill sold his farm, 2 miles north of town, to Homer Wilson, taking Mr. Wilson's stock of groceries in the deal. Mr. Cranfill took possession of same the first. Mr. Wilson and family will move to the farm soon. The firm name is now Kennedy & Cranfill Grocery Co. Mr. Wilson enjoyed a splendid business while here and we regret to lose him as a business man and citizen but wish for him as well as his successors, good fortune and success. Messrs. Kennedy and Cranfill, are well known to all Loraine and surrounding country as straight forward and reliable business men and we bespeak for them the same patronage and success.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hooker and daughter, Mrs. Lenn Bodine and children were visitors in the Harry Cranfill home Sunday.

Mr. Charlie Neal's father and mother of Valley View spent Sunday with he and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Turnbow were Sunday visitors in the Chas. Neal home.

Sam Bean left Monday for Roscoe on business.

Miss Oma Monroe of Hale Center is visiting her sister, Mrs. Archie Kemp and family.

Ira Coffee, Fred Brown and sister Miss Viola, visited friends at A. C. C. Saturday returning home Sunday.

The W. O. W. are coming to light again and will meet the 1st and 2nd Tuesday nights above the Kennedy & Cranfill Grocery.

F. C. Sloan went to Sweetwater on business Monday afternoon and to meet his aunt, Mrs. Mila McCullough of Sweeney, Texas.

J. F. Bodine of Buford was here Friday buying farm implements.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hamilton and daughter Helen of Lone Star were in shopping Monday.

Judge Looney of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Monday.

W. H. Swafford, Howard Miles, and John Miles left Tuesday for Roswell, N. M. for a 10 days business trip.

J. D. Pierce the Singer sewing machine man of Colorado was here on business Saturday and Monday.

Mrs. H. T. Davis of Sterling City is here visiting her children, Jeff Davis and Mrs. Hoke Smith.

Dee Land made a business trip to Fort Worth returning home Saturday.

Mrs. Ling McGee returned from a three weeks visit to Hill county Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Lee is reported recovered from a mild attack of appendicitis.

Frita Sawyer south of town is reported as being real sick of flu.

Mr. Brady Porter is reported as being real sick.

Miss Thelda Black who is attending A. C. C. at Abilene spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Beaty have recently returned from Victoria where they visited Mrs. Beaty's mother, Mrs. C. D. Gary.

Spikas-Coon

At the Baptist parsonage in Sweetwater on Saturday evening, March 31, at 9 o'clock the ceremony was performed by Rev. G. C. Farris which united in marriage Mr. Howard Spikes and Miss Lois Evelyn Coon, two of Loraine's well known and popular residents. It was not until their return to this city Sunday that friends were advised of their marriage. The bride is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coon and has made her home in Loraine nearly 3 years during which time she has been identified with the First State Bank as stenographer. She has lived in the county since 1906 and is loved and esteemed by every one who knows her and will make a true helpmeet. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spikes of this place and has made his home here since childhood. He is an enterprising, prosperous young business man who counts his friends by his acquaintances. We join a host of friends in extending to this worthy couple best wishes for a happy and prosperous journey through life and may we say will continue to live in Loraine.

Mrs. Clint McCollum is on the sick list this week.

O. C. Lucas who lives west of town is reported quite sick of pneumonia.

Alton Robertson who is attending National Business college at Abilene came home Wednesday sick with flu. He is doing nicely at this writing and hopes to soon be able to return to school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas visited M. H. Bodine and family of Colorado Sunday.

Scott Robertson made a business trip to Stanton leaving Sunday and returning Monday.

WOLK AND SON
When you need anything in Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Caps or furnishing of any kind for any member of the family, you can save money if you buy at Wolk's, the people's store in the Lasky building on West Second street. We have the goods you want and we will let you set the price. We want your business bad and we will get it if you come and look around and price our goods. All standard brands goods and the best you can buy. Come in and we will do the rest, WOLK AND SON Colorado, Texas

NORTH CHAMPION NEWS
A few people from here attended the mission rally at the First Baptist church of Hermleigh Saturday and Sunday.

B. L. Kimble is very sick this week. The party given by Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Corbell Friday night was well attended and every one reported a splendid time and wished they would give another one before long.

Glady's Griffith spent the week-end with Daisy and Beaulah Narrrell.

Mr. Lon McGuire and family of Rotan who had been visiting relatives and friends at Cuthbert last week came by and spent Sunday night with Mrs. McGuire's sister, Mrs. J. N. Narrell.

The contestants who entered the interscholastic meet at Colorado were Noma May winner 50 yard junior girls dash; Kate Stewart, third place 50 yard senior girls dash; Jack Jennings, fourth place in 100 yard senior boys dash; Johnnie Haggerton third place 220 yard senior boys dash and Ina Mae Caswell made 100 in junior spelling. Also Noma May, junior and Gertrude Caswell, sub-junior both made high grades in spelling Hurrah for North Champion.

Prof. H. V. Williams and sister, Thelma and Misses Newton and Brown who are teaching at Valley View spent last week-end with Mr. S. H. Corbell and family.

The young people from here attended singing at Pyron Sunday afternoon and also Sunday night. Each one reported some fine singing.

Mrs. B. G. Kimble visited her mother Mrs. J. G. Narroll Sunday.

PATSY.

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If they are the "big can and cheap" kind because they may mean baking failures.

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"Well, well," exclaimed the favorite customer, "who'd have thought a little hair-trim would make my cap too big?"

"If I may suggest, sir," replied the head barber, "try one of these 'SURE-FIT' caps, that you can snug to after a hair-cut. They always fit."

AND that's only one reason why "SURE-FIT" is the world's most comfortable cap. No elastic to bind the forehead. The simple adjusting

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All the new Fifth Avenue styles, in the latest patterns from American and overseas mills. Prices the same as you'd pay for any stylish cap - and you get "SURE-FIT'S" unrivaled comfort.

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CAP

AT YOUR DEALER'S - or write to the makers, Fine & Levy, 702 B'way, N.Y.

WATCH FOR WINDOW DISPLAY

\$2000 BOND ISSUE BE VOTED ON APRIL 7 AT MCKENZIE

On next Saturday, April 7th, voters of the McKenzie school district, 28 miles south of Colorado in this county, will vote on a proposition of issuing bonds in the sum of \$2,000 with which to build and equip a modern school building in that district. It is said that the present building is totally inadequate and that a new structure is very badly needed, and some of the leading citizens of that district express the belief that practically no opposition to the bond issue will be registered.

A SAFE TEST
For those who are in need of a remedy for kidney troubles and backache, it is a good plan to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They are strongly recommended by Colorado people. Ask your neighbor.

Mrs. W. C. Hargis, Ninth St., Colorado, says: "I was in bad shape with kidney and bladder trouble. The action of my kidneys bothered me the most, being irregular and I had terrible headaches and was terribly nervous. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me, so I bought a box at Doss' Drug Store. The first few Doan's made me feel better in every way and after finishing one box, I was entirely relieved of bladder trouble. I always have a box of this medicine on hand and take a few, once in a while, to keep my kidneys normal."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for kidney remedy - get Doan's Kidney Pills - the same that Mrs. Hargis had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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

HOBO
Kidney & Bladder Remedy
Gets Results

"Shreveport, La. Feb. 27, 1923
My son, Robert E. Smith's hands were seriously burned Nov. 10, from this burn a Hobo set up bringing on Brights disease. I had to carry him to the sanitarium he was so sick, being unconscious several days. After he got a little better I took him home. He was put on a diet by the doctor who said he had Brights disease and that he did not know of any medicine that would do him any good. He advised me to take him to some spring or outlet place and perhaps he might get well.

I had read about Hobo Kidney and Bladder Remedy so called on your Mr. Bailey who advised me to put my boy on Hobo which I did. After taking eleven bottles he seems entirely well. The last examination showed up to be normal.

I consider my boy well and I certainly give the credit to this medicine, and it would give me great pleasure to know that these words of praise might influence some other sufferer to try this remedy, for beyond a doubt it is great for kidney trouble. With best wishes for your success, I am, Yours very truly, F. A. Smith."

Kidney and bladder arrangements can come from various sources. This letter tells of an unusual case where Hobo got results as it has in thousands of other cases. Hobo is a new and effective balm for kidney and bladder treatment. Made of herbs - contains no alcohol or habit-forming drugs. Druggists sell Hobo for \$1.20 per bottle. COLORADO DRUG COMPANY

Price Reductions

We are offering our entire stock of LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR in winter weights at cost. This includes Ladies' Misses' and Childrens Coats, Sweaters, ladies' coat suits and wool dresses.

In the Men's Department we are offering at cost Men's and Boys Mackinaws and Duck Coats, Men's and Boys Sweaters in both wool and cotton, also a line of Men's odd coats and Rain Coats.

All men's Flannel Shirts also offered at cost.

You will find substantial reductions in all other winter goods.

We are daily receiving advanced showing of Spring Ready-to-Wear and would be glad to have you call and inspect the latest styles.

We have made a fortunate purchase of Ladies' House Aprons which we have on display in our East window. They are all priced at the uniform price of \$1.00 and constitute remarkable bargains in this line.

We give S. & H. Green Stamps on all cash purchases.

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Best Flour Ever Made

Every sack sold on a strict guarantee

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Like all my other groceries, it is the best.

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YOU can depend on the new Good-year Cord Tire with the beveled All-Weather Tread to give you greater mileage, better service, and longer wear. These advantages are due to the semi-flat tread, a new improved rubber compound, heavier side-walls and the reinforced blocks of the new beveled tread. It is the best tire Goodyear ever built.

At Goodyear Service Station Dealers we sell and recommend Goodyear Tires and back them up with standard Goodyear Service

GOOD YEAR

FAIR FILL SERVICE STATION

OIL NEWS REPORTED BY THE BIG SPRING HERALD

Drillers at the Enders-Cushing well No. 1 are elated over the showing of oil and gas now in evidence and work has been held up pending the installation of a string of new casing to bring this well in. The casing will be set in a brown lime at 4445 feet.

Drillers familiar with the Tampico field in Old Mexico declare that the asphaltic wax encountered last week is known as "chapapoco" and is always encountered just above the brown lime under which the monster oil gushers are secured in the Tampico field.

The drillers are elated over the showing in the Enders-Cushing No. 1 and believe a real oil field for this section is now assured. Mr. Cushing is now making arrangements to secure a string of heavy California casing to be used when the well is drilled in. The drill had penetrated the brown lime about 20 feet when it was decided that it would be best to halt drilling and prepare to bring the well in properly.

Boston have been notified of the fine Boston have been notified of the fine prospects of this test.

The second test of the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association, the Sparkman No. 1, is also showing good, as gas and oil are showing at present. This test is now 1800 feet deep, drilling in a sandy brown formation.

SUNDAY DALLAS NEWS HAS MUCH COLORADO PUBLICITY

The Sunday morning issue of the Dallas News carried several interesting articles about Colorado and the development of the city and adjacent territory. In connection with the articles several interesting pictures were carried, one of which was of the Badgett gas well and the other of the Booster Band. Photographs of Mesdames A. L. Whipkey, J. G. Merritt, H. C. Landers, Sr., and Jim Dobbs, were carried in connection with a lengthy report of the recent action of the city council in appointing these four ladies special sanitation officers.

The latter articles, under the caption, "Colorado Women Made Sanitary Officers," follows:

"Colorado has for many years been noted for its civic pride and attention of the citizenship to matters of cleanliness and sanitation. Especially has this record been true in some of the residence sections of the city where many beautifully kept private lawns and home grounds add an impressive spirit of civic attractiveness to the surroundings.

These desirable surroundings, however, were broken here and there through the carelessness of the owner or occupant to allow unclean and unsanitary conditions to exist. This was more in evidence in the business district than further out among the homes of Colorado. Here was found evidence of refuse having been allowed to collect in an alley there the garbage container allowed to remain with its quota of waste too long and in still another place some busy merchant had neglected to dress up the front of his stores by removal of pieces of waste paper or other refuse.

Wanted City Cleaned Up These evidences of violation of the city sanitation code were noted by the keen eyes of prominent club women of Colorado, and supporting the program to make Colorado a city spotlessly clean and one not harboring any elements of insanitation which might be avoided, they demanded of the city administration that Colorado be cleaned up—and kept clean.

Four of these club women, Mesdames A. L. Whipkey, J. G. Merritt, H. C. Landers, Sr. and J. B. Dobbs, called at the City Hall during the March term of the City Council to personally deliver an ultimatum to the administration to "clean up." Their demands were approved by Judge R. H. Looney, Mayor, and each member of the Council, the Mayor informing the visitors that if the city did not have adequate ordinances affecting sanitation of the city, "we will pass them."

Attention being directed to the fact that adequate ordinances were already in effect, the club women demanded to know why they were not enforced. "If you are in position to enforce these ordinances and clean up this city and keep it clean, we are ready to offer to relieve you of that responsibility, if given the opportunity," Mrs. Merritt, who is president of the Mitchell County Federation of Women's Clubs, stated. The result was just as spontaneous as effective and within five minutes the four club women left the City Hall armed with commissions as special officers.

Are Given Commissions In delivering to the newly-made female blue coats their commissions, Mayor Looney praised them for

their interest in the civic and sanitary welfare of the city and recalled that they were now possessed with all the authority of any police official of Colorado to file complaints, and order arrests for violations of the laws as affecting any article of the general sanitation ordinances of the city.

The result of these women being commissioned special officers has already had its effect upon the city although the first arrest by either of them is yet to be made. "We are going to tote fair with the public," they announced afterward, "and do not plan hailing any alleged violator into Corporation Court without first warning the offender and giving him the opportunity to clean up." It is claimed that 75 per cent of the property owners directly concerned by the authority and determination of the women cops, did not even so much as wait for an official visit from them, but rather suspended business for the time and ordered all hands to turn in for a general cleaning of the premises occupied by them.

"We are supporting the Chamber of Commerce in the campaign to locate the Technological College here, and realizing that a city noted for its civic pride and devotion to sanitation could not fail to impress the locating board, adopted as our bit the determination to thoroughly clean up," Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, one of the cops and president of the Colorado Civic League, stated today in an interview with The News correspondent. "We are proud to know that the demands of the club women of Colorado to remove from the city every spot of demerit and uncleanness is supported by the entire citizenship. The only thing required was for some one to take the initiative."

Ready to Help.

Continuing, the gentle lady cop stated: "Colorado must keep its civic pride at par with the other development programs now under way. We are to soon have a new Mitchell County courthouse, plans of which Commissioners' Court have just accepted from the architect, and we have the assurance from members of the court that the grounds are to be terraced and converted into a place of real beauty. We are to soon commence paving in the business district, several substantial business buildings are being built in the city, a new ward school, the pride of the city, is just completed, the new viaduct across the Colorado River at the foot of West Second street, is nearing completion, and there are other good things for Colorado we might mention. We could ill afford to permit any essential program for a better and bigger Colorado need support in the face of these things."

CHILD FALLS FROM SECOND STORY HOTEL; INJURIES SLIGHT

The seventeen months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Johnson, who are living at the Alamo Hotel, fell to the ground from a second story window of the hotel Sunday afternoon and was slightly injured. Dr. T. J. Ratliff examined the child and reported that, with the exception of slight bruises about the face, the child was apparently uninjured. Tuesday afternoon the child was walking about as though no injury had been sustained.

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CONGRESS OF MOTHERS AT SAN ANGELO APRIL 17-18

SAN ANGELO, April 3.—Every woman's organization here in conjunction with the Board of City Development and the Kiwanis Club have joined forces in making preparations for the Sixth District Conference of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent Teachers Associations which convenes here April 17 and 18. The District includes 84 counties extending from Sweetwater to Del Rio and west to El Paso. It is expected that 150 visitors and delegates will attend. Elaborate preparations are being made for the guests, who will be entertained in San Angelo homes. The conference will be attended

by Prof. and Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs of Austin. Prof. Marrs is State Superintendent and Mrs. Marrs is President of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent Teachers Associations. Prof. Robert Marquis, president of the Sul-Ross State Teachers College at Alpine has a place on the program along with other prominent people of the State. Mrs. M. A. Turner of El Paso is president of the district.

We sew the rips, we patch the holes, we mend the heels and save the Sole all done at Ed Jackson's Shoe Shop.

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This advertisement is addressed to the young folks—but it will benefit others as well. Life and your progress through is an individual problem. What other men have done you may do. Perseverance will see you through. Plan, equip, then act.

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BRICK CHILI
 Home made, right in our market. Take a pound-size carton home with you and see how good it really is.

Pickens Grocery and Market
 PHONE 203

LOCAL POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS SHOW LARGE INCREASE

Receipts at the Colorado postoffice for the months of January, February and March, or the first quarter of this year, are nearly one-third greater than receipts for the same months last year, according to Joe Y. Fraser, chief clerk at the Colorado postoffice who in conversation with the Record man Wednesday made the following statement:

"In as much as postal receipts reflect the prosperity of a community, it might be interesting to the citizens and patrons of the Colorado postoffice to know that the receipts for the months of January, February and March of the present year are 30.78 per cent greater than for the corresponding three months of last year which was considered a very prosperous year.

"The population of the town according to the postoffice estimate is 2950," Fraser continued.

COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION BE HELD AT COLORADO SOON

The annual singing convention will be upon us in a very short time. Are we ready for it? Mr. Miles is on the job working up the East side and we are depending upon him to bring in about eight or ten well trained classes for the convention while it goes without saying that Dock Simpson will fill his dady-in-law's place and there will be nothing left undone by the West side.

Singers get your classes organized and in good working order at once, prospects were never better in West Texas and we should celebrate with a real sure-enough singing convention. Exact date to be announced later.

W. W. PORTER,
 President Mitchell County Singing Convention.

UNION ITEMS

Nothing very strange and nothing very bad, still the entire community is saddened to know that Jess Elliott is on the sick list and we all hope for him a speedy recovery.

The farming interest is well up. Most farmers are now waiting for spring time and the fine rains that we are now having will put the land in fine shape for planting. So far as this writer is concerned I think most farmers have learned that its a good idea to plant plenty of feed to make their farms self sustaining and if its not out of place to give a little advice on paper I'll say lets make every row point towards the feed bins and meat houses, or what we used to call smokehouses.

On last Sunday while Mr. E. B. McGuire was quietly (as he thought) passing by his fiftieth mile post in life, a few of his nearby friends and kinfolks galore began to roll in from the East, West, North, South all bringing something good to eat and such a surprise dinner as we did have is enough for anybody to know who didnt get any of it. We left Bob in a dread fearing he wouldn't be able to eat up all the scraps for a week. There was only fifty in number eat dinner with him and he only received eighty-seven cards containing birthday greetings. Accompanied by many nice presents among which was a fine watch and chain, concluded with fifty licks and a sweet bye and bye.

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FARM BUREAU WEEK

The second week in April has been designated as Farm Bureau week for Mitchell County. The membership and many others will be pleased to learn that we will have with us from April 9th to 14 inclusive two very able and well informed field workers, the Dallas office has kindly consented to furnish us Mr. Overstreet and Mr. Owens who will speak to the business men of Colorado Monday, April 9th at 4 p. m. in the District court room and will speak to the business men of Lorraine Tuesday, April 10th at 4 p. m.

Everybody invited and the business and professional men are urged to be present.

The remainder of the week will be spent in general solicitation, the renewing of contracts and speaking at the different school houses of the county.

Account of limited time being allowed us we will not be able to have those gentlemen to go to each school house but will make at least six dates same to be announced later.

The hearty co-operation from each member is expected.

W. W. PORTER,
 Secretary Mitchell County Farm Bureau.

5,120 ACRES ARE DIVIDED INTO THIRTY-TWO FARMS

BIG SPRING, April 3.—The transformation of a 5,120-acre tract of raw ranch land into 32 well improved farms was started this week. Raymond F. Lyons purchased this

Men, Listen!

We have received those
BIG BUCK
 OVERALLS and SHIRTS

Jones Dry Goods, Inc.

tract from the heirs of the C. C. Slaughter estate, out of the famous Long S. Ranch. This tract is midway between Big Spring and Lamesa on the main highway, and is exceptionally fine land. Contracts have been made with lumber dealers, carpenters, well diggers and windmill supply men for 32 homes and 32 sets of improvements, one for each 160 acres. Tenants for the new farms are being sought. This is the biggest single colonization proposition that has been launched in this section for a number of years.

Attention Melon Growers.

We will have a meeting Saturday, April 7th, at 3 p. m. in Mr. Porter's office for the purpose of furthering our melon organization. Let those come who are interested in raising melons for the market and especially for shipping purposes. There is no reason why Mitchell County should not do her full share in raising her part of Texas melons.—Farm Bureau Melon Growers Association, C. M. Cosper, President.

The Record man in nosing around this week for news, passed by the Wolk & Son store and our friend H. Wolk called us in to show us the \$5,000 U. S. Government Saving Certificates he had just bought. He bought the limit allowed to one individual and said he wanted to buy more. Last year Wolk bought the limit of these securities, also before that date he had bought the limit in War Savings Stamps. Wolk says he feels proud enough of the citizenship in this the greatest country on the face of the earth, to back up the Government with his money, and that he had rather have his money invested in U. S. Government securities than any other thing in the world. Wolk has been in Colorado only a few months, but he has already demonstrated the fact that he is a good citizen as well as a live merchant.

WESTBROOK ITEMS

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the Easter season was the party given by Mrs. Mellie Van Horn to her Sunday school class at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Danner, Saturday evening from 8 to 10:30 p. m. The guests arrived promptly and not a minute was lost. The contests beginning immediately. Miss Danner won the prize in the rabbit contest and in the art contest. The matrimonial adventure caused much merriment and the winners were awarded all-day suckers as consolation prizes. Music both vocal and instrumental added much to the enjoyment of the occasion. In keeping with the season, Easter eggs were hunted in the light of a big bonfire. Mr. Brooks finding the golden egg and George McKinney the silver one. This whetted the appetites of the crowd and the ever popular Vienna were roasted on the embers of the bonfire and eaten camp fashion.

After supper good nights were said and each member of the class went home feeling that it was good to belong to a live Sunday school class and have good friends plan for their entertainment.

R. F. Taylor and family of Moran have moved to Westbrook and Mr. Taylor has assumed his duties as field manager for A. T. Spalding Oil Company, and will begin operation in the near future on the Zilpha Morrison lease west of here.

Miss Millicent Sheridan, one of the teachers in the Westbrook school was called to Ashland, Nebraska, on account of the death of her grandfather.

Mrs. W. C. McCallum left last Thursday for El Paso to visit relatives and friends.

D. C. Gressett returned from Stanton last night where he has been to attend the bedside of his wife who is improving.

W. O. Lewis has been quite sick for the last week but is reported better at present.

E. V. Ellis has a very sick boy the doctor pronounced it a real bad cold and we hope to soon hear it is entirely well.

W. C. Morrow was a business visitor in Westbrook today. He reports getting a good well of water on Mrs. Bell's place.

Mrs. E. C. Haines gave an easter egg hunt out at the lease on last Sunday and it was enjoyed by all. The prize for the greater number of eggs found was won by Ellis Grant and every one helped him to eat the prize which was a basket of delicious fruit.

Andy Widner of Stanton was in Westbrook the first of this week.

The Westbrook ball team met the Lone Star team in Colorado this afternoon and won the game 16 to 10 this giving Westbrook the championship of the district.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hodges gave an Easter egg hunt Saturday in celebration of their marriage the day before. Two prizes were given. The first prize was a fine silver vase won by J. T. Lasseter for the finding of an egg designated as the golden egg, and the second was a sterling spoon set won by Master Willie Hazelwood for the finding of the greatest number of eggs. Fifty dozen eggs were hidden and some two hundred people took part in the hunt. The glorious moon furnished light. The old and the young joined in the merriment and as they scurried here and there with paper sack in hand, one was impressed with the thought of a real old-time people's gathering.

May the spirit thus made manifest abide this people and may the good cheer and well wishings thus made manifest be a source of consolation and a shield from gathering storm clouds as these two together journey through life.—Lit. Reporter.

Have you read "Slate Diary" this week.

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LOCAL NOTES

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E. KEATHLEY, Agent.

A. J. Herrington, local Ford dealer, received another shipment of these cars Saturday.

A real western picture made in Texas at the Palace Theatre Saturday.

I sell ladies suits and knickers. Drop in and see my ladies line.—Klasy Kleaner.

Miss Ina Dalby the head trimmer at the Meda Robinson millinery emporium was called to her home at Aspermont this week to the bedside of her sick mother.

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

We sew the rips, we patch the holes, we mend the heels and save the Sole all done at Ed Jackson's Shoe Shop.

O. F. Jones, manager of the Randerbrook Ranch south of Colorado, was in the city Monday and while in conversation with the Record man stated that prospects for pastures as well as crops this year are much better than at this date last year.

"Rains which fell during February and March put the ground in excellent condition," Mr. Jones said, "and owing to the fact that spring rains did not begin to fall last year until April, I consider the prospects this year, speaking from both the cattleman and farmer's standpoint, ever so much better than last year. The freeze some two weeks ago and the arrival of warmer weather has retarded the growth of grass and weeds to some extent, but I consider the outlook for this year very good, indeed."

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

Viola Dana at the Palace next Monday and Tuesday.

R. S. Brennan returned Thursday morning from Dallas, to which place he had carried his daughter, Miss Anna Belle, for treatment by a specialist, after she was injured in an accident at the Injarscholastic track meet here last week. He reports that she is improving rapidly and it is expected that she will be able to return home at an early date.

For prompt, satisfactory service Keep U Neat Tailors, Phone 35.

County Clerk W. S. Stoneham returned first of the week from Fort Sumner, New Mexico, where he had spent a few days on business.

E. Keathley returned Sunday night from Bonham, Greenville, Graham and other points east where he had gone on business and to visit with relatives and friends. He reports conditions in the east very good and says that prospects for crops in those sections are good, indeed.

See a picture Saturday at the Palace made on the Texas range.

Ed Jackson's Shoe Shop is always clean and comfortable. Give us a call.

Coal, all kinds and prices. Get your coal now. Phone 346. Delivered.—O. LAMBETH.

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

Dean Phenix, reared in Colorado, but now at Animas, New Mexico, came in this week on an indefinite stay. Dean took up homestead land at Animas and has lived on it the required time to prove up title.

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Watson of Lamesa came down this week. Mrs. Watson will spend a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van King.

For Guaranteed shoe repairing see Ed Jackson's Main Street.

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Sheriff I. W. Terry went to Big Spring Monday and brought back a man charged with swindling and lodged him in jail here. The man gave his name as R. Spain.

Jack Holt and Bebe Daniels at the Palace next Thursday and Friday.

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

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

Mrs. Vance Phenix of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sadler made a business trip to Brownwood this week.

Prof. D. T. Pierce left Monday morning for San Antonio to appear as a witness in a case in court at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Dunn were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Beakley Sunday.

Elder C. L. Kimbell, formerly pastor here of the Church of Christ, who now lives at Clyde, was here yesterday, greeting his many friends.

Mrs. R. T. Breedlove and children of Rula are visiting at the home of Mrs. Breedlove's sister, Mrs. V. R. Elliott.

Cleaning, pressing, altering, hatters and dyers.—Keep U Neat Tailors.—Smith and Quinney, props. Phone 35.

Elder Joe S. Warlic, a speaker and debater of State reputation was here Tuesday night and preached an excellent sermon at the Church of Christ. Elder Warlic was on his way to Snyder where he goes into a three days debate. One of the subjects he endeavors to prove is that baptism is essential to salvation.

AMERICAN LEGION PLAY HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY P. M.

The all-star cast of the American Legion are here and the men are in excellent shape, even to the monkeys and don't forget they have a big monkey that will perform. The premier end men, Al Wyhre and Joe Pond, say that they are feeling fine, and that they have lots of stuff up their sleeves, also other end men that have just as much stuff as Joe and Al. The management wishes to announce that their costumes have been secured at a stupendous cost, and are so loud that they speak for themselves—even if Cleopatra could see such an array of color would take down her sign.

We have secured Mr. Don Carlos, of the famous Don Carlos dog and monkey show, and his famous monkey to give us a side splitting act. Furthermore we have secured at a great cost one of the greatest Pahnsons in the west; we have secured the most famous Pahnson Dean Phenix from Anninas, New Mexico.

Jack Helton, Lister Ratliff, Willie Dorn, P. K. Williams, will take their own life into their own hands and each sing some kind of a song, and then come prepared with ear muffers when you hear the famous "Fearless Quartet" What they sing will make you want to get right up on the stage and—well most anything.

The afterpiece, "The Booster Club of Blackville," is a scream. P. K. Williams sure totes a wicked razor and he sure makes use of it, and Al Myhre is running for a political office and believe me he sure does some tall running.

Don't miss this minstrel, because you will be sorry and the price of admission is reasonable, only 50c for adults and 25 cents for children under 12 years of age. The place is the High school Auditorium and the time is Friday night, April 6th, and remember the curtain rises at 8:30 promptly. No reserve seats, so come early and avoid the rush.

THE RECORD PRODUCED UNDER DIFFICULTIES

Owing to the fact that W. S. Cooper, local news editor of the Record, was called to Sweetwater this week to attend the bedside of his daughter, who is seriously ill there at the home of her grandparents, and the fact that the "big chief" has been unusually busy this week looking after the business end of this institution, which, by the way, is heavy at this time, The Record appears under great difficulties this week. The news gathering, or a large portion of it this week, has devolved upon the office devil, and the readers of this great red-blooded publication, are requested to withhold their wrath and criticism until such time as the regular news man can get back on the job or the "old reliable" can finish the business of improving our financial standing in that we may stay off our creditors long enough to find time to look after the news end of the best publication in West Texas. Furthermore, we hope that the aforesaid office devil will have been initiated into the mysteries of journalism to the point that he will be more able to "help out" to better advantage in the next crisis which may arise. With this in mind we give you the Record this week "as is" with the request that you read every line in it, not for the good it will do you, probably, but for the good we expect to derive from your so doing.

JIM OLIVER SERIOUSLY INJURED BY WILD HORSE

Jim Oliver was seriously injured Wednesday at Sweetwater by an unruly horse. He was brought here on Wednesday night train and early Thursday morning taken to Dr. Root's office for an x-ray examination when it was pronounced a compound fracture and dislocation of the left shoulder. Mr. Oliver stated that he was riding home on his horse and when in the edge of Sweetwater all at once the horse began "bucking" and he knew no more until he regained consciousness several hours later. At this time, Mr. Oliver is resting easy under opiates.

Hall Harman of El Paso came in yesterday to attend the Cliff Beal funeral, a brother-in-law. Hall was reared here in Colorado but left about the time he passed the knepants stage and is now out grown the knowledge of his former associates here, so much so that but few people recognize him. Hall said his sister, Mrs. Dr. Smith of El Paso would likely come in this (Friday) morning

Mrs. R. B. Terrell, Beatrice Logan and Elizabeth Terrell spent Wednesday afternoon in Loraine.

M. E. PASTOR PRAISES ACTS COLORADO PEOPLE

To the People of Colorado, Texas: Dear editors of the Colorado Record, you will be kind enough to allow me space in your good paper to express my most sincere thanks to splendid and kind people of this community for their exceeding kindness to me during my illness and affliction. I have lived in quite a few good Texas towns, and from all these places came expressions of sympathy, letters, cards, flowers, and other expressions to remind me of the good people to whom I have preached and ministered in other days, I believe that no people anywhere can show a finer and better spirit than our people here. I want to acknowledge my special obligation to my board of stewards for the help and kindness shown and to my whole church for his many letters and expressions of sympathy. The Missionary Society remembered me with flowers and letters. This was indeed helpful in a time of need. I also want to publicly acknowledge my obligation to my fellow preachers of the town. I received good and helpful letters from each of them. It is a delight to be associated with men in a great and good work who are not only good in their line but far back of that and at the foundation of it all, good and true and brotherly. Leaving myself out I can say to the people here that Colorado has preachers who have big and sympathetic hearts. May the rich blessings of heaven be upon their good work. Last but by no means least, I want to acknowledge my indebtedness to our good Doctors for their kindness and help. Drs. Root, Coleman, McMillan and Barber were all helpful and kind. While in the Sanitarium letters received from Drs. Coleman and Root were like a good tonic to a weak patient. Here too, Colorado can boast of having as good as there is, as I have reason to know. Of course, I feel that I am maimed and naturally embarrassed because of it but the spirit of kindness and words of sympathy expressed and shown have helped me more than I can ever express. I shall never be able to repay the people for such goodness but I hope before many moons to be myself again and render what little service I can to the good people of this town. I want to thank one and all for every word and act and sincerely hope that you will never have to pass through such suffering as I have experienced, but if such comes to you may you have the kind and encouraging words and sympathetic acts of a host of friends such as I am so glad to acknowledge mine.

May the gracious blessings of a wise and kind Providence be the portion of every one.

I am sincerely your much obligated friend and brother.

J. F. LAWLIS.

Moved to Los Angeles

Our old time and valued friend of other days, the Hon. Zach Lamar Cobb announces that he has moved his law office from El Paso to Los Angeles, California, and extends a cordial invitation to all his Mitchell County friends to look him up when visiting in Los Angeles. In the Cobb-Hudspeth congressional race, Cobb at least stired up the animals.

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MITCHELL RURAL SCHOOL BONDS REGISTERED AT AUSTIN

County Judge J. C. Hall states that while he was in Austin last week he had the schools bonds recently voted in districts number six and twenty-eight, in the sum of \$2,000 for each district, approved and registered and that money from the sale of these bonds doubtless will be available at an early date. Each of these districts plan construction of modern school buildings which will be equipped with the latest and best equipment to be had.

Mitchell county rural schools already hold first place among West Texas counties when comparing rural school buildings and equipment but the patrons of these schools in this county are not satisfied with any-

thing short of the best, hence, they are continually improving their school facilities. The Record is glad indeed to note these improvements and we do not hesitate to state that the efforts of Judge Hall in trying to improve the schools of this county are meeting with reasonable success and that this year promises to be the most successful in the history of the county as far as the rural schools are concerned.

AMARILLO TRIBUNE AND NEWS CONSOLIDATED

AMARILLO, April 2.—The Amarillo Daily Tribune suspended publication today, following the sale some weeks ago to J. E. and J. L. Nunn, publishers of the Amarillo Daily News. Amarillo will have but one daily newspaper hereafter.

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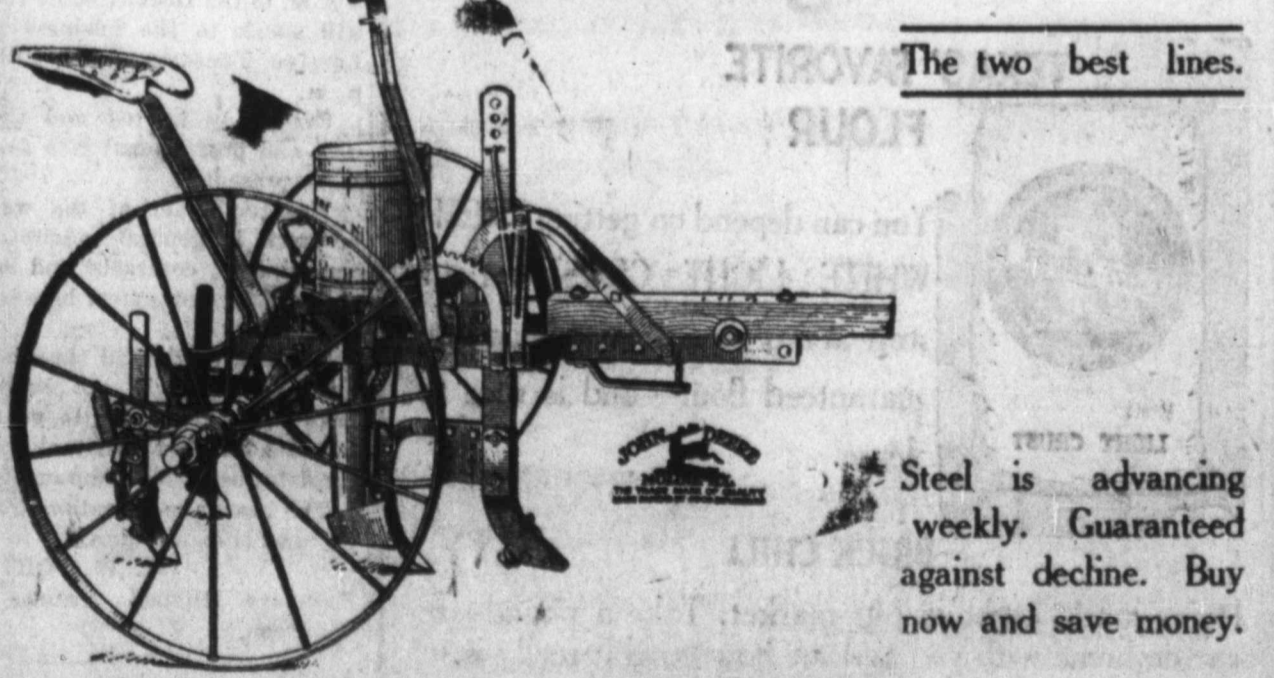
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