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Chas. Taylor, Prop.
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Matinee Every Saturday

**Friday and Saturday
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Mary Miles Minter
Presenting
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Colorado's Favorite in a the Splendid Comedy
Rustic Romance

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Impossible Susan by Margaret Fisher
My Lady Nicotine, Billy Rhodes
Watch for date of Next Big Feature

FROM THE OIL FIELDS.

We received the first issue of the Colorado Record with great enthusiasm as an old acquaintance is not appreciated out here as there.

There is not much doing except the constant explosion of large gas engines. We have one and there are several (10 I believe in hearing) going practically all the time.

We were much pleased to meet Charlie Watson and all the girls in Wichita Falls several weeks ago; we also saw the Brewer boy at a distance. Ed Jones is working for the Nunn Electric Co., he is keeping books for that firm. There are several men working over at Burkburnett that were formerly Colorado people.

I am working for the same people that I did at Quanah, only they needed me down here instead of in the grocery business.

Burkburnett is a holy sight to people that never saw an oil field. In fact there is not another town like it in the world. You can imagine a derrick 90 to 120 feet high, a boiler and two steam engines to every lot in Colorado—well, that's some description of Burkburnett. Probably there are 500 to 900 derricks in a square mile, and more scattered all around. The sidewalks are so crowded you have to get out in the middle of the street to walk if you are in a hurry, then you have to be careful or an auto or truck will run over you.

We have 160 acres of land that bears a pay sand at 210 feet, with 30 wells and room for 300 more, but haven't had time to drill them.

The oil game is all new to me. Old

heads say that when you have been in the game two years you have found out that you don't know the business; then you start in to learn.

Yours truly,
FLEM McSPADDEN

NOTICE OF ELECTION
For Colorado Independent School District Trustees

State of Texas, County of Mitchell:
To All Whom this May Concern—
Notice is hereby given that there will be held an election on Saturday, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1919, in Colorado Independent School District, at the Court House in Colorado, Texas, in compliance with an order of the Board of Trustees of said District made on the 3rd day of March, 1919, and the polls in said District will be opened at 8 o'clock A. M., and closed at 6 o'clock P. M. on said day, for the purpose of electing seven school district trustees of said District; four for a two year term; three for a one year term. O. M. Mitchell has been appointed presiding judge to hold said election.

J. C. PRUDE,
Vice President Board of Trustees, of Colorado Independent School District of Colorado, Mitchell County.
Attest: H. C. DOSS, Secretary. 328

If you have clothing, bedding, old shoes, etc., which are of no use to you gather them up for the Red Cross and they will be distributed among the needy people of Europe. If you can't deliver these articles to the Colorado Mercantile Co., phone them and they will be called for.

That was some chip floater!

W. M. COOPER H. C. TIDMORE

COOPER & TIDMORE
LICENSED
Veterinary Surgeons

—All diseases of stock successfully treated.
—We are well equipped and know how.
PHONE 246 or 270 F-12
—Will go anywhere anytime.

OIL

The Record has no news to give out this week about oil in Mitchell County because there is none to give out. There seems to be nobody working at it at this time. No oil men in the field and while our citizens are buying the black land in several parts of the County yet none of them have any prospects of a drilling contract or a deep test being made. Mitchell County now has five well organized oil companies and all seem to think that they will be able to start something pretty soon. They are The Consolidated Oil & Gas Co., The Cuthbert Oil & Gas Co., The Buford Oil & Gas Co., The Seaman Oil Interests and The Wulfjen Ranch Oil Co.

Deep tests are being made all around Mitchell County and several contracts will be closed before the Summer is over.

BUFORD OIL & GAS CO.

On Friday, last, the citizens of the Buford community met and organized an oil company to be known as the Buford Oil & Gas Co. The object of the organization is to block about 20,000 acres and get a deep test drilling contract. All those present, and there was a good gathering, pledged their lands for lease and 14,000 acres was secured at this meeting.

Chas. Hagler was chosen president and James Bodine and W. A. Dulen were selected a committee to correspond with non-resident land owners and secure a lease on these lands.

The meeting was quite enthusiastic and president Hagler is working hard to get up the 20,000 acres.

THE BIG RAIN

It began raining last Friday evening and continued almost without ceasing until Monday morning, showing up a total at Colorado of 3.14 inches, the biggest rain in March in the west in the past 25 years.

The rain was not confined to the territory adjacent to Colorado but fell practically over the entire state. Reports as far west as El Paso show that an unusually heavy fall of rain has been recorded, in places interspersed with heavy snow and sleet. To the south liberal fall is reported, even far down on the semi-arid belt. To the east the precipitation seems to have been unusually heavy. To the north the fall was also heavy. Rotan reports three inches had fallen up to nine o'clock Monday morning and rain was still falling.

The rain was gentle and never hard at any time. The amount of water which flowed away was very small, while on the other hand that absorbed was great. Most of the smaller creeks and ravines in the Colorado country are giving their quotas of floodwater to the Colorado, but the rises on these streams, so far as is learned, was not sufficient to put them out of their banks at any place.

It was one of the best rains which have fallen in this territory any spring for a number of years. Thousands of acres of wheat in Mitchell County alone is expected to receive great benefit and life from the precipitation, although there was no lack of moisture at the time it came, but it will store more for the dry period which follows the early spring month.

The Records rain table for the past sixteen years show the March rain fall to be as follows:

1904.....0.00	1905.....3.05
1906.....1.43	1907.....2.04
1908.....0.33	1909.....0.37
1910.....0.48	1911.....0.72
1912.....0.00	1913.....2.07
1914.....0.40	1915.....0.21
1916.....0.84	1917.....0.00
1918.....0.11	1919.....4.00

Do you want eggs from prize-winning Barred Rocks? Our pen headed by grandson of World's Championship rooster at San Francisco Fair. Eggs \$5.00 per 15. Now booking orders for cockerels, fall delivery. \$5 and \$10 each. LEESDALE POULTRY YARDS, Big Springs, Texas, G. C. Ronte.

FARMERS, NOTICE!

We are selling cotton seed suitable for planting at \$1.50 per bushel. Get your planting seed at Colorado Oil Mill, before they are all gone. Will hold these seed for a few days only.

AN APPEAL

The Abilene Chamber of Commerce sends out the following appeal: "I have recently made a complete investigation and find that if highway number one through Texas is to secure the great Bankhead National Highway, every good roads man in every town on the proposed route will have to get busy and stay busy until the final decision is made.

"The State of Oklahoma, the Pan Handle section of Texas, and New Mexico are working with feverish energy to win out in the National Convention which is to meet in Mineral Wells in April.

"Governor Williams of Oklahoma will head a tremendous delegation to Mineral Wells, and it is their intention to carry the convention. They will do so if we do not get busy at once and be there with a large membership to fight them.

"A route meeting of citizens from all the towns on our route from Fort Worth to El Paso is called for Abilene, Friday afternoon and Friday night to completely organize and arouse more enthusiasm for this National meeting. Among the speakers who are to appear on the program are Hon. Arthur P. Dyer of Dallas, State Secretary Bankhead Highway, and Manager Dallas Automobile Club. Hon. E. H. Lilly, Fort Worth, Judge C. H. Earnest of Colorado and others.

"Meeting will convene at Chamber of Commerce at one thirty p. m. and seven thirty p. m. All people west of Sweetwater can catch the Sunshine Special out of El Paso for Abilene. "Bring a delegation with you.

Yours truly,
B. F. BENNETT
Secretary Chamber of Commerce

DROUTH RELIEF NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all parties wishing to make application to the Commissioners Court of this County for a loan of the \$30,000 drouth relief fund, must have said applications filed with the County clerk on or before April 2nd, A. D., 1919.

All persons making applications must appear before the court at the time the applications are being passed upon by the court.

J. C. HALL,
County Judge Mitchell
County Texas.

Judge A. J. Coe has bought the John Moor brick property just north of the City bank and just as soon as prosperity looks this way this property will be rebuilt and made into one of the best business houses in the town. Judge Coe says as soon as the oil boom starts and the cotton crop is assured there will be something doing.

FELIX JONES CASE CALLED FOR TODAY AT DALLAS

Felix Jones, formerly of Abilene, charged with the murder of Miss Florence Brown, July 28, 1913 was scheduled to go to trial in Judge Seay's criminal district court at Dallas.

J. W. Pierson announced Saturday that the State would be ready for trial.

Jones is under conviction at El Paso for the murder of Thomas Lyons, a wealthy New Mexico cattleman. He has been in jail in Dallas for the past year. He protests his innocence of the Brown murder.

A number of witnesses from Abilene left Sunday for Dallas.

KILLING FROST DATES

The Colorado country has had quite a number of killing frosts in April. The dates for the past years are:

1886—April 5
1896—April 2
1899—April 7
1905—April 16
1907—April 23
1909—April 1
1914—April 9
1915—April 2

Alvin Myhre, an ex-service man, whose home is in Minnesota, but who has been here for sometime with the Greene Tailoring emporium will leave on Sunday next for Amarillo to accept a lucrative position as advertising manager and salesman for a large firm at that place.

Wall paper in the latest designs at

IN THIS WEEK—A CAR LOAD OF

American Beauty FLOUR

The Best Guaranteed Flour on the Market

ALSO A FINE LOT OF

LIVE OAK FLOUR

A Guaranteed Flour, but a Little Cheaper

PHONE US YOUR NEXT ORDER

REMEMBER--- WE WANT YOUR EGGS
WE WANT YOUR BUTTER
WE WANT YOUR TRADE
and are advertising to get it.

Smith & Page
Cash Grocery Store
WITH FREE DELIVERY
Two Doors West of City National Bank

EGGS! EGGS!

Who raised the price of eggs from 20 cents to 30 cents?
Bring me your eggs for cash.
Not a million every three days, but a full train load every day in the week.

A. BORDEAUX,
South Passenger Depot.

MAN ESCAPES DROWNING AND IS EXPOSED ALL NIGHT

Cuthbert, Texas, March 25, 1919.

A sensation was created in our community late Monday afternoon. It was announced that old Daddy Ehl who for the last twenty-five years has lived in Dunn and Ira settlements was missing and was supposed to be drowned. So on Monday night all the available men in the near-by places began with lanterns to search for him around the ford on North Morgan Creek. Being dark, no trace of him could be found until about day break Tuesday. After diligent efforts he was found in the vacant house just west of the Womack School room, known as the Greenfield house. When recovered enough to talk he stated that he had made an attempt to cross the creek but his horse bogged down and he dismounted into the water and mud. He reached the shore on the east bank and saw some dwelling houses, all of which proved vacant. His horse went westward to the Lewis place where a young man named Rogers, seeing the horse without a rider began a search for the rider. The longer he searched, the more alarmed he became until near sunset he reached a telephone. The news began to be spread.

Mr. Ehl said that in getting across the creek all the matches in his pocket became wet and when he got out upon dry land he could not make a fire. He had no food with him. Night came on and he resorted to the dwelling house where he had remained wet all night. When found he could scarcely walk. By the time he arrived at Cuthbert a nice lunch with hot coffee and a good fire had been prepared. Dry shoes and socks were given him and he was accompanied home by some of his rescuers.

Consider this man and his family all you Red Cross workers. It is reported that three of his sons have passed away as victims of influenza. His son-in-law, Columbus Van Zandt, is now in bed suffering from typhoid fever. The well ones of the family are barely able to nurse and care for the sick. What a sad greeting awaits the coming young soldier from Germany.

We must not utter a word to discourage the work of the Red Cross in its efforts to relieve the sufferings of war-ridden Europe—No! Never. All the gold that could be drawn by a Mogul engine would not buy the necessities to prevent suffering in some parts of the world, but here is a chance to work at close quarters. Here is a family in need, but are not beggars. If any Red Cross workers want an object lesson here, please for

S. W. THOMAS OF ASPERMONT WAS KILLED LAST TUESDAY

Anson, Texas, March 25.—Sam W. Thomas, postmaster of Aspermont, was shot and instantly killed in the postoffice building at that place at 11:00 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The deceased was shot four times. Stonewall Jackson, an old-time resident of Aspermont is under arrest, charged with the shooting. The shots were fired through a window to the postoffice building.

Thomas had been postmaster at Aspermont for about five years, prior to which time he was editor and publisher of the Aspermont Star.

PRICES ON ICE

PLENTY OF ICE ON HAND
AND AM READY TO DELIVER

PRICES OFF THE WAGON.

300 lb at 60c per 100	\$1.80
100 lb at 70c per 100	.70
50 lb at 80c per 100	.40
40 lb at 80c per 100	.35

All amounts less than 40 pounds will be 1 cent per pound.

PRICES AT THE VAULT

300 lb at 50c per 100	\$1.50
100 lb at 60c per 100	.60
50 lb at 70c per 100	.35
40 lb at 80c per 100	.30

All amounts less than 40 pounds at 90 cents per 100 pounds.

THE BEST BUY IN TEXAS

That's What a Satisfied Stockholder in Beaver Valley Oil and Refining Co. Says

DO YOUR STOCK SHOPPING EARLY

Delay of a day or two may mean that this refinery allotment is all gone. It is possible that you will always regret failing to buy when you had the opportunity. Thousands in Texas are making money out of oil investments. It's your turn now. Perhaps you have been undecided as between offers. We wouldn't ask you to buy on meager information. Ask us for full information, if you wish. We'll reserve a reasonable number of shares for you a few days. THE PRICE OF THIS ISSUE IS \$1.25 A SHARE.

WHOOPI' 'ER UP AT CISCO

Our Board of Directors have approved plans for our 2,000-barrel refinery at Cisco. She's a sure 'nough refinery using a new but fully proven method. We are advised that a pipe line will be laid this year from the Ranger field to Cisco, which means that we can get our oil at a minimum cost. Refining is a 'big business. It pays huge profits. If we produce our own oil in sufficient quantities to keep the refinery busy, the refinery expert tells us that we can net about two million dollars a year. Figure it out for yourself what the profits ought to be to stockholders in a \$600,000 company.

A Texas Corporation. Capital \$600,000. All Common Stock and Non-assessable.

WHY ARE WE SELLING STOCK?

That's a perfectly natural question for you to ask. Why does the Cosden Company, the Sinclair Company, and even the great Texas & Pacific Oil Co. sell stock after it's a great producing company? Every big company wants each of its departments to take care of itself. There's nothing unusual about a big company selling stock. We have practically proven acreage in several counties. We also have production. Our directors have planned a great drilling campaign for this year. They want the oil producing department to take care of the drilling. Therefore they have offered a limited amount of the capital stock to build the refinery. It will be entirely separate from the producing department. But every dollar you invest in the company's stock shares in the net returns of every department of the company. Every net dollar that it makes from every source you have an interest in.

ANOTHER BEAVER VALLEY WELL SPRAYS OIL

Our Melvin No. 1, in the town of Ranger, sprayed oil last week before the tools got to the sand. Think of a well spraying oil while yet drilling in the lime! We have set the 6-inch casing and probably by the time you are reading this the well will have been drilled into the sand. We are not making any wild guesses on this well. You know what many wells are making at Ranger. This may be as good as the best of them. It surely is an oil producer. Look at your map. Find the 25-acre Hindman tract, a few miles northwest of Ranger. That's ours. Oil flowed over the derrick of a Texas & Pacific well that adjoins this tract. Just east of it is the big Whitson well. You can't tell. That tract might make us a million dollars in a year. We're going to drill on it right away. If you want Beaver Valley stock, we'd advise buying before that well starts, for, remember, it is an offset to the Texas & Pacific well.

BEAVER VALLEY OIL AND REFINING CO. CISCO, TEXAS.

UNION ITEMS.

The general health of the community is very good.

Bro. Hanks filled his regular appointment to the delight of all his hearers. His theme was on "tithing" which was strong and to the point.

Sunday school was rained out last Sunday.

According to general reports our literary school is doing well.

Mr. R. D. Hart, O. R. McCreeless and a crowd of ladies attended quarterly conference at Colbert last Saturday. Rube and Roy report a good meeting and say they got a good dinner, but the ladies are still to be heard from.

Mr. Hobs, living on Jake Chesney place tells of a rattle snake hunt. He says one day last week they killed three and let seven get away. But he located their den and a bunch of men went to the same place today and killed two and let six get away. The war is on for snakes. I also heard of some kids in the Plainview community when snake hunting a few days ago, killed twenty.

Since last Saturday morning we have abundance of rain general opinion is about four inches, which gives us a very fine planting season.

There has been quite a lot of com-

plaint in this community about sick horses. Two died last week. One of Emmet McCallum's and one of Mr. Hobs. Let everybody remember that this is the spring of the year when all stock, especially horses, needs a tonic of some kind. We have no horses to spare at this critical time. Commissioner Bird came over last Friday and put in a fine culvert, which was much needed. He not only had some good work done, but helped do it.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL?

Many Colorado People Know the Importance of Healthy Kidneys.

The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. Well kidneys remove impurities. Weak kidneys allow impurities to multiply.

No kidney ill should be neglected. There is possible danger in delay. If you have backache or urinary troubles.

If you are nervous, dizzy or worn out.

Begin treating your kidneys at once. Use a proven kidney remedy.

None endorsed like Doan's Kidney Pills.

Recommended by thousands. Proved by Snyder testimony.

Mrs. O. I. McClinton, Snyder, Tex. says: "At times my back was weak and lame and so stiff that when I bent over, I could hardly get up again I had dizzy spells and headaches, and was nervous. Every time I have been this way, I have used Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have never failed to relieve me."

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

We will gladly arrange delivery to suit your own convenience if you will call today and have us take your measure. You know the splendid style, fit and workmanship we always deliver.—Tom Hughes, Expert Tailoring.

Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic

restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening effect. Price 50c.

WESTBROOK ITEMS

Westbrook was visited by another good rain last week. It began falling Friday afternoon and continued through Sunday night. Something near 4 inches fell. This was fine—the best ever known to fall here in March.

Rev. A. F. Ford of Las Vegas, N. M., was buried here Sunday. Rev. Ford was a minister of the Baptist church and while he was never called to serve this church as a pastor, he held a meeting here thirteen years ago, and made many friends, some of whom still live here. He was buried in the W. O. W. cemetery by the side of his daughter, Hattie. He leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn his death. Those who accompanied his remains from Las Vegas were his son, Oscar Ford and son-in-law Mr. Brown. Rev. Robert Williams of Abilene conducted the funeral services.

Misses Bessie Golden and Pauline Felker spent the week end with friends in Colorado.

J. E. Skelton returned from Sulphur Springs Tuesday, where he had been called to the bedside of his brother-in-law, C. E. Wright, who passed out on Monday the 17th. Mr. Wright came west in 1915 for the benefit of his health. He made Westbrook and Colorado his home for several years, and his cheerful disposition made him a favorite among both old and young. He was a bright young man, ambitious and industrious frequently doing more than he was able to do, thereby hastening his death. His body was tenderly laid to rest in the Sulphur Springs cemetery, to await the resurrection morn.

JOYFUL EATING

Unless your food is digested without the aftermath of painful acidity, the joy is taken out of both eating and living.

KI-MOIDS

are wonderful in their help to the stomach troubled with over-acidity. Pleasant to take—relief prompt and definite.

MADE BY SCOTT & BOWNE. MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION

He leaves to mourn his death, a wife and two small children, and a number of other relatives and friends. We extend our sincerest sympathy to the bereaved loved ones.

Mrs. Wright and children and Mrs. D. Bradford returned to Westbrook with Mr. Skelton to make their home.

H. H. Griffin returned from Fort Worth, Saturday, after a stay of several months.

Mrs. Bertha Barber has recently returned from New Mexico to make her home on her farm south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Colorado were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Oliver, Tuesday.

Claude Bell of Big Spring is spending a few days in Westbrook.

The chicken pox in and around Westbrook is getting better. No new cases reported lately.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ramsey were shopping in Colorado Tuesday.

The Strong Withstand the Winter Cold Better Than the Weak

You must have Health, Strength and Endurance to fight Colds, Grip and Influenza. When your blood is not in a healthy condition and does not circulate properly, your system is unable to withstand the Winter cold.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILI TONIC

Fortifies the System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. It contains the well-known tonic properties of Quinine and Iron in a form acceptable to the most delicate stomach, and is pleasant to take. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Miss Lois Prothro is now in charge of the studio at Colorado. Miss Prothro is an all around professional photographer of the first class. We guarantee that her work will please you. If you wish a nice portrait of yourself or your children, give her a trial. Bring in your films to be developed and printed.

Films Developed 10 cents per roll. The best cyko prints on paper or post cards, 4 cents each.

WILLIS ART GALLERY.

MONUMENTS.

E. Keathley has my designs at his office, Colorado, Texas. Call there and select what you want in the monument line.

S. M. JOHNSON, Sweetwater, Texas.

Get it at W. L. Doss' drug store without comment.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

The Colorado National Bank vs. J. P. Scott, No. —

Whereas by virtue of an alias execution issued out of the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1917 in favor of said The Colorado National Bank and against the said J. P. Scott, No. 1253 on the docket of said court, I did on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1919 levy upon the following described tract of land situate in the County of Mitchell in the State of Texas, to-wit:

An undivided one-twelfth (1-12) interest in and to section number twenty (20), in block 25 of the Texas

and Pacific Railway Co. surveys in Mitchell County, Texas, being all of the said J. P. Scott's interest in said section or any part thereof; land being known generally as the A. L. Scott land in Northeastern part of the county;

And on the 6th day of May A. D. 1919, being the First Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and will sell at public vendue, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. P. Scott in and to said property.

Colorado, Texas, March 22, 1919. W. J. CHESNEY, Sheriff Mitchell County.

When You

Trust your money to anyone, what guarantee do you have? If you trust your money with us we offer you the PROTECTION of a

State Guaranty Fund Bank

which means all unsecured and non-interest bearing deposits are protected by the State of Texas State Bank Guaranty Fund. We are also a Member of the

Federal Reserve System

The First State Bank

GEO. B. SLATON, Cashier
A. A. DORN, President

MODERN STRATEGY

All life-time is a school of strategy—a game of war upon germs and tendencies which, unless thwarted, weaken the system and invite disease. Modern health-strategy dictates the use of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

as a reliable means of thwarting the enemies of strength. Scott's is Nature's ally and its rich tonic and strength-supporting properties are known, with satisfaction, to millions. Build up your strength with the nourishing qualities of Scott's Emulsion.

NEW CHARTER FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Referring to the present indebtedness and income from various sources of the Colorado Independent School District, and for the information of the public, the Board of Trustees, wish to make the following statement:

The present bonded indebtedness of this district now is the sum of \$17,500, the original issue of bonds for buildings, was for the sum of \$25,000. The first issue being for the sum of \$15,000, which was used in the construction of the building that unfortunately burned a few years after completion. On this building insurance was carried for the sum of \$10,000, and in order that a suitable building be erected in its stead, it was necessary for another issue of bonds for the sum of \$10,000 and with the insurance money and with this issue of bonds, the present building was erected.

The Board paid off \$7,500 of the bonds of the first issue a few years back, but the remaining \$7,500 of this issue will not mature until 1926. and the second issue of \$10,000 will be due in 1930.

With only a 50 cents tax levy, being the limit allowed for school purposes in this district, and out of this amount it is necessary that provision be made for a sinking fund, and payment of interest accruing on the bonds. After this deduction, the remaining amount is for maintenance, which is wholly inadequate to operate the school successfully, under the old charter, and we had no recourse, there being many disadvantages hampering the Board in conducting the school.

In order that the situation might be relieved the Board had prepared a new charter, and on the convening of the legislature in Austin, in January, asked for its enactment, with an emergency clause. This bill was passed early in the session, and the privileges embodied in this new charter, granting the Board authority to fix the rendition of the property in this district in order that funds may be raised to meet the demands of the school for operating purposes, with the 50 cents tax levy. This gives the Board the appointment of its own tax assessor and collector of taxes, and the Board has full power as exercised by the Conaty, and in future we hope for vast improvement in the operation of our school.

Do you realize when our army was mobilized, the proportion of boys who could neither read nor write was alarming.

Some will claim that taxes are high enough, but you should remember that this money is to be used in the education of our children.

We ask the continued loyal co-operation of the patrons of the school, and for better educational advantages in this, the Colorado Independent School District.

Respectfully,
BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Ladies, get Colorite, guaranteed and will not fade, at W. L. Doss.

SAVED BY A FAITHFUL WIFE

Suffered Thirty Years With Stomach Trouble and Hemorrhages of the Bowels.

The Story of a Wonderful Recovery

There is hardly any one who does not experience some trouble with the stomach. It is so common that we frequently pay little or no attention to it. Yet, the stomach is very easily upset, and catarrhal inflammation of the mucous lining develops, grows worse—the pain and distress is incessant and the truth dawns that we have chronic stomach trouble.

The case of Mr. Louis Young, 205 Merrimac St., Rochester, N. Y., is typical. He writes: "I suffered for thirty years with chronic bowel trouble, stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels. We bought a bottle of Peruna and I took it faithfully. I began to feel better. My wife persuaded me to continue and I did for some time as directed. Now I am a well man." Mr. Young's experience is not unusual.

If you suffer from catarrh in any form, whether of the head, stomach, bowels or any other part of the body, try Peruna. It may be just what you need. Peruna comes in either liquid or tablet form and is sold everywhere. Your dealer has it or will get it for you. Ask for Dr. Hartman's World-Famous Peruna Tonic and insist upon having it. If you want your health accept nothing else.

All the sick and suffering are invited to write The Peruna Company, Dept. 78, Columbus, Ohio, for Dr. Hartman's Health Book. The book is free and may help you. Ask your dealer for a Peruna Almanac.



Finest Burley Tobacco Mellow-aged till Perfect + a dash of Chocolate

Tuxedo
The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

"Your Nose Knows"

Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED

SALVATION ARMY RESPECTED

(From Pittsburgh, Pa., Post). The universal respect with which the Salvation Army workers in France are held, is attested by sailors aboard American transports carrying wounded American soldiers home on furloughs.

"I have talked with scores of American soldiers aboard the transport on which I am stationed," one said, "and I am amazed at their expressions of love and affection for the Salvation Army. One of these boys, who had lost an arm and leg at the Marne, told me that he owes his life to a lassie who gave him a glass of lemonade just as he was attacked with a fever. The surgeon told him that he could not have survived the double amputation had the fever got him."

"Another wounded boy told me he felt himself slipping into the great beyond when he heard a Salvation Army lassie whispering to him to have faith in God. He said that somehow this awakened within him a desire to live, and after she had given him some lemonade, he began to mend immediately. He told me that he always had been a rough guy, but that now he would be glad to speak a good word for the Salvation Army wherever he went. He's a hopeless invalid now, half of his lung having been shot away, but if praise of the Salvation Army will widen its influence, then he will prove a valuable auxiliary."

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

Be it hereby ordained by the City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas, that a City Election will be held at the court house in the City of Colorado, Mitchell county, Texas, on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1919 the same being the first day of the month; for the purpose of electing a Mayor and three aldermen, and a City Secretary, for the City of Colorado.

F. A. Winn is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist in holding same, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding other elections. Every male person who has attained the age of 21, and has paid his poll tax in and for the City of Colorado, and has resided in the City limits of said city for six months next preceding the date of said election, is a qualified voter, under the laws of the State of Texas, and shall be entitled to vote at said election, and it is further ordered that notice of said election be published, as required by law.

F. M. BURNS, Mayor Pro. tem

300-BARREL WELL IN PECOS COUNTY.

El Paso, March 28.—According to a message, receipt of which was announced here by Alfred Tinnally, head of the Sunshine Oil Corporation, the E. A. Reilly test, one and a half miles west of Sheffield, Pecos County, developed an oil well of 300 barrels estimated production in eight feet of sand in the Strawn formation at a depth of 2,850 feet. They are casing it off and going down to the "bend" formation, it is said.

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CRANFILL'S CHRONICLE.

J. B. Cranfill Discusses the Oil Business, Giving His Views Concerning Oil Speculations and Investments.

I was one of the pioneers in the Ranger oil field. Late last February I went to Ranger. At that time there were only two oil wells there—the McCleskey and the Walker. I did not know how big the oil field there was, nor do I know now, but I at once became convinced that Ranger was to be a big town and that tremendous profits were in store for investors and speculators who would intelligently enter and occupy this field. One of the investments I made was the purchase of the lot 25x140 feet on which the Mecca Cafe now stands. I paid \$3,500 for this lot, and soon thereafter leased it to K. T. Scott at \$100 a month with the understanding that at the end of the lease the building was to revert to me. This is the cafe, featured in a recent article in the Dallas News. Scott sold his lease the other day for \$12,000 profit, and if I had not up to this time leased the property I could get \$300 a month for it, but I am no hog. I am perfectly well satisfied with my lease because the returns are paying out the property, and at the end of the term I will have a good building, and will then be able to secure for the lease a price commensurate with its increased valuation. I bought, in whole or in part, several other lots there and am well satisfied with all of them.

I made other investments in Ranger the biggest one being the purchase of an undivided one-fourth interest in the royalties of Mr. Nannie Walker and her children, who own 477 acres of land right at Ranger on which was located the original Walker well. I paid \$50,000 for this interest, and it is now worth some \$200,000. Do not get excited here, kind reader, I did not keep this interest, but sold all but \$1,000 of the ground floor. I am a trader, and am subject to foolish spells. I take one of these spells every time I am offered a substantial profit on any investment, and promptly sell. I made other investments in the oil fields, some in Erath County, some in the Burk Burnett field, some in Stephens County, and some in Young County.

I have bought no stock in any company. I had some experience in oil stocks in the Beaumont field when Spindletop was in the zenith of its glory. I was president of a company which drilled in three of those mammoth oil gushers, one of which was reported to yield 100,000 barrels a day, but I want nothing more to do in stock buying or stock selling. I made money in the Beaumont field just as I am making money in the new fields. I sold my stock and holdings in the Beaumont field, and took my profits. I advised all of my friends to do the same, but some who bought stock in the company of which I was president, not satisfied with 100 to 500 per cent, held their stock, and when the collapse of the Beaumont oil fields came they lost their money. I am volunteering some gratuitous advice to my friends everywhere. This advice is based on my own observation and experience, and I believe it is sound. If you want to make money in the oil business in any of the fields, join hands with some of your reliable friends, organize a syndicate and buy royalties or leases, handle them intelligently and you stand to make profits. Many of the stocks that are being offered are valueless. Take for instance the history of the Beaumont field. Out of 970

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companies chartered there, only eight survived after the crash came, and some of these at least were branches of the Standard Oil Company. The town of Burk Burnett is repeating the history of Spindletop. The town itself now is little less than a pepper-box turned right side up with oil flowing out of the holes. The field may last sixty days, six months or even longer, but its destiny is already sealed. It is different in other parts of Wichita County. For instance, the investment I made in the Burk Burnett field was the purchase of a royalty interest in 340 acres of land which begins about one and a half miles northwest from Fowler No. 1. Only last week a 1000 barrel well was brought in within a few hundred feet of our line. If this 340 acres is oil land, as we hope and believe it is, and is properly drilled, the owners of the lease and of the royalties will make handsome profits, but the town of Burk Burnett as an oil field will soon be just as Spindletop is—a sad and tearful reminiscence. This is to be said, however, in favor of a longer tenure of life for the Burk Burnett field—they are not drilling their wells quite so close together as was the case at Spindletop. A lot twenty feet square was big enough for a well at Spindletop, and some companies were organized on a basis of \$250,000 to \$500,000 capital on these lots 20x20 feet, and thousands of eager speculators bought their stock. They are repeating these speculative gymnastics now concerning the newly discovered fields, all of which reminds me of my old stanza:

"The fools are not all dead
And I'll tell you the reason why:
Because the little fools grow up
Before the old fools die."
The only sensible plan for an oil speculator or investor to adopt is to put into any oil speculation or investment only such money as he can afford to lose. No one who is going to grieve over lost money has any business investing in any phase of the oil game. Mind you, my candid opinion is that the making of large fortunes in Texas oil speculations and

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The Record man this week lost a mighty good milk cow from milk fever. Up to this time we have been having corn bread and milk, but now we'll go it on corn bread alone. We have always heard it said "them that has must lose." Some people we know could not lose even a milk cow.

The Record, so far has been unable to secure a printer, and several jobs from Big Spring and Sweetwater has caused us to work at night all the week. We were enabled on Tuesday to pick up a farmer who also claimed to be a printer, and we have worked him 16 hours each day until we have gotten most of the hay seed out of his hair. We hope to secure a regular man soon, so we can give more attention to the paper.

We call the attention of our readers this week to the new advertisement of Messers Cooper & Tidmore, graduate and licensed veterinarians, commonly called "horse doctors." This firm is W. M. Cooper and H. C. Tidmore. Mr. Cooper is well known in this county among the stockmen and has had a reasonable measure of success in the veterinary line. Mr. Tidmore is a new man, coming here from East Texas, and comes highly recommended as a citizen and veterinary surgeon. Read their ad and use the phone if your stock gets sick.

West Texas wheat crop is now almost assured. Oscar Price has 100 acres as fine as ever grew with a light rain in May this crop will make 20 to 30 bushels, and at the government price of \$2.26 Oscar will pocket \$4,520 at least. Not much over a year ago this land was bought for \$25 per acre, and this wheat crop alone promises \$45 per acre, besides the pasturage that has already been had from it.

Joseph W. Bailey has announced that the Democratic party has ceased to support Democratic principles, and hence he will not support the party. Joe Bailey once stumped this state for prohibition, and now that prohibition is to become nation wide Joe quits the party. Dr. Cranfill once quit the party because of prohibition but he was far sighted enough to see the trend, and he hurried back into the fold. Joe Will become reconciled and come back. If he should not the loss to the party will not be great. Joe's had his day.

"If we strike oil things will hum and if we get rains during this month there will be some humming anyhow. There is no guess work about crops here if we get rain occasionally."—Snyder Signal.

The rains have come, brother, and come a-plenty—we already hear the humming.

Postmaster John W. Person has on hand and was exhibiting the new issue of Victory Stamps. The design presents a standing figure of Liberty Victorious, with a background composed of the flags of the five countries which were most actively engaged in the cause. The figure of Liberty is helmeted, the upper part of the body is encased in scale armor and a flowing skirt falls to the feet. The right hand grasps a sword, the point of which rests on the ground at the feet of the figure, the left arm

is partially extended, and the hand holds a balance scale, representing justice. Back of the figure appears the American flag; at the left are draped the British and Belgian flags and at the right the Italian and French flags. The whole design appears upon a shaded panel. Extending across the top, in a straight line of Roman capital letters, is the inscription "U. S. Postage." At the bottom, directly beneath the figure is the word "Cents" flanked by circles containing the numeral 3 in each lower corner of the stamp. The issue of these stamps, will be small and will not be sufficient to take the place of the regular 3-cent stamp now in use.

WEST TEXAS DISGUSTED.
 Pecos, Texas, Feb.—East Texas interference is driving West Texans into a mood to want a new state, all their own, if the telegram sent from Pecos to Austin by Jack C. Love is a criterion. Oil may yet be the cause of cutting old Texas in two.

Mr. Love in giving out a copy of a telegram he sent in response to one from Wichita Falls, said: "It looks as if when we are getting something started for West Texas, the fellows over in East Texas try to knock us out of it."
 The telegram to Mr. Love from Wichita Falls was from Porter Whaley and said:
 "Send wire immediately to your representative at Austin signed by 50 or more leading citizens protesting against the McTaylor bill, which will kill oil development in West Texas and kill the lease business. It is disastrous legislation. Get wire to Austin Tuesday morning at the latest."
 Mr. Love's reply to Mr. Whaley follows:
 "Message received and is having attention. Don't you think it is about time we should have a new state and make Sweetwater or Abilene the capital? Let the east line run between Fort Worth and Dallas, leaving Dallas and Austin outside; take San Antonio in. If this meets with your approval, kindly agitate same."

Heretofore the School Board has had some difficult problems to solve, especially the one of securing enough funds to run the school for nine, or even eight months. The loss of the high school building by fire a couple of years ago necessitated the issuance of new bonds, which made a pretty heavy load on the district.
 But the Board always has had among its members several good, level headed business men, and the financial affairs have been well handled, and the Record wishes to pay them a compliment, instead of giving them a knock, as so many people unthoughtedly do.
 This is a thankless position in any community and it is hard to get good men to take up the work, as it takes time and no inconsiderable worry and inconvenience. But if we would educate our children, some one must serve in this capacity, and let us select the best men our town affords for the place. All the names suggested above, are men of sterling worth, prominent and good citizens, and you would not make a mistake by voting for any one of them.
 If you want the old Board reelected come and vote for them showing them that you do want them, and paying them the compliment of saying by your vote that you do want them. If you do not want them, or any one of them, then come and vote for the man or woman you do want.

Yes! Everybody Takes Cascarets
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Feel bully! Cheer up! Take Cascarets to liven your liver and clean the bowels and stop headaches, biliousness, bad breath, coated tongue, sallowness, sour stomach and gases. Tonight take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand—Everybody's doing it. Cascarets best laxative for children. They gladly take this pleasant candy cathartic because it never gripes or sickens like other things.

The oil excitement has subsided and all is as serene as oil on the troubled waters.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION NEXT WEEK.

The First Saturday in April is the time to elect a Board of Trustees for Colorado Independent School District, and the people of Colorado are urged to go to the polls and vote. In several instances in the past, this election has gone by default, or has created so little interest that few votes were cast.

We call attention to an article in this issue from the Board, which explains about the new charter which they have procured for this district which will enable the Board to give a longer term of school, and to pay better salaries to teachers, both of which is badly needed.

An entire new board of seven members will be elected, and while tickets will be furnished the voters at the polls, with names printed thereon, it is not compulsory to vote for the men whose names appear on the ticket. You can scratch any or all the names on the ticket if you desire to do so, and write any others thereon that you wish to vote for, but remember you can only vote for seven. If you write two new names, be sure you scratch two of the printed ones.

The following list of names will likely be on the ticket:
 H. S. Beal
 R. P. Price
 J. C. Prude
 H. C. Doss
 R. B. Terrell
 J. M. Thomas
 Sam L. Majors.

These gentlemen compose the old board with the exception of Sam Majors who is filling a vacancy.

In addition to these a number of other good men have been suggested to the Record, and we print them, so that voters may take their choice:

Joe H. Smoot
 H. L. Hutchinison
 J. R. Sheppard
 A. A. Dorn
 T. W. Stoneroid.

Several ladies names were also suggested but we do not print them because some of them declined the honor and did not care to have their name presented. However women are eligible and voters have a perfect right to vote for women to be placed on the board. Many places now have women on the School Boards, and in most instances it is a very satisfactory arrangement. There are a number of good women in Colorado who are thoroughly capable of filling this position.

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SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the **FIRST TREATMENT** is most important. When an **EFFICIENT** antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, **BOROZONE** is the **IDEAL ANTISEPTIC and HEALING AGENT**. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Adv

The Oklahoma Legislature has voted \$50,000,000 for highways. Texas will vote \$75,000,000. There will be a fight to the finish between the States for the Bankhead Highway.

Colonel E. M. House has said that the peace treaty including the League of Nations covenant would be ready for signatures by March 29th.

The legislature adopted a law prohibiting aliens from acquiring title to land in Texas.

THE FIFTH IS COMING.

The fifth or "Victory" loan bond campaign is to be pulled off the latter part of April. It will be for five billion dollars and as much more as may be subscribed. This money is to pay war bills already contracted, and to bear the expense of bringing the soldier boys back home. It is true, the war is over, but Americans must pay the war bills, hence it is a patriotic duty for every person who can possibly do so to buy as many Victory bonds as possible.

Mitchell county must exceed her full quota, just as she has done in previous campaigns for war funds.

Try This For Sour Stomach.
 Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly. Eat but little meat and none at all for supper. If you are still troubled with sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's Tablets before going to bed.

The Victory Loan Campaign begins April 21st. Dr. P. C. Coleman is county chairman, with J. H. Greene as chairman of the publicity committee. The Record will work with these men and endeavor to give the Victory Loan all the publicity possible. We do not yet know what the quota for Mitchell county is, but surely our county will go over the top. In our issue of April 18th we want to make it a Liberty Loan issue as much as possible, and have donated a half page ad to the publicity committee to run through the campaign. There are quite a number of people who cannot buy bonds, but who will contribute a small amount to advertise the bond campaign. The Record will do more than its share and will buy bonds if we have to borrow the money to do so.

Oil, Gas and Abstracts

Get ready for the Oil Boom by having your land titles straightened up, it will prevent being crowded at a time when many will be wanting abstracts made all at once.

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RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$427,114.85
United States Bonds (par)	25,000.00
United States Certificates of Indebtedness	21,000.00
Liberty Bonds	21,470.00
War Savings Stamps	846.00
Banking House and Real Estate	11,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	6,000.00
Bills of Exchange, Cash and Exchange	113,004.72
Total	\$625,435.57
LIABILITIES:	
Capital	\$100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	24,805.79
Circulation	25,000.00
Bills Payable	31,000.00
Rediscounts	102,600.00
Deposits	242,029.78
Total	\$625,435.57

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Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royce City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me... but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable... I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

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GARRETT BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT SETTLED

Richmond, Tex., Mar. 18.—The breach of promise suit of Mrs. Bessie Lee Garrett vs. B. N. Garrett was transferred from the Harris County District Court to the Fourth Bend District Court and an agreed decree was filed in which Mrs. Garrett is to receive \$100 in cash and custody of the three minor children, and \$150 per month for the support of the children.

The defendant obligates himself to provide a home for Mrs. Garrett to cost not less than \$5,000 nor more than \$10,000, the title to be vested in the children and not to be sold until the youngest child becomes of age unless with the joint consent of Mrs. Bessie Lee Garrett and B. N. Garrett.

The case has excited much interest throughout the State.

Garrett was arrested on a white slave charge as he went to California and persuaded his divorced wife to return to Texas, promising to marry her after reaching Houston, secured the children from her and then married a young Houston girl, Mrs. Bessie Lee Garrett thereupon sued him for \$100,000 for breach of promise and custody of the three minor children.

Garrett is president of the Houston Bank and Trust Company and quite wealthy. His present wife, formerly Miss Zurline Larkin, two weeks ago brought suit against him for divorce, alleging cruel treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett lived in Colorado when they were married, and are well known by many people here.

MARY MILES MINTER THE GHOST OF ROSA TAYLOR

The play is a wonderful bit of drama, full of the precise sort of action that so well becomes the American-Mutual premiere. Miss Minter makes the most of some really amazing chances.

"The Ghost of Rosa Taylor" does not depend on captioning for continuity. It is a cohesive, clever plot and a clean, amusing story that thrills with interest in every one of its odd situations.

See this beautiful picture at The Best Theatre Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee.

Coming next week.—Impossible Susan by Margarette Fisher.

Bad Taste in Your Mouth.

When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know that your digestion is faulty. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You will find this to be one of the best medicines you have ever become acquainted with.

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Have your last year's suit dyed and remodeled into the latest style.—Tom Hughes, Expert Tailoring. Clothes called for and delivered.

ESTABLISHES PUBLIC INFORMATION BUREAU

STATE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM HAS CORRESPONDENCE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

SERVICE OPEN TO ALL ALIKE

Estimates Economic Loss to State at Ninety Million Dollars Per Year From This One Cause.

For the benefit of those who have tuberculosis, and for agencies interested in the stamping out of the disease the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, located at Carlsbad, Tom Green County, Texas, maintains a Bureau of Correspondence and Information for the dissemination of knowledge on the prevention and treatment of tuberculosis. The matter is primarily one of education and, recognizing this, the Thirty-Fifth Legislature made an appropriation of \$20,000.00 to be used by the Sanatorium, "For lecturing in colleges, schools and public gatherings, publishing pamphlets, books, and literature to be circulated, including general work to educate the public, and prevent as much as possible the spread of tuberculosis."

Service to the Tuberculous.

The Bureau obtains names of the tuberculous from physicians, anti-tuberculosis societies, ex-patients of the Sanatorium and others. To the tuberculous, and others interested, are mailed pamphlets bearing on the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis. A special effort has been made to get in contact with Texas soldiers discharged from army camps on account of tuberculosis.

Service to the Physician.

Once each month a carefully selected article on methods and treatment is mailed out to all the physicians of the State and it is believed this service is appreciated. Tuberculosis is one of the most curable of diseases, provided treatment is begun in time. If this was not true half of the population or more would die from it.

Importance of Instructing Children.

It has been said that if all children could be protected from infection tuberculosis would be stamped out in a decade. This somewhat exaggerates the truth, but it is now believed by competent authorities that tuberculosis is rarely, if ever, contracted in adult life. The infection takes place in childhood and later, usually in young manhood at a time when the system is weakened either through disease, excesses, mental or physical strain, the breakdown comes.

Fortunately, it is not a difficult matter to protect the young. To do so requires only that those who have active cases of tuberculosis be required to avoid infecting others. Practically the only way of spreading infection is through the sputum, therefore if the sputum of consumptives was carefully collected and destroyed, one of the main sources would have been controlled. Those consumptives who fail to protect the public in this way should be placed in special institutions just as lunatics or criminals. Other common ways of infecting others are: through kissing, and coughing and sneezing without covering the face. Where children are exposed to infection in the home the consumptive should be isolated from them as much as possible. Separate utensils should be provided—or at any rate all dishes used by the consumptives should be boiled after use.

No Danger to Others.

A careful consumptive is not a danger to anyone and if this fact could be borne in mind much mental anguish, much persecution of those who can least stand it would be avoided. This unreasoning fear of the consumptive is known as phthisophobia.

Service of the Bureau Open to All Alike.

If, as has been estimated, the economic loss to the State from tuberculosis is Ninety Million Dollars per year, this alone should prove a cogent reason for active steps being taken to control the disease. It was for the purpose of arousing the people of the State to action, so that more active combatting of the disease might be entered into, that the Bureau was established. There was no thought of supplanting or hindering well established agencies and the Bureau's service is open to all; to physicians, anti-tuberculosis societies and others, and particularly to the tuberculous. The main function of the Bureau will be to encourage the establishing of county sanatoria and preventoria, to furnish sputum cups and supplies to the tuberculous at cost, and to give information on the subject of tuberculosis, its prevention and treatment, to anyone who will receive it. To obtain such service address R. B. Luhn, J. P. Director, Bureau of Correspondence and Information, State Sanatorium, Carlsbad, Texas.

CUTHBERT CULLINGS

There were no cullings last week for there was nothing but sandstorms to cull. Now comes the other extreme—rain and mud. After so many years of drouth, mud looks good.

Quarterly conference was in session Saturday, but no gathering took place on Sunday on account of rain.

The rain amounted to 2 1/2 inches, the most that ever came in the month of March.

Now we can call back all the refugees, all the weak-knees, all the prodigal citizens of West Texas. There is room and work for all.

Very little progress has been made in our oil game. Some are willing to lease at once and at any price, while others want more for a mineral lease than could be grown on top of the ground.

Take this for the salt that is required in it—One observer says that there are knowls around Cuthbert not taller than a bedstead, that have not been wet a foot deep since the time of Father Noah. Why? Not enough rain? No, you booby. Too much oil in the soil. Oil and water don't mix.

C. E. Jenkins has returned to the farm after being absent since September. Carlos is highly esteemed by those who know him. Court houses and jails would be useless structures if our country were composed of such people.

Miss Appleton's school has closed. A picnic was planned but was given out on account of the rain.

Nearly all the small grain has been destroyed by drifting sand. What shall a farmer plant unless it shall be cotton? If all drouth stricken parts of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska were to make bumper feed crops then worlds would be needed to consume them.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE.—One good used Moline wagon, good as new; Also one good section iron harrow. Will sell at a bargain. See Robt. Brennand, phone 108.

ONE DAY ONLY.—Hawkes Spectacle man will be at the W. L. Doss drug store on Monday, March 31 for one day only. Eyes examined and glasses fitted free. Be sure and see him.

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WANTED.—Tenants for several good farms. No use to apply unless you have teams, tools and ability to finance yourself. Have not quit gambling altogether, but must curtail my operations. C. H. EARNEST

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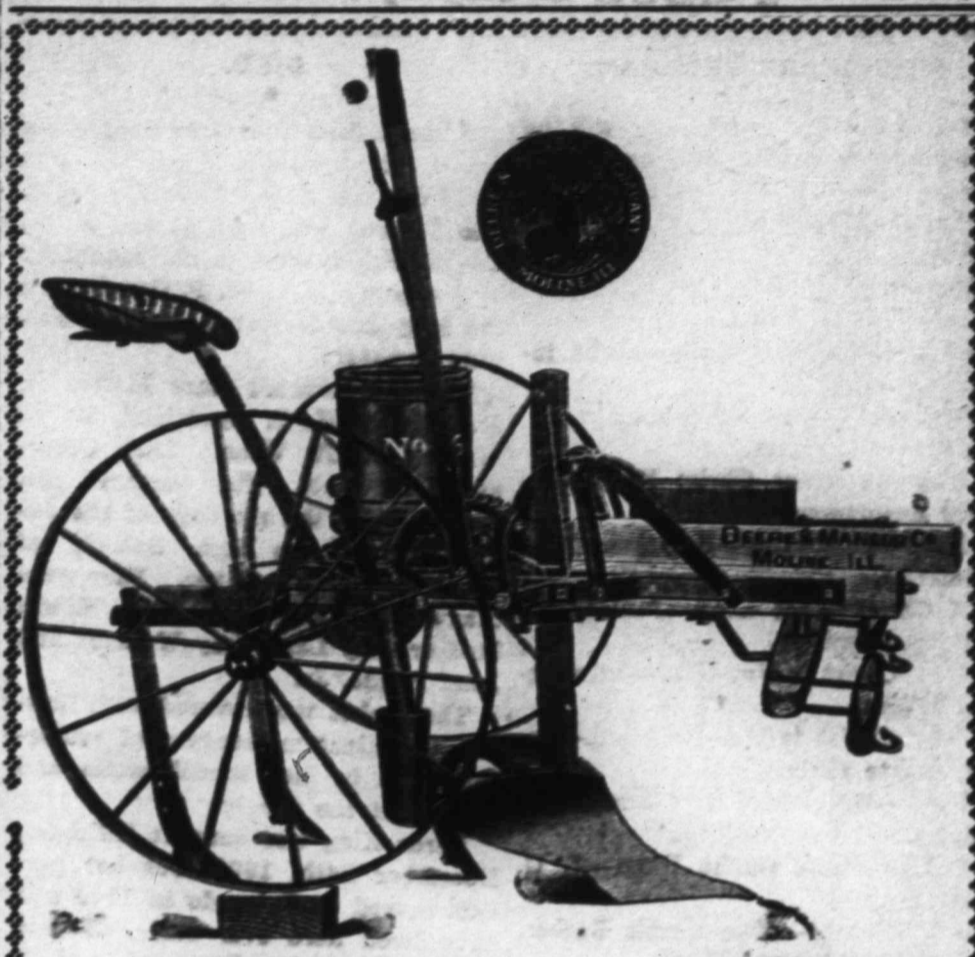
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