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**TANGLEWOOD TALK**

The Underwriters Oil Co. say that they will resume work on their well in a few days. The Republic Oil Co. of St. Louis have leased around 3500 acres in the old Cole Spring neighborhood out west of town, and will begin drilling in six or eight weeks.

The Texas Co. has leased a large acreage around the Pleasant Hill community, and will begin operations soon.

So, if there is any oil in the north end of Lee County, it will soon be located.

Sunday morning, a mule belonging to Mr. Jim Pounders tried to jump a fence post, the post went into its chest back of its shoulders. The mule ran about a hundred yards and fell dead.

Our farmers are going to try the sulphur method of dealing with the boll weevil but some do not have much faith in it.

We are again having showery weather, which delays laying by the crops, and is injuring the hay crop. "Observer."