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TEN COMMANDMENTS OF FEDERATED WOMENS CLUBS.

This is the Sabbath. It was made for man. God gave to Moses on Mount Sinai the Ten Commandments for man to obey. They are often ignored. Perhaps, if they were obeyed to the letter, the children of men would be wiser, healthier and happier. The Federated Women's Clubs of Ft.

Worth have Ten Commandments. Like the divine injunctions, these are ignored. If they were obeyed to the letter Fort Worth would be an earthly Paradise. The writer commends the Ten Commandments handed down by the women to the readers of the great religious daily. The preachers and priests and rabbis will attend to the commandments given to Moses for those who were living when Moses lived and those who came after them:

1. Thy shalt honor thy city and keep its laws.
2. Remember thy clean-up day and keep it wholly.
3. Thou shalt love and cherish thy children and provide for them decent homes and playgrounds.
4. Thou shalt not keep thy windows closed day or night.
5. Thou shalt covet all the air and sunlight thou canst obtain.
6. Thou shalt keep in order thy alley and back yard, hall and stairway.
7. Thou shalt not kill thy neighbors' bodies with poisonous air nor their souls with bad company.
8. Thou shalt bear witness against thy neighbor's rubbish heap.
9. Thou shalt not let the wicked fly live.
10. Thou shalt not steal thy children's right to happiness from them.

To be a city beautiful these commandments should be obeyed. To be a city healthful they should be obeyed. To be a city prosperous they should be obeyed. And to be a city where all the people shall find peace and pleasure and perpetual harmony they should be obeyed.

And amended with several good amendments. Thou should destroy the fire bug with the wicked fly and thou shouldst use pure water as thy only beverage.

It isn't always the struggle for daily bread that makes the people feel the race with poverty. It is very often the struggle for terrapin and quail on toast.—Washington Star.

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To be Held at Artesia, New Mexico, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 14, 15 and 16, 1913. Program Follows

TUESDAY

- 10:00 a. m. Welcome Address Wm. Crandall, Mayor
- Welcome Address W. J. Rand, Pres. Artesia Com. Club
- Response Dr. R. M. Harkey, Secy. Association also Secy. Pecos Com. Club
- 10:45 to 11:00 Reading Minutes of Previous Meeting
- 11:00 to 11:20 "Get Together" Gayle Talbot
- 11:10 to 12:00 Discussion, led by Geo. S. Sparenburg, Secy. Big Springs Com. Club
- 12:00 to 2:00 p. m. Lunch--Get Acquainted
- 2:00 to 2:20 Paper, "Alfalfa, Does It Pay?" G. R. Brainard
- 2:20 to 2:40 Discussion Walton A. Hyatt
- 2:40 to 3:00 "Fruit Growing" J. B. Cecil
- 3:00 to 3:20 Discussion Mr. Tracy, Carlsbad
- 3:20 to 4:00 "The Newspaper" W. H. Mullane, Carlsbad
- 4:00 to 4:20 Discussion Frank Newkirk, W. P. Head
- 4:20 to 5:00 "The Government vs. The Farmer" H. B. Murray, Post City Post
- 5:00 to 5:30 "The Dairy, How to Make it Pay" J. S. Carie
- 5:30 to 5:45 Discussion
- 5:45 Adjournment

WEDNESDAY

Entertainment of All Visitors by C. A. Dinmore and Citizens of Artesia

THURSDAY

- 9:30 to 10:00 a. m. "The Commercial Club" Dr. I. E. Smith, Pres. Big Springs Com. Club
- 10:00 to 10:20 "The Auto Highway" E. A. Graham, Secy. Midland Com. Club
- 10:20 to 10:40 "Electric Pumping Plants" Albert Keys
- 10:40 to 11:00 "Railroads, Rates, Etc." J. B. Kemp
- 11:00 to 11:20 "The Pecos Valley Oil Field" J. R. Troxel
- 11:20 to 11:40 "Mining at Van Horn" Sam White
- 11:40 to 12:00 Round Table Talks
- 12:00 to 2:00 p. m. Lunch--Talk by S. S. Toms, Secy. Roswell Com. Club
- 2:00 to 2:30 Paper, "Agriculture vs. Factory for the Small City" Dr. R. M. Harkey
- 2:30 to 3:00 Three Minute Talks
- 3:00 to 3:30 "Good Roads" Homer D. Wade, Stamford
- 3:30 to 5:00 Business--Adopting Constitution, Collection of Dues and Final Adjournment Let Every Newspaper and Commercial Club be Represented at this Meeting. Something Doing Every Minute
- J. R. JORDAN, President Big Springs, Texas
- Dr. R. M. HARKEY, Secretary, Pecos, Texas

CHINESE BANDITS PENNED.

Four Thousand Soldiers Surround Tsao-Yang, Where Americans Are Held Captive.

Hankow, Oct. 5.—Four thousand government soldiers surrounded the town of Tsao-Yang, where a number of American and Norwegian missionaries are in the hands of Chinese bandits. Official telegrams received today at the office of Gen. Li Yuen Hang, vice president of the republic, reports an attempt by bandits to escape from the city. On Thursday evening they opened all the gates and tried to escape through the strong government cordon, but failed. Desultory fighting ensued for several hours and the bandits retired within the walls. Two hundred bandits and eleven soldiers were killed.

One report estimates that the bandits number 1000, all well armed. Skirmishes are occurring daily.

Pekin, Oct. 5.—The American legation fears the consequences of the fighting which already has occurred between government forces and bandits at Tsao-Yang in spite of the instructions issued at Peking.

The government has telegraphed Siang Yang Fu authorities to offer liberal rewards if all the missionaries at Tsao-Yang are recovered alive. No official news has been received here regarding the missionaries' fate. Edward T. Williams, the American charge d'affaires at Peking notified the state department at Washington today that the legation had not learned the nature of

the brigands' demands.

J. P. Jameson, American vice consul general at Shanghai, has informed the legation that one of the foreign women was injured. The captives, according to latest reports, are Rev. George Holm, wife and son, and Miss Sather, Americans; Miss C. L. Rasmussen, M. Berdahl and Rev. H. Fauske and wife, Norwegians. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fauske was killed.

PRODUCTION OF ASBESTOS.

A comparison of the figures of production of asbestos in the United States for 1911 and 1912 shows that the output for 1912 was considerably less than that of the previous year, yet notwithstanding this fact the production of 1912 was the largest in the history of the industry, except that of 1911. The production in 1912 was 4403 short tons, valued at \$87,959, against 7604 short tons valued at \$119,935, in 1911, according to an advance chapter from Mineral Resources of the United States, on the production of asbestos, by J. S. Diller, just issued by the United States Geological Survey. Nearly all the asbestos mined in the United States came from Vermont and Georgia, although a little came from Wyoming. The finest asbestos yet found in the United States, comparing favorably with the best from any part of the world, is in the Grand Canyon of the Colorado in Arizona; it is not, however, easily accessible.

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HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Texas.

Last year by proclamation, Sunday, Oct. 27, was set aside as "Hospital Sunday," and the people of Texas were urged to give consideration on that day to the need of hospital provision for the sick and suffering, "both as a matter of common humanity and for the prevention of disease."

The observance of "Hospital Sunday" and the resulting agitation of the subject doubtless led to the enactment of the law by the Thirty-third legislature authorizing any county to erect and operate a general hospital and dispensaries for the care of the sick.

Some of the counties of the state have already taken advantage of the provisions of this law and an effort is being made to secure consideration of the matter in many other counties. When we consider the great and needless mortality in this country from preventable disease, we should not hesitate at any expenditure of money, labor and time, to place every county and city in a position to care adequately for all of its sick and injured people. The civilized world was shocked by the Titanic disaster, but the people of this country pay little heed to the daily loss of 1700 lives from preventable disease. Two hundred thousand American citizens die of tuberculosis each year. In our own state statistics show a loss of thousands of lives that could be saved by proper precaution and care. It is impossible to compute the loss to the state in human life, in time and in money, due to diseases that could with the right care be prevented.

The hospital is the most essential factor in the work of preventing disease. For the proper care and treatment of disease and injury, it is indispensable in those communities of the state where the need is greatest it is hoped that action will be taken at once by officials and progressive citizens, men and women, to meet this urgent need. I consider the matter so important, and the need for action so imperative, that I deem it my duty to direct the attention of peace officers to the new county hospital law as a remedy to meet this situation.

To concentrate the attention of the people on this subject, and to secure united action, I, Will H. Mayes, acting governor of Texas, issue this proclamation and designate the observance of Sunday, Dec. 7, 1913, as "Hospital Sunday." I urge that public meetings be held on that day for discussion and organization. Where church rules do not prohibit, I respectfully ask the clergy to preach, at some service on that day, on the necessity for properly safeguarding the public health, caring for the sick and preventing the needless spread of disease, or to present the subject at any meeting prior to or immediately following that day. I ask the officials of commercial and civic organizations, charitable and social societies, and all of the women's clubs, to present

fabrics such as theater curtains and articles of clothing to various forms of asbestos shingles, stucco, plaster, "lumber," and other building materials that render structures thoroughly fireproof. Its lightness, its strength and durability, and insulating property against heat and electricity give it special advantages for structural use in cars and electric-motor subways. For insulation in electrical appliances the asbestos must be free from magnetite.

The most common use of asbestos is for asbestos paper, millboard, pipe covering, and lagging to inclose heat pipes, furnaces, and locomotives in order to prevent loss of heat by radiation. As a non-conductor of heat it may be used not only in the preparation of fireproof safes and vaults but also for cold storage and cooling structures.

Houses made of asbestos material or coated with asbestos throughout are not only warmer in winter but cooler in summer. In recent years asbestos has been used successfully as a filler in high grade paints. The finest asbestos thread yet spun carries a small percentage of cotton, and runs over 2 miles to the pound.

A copy of the report on asbestos may be obtained free on application to the director of the United States Geological Survey at Washington, D. C.

the matter to your health about Dec. 7, 1913, and to the state to endorse the law and to urge favorably wherever.

United action will insure desired results. Let the every effort be made for the coming of a day when there shall be no unneeded deaths as.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Austin, Texas, this 27th day of October, A. D. 1913.

WILL H. MAYES, Acting Governor. F. C. WEINER, Secretary of State.



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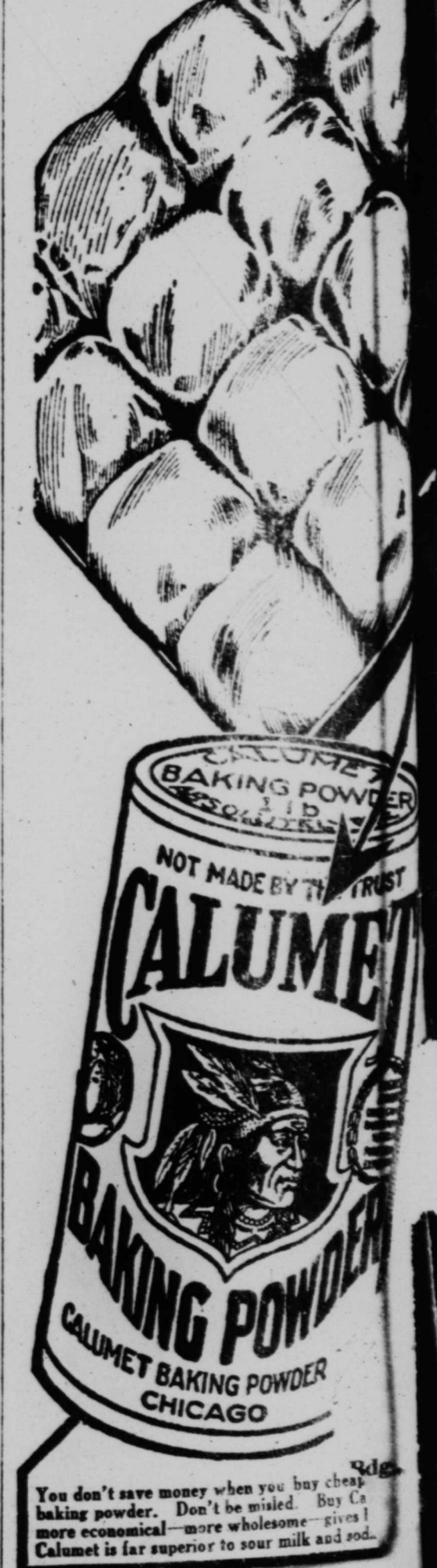
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BEING DISCOURTEOUS TO CHILDREN.

(By Ruth Cameron.)

Courtesy is a beautiful thing. We all want our children to have courtesy and the concrete expression of courtesy, good manners.

And yet, how few parents are to their children! How few parents teach their children good manners by that best of all methods, example?

A well dressed apparently well-bred woman walked past my veranda the other day with a charming little girl. The little girl caught sight of a pony grazing on a vacant lot. Oh, mother, see the dear little pony," she cried, catching hold of her mother's hand. But her mother at the same time had caught sight of a woman in an attractive frock and was regarding the frock with the calculating, appropriative eye with which women always study a new fashion on another woman. Consequently, being interested in more important things, it was plainly impossible for her to pay attention to what her little girl was saying. "Yes, dear," she murmured, without looking around, or for a moment taking her eye from the interesting frock.

Now, of course, that mother is going to teach her little girl that it is polite to listen and appear interested when other people are talking, but what force will there be in that lesson when it is so ill backed by her own treatment of the child!

I have heard another mother reprove her enthusiastic little son a dozen times for interrupting when some one was speaking and yet I have often heard her interrupt him.

Again, we all know that it is a cardinal rule of good manners that one should not contradict. We do not allow our children to contradict us. Are we equally careful not to contradict them?

Little children—and big children, too, I suspect—are far more open to the influence of example than to the authority of precept. If parents realized how accurately their family life was being mirrored in the voices, the language and the manners of their children, I think they would be more careful how they carried themselves toward their children.

"The best way to teach a child to fear God," says Pelostozzo, "is to let him see and hear a good Christian."

Even so, the best way to teach a child to love courtesy is to use courtesy in your treatment of him.

120-POUND RATTLESNAKE WITH 62 RATTLES, KILLED.

Camden, Ark., Sept. 25.—A hunting party in the Ouachita river bottoms killed a rattlesnake weighing 120 pounds, and from its tail 62 rattles were taken.

A negro was with the party on a squirrel hunt, and stepped across a log onto the snake, which was coiled ready for defense. The negro was deaf and failed to hear the warning given by the enormous reptile.

The screams of the negro brought the other members of the party on the run, but not until the snake had bitten the negro on the leg. When the other hunters arrived the snake had struck the prostrate negro several times. By the time they killed the reptile the negro also was dead.

The skin of the snake has been tanned and the rattles and button preserved as evidence of its size, which is the largest ever reported in Arkansas.

On the bank of a small river in Ireland a stone bearing the following inscription:

"When this stone is out of sight it is dangerous to ford the river." But this is surpassed by the famous post erected some years ago by the surveyors of an English road. It reads:

"This is the bridge path of Paversham; if you can't ride this you had better keep on the main road."—Ex.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in the town of Pecos, on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1913, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1913, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1218, wherein J. N. Newell is plaintiff, and Bert Barnard, et al., including the unknown heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That W. H. Berglan died in March, 1912, survived by Jodie Berglan, his widow, and other heirs unknown to plaintiff, and plaintiff has been unable to ascertain their names. On September 29, 1911, W. R. Newell sold and transferred to Leonard Vanderhoofven two sections of land described as follows: Sections Nos. 30 and 34, in block No. 50, T. 7, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys, in Reeves County, Texas, and as part of the consideration therefor retained a vendor's lien to secure the payment of two notes of \$225.00 each, dated September 29, 1911, payable January 21, 1913, and 1914, respectively, bearing interest at the rate of six and one-half per cent per annum, payable annually, providing that a failure to pay either note or interest thereon matured all said notes at election of holder, and providing for 10 per cent interest on all past due interest, and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees. W. R. Newell thereafter sold said notes to plaintiff before maturity for a valuable consideration. Defendants failed and refused to pay said notes, and plaintiff has declared both of them due and placed them in the hands of Buck & Starley, attorneys, for collection. Said lands are public school lands on which there is interest due the State of Texas on November 1st of each year. Defendants failed and refused to pay such interest for the years 1911 and 1912, and plaintiff was forced to pay same, amounting in the aggregate to \$131.04, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from February 17, 1913, the date of such payment, and which the plaintiff alleges to be a lien on said land.

Plaintiff alleges that Bert Barnard, John J. Samuel, Leonard Vanderhoofven, C. B. Harbert, and his wife, Lena Harbert, and W. H. Berglan each in succession bought interests in said land and secured deeds of conveyance thereto holding subsequent to the said conveyance from W. R. Newell to said Leonard Vanderhoofven and that each of them had notice of said deed from Newell to Vanderhoofven and of the vendor's lien retained to secure the payment of the vendor's lien notes above described. Plaintiff alleges that the heirs of W. H. Berglan, now deceased are unknown to him, and that the property hereinabove described was granted or accrued to the said heirs, as such, of said W. H. Berglan, deceased, and that the plaintiff has a claim against them relative to said property, as above set out, and he brings action against them, their heirs or legal representatives as the heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, and in accordance with Art. 1875 Rev. C. Stat. of the State of Texas, makes and files oath that the names of such heirs are unknown to plaintiff, and asks that the clerk issue a citation for such heirs as provided by law.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt upon said notes, interest and attorney's fees, and also for the sum of \$131.04, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from February 13, 1913; for a foreclosure of his vendor's lien and his lien securing said last named sum and for order of sale, and for decree barring all claims of all said defendants including the heirs of W. H. Berglan, deceased, and for general and equitable relief, for costs of suit.

Herein fail not but have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said court at office in Pecos Texas this 4th day of September A. D. 1913.

(Seal) WILLIE DE WOODS, Clerk-District Court, Reeves County. By H. B. Link Deputy. 658t

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PECOS COMMERCIAL CLUB NOTES

R. M. HARKEY, SECRETARY

In speaking of the Commercial Club of Pecos, there are many things that might be considered, but the most important is that the Commercial Club has done the work of upbuilding our little town and country to where it now stands. Many people do not stop and think of just what its commercial club in a town the size of Pecos is doing. First, we wish to inform those that the club in the past four years has been at the head of practically every new enterprise that has been started, and it has, through its staunch members and workers, built up a reputation that is second to none in commercial club work in this state. Of course, those who do not fully understand the workings of the commercial club cannot appreciate just what a secretary and board of directors has to do, and the only fault that anyone could find to the board of directors and secretary is that the general public does not know what they are trying to do each day for the betterment of the town of Pecos. The fault is generally found by some one who never visits or attends a meeting, and very seldom ever know anything about the merits of the different propositions that are placed before the directors in the meeting.

Commercial club work has reached the stage in the state of Texas to where it is now head and shoulders above any other line of work for the betterment and upbuilding of this great state. Towns that were once not thought of are now prospering and are known far and wide. All because the enterprising citizens of those towns have banded themselves together for the one set purpose of letting the world know the advantages, not only of their little town, but their farming and agricultural facilities around them. Cities are being built, and by whom? The answer is, the progressive business men with their commercial clubs or chamber of commerce at the head of every good enterprise that can be had for their town.

The Pecos Commercial Club stands out boldly for everything that is right and good for Reeves county and West Texas. No braver or better set of business men ever banded themselves together than those who compose the membership of this club. Remarks have been

made time and again by citizens of Big Springs and other towns east of us that if they only had the life and boost of the Pecos business men in their organization that they could have a commercial club far above the average in a town of their size. For the past few years this commercial club has gone through a severe test, and especially in the last twelve months have the business men in our town been tested to the limit. The scourge of fever that visited our city some months ago placed everyone in a position to act and act at once on a sewerage and waterworks system for our town. This matter was at once brought before the people by the commercial club, petitions were drawn and signed by different ones, and today, through the progressiveness of the people we have brought the issue to the amount of \$70,000 voted bonds, and it will only be a short time until the town of Pecos will be well fortified, not only against disease, but against fire and other things pertaining to a water works system. We might mention numerous other different matters that have been taken up and carried to a successful head by the commercial club, but practically every member and business man knows what has been done.

As stated above, practically every progressive town in Texas has a commercial club and with the good things that has been done in the past, and with the recent rains that have fallen in Reeves county, with the great alfalfa crops that have been grown in 1913, and with all the tendency for better times, why not make the Pecos Commercial Club bigger and better than ever before. The loyal business men of this city and members of the club have always been ready and willing to do everything in their power to build up Pecos and the surrounding country, and through the commercial club literature that has been sent far and wide, today we receive inquiries mailed direct to the Pecos Commercial Club from every state in the union, Canada and Mexico. No town can afford to stop boasting. I do not mean boasting in a way, but I do mean to keep the town before the people, and letting the world know just what is being produced in the way of crops, and the development that is being made in our country, and

no business man or set of business men has time to look after matters of this kind, and it all falls on the commercial club. In Pecos the commercial club is the only public place where a stranger can come and not be in anybody's way, and it is the only place where the products of our county are being kept, and where questions can be answered without bothering any of our business men in their daily walks of life. This club has no lands for sale, but there is not a day some one does not write or come into the club rooms and ask about the country in a general way, or that we do not receive a letter from some one wanting to know the price of lands in Reeves county and West Texas. Who has time to do all this work? The answer is: the commercial club, and up to the present during the past twelve months we have received and answered something like three thousand inquiries about land in the Pecos and Toyah valleys of Texas. Many of these may never develop into anything good for our country, but advertising matter has been sent to nearly every one of these, and indirectly it may develop into something good, and bring money at a later date for all the work and time that is being spent advertising our country.

If you are not a member of the club you do not appreciate what this bunch of business men are doing for your town, and the sooner you join and become interested in this work the better you will feel. The man on the outside looking in never accomplishes what the man does on the inside looking out, and it behooves every man interested in the upbuilding of Pecos and Reeves county to become a member of the best commercial club, and the one that has done the most to advertise their town and resources between El Paso and Fort Worth. This statement is broad, but it is vouched for by the highest railroad officials on the line of the T. and P. Why not a bigger and better club for Pecos? You who are not members, and even those who are members can answer this question.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon W J Williams, E S Massingill, N A Lefevre, Miss N E Rhodes, E E Griggs, J A Gamble, J E Bullion, R L Bullion, Lauree C McCoy, C J Meyers, Mrs E M Fetter, Nannie Scales, Mrs M M Gee, Mrs Nancy Sanford, Mrs Lena Newton, Odie Sullivan, J N Martin, Henry Anderson, M M Washington, W T Green, J F Johnson, W C Hoffman, L B

Fletcher, W E Priddy, Ben Green, James A Hamlin, T D Hamlin, L E Matlock, J W Hunter, Howard Day, P C Puckett, H A Server, Miss Rose Smith, Mrs Janie Taylor, by making publication of this citation once a week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published there in, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 70th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1913, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, then and there to answer the petition filed in said court on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1913, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1185, wherein W. E. Neill is plaintiff, and W. J. Williams, E. S. Massingill, N. A. Lefevre, Miss N. E. Rhodes, E. E. Griggs, J. A. Gamble, J. E. Bullion, R. L. Bullion, Lauree C. McCoy, C. J. Meyers, Mrs. E. M. Fetter, Nannie Scales, Mrs. M. M. Gee, Mrs. Nancy Sanford, Mrs. Lena Newton, Odie Sullivan, J. N. Martin, Henry Anderson, M. M. Washington, W. T. Green, J. F. Johnson, W. C. Hoffman, L. B. Fletcher, W. E. Priddy, Ben Green, James A. Hamlin, T. D. Hamlin, L. E. Matlock, J. W. Hunter, Howard Day, P. C. Puckett, H. A. Server, Miss Rose Smith, Mrs. Janie Taylor, Rev. W. M. Washington, W. A. Soule, Mrs. R. C. Stanfield, Ida Taylor, Laura Williams, C. S. Mudd, Dr. L. D. Johnson, Hattie Calico, Mary Mackey, Paralee Taylor, Robert Carruth, Mamie Carruth, Charlie Anglin, Bertha Barrett, Janie Womack, D. J. Jones, W. H. York, J. B. Paden, Bart Moore, and J. N. Wright are defendants, and said petition alleging that on April 4th, 1911, defendants E. S. Massingill and W. J. Williams executed to plaintiff two vendor lien notes, one for \$500 due 90 days after date, and one for \$750 due twelve months after date, each bearing eight per cent interest per annum from date and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees; that said notes were given to plaintiff for the purchase price of section eighteen (18) in block fifty-five (55), Township 7, T & P Ry survey, Reeves County, Texas containing 680 acres of land, and that in addition to said notes in the deed given by plaintiff to said defendants they expressly assumed and agreed to pay two other notes for \$500 each, dated March 4th, 1911, due March 4th, 1912 and 1913 respectively, bearing eight per cent interest and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees; that plaintiff is the owner and holder of all of said above notes and has brought suit to collect same; that said W. J. Williams and E. S. Massingill owe and are indebted to plaintiff for the full amount of said notes, principal, interest and attorney's fees; that plaintiff has a valid lien against said land to secure him in the full payment of all said notes; that the other defendants mentioned claim some right, title or interest in said land or portions of same. Plaintiff prays that all defendants be cited to answer said petition; that he have judgment for his debt as against de-

fendants W J Williams and E S Massingill and for foreclosure of his lien as against all defendants; and he prays for general and special relief. Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid 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 Pecos, Texas, this the 5th day of September, A. D. 1913. (Seal) WILLIE DE WOODS, Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 6641

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December 14th, 1912.
The Victoria Safe and Lock Co.,
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Gentlemen: We wish to advise you that on the night of December 6th, our General Merchandise Store, situated on the San Antonio River, twelve miles west of Goliad, was entirely destroyed by fire. We are gratified to say that the Safe bought of you last September, passed through the fire in good shape, and has just been passed upon by Mr. Roberts, of the Bates Adjustment Company, of Dallas, Texas, representing the London, Liverpool & Globe Insurance Company, who states that after a thorough examination the contents were in good condition, and, with a few minor repairs and repainting, the Safe will safely stand another fire.
Yours very truly,
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STATE OF TEXAS.

iff or any Constable of County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon G. C. Alexander, M. F. Bomar, T. B. ... Dallas-Reeves County Company, Edw. D. ... John T. Lowery, W. W. ... V. Hardy by making this Citation once each week for three successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in this county, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said District, to appear at the Court House thereof, in Pecos County, Texas, on the 24th day of September, 1913, the same being the 14th day of the month of September, A. D. 1913, to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of September, 1913, in a suit numbered 1192 of said Court No. 1192, wherein J. C. Simeon, J. C. Simeon, Jr., J. C. Simeon, III, are plaintiffs and the defendants are claiming some interest in and to the above said land, or a part of same, but that their claims are subordinate to the claims of the plaintiffs.

LITTLE BEAUTY CHATS.

(By Blanche Beacon) There is a great deal more in this very simple phrase heading this article than one would suppose. The wind and the dust on the road play havoc with the strongest skin. Even to the woman who only motors occasionally, my advice would be, to take all possible precautions against sun-burn, wind burn and dust-rash. It is no small part of the preparation to take proper care of the hands before going out. Always rub a good grease cream into them, massaging them a little. Then always wear gloves. The face should be massaged thoroughly with a good grease cream before and after the ride. Try to do the massaging before the ride at least an hour or so before, if possible, then sponge the face off with cold water before going out. If, on your return, your face burns and stings, don't touch it with water. Splather on plenty of cream—cold cream, I mean. I strongly advise the new amber glasses instead of the old-fashioned goggles, for motor wear. They are far more comfortable, and I think, more becoming. Personally, I do not approve of hats for motoring. If you want to wear one, buy a real auto bonnet, the kind that does not necessitate hatpins. Hat-pins worn in a car, with the wind pulling on the hat all the time, are a wretched thing, and ruin the hair. I do not advocate going bare-headed because of the dust, but a fine-meshed auto-scarf wound in a becoming turban fashion around the head is a splendid thing. And remember, that however warm the day, there will always be a breeze while riding.

Protection Against Typhoid.

It used to be a serious question what caused typhoid fever. Now we know its source is a germ carried from one place to another, or from one person to another, usually in water or milk. Town people have to watch the milk supply. Generally their water supply is tested for them. Farm folks have to watch their water supply themselves. Drainage by ground seepage of slop water, privies, or manure piles, into the water supply creates a typhoid well. Milk from a farm where there is a case of typhoid fever, or where the cows are drinking typhoid water, is almost sure to carry with it the germs of the disease. Flies often transmit the germs from infected centers, on their feet. Statistics of the state board of health show there is more typhoid fever in the country, in proportion to population, than in town. This may seem strange, but in the country all the drinking water comes from wells. The germs of typhoid fever which you swallow, may come from the next farm, or from across a range of hills 20 or 30 miles away. If the same vein of water is tapped by the wells of several different families every family will swallow the typhoid germs, and more than likely someone will be taken sick. If there is an epidemic of typhoid fever in your neighborhood, or even one of two cases, it will be well to look after your water supply. Boiling is a sure way of making polluted water safe, but it is rather slow. Dr. Allen McLaughlin of the United States public health service has found the best and cheapest way of disinfecting water is with chloride of lime. He says: "With reasonably clear water from 2-10 to 6-10 of 1 part of available chloride to 1 million parts of water will destroy germs like those of cholera, typhoid, dysentery, and colon bacillus. This is a very small quantity, about 1-8 of a grain to a gallon. Chloride of lime will not

change the color of turbid water, but its power to promptly destroy disease germs makes it invaluable, especially in case of an epidemic due to polluted water." It will be well when using the chloride of lime to thoroughly dissolve and strain it, as it has a tendency to remain in small lumps on the surface

of the water. This is the typhoid season, and for the sake of health it will be well to take every precaution.

Join "The Times" Family

During the progress of a street carnival at Sweetwater last week, a lion belonging to show made its escape from the arena where the animals were performing, and in its peregrinations about town, gave several citizens the "turn" of their lives. The animal was soon gotten back in its cage without doing any harm.

Free Baking School

Layton Pure Food Co. Cordially Invites the Ladies of Pecos to Attend a FREE BAKING SCHOOL, at the

AIRDOME THEATRE SATURDAY, OCT. 10, 1913

Mrs. E. M. Aldrich, an expert in the art of successful and economical baking will prepare and serve new and delicious dainties. Seats will be provided so you may sit in comfort.

LECTURES FROM 2:30 TO 5:00

A Crystal Creamer Measuring Cup will be given to each lady returning to the Baking School the front part of the table which reads [25 oz. One Spoon] taken from a 25 oz. can of

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Services Morning and Evening Every Day

Rev. George W. Truett Will Assist in the Meeting Yours heartily, J. B. COLE

Despondency

Is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and quickly disappears when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. For sale by all druggists.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Reeves: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution for costs issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County on the 25th day of September 1913, by the Clerk of said court for the sum of Seventy one and 29.100 Dollars costs of suit, under a Judgment in favor of J. A. Buck in a certain cause in said Court, No. 882 and styled M. J. Delaney vs. J. A. Buck has been placed in my hands for service. I Tom Harrison as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did on the 25th day of September 1913, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Section No. 10, in Block C-3, except 10 Acres out of the S. W. corner of said Section 10, conveyed to County Judge of Reeves county as Site for school. And the South 1/2 and North West 1/4 of Section No. 9 in Block C-3, and levied upon as the property of M. J. Delaney and that on the first Tuesday in November 1913, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Execution for Cost, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said M. J. Delaney. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Record Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County.

Witness my hand, this 25th day of September 1913.

TOM HARRISON Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

were given as a part of the purchase money for Sec No. 33, Tsp. 1 in Bk. 57, in Reeves County, Texas; and that said notes expressly retain a vendor's lien against said land. Plaintiffs sue for the amount of said notes including interest and attorney's fee. It being alleged in said petition that all of the above said named defendants are claiming some interest in or to a part of same, but that their claims are subordinate to the lien of plaintiffs.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at Pecos, Texas, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1913.

WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk, District Court, Reeves County, Texas.

PERSONAL MENTION

—Wheat—Fine for laying hens. 67tf
PREWIT & WADLEY.

Mrs. A. B. Bryant went to Barstow Wednesday to visit one of her lady friends, who is reported to be quite sick.

—Wanted: Rentor for small farm, 2 1-2 miles from Pecos, reasonable rent. Address P. O. Box 448. 663tf

Mr. Jno. Montgomery, inspector for the Texas Cattlemen's association, and an officer of the cattle sanitary board of New Mexico, was a business visitor in Pecos last week Friday and Saturday.

Messrs. P. Albert Cooney and L. A. Needham of Chicago, Illinois, have been here the past week looking after their land interests in Reeves county.

—New Coat Suits from \$5 to \$37.50 They are up-to-now.
Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Mr. Preston Lane, Ward county's efficient assessor, was a Pecos visitor Sunday afternoon and evening.

Miss Mary Henry Woods, who is one of Barstow's public school teachers, came over Friday and visited "the week end" with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Woods and family and other relatives and numerous friends.

—Wanted—Help in the Kitchen and Dining Room, etc
69tf
J. H. Wilhite, Phone 81

Mr. Jess Woods came in from Saragosa and spent Sunday visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Woods and other relatives and friends.

Mr. David Butler, the popular cashier of the Toyah Valley State bank, was visiting among his many friends last Sunday.

—FOR RENT—Nice front room, clo. & n. Mrs. Sam Prewit

Mrs. Wildie Rannels, accompanied by the baby and Miss Virginia, left Wednesday on a visit to relatives and friends at Harri-burg, Pocahontas and Blue Seal, West Virginia.

—John Brocat has taken charge of the Joe Broadlove barber shop as manager, and says that he is here to stay and wants your business. 654t

Mr. W. H. Matthews of Snyder is here visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Bob Skelton.

—Just received! A fresh car of new wheat flour and fresh meal at
Vickers & Collings.

Mr. Geo. T. Boyd, one of Hermosa's most energetic ranch-farm-alfalfa raisers, came down Wednesday and circulated among his numerous Pecos friends for a short time.

—SACKS—We want to buy 500 grain sacks.
Prewit & Wadley.

Mr. H. C. Zimmer was called to Van Horn Tuesday to attend district court, which is in session at that place. He returned Wednesday evening and reports that they were about half through with the Mrs. Orner trial, and that there are three fathers and three sons on the jury which is trying her.

Miss Julia Davis went out to Hoban Tuesday, where she has a number of pupils in music.

—Oysters! Oysters!! Oysters!!! Now on sale at Ed Otto's

Rev. W. C. Taggart has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Marfa. He has accepted and while on his way back home at Rotan, he stopped over in this city to visit his brother, A. G. Taggart, and family, and left Tuesday evening to make arrangements for moving to his new field of work.

Rev. J. L. Lallance, pastor of the M. E. church at Roswell, New Mexico, accompanied his daughter Miss Agnes this far on her way to San Antonio, where she will enter school.

—Get our prices on Flour, Meal and Chops before making your purchase. We will save you money.
Vickers & Collings.

Mrs. Ruth, who had been to her old home in Kentucky on a visit, returned Monday and went out to her home at Balmorhea.

Lost During the Fair
A Baby's Embroidered Wool Sack, lost during the Fair. A liberal reward will be given for the return of same to
Mrs. W. H. Moore.

Mrs. G. F. Woods came down Saturday from San Martine and brought her baby, which was sick, to be treated.

Good, large work horses for sale at a bargain if taken at once. Phone No. 37. 64tf

Mr. L. W. Anderson, general superintendent of the Pecos Valley Southern, went out to Toyahvale Tuesday on an inspection trip. He reports that they have had lots of rain out there and that the farmers are trusting that they may have a few weeks of good warm, sunny weather so that they can cut and bale their alfalfa.

—Come see our new coats. The price is right.
Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Mr. W. W. Stewart of Balmorhea was a Pecos visitor for a short time Sunday, while en route to Dallas on a business trip.

Mr. R. B. Stine made a business trip out on the Pecos Valley Southern railway Tuesday.

—We wish to buy good light wagon
69tf
Prewit & Wadley

Hon. J. A. Buck returned home from a trip to Fort Stockton, where he had been attending district court he being advisory counsel in a very important irrigation suit, but the suit was continued until February, when a special term of court has been called for the especial purpose of trying this case.

—The Ladies Aid Society served our coffee during the Fair. If you liked it try a can. Always in Stock at
Vickers & Collings.

Mr. Holbert came in Saturday from his ranch out on Toyah creek and spent a few days with his family.

Mrs. L. W. Anderson and son, Master Wallace, returned home on Sunday from their visit to relatives and friends in Dallas. Mr. Anderson went to Monahan and met them.

—WANTED—Good milk cow for feed. Call at Times Office.

Mr. H. D. Carr, one of Fort Stockton's leading merchants, was a Pecos visitor the forepart of the week, securing information in regard to citizens living in the southwestern part of Reeves county along the Pecos county line, to be used in the contest in regard to the prohibition elections held recently when that county went "dry" by three majority. It is being a "hotly contested hot contest."

—Come to our store to do your Fall trading. We save you money.
Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. Wayland Medaris, who had been at Dallas and Fort Worth on an extended visit, returned home last week.

Mr. Mause Woods of Sweetwater was a Pecos visitor Tuesday and Wednesday, and made the Times office a pleasant call.

FOR RENT—Four room cottage in Alberta Heights. Inquire at this office. 692

A. J. Curtis, the gardener, made the editor's family feel good the other day by driving up to his house and donating to them a sample of as fine and large tomatoes as can be grown in any part of Texas or the world, and he reports that his yield even at this season of the year was simply immense and if you will ask him how it is that he has succeeded so well with his vegetables he will answer that "it is because of the good soil, labor and irrigation." Mr. Curtis "raises" his own honey and we understand that his bees swarmed some time back and that his cabbage were so large that the bees settled on one of these large cabbage heads.

—Fresh, Choice Fish just received at Ed Otto's

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Depew, after making their home in Pecos three years, left last week for Linden, New Jersey, where they expect to make their future home. Their many friends here regretted very much to give these good people up, but our loss is somebody's gain.

—Now is the time to buy your coat suit. They are new and stylish. We make the price right.
Pecos Dry Goods Co.

Mr. Jack Woods of San Angelo, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Jno. Y. Leavell, has decided to locate in Pecos, he having accepted the position as night clerk at the Orient hotel. The Times joins in giving him a hearty welcome to "The City of Flowing Wells."

—If you want some Nice, Fresh Fish or Oysters you can get them at Otto's

"The Times" columns for results.

FOR SALE—Good young fresh jersey cow W. P. Gray 662t

Mr. and Mrs. Hux Hail left the fore part of the week for Portland, Oregon, where they will probably locate and make their home in the future. These excellent people will be greatly missed from our city.

—We Have Them! Choice, Fresh Fish and Oysters and at reasonable prices at Ed Otto's Meat Market

Mr. and Mrs. Verdie Pruett came up from Balmorhea Saturday and went on over to Barstow to visit relatives and friends. Mr. Pruett returned and visited with the "home folk" and other relatives and friends.

—Poultrysupplies. Prewit & Wadley. 67tf

Judge W. W. Hubbard left last Sunday for a business trip at El Paso.

—Wanted to sell or trade for farm land in West Texas (Reeves Co. preferred) or N. W. Arkansas, my beautiful eight room residence in Conway, Ark. Address W. H. Cox, Box 513, Pecos, Texas

Mr. L. C. Majors of Midland, the 71st district's official court stenographer, passed through Pecos Sunday on his way to Van Horn as a witness in the Mrs. Orner case, which is on trial there this week.

—Try some of our honey. It is extra nice and put up clean. On sale at your grocers. Write us for special prices on 60-pound cans, delivered. W. E. Irvine & Son, Barstow, Texas. 68H*

Mr. G. N. Smith, manager of the Pruett Lumber company's yard at Pyote, came in Sunday evening, returning home Tuesday.

WANTED—To lease 11,000 to 30,000 acres ranch for a term of years. C. E. Muller, 209 1-2 West Eighth St., Fort Worth, Texas. 70-2t

Mrs. S. F. Kirksey left for her home at San Antonio Thursday evening after a two week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Julia Ward, and other relatives and friends.

—Grain headquarters. Prewit & Wadley. 67tf

Mrs. E. J. Royal came over from Barstow the forepart of the week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. P. L. Whitaker and family. Mrs. Whitaker is still confined to her bed, but her host of friends trust that she may soon be up and around again.

—Rooms for rent Enquire of A. E. Wilcox, second door North of Baptist Church. 664H*

Notwithstanding so much rain, the Sullivan & Couch gin is still doing a good business. They turned out yesterday nine bales in a little more than half a day.

Private Board and Rooms at J. H. Wilhite's. Phone 81. 46tf

Judge S. J. Isaacks of Midland was in the city Tuesday, called here on an injunction case.

—Cotton Seed Meal—Fine for milk Cows. Prewit & Wadley. 67tf

Mr. Edgar T. West, the Toyah creek's popular deputy sheriff, was a Hub City visitor Wednesday and Thursday and while here registered his cattle and horse brand.

—Hens quit laying? Try Prewit & Wadley's Special Hen Food. 67tf

List of Ranches Wanted
Have customers for ranches from ten to two thousand acres. I want to list from owners only. Do not sell on 5 per cent commission, but get my commission above what you ask for your land. If this does not suit, don't write.
RICHARD H. McCARTY,
Aspermont, Texas.

"The Times" columns for results.

For Sale
We have iron beds and mattresses for sale at the Orient Hotel. 66tf

(Continued from page 7)

"What is the meaning of the word 'purchase,' Tommie?" asked the father.

"I don't know," replied the boy.

"Well, suppose I was to give your mother \$10 to go and buy herself a bonnet; what would she do?"

"Have a fit I guess." —Yonkers Statesman.

"The Times" columns for results.

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All the New and Original styles in fine Shoes for Shoe Particular women are ready to show. We hope to see you in this store very soon.

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No Fall wardrobe will be complete without a pair of these Beautiful Button Boots

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Never before have we shown such a large assortment of New Fall Styles

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Notice.

By order of the Board of Directors of the Pecos River Railroad Company notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders has been called to meet at the principal office of the company in the City of Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, on the 4th day of November 1913, at the hour of 9:00 A. M., or the purpose of considering and voting on a proposition to lease the railroad and all other property of this company to The Southern Kansas Railway Company, of Texas on such terms and conditions as the stockholders may determine.

J. G. LOVE,
Secretary, The Pecos River Railroad Company. 682t

MEALS AND ROOMS AT THE Southside Hotel
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CLASSIFIED ADS. TO EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—An Oliver typewriter in good condition, to exchange for a gentle driving horse. C. L. HEATH, Pecos Texas.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Pure blood Indian Runner Ducks. Telephone 93-24 682H*

FOR SALE—8 sections, known as the Van Havis and Archie Balou land. At bargain. Address P. O. Box "B", Snyder, Okla. 64-9t*

Nice fresh creamery butter, made on our own farm from our own cows. Ask your grocer or phone me. Mrs. W. C. Welborn, Hoban, Texas. 27tf

Farm for Rent
Will rent 640 acres, 3 miles from Toyahvale, all under 4 strand wire fence. Houses, barn, well, cold, soft water, with windmill and gasoline engine. About 60 acres are cleared and ready for the plow. For particulars address J. R. Marmion, Toyahvale, Reeves County, Texas.

ABSTRACTS.

COMPLETE ABSTRACTS of title to Custer County lands. Can give your orders prompt attention. S. W. White, Attorney, Van Horn, Tex. 46tf

FOR TRADE.

A good home in Pecos to exchange for young mules.—C. L. Heath, Pecos Texas.

LAWYERS.

J. F. ROSS, N. W. WHEAT, ROBE & HUBBARD, LAWYERS, PECOS, TEXAS.

BEN PALMER, LAWYER, PECOS, TEXAS.

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