

The Giddings News

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BLUE NEWS

Corn in this section of Lee County is looking good where people have worked and thinned it out. Some people are laying their corn by, while some are still thinning.

Corn is rather late as compared with the 1930 crop but we must not forget the cool weather checked the growth of this plant. If the farmers can get a nice shower soon there will be a right smart of corn raised, also roughness, as farmers have planted more feed than usual. Cotton is spotted and many people had to plant over but where cotton was planted early and wasn't planted over it looks fine and some people have started chopping. With continued warm weather and a shower soon things will be smiling down the dear old road to prosperity.

Fruit crops of this section are somewhat like those of 1930, maybe being a little better but farmers are sure lucky to have had fruit at all on account of late cold weather.

All kind of berries are plentiful and the farmers wives are busy canning berries, vegetables and like.

The good old surplus is what we need to put back and save, for saving is the fundamental hope for Mr. Farmer, and I also agree with the Editor of this paper, that we live in a land in which none of us have starved yet, and that is saying a great deal, folks. That great saying at the top of the Giddings News means much to us if we would sink it to the bottom of our hearts, Lee Co. is the most and the best of life. Won't you agree with me? Study that out for yourself and see if those words aren't true.

All three test wells have been on the continual run this week. The Burt well is 3700 feet at present. Wheeler well is about 3250. Polk-Stolz well is very busy but I failed to know the exact depth. Several cores have been taken at these wells, but failed to know their indications.

Reporter.