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THOMPSON GIVES FIGURES ON TAXES IN MITCHELL CO.

Says Roads Bonds Can Be Retired in 24 Years With Only 20c Tax

COST WILL BE VERY LIGHT

Farm Owners Will Pay Very Small Sum; Gives True Facts To Voters

Judge C. C. Thompson has given the Record a summary of the tax necessary to retire the proposed \$200,000 road bond issue, if voted, which shows that the tax would cost a man who owns a quarter section, or 160-acre farm, only \$1.92 per year, and the table compiled by him shows that this rate would mature or pay off the bonds and all interest in 24 years. In most cases road bonds are made to run 30 years, but that will not be necessary with our present valuations and only 20c tax rate.

The statement given the Record by Judge Thompson says: The price of Mitchell county farm land on an average basis as rendered for taxation for State and County purposes is six dollars per acre. A 160-acre farm at the above price would be \$960.00 value. A 20c levy on the above figures would be \$1.92 per annum.

A stock of merchandise rendered at \$10,000.00 for State and County purposes would at a 20c levy be \$200 per annum. In other words, on each \$1,000.00 rendered your tax would be \$2.00 additional per annum. The question is for you to decide, is a highway through Mitchell county worth the price.

I have given you the above statements in order that you may be fully advised as to the cost of the highway before you cast your ballot.

Table Compiled

An amortization table has been compiled by Judge Thompson which shows the approximate amount of money required to retire the bonds and interest each year. This statement says on a valuation of \$8,000,000, which is slightly under our present valuation, 20c on the \$100.00 will produce \$16,000 annually. The following schedule will be approximately the payments on the bond issue, if the bonds are voted:

Year	Interest	Principal	Total
1	\$10,000	\$ 4,000	\$14,000
2	9,800	4,000	13,800
3	9,600	5,000	14,600
4	9,350	5,000	14,350
5	9,100	6,000	15,100
6	8,800	6,000	14,800
7	8,500	7,000	15,500
8	8,200	7,000	15,200
9	7,850	8,000	15,850
10	7,500	8,000	15,500
11	7,100	8,000	15,100
12	6,700	8,000	14,700
13	6,300	9,000	15,300
14	5,850	9,000	14,850
15	5,400	9,000	14,400
16	4,950	10,000	14,950
17	4,450	10,000	14,450
18	3,950	10,000	13,950
19	3,450	12,000	15,450
20	2,850	12,000	14,850
21	2,250	12,000	14,250
22	1,650	13,000	14,650
23	1,050	13,000	14,050
24	400	8,000	8,400

LOCAL LUMBERMAN AND POPULAR YOUNG WOMAN WED APRIL 17

Approaching Marriage of Accomplished Daughter R. P. Price Announced

The approaching marriage of R. F. Fee, Sec.-Treas., Berry-Fee Lumber company, and Miss Marcella Price, beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Price, has been announced for April 17, and the many friends of both parties are showering them with congratulations. The wedding will be held at the Price home on North Chestnut street at sunrise on the morning of April 17th.

Doss Store Is Installing New Fountain Bar

The W. L. Doss drug store this week received the new back bar and fixtures which were bought some time ago, and the same has been installed behind the new fountain, giving this store the appearance of a real city drug store. The new back bar is a beautiful fixture and is finished in mahogany to match the other fixtures. A large and beautiful mirror adorns the back of the fixture which gives it a very fine effect.

This store recently installed a new and modern soda fountain and the addition of this combination fixture makes the interior of the store very attractive.

TEACHERS LUNCHEON HERE FRIDAY NOON IS PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Hewett Orchestra Furnished Music; Dr. J. D. Sandefer Delivered Address

The luncheon of the Mitchell County Teachers' Association was attended by over sixty teachers and visitors. The luncheon was given in the dining room of the new Hotel Colorado, the menu including a fruit cocktail, fried chicken and ice cream.

The address delivered by President Sandefer of Simmons University was very inspirational and was enthusiastically received by those present. An orchestra arranged by Prof. C. A. Hewett played for the luncheon, and their music was keenly appreciated and highly complimented by the teachers and visitors present.

This will probably be the last official meeting of the association for this year, but members of the body are enthusiastic over the prospects for an even better organization for next year.

E. H. WINN SUCCEEDS HUTCHINSON AS HEAD LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD

Members Elected Saturday Are Sworn In Monday; Watson Vice Pres.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Colorado Independent school district held Monday afternoon, A. J. Herrington was sworn in as a member of the board and J. W. Watson, E. H. Winn and J. F. Morris qualified to succeed themselves, all of these having been elected in the election Saturday.

The election returns were canvassed and these members declared duly elected. Officers were elected and E. H. Winn was chosen president to succeed H. L. Hutchinson, who has been president of the board for a number of years. J. W. Watson was elected vice president. W. R. Morgan is secretary of the board.

President Hutchinson expressed a desire to be relieved of the duties of the office and the meeting Monday afternoon was a special called session to handle the above business. Regular meeting of the board was held Tuesday night, at which routine business was taken up.

DEXTOR TAYLOR OF LORLAINE UNDERGOES OPERATION HERE

Dextor Taylor of Loraine was operated on at the Colorado Sanitarium last week and is recovering rapidly, according to report of Miss Nell Guest, superintendent.

HARVEY BAKER IS HURT AT LONGFELLOW SCHOOL

Harvey Baker, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baker of Longfellow, suffered a broken arm and broken thigh Monday when a "giant stride" on which he was riding at the school building broke and fell upon him. The stride was a home-made affair and had a large wheel at the top. This wheel fell on the boy and crushed his arm and leg. He was brought to Colorado for treatment and at last reports was recovering nicely.

LOONEY LEADS R. H. RATLIFF ONLY 20 VOTES FOR MAYOR

Veteran Attorney Re-elected In Hotly Contested City Election

TOTAL OF 449 BALLOTS

Slaton, Pearson and Lee Are Elected Aldermen; Snyder And Chase Close

Judge R. H. Looney, veteran attorney, and mayor of Colorado for the past two years, was re-elected over his opponent, R. H. Ratliff, by twenty votes in the city election last Tuesday, which was the closest and most hotly contested election held in the city for several years. A total of 449 votes were cast. Looney secured 233 and Ratliff 213.

G. B. Slaton, R. O. Pearson and J. Ralph Lee were elected aldermen. Slaton led the ticket with 281 votes, Pearson 204 and Lee 247. D. H. Snyder ran fourth with 191 votes, followed closely by J. E. Chase with 187 votes. C. E. Way registered 152 votes. Only three aldermen were to be elected and Slaton and Pearson being old members of the council, Lee was the only new man named to a place as alderman.

Considerable interest developed in this election and many supporters of the different candidates congregated at the city hall Tuesday night to hear the announcement of results of the balloting. It was about 11 o'clock before the total had been tabulated. L. A. Costin had no opposition for city secretary. He polled 431 votes.

Association To Start Work On Local Cemetery

A meeting of the executive board of the Cemetery Association was held at the home of the president, Mrs. P. C. Coleman, Wednesday afternoon to discuss the matter of improving the local cemetery and doing some much needed work on some neglected lots inside the cemetery, and it was decided to ask all those who own lots in the cemetery to either visit them and clean off the lot and fill in around the graves or send the work done.

The secretary was authorized to call on the owners of lots for funds to have this much-needed work done at once, and was empowered to see that the work is done at an early date.

It was also decided to ask the citizens interested to look into the matter of the condition of grave on lots owned by them and to make arrangements with the association to have the work done if the owner is not in position to do the work.

Plans of improving the entrance and fixing up the road from the highway to the cemetery gate were discussed and the association is ready to do the work if funds are available. The Record cemetery fund is available for the work of building a permanent entrance gate and properly grading the road from the highway to the gate and as soon as plans can be settled upon the work will be done.

Mrs. C. H. Earnest, secretary, and Mrs. Shropshire, treasurer, will explain the need for immediate work on some lots in the cemetery.

The board also decided to sell the house now at the entrance to the cemetery and use the money for other improvements, and they asked J. H. Greene to secure bids on this house. The structure is a large one-room house which is in fair state of repairs, and could be moved with little expense, Greene said. Those interested in buying second-hand lumber or a house of this kind for removal, should see Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. J. G. Merritt or Mr. Greene at once.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Foster returned Sunday from Loraine where they visited Mr. Foster's parents. His mother was ill and two blood transfusions were necessary, and W. S. gave the blood for this delicate operation.

MINISTER WHO WILL CONDUCT SERIES MEETINGS



REV. J. D. HARVEY
Minister Church of Christ

TO THE PUBLIC

We, your Commissioners' Court, in view of the pending road bond election, make as the official act of said court, the following statement:

FIRST: The road is yours to do as you in your judgment may deem best. We do not wish to be understood as forcing a bond issue on the tax payers of Mitchell County.

SECOND: If the bonds are voted you, as property tax payers, simply authorize your commissioners' court to issue the bonds at some future date. The bonds do not draw interest from date of voting but from date of issuance by your commissioners' court.

THIRD: If you see fit to authorize the issuance of said bonds your Commissioners' Court will not issue the bonds until all arrangements as to State and Federal aid have been satisfactorily agreed upon and that the route of the highway follow the Bankhead highway right-of-way through Mitchell County, with the exception of an overpass over the railroad west of Loraine and other minor changes and in no event will the road be changed from the main streets of Loraine, Colorado and Westbrook.

The above questions have been submitted to each member of the Court on various occasions. We, therefore, take this method of giving you our views in an official way.

CHARLIE THOMPSON, County Judge.

- A. A. DORN, Commissioner Precinct No. 1
 - BURR BROWN, Commissioner Precinct No. 2
 - JNO. D. LANE, Commissioner Precinct No. 3
 - CLYDE SMITH, Commissioner Precinct No. 4
- ATTEST: J. LEE JONES, Clerk Commissioners' Court, Mitchell County, Texas.
Recorded in Vol. 4, Page 247, Commissioners' Court Minutes, Mitchell County, Texas.

NEW FIXTURES AND FOUNTAIN INSTALLED BY ALGOWE DRUG CO.

Modern Display Cases And Latest Luncheon Equipment

The Algowe Drug company is installing a new soda fountain and new prescription case, wall case and other new fixtures this week, which will make this one of the most modernly equipped drug stores in this section of West Texas.

The soda fountain is of Tennessee marble to match the mahogany fixtures and is of the latest and most modern design. It is complete in every detail, including automatic refrigeration and is designed in a way to be one of the most sanitary made.

The new fixtures are beautiful, a new wall case being installed over the booths on the north side of the building and a new prescription case which has telephone booth built in on the north end.

McCall Merritt and Joe Pond made a business trip to Midland, Sunday.

ATHLETIC COUNCIL IS NAMED TO HANDLE HIGH SCHOOL GAMES

Will Have Supervision And Control Of All School Athletics

TO IMPROVE GROUNDS

Plan Clean And Wholesome Sports; Citizens And Board Cooperate

The naming of a high school Athletic Council which has just been announced by the school board is one of the most important features to be taken up in Colorado.

This council is composed of President E. H. Winn and J. W. Watson of the school board, the superintendent and the coach, and T. W. Stoner, Jr., Col. C. M. Adams and Louis B. Collier. The latter three men represent the citizens on the council.

The purpose of the council will be to properly control and foster athletics in the Colorado schools, and the council will have charge of all athletics. Arrangements as to games, financing and control will be under supervision of the council. Of course, the superintendent and the coach will be left to use their better judgment in most cases, yet the council will supervise the entire field of athletics in the Colorado schools.

The board, the schools and the city being represented on the council by these men assures athletics the proper support and the proper encouragement as well as the proper curbing of some objectionable practices heretofore noticeable in the athletics of the school.

One of the first things to be done by the council is to build an eight-foot plank fence around the high school athletic field and improve the grounds. It is possible that bleachers or a grand stand of some kind will be built, yet this is undecided at this time.

The new high school athletic field has recently had a coat of clay put down and considerable other work done on it, and the field is now in pretty good shape. The council plans to further improve the field, grounds ingame.

L. B. COLLIER BUYS INTEREST OF MURCHISON IN CHRYSLER AGENCY

Complete Control Passes To Man Who Established Agency Here

Effective at once, the Chrysler distributing agency at Colorado is to be owned by Louis B. Collier, a deal having been closed Tuesday whereby Louis Collier purchased the interest of Frank Murchison in this business, in future the business will be operated under the name of Louis B. Collier and he will have complete control of the business.

Collier has been in Colorado about three years, coming to this city from Paris. He established the Chrysler agency here for Toler Motor company of Sweetwater and later bought an interest in the business with A. B. Blanks. About one year ago Frank Murchison of Sweetwater bought a half interest in the business with Collier and the agency has been conducted under name of Murchison & Collier. The agency occupies a new building on Third street erected especially for them about a year ago by J. H. Greene and Jas. T. Johnson.

Collier announced Tuesday that the change in name would not effect the operation of the business, but that the Chrysler agency here would continue to push the sale of Chrysler automobiles exclusively and would maintain a complete service station as heretofore.

Collier is local distributor and service agent for Willard batteries also and does a splendid business on this product.

Murchison has made no definite plans as to what he will do in future but will remain in Colorado for some time, he said Tuesday.

Dr. T. A. Martin, Loraine, Undergoes Operation Wed.

Dr. T. A. Martin, pioneer physician of Loraine, was brought to the Colorado Sanitarium Monday and underwent an operation for appendicitis early Wednesday morning. Report from the sanitarium Thursday morning stated the doctor was resting well and his condition was very satisfactory.

Dr. Martin was a very sick man when brought here and his condition was considered grave, but the operation was successful and the apparent quick recovery of the doctor makes his case very satisfactory at this time. Dr. Martin is one of the pioneer settlers of Loraine and is a popular physician in that section of the county. He and his sons own and operate a large drug store at Loraine. His son, Arlie Martin, is a director of the First State Bank of Loraine, and is president of the Loraine Chamber of Commerce.

REV. J. D. HARVEY TO CONDUCT REVIVAL AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Meeting Starts Sunday; Two Services Daily; Local Song Director

Rev. J. D. Harvey, minister of the Church of Christ, will do the preaching for the revival meeting for this church which begins next Sunday at the morning hour. Services are to be held twice daily, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

The minister is a booster for home talent and home industry and he says all home talent will be used in these services in so far as the singing is concerned. A local director will handle the song service with the cooperation of the singers of this and other churches of the city.

Minister Harvey is a forceful speaker and is considered one of the strongest in the Church of Christ, and he has announced a list of subjects that are of general interest, and it is predicted the services will attract large attendance.

"The All Sufficiency of the Word," "Authority in Religion," "Salvation by Faith," and several more important topics have been announced by the minister and a special invitation is extended to the public to attend the services Sunday and all next week. No statement has been made as to the duration of the campaign, but it will probably last two weeks or more.

The Church of Christ has a large membership, and the organization has been greatly strengthened since Minister Harvey came to Colorado more than two years ago. He has had unusual success with his church here and has made many friends among other religious adherents.

LIGHT VOTE POLLED IN SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION SATURDAY

A. J. Herrington Is New Man of Board; Three Are Re-elected

A. J. Herrington, J. W. Watson, E. H. Winn and J. F. Morris were elected members of the school board in the election held Saturday. A light vote was registered although considerable interest was manifested.

The official count as given out by J. D. Harrell, presiding judge, is as follows:

H. L. Hutchinson	101
J. W. Watson	261
E. H. Winn	273
J. F. Morris	272
A. J. Herrington	221

It will be seen that E. H. Winn led the ticket, beating Ford Morris by one vote with J. W. Watson a close second. Four members of the board were to be elected, and the above figures show that Herrington was elected by a large majority.

SPECIAL LAYMAN'S SERVICE AT CUTHBERT SUNDAY, APRIL 10TH

Lay Leader of Conference Be Present; Speaking Morning and Evening

BASKET LUNCH SERVED

Rev. J. G. Johnson, Pastor, Invites Public To Attend

Rev. J. G. Johnson, pastor of the Methodist church at Cuthbert, announces that a special layman's service will be held at that church next Sunday morning and afternoon. He says an all-day service has been planned at which the Conference Lay Leader from McMurry College will be the principal speaker. Mr. McCowan, dean of McMurry, is the lay leader for this section, and he will speak at 11 a. m. and 2 p. m., Rev. Johnson reports.

Basket lunch will be served at the church Sunday noon and all those who come are asked to bring a basket lunch with them.

Speaking and singing will be enjoyed both in the morning and in the afternoon, and laymen from all adjoining churches are invited to attend, and the laymen and their families of the Cuthbert charge are urged to attend, the pastor says.

Special invitation is extended to the public to attend.

REV. ATTICUS WEBB TO SPEAK IN COLORADO SUNDAY, APRIL 24TH

Supt. of Anti-Saloon League To Deliver Address At Methodist Church

Dr. G. H. Lewis was in Colorado recently and arranged for a speaking date for Rev. Atticus Webb, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas, and this noted speaker will be in Colorado, Sunday, April 24, to speak at the Methodist church at 11 a. m.

The Record has received a letter from Rev. Mr. Webb in which he says: "I am writing to invite you and your good friends and neighbors to attend this service and cooperate in making it a great success."

"I want to ask that you make every effort to get a good crowd out to this service. Make good announcement to all your friends, giving the meeting a boost and urging them to attend."

"We are facing a crisis and must have the cooperation of all the real citizens of the United States, if we are to succeed in this fight for a sober nation."

"I will appreciate your cooperation in making this service the greatest ever held in your town."

Rev. M. M. Beavers, pastor of the church, joins the speaker in inviting the general public to attend. The pastor says a large audience is desired at this service.

PEANUT COMPANY URGES PLANTING OF TUBERS

A representative of the Southwestern Peanut company of Abilene was in Colorado first of the week and stated that he had signed up considerable acreage of peanuts in the Loraine, Champion and Roscoe sections, and he will meet with the executive board of the Chamber of Commerce here Thursday night to discuss the matter of a market for peanuts and the advisability of urging the planting of more peanuts here. He says his company will afford an outlet for all the peanuts that can be raised. U. G. Hardison and O. O. Shurtliff say they will purchase a thresher for peanuts if sufficient acreage is planted to justify the expenditure, and the Colorado Produce company say they will purchase the nuts this fall and pay the top market price.



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The Store with the Checkerboard Sign

Joint Birthday Dinner For Mr. and Mrs. Grantland

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Grantland, popularly known as "Grandpa and Grandma" Grantland, had a joint birthday dinner at their home Tuesday noon. Grandpa Grantland was 80 years old on the 26th of March, and Mrs. Grantland will be 70 on the 12th of April, hence a joint dinner was prepared, at which Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Young of Roscoe were guests. Mrs. Young is a daughter of the Grantlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Grantland have lived in Colorado many years and are among the most popular older citizens of the city. They are both hale and hearty and active, even though they have reached the allotted time of three score and ten. Scores and scores of friends rejoice to see this pioneer couple blessed with their health and hope they may have many returns of the happy day celebrated last Tuesday.

The Record editor has known them for many years and is glad to number them among his friends.

LESLIE THOMAS SUFFERS POISON AND HEART ATTACK

Leslie Thomas, who has been at Big Spring for some time, suffered an attack of heart trouble last Friday night at that place as a result of a touch of ptomaine poison. Mrs. Thomas was called to his bedside there last week-end, but Mr. Thomas

recovered sufficiently to return to his home here and he is now feeling much better.

UNIVERSITY INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEETING AT ABILENE

University Interscholastic League meet for District No. 8, will be held at Simmons University, Abilene, on April 22 and 23.

The contents will occur in the following order:

Friday morning—Girls' tennis, boys' declamation and preliminary debates.

Tennis—Marston gymnasium at 9 o'clock; declamation and debate and University auditorium at 9 o'clock.

Friday afternoon—Boys' tennis, girls' declamation and preliminary debates. Tennis at Marston gymnasium at 2 o'clock; declamation and debate at University auditorium at 2 o'clock.

Friday evening—Finals in debate and extemporaneous speech at Simmons University auditorium at 7:30 o'clock.

Saturday—Track and field meet at Paramore Field, at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Fees—Twenty-five cents for each event. Admission free to all events.

Awards—Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the winners of first, second and third places, respectively, in all events except the relay race. The school whose team wins the relay race will be awarded a pennant.

WANTED—Will pay 5c a pound for clean Cotton Rags at The Record Office.

SOCIETY

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Workers Missionary Society

The Workers Missionary society met Monday in the Daughters of the King Sunday school room. The devotional was led by Mrs. Fred Dozier. Roll call was answered with topics from the Missionary Bulletin. Mrs. Boyd Dozier had the main topic, "In what way to church women have a new and enlarged responsibility today?" Forty dollars was reported as being made in the Talent Contest. It was voted to take up a money-making project. Mrs. Fred Dozier was elected delegate and Mrs. Ralph Beal alternate to the Woman's Missionary conference at Abilene, April 18th to 22nd. All reports for the last quarter were sent in on time. The organization will furnish the salads for the all-day meeting here next Wednesday. The society will meet next Monday and their study will be the beginnings of Missionary work.

Christian Missionary Society

The Christian Missionary Society met Monday in the church. The study was on Japan. Mrs. Hardison was the leader. Mrs. Ed Jones had a paper on the Signs of the Times in Japan. Mrs. Chase discussed Native Leaders. A very interesting round table on "The Most Interesting Thing I Know About Japan" closed the lesson.

Episcopal Guild

The Episcopal ladies met Monday in the church in their monthly business session. They planned an Easter egg hunt on Easter Sunday at 9 o'clock. Each child in the church is to be permitted to invite a guest. Mr. Steadman will be here for the three hours of service Good Friday. He will also be here Easter morning for early communion, which will be held at 8:30. Union services for Sweetwater, Colorado and Big Spring will be held in Sweetwater on Easter Sunday. Dinner will be served by the Sweetwater church. A number from Big Spring and Colorado are expected to attend.

P. T. A. Meetings

The Colorado P. T. A. met in three groups Tuesday, at the Primary, Hutchinson and High school buildings. At the Primary building a very delightful program was given. The guests were invited into Miss Jones' room where, with Mrs. Norman leading, a welcome song and the calendar song were sung by the third grade. Next they gave, "Where Go the Birds" and "The Land of the Story Book," and "The School Bells." Then another song and their Bible verse for the day. The first grade marched in and sang a pretty motion song about the birds, and another of the cabbage field. The mothers were invited into Mrs. Norman's room where Mrs. Pidgeon presided over the P. T. A. meeting. She asked Mrs. Merritt to tell of the work, and Mrs. Merritt was glad to do so. Mrs. Pidgeon was made president, Mrs. Lockhart first vice president, Mrs. Ralph Beal second vice president, Mrs. Guitler third vice president, Mrs. Howlett recording secretary, Mrs. Chester Jones corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Wm. Gordon treasurer. The names of all ladies present were taken as the nucleus of the September roll. It was decided to call themselves the Primary P. T. A.

At the Hutchinson building a splendid program of music and songs by groups of the fourth and fifth grades was given. Mrs. Lockhart called the ladies present to order, but because of the few attending, organization was deferred to another meeting.

Mrs. Root conducted the regular meeting at the High school. There was no special business. Mr. Bagwell, superintendent of the Snyder schools, was introduced and made a good talk on P. T. A. work. He told some of the things being done in Snyder and asked some questions regarding the work in Colorado. Election of officers was begun, but it was decided to wait until a more representative group could be gotten together. The president appointed Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Cantrell and Mrs. McCleary as a nominating committee to bring in names for the various officers at the next meeting.

The first senior play of the year, "The Crimson Coconut," was then staged for the P. T. A. audience. This was an all-star cast consisting of Misses Dobbs and Plaster, Messrs. Hames, Skinner, Smith and Pidgeon, and was a very clever little play well acted and much enjoyed by the audience. At the May meeting organization for next year will be completed.

The Fifteen Club

Mrs. I. R. Deitrich entertained the Fifteen club at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Bridge was played during the afternoon, high score prize going to Mrs. Sam O'Neal and consolation to Mrs. Ben Young. The hostess' home was beautifully decorated with pink sweet peas and ferns. Delicious refreshments of apricot salad, chicken sandwiches, coffee and next dinner mints were served. The next meeting will be on April 19, at the home of Mrs. P. L. Garrison.

Snyder and Colorado Debate

Tuesday afternoon two boys and two girls each from Snyder and Colorado debated the question, "Resolved There Should Be a Department of Education in the President's Cabinet." The Snyder girls were Maurine Martin and Pearl Horton, the Colorado girls Lenora Cook and Elizabeth Terrell. Snyder boys, Louis Bennett and Harvey Lee Chenault, Colorado boys, Bill Jarman and Darrell Smith. All did exceedingly well but both the Colorado girls and boys were declared winners by the judges. Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. J. E. McCleary and Mrs. J. G. Merritt. Colorado goes over to Snyder in a few days for the next debate.

Baptist Missionary Program

Theme, "Our Convention, Its Organization and Purpose." Leaders, Mrs. D. W. Morgan and Lillian Phenix.

Shakespeare Club

The Shakespeare Club met Friday with Mrs. Lupton. The lesson on English history was led by Mrs. T. R. Smith. The hostess and her daughter, Mrs. Morgan, served a salad plate, orange ice and cake. The meeting this week is with Miss McComas.

Auxiliary American Legion

The Auxiliary to the American Legion will meet Saturday at 4 o'clock in the Hut. All members are urged to come.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society

The Baptist Missionary women met in regular session Monday. Mrs. W. W. Porter led the devotional, using 1 Cor. 6-19. She made a splendid talk on "Builders and Vision." The treasurer reported only \$150 lacking on the \$750 pledged to be raised by the first of May. The leaders of the Y. W. A. and G. A. made good reports of their departments. The interest is shown. The Sunbeam leader urged the mothers to send their children on Sunday afternoons. The personal service report was very good indeed. The enrollment report was equally fine, due to the efforts of the Excel Circle which recently took a religious census. Mrs. Morgan presented the Excel Circle in a body to the Missionary Society. A bazaar was planned for Saturday and nearly every woman present pledged one or more articles for this. Circle Two will have charge of a dinner down-town Saturday. Everyone is invited to eat with them, and to attend the bazaar. The last \$150 must be gotten in at once. Every Baptist woman is expected to do her duty, and she will.

Hesperian Club

The Hesperian club met Friday with Mrs. Winn at the home of Mrs. Chester Jones. The year book committee reported work begun. It was voted to give spoons to the club babies. The lesson was upon "The Indian Then and Now." Mrs. Shropshire was leader. Mrs. Johnson described Indian conditions in the sixteenth century and reviewed "The Vanishing American." Mrs. Sadler discussed the topic "Has the White Man Made or Marred the Indian?" Mrs. Millwee talked on Indian folklore and poetry and its place in American literature. A discussion of the Indian followed. The hostess served an ice course. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Merritt.

1921 Club

The 1921 Club met Friday with Mrs. Bill Broadbuss. Mrs. Harry Ratliff was elected secretary to fill out the term of Mrs. Ledger Smith who resigned. It was decided to take drama course number one from the State University. This includes drama from the French, Spanish, English, Russian and American. Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr., was received as an associate member. A report of great interest was given on the visit to the Mexican school. It was voted to have the Boy Scouts make a rope which the club would present to the Mexicans as a jumping rope. It was decided to combine some of the remaining club programs and close the club May 15th.

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The Young Woman's Christian Missionary society of the Christian church met Monday with Mrs. Boyd Harwell. Mrs. Clyde Haynie led the devotional. A very interesting program on conditions in Latin-America were given. Mrs. Armstrong talked on what will we take back. This was followed by a round table on Porto Rico. The hostess served apple pie a la mode. The next meeting is with Mrs. W. Mitchell.

Bridgettes

The Bridgettes met Thursday with Miss Eleanor Thomas. There were four tables of players and a very delightful afternoon was spent. At the refreshment hour the viands were served on bamboo trays placed in the center of each table. Pecupine salad, sandwiches shaped as hearts, spades, diamonds and clubs cake and hot tea was served. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Bill Broadbuss.

Mrs. P. C. Coleman

Mrs. P. C. Coleman returned Saturday from a very delightful visit with her daughter in Washington, D. C.



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Civic League

The Civic League met Saturday in the Chamber of Commerce. There was only a small attendance, but the regular business was transacted. Mrs. Roy Dozier and Mrs. Stewart Cooper were made delegate and alternate, respectively, to the meeting in Ozone, May 3, 4 and 5. Mrs. Dozier reported much interest in the seed and bulb exchange. Many plants were brought and taken. It was decided to make this a yearly affair. Some articles and plants were reported sent to the Mexican school. Three negro representatives were present from the negro auxiliary. They reported their organization complete. Meeting each week with an attendance of sixteen or seventeen, paying dues of 15 cents a week. This is Negro Health Week and programs are being held each afternoon on Home Hygiene, Community Sanitation and Children and Adult Health, etc. The programs are arranged by Colonel Moton of Tuskegee. The league members will attend these programs and have offered as a prize a picture to the family having the cleanest premises at the close of the week. The league was thanked for helping to get the light on the railroad crossing and seats for the school. They were asked to help get water piped into the school. Several new members were reported.

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Presbyterian Missionary Auxiliary

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met in the church parlors Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The new president, Mrs. Elliott, presided and led the lesson. Mrs. Coleman read as a Scripture lesson the 10th chapter of Romans. Miss Nell Riordan led in prayer. Fourteen members responded to roll call. One new member, Mrs. Charles Womack, was enrolled. Several communications regarding the El Paso Presbyterian were read. The meeting this year is to be in El Paso. Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Elliott were made the delegates. Report of the year's work was read by Miss Nell Riordan. Mrs. Elliott reported \$177.90 made for the Korean school, by articles sold, and \$15.50 on the piano fund. The study was on the Negro. An interesting report from the Stillman Institute at Tuscaloosa, Ala., was read. Special prayer was offered for the missionaries in China. Closed with the Mizpah benediction.

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Mission Study Class

The Methodist Mission Study class met Monday in the basement of the church and reviewed their foreign mission book, "Moslem Women." Mrs. Garrett, the superintendent, had charge of this. Mrs. Hall led the opening prayer. Mrs. Roy Dozier had the Scripture lesson. Mrs. Gary gave a map study of Moslem countries and the percentage of Mohammed believers. The six chapters were given by Mesdames Garrett, McCleary, Merritt, Jones, Kiker and Looney. Interspersed with this was a reading by little Francis Jones, one by Maxine Dorn, and a beautiful duet by Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lockhart. The class will give their books to the Workers Missionary society and will shortly take up the home study, "Our Templed Hills." A goodly number attended this study and all felt it was good to be there.

Announcement Party

An entertainment of special interest to Colorado was the beautiful announcement party given Wednesday afternoon at the Country Club by Mrs. E. P. Price. The decorations were very spring-like and appropriate. Bridal wreath in opaque green vases, pink sweet peas and pink tulips were used in profusion, while pink candles in crystal holders gave added beauty. The score pads were Easter eggs in all the varied colors, the tallies carrying out the same thought.

There were seven tables of bridge players and six of forty-two.

At the refreshment hour the tables were covered with linen cloths and Easter napkins placed. Angel cake and pink ice cream wedding bells was served. Poised on top of the bells was a Cupid with a heart in his hand on which was written, "A Secret." When the heart was removed from the Cupid's hand, this message was found: "Miss Marcella Price and Mr. Bob Fee, April seventeenth." The dainty little bride-to-be was showered with good wishes and loving greetings. She looked very charming in a blue crepe with trimmings of plaid taffeta. Her mother was dressed in orchid georgette with trimmings of lace.

Miss Price is one of Colorado's most popular young ladies and her Easter wedding which it is whispered will occur at dawn, is of great interest to Colorado society.

Homemakers Club

The Homemakers met Friday with Mrs. Dewey Tidwell. Roll call was responded to with a peculiar specimen of nature. Mrs. Harrel gave an interesting paper on gourd craft. Mrs. Taylor on a remarkable menagerie, Mrs. Dobbs had a paper on "From Mill to the House." The hostess served ice cream and cake. The next meeting is with Mrs. Jones.

THE QUESTION BOX

1. What great military academy is located on the Hudson river?
 2. Does an ostrich bury his head in the sand believing he is hid?
 3. What is the meaning of Auld Lang Syne?
 4. Do female reindeer have horns?
 5. Why are whiskers of a certain style called "side burns"?
 6. Do snakes such cows?
 7. Can you name five ways in which reindeers are useful?
 8. What is the good luck bird of Germany?
 9. What statue is on the dome of the Capitol in Washington?
 10. Where is Helgoland?
- ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK**
1. Kings of ancient Egypt.
 2. Tigris-Euphrates.
 3. Leonidas.
 4. Rome and Carthage.
 5. Julius Caesar.
 6. Brutus.
 7. Pericles.
 8. Pegasus.
 9. Zerk-zek.
 10. Expression of one's self as briefly as possible.

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LOONEY SCHOOL PASSES RESOLUTIONS REGARDING THE COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR

Whereas, the Mitchell County School Fair was organized at the Teachers' Institute at Sweetwater in 1925 for the purpose of encouraging the students of Mitchell county to put forth a greater effort in making drawings, cut work and writings, and

Whereas, said fair was organized to create a more desirable social atmosphere among our schools, it was further set forth that all schools of our county would receive some ribbon or medal of reward for the effort put forth in making the fair a success;

Whereas, we observed that a very small percentage of our schools received practically all the ribbons,

thereby discouraging the students of our school.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, That the students and teachers of Looney school enter out protest against such a distribution of ribbons.

We do it Resolved Further, That we go on record as being opposed to the meeting of County Fair with Inter-scholastic League meet. We suggest that the School Fair be held at least three weeks later than the league meet.

(Signed)
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CHURCHES

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Lenten Services
Tuesday, April 19, service at 5 p. m.

Good Friday, April 15, three-hour service from 12 m. to 5 p. m., Easter Sunday, April 17, Holy Communion at 8:30 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon at Sweetwater at 11 a. m. Sunday, April 24, evening prayer at 7:45.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Our meeting with home forces will begin Sunday, April 10, and will continue just one week. The preaching (by local minister) plain, simple Gospel of Christ. The singing (by local director) vocal and congregational. The services at the church building Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., each evening through the week at 8 p. m. No service will last over one hour and fifteen minutes. There is one hour among us like this, "Patronize Home Industry." This meeting will be strictly of this type.

A list of subjects that will interest you: "The All Sufficiency of the Word," "Authority in Religion," "Salvation by Faith," "Repentance," "The Treasure in Earthen Vessels," "The Scarlet Thread," "Reconciliation," "What Must I Do To Be Saved?" "Reformers and Restorers in Religion," and "The Way to Heaven." We solicit your presence and help. J. D. HARVEY, Minister.

THE METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Don't let the spring fever get to be epidemic in the Sunday school.

Preaching, morning hour, by the pastor. Subject, "What It Costs to Pray." At the evening hour be sure and hear Brother Johnson preach. An interesting League hour at 6:45 p. m. Come to the help of the choir. Attend choir practice Friday evening at 7:30. Worship with us. M. M. BEAVERIS, Pastor.

THE NATION'S GREATEST MIGRATION THIS SUMMER

The nation's greatest migration is to be made this summer. According to figures furnished by the Chevrolet Motor Company, of officials of the American Automobile Association, before the close of 1927, 40,000,000 people—a third of the country's population—will travel by motor car. Their wheeled flight over highways and byways, mountain and plain, constitute the most colossal peace-time movement in the history of mankind.

These vast caravansaries will use between 9,000,000 and 10,000,000 automobiles in their wanderings—almost half the passenger cars in use in the nation. These figures are based on the situation which prevailed in 1926.

All indications point to an increase of about 10 per cent in the number of tourists and the number of automobiles. The summer of 1926 found 36,000,000 people taking to the highways in approximately nine million automobiles.

A vast amount of money will be spent by the traveling hosts to enrich the innumerable cities and towns in the nation. These figures are based on the situation which prevailed in 1926.

The traveler will spend at least three and a third billion dollars—a tremendous factor in the increased prosperity of thousands of communities throughout the nation.

Of the total of ten million cars which will be on the road, three and a third million will carry camping equipment and tour for an average of 23 days each. The other two-thirds will patronize hotels and will spend an average of 10 days on tour. For the campers the daily expenditure is estimated at \$16 per car or \$33,333,000 daily for them all, which in 33 days will total nearly \$1,100,000,000. The hotel running cost will find their camping cohorts, although touring about only one-third as long, and will spend approximately \$2,200,000,000. At the most conservative estimate it is safe to assume that the resorts, hotels, garages and filling stations and other agencies catering to motor travel will benefit to the extent of at least \$3,300,000,000 from this year's mighty host of motor vacationists.

The vanguard of the great migration already is upon the highways, setting out the first hardy thousands of spring. Every area in the country is reporting substantial increases and these reports have been borne out by the demands for touring information made at automobile clubs. The cult of the open road is in session.

Camping facilities have been greatly improved and extended and their development seems certain to make his phase of touring record in 1927 clear—setting a new record in 1927 for the migratory travelers. There will be more people, young and old, will be more people, young and old, on the road than ever before. There will be more cars, more money, more pleasure.

A few years ago vacation travel was considered an expensive luxury. Today it can be made almost as inexpensive as living at home for the family which wishes to spend their time in camps—and "seeing America First" will have deep meaning for millions of former stay-at-homes.

Office Supplies. Record office. Carbon paper at Record office.

Stopped the Hole. Henry Ford discussed the English coal situation at a Dearborn dinner. "The English coal economy advocates," said Mr. Ford, "remind me of the bride whose husband said: 'Darling, did you sew that button on my coat?' 'No, sweetheart,' said the bride, 'I couldn't find a button; but it's all right, I sewed up the button hole.'"

Head of Geologists Visits Office Local Subsidiary Co.

George C. Gester, chief geologist for the Standard Oil company of California, who was elected president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists at their annual meeting held in Tulsa, Okla., March 23-26, was in Colorado last week visiting the offices of the California Company. He commented favorably upon Colorado and the holdings of the California company in Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded, That you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Mitchell if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Mitchell County, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Clarence Butler, Reuben Butler, and Oscar Butler, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Mitchell at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, on the eleventh Monday after the First Monday in February, A. D. 1927, the same being the 15th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 5 day of March, A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 4811, wherein E. E. Goodlett is plaintiff, Fred McDowell, J. W. Watson, T. P. Dillworth, Carrie Butler, Lottie Dillworth, Earnest Butler, M. L. Watson, J. C. Womack, Howard R. Rogers, Mance Butler, Jim Butler, Curtis Butler, Mary Butler, Joe Butler, Sam Butler, H. A. McLean, Oscar Butler, Leila McCulloch, June McCulloch, Tina Johnson, Clarence Butler, Reuben Butler, and N. S. Johnson, are defendants, the nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff resides in Mitchell County, Texas, and the residence of the defendants, Clarence Butler, Reuben Butler and Oscar Butler is unknown to the plaintiff.

That heretofore, to-wit: On the 15 day of November, 1923, the defendant, Fred McDowell, made, executed and delivered six certain notes in the sum of \$250.00 each, bearing interest from date at the rate of eight per cent per annum until paid and due and payable to plaintiff on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928 and 1929, respectively, providing for ten per cent attorney's fees on stipulated conditions, whereby defendant became due, owing and liable to pay to the plaintiff the sum of money in said notes specified with all interest and attorney's fees due thereon;

2. That said notes were given for part of the purchase money of the S. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. No. 20 in Block No. 26, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys of land in Mitchell County, Texas;

3. That on the 15 day of November, 1923, the plaintiff conveyed said land to the defendant and in said deed a vendor's lien was reserved to secure the payment of said notes; that Notes No. 1 and No. 2 have been paid; that Notes Nos. 3, 4, 5, and 6 have not been paid; that note No. 3 with the annual installment of interest on all of said four notes was due and payable Nov. 15, 1926; that defendant failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof; that plaintiff exercised his option found in said notes to declare all of said four notes due and proceeded to foreclose his lien on said land; that the amount due and owing amounts to \$1225.00 and that said sum is the plaintiff's damages in the premises for which he sues;

4. That said notes have been placed in the hands of W. H. Garrett, an attorney, for collection and plaintiff has contracted to pay him the ten per cent attorney's fees in said notes stipulated.

5. That on April 18, 1925, Fred McDowell and wife conveyed said land to H. A. McLean, who thereby claims and maintains some interest in and to said lands and promised to pay said notes according to the terms thereof;

6. That on the 14 day of November, 1925, H. A. McLean and wife conveyed said land to J. W. Watson, who thereby claims and maintains some interest in said lands, and promised to pay said notes according to the terms thereof;

7. That by reason of the conveyance to J. W. Watson, M. L. Watson is claiming some interest in said land;

8. That M. C. Butler is dead, leaving as his heirs at law, his widow, Carrie Butler, Lottie Dillworth, and husband, T. P. Dillworth, Earnest Butler, Clarence Butler, Reuben Butler, Oscar Butler, Leila McCulloch and her husband, June McCulloch, Mance Butler, Jim Butler, Curtis Butler, Mary Butler, Joe Butler and Sam Butler; that as heirs of M. C. Butler said defendants are claiming and maintaining some interest in said lands;

10. That in the deed of J. W. Watson and wife to M. C. Butler and T. P. Dillworth, conveying said land, there was created and provided for four notes for \$250.00 each and one note for \$200.00, and the same were executed and delivered as part of the purchase price for said land and a vendor's lien was retained to secure the same and that same are still outstanding and a lien on said land, subject, however, to the notes and liens of the plaintiff; that Mrs. Tina Johnson and her husband, N. S. Johnson, are the legal and equitable holders and owners of three of said notes and are thereby claiming and maintaining some interest in said land and premises;

11. That J. C. Womack and Howard R. Rogers are the legal and equitable holders and owners of two of said notes and are thereby claiming and maintaining some interest in said lands; that all of the rights and claims of all of the defendants are secondary and subject to the rights of plaintiff.

12. Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, that he have judgment for his debt, interest and attorney's fees amounting to \$1225.00 and costs of suit and for foreclosure of his lien on the above described land and premises and that the same be decreed to be sold according to law; that the sheriff, or other officer executing said order of sale, shall place the purchaser of said property sold under said order of sale in possession thereof, within thirty days after the day of sale and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein Paul 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, Texas, this 23 day of March, A. D. 1927. J. LEE JONES, Clerk, District Court, Mitchell Co., Texas. (SEAL) 4-15c

Home Folks Log

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DR. GARDEN'S SPRING PRESCRIPTION

Use as often as required. This can easily be determined by keeping a close watch on the growing symptoms of the garden.

A. L. White has been doing quite a lot of improving here of late.

Arthur Brisbane says the next war will be fought in the air. From what we heard over the radio the other

night we thought it had started already.

The person whose name is mentioned first each week can get half dozen pencils by calling for same.

Ed: "What started the riot last night?" Al: "A misprint!" Ed: "How's that?" Al: "The local theatre advertised a show with three hundred people and one hundred costumes."

Robert Gray, of the Gray Lumber Co., of Rotan, was here in the yard last week while Dick was having a swell time with the Mumps.

The Doss Drug Co., is doing some repairing here of late.

Fred Strong, general contractor, has secured a contract with the California Co., to erect several buildings in the field.

The prize ring is no place for a slow poke.

"Ain't that just Hell!" ejaculated the Yank on seeing Vesuvius in full eruption.

"Ah, zee Americans," exclaimed a Frenchman, "where have zey not been."

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land;

8. That on the 27 day of November, 1925, J. W. Watson and wife conveyed said land to M. C. Butler and T. P. Dillworth, who thereby claim and maintain some interest in said lands and promised to pay said notes according to the terms thereof;

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RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST NINETEEN YEARS

Table with columns for Year, Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec. Rows for years 1908-1926.

The official statement of Judge C. C. Thompson and the Commissioners' Court that the road bonds, if voted, would not be issued and dated until the money is needed to begin actual construction of the road should be sufficient to quiet the talk that the tax payers of this county would have to pay huge sums of interest on the bonds before the roads are in use.

If the bonds are authorized they will not begin drawing interest until the commissioners' court issues the bonds and they will draw interest only from the date the court places on them, therefore, there is no argument in the contention that the bonds will draw interest while preparations are being made to begin the work.

There is no likelihood that the State will refuse or be unable to put up the \$200,000 required for State aid, as some seem to think, yet if such a situation should develop the commissioners' court could refuse to issue the bonds and there would be no interest to pay, and this county would be in just the same shape as it now is, even though the bonds are voted. In other words, the matter rests with the commissioners' court as to when they shall issue the bonds and date them, and if the money is not needed to begin work at once they will not issue the bonds. That is a settled fact and is attested by every member of the court.

The Federal aid of \$400,000 is ready to be applied on the construction of this road at once, and the Federal government has stated that completion of this gap in the Bankhead highway is desired at the earliest possible moment. Although it is unlawful for the State Highway Commission to make blanket allotments, assurance is given that the State will put up her portion of the required amount to pave this road across Mitchell county if the citizenship will put up the one-fourth as per the agreement reached with the officials of this county. The thing for the officers to do, in accordance with the Record editor, is to authorize the commissioners' court to issue bonds in the sum of \$200,000 so that the State and Federal aid may be secured, with the understanding that the court will not issue the bonds until the actual money is needed to begin work. If work is not started for six months, one year, or five years, the bonds need not be issued until that time, and interest will start only upon that date.

The argument advanced by opponents of the bond issue that the State and Federal governments will not put up three dollars for each dollar Mitchell county spends on the Bankhead highway, has fallen flat. There is nothing to stop that argument, and those who make these statements know nothing about it. We have the assurance of the officials in charge of both of these departments that the aid will be granted according to law when our money is available, and we know there is no reason to doubt what these officials say. In fact, they are the only ones who can say what can and will be done, and the local citizens who undertake to say that this or that will not be done, should come clean and say they know nothing about it. Of course, they are entitled to an opinion on the subject, but never should they give their opinion as facts—it might be far from that.

There are several reasons why the State and Federal governments want to help us build this highway. One of the main reasons is that they are working for connection of all the cardinal highways in the country, and because of our position on this trans-continental highway we are offered the exceedingly attractive proposition of three dollars for one if we will co-operate in the building of the road. Not alone for the benefit of the State and Nation but for our own benefit as well. No one would benefit so much as the citizens of this county if the road is built through this county. There will be lots of work for men and teams, trucks, etc., and thousands of dollars expended all along the route of the highway, which in itself is sufficient inducement to vote the bonds, yet this is only a small portion of the benefits to accrue in our favor.

From our way of thinking, we have nothing to lose in voting the bonds, for we pay no interest until we need the money to do the work, and if the work is never done the bonds will never be needed and on that basis never issued. Yet if we vote the bonds and the road is built we will get back more than we put up. The citizens of the county will be able to pick up about two dollars where they put down one, if the average figures are to be relied upon. It is reasonable to suppose that when \$800,000 are turned loose in this county, the citizens as a whole will benefit from this expenditure directly or indirectly. If in no other way, merely from the general prosperity of the county. Think it over.

Now that spring is coming, the tourists have also begun coming, and with them comes the opportunity for courtesy from Colorado citizens. Most of them will spend a little money in our midst, and they will ask lots of questions. To say the least, it will be good advertising for our town for to be as courteous as possible to them, as they journey onward, or should they ever return they will have a kindly feeling toward our town.

State Press of the Dallas News, Dick McCarty of the Albany News and Jim Lowrey of the Honey Grove Signal are engaged in a controversy about where Davey Crockett stopped when he came to Texas, each of these pencil pushers claiming that the noted man settled at their respective towns before he volunteered to defend the Alamo and was murdered by a bunch of Mexicans. They are all wrong. Davey Crockett never saw Dallas, Honey Grove or even Albany, although the latter is closer to the spot where Davey dug his sod house and prepared to settle down.

Davey Crockett hunted Buffalo in Kansas after leaving the old hunting grounds in the old states, and drifted down through the Panhandle, following the swarm of buffalo and elk to the watering places near Colorado. When he arrived here he looked about and decided to build his sod house on the banks of the Colorado river so that he could be near the famous and historical Seven Wells, where the buffalo and other wild game were wont to drift in to water. Thousands of head of buffalo watered each day and they made long treks across the barren plains to get to this watering hole. Even today the rocks surrounding these wells and the ever-flowing Champion Creek bear plain hoof marks of these beasts. It was here that Davey Crockett felt the call of his country and rushed to San Antonio to defend the Republic. He never even heard of Dallas county nor Honey Grove and never saw that country. Although it was many years after Davey Crockett came to this place before the people knew of this garden spot of the West, yet it is none the less true that Crockett picked out this strip along the Colorado river as the ideal place for settlement as a Republic of Texas.

We have known for some time that Jim Lowrey and Dick McCarty would lay claim to most any thing, yet we were surprised at State Press's willful perversion or his display of ignorance. It must be one or the other in this case.

Colorado scientists announce that a kiss shortens life three minutes. Well, it does make time fly; that's a fact.—State Press in Dallas News.

The scientists claim that there are only so many heart beats in a man's life and that every kiss speeds up the heart and makes the pumper hit double time which cuts just three minutes off the allotted time for the earthly journey of man. Whether this be true or not we can not say, but State Press ought to know. As the shock absorber for the greatest daily paper in the State of Texas, State Press has probably kissed more babies, poodle dogs, pet cats and old maids than any man living. It has been rumored among newspaper men that the reason for State Press' baldness is that every old maid and grass widow to whom he has been forced to sacrifice "three minutes" of his life in order to save a big libel suit, plucked a curling hair from his head. As a result State Press has to wear a wig to have even the resemblance of a human when his hat is off. His head is so barren that even a mirror is rough compared with its glistering surface. The above subject is one thing that State Press claims to be well posted on. If this occupation makes time fly, State Press should be living far in the future at this minute.

Children are supposed to be taught not to leave the sidewalk unless they are holding the hands of their elders, and it is also supposed that all parents point out to their offspring the danger of walking in the street or road. Most children try to obey instructions, but their little minds are apt to forget about danger; it is hard for them to think of anything but play. This is especially true now, when there is a little touch of spring in the air and when it is real punishment to keep them indoors any more than is absolutely necessary. It is therefore necessary that our auto drivers exert unusual vigilance. No matter what the children may be doing on the sidewalks or along the roadsides, now, even if they seem to be sitting quietly, motorists should play safe and keep as near the center of the street as possible. A child might suddenly jump up and dart out unaware of consequences. Blowing the horn may be more confusing than it is a warning. This should be avoided and, instead, extreme caution prevail. It will be well for Colorado motorists to keep their minds on the children, because the children do not always keep their minds on danger.

The first number of the Coahoma Citizen published at Coahoma by Alton B. Robertson, formerly of Stanton, came to the Record the past week. It is a five-column, four-page home print sheet and carries a lot of advertising. Alton Robertson recently turned over the management of the Stanton paper to his brother, W. S. Robertson, and his mother, Mrs. Ruby Robertson, and moved to Coahoma to start the new paper, and from the patronage given the first issue the new venture will prove a success. Coahoma is rather a small town to boast of a good newspaper, yet the town is growing, and its proximity to the Chalk oil field gives it some hopes of becoming a much larger town in the near future. The Record is glad to see the Howard county town acquire an asset such as it has in this new enterprise and assure the business men there if they will stand behind the paper it will help their town to grow and prosper.

We are acquainted with a few people around Colorado who would make good whale hunters. They are always throwing the harpoon into somebody.

Nothing would improve the lot of some of our Colorado girls more than to build good houses on them and put good husbands inside of them.

One way a Colorado husband can get even with his wife for using his razor as a can-opener is to shine his shoes with her powder-puff.

When a Colorado girl's mother weighs 250 and her father 125 she delights in arguing that she takes after her father.

Some Colorado people will never learn how easy it is to make a bore of themselves just by bragging about their relatives.

About the first thing a Colorado boy learns about girls is that they won't scream as often as they threaten.

Our advice to citizens of Colorado is never to put off mending their ways until their ways are worn out.

About the first compliment that can be paid to any Colorado boy is to say he is a comfort to his parents.

Our advice to the Colorado man who has a lot of poor relations is to not start in the filling station business.

WITH THE JOKESMITH

A Bona Diplomat They were entertaining a visitor at dinner, and when the dessert was being eaten, little Johnnie said: "Won't you have another piece of apple tart, Mr. Hobbs?" The visitor laughed. "Well, Johnnie," he said, "since you are so polite, I believe I will have some more."

How He Lost the Money A small boy was returning from school crying bitterly. "What ails you, my little fellow?" asked the old gentleman. "I've lost the penny that teacher gave me for being the best boy in the class," sobbed the boy. "Oh, well, never mind," replied the old fellow, "here is another one that will take its place. But tell me how you lost it."

A pretty girl wearing the very latest in bathing suits, was sitting on the beach when a young man approached her and took off his hat, remarking that it was a fine day. "How dare you speak to me?" said the girl, indignantly. "I don't know you from Adam."

Explained A lady who had married a traveling salesman decided to raise chickens. When her husband returned from his trip he asked how the chickens were doing. With pride she answered: "Fine; I have five hens and two roosters."

Opposed Immersionists The mayor of an Arizona town went down to meet the new preacher hired to fill the town's community church. "Parson, you ain't a Baptist by any chance, are you?" asked the mayor at his first opportunity.

Pat's Observations "Nature," explained the philosopher, "always tries to make compensation. For instance, if one eye is lost the sight of the other becomes stronger, and if a person grows deaf in one ear the hearing of the other ear becomes more acute."

Well Trained Coach (to new player)—You are great! The way you hammer the line, dodge, tackle your man and worm through your opponents is marvelous.

On Her Nerves "It makes me shudder to hear that woman next door driving nails." "But the noise is trifling." "You don't understand. She just came over and borrowed my silver backed hair brush."

She Knew Her Status "Yassum," said Callie, the colored cook, "I've engaged now for goin' on ten days." "Who is the bridegroom?" "Wellum, he's a mighty nice man."

Birthmarked "What's that mark on your head?" "That's a birthmark." "Yes?" "Yep, tried to get into the wrong berth."

Practicing Economy Photographer—You wish a picture of your twins? Mrs. Johnson—No, just a photograph of one of them—they both look exactly alike, so what's the difference?

Very Courteous Divorcee Judge—So you say you've always shown your wife every courtesy. Defendant—Yes, your honor, I always begged her pardon before I hit her.

Dr. Chester of Nashville Will Speak Sunday

Dr. S. H. Chester of Nashville, Tenn., editor of The Survey, and for thirty years secretary of the Presbyterian committee on foreign work, will speak at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock on the subject of "Unity of the Church."

ARMAGEDDON

The next world war, if it ever comes, will deserve the title, Armageddon. Science has made such advances since 1918 that little short of universal destruction will follow an other wholesale conflict. In Germany, when the writer visited that country four years before the war, the population for the most part felt jubilant and secure. People invested their savings in annuities, life insurance and other securities with the confident assurance that they would be protected during their old age.

A friend who has just returned from Europe tells us the other day that in England America is regarded with contempt, while in France, Belgium and on the Continent in general this contempt passes into hatred. Probably in no city in the world is an American so disliked as in Brussels, where we sent so many millions in our efforts to relieve Belgium during the war.

SEE OUR USED CAR AD THIS WEEK 1926 Chevrolet Coupe 1926 Ford Touring 1925 Chevrolet Coach MILLS CHEVROLET CO.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

RATES 1 time minimum charge 50c; 2 times for \$1.25; 1 month for \$1.50.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

FOR RENT Two clean rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. Phone 278. Mrs. S. A. Andrews. tfe

FOR RENT—Front bed-room. Phone 270. Mrs. H. S. Beall. tfe

FOR RENT—Filling station and grocery, good location. J. I. White at Star Cash Grocery. tfe

FOR RENT—2 room house and sleeping porch for rent, close in town. Apply H. Wolk Dry Goods store. tfe

FOR SALE—Good mule, planter, cultivator and other farming tools. See A. H. Franklin, Phone 516-J. 1tp

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished apartment, access to bath, close in. Phone 317. 1tp

GOOD FARM FOR RENT—110 to 185 acres. Good four-room house, plenty water, wood and grass. See H. S. Beal at "M" System store. tfe

FOR RENT—Nice 5-room house with bath, electric water heater, built-in cabinets, garage. See or phone Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Phone No. 205-M. 4-8p

FOR SALE—My home, just completed in Highland Park. Choice residential section. Bargain with easy payments. Five rooms and bath, all modern conveniences. Will rent well. tfe R. B. NORMAN.

FOR SALE—Nice Victrola and 65 records, for \$65.00. Machine alone cost \$120.00; also nice rocking chair, one 12-inch oscillating fan. Jas. R. Porter at Walter Ashby's old home. 1tp

FOR SALE—Almost new wood and coal stove, Home Comfort brand. Best stove made, aluminum finish, won't rust, will make special price. See this stove at my place or see me personally. A. D. POWELL, 8 miles north of Colorado. tfe

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Neuralgia, Constipation, Impure Blood, A System Renovator and Body Builder. It's Guaranteed. 9-1p

IN THE MARKET FOR A TOMBSTONE?

Since November, 1911, I have sold more than 100 tombstones, which have been set in some 17 cemeteries. If you are in the market for one, come and look over the list of people I have sold and get my prices. I never bore prospective buyers, simply give you my prices, guarantee my work, and leave it up to you. See me or phone me at the Alamo Hotel. ERNEST KEATHLEY, Agent Since November, 1911.

POSTED

POSTED—My pasture 25 miles southwest of Colorado on Beal's Creek also Robert Lee road known as Gage pasture are posted according to law and I positively will not allow any kind of wood hauling or trespassing of any kind. Better stay out. F. L. TERRY. tfe

POSTED—All lands owned and controlled by Landers Brothers are posted according to law and no hunting, wood hauling or other trespassing will be allowed. Please stay out and save yourself serious trouble.—Landers Bros. tfe

POSTED—Hunters Take Notice. All of the Wulfgun lands are posted and part is in the State Game Reserve of Mitchell county. Keep out or you will have both the Game Warden and myself to contend with. J. D. Wulfgun. tfe

WARNING—Take Notice. The Ellwood lands are posted according to law. Hunting and fishing absolutely not allowed. Better take notice in time. Trespassers are warned to stay out.—O. F. Jones, Manager. tfe

WANTED MAIZE WANTED

Will buy any part or all of 100 tons of Maize for cash. Colorado Produce Co., Phone 395. tfe

WANTED—All kinds of automobile spring work, guaranteed. W. B. Hipp, located back of Auto Laundry. 4-22p

FOUND

FOUND—Found in East Colorado, a man's black fur lined overcoat. It's here at the office at a cost of 75c. Come and get it. 1tp

LOST

LOST—1 black Hang Bag, 1 brown Bag, 1 Box, off Bus, March 24, between Westbrook and Colorado. Return to Henry Lewis, Colorado, and receive reward. 1tp

LOST—Solid oak chair with blue leather upholstery, last Wednesday night in north part of Stanton. If found please return to Everett Stagner at Ford Station. 1tp

STRAYED—Two ponies, one black, nine years old, with wire mark under breast; one sorrel, two years old with white spot in forehead, and sore front foot when last seen. Will pay five dollars for information. J. A. Johnson, Westbrook, Texas. 4-15p

MISCELLANEOUS

FARMERS' ATTENTION! Good seasoned oak for everters and double-trees at ROCKWELL BROS. & CO.

BLAME NO ONE but yourself! If your baby chicks die, it is probably the result of improper feeding. Don't experiment with different cheap feeds. It's costly in the long run. Save your chicks by feeding Purina Chick "Startena"—the cod liver oil vitamin and buttermilk feed sold only in checkerboard bags. We guarantee it to be the best. Sold at J. M. LOGAN & SONS The Checkerboard Store We Deliver—Phone 373. 4-8c

CHRONIC CONSTIPATION

This is an ailment which you should correct at once. Every day a failure and quickly self poison overpowers a healthy body. Iodinal (iodized petroleum oil) will relieve any case of constipation by lubricating and stimulating the intestinal tract. Not a medicine but a lubricant.

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LORAINI 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 Whalley Printing Company in Loraine and vicinity. See her and take your County paper

Mr. W. M. Mahoney and sister, Mrs. Emma Leggett, were called to the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Dora Hunter, who died in Roscoe Saturday afternoon at 5:10, following a lingering illness from which she had been confined to her room for the past five months. Mrs. Hunter was 41 years, 8 months and 5 days of age, was the wife of A. J. Hunter of Near Roscoe, and was a daughter of the late John Mahoney and wife, who were pioneer citizens of the Lone Wolf community where she was reared to womanhood and will be remembered by many old-time acquaintances and friends as the "Sunshine" correspondent for The Record from that place several years ago.

The revival meeting at the Methodist church began Sunday, services conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. B. Annis. The meetings are very well attended, with an increasing interest. Services daily at 10 a. m., and 8 p. m., April 3 to 17.

Mrs. Clyde Wilson, Mrs. Coon, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Taaff, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pratt attended the W. M. U. Workers' conference at Roscoe, Tuesday.

Mrs. Irl Zellner and daughter, Emma Louise, left Tuesday night to visit relatives in Mexico.

The result of the school election Saturday was in favor of Thomas Riden, J. M. Bruce, J. B. Mahon, and A. R. Edwards.

Report of the city election Tuesday night was the re-election of G. W. Hendrick, mayor; Aldermen H. J. Askins, C. E. Green re-elected, and Earl F. Williams. Mr. J. C. Jackson was elected city marshal.

Mr. J. R. Coon reports 377 scholars for the year 1927-28, and inquires if any scholastic has been overlooked to please notify him between now and the first of August.

Mr. C. J. Marvin and son, Marvin, left Tuesday for Kemp to visit Mr. Martin's father, whom they expect to return home with them.

Tax Assessor Roy Warren was in Loraine on business, Tuesday.

Messrs. J. L. Bird and S. W. Altman have returned from a business trip to Kermet, Pecos and Midland. Mrs. Floyd Riehey is visiting in Bronte.

Postmaster Phillips and wife attended to business in Swetwaeter the first of the week.

Messrs. J. L. Bird, J. L. Meadow, S. M. Hallmark, W. H. Hallmark, W. M. Mahoney and O. Ohlenbusch will attend the ginners' convention at Dallas this week.

Mr. Ernest Hines of Sweetwater was a Loraine visitor Tuesday.

Miss Willie Richburg, Alma Garrett, Orbie and Homer Richburg and Harold Hallmark visited in the J. A. Bryant home at Mereta, Sunday.

Mr. Wesley Edmondson and Mr. Roy Arige of Roscoe are spending a few days' visit in South Texas.

Misses Ora Coon, Ivy Crutcher and Mary Miller spent the week-end at home from Simmons University.

Mr. Henry Taylor, who is attending Draughon's Business college at Abilene, was here for the week-end to visit his brother, Dexter, who is reported recovering nicely from an appendicitis operation last week.

Misses Ethry Dean and Lola Coffey returned to Abilene Tuesday for the spring term at A. C. C.

Mrs. Allie M. Erwin and Miss Iophine Toler, who formerly lived here, were visitors from Abilene Sunday.

Messrs. Joe Bennett, Roy Laird, Will Rowland and J. Riehey are fishing on the Concho this week.

Messrs. D. McCollum, Thomas Riden, W. D. McAdams, Rev. Hardin, J. A. Land and their families completed a fishing party from here to the Concho river this week.

Rev. J. I. Britton of Plainview is visiting relatives here, in the W. H. Tartt home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and sons of Bronte visited with relatives and friends here Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Winstead were guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. M. Allen, and family of Snyder, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Manly were guests in the Frank Johnson home at Abilene, Sunday.

Mrs. Kenner Kuykendall is spending a few days' visit in Roscoe.

The board of school trustees met Tuesday night and reorganized.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rowland visited in Fort Worth and Dallas the first of this week.

Fred Spoer and family of Strawn spent last week with Colorado and Loraine relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. H. Thomas has returned from a visit to Roby.

Mr. W. C. Farrar and family are enjoying the visit of Mr. Farrar's mother and sister, who reside at Stephenville.

Mrs. Ben Sanders and son, Troy, of Midland were the guests of Mrs. Zora Dean and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baird visited Mrs. Baird's parents at Merkel, Sunday.

Mr. Fred Isom of the Loraine Mercantile Co., is spending a few days in Hermleigh.

Mr. A. Cardwell was a Loraine visitor, Tuesday.

Mr. W. M. Burke and family of Clyde, are visiting Mrs. S. E. Clement and family.

The Loraine Study club met last week with Mrs. Annis. Mrs. Edwards led the lesson on Glacier National Park. Mrs. Chas. Coffey gave a short history of the park, as did also Mrs. R. E. Bennett. The club was favored with special piano selections by Mrs. Arbie Martin, after which the hostess served delicious salad, crackers, cakes and tea. The next meeting of the club will be April 13th, with Mrs. Arlie Martin.

The Baptist Missionary society met with Mrs. C. L. Tate on Monday afternoon. This was "Grandmother's Day" and as each grandmother entered a flower was pinned on her. Mrs. Coon read the devotional, Mrs. Hallman read "The Grandmother of America," Mrs. Ritchie, "The Grandmother of India," Mrs. Norman "The Grandmother of China," and Mrs. R. E. Bennett, "The Grandmother of America," and concluded her piece with a poem by James Whitcomb Riley. The grandmothers then sang one of their favorite songs, and Mrs. Jarrett led a special prayer. Miss Ouida Tate gave some special music, while the hostess served cream and cake to about twenty guests.

Mr. Fred York and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hightower, was destroyed by fire Thursday of last week. Their many friends sympathize with them in this great loss, as they did not save anything.

Rev. Johnson filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Saturday night and Sunday and had a large attendance.

O. A. Ruffin of Chalk was visiting in our community Saturday night. Rev. Johnson and daughter, Laura J., visited in the W. O. Jackson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor visited Mrs. Taylor's mother of Knott Sunday.

LANDAU ATTENDS MEET OF DRY GOODS MEN

Louis Landau, manager of West Texas Dry Goods company, which owns the Colorado Bargain House and a large store at Midland, attended the meeting of the Texas Retail

Executive Board

Boy Scouts Meet Here Friday Night

The executive board of the Buffalo Trails Council, Boy Scouts, will meet in Colorado Friday night, and will have a dinner at the Hotel Colorado, according to announcement of Rev. W. M. Elliott, president of the council, who will preside at the meeting. Each of the four counties represented in the council will have delegates present, he said.

Baseball Squad Be Organized Here Bob Cooper Says

Bob Cooper, local blacksmith, is endeavoring to organize a town baseball squad for this season and says he is meeting with much encouragement. Howard Rogers, Ray Womack, Walter Whipkey, Paul Cooper, Bob Cooper, and several other good ball players have indicated they would go into the nine. Of course, no professional ball will be played, yet matched games will be had. Those interested should see Bob Cooper.

PIGS WANTED

Twenty Poland Chino, two-months old Pigs for Mitchell County Club boys. See W. S. Foster at Chamber of Commerce office.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Chester of Nashville, Tenn., are visiting their son, A. E. Chester, manager of the Chalk field for Magnolia company. Dr. Chester will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Remington Portable Typewriter, standard keyboard, will do everything the big machine will do. Sold by the Record office on a credit. See the machine.

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New For Easter

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We give 500 votes on every dollar paid us, from April 5th to April 25th on account. Pay your bills before April 25th and give your votes to your friends

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WE GIVE COLORADO TRADING STAMPS

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New Hope Items

MAEDELLE LATTY, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Hisler and family of Snyder visited their daughter, Mrs. Dick Hardy, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Latty visited relatives at Knott Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Sam O'Neal has as her guest this week Mrs. C. A. Martin of Eastland.

Mrs. Kelley Blaylock has been confined to her bed for several days with the flu.

Taft Morris of Colorado spent the week-end with home folks.

The Westfall place, occupied by

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Let us suggest that you buy your groceries, gas and oil at the Riverside Filling Station. "Service That Smiles at Trials, M. A. Geddes, if By the Sunflower girl, "What's the Use of Crying." "She's a Corned Indiana Girl." Colorado Music Co. Mrs. White of Jayton visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Kiker, Saturday and Sunday. She was accompanied by Miss Saunders of Jayton. Rube Hart is now in the oil business with the Simms Company. See him for oil and gas. Come to McMurry's to get your Easter Goods. Mrs. Walter Stoneham and daughters and Mrs. Jeff Hobbs and daughter, spent Sunday in Lamesa, the guest of Mrs. Hobbs' mother, Mrs. Melver. Rube Hart has the Simms Oil company agency and can sell you the best of gas and oil. See him or phone him and he will deliver. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and Mrs. Ed Jones, Jr., spent Sunday in Abilene. Rube Hart is now in the oil business with the Simms Company. See him for oil and gas. Everybody is talking about Elmer Gantry by Sinclair Lewis. We have it. Jno. L. Doss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Payne of Dallas were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones last week. We will give 500 votes to the dollar on all Millinery sold for cash in next ten days. Come in and give votes to your friend. Give her this wonderful trip. MRS. B. F. MILLS. Mrs. Ledger Smith has returned from Dallas, where she went for medical treatment. Call me for good Coal Oil in 50 gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler. Call Bedford's Grocery for groceries and quick service. Phone 129. First class Plumbing and Plumbing Repair work at R. B. Terrell. Mrs. Bill Jones of Blackwell visited the family of her son Otto, the first of the week. 500 Votes on each \$1.00 paid on account, April 5th to 25th, 4-22c STAR CASH GROCERY. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Johnson have moved to Big Spring, where Mr. Johnson has charge of the Berry-Feel lumber yard. BLAME NO ONE but yourself! If your baby chicks die, it is probably the result of improper feeding. Don't experiment with different cheap feeds. It is costly in the long run. Save your chicks by feeding Purina Chick "Startena"—the cod liver oil vitamin and buttermilk feed sold only in checkerboard bags. We guarantee it to be the best. Sold at D. M. LOGAN & SONS The Checkerboard Store We Deliver—Phone 373. Noel Everat of Valentine visited his niece, Mrs. Otto Jones, the first of the week. Trade where prompt service and quality merchandise await your coming. Riverside Filling Station, groceries, gas, oil, accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Walter King and the children spent Sunday in Big Spring with relatives. First class Plumbing and Plumbing—Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler. McMurry has a new supply of Stamp Patterns. J. Ralph Lee and A. C. Connell went to Childress Wednesday on business and will return last of the week. See Rube Hart at the Simms Agency for oil and gas. There is a higher priced Auto Oil but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinton of Valley View are the proud parents of a fine boy born on March 25. Rube Hart is now in the oil business with the Simms Company. See him for oil and gas. Mrs. C. P. Gary is visiting in Dallas but will return to Colorado this week-end.

Miss Johnny Smith and Elton Haywood of Longworth spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Grantland. We carry the very latest in Books. JNO. L. DOSS. Bulk Garden Seed are Cheaper. Big assortment. J. RIORDAN CO. A minor operation was performed on the two-year-old child of Mr. H. W. Cupp at the Colorado Sanitarium Tuesday, and the child is recovering rapidly. Country Club Hose at MRS. B. F. MILLS. See our table of light hardware for bargains. At McMurray's. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Terry of Westbrook are proud parents of a fine girl born at the Colorado Sanitarium April 1, and christened Mary Nell. Mrs. Terry and the babe are still at the sanitarium. Adding Machine paper. Record. 500 Votes on each \$1.00 paid on account, April 5th to 25th, 4-22c STAR CASH GROCERY. Mrs. Doc Baker, east of town, stepped on a nail Tuesday and has suffered considerably from injury to her foot. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Noblock left Tuesday night for California to spend vacation. Mr. Noblock is with the California Company and has been in Colorado for about three years. See Rube Hart at the Simms Agency for oil and gas. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones and family spent the week-end in Rule with relatives. Just received a shipment of "Chic-tite Fence" at Rockwell Bros. & Co. See Rube Hart for the best gas and oil. Now sole owner of the Simms agency in Colorado. Mrs. Otto Jones and the girls went to the Spade ranch for the week-end. Pocket Knives a specialty at McMURRY'S. Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler. John Helton and J. P. White have gone to Amarillo to work for Hamlett & Mitchell in their candy business. Beautiful Pattern Hats at MRS. B. F. MILLS. Mrs. H. B. Broadus went over to Sweetwater Thursday, to confer with Mrs. John Perry about her candidacy for president of the Sixth district. Mrs. Broadus was accompanied by Mrs. Merritt and Mrs. Thompson. Beautiful new Easter Dresses at MRS. B. F. MILLS.

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler. Judge Millwee, who has been attending court in Sweetwater, spent Sunday at home. FARMERS, ATTENTION! Good seasoned oak for evertens and double-trees at ROCKWELL BROS. & CO. Call me for good coal oil in five gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler. Dr. W. M. Cooper reports that Mrs. Cooper, who has been in El Paso for her health for some time, is getting along fine and is recovering rapidly. Try us for any book. JNO. L. DOSS. Find and Fancy Stationery at the Record office, about half price. FISHING TACKLE! Everything for your outing. J. RIORDAN CO. E. H. Hamlett writes from Amarillo to have his Record sent there. He is now in the wholesale business there with the Hamlett-Mitchell Co., having left here about the 20th of March. 500 Votes on each \$1.00 paid on account, April 5th to 25th, 4-22c STAR CASH GROCERY. Sheet Music—"Rags," "What's the Use of Crying," "Little White House." Colorado Music Co. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Grantland visited their son, Emmett, who is a student at Texas Tech at Lubbock, last Sunday and were also guests in the home of Mrs. Grantland's aunt, Mrs. P. F. Duan of Lubbock. Trade with Sam Bedford Grocery this month and save money. Free delivery. McMurry is still agent for Avery implements. Phone R. B. Terrell for your Plumbing troubles. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Martin and son and Mrs. Brooks of Abilene visited in the home of Mother Martin, Sunday. Fresh Vegetables, if they are in the city, can be had at Bedford's Grocery. Phone 129. Ask to near No. 760D, Columbia record. Colorado Music Co. Mrs. I. C. Dunbar has returned to Lubbock after a visit with Mrs. John Doss. Dr. O. E. Wolfe, Veterinarian of Big Spring, Texas, will be in Colorado, Monday, April 11, to test Dairy Cows for tuberculosis. For further information see Dr. W. M. Cooper. Mrs. Lillian Phoenix is visiting with friends in Abilene. Bedford's Grocery always handles the very best and always tries to please. If you want the best and quick service, Phone 129. FARMERS, ATTENTION! Good seasoned oak for evertens and double-trees at ROCKWELL BROS. & CO. Leonard Simon of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. Anna Simon, last week. Watch our windows for late books. JNO. L. DOSS. There is higher priced Auto Oil but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages. You can buy three loaves of bread for 25c at TERRY'S MARKET. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doss, Sr., have returned from Marshall, where they visited their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Motley. WANTED—Will pay 5c a pound for clean Cotton Rags at RECORD OFFICE Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler. Mr. and Mrs. Champ Carter and daughter of Silver City, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Carter.

Windmills and Windmill Repairs at R. B. Terrell. Diversify. Plant some Broom Corn Seed. J. RIORDAN CO. 500 Votes on each \$1.00 paid on account, April 5th to 25th, 4-22c STAR CASH GROCERY. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot left this week for Alabama. They were accompanied by Mrs. H. B. Smoot to Dallas, where she will visit relatives. Advertise in the Colorado Record and get results. See Rube Hart at the Simms Agency for oil and gas. Rubber Stamp Pads. Record office. Rube Hart has the Simms Oil company agency and can sell you the best of gas and oil. See him or phone him and he will deliver. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox were called out of town Wednesday because of the serious illness of Mr. Cox's father. Have you read "The Magic Garden," by Gene Stratton-Porter? We have it. JNO. L. DOSS. Easter cards and novelties. J. RIORDAN CO. Phone R. B. Terrell for your Plumbing troubles. Mrs. Soper and Mrs. J. B. Pritchett returned Wednesday from Monahan, where they visited relatives. Windmills and Windmill repairs at R. B. Terrell. See Rube Hart for the best gas and oil. Now sole owner of the Simms agency in Colorado. RAINFALL TOTALS ALMOST HALF INCH WEDNESDAY A total of forty hundredths of an inch rainfall was registered at Colorado Wednesday night, and reports from the north and western part of the country say the rainfall was heavier in that section. Reports also say a heavy rain was registered at Snyder and Hernalleigh. "SKETCHES OF NONSENSE" (By the Author Himself) Some folks think clothes equal brains. If this be so, they should wear overcoats the year around. Try to be satisfied if your lot in life is as hard as a brick; for bricks are good paving material. How wonderful is the auto. Many a poor sap's thought have moved faster than they would have had it not been for the auto. How small is a dime, yet some people's dimes purchase more than some dollars. The dunce stool is out of date; a good thing. Considering the way some people act when enthroned behind a steering wheel, there's not be wood enough to make dunce stools to go around for all. Swallow your anger for it might swallow you. When you meet a fellow you know say, "Good morning, Mr. So and So." Don't merely grunt—a hog can grunt. Try that once and see how good you'll feel all day over it. Try smiling at friend wife, if she hurls a flat iron at you for it, just duck it and laugh out loud. Try it several times she will finally get over throwing things at you. The only place to wear a frock is before the mirror. The only place to give a catalogue of your troubles is down in a cellar, then whisper 'em. Most of us are bargain hunters and yet we worry, which is nothing else but paying out and getting no returns. Look for the bright side of everything, even the gourd vine might have smelled worse; for the scent of the cocklebur and onion might have been added to it. He that sleeps not at night will sleep on the job; he that sleeps on the job will surely hunt another one. If you try to pan one of your pet yarns off as true, don't get angry if someone fails to swallow it as true. Be wise, but don't act all wise; to do so is to act the dunce. It has been said, "Strike while the iron is hot." Some of us need to practice striking while it is heating. Thankfulness proceeds from the heart, not from the mouth. It has been said, "Politeness is only a veneer." If that be so, I wish some people would please purchase

em a can. Politeness isn't learned from books; it comes from being polite, which is being kind in the kindest way. Great men have simple ways; simple men have "great" ways. "Cheer up for the worst is yet to come," say some; cheer up for the worst may never come, it better. Think wholesome thoughts or none, don't make a garbage can out of your mind. Don't put on "airs," for he that puts on "airs" shall surely come to grief. Charge many items to the experience side of the ledger of life; that is, do not worry about them again. If you lose money, laugh. If you lose time, you should weep. Don't worry if the world bumps you around pretty rough. A billiard ball gets bumped about until it finds the right pocket and there it remains until the end of the game. Take a lesson from the sailors. You cannot change the wind, so set your sails. If you wish to win in the race of life do not be in too big a hurry, but do drop that load of worry, and please replace that frown with a smile even though it be a pale one. It is better to be suspicious twice and mistaken both times than led into a trap just once. Talk lots if you must, but say little. I hear laughing is now being considered as vulgar, if it be so that is a brand of vulgarity that needs cultivation. "Know thyself" is fine, but a good way to learn of ourselves is to be alone with our thoughts sometimes. Mother, Home and Heaven are the three greatest words in our language. You can not increase this list much without adding friends. SO LONG. OH, LOVELY CARNATION By Travis Elizabeth Donald Carnation, sweet carnation, The sweetest flower of all the nation; Tints of pink and white and red, As I view my carnation bed. Carnation, sweet carnation, The sweetest flower of all for me, Without thee, sweet carnation, What a dreary place this old world would be. Carnation, sweet carnation, If I were as sweet as you, I'd sleep beneath the moonlight And sparkle with the dew. Carnation, sweet carnation, With a world-wide reputation, I hope that you will stay and stay For the other generation. NOTICE I have bought out Q. D. Hall again and to those who were buying milk from him I will be glad to furnish them in milk. Satisfaction guaranteed. I now have plenty of sweet milk, butter and butter milk. Phone 9050, or see me. A. D. PRIDDY & SON. THE FROCK SHOPPE. The Edwards Frock Shoppe is now upstairs at the Bedford Grocery, in charge of Mrs. Sam Bedford. We have the Hemstitching Machine and we cover buttons, neatly and quickly. Fully equipped to give good service. The ladies are invited to call and see. 4-15c MRS. S. H. BEDFORD. FOR SALE I have for sale one Grocery Self-Counting Scale, one Grocery Counter and one Show Case and one Grocery Show Counter—all in good condition and at greatly reduced prices. SEE TERRY AT PULLMAN CAFE COLA-MINT A NEW LIQUID FOR COLDS AND FLU GIVES PROMPT RELIEF SOLD AT ALL DRUG STORES

Twenty per cent reduction on all Hats sold for cash in next ten days. MRS. B. F. MILLS. Waste-Paper Baskets. Record. Electric Welding The Colorado Boiler and Welding Works has installed a new Arc Electric Welding machine and is equipped to do all kinds of welding. ALL WORK STRICTLY GUARANTEED ANY JOB, LARGE OR SMALL, WILL RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION GO ANYWHERE, ANY TIME AND FINISH JOB PHONE 379 WALTER KING COLORADO BOILER & WELDING WORKS Colorado, Texas REA & LEWIS BUS LINE WEST EAST 11:00 A. M. 11:00 A. M. 2:30 P. M. 2:30 P. M. 6:30 P. M. 6:30 P. M. Direct Connection Made at BIG SPRING and SWEETWATER Depot: COLORADO HOTEL Phone 107 ABSTRACTS Your Abstract Work Solicited W. S. STONEHAM Located in Court House Are You Going to Build? If you need money to finance the building of a residence or business building I have plenty of money to lend on easy payment plan at a reasonable rate. J. A. Buchanan INSURANCE REAL ESTATE

EASTER, APRIL 17

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COLORADO CARPENTER'S UNION GIVES \$100.00 TO RECORD CEMETERY FUND

Largest Amount Yet Given By One Organization; Officers Praise Movement

The Colorado Carpenter's Union No. 1294 has given a check for \$100 to the Record Cemetery fund, Sam Armstrong, the treasurer, leaving the check at this office Tuesday afternoon.

This is by far the largest contribution to the fund by any one individual or organization. The next largest contribution was for \$25.00. The California company, Col-Tex refinery, Farmers Gin company, John Guitier, Williams Morgan Gin company and Jones & Russell Co., each gave \$25 to the fund. This very substantial contribution from the carpenters union of Colorado is highly appreciated, and we can say that the donation is most commendable on the part of the organization.

The officers of the local carpenter's union are: Dick Sparks, president; Sam Armstrong, treasurer; H. C. Hicks, financial secretary. Although this union has been organized in Colorado for only a short time, practically all the carpenters of this section are members, and they now have one of the strongest organizations in the West. Certainly there is no organization that is more public spirited and that takes a greater interest in civic development and growth than this union, and we take this opportunity to commend the union carpenters to any one who needs or will need the services of one or more carpenters. They will give you an honest day's work for a day's pay and it is a known fact that union carpenters are considered the most competent in any kind of construction work. When it comes to difficult jobs and jobs of high class finish a union carpenter is almost always required.

If these union carpenters give their time and effort as liberally in

Colorado Boy On Staff Tech College Paper

Clarence Grable, a student in the school of agriculture at Texas Tech, served as associate editor on the Agriculture edition of The Tornado, official publication of the college. His efforts, among others, produced a most creditable paper.

Grable not only is making a fine scholastic record but is a favorite reader at social gatherings, having been mentioned several times in the society columns of Lubbock Avalanche. This Colorado man during his Senior year at Colorado high school, studied expression under Miss Lucile Blume. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Grable.

Mrs. H. B. Broadus, president, Mrs. C. C. Thompson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. J. G. Merritt of the Sixth District Federation of Women's Clubs of Colorado, were guests in the home of Mrs. John Perry on Thursday evening.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Mrs. W. Mitchell returned Friday from Amarillo.

working for the usual wages as they have given their funds to the cemetery fund, it would most certainly pay any builder to jump at a chance to hire them. A comparison of that kind of course is not in order, yet, we use the same to emphasize the large and substantial gift these loyal citizens have given the Colorado cemetery fund. The Record takes this method to thank them for the donation and we believe every citizen of the county will feel grateful to this organization for the contribution.

The Record believes in cooperation among local citizens in working for the upbuilding of this city and county, and the carpenters' union is deserving of cooperation of the public, as many other organizations are also, and we bespeak for them the good will of the public. It is through this kind of public interest that we put over all our movements for betterment of the community.

FRANK KELLEY IS APPOINTED MEMBER OF SCHOOL BOARD

Finally Consents to Sacrifice Time To Work Upon Solicitation

After friends and members of the school board had insisted that Frank Kelley accept appointment as member of the school board, he finally consented to take the place even though it may mean quite a sacrifice of time on his part. He recently announced that he could not serve because his business would not allow the time necessary, but after members of the board and several citizens had insisted on him taking the place he consented and the board met Friday afternoon and appointed Kelley to fill a vacancy on the board caused by resignation of Jack Smith several weeks ago.

Kelley accepted the appointment and stated he would make every effort to give the required time to the work. Since Kelley is a former teacher, and a former naval official who was stationed at Columbia University for some time preparing a course for the naval educational course, he is well qualified to serve on the board here, and his friends are glad he has finally consented to sacrifice his time for benefit of the Colorado schools.

STATE TO PAY SCHOOL FUND ON APRIL 10

AUSTIN, April 2.—Payment of \$2 per capita on the \$14 annual apportionment of the available school fund will be made by the State Board of Education on April 10, it was announced by Prof. S. M. N. Marrs, State superintendent of public instruction.

This will make \$11 per capita so far paid to each of the 1,340,000 scholars in the State. The board plans another \$2 per capita allotment on May 10, and the remaining \$1 is expected to be paid before the end of this scholastic year, Marrs said.

Colorado Co-Eds Popular At Tech College

Grace Hunter and Kate Bean, Tech students and members of the Sin Cuidada club, were in a very beautiful act given by their club in the second annual All-College Frolic given at the Lubbock high school auditorium last Thursday night. They played the role of Gypsy maids in a camp of the wandering tribe. These young ladies are active Y. W. C. A. workers. In fact, Miss Bean is secretary of that college girls' organization, a position of great honor and importance. Both are popular co-eds on the campus. They were members of last year's graduation class here. Mrs. J. P. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bean are the respective parents of these Colorado students.

CAPT. H. P. SLAGEL APPEALS TO YOUNG MEN ATTEND TRAINING CAMP

Says Thirty Days Spent At Government Camp Would Mean Much

Capt. H. P. Slagel is urging Mitchell county young men to attend the Citizen's Military Training camps maintained by the Federal government and is accepting applications for attendance at these summer camps. A campaign is on to secure 4,000 applications for the summer camp, Slagel says. The camps are for thirty days at the following places:

Camp Stephen D. Little, Nogales, Arizona, Aug. 2 to Aug. 31.

Fort Logan, Denver, Colo., June 21 to July 20.

Fort Sill, Lawton, Okla., July 6 to Aug. 4.

Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas, July 21 to Aug. 19.

Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, June 15 to July 14.

Fort Crockett, Galveston, Texas, June 15 to July 14.

In speaking of these camps, Capt. Slagel said:

"Acceptable young men from Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, comprising the Eighth Corps Area, will be given camp life, supervised physical exercise and sports and training in morals and American citizenship at government expense.

"Transportation, camp facilities, food, clothing, medical examinations and attendance and services of instructor personnel cannot be duplicated by private enterprise for less than several hundred dollars for each member of camp and is an offer, as a pure business proposition, unequalled by any government at any time.

"Boys and young men need, after a long year of study or work, recreation by means of a whole month's outdoor life. C. M. T. Camps furnish this, combining training and physical exercise with recreation.

"Athletic sports are featured as developing true sportsmanship, instructor in morals and citizenship completes the objective, which is to help develop, morally, physically and mentally, 100 per cent Americans.

"Minds and circles of friends are broadened, friendships formed that may last through life and be of great personal benefit.

"No present or future military obligation is required for attendance at camps. For the purposes of furnishing instructors, equipment and supplies, these camps are operated under the provisions of a section of the National Defense act.

"Their primary mission is to build up the manhood of the nation, on which, in a national emergency, the preservation of our institutions will rest.

"First come, first served, is the policy in accepting applications. Application blanks with full information, are to be had, in each county from the county chairman and local agencies.

"Qualifications: Basic (1st year) course, young men from 17 to 24 years of age, physically sound and of good moral character; generally assigned to camp nearest home, although other provision may be made at small expense. Vaccination and inoculation required before arrival in camp.

"Red, White and Blue students will be ordered to camps when completion of courses may be made.

"Only one vaccination and inoculation is required during the entire four years' course.

"Many applications, saying 'Count Me to Come,' have been received and preparations are being made for their acceptance. As 4000 or more applications will be necessary from which to accept the husky, lucky ones for the camps, let's go!"

PLANTING STARTS IN COUNTY; OUTLOOK FOR CROP IS GOOD

Some Fields Are Dry, Yet Planting Now Will Get Good Stand

Planting of feed such as maize, kafir, feterita, Indian corn and sorghum has started in Mitchell county, according to reports from most every section of the county, and conditions are very favorable for a bumper crop this year, farmers say.

Although farmers were late getting their land plowed, most of the land in this county is ready for planting and is in fair condition. Some of the tight land is getting dry, reports say, and will have to have rain before a good stand can be secured. Some of this land that was not plowed early is now too dry for plowing and farmers will have to await moisture to properly put this land up for planting.

Considerable small grain is sown in different sections of the county and this is up to good stand and growing off rapidly. While no commercial wheat is grown in this county, many farmers are practicing a full and complete plan of diversification which calls for the growth of enough wheat and oats and other grains for their own use, therefore many small fields of these are to be seen in different sections of the county.

Reports indicate there will be no cut in the cotton acreage in this county, although there will be more of other crops grown. Several hundred acres of new land is being put in which will increase the feed and food crops in the county. It is barely possible that a small reduction in cotton acreage will be made. Many thousands of dollars worth of garden truck and canned goods will be put up in this county this year, according to Mrs. Lee Jones, president of the County Federation, who has conducted a co-operative market for the sale of the products of the farms of the county. She reports a very unusual sale for the Mitchell county canned peas, canned chicken and fresh roasting ears, which are being canned in

Daughter of H. A. Loving Passes Away Friday

Dorothy, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Loving, died at their home near the old city water-works early Friday morning, April 7, and was buried at the I. O. O. F. cemetery Friday afternoon, Rev. J. D. Harvey, pastor of the Church of Christ, conducting the services.

The child had been sick of heart trouble for about one year and had suffered intense pain at times. Even though she was very ill for a week before her death, she was very kind and considerate of those who nursed her.

The floral offering was profuse, showing the high esteem in which the child and her parents are held.

Besides her father and mother, the child is survived by five brothers and sisters, and several other relatives.

The Record joins other friends in expressing sympathy for the bereaved relatives.

CLY BROADUS HAS PATENT ON LEDGER

Cly Broadus, member of the firm of H. B. Broadus & Son, grocers, has patented a loose-leaf ledger that is said to be a very great improvement over the old system of book-keeping. The arrangement of the stub and the leaflet ruling is very convenient. Broadus is selling the leaves in large quantities, and the Whipkey Printing company is doing the imprinting for him. The system is becoming popular throughout the county.

D. N. Arnett returned Saturday from a business trip to Lamesa and Lubbock.

commercial quantities by the club women of this county on a uniform standard of quality.

The county has many thousands of head of domestic fowls, hogs and cattle above that of last year and with the present outlook for 1927 crops, this county is optimistic regarding the future.

METHODIST WOMEN OF SWEETWATER DISTRICT MEET HERE WEDNESDAY

Attendance is Expected From All Towns; Luncheon Be Served At Church

Mrs. P. G. Dabney, district secretary of the Sweetwater district of the Methodist Conference, will hold an all-day meeting of the district at the Methodist church in Colorado next Wednesday.

Women are expected from Sweetwater, Snyder, Big Spring, Stanton, Coahoma, Hamlin, Rotan, Roby, Lorraine and other points.

The morning service will consist of reports from the various missionary societies. Rev. M. M. Beavers will give the noon Bible study. The adult and the workers' missionaries societies will serve a noon lunch.

In the afternoon group meetings on young people's, children's and social service work will be conducted by the heads of these departments, Mrs. J. E. McCleary, Mrs. W. H. Garrett and Mrs. J. G. Merritt. Every officer of every auxiliary is asked to be present and should they all come there will be more than a hundred present.

The local Methodist women are arranging some special music and preparing for a profitable day.

MR. AND MRS. W. L. DOSS BACK FROM EASTERN TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doss returned Sunday night from Waco, Marshall, Fort Worth and other points where they visited. They attended Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges at Waco, where they report a great convention and a splendid time. They went from there to Marshall, where they visited their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Motley. Returning to Fort Worth they visited Mrs. Doss' relatives there and at Aledo and Weatherford. They were gone about two weeks and report a very splendid trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Majors and Judge Coe left Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Mary Coe.

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Glories Of Texas Climate Told Northern RESOURCES ARE WORTH INESTIMABLE BILLIONS Men By One Who Traveled Sunny Miles

By WELLINGTON BRINK
When my brother in Cleveland is separated from his garage by snow five feet deep, I'm covering hundreds of sunny Texas miles in my car, coatless and carefree.
When my brother in Minneapolis is keeping the furnace roaring, I'm working at my desk beside an open window.

Back of the awe-inspiring buildings of the Lone Star State, above the marvellously productive soils, round about this industrious race of developers called Texans, is a resource that is worth inestimable billions.
Where is the financier, where is the statistician, where is the economist, where is the census bureau that can compute the value of the

comparable Texas climate? Frequently, and truly, it is said that America owes a large part of her unparalleled prosperity to the motorcar. "Good times" in the United States goes about on rubber tires. Industry and agriculture ride in automobiles and are happy.

Winter Outstays Welcome
But up yonder where the frost nips, ears freeze, ice forms thick, snow falls, toes numb, and the days are cloudy and damp and the winter outstays its welcome—up in the polar region of New York and Ohio and Michigan and Indiana—a good car goes wrong in its own garage. Tires deteriorate from sheer exhaustion while waiting to work. Batteries give up the ghost in futile attempt to turn stiff and stubborn motors. About five thousand a year is the average mileage of one of these unfortunate cars operating under winter handicaps. Look on the other hand, at the antics of the frolicsome Texas automobile, which makes 9000 or more miles every 12 months. And such miles and such cars as they are, Texas cars are strict Voltsteadians—they require little or no alcohol.

A Texas law requires a muffler for every little roadster, every fat limousine, but not out of fear of colds or pneumonia. No, indeed; the muffler is for the purpose of suppressing the natural whoops of happiness coming of good roads, perfect weather, a cloudless blue sky, gorgeous sunshine and roadside flowers and songsters.

Prosperity's Partner
Texas is no exception to the automobile and prosperity partnership. Here, indeed, the partnership never goes into hibernation, never suspends, never dissolves for a season. All the year long pleasure cars and business motors, trucks and buses, chug and whir and honk and whiz. Gasoline flows in at one end and dollars pour out at the other. More than a million licensed vehicles coin their quotas of wealth 365 days in the year with greater regularity than the United States mint. It is the advantage that Texas climate gives to honest working cars that is largely responsible for this state passing so many of its contemporaries on the road to industrial, agricultural and trade supremacy.

In other respects that automobiles Texas temperatures read by dollars as well as by degrees. The laboring man has work the year round. There is no cessation of building projects because of excessive cold. There is no discomfort for the outdoor worker. Fuel and clothing costs are sliced in two. Fewer calories per day are required to keep the human body functioning.

At this point we collide briskly with the health factor of the wonderful Texas climate. Instead of seven, eight or nine months of fresh air and sunshine, Texans enjoy a full year of purest ozone. New babies, young children, people of every age, drink in the crisp, zestful, invigorating Texas oxygen 364 days between birthday cakes and sponge up ultraviolet rays with prodigious freedom. There is no confinement behind storm windows, no shivery hugging of stoves. In Texas Old Sol paints his landscape golden and Jack Frost is a rare intruder on the canvas. The youngster crop has a long growing season, and children make all outdoors their regular nursery. Doctor bills are given a knockout blow by the best M. D. ever known, the smiling Texas climate.

Peppy Vitamine Family
One of the reasons for the viciousness of the wallop handed ordinary practitioners is the vitamine family. This vitamine family is a peppy bunch in Texas, for it romps among fresh vegetables, juicy fruits and rich milk. Texas pastures are always green. That is why Texas cows are so comparatively free from tuberculosis and other diseases propagated in winter-closed barns of many sections of the United States.

Spot a Texas lassie and sing the words of the old song, "Mary, Mary, quite contrary, how does your garden grow?" and she is sure to trill back

the cheerful answer, "Very, very well, sir." For in Texas the garden season numbers four, with no intermission between.
Chock-full of vitamins, it is perhaps natural that the he-males and the she-males should feel an impulse to punch somebody, or something, a terrific and joyous punch. The victim more often than not is a luckless golf ball.

Of late years exposure to the incomparable Texas climate has caused an extensive breaking out of golf links. All over this vast state, from Texarkana to El Paso, clubhouses have popped up, and the click of driver on pellet has become like the rapid ticking of an alarm clock. This rapid ticking, or clicking, is calling thousands of potential rheumatics to the fairways at five in the morning. It is saving countless scores from the fate of an innocuous desuetude.

No "Mean" Temperature
It is rumored that certain other states, statistically minded are given to talking about their "mean" temperatures. Texas, thank goodness, has no "mean" temperatures. For the most part she is distinctly sweet-tempered and sweet-temperated. Her ups and downs are comfortable flights. There are a good many steps between the high and lows of the Grande valley, just as Texas altitudes vary by thousands of feet. Every Texan to his own taste, with temperatures as with soils and rainfall and topography. Texas is lavish in the variety of its blessings.

If you want an average January temperature of 55, a whopping big chunk of Texas is ready to serve you. If you have a hankering for an average July reading of 75, this same wonder State can fill your order perfectly. If you have in mind a dream of summer nights fanned by a cool gulf breeze, you need not be particular as to the place in Texas where you shall lay your head. Nearly anywhere, if you retire early, 9 o'clock will see you reaching for a blanket.

When it comes to climate Texas is entitled to enjoy a superiority complex. No sunstrokes. No chills. Vast coast line, yet few severe storms. A summer r-sort, a winter resort. Flowers in January, May in December and June in August.

Texas climate has gone too long unheralded to the world. It can be fully appreciated only by the traveler who has lived in many climates, who has dwelt in tropics and in blue-nosed north alike, who has vainly sought the happy medium—until he has found Texas.

MRS. LARKINS WRITES ABOUT TRIP TO EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larkins returned last week from Chicago and other points in the east. Mrs. Larkins, who was formerly Mrs. E. B. Canada, has written a story on the trip, which we publish below.
"We arrived at LaSalle Street station, Chicago, at 4:50, March 25. Met by Ben and Dora Davis, took the elevated train to East Chicago, Ind., arriving at 7:30 p. m. On Saturday, March 26, we went to Chicago, visited Marshall Field & Co., Boston Store and took dinner at Fern Restaurant on Polk street. Visited State and Lake theatres, saw vaudeville and pictures, and returned to East Chicago at 8:30. Sunday, March 27th, back to Chicago at 1:18 p. m. and put in the afternoon at Field's Museum, returning at 5:20. Monday, the 28th, left East Chicago at 9:40 a. m., arriving in Chicago at 11:30 a. m. Visited \$650,000,00 Union Depot building, went to Wacker drive, new double-deck driveway, had dinner at Upton restaurant on Clark street, visited Tribune tower and the Wrigley building; saw Chicago river and Lake Michigan, also several big freight vessels—over 500 feet long, three oil tankers belonging to Standard Oil Co.; saw Whiting refinery, the largest in the world; the Sinclair, & Bartlett & McGuire refineries; visited the Chicago, the wonder theatre of the world with orchestra of 40 pieces, pipe organ, Norma Shearer and Lew Cody in "Demi-Brude," several acts of vaudeville; visited Boston Store, traveled to 12th floor on moving stairway; saw the largest building in the city, including the Illinois Merchants Trust building, Federal Reserve building, New Masonic Temple, New Stevens Hotel with 3,000 rooms, Methodist church spire 425 feet high, New Sherman Hotel, on the roof of which they built the home for President Coolidge to live in while visiting Chicago; City Hall, Marshall Field wholesale building, and several other buildings. Returned to East Chicago at 7:30 p. m. Left Chicago Tuesday, March 29 via Santa Fe. On the return home we crossed the Mississippi river at Ft. Madison, where a man broke out of the State prison and swam the river. We came back over the Santa Fe through Kansas City to Fort Worth, going through Findlay, Ohio, and went to Dallas. We went over the Sunshine Special to St. Louis, Mo., and from there took the Big Four Route through Indianapolis, Terre Haute, Ind., to Sidney, Ohio, and took street car to Findlay, Ohio.

D. G. Fields of Biggs, California, sends in \$2 to keep the Record visiting him another year, for which we thank him. Mr. Fields formerly lived in Colorado, having moved away about 15 years ago. He has been a subscriber to the Record for twenty years, and says he does not want to miss a copy.

AMARILLO BANKER VISITS OLD HOME IN COLORADO

Sam Vaughan, vice president and cashier of the Amarillo National Bank, former Colorado banker, was here Friday and Saturday visiting. He was en route to Fort Worth on business. Mr. Vaughan was with the City National Bank of Colorado for a number of years, having moved to Amarillo about ten years ago. Mr. Vaughan reports Amarillo building rapidly and that the city is becoming a distributing and manufacturing center of great importance to a vast empire now forming in the Panhandle territory. The Amarillo National is one of the strongest banks in the southwest. Deposits total \$9,498,000.00, and total resources of the bank are approximately ten million dollars.

Misses Frances Beal and Edna Powell returned Sunday from Snyder where they were week-end guests of Frances Lawless.

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INTERESTING NEWS FROM OVER THE COUNTY
Following are The Record's Reporters in the various communities:
Hyman L. H. Welch
Spade Mrs. J. L. Parker
New Hope Maedelle Latty
Looney Alice Burk
Fairview Mattie Buckalew
Silver I. O. Finley
Seven Wells Mrs. L. L. Bassham
Reporters are required to sign their names to all news letters.

Longfellow Locals

By EIGHTH GRADE PUPILS
The Longfellow school was very busy last week getting ready for the County Fair at Colorado. We are very proud of the Sub-Junior spelling team, Florence McCarley and Opal Allison, and also Velma Robinson who won first prize on her essay on the 4-H Club, and Carl Hogue won second place on the Pig Club essay. Miss Lillian Gale spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Marie Mitchell.
Woodrow Crabtree spent Sunday

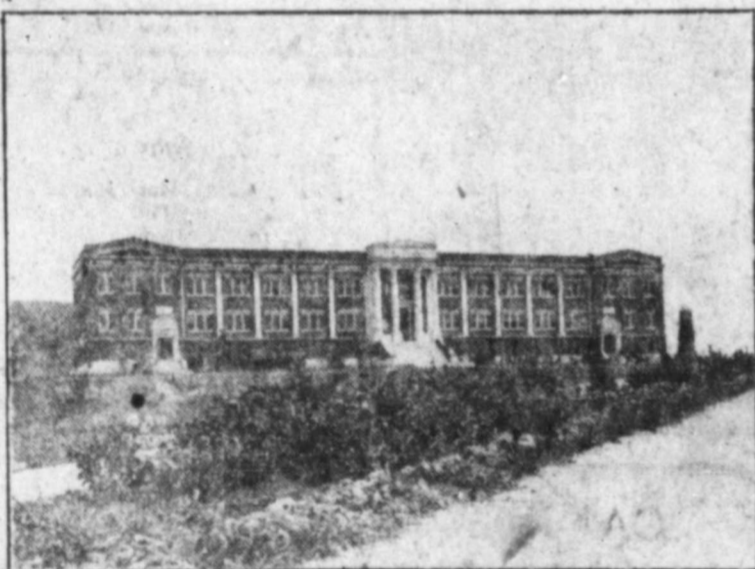
afternoon with Willie Gale.
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart spent Sunday with C. S. Hudson and family.
Mrs. Clarence Felts spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Sam Allison.
Mrs. K. J. Kuykendall spent last week in the home of S. S. Bedford.
Mr. and Mrs. A. K. McCarley spent Sunday afternoon in the C. S. Hudson home.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Carpenter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carpenter.
Miss Gussie Huggins is spending the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woods.
Mr. and Mrs. John Diesher spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mitchell.
Mr. Vernon Gregg spent Sunday in the home of W. R. Woods.
Miss Vernon Jackson spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Florence Bedford.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith spent Sunday in the home of C. S. Hudson.
Misses Vera and Nina Cathcart visited in the home of Misses Ihle and Dalton Hudson, Sunday.
Harvey Baker is doing fine at this report.
Velma Robinson spent Sunday visiting with Miss Jimmie Lee Westbrook at Lorraine.
Mr. T. H. Westbrook and family attended singing at Roscoe Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. O. S. Robinson is visiting with Grandmother Robinson at Cuthbert this week.
Miss Essie Huggins spent last week in the W. R. Woods home.
Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Westbrook and Miss Edith Robinson are visiting with Grandmother Robinson this week.
Messrs. Luther and Lester Rogers of Abilene spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rogers and family.

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SEVEN WELLS NEWS NOTES

By MRS. L. L. BASSHAM
We can tell the world that we had a real sandstorm last Thursday.
There is quite a bit of sickness in the community at present.
Mrs. Ed Roach has been real sick for the past week.
Nelson Bassham had a severe case of pneumonia for about nine days, but he is up again and feeling very thankful that he did not die.
Mrs. W. H. Brown has been suffering with rheumatism.
The P. T. A. met at the school last Thursday night for their regular meeting. The house was full and everyone seemed to have a real good time.
It will be remembered that the cause of our meeting on Thursday night was because the track meet was on Friday and all wanted to attend.
Mr. J. E. Wallace and children came down from Midland and spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks and friends. We are always so glad to have them, and invite them to come again.
Lanier Bassham has been real sick lately, but is able to be back in school again.
Mr. U. D. Wulfjen attended the Cattleman's Convention at El Paso. He reports a real good time.
The "Bunch" visited in L. L. Bassham's home Friday night. All had a good time—as in days gone by.
Carl Bassham came home from Abilene and spent from Friday until Sunday with home folks and friends. He returned to Abilene Sunday night.
The 1923 Study Club will meet on Wednesday with Mrs. Jessie Hughes. A real good time is expected.
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hays little son has had a severe case of whooping cough. We certainly hope he will soon recover.
P. T. A. Program
The P. T. A. met for regular program last Thursday night at our school. The program was an April fool party. We had the Kitchen Orchestra, potato races and other games with speeches, declamations and songs. Everyone seemed to have a good time. We will be very glad to have more of the parents present at the next meeting.

Conoway Items

RUTH HART, Reporter
Our school won several places in the literary and athletic events in the county meet, which was held last Friday and Saturday at Colorado.
Misses Estelle Sheppard and Tootie Owens spent Sunday with Loretta and Venetta Byrd.
Mr. Bunk Roberts is visiting his sister, Mrs. Artie Owens.
Miss Juanita Hart spent the week-end with home folks, Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Conoway from Odessa, Texas, visited home folks here Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. Aubrey May from New Hope spent the week-end with Mr. Henry Sheppard.
Miss Dorcus Reeder spent the week-end with home folks at Lorraine.
Mrs. Henry Wilbanks will leave on Friday night for her home in Tyler, Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sheppard and daughter, Mrs. Wilbanks, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sheppard of Colorado, Tuesday.
Mr. Harvey Webb is here from Crisp, Texas, and is going to make his home with Mr. P. P. Armstrong.
The Conoway P. Q. D. Club girls met Tuesday morning, April 5. A very interesting program was rendered. The club will render a program in chapel next Monday morning.
The contest between the Sunday school boys and girls was over Sunday. The girls won, thus leaving the boys to entertain them. They have planned a picnic for Easter Sunday.

SILVER SIGNALS

I. O. FINLEY, Reporter
We did not send in a write-up last week because the track meet was so near and we were overworked.
We were well satisfied with what we won in the fair and in the league. Our trustees were at school Monday of this week and highly commended us on the work that was done. Silver is probably the smallest school in the county. But with this small group we have undertaken some great things. These have been accomplished by the splendid cooperation of the patrons, teachers and county superintendent.
The patrons of the community are working on our storm cellar. The hole has been dug and all of the material is on the ground. Concrete work will start at noon Tuesday.
Mr. Roy Warren was in our community assessing last week. He stopped at school during the morning recess and stayed a few minutes with us.
On March 23, Superintendent Foster and Miss Walker, the rural inspector, visited our school. We surprised them with a basket dinner. Nearly every patron of the community was present. After the inspection Miss Walker delivered a short address, which was enjoyed by all. Miss Walker commended us highly for the work that was being done and the splendid cooperation of parents.

Spade Spuddings

MRS. J. L. PARKER, Reporter
The Spade Cats stamped the Hyman Cardinals to a 35 to 15 defeat last week. The feature of the game was the long hitting of Shortstop Swan. Out of eight times at the bat, he got two home runs, three 3-baggers, two doubles and one single. The club demonstrated its power at the bat and also showed some brilliant fielding. Next Saturday we are to play the Conoway Bears at the E. Barber park.
The fruit supper Saturday night at Mr. Christian's was enjoyed by quite a number of young people.
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Boyls of California, came in Saturday night. Mrs. Boyls is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Palmer. They will also visit Mr. Boyls' people in Solomon.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Humphrey of Horn's Chapel visited Mr. Robert Northcutt and family, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Eddie of Colorado spent Sunday with Mrs. Eddie's sister, Mrs. J. M. Hood, and family.
Misses Evelyn, Addie Lou and Ruth Hood spent the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. Hargrave, of Colorado.
Rev. L. E. Northcutt of Westbrook, H. U. Salley and son and daughter, Herman and Gladys, with others, are spending the week-end at Crystal City, on the Nueces river, fishing.

LOONEY ITEMS

ALICE BURK, Reporter
The school fair is over and every one enjoyed it very much. Looney had a very fine exhibit on display at the high school, where everything was put on display from other schools. We are very proud to say Miss Inez Shepherd and Miss Ledith Mae Burnett entered in declamation, Inez in Senior and Ledith Mae in Junior, both doing fine. If they keep on declaiming, they will be very fine speakers some day.
Miss Myrtle Gilbert, the Intermediate teacher, went to Abilene to see her sister Friday night and returned Sunday.
Our pastor, Rev. A. D. Leach, filled his pulpit here Saturday night and also Sunday night, but Rev. Alexander took his place Sunday morning and brought us a wonderful message.
A very large crowd gathered here Sunday evening for singing. Everyone enjoyed it very much for we had a wonderful time. We had a number of visitors and are inviting more to come next time and help us sing.
The Looney school is getting up a play for the last night of school, and we are also planning on getting up another small program from the primary and intermediate rooms, which will take one night for it. We are planning on having a real "knock-out" this year at the close of school, for we know it will be a long time before we are together again. The title of our school play is "A Poor Married Man." Everyone be sure to come. We are also getting up a play for Mother's Day, which we think will be very good, entitled, "The Old-Fashioned Mother."
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Miles, of Bowman community, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank each and every one for the kind deeds and kind words tendered us in the illness and death of our dear little girl. Words are inadequate to express our appreciation. May God bless each of you. While we are grieved by her going, we can not fail to recognize the kindness shown us by so many friends and neighbors.
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Hyman Happenings

L. H. WELCH, Reporter
Wednesday night at 12 o'clock, Grandma Locklear answered the summons of her Maker to depart this life. She had been in failing health all winter. Tuesday night she grew worse and continued to sink until the end came at 12. She was a consecrated Christian woman, being member of the Holiness church. She leaves five daughters and several grandchildren to mourn her going. Only one daughter and some grandchildren were present for the funeral. Rev. A. D. Leach, pastor of the Baptist church here, preached the funeral sermon. There was a large crowd gathered at the funeral to pay their last respects to this noble woman. To the bereaved ones we offer condolence and bid them look to God.
Sunday was a great day with the Methodist people here. It was the regular preaching date. Bro. Norman brought us an unusually good message. At the close of the service there were six new members added to the church.
The Hyman ball team was defeated Saturday afternoon by the Spade Steers on the Spade field. Hyman lost out at first and could not regain the lost points. This is the second game of the season. Saturday, April 9, Spade will visit Hyman, and we expect an easy victory in the play-off.
On Friday night, April 15, at 7:30 the Hyman Literary society will present the play entitled, "The Winning of Latone." This play promises to be a good one. Every one is cordially invited to attend.
Hyman school was very proud of the honors won at the fair in Colorado. We won first place on the theme of 500 words, entitled, "My Community," and one place in writing. While we did not win first or second place, we are very proud of what we did win and are proud of the efforts put forth by each and every pupil.
The county is now grading Main

street in Hyman. We are proud of this work. It is looking fine. Watch us at Hyman. We do things.

ANOTHER LINE FROM FRED B. ROBINSON

Waco, Texas.
To The Record—
While I think the recent suggestion as to how Mitchell county might secure a hard-surface road across the county, completing the Bankhead highway from Texarkana to El Paso was good, yet the opportunity offered your citizenship of securing a permanently paved road at a cost of only \$200,000 is so much better for you. I am unable to see why your entire citizenship does not favor the proposition. A good gravel road with the two "toppings" would cost you nearly that amount and there would be the continual upkeep which you get rid of by paving.
My opinion is the road would be

worth its cost every year, and it is indeed an opportunity I have never seen offered any other county. I consider Mitchell county has a great opportunity offered, and am hopeful same will be taken advantage of. My only interest being the general welfare of our great State.
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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$612,167.51
U. S. Bonds	15,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	7,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	2,700.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	21,762.00
Other Real Estate	250.00
Cash and Due From Banks	365,131.98
Bill of Exchange (Cotton)	12,469.69
TOTAL	\$1,036,481.18

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus	30,000.00
Undivided Profits (Net)	29,147.20
Circulation	14,600.00
Deposits	902,733.98
TOTAL	\$1,036,481.18

The above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PRITCHETT, Cashier.

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WESTBROOK NEWS

Mrs. Terrell is also authorized to receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whipple Printing Company in Westbrook and vicinity. See her and take your County paper.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS ABOUT WESTBROOK AND VICINITY BY MRS. N. A. TERRELL.

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Friday, April 1, school dismissed in order to go to the interscholastic meet at Colorado. Many girls and boys represented the Westbrook school in the meet, and we were very proud of the showing we made, both in literary and track events. Jennie B. Nason won first place in Junior girls' declamation; Gussie Blodson and Nora Mae Hart won second place in Junior spelling; LaVerne Terrell and Woodrow Leach won second place in Sub-Junior spelling. In track events Westbrook was awarded first place in Junior girls' relay, first place in Senior girls' relay, Senior girls' 100-yard dash, and in the Senior girls' 50-yard dash. The Junior boys won second place in relay, 100-yard dash, and chinning the bar. Our Senior boys won first place in half-mile race. The Westbrook school also made a good showing in the school's county fair, on their note books and other things of interest. We feel that our part in the track meet this year was more successful than that of last year and hope to meet with greater success as our school grows larger and improved.

Baptist Church Notes
The ladies of the church had a special prayer service and program on March 28th. Some interesting papers were read and talks made along the line of general W. M. U. work. Rev. Burnett has accepted a call to our church and he, his wife and young son are now with us. His daughter, Miss Nina, went to Abilene last Saturday. Brother Burnett certainly can preach the gospel in a direct and convincing way and the church feels we have called a man who fills our needs. Our Sunday school keeps up most splendid attendance and most generous offerings. The W. M. U. met with Mrs. Lancaster this week and some matters of importance were arranged. The sil-

honoring Mrs. Jack Crossley of Colorado. The ladies met at Mrs. Garrison's home after which they drove out to Morrison's tank, where a very appetizing lunch was spread, during which time Mrs. Crossley became the happy recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Mrs. Rippetoe received a telegram Sunday that her daughter near Abilene was the happy mother of a baby girl, so Mrs. Rippetoe is "grandma" now and seems to be very proud of the honor.

There will be a special service at the Methodist church next Sunday night, with the Boy Scouts in charge. The boys will be dressed in their new suits and several demonstrations of the work will be given. Encourage these boys by your presence and at the same time inform yourself of some of the things they are doing in this great work.

Mrs. Jeff Hillhouse has as her guest her mother of Stevensville, who will spend several weeks here.

Dr. Johnson, who has been confined to his bed for the past week, is able to be at his office again.

Mrs. I. R. Tetrich entertained the "Fifteen" club at her home Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. O'Neal won high score and Mrs. Young low. At the conclusion of the games delicious refreshments of chicken sandwiches, apricot salad and coffee were served to sixteen guests.

ITEMS FROM E. M. MCCRELESS

While going down the line from the West to points in the East, I left Colorado, Texas, April 2 at 8:40 a. m., arriving in New Orleans at 8:40 the next morning. The first important town I came to after leaving Colorado was Loraine, Texas, and afterwards they became so numerous it is useless to mention all of them. I saw but little farming going on so far, except in Louisiana. I've seen some nice cane farms in operation and the prospect seems to be upon an average, but large blocks and enormous quantities of land so far is unbroken and looks to be drenched with water. This morning when we arrived at the bay landing, we found the river very full indeed. All kinds of trash was moving upon the face of the waters. The waves were rolling, the billows were raging, the ships were sailing and the flags were flying. Still, we crossed over safely, but took a long time to cross. We missed connection, so I'm spending a good part of the day in New Orleans. We will continue our journey this evening at 5 o'clock. Now, dear readers, as you look over the next issue of the Record don't say, "Well, there is nothing in the paper this week," for it will carry some good news in it if you will only look in

the right place for it. Part of it may be a blank, because so far on my trip I haven't seen nor heard of any being sick, heard of no one being killed, witnessed no train wreck nor heard of no car accident, nor have I seen anyone drunk or in any way disorderly. Now, if such is this is not good news, name it to suit yourself. And besides all of this, these eyes of mine have beheld some as pretty women and girl wearing their beautiful badges as sponsors, maids of honor, etc., as any human being is entitled to behold, but the hurting feature is I can see not one from Mitchell county, for which we sons, grandsons and great grandsons ought to blush with shame. Now, let me tell you something. Yesterday just as I passed Cisco and began to enter the oil fields, I noticed something trickling down a little ravine, and it looked to me just like water. Some one said it being so close to the oil fields it must be oil, and what do you say it was? I say it was just water, of course.

If this fails to find its way to the waste basket, I'll write again next week.

E. M. MCCRELESS.

DEFINITION FOR DOCTOR GIVEN BY LOCAL MAN

Dr. T. J. Ratliff, local physician, who besides being a golf shark, is almost everything else, if we are to judge him by the definition he gives for the word "Doctor." He gives the following: "Doctor: 1. A night rider. 2. One who is permitted to sign Dr. before his name because he has so many debtors (Drs.). 3. One who makes a three-mile trip for less than a taxicab would charge, and throws in the medical service free. 4. A clinic-hound, who, to prove that his services are valueless, donates them eagerly to the bargain hunters. 5. An attendant of sad rites who never insists upon his rights. 6. A pill-juggler whose patients juggle his bills. 7. A hater of telephone bells. 8. One who does not obey the Biblical edict, 'Physician, heal thyself!'"

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Mitchell County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon J. B. Loftin, Mrs. Julia Loftin, L. L. Smith, the heirs of J. B. Loftin, deceased, whose names are unknown; the heirs of Mrs. Julia Loftin, deceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of L. L. Smith, deceased, whose names are unknown, and I. W. Guyton, and heirs of I. W. Guyton, deceased, whose names are unknown; and Oliver Loftin, deceased, whose names are unknown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county to said Mitchell County in which there is a newspaper published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the fourth Monday in April, A. D. 1927, the same being the 25th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4816, wherein J. W. Dorn and B. A. Donelson are Plaintiffs, and J. B. Loftin, Mrs. Julia Loftin, L. L. Smith, the heirs of J. B. Loftin, deceased, whose names are unknown; the heirs of Mrs. Julia Loftin, deceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of L. L. Smith, deceased, whose names are unknown, and I. W. Guyton, and heirs of I. W. Guyton, deceased, whose names are unknown, and Oliver Loftin, deceased, whose names are unknown, are Defendants, and said petition alleging as follows:

That on or about the 1st day of January, 1927, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, holding and claiming same in fee simple, viz: All of Lot Number One (1) in Block Number Fourteen (14) in the Waddell & Martin Addition to the City of Colorado, Texas; that on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withhold from them the possession thereof, to their damage, \$500.00.

Wherefore plaintiffs pray judgment for the title and possession of said described land and premises, and for writ of restitution, damages and costs. Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, on this 16 day of March, A. D. 1927.

J. LEE JONES, Clerk, District Court, Mitchell Co., Texas. 4-8c.

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL.

To the Resident Property Taxpaying Voters of Mitchell County, Texas: Take notice that an election will be held on the 23 day of April, 1927, within Mitchell County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue Road Bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners' Court on the 19 day of March, 1927, which is as follows: THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL. Be it remembered that on this, the 19 day of March, 1927, the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas, met in regular session, in conformity with the provisions of the statute, and which session was held at the regular meeting place in the Courthouse at Colorado, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit: C. C. THOMPSON, County Judge, A. A. DORN, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, BURR BROWN, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, J. D. LANE, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, CLYDE SMITH, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, J. LEE JONES, County Clerk, being present, came on to be considered the petition of W. L. Hester and two hundred eighty other persons, and which said petition is in words and figures as follows: "THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL. To the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas: 'We, the undersigned resident property taxpaying voters of said County, respectfully pray your Honorable Body to order an election to determine whether or not the bonds of said Mitchell County shall be issued in the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00), bearing interest at the rate of not to exceed FIVE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT (5 1/2 PER CENT) per annum, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of Mitchell County, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.' And it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than Fifty (50) of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Mitchell County, Texas; and, It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Mitchell County, Texas; It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court, that an election be held in said County on the 23 day of April, 1927, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00), bearing interest at the rate of not to exceed FIVE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT (5 1/2 PER CENT) per annum, and the principal of said bonds to mature at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in said County of Mitchell; and

whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of Mitchell County, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Articles 752-A to 752-W, inclusive, Acts of the First Called Session of the 30th Legislature, effective since October 18, 1925. All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State, and of this County, and who are resident property taxpaying in this County, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds, shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF." And those opposed, shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF." The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: For Voting Precinct No. 1, held at Colorado, Texas, in the Courthouse thereof, with J. L. Ellis as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 2, held at the School House, in the Town of Westbrook, with O. T. Bird as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 3, held at the Schoolhouse at Spade, with R. A. Hood as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 4, held at Landers Schoolhouse, with J. A. Murkett as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 5, held at Boseman's Store in Cuthbert, with E. O. Green as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 6, held at Carr Schoolhouse, with R. M. Jones as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 7, held at First State Bank in the Town of Loraine, with S. A. Martin as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 8, held at Schoolhouse in Latan, with E. B. Gregson as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 9, held at the McKenzie Schoolhouse, with G. A. Brown as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 10, held at the Buford Schoolhouse, with Claud Hooks as Presiding Judge; For Voting Precinct No. 11, held at the Hyman Schoolhouse, with P. L. Andrews as Presiding Judge.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating General Elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes hereinabove referred to. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Colorado Record and the Loraine Leader, newspapers published in the County, and such notice shall be so published for four consecutive weeks before the date of said election; and in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse Door, and such notice shall be so posted for three weeks prior to said election. The County Judge is hereby directed to cause such notices to be published and posted, as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers, and received by the Court. Given under our hands, with the seal of the Commissioners' Court affixed, as authorized in the above and foregoing order, this 19 day of March, 1927.

CHAS. C. THOMPSON, County Judge, Mitchell County, Texas; A. A. DORN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, BURR BROWN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, JNO. D. LANE, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3, CLYDE SMITH, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4. ATTEST: J. LEE JONES, County Clerk. (SEAL) 4-15c

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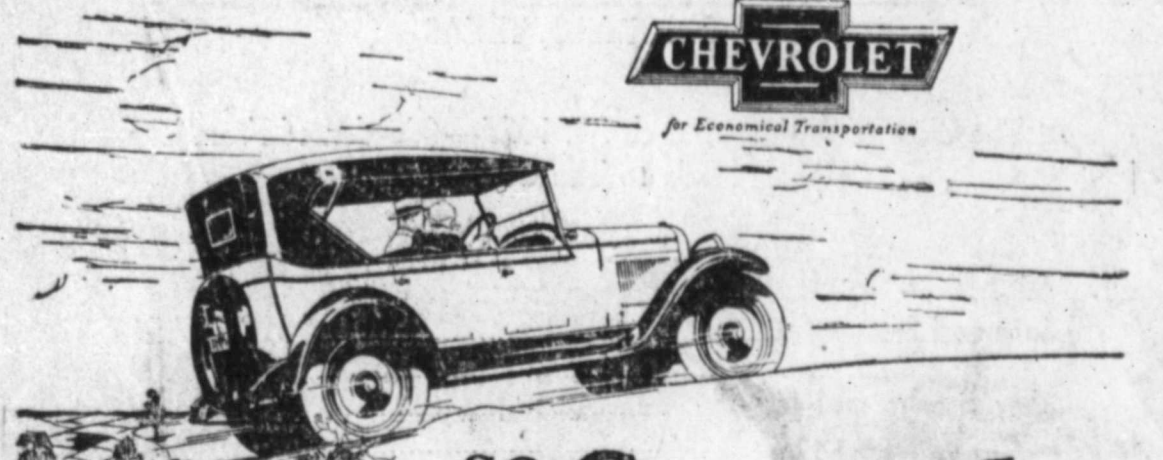
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MAGNOLIA MAY JOIN GULF IN CONSTRUCTION OF WEST TEXAS LINE

Build Tank Farm At Midland; Give Outlet For Mitchell Crude

Rumors are current here that the Magnolia Petroleum company will either build a trunk pipe line into West Texas or join the Gulf in the extension of a main line from Ranger to Midland.

Magnolia has recently purchased land at Midland for a tank farm and it is said they will be forced to build a line of some kind into this territory to take care of their production.

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Since the Magnolia joined the Gulf in the construction of a Panhandle line, it is rumored here that they will do likewise in the construction of the trunk line through Mitchell county from Ranger to Midland.

Gulf has already announced they will build the West Texas line which will serve Shackelford-Callahan area, the Noodle Creek section, the Mitchell-Howard county section and will have field lines from Midland to the Upton, Crane, Ector and Winkler county territory. This line, when completed, will give an outlet for crude from all these fields.

In this connection we clip from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram an item on this that is of interest:

Belief that the Gulf and Magnolia companies may co-operate in extending the second trunk pipe line to the West Texas Plains district has gained considerable ground in local oil circles during the past few days.

The fact that the two companies co-operated in this manner in building a line to the Panhandle, which is now approaching completion, is one of the chief bases for such belief. The further fact that both will have to build such a line eventually, although both have deferred action in view of general conditions, is given as additional reasons for seeing such action.

Tank Farm Bought

The latest factor in purchase by the Magnolia of land for a tank farm adjoining the Gulf farm at Midland on the Texas and Pacific. The Gulf farm now consists of eleven 80,000 barrel storage tanks. The oil is supplied to it by Gulf's field line to its McElroy pool in Crane county and serves its leases in the University pool on route.

Building of this line from the field to Midland furnished the first concrete for belief that when the Gulf built its line to the West Texas Plains district Midland would be the starting point for its trunk line.

A similar line probably will be eventually extended to the Winkler county area, serving the Cosden-Connell pool in Ector county en route. In this pool Gulf has 10 leases of 160 acres each.

Survey Made

Reports current in local oil circles that the Gulf trunk line to the Plains district would probably follow the Texas and Pacific railroad west were given publication in the Star-Telegram early in last November. Events since that time have borne that out.

In recent weeks it became known that the Gulf was conducting a survey on this route. It is believed that construction date is yet indefinite, but it is considered likely that pos-

sible cooperation by the Magnolia would hasten this action. Some weeks ago the probability that the Magnolia would build from the University pool to the T. & P. at Midland, and that its trunk line, when eventually built, would also follow the Texas & Pacific were given currency.

Panhandle Line

In building the Panhandle line both the Gulf and the Magnolia have built half of the line they will eventually build. One started from the Panhandle end and the other from the terminus of present trunk lines in the Ranger end. As the proposed routes are parallel it was easy to arrange for a temporary connection in the middle, and for each company co-operating in the handling of oil through the temporarily joined lines.

The Texas and Pacific route for the trunk line will permit the serving of Western Shackelford county, the Jones-Nolan-Taylor and Fisher county area; the Mitchell-Howard-Scurry district as well as the newer fields to the west. Both have large prospective production in the territory, and both would be forced to build a line there eventually.

In the meantime the railroads of the district are enjoying heavy traffic from the oil movement—traffic which except in cases of necessity is usually too heavy for the shipment of crude oil. It is estimated that the present movement of crude by the Gulf alone means a freight bill of upward of \$200,000 per month. This cost, it is expected, will hasten the building of the line. At present the Humble line, built two years ago, is the only trunk line in the district.

A REAL OLD-FASHIONER MOURNER'S-BENCH REVIVAL

The First Baptist church of Snyder, Texas, has just closed a three-weeks' meeting which is claimed to have been the most thorough and genuine "Old Fashioned Mourner's Bench Revival" in the history of the church.

At many of the services the spacious auditorium was filled to its limit and at the closing services the balcony was filled.

Rev. W. F. Ferguson, the popular pastor, did all the preaching. He enjoyed the fullest cooperation of his membership, also of many friends and brethren of other denominations. The singing was conducted by Bro. Loe Stulce, of Simmons University, with Miss Wilma Tripp, also of Simmons, as pianist. The highest of praise and many rare compliments were heard on every hand for these workers. The writer doubts if there is a more wonderfully charming and powerful Gospel message to be had

from any singer in the South today than Lee Stulce. Miss Wilma Tripp is teacher of Gospel Hymn playing in Simmons University. Her sympathetic accompanying, her excellent improvising and her power of spiritual interpretation invariably thrills and inspires her audiences.

As a preacher, Rev. W. F. Ferguson has a most unusual happy style. He secures the confidence, admiration and love of those who know him and hear his old-time Gospel messages. As to the visible results, the Lord has an accurate record, but privileged us to observe about as follows:

Additions by baptism, last service 36
 Yet to be baptized 5
 Additions by letter 12
 Additions by restoration 3

All of the latter were big, strong and popular business men. Their confessions to the church were powerful and God-honoring messages.

The total additions were 56. There were conversions in great numbers. Had this report been kept on the basis of "Accessions to propositions" it would easily have reached the thousand mark.

Special offerings during the meeting, over and above the regular contributions to the church budget, were over \$1,500.00. The church gave a love offering of \$150 to the pastor.

About 75 per cent of the additional were men and a few boys. Preparatory to this good meeting, daily prayer meetings were held at the church for one week, at which there were 339 in attendance.

Pastor Ferguson bids fair to become one of our outstanding pastor evangelists.

We all thank the Lord for this great victory in His name.
 GEO. E. ALEXANDER,
 Missionary.

NOTICE TO DAIRY OWNERS

Notice is hereby given that the law relating to inspection and testing of Dairy Cattle will be enforced by the Commissioners' Court.

Please consult a veterinarian and have your herd tested. This applies to all persons who sell or offer for sale milk or butter.

Please give us your cooperation in the campaign for Pure Milk.
 CHARLIE THOMPSON,
 County Judge.

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The record office has a full and complete line of all kinds of Blank Books, Loose Leaf Ledgers, Journals and cash books and all are

NOTICE OF HEARING

On Petition for the Issuance of Road Bonds by Road District Number Two, of Mitchell County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 COUNTY OF MITCHELL.

To the Resident Property Taxpaying Voters of Road District Number Two, of Mitchell County, Texas, and to All Other Persons Concerned:

TAKE NOTICE, that a petition signed by B. F. Rice and 34 other persons, as resident property taxpaying voters of Road District Number Two, of Mitchell County, Texas, has heretofore been submitted to the Commissioners' Court of said County, wherein such petitioners pray the Court for an order for an election to determine whether or not the bonds of said District shall be issued for the total principal sum of FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000.00) DOLLARS, bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding FIVE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT (5 1/2 per cent) per annum, and to be issued in such denominations and payable at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, not later than thirty (30) years from their date, for the purpose of construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and, FURTHER TAKE NOTICE, that said petition has been set down for hearing before the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on the 18th day of April, 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m., the place of such hearing being the Commissioners' Court Room in the Court House of said County at Colorado, Texas;

AND, FURTHER TAKE NOTICE, that the said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER TWO, of MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS, was heretofore, to-wit: on the 19th day of March, 1927, created and established by order of the Commissioners' Court of said County, and which said order is of record in Book 4, page 243, of the Minutes of said Court; the boundaries of said Road District Number Two, as described and defined in the aforesaid order of the Court creating the district, are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Northwest Corner of Mitchell County;

Thence East along the North boundary line of said Mitchell County through Sections No. 71, 72, 73 and 74, of Block No. 2D, of the H. & T. C. R. Co. surveys of Mitchell County, Texas; continuing East along the North boundary line of Mitchell County through Sections No. 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98 and 99, of Block No. 97, of the H. & T. C. R. Co. surveys, Mitchell County, Texas; continuing East along said North boundary line of Mitchell County through the C. A. O'Keefe Subdivisions; continuing East along said North boundary line of said Mitchell County to a point where said North Mitchell County boundary

line crosses the East line of Survey No. 194, of Block No. 3, of the H. & C. N. R. R. Co. surveys of Mitchell County, Texas, for the Northeast corner thereof;

Thence South along the East boundary line of Surveys No. 194 and 195 of Block No. 3, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. surveys, Mitchell County, Texas, and along the East boundary line of Survey No. 196, of Block No. 3, of the H. & G. N. R. R. Co. surveys to where said boundary line intersects the Colorado River;

Thence in a Southeasterly direction following the West Bank of the Colorado River to a point where the West Bank of the said river intersects the East boundary line of Survey No. 16, of Block No. 27, T. & P. R. R. Co. Surveys;

Thence South along the East boundary line of Sections No. 16, 21, 28, 33, 40, 45, 52, 57, 64 and 69 to the Southeast Corner of Survey No. 69, of Block No. 27, T. & P. R. R. Co. Surveys, Mitchell County, Texas, for the Southeast Corner hereof;

Thence West along the South boundary line of Surveys No. 69, 68, 67 of Block No. 27, of T. & P. R. R. Co. surveys of Mitchell County, and continuing West along the South line of Sections No. 24, 23, 22, 21, 20 and 19, of Block No. 28, T-1 South and continuing West along the South boundary lines of Sections No. 24, 23, 22, 21, 20 and 19 in Block No. 29 T-1S and continuing West along the South boundary line of Survey No. 24, in Block No. 30 T-1S; to the point where said South line of Survey No. 24 intersects the Mitchell County and Howard County lines for the Southwest corner hereof;

AND, WHEREAS, the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas, having set the above petition down for hearing at a Special session of said Court to be held in the Commissioners' Court Room, at the Courthouse in the City of Colorado, Texas, on the 18th day of April, 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m., and has ordered and directed the undersigned to give notice of such hearing in accordance with law; now, therefore,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of such hearing to all persons concerned in order that they may appear before said Court at the time and place above mentioned, and to attend such hearing, and to contend for or protest the ordering of such proposed bond election, as prayed for in the above petition, and at such hearing any person interested may appear before the Commissioners' Court in person or by attorney and contend for or protest the calling of such proposed bond election; and all persons interested shall have the right to offer tes-

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK AT COLORADO, TEXAS

At the close of business on March 23, 1927.

RESOURCES

1. (a) Loans and discounts, including redemptions, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with endorsement of this bank \$620,329.15

Total loans	\$620,329.15
U. S. Government Securities owned	4,308.95
(a) Deposited to secure circulation	15,000.00
Total	15,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., owned	9,700.00
6. Banking house, \$16,200.00; Furniture and fixtures \$5,562.00	21,762.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	250.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	60,950.67
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	300,172.74
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10)	330.48
12. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)	1,291.48
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$301,794.70
(b) Miscellaneous cash items	14,600.00
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,636.61
750.00	
TOTAL	\$1,036,481.18

LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in	60,000.00
18. Surplus fund	30,000.00
21. a. Undivided profits	\$39,747.71
c. Less current expenses paid	\$10,600.51
23. Circulating notes outstanding	29,147.29
25. Amount due to national banks	14,600.00
26. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies	38.47
28. Cashier's Checks outstanding	12,437.84
Total of Items 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28	\$48,792.38
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
29. Individual deposits subject to check	644,848.67
30. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	2,000.00
21. State, county, or municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	37,122.93
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34	\$683,971.60
27. Other time deposits	170,000.00
Total of time deposits subject to reserve Items 35, 36, 37, and 38	\$170,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,036,481.18

State of Texas, County of Mitchell, ss:
 I, J. C. Pritchett, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 J. C. PRITCHETT, Cashier

(SEAL)
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of March, 1927.
 RAY WOMACK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
 C. H. LASKY
 D. N. ARNETT
 U. D. WULFJEN, Director.

I hereby certify that said county affixed, this the 1st day of April, 1927.
 (SEAL) J. LEE JONES,
 County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County, Texas.

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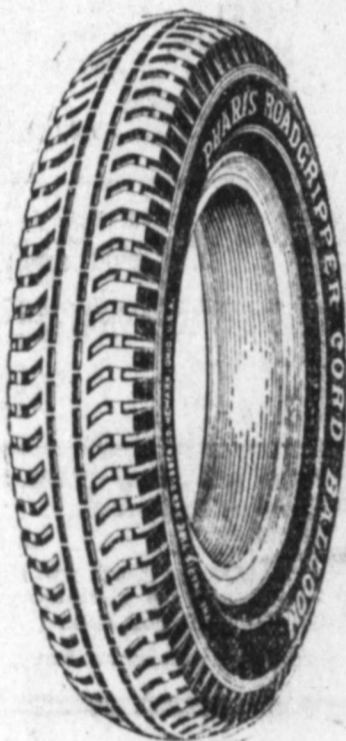
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33x4 1-2 Reg. Cord \$16.50	30x5 Giant 8-Ply \$28.80
34x4 1-2 Reg. Cord \$17.15	33x5 Giant 8-Ply \$29.35
33x5 Reg. Cord \$21.35	35x5 Giant 8-Ply \$32.40
35x5 Reg. Cord \$23.25	

PHARIS BURLY BALLOONS

30x4.75 Burly Balloon \$11.80	31x5.25 Burly Balloon \$15.90
30x4.95 Burly Balloon \$13.45	30x5.77 Burly Balloon \$18.85

PHARIS ROADGRIPPER BALLOONS

29x4.40 R. G. Balloon \$ 9.85	30x5.77 R. G. Balloon \$20.15
30x4.75 R. G. Balloon \$13.45	32x5.77 R. G. Balloon \$20.25
29x4.95 R. G. Balloon \$14.10	32x6.00 R. G. Balloon \$21.60
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30x5.25 R. G. Balloon \$16.65	33x6.20 R. G. Balloon \$23.40
31x5.25 R. G. Balloon \$17.35	33x6.75 R. G. Balloon \$26.70



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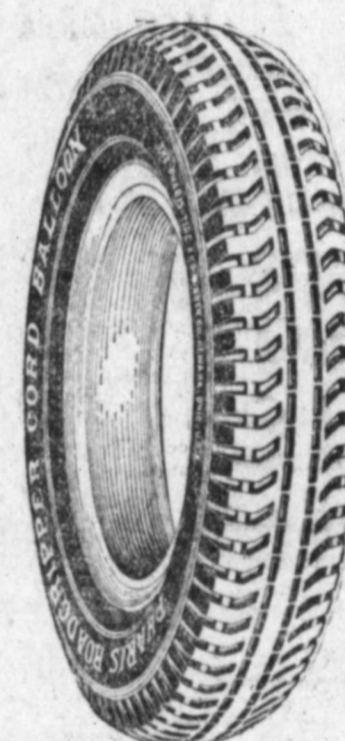
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MORE TURKEYS IN WEST TEXAS THIS YEAR, REPORT SAYS

Twenty Five Per Cent Increase Expected; Price May Be Lower

The main reason for turkeys in Texas last year were largely affected by decreases in others, it is estimated by the number of turkeys to be available for market next fall will be at least 25 per cent above those marketed in 1926.

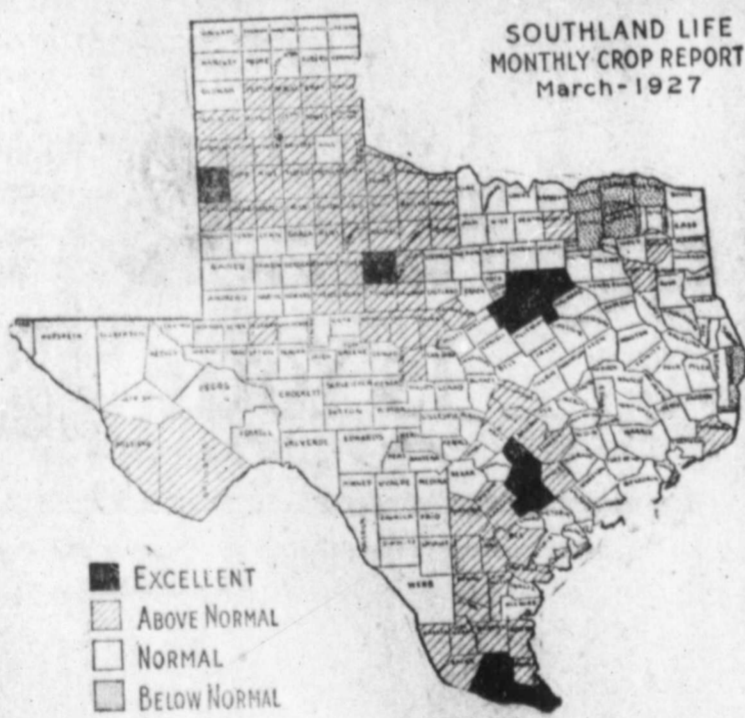
A large number of cobbler were shipped out of West Texas to other parts of the State in 1926 until the supply of cobbler for sale was pretty well exhausted.

Increases in the turkey crop in Texas last year were largely affected by decreases in others, it is estimated by the number of turkeys to be available for market next fall will be at least 25 per cent above those marketed in 1926.

The past season has been one of very satisfactory prices to growers and undoubtedly will tend to stimulate increased production. The price received next season will depend very largely on the size of the 1927 crop and on the amount of cold-storage holdings on hand when the season opens.

"The cold-storage holdings November 1, 1926, were the lowest for that date since 1920. The greatest amount in storage any time during 1926 was 7,219,000 pounds, which had been reduced to 1,773,000 pounds by November 1, 1926. On January 1, 1927, the amount in cold storage was 10,813,000 pounds. This may move out and work down to a reasonably low figure by the time the 1927 crop is ready to market. It should be remembered, however, that it went into storage at a relatively high price and for this reason may not find such a ready demand, especially since there is an unusually large amount of frozen poultry in storage.

"The grower who has plenty of



DALLAS, Texas, April 4.—Undoubtedly decrease in cotton acreage in 1927 is shown by the first crop report gathered by the Department of Public Relations of the Southland Life Insurance Co. Preliminary estimates of the extent of that reduction over last year, however, appear to be high and it is doubtful if the actual cotton acreage will be cut more than 15 per cent—if that much.

Crop conditions, so far, appear to be much delayed by cold or wet weather, very little cotton being planted so far, although many of the feed crops are in the ground. This delayed season, of course, will be favorable providing it does not continue far into spring.

Wheat, corn, oats and sorgho crops appear to be in the lead in supplanting abandoned cotton acreage and a certain stimulation in the production

of poultry, hogs, and dairy products is seen. East Texas appears to have been somewhat damaged by the low price of poultry products but in other ways is in better shape than most parts of the state.

Business conditions are on the upgrade and a more hopeful attitude is apparent from the report received. The Panhandle, the Rio Grande Valley, the Houston and Beaumont districts are still leading in general prosperity with a marked stimulation in East Texas, due no doubt to the discovery of oil near Jacksonville.

"Regardless of cotton price," says one correspondent who most nearly voices general opinion, "Texas should have the best year of its history, provided, of course, the weather conditions turn favorable."

Mrs. Leslie Thomas was called to Big Spring, Friday evening by the sudden serious illness of her husband. She was carried over by Mrs. Tom Hughes and Mary Hughes remained over for the week-end.

Carbon paper all size sheets at Record office.

NEWS NOTES FROM OTHER WEST TEXAS OIL FIELDS

LOCATIONS FOR 14 NEW WELLS THIS WEEK

Fourteen new locations were made in the West Texas area during the week despite the general curtailment of drilling operations which has followed the recent drastic cuts in the price of crude oil.

Winkler county and Reagan county each gained four locations, those in Reagan county having been made by the Big Lake Oil company where the Gulf Production company has made locations for its No. 2, No. 3, No. 4 and No. 5 Hendricks in section 34, block B-5, public school lands, on which section Gulf recently completed its No. 1, the second producer in Winkler and by far the largest.

Four new locations were made in Upton county. The Roxana Petroleum Corporation has made locations for its No. 24, No. 25 and No. 26 Bowen in section 6, G. C. & S. F. Railway survey in the southeast extension of the Burleson producing area. Snowden and McSweeney made their first Upton county location in section 4, William Teer survey, where they have a lease in the same section with the Dixie Oil company, Amerada Petroleum Corporation and Roxana Petroleum Corporation.

Both of the remaining locations were made in the shallow production district of Southeastern Howard county, where the Mid-West Exploration Company is to drill its No. 1 Clay in section 139 and the Tidal Oil company has located its No. 1 Chalk in section 114. Both leases are in section 29, W. & N. W. railway survey.

WINKLER COUNTY GETS BIG OIL PLAY, SAID

The bringing in of the Gulf well in Winkler county a few days ago has opened up a major field in West Texas. The original well in this field was the Westbrook well, which came in for about two hundred twenty barrels, has been gradually increasing and is now reported at over 450 barrels.

The Gulf well came in at 72 barrels from the top of the sand and is now reported as good as five thousand barrels a day. Oil men estimate that this well, if drilled deeper, would probably be the largest well in Texas.

Winkler county, which a few months ago was a waste, is now to be the scene of the greatest activity, which has built empires, is attracting investors from far and wide.

There are now twelve derricks up and much material and equipment is being rushed to the field.

The Southern Crude Oil company has erected a modern camp about two miles southwest of the field, and is now erecting a battery of fifty-five thousand barrel tanks. A pipe line is being hurriedly constructed from the tank farm to the T. & P. railway, some 18 miles south.

CHEVROLET INCREASES

A tremendous increase in retail deliveries of new Chevrolet automobiles throughout the country during the first two months of 1927 as compared with the same period of 1926 is shown in the following report compiled by the Chevrolet Motor company.

The magnitude of this increase is indicated in reports from thirty-two of the most important trading areas in the United States and shows an average increase of 97.4 per cent in these centers for the first two months of 1927 as compared with 1926.

The increase is striking evidence of the country-wide and constantly mounting demand for the Chevrolet car—a demand which caused the Chevrolet Motor company to reach a new high peak of production during February of this year of 85,821 cars, and still further marking the company's pre-eminence as the world's largest manufacturers of gear-shift automobiles.

Rubber Bands. Record office.

ROAD BODY NAMES 17 NEW ENGINEERS

AUSTIN, April 3.—Final appointments of division engineers for the Highway Department, seventeen in number, have been announced by Engineer R. A. Thompson. A new engineer was placed in every post with the change of administrations, while one section, serving a sparsely settled part of West Texas, was consolidated with three others.

Those named were W. D. Doekery, Paris; John Mead, Fort Worth; D. M. Puckett, Wichita Falls; W. A. French, Amarillo; Pettus Hemphill, Lubbock; G. B. Finley, Alpine; A. F. Moursund, San Angelo; J. B. Early, Abilene; E. C. Woodward, Waco; D. L. Hogan, Tyler; Edward P. Maddox, Lufkin; B. K. Patton, Houston; S. C. McCarthy, La Grange; D. E. H. Manigault, Austin; G. G. Edwards, San Antonio; E. N. Gustafson, Corpus Christi; and John E. Blair, Caldwell.

A slight change in the policies of the commission was also announced, allowing engineers \$75 a month to apply on full rental of their cars, instead of \$25 plus expenses of upkeep as in the past.

A number of employees of the old administration served their last day Thursday. Among them were R. J. Eskhardt, chief clerk, and T. A. Palmer, superintendent of aid projects, said to be the last major offices in which changes will be made by the Moody commission. Gordon Lloyd of Dallas has been appointed chief clerk and Harvey S. Deen of Austin to the position held by Palmer.

Preceding these two appointments, a large number of employees have been replaced and almost an equal number of positions have been abolished.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO MAKE MINERAL LEASE

In the Matter of the Estate of Paul Pace, Et Al, Miners—No. 401. Also in the Matter of the Estate of H. N. Pace, an Insane Person—No. 520. Both cases pending in the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, D. H. Pace, Guardian of the estate of Paul

Pace, Versie Pace, Helen Pace and Alice Pace, minors and guardian of the estate of H. N. Pace, an insane person, have this day filed an application in the above styled and numbered causes for orders of the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, in said causes authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said wards to make a mineral lease, upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the following real estate, belonging to the estate of said wards, to-wit: An undivided five-fourteenths (5-14) interest in and to the E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 of Section No. 81, Block No. 97, of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey, in Mitchell County, Texas, containing 80 acres of land, more or less; said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the City of Colorado, Texas, on the 16th day of April, 1927.

D. H. Pace, Guardian of the Estate of said minors and said insane person above named by L. W. Sandusky, his attorney. 1c

GOV. MOODY SIGNS SIX NEW MEASURES

AUSTIN, Texas, March 29.—Six bills, one of them empowering the state highway commission to allot state funds to erect interstate bridges were signed last night by Governor Moody. W. Boyd Gatewood, his secretary, announce today.

The measure authorizing the commission to allot funds for the erection of interstate bridges is regarded as an attempt to settle the controversy over proposed building of a bridge between Texas and Oklahoma over the Red river.

Other bills signed:

Allowing appointment of guardians for disabled veterans without the necessity of proceedings; empowering the State game, fish and oyster department to use State coastal waters for the establishment of fish hatcheries; providing a fine of \$1,000 for the destruction of property valued at \$50 or more and a fine of \$200 for destruction of property less than \$50 in value; providing a method for condemning highways for obtaining federal aid; increasing pay of grand jurors to \$3 per day.

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Because of the number of Buicks that people buy, you get value in a Buick that simply cannot be equalled at the Buick price. Buick puts the savings of volume—the earnings of leadership—right back into Buick quality. That's why Buick gives the satisfaction it does—why there are more than a million enthusiastic Buick owners.

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Local Dealer
Colorado, Texas

THAT DODGE CAR
Dodge Brothers, Inc., announces the election to the board of directors of two dealers, C. Russell Dashiell of Chicago and Samuel S. Thornton of Philadelphia. They succeed C. M. Bishop of Brooklyn and F. S. Albertson of Los Angeles, both Dodge Brothers dealers.

The election of Mr. Dashiell and Mr. Thornton is in accordance with Dodge Brothers' policy, announced a year ago, of giving its dealers direct representation in the management of the company. The plan calls for the rotating in office of the dealer-directors from year to year so that every section of the country will be represented.

Both Thornton and Dashiell are

original Dodge Brothers Dealers, having been identified with the sale of Dodge Brothers cars since 1914 when the car first came on the market. Mr. Thornton is identified with the Thornton-Fuller Co. of Philadelphia. His 1914 contract called for the delivery of 400 cars. Last year the contract specified 7800 cars for delivery.

Mr. Dashiell is president of the Dashiell Motor Co. of Chicago. His total sales the first year were 900 cars while in 1926 the Dashiell Motor Co. delivered 9600 cars.

Let us suggest that you buy your groceries, gas and oil at the Riverside Filling Station. "Service that Smiles at Trials." M. A. Geddens, Jr.



You don't take a bath in a basin of water

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FEDERAL ROAD AID RELEASED TO TEXAS; AVAILABLE SOON

\$6,500,000 Ready For 1927 Expenditure; Road Work Will Go Forward

AUSTIN, March 29.—Blocked for four months by financial and departmental troubles, the State highway program for 1927 and 1928 virtually got under way Tuesday with the announcement that federal road aid, withdrawn near the close of the last Ferguson highway-commission's term, will be regained before a month.

About \$6,500,000 will be available to the State during 1927 from the national government and about \$4,500,000 in 1928. Federal authorities to re-enter the program actively with money within two or three weeks, W. R. Ely, member of the commission said. This year, the State will be credited with funds withheld during the suspension period, thus accounting for the larger 1927 totals.

Projects at Standstill
Major projects have been at a standstill since the Federal road board cut off aid, regarding the financial condition of the highway department as unsatisfactory and maintenance of highways into which its money had gone as poor.

The new highway commission, working since its induction into office in an attempt to straighten out financial tangles, yesterday held a meeting with Federal road authorities, asking for return of aid.

Ely today said the commission was able to show ability and willingness to pay current debts and a disposition, satisfactory to national officials to fill the requirements of aid allowed by the highway department treasury yet is not on a sound footing.

Re-entering active road building, the commission today for the first time allotted State aid. Shackelford county was granted \$27,500 State money toward construction of one-inch bituminous surface on highway No. 23, from Albany to a point near Moran, and Robertson county was granted \$15,000 to erect an approach to a bridge over the Brazos river on Highway No. 43.

Cancel Allotments
The commission plans, however, it was learned some time ago, to cancel allotments made by previous commissions, totaling about 3,000,000 on the ground that they are illegal, since money sufficient to pay them was not available when they were made. No indication as to what projects will be affected could be obtained.

Numbers of requests were made by county delegations in the commission's hearing today.

Delegates from Harris county presented a problem which threatens, they said, to prevent the county from obtaining about \$280,000 Federal aid on a section of the Old Spanish Trail through Houston.

Bonds Are Voted
Bonds totaling \$6,000,000 were voted by the county, part of which were to be used in aiding to concrete the section, understanding the route should be through the heart of Houston. The Federal government will not allow aid unless the route is taken to a point not nearer than four miles to the business center.

R. A. Thompson, State highway engineer, was instructed by the commission to advise the Federal authorities seeking their approval in the route as planned when the bond issue was voted.

Other local highway issues, one involving the alleged failure of the last Ferguson highway commission to pay all the sum contracted for to a road builder for work in Coleman also were discussed.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MITCHELL.

You are hereby notified that E. H. Hurd, of the County of Mitchell, State of Texas, did on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1927, execute a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of such of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of his estate and discharge him from their respective claims, and that the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified and given bond as such assignee, as required by law.

All creditors consenting to such assignment must, within four months after the publication of this notice, make known to the assignee their consent in writing, and within six months from the date of this notice file their claims, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Colorado, Texas, which is also his postoffice address.

Witness my hand, this second day of April, 1927.
T. W. STONEROD, JR., Assignee of E. H. Hurd.

Dr. O. E. Wolfe, Veterinarian of Big Springs, Texas, will be in Colorado, Monday, April 11, to test Dairy Cows for tuberculosis. For further information see Dr. W. M. Cooper.

"My Club"

Read by Mrs. Bill Broadus on "Original Manuscript Day." In nineteen hundred and twenty-one we banded together for work and fun.

To study that knowledge might be gained, For "school" days had fully waned.

Six happy years we labored together, Through sunshine, shadow and windy weather.

With Jones and Pritchett, Quincey and Price— Look at our bunch, don't you think we're nice?

With Dolman, Earnest and Hardison, too, Are you surprised at the work we do? The things we've done for the Federation

Have been discussed throughout the nation. At the biennial meeting held last spring, Our praises Mrs. Floor did proudly sing, And we've furnished the district, here I'll relate: The very best secretary in the State.

With root and Ratliff, Smith and Hooks, We've every reason to be proud of our looks, And since this original manuscript day, No more will our genius waste away.

Still, there's Ferguson, Campbell and Milburn Doss, Without our honorary members we'd feel the loss, So with Merritt, Cooper and McCleary the fort, We have marvelous members, and I'm so glad we know it.

WATCH THE WEST GROW
Stanton.—A meeting of all commissioners' courts and chambers of commerce of the 17 counties containing non-taxable University lands has been called to convene here April 19, by J. V. Bush, manager of the Stanton Chamber of Commerce. A delegate from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be present to help formulate a plan of procedure. The idea of the meeting is for all counties to decide just how they want to handle the situation and let the West Texas Chamber of Commerce attempt to put the proposition over.

Plemons.—A bond election for voting on issuing of \$1,250,000 bonds for paving or hard surfacing roads in Hutchinson county will be held here April 14.

Lampasas.—Distinct pleasure at the reception they received during the Heart of Texas tour was expressed by President Arthur P. Duggon and Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce here at the close of their good-will trip through the Oil Belt district. The tour was started immediately following the banner convention at Baird, March 22, and the itinerary included Cross Plains, Rising Star, Cisco, Gorman, Comanche, Brownwood, Mercury, Brady, and this plate at which point the trip ended. Well attended, enthusiastic meetings greeted the West Texas officials at each town visited.

Graham.—Contract has been let for construction of the road from this point to the Stephen county line.

Austin.—Delegations from a number of West Texas towns met Thursday evening in the Stephen F. Austin Hotel for a preliminary conference under direction of Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to formulate a plan of procedure to be followed at the final

hearing of the State Insurance Commission. The West Texas representatives aimed to fight as a unit against the proposed raise in insurance rate, believing that granting such a raise would sanction and encourage a policy of continued raising of rates annually.

San Angelo.—San Angelo's new sewerage plant will be put into operation within the next few weeks.

Stamford.—The law firm of Andrews and Coombs is to make use of the upper rooms of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce building. Judge Coombs, past mayor of Abilene, will serve, among other duties at the Stamford office, as counsel for the Swenson Cattle and Land company. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce building was erected to care for growing needs of the organization and until such time as expansion will make necessary, the upper floor will be rented out.

Vernon.—A paving program which cost the city and citizens of Vernon approximately \$175,000 has been completed here.

Albany.—The Albany post office has made application to the department for installation of two new sections or a total of 180 new postoffice boxes in order to relieve general delivery congestion.

Lometa.—The sheep raising industry is increasing materially in this section. More and better flocks than ever before are being raised. Most of the spring clip of wool has been contracted for a reasonable price and as a result, many thousands of dollars have been put into circulation here.

Sweetwater.—Work on the Bankhead highway is being pushed to the utmost here so that the 13-mile stretch that has already had the nine-

tributed words, flowers and service in this dark hour.

Harry Loving and Family, Frank Loving and Family, Mrs. M. M. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Free.

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Words can not express our appreciation for the kind and sympathetic words and deeds and the comfort shown us during the illness and death of our loved one, little Dorothy Loving. May God bless all those who so tenderly helped and so lovingly con-

tributed words, flowers and service in this dark hour.
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Colorado Wins First In High School Division; Also Wins In Boys Track

SPADE GETS LOVING CUP

Loraine and Westbrook Carry Off Honors; Loraine Decliners Praised

The Fair and League Meet conducted in Colorado last Friday and Saturday has been pronounced the best in the history of Mitchell county...

In the Rural School division of the County School Fair, Spade won first place as having the best exhibit in three and four teacher school class...

In the two teacher rural school division, Payne won first place with an excellent exhibit. This entitles them to permanent possession of an attractive pennant...

There were larger crowds at all the meetings this year than ever before. The new Colorado high school auditorium made an excellent place for the public speaking events...

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herd, Longfellow, Lowe, Little Sulphur, Iatan, and North Champion were the other contenders and almost every school won at least one ribbon.

The Fair was much more satisfactory this year than last, due to a better understanding as to what was to be exhibited and also as to the number of points to be allowed on the various entries.

All literary events were keenly contested except Boys' Debate, which went to Colorado by default. The Spelling, Essay Writing, Arithmetic, Declaration, 3-R, and Tiny-Tot Story Telling contests all had more entries this year than ever before.

Colorado won the Senior boys' division of the track meet, 57 to 38. Westbrook won the Senior girls' track, Colorado won the Junior girls' track, and Colorado and Loraine tied with 22 points each on Junior boys' track with Westbrook third.

In the literary events of the meet, Conway ranked first and Lone Star second in the rural school division. The best all-around school (literary and athletic) has not yet been determined.

The faculty and student body of the Loraine high school are to be complimented upon the excellent showing made by their entrants in the Spelling contest.

Westbrook took a more active part in the County Meet this year than ever before. Westbrook was very favorably reported on by the high school supervisor who recently visited the high school there...

Following is a partial list of the winners in the various events.

Senior Spelling

Mildred Cook and Sarah Cook, of Colorado, first.

Fred Harrell and Birdie Robertson, Loraine, second.

Lois Ward and Earl Prescott, Lone Star, third.

Junior Spelling

Rowena Richburg and Edna Pearl Nelson, Loraine, first.

Ty Sheppard and Loretta Byrd, of Conway, second.

Nora Mae Hart and Gussie Bledsoe, Westbrook, third.

Sub-Junior Spelling

Princess Martin and Faye Johnston, Loraine, first.

Laverne Terrell and Woodrow Leach, Westbrook, second.

Opal Tillison and Florence McCarty, Longfellow, third.

Tiny-Tot Story Telling Contest

Winniedel Rowland, Loraine, first.

Joe L. Blackard, Buford, second.

Wesley Elliott, Dorn, third.

Arithmetic

Frank Bodzin, Lewis Levinson, Inez Carter, Mary Cook, Sherman Hart, of Colorado, first.

Hughy Burrows and Thelbert Vines, of Dorn, second.

Jess Smith and Mary Smith, Silver Star, third.

Senior High School Boys' Declaration

Robert Hendrix, Loraine, first.

Elmer Lay Powell, Colorado, 2nd.

Senior High School Girls' Declaration

Miss Richard Looby, Loraine, first.

Miss Mary Louise Campbell, Colorado, second.

Miss Winnie Gressett, Westbrook, third.

Junior High School Boys' Declaration

Harold Bennett, Loraine, first.

Lewis Levinson, Colorado, second.

Ralph Ramsey, Westbrook, third.

Junior High School Girls' Declaration

Miss Jennie B. Nason, Westbrook, first.

Alice Harryman, Colorado, second.

Ethelyn Furiou, Loraine, third.

Senior Rural Boys' Declaration

Billie Adrian, Landers, first.

Morgan Charles, Lone Star, second.

Lloyd Holmes, Bauman, third.

Senior Rural Girls' Declaration

Miss Opal Tillison, Lone Star, first.

Miss Ruth Hays, Payne, second.

Miss Ardith Byrd, Conway, third.

Junior Rural Boys' Declaration

Cecil Byrd, Conway, first.

T. D. Hendricks, Little Sulphur, second.

Luther Campbell, Fairview, third.

Junior Rural Girls' Declaration

Hilma Joyce, Spade, first.

Annie Hart, Conway, second.

Ruth Morris, Lone Star, third.

Extemporaneous Speech

Weldon Skinner, Colorado, first.

Vernon Pylant, Lone Star, second.

NEW OIL TEST IN STERLING

Materials have been ordered for a deep test for oil to be drilled by George B. Orr of Holdenville, Okla., on the Reed Ranch in northwestern Sterling county.

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You are hereby commanded, That you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper in the County of Mitchell, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Mitchell County, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. T. Ryals, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Mitchell, at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, on the 11th Monday after the 1st Monday in February, same being the 25th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 4790, wherein Landis Ryals is plaintiff, and J. T. Ryals is defendant.

And for cause of action, plaintiff represents to the Court that she is and has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the said County of Mitchell for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 30th day of March, A. D. 1919, in Fannin County, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, then a single man; that defendant, then a single man; that defendant and wife until on or about the first day of August, A. D. 1923, when, by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

2. Plaintiff alleges that during the time she and defendant lived together as aforesaid, she was kind and affectionate to him, but defendant, unmindful of the duties and obligations of his marital vows, about one year prior to the time of their said separation, began a course of unkind, harsh, cruel and tyrannical treatment toward plaintiff, which continued until plaintiff was forced and compelled to abandon defendant as aforesaid; defendant was a habitual drinker of intoxicating liquor. He would bring to the home of plaintiff men of bad character. Plaintiff alleges further that defendant would make whiskey in their home. That on or about January 1st, 1922, defendant abused plaintiff and when she protested he struck her with his fist, doing her bodily injury.

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Wherefore as the premises considered, plaintiff prays this Court that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, for judgment dissolving said marriage relations; for the custody of the two aforesaid children, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity that she may be justly entitled to.

Attorney for Plaintiff

Jessie R. Jones.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the 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. 1927.

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represents to the Court that she is and has been for the twelve months next preceding the filing of this suit a bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the said County of Mitchell for six months next preceding the filing of this petition; that on or about the 27th day of November, 1910, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant in Tarrant County, Texas; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of May, A. D. 1923, at which time defendant voluntarily and without cause permanently abandoned plaintiff, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife, abandoning her at Hereford, Texas.

Plaintiff alleges that two children whose names and ages are as follows: Inez Jones, age 15, and Grace Jones, age 6, of their aforesaid marriage were born to them; that plaintiff as qualified morally and financially to educate and nurture said children.

Plaintiff alleges that during the time she lived with defendant as his wife she was true to him and fulfilled all her duties and marital vows to the best of her ability; but that Defendant was a man of violent passions who often abused her bodily and with words, being intolerable in his treatment of her; that on or about the 15th day of May, A. D. 1923, defendant struck plaintiff with his hand and abused her and then abandoned her; that he has abandoned plaintiff for three years voluntarily and without the default of plaintiff, having abandoned her at Hereford, Texas, on the date aforesaid.

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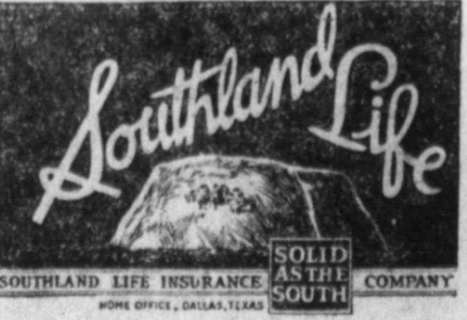
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