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the liberties of the people. Nothing the inberties of the people. Nothing
but the very sternest necessity can ever justify it. A government h
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After the lapse of nearly a year's
engagement of this country in the
great war, some courageous Sena
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seate pictures with which the country
bad been fed upon, had been fed upon, opened up an in-
vestigation of war activities, and vestigation
brought out disclosures. Inasmuch as these mer
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of the Administration at of the Administration at all times in now, it is fair to assume that they were not trying to do anything to discredft the Administration; b
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country found itself through stron representative newspapers and other
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from ever Person in Texas
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-so we'll have no flowers in May.
The bird with the most gorgeous
on plumage
sweetest.
Whats your classification? Helper
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Wowr or hinderer?
are the answer.
 had subscribed $\$ 216,250$.
We need the light to behold a God
of love, to throw a rainbow in our
tears, to weave sighs into songs, to
bring joy out of suffering, and to
show us that earth hath no sorrow
that heaven cannot heal.
Last week a beautiful lady brought
to the Record office a beautiful bou-
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## BOTH ARE RIGHT

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so-called drouth relief bill "one of
the biggest jokes ever put over on the
West by the East Texas law makers," West by the East Texas law makers,"
and the Record is right about it.
The lawmakers who passed the law and the Record is right about it.
The lawmakers who passed the law
were a great deal more interested in were a great deal more interested in
passing a vote getting measure than
they passing a vote getting measure than
they were in providing relief for the
drouth sufferers in the west, if we may be allowed to express our opin-
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the bill provides that the County Commissioners shall pledge the credit
of the county to the state for the funds loaned to the farmers, the county thus becoming responsible for
the money loaned and must repay it the money loaned and must repay it
regardless of whether the person who regardless of whether the person who
used it ever makes an effort to pay
within two years used it ever makes an effort to pay
within two years, and the law makes
no provision for the levy of a special
tax to meet the deficit which is sure
 on hot air while he makes a crop from
the seed bought from the money thus


That which has gone before is the cause of distress in the West. It
not uncommon that in years counted seasonable we have little rain before the latter part of May
in early June, and we have merely n early June, and we have merely in
dulged in a hope thus far that the unusual would happen this spring relieve us of the doruth-stricken co
ditions of last summer and fall. So far we have hoped in vain, a
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where, somehow. Also the time 30 per cent of our farmers are no gone, and others are preparing
move. Unless good rains come soon 0 per cent of our lands will be can be worked.
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## Only 2 More

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## A Straight Talk to You---Read It!

Nobody can be right in everything. Every rich man leaves behind him some bad investments.

Big fortunes are a matter of chance and judgment -using judgment and taking chances.

If you have never made a mistake, you have never made anything else.

It is wise to consider a risk, but sometimes the worst risk is a failure to take a chance.

The farmer is risking a year's income when he plants his crop, but suppose he refused to take a chance?

Extreme caution has saved you the hundred dollars that your neighbor invested, and lost you the thousand he made in profits.

A penny-wise and pound-foolish policy has kept many a man a wage earner through, life, while many another used judgment and took a chance that made him his own boss.

Big fortunes are not made by the four per cent route. "Safety first" doesn't mean holding your savings, but invest them wisely.

Oil is safe. Mother Earth holds millions in oil in storage. Experience, with the aid of science, has taught us where to find it and the best and quickest way to produce it.

The visible supply is rapidly dwindling, the demand rapidly increasing and the price rapidly rising.

If it were coal, steel, corn or potatoes, you would readily agree
It that these conditions make the investment safe, but because you once heard of a man whose grandfather took a chance in oil, but was not given a chance, you have formed the habit of thinking of oil from that standpoint.

Others have done it, why not you?
We have actual production and we want more. We believe our land is the best in the district. We eliminate the entire ganible of the Wild Cat drilling, operating only the proven fields of Texas.


A Pool of Liquid Gold
Three wells--production--and Sposen. Three more wells--then you pay

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Your Chance Think Quick! Act Quick! Think Quick!
Don't wait a minute longer. Oil men that have inspectedour leases in Humble; Goose Creek; Sour Lake; Markham and Brownwood, claim that they are some of the best within actual proven territory that is producing thousands of barrels of oil. These fields prove this beyond reasonable doubt. shares is a thing of the past in the next few days.
Do It Now! Buy Today!

## Rejoice Tomorrow!

Write the Company a cheek or send the money fo rjust as many shares as you can buy. Remember that this is your
chance to get actual oil stock at the price of 20 c per share chance to get actual oil stock at the price of 20 c per share
that will probably be worth DOLLARS per share, where it is now only a few cents.

## A Sure Winning'

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## Decide Now!

You have been thinking for a long time that you would seme day invest in Texas ojl. You waitd for the right opportunity. You have found the proposition now that is certainly the best you ever saw for it holds both possibility of speculative millions and certain profits SURE, with actual production in proven fields.
You can surely spare $\$ 25$ o ninvestment like this, $\$ 50$ or $\$ 100$ would not crank you much. Think what it is reasonably sure to make for you. Think of $\$ 10$ for $\$ 1$ for a year net profits. Think of the untold millions which may lie beneath the pounding of the drill in Texas fields. Join with 7 us now. Send $\$ 25 ; \$ 50 ; \$ 75 ; \$ 100$ or $\$ 500$ if yau like, to combine with the investment of Texas business men who have shown their confidence in the Petro Oil and Refinery Company.

No man knows how soon the stock may be swept off the market at this present offered price. It is quick action from now on. You may be rich with the rest of us. Attaeh your check, money order or bank draft. Get your share now at 20 c per share, not many days longer at this price.

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 thwe will try to publish a complete lis glond countyw Every child in Mitchell county ought to see Jack and the Beanstalk
at the opera house, Friday May 3 .

Jacob's Candy, be
Abe Dolman returned home this Meek from an extended trip over Arizona and reports mos of that country very dry and in hard condition.

Mrs. Bessie Holt (formerly Miss McMurry) is here this week from
Amarillo, visiting her parents Mr and Mrs. R. L. MeMurry.
The greatest fairy tale of them al - shown at the opera house, May 3.

Screen doors pnd wire at Rockwel amber Yard.
Jim Falkerson came in on Tuesday
amess. He says that his home
much worse condition than Mitchell county, and that nea
sto $5^{2}$ The season is now on for ice cream
haro thaw Brothers at Jno. L. Doss, Phar-
Por Indigestion, Constipat Just try one 50 -cent bottle of LAX-ros

save food or $c 0$ on short rations.
fered upon the Judge by the loca
church and is highly appreciated by
Mr. Tayloz certainly deserves much
credit for securing such pictures
Fox's latest end most beautiful pro duction-Jack and the Beanstalk.
will be shown at the opera house will be shown at the opera hous
Friday, May 6. Don't miss it
Lieut. Homer G. Simpson writes
that he is now in the city of Washington, and will likely remain there for s.me time. He has recently been
advanced to a new department advanced to a new department of the
engineers' corps. Is engaged in de veloping a method of making map
from airships by photographic operations. It is something new "under
the sun," and he says humorus) the sun," and he says humorous!
that, of course, he expects to win fame or, at least, promotion. His ad
diress is 6006 Interior Bldg, Wash-
ington, D. C. He would be slad to
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Doors at Rockv ell's Lumber Yard
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Let not only duty but your American pride guide you
Campaign Closes Saturday night
Only 2 more Days to
Double It!
That Subscription to
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'Twould save much needess woe
Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak
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