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## PROSPECTS FOR ROAD ARE GOOD

### MEETING OF W. T. R. A. TUESDAY ADDED MOMENTUM TO MOVEMENT.

#### Good Delegation of Visitors—Carlsbad, E. Paso, Sweetwater and Other Towns Represented.

In spite of the general gloom which enveloped this community last Tuesday, consequent upon the killing of City Marshal T. Y. Moorhead, the second general meeting of the West Texas Reclamation Association was a decided success. As a result, the movement to complete the good road from Fort Worth to El Paso along the Texas & Pacific has been solidified; committees have been appointed to draft plans for financing of the proposition; the enthusiasm that prevailed at the meeting, and the encouragement that has been given along the line, will naturally find the co-operation of every wide-awake citizen of the Southwest.

The meeting was called to order by T. Y. Casey, who, as president of the Pecos Commercial Club, welcomed the W. T. R. A., and especially the visiting members, to Pecos, assuring them of the fellowship with them of the Pecos people. This was responded to by Hon. Geo. T. Barstow, president of the W. T. R. A., who presided at the meeting. Mr. Barstow dwelt upon the necessity for co-operation among the people of West Texas, and urged that "help the other man," be made the keynote of this country. He read a telegram from Congressman Smith, regretting his inability to attend the meeting of the association, and saying that he would do everything in his power to co-operate with the organization and to work for the people of this section.

AN ENGINEER'S VIEWS. The first visitor called upon for a talk was M. M. Cooke, of the firm of Cooke & Harrison, of Dallas. Mr. Cooke is an engineer, and a brother of H. C. Cooke of this city. He stated that he has recently returned from a trip over the San Geronimo Valley of Southern California, and that he thinks the Pecos valley similar in many respects to that wonderful country, and in many other respects superior. He stated, with reference to the proposed highway, that the secretaries of the commercial clubs of Weatherford and of Mineral Wells, with whom he conversed while en route to Pecos, sent word that their organizations and their towns would do everything in their power to forward the work of completing the highway. Mr. Cooke gave every evidence of being a booster for the proposed highway, and an enthusiast in its future.

MESSAGE FROM CARLSBAD. One of the most enjoyable talks of the afternoon was that of Frank T. Tracy, president of the Carlsbad Commercial Club, who was present, and said, "to bring a message of sympathy and co-operation. We know that the imaginary state boundary divides us should be wiped away. We want to get in behind this position of yours to get this Pecos river survey, and we want to help you." At this point Mr. Tracy read a resolution of his organization, which is appended to this article, along with other resolutions adopted in the meeting. Mr. Tracy said:

EL PASO'S MESSAGE. Hon. C. B. Stevens, of El Paso, one of the liveliest business men of El Paso, and representing at

Things are beginning to move rapidly in this country. We have an administration that is clearing away the cobwebs. (Applause and cheers for Wilson.) We are moving so fast that it is going to keep half of us running to keep up with the procession, and the other half running to get out of the way."

Mr. Tracy referred to the rate hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission, and expressed the belief that the Pecos Valley would be successful in the maintenance of its suit. "It is necessary for us to meet this way and discuss our common problem," he went on to say, for we have about reached all the development that we can reasonably hope to attain under our present restrictions. We have to work together to reduce the cost of our living to a point where we may compete in that respect with the Eastern man, and we have to co-operate to find and feed our markets. I have been twenty-four years in the Pecos Valley, for a number of years of which time I was in charge of the irrigation plant of the Carlsbad project. I understand, I think, the problems and difficulties that confront the settler in these parts as well as anyone. We are wasting an enormous amount of water. Enough water passes the Carlsbad dam to fill all the reservoirs that we can find along the Pecos river. We must be sure of every detail before taking any step, and get the maximum result possible. Then, after we have discovered and demonstrated just what our problem is, we want to get the money from Congress that will be necessary to its solution."

Under the head of drainage, Judge J. E. Starley delivered a most forceful and practical address. "The drainage development of this valley," he said, "is but five years old. Yet irrigation and drainage should go hand in hand. The former cannot properly exist without the latter. Throughout most farming sections, we find underlying strata that cut off drainage. This makes irrigated farming impossible without the ground being water-soaked. Like the bottom of a bucket, the water will run out, but the bottom of the bucket should be cut through. The Barstow drainage system was completed in 1910, and the next year production over there was increased over a third. A new drainage machine has been ordered and the ditches will soon be cleaned out again. The men who before fought the issuance of bonds for drainage purposes are now most clamorous for the additional work."

Space limits forbid a further detailed report of Judge Starley's address. He pointed out the opportunities of the association for advancing the interests of this country through the co-operation of the citizenship of West Texas, stating that no one proposition may be the success that it should be until the other legitimate propositions of the country are on a successful basis. He stated further that there is not an alkali flat in the country that, with drainage and irrigation, cannot be changed into beautiful farms. "Half-way methods won't pay," he said. "We must figure on efficiency to get results. When we do that, we are going to have a country that is a universally recognized success."

THE T. & P. HIGHWAY. Judge Burch Carson, of Ward County, drew hearty applause when he opened the next topic for discussion (the T. & P. Highway) with the statement, "Mr. President, I feel like the West Texas Reclamation Association is making history in this country. We have needed it for a long time. I believe too, that this is a most opportune time for us to work. We need this highway from Fort Worth to El Paso. There are now two routes that split at Sweetwater and go north and south of us. Why should we sit and let the world go around us? We are living in a fast age. The principal barrier that stands in our way is the sand through Ward and Ector counties. We have the material on the ground for overcoming that, and have demonstrated in Ward county that the sands may be bridged at a low cost. Our Monahans-Grandfalls road was built at a cost of less than a thousand dollars a mile, and today it is as hard as rock. Let's get together on this, and go at it in a business like way."

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## T. Y. MOORHEAD KILLED SUNDAY

Last Monday morning the citizens of Pecos awoke to find that a dark cloud of sorrow, sadness and gloom overshadowed the peaceful and quiet city of Pecos that aroused the patriotism that lurked within the bosom of every lover of law and order, and as soon as the fact was generally known the people gathered in groups, excited, and discussing what should be done. But the officers were hard at work on the clue that they had been able to find. The Sheriff soon succeeded in finding Fernando Subio, a Mexican who it was thought done the deed, and he was arrested and carried to Midland, and there placed in jail for safe keeping. Now that the law has him, it should be the wish of all citizens to let the law take its course. It is believed that Judge Isaacks will call a special term of District Court and give Fernando a speedy trial. It is the duty and should be the wish of all to uphold the hand of those that enforce the law.

the meeting the El Paso Chamber of Commerce and El Paso Auto Club, was the next speaker. He told the story of the auto club in his own town, and of the good road work that it had done. He said that \$25,000 spent in advertising space in the press of the country could not have purchased the advertising for El Paso and her highways, that the El Paso-Phoenix race did. He said further that a race from El Paso to Fort Worth was being contemplated, for a \$10,000 prize, and that it should be run via the T. & P. Highway if that has been completed. The time the race is scheduled, it will be a record, being done by El Paso in the building of 130 miles of the proposed highway, stating that, when the work in hand is completed, an auto will be able to average forty miles an hour for the entire length of the road.

His auto club, he stated, is preparing logs and maps of every road out of El Paso, and otherwise is interesting itself in the welfare of the motorist. "We have to have a southern route," he said. "San Antonio and other southern towns are trying hard to beat you, but you can win. There is no reason why Dallas and Fort Worth should not co-operate, and, if you build your road and make it passable even, you will get the traffic, for the other routes are not satisfactory in several respects. Our Chamber of Commerce will be glad to co-operate with you, as will El Paso, city and county. Let's get the tourists through our country."

Col. G. W. Dyer, of Barstow, made a brief but eloquent and pointed talk. Opening with the statement that he sympathized with the people of Pecos in the loss of their marshal, he felt like saying with David, "Let me clothe myself, cleanse myself, and minister to the needs of my people." "I have been here a good while," Col. Dyer said, "and have watched our people become educated to their three great needs: irrigation, drainage and good roads. We are awake to our needs now, and will make this valley blossom like a Vale of Sharon. If we continue to pull together, long and strong, we can make this the great Valley of the West. It is not birth, education nor large estate, but grit-up-and-git that makes a people great."

SWEETWATER IS "IN." Ben Anthony, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Sweetwater, expressed the sentiment of his town as favoring any highway, but pledged himself and his club to co-operate in the completion of the one contemplated along the T. & P. "We need development for encouragement of the tourist travel," he said. "Sweetwater roads are doing for her just what her railroads did for her at first in another way. So far, the other two proposed highways have been logged, and that is practically all that has been done toward making them highways. Yet even that little has brought a surprising amount of traffic our way. I am heartily in sympathy with this established route along the railway. It will keep the traveler in touch

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## SHERIFF FEELY SHOT TO DEATH

Van Horn, Tex., Feb. 10.—Sheriff Seely of Culberson county was shot and instantly killed tonight while attempting to stop a gun fight between O. J. Hammett and Judge Cannon.

The fight is said to have occurred over politics. There has been bad blood between Judge Cannon and Mr. Hammett for some time. Just what occurred to bring matters to a climax tonight is not known. One of the stories is to the effect that Hammett and Cannon had had some words and that Cannon went to his home vowing vengeance.

He later appeared on the street, it is said, armed with a shotgun. Cannon came out of one of the stores, presumably to go to his residence, when Hammett fired at him, missing him. Cannon drew a pistol, after taking refuge behind a telegraph pole, and fired at Hammett, striking a leg and breaking it.

At this juncture Sheriff Seely appeared upon the scene and presumably ran toward Hammett, when he was struck by a bullet, which entered his heart, killing him instantly.

## CANTRELL GOT ONE

Special to The Times. Barstow, Ward Co., Tex., Feb. 9.—Sheriff Cantrell while out last night watching for some criminals at about 2 o'clock in the morning saw two men walking along the street and he ordered them to halt. They instead of halting started running, he firing at them with a shotgun, felling one of the fleeing men. He fired at the other but failed to stop him. The sheriff stated that he missed his aim. He shot the man in the thigh. The wounded man proved to be a Mexican.

## CASTILLO EXECUTED

followers were captured and executed Monday near Chocolate Pass, about 45 miles northeast of Pecos, Chih., according to telegram received Wednesday morning by Gen. Francisco Villa, in Juarez. The messages were sent from Casas Grandes, he said, by "Constitutionalist" officials. A detachment of rebel cavalry under Maj. Juan Samaniego surrounded Castillo's band near the pass, it is reported, and captured seven of them, including Castillo. Three outlaws escaped and are in hiding in the vicinity of the pass.

Gen. Villa said Wednesday that he hoped the report was true, but would not make an official statement until he has heard from Maj. Samaniego directly. "There is no chance for Castillo's band to escape even if this message is not confirmed," he said. "The whole western part of Chihuahua is being 'dragged' for him and he is bound to be captured. The penalty for his crimes is death and I think, if he is not dead already, he will be executed as soon as captured."

## MOTHERS' CLUB.

The Pecos Mothers' Club will meet in regular session at the school building the third Friday afternoon in this month at 4 o'clock. There will be an interesting program and all members should attend. The first number will be exercises by the first and second grades.

Appropriate to Washington's birthday, the public school library will be an interesting subject of discussion, led by Mrs. Ross. Every mother should take a vital interest in what her children are reading, and should lend her aid in providing them suitable literature, and in moulding their literary tastes. A lecture on the care of the eyes has been kindly promised and should be heard by both parents and teachers.

## PECOS FIREMEN.

Don't forget that Monday night, Feb. 16, is our regular meeting at 8 o'clock. B. D. Brown, Capt. F. F. CALVERT, Secretary.

## MOTORISTS' ASSOCIATION

The Pecos Valley Automobile Association will probably be the name of the organization that was effected on a temporary basis Tuesday afternoon at the Music Hall. Pursuant to the call issued last week, and subsequent to the meeting of the West Texas Reclamation Association, a number of the owners and users of automobiles of Reeves and Ward counties, gathered in the front of the hall. E. D. Balcom was elected chairman and H. B. Link was made secretary of the meeting.

After some discussion, and a good talk by C. B. Stevens of El Paso, it was decided that the meeting to form a permanent organization be deferred until Friday night, at the rooms of the Pecos Commercial Club. A committee consisting of H. C. Cooke, W. H. Moore, and O. Mitchell, was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for the body, and to present same for approval at the meeting tonight. J. W. Moore, J. H. Wagoner, and T. Y. Casey were appointed as a committee on membership.

Enthusiasm was manifest in the meeting, though the lateness of the hour made the attendance smaller than would otherwise have been the case, and it is certain that the club will ultimately have a membership of between seventy-five and one hundred members, for, as the name indicates, more than Reeves and Ward counties will be included. This will be another active influence in this section for good roads, and for progress in every form. Everyone owning an auto of any sort, or interested in or using automobiles, should attend the meeting tonight, at 8 o'clock, and should become a member of the association. The meeting will be held at a late hour.

## TROUBLE IN STOCKTON.

Sunday night two stores were broken into and robbed of about \$150. The parties made good their escape and it is not known just who it was that burglarized the town.

## RESERVE BOARD TO BE PICKED THIS MONTH.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The personnel of the federal reserve board to control the new currency system probably will be decided on by March 1. President Wilson is centering his attention on a group of men and is looking into their qualifications.

When Secretaries McAdoo and Houston return from their Western organization trip the President will further discuss the names with them.

## NO PREACHERS NEED TO WORK ON STATE ROADS

Austin, Feb. 9.—Ministers of the gospel, whether actively engaged in the discharge of their ministerial duties or not, are not liable to road duty, according to ruling made today by the attorney general's department, in answer to E. J. Carter, county attorney of Parker county. The law exempts ministers in the active discharge of their duties, and Carter wanted to know if this exemption applied where a minister preaches once or twice a month.

## U. S. DESERTER CAPTURED.

M. L. Rody captured a U. S. deserter last Sunday down below Monahans and took him to Fort Bliss, returning home Wednesday. Mr. Hanna was with constable Roddy on the chase after the deserter. They received \$50 for this catch.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, use this method to express to you, the people of Pecos, and Reeves County, our sincere thanks to you, the loyal and representative citizens of the true and highest ideals of law and civic righteousness, for your deeds of kindness and love to us in this lamented death of our brother; and rejoice to say your friend, T. Y. Moorhead. We as law-abiding citizens anxiously await your further actions to bring to trial the perpetrator of this crime.

V. V. Moorhead, R. V. Moorhead, A. C. Moorhead. Pecos, Tex., Feb. 12, 1914.

## FERNANDO SUBIO IS IN PECOS JAIL

Mr. Harrison, the sheriff of Reeves County, went to Midland yesterday and returned today, bringing Fernando Subio, the man that killed T. Y. Moorhead, the city marshal, and he is now in jail in Pecos awaiting his trial, which is expected to come up as soon as a special term of court can be called, so that the prisoner can have the benefit of an early trial. This move upon the part of the officers in returning the prisoner to Pecos jail meets the approval of all the people.

## FIVE WELL RIGS IN TOYAH FIELD

Toyah, Feb. 11.—In addition to the two large Standard drilling rigs now being operated in the Toyah oil field, three more rigs are to be put to work at once, according to advices received here from oil operators from Oklahoma, who are interested in leases in this field. One of the outfits has already arrived and was unloaded at the local freight depot. This rig is owned by Muskogee, Oklahoma, parties, who have secured leases on several thousand acres of land. The other two rigs are reported to be en route from Tulsa, Oklahoma, to Toyah.

It is reported here that a party who had motored out from Toyah, to watch the drilling operations on the Producers' company well, was refused admittance to the grounds by the drillers, who stated that they had received strict orders not to allow any persons not directly produced by the far service. When they figure that one barrel of oil will be produced, it is hard well on which the drillers are at work at present is one that was drilled about three years ago by the Producers' company and which was declared "dry" by them and plugged. After apparently abandoning this territory for two years or more, the Producers' company has again entered the field more extensively than ever and some large development work is looked for.

## TEXAS EXHIBITS AT PANAMA EXPOSITION.

San Antonio, Feb. 11.—An appeal to the people of Texas calling upon them to rally to the support of the Texas commission of the Panama Pacific Exposition and simplify as far as possible its work of raising the money for the erecting of a Texas building and the income. The stallation and maintenance of exhibits at the exposition, was issued today by Mrs. Eli Hertzberg, chairwoman of the commission. In issuing the appeal Mrs. Hertzberg declared that the members of the commission have the utmost confidence in the people of the state and that they are certain that the work which the commission has accepted in their name will appeal strongly to their patriotism. The time is limited, however, and it is necessary that there be as little delay as possible in raising the fund. For this reason, said Mrs. Hertzberg, it is the desire of the commission that those who can do so should send in voluntary contributions at once.

The members of the commission are: Mrs. Eli Hertzberg of San Antonio, chairman; Mrs. O. B. Colquitt of Austin, first vice chairman; Mrs. Henry B. Fall of Houston, second vice chairman; Mrs. Warren V. Gallbreath of Fort Worth, treasurer, and J. B. Bowman of Austin, secretary.

## TEXAS EXHIBITS WIN PRIZES

Awards were made yesterday and prizes announced for the individual exhibits of popcorn, sweet sorghum, milo maize, kafir corn, broom corn, millet, bluegrass, clover and prairie hay. Texas placed a clean sweep, taking first, second and third prizes for prairie hay, and placing this state ahead of all the world for production of prairie hay. At the end of the day's judging, Prof. Pugsley of the University of Wisconsin, in charge of the judging, declared the exhibits superior. He said that he has ever seen and he has attended five of the six national corn shows.

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**TAX RULING EXPLAINED.**

Attorney General Issues Statement to Remove Wrong Impression. Austin, Tex., Feb. 11.—The attorney general today gave out the following statement:

"An erroneous impression prevails in certain localities with respect to an opinion recently rendered by this department, to the Hon. A. L. Bevil, county attorney of Hardin county, on the authority of the tax collector to issue tax receipts to persons who refuse to be assessed. Some seem to have the idea that this department held in that opinion that a person who had not been assessed, either by the assessor or collector, but who nevertheless had paid his poll tax and obtained his receipt, would not be entitled to vote. No such opinion has been rendered by this department.

"The only question discussed and decided in the opinion to Mr. Bevil was the authority of the collector to issue receipts, poll or property, in cases where the taxpayer had not been assessed by the assessor and refused to be assessed by the collector when applying to the collector for his receipt. The statute makes it the duty of the tax assessor to assess all persons in his county subject to taxation. In the event the assessor should overlook any person when such person should call upon the tax collector to pay his tax, upon ascertaining that such person's name does not appear on his rolls, it then becomes the duty of the tax collector to assess the person.

"The assessor is to be assessed by the collector the collector should decline to issue his receipt, because the law does not require or authorize him to do it. This is the only question passed upon and decided in said opinion."

**GIRLS IN CHINESE DEN.**

Police Discover Three Young Women Concealed in Rooming House.

Los Angeles, Feb. 5.—While searching a Chinese rooming house in Chinatown last night for opium smokers, the police discovered three white girls hidden between the ceiling of the first story and flooring of the second.

The girls were crowded in a small aperture concealed by a false ceiling, into which they had been forced when the police entered the building.

At police headquarters the girls said they were all over 20 years old. They refused to tell how they came to be in the house or to give any information against Young Yick, a Chinese, who resisted the police while the raid was under way, and who was arrested with the girls.

The girls will be held pending an investigation by the Juvenile Court officers, who believe they are underage.

**TWO-YEAR-OLD BOY SENT BY PARCEL POST.**

Cost 18 Cents to Mail Him from Kansas to Oklahoma.

Wellington, Kan., Feb. 3.—Mrs. E. H. Staley of this city received her 2-year-old nephew by parcel post today from his grandmother in Stratford, Okla., where he had been left for a visit three weeks ago.

The boy wore a tag about his neck, showing it had cost 18c to send him through the mails.

He was transported twenty-five miles by rural route before reaching the railroad. He rode with the mail clerk, shared his lunch with them and arrived here in good condition.

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**CROSSING THE MEXICAN BORDER**

**ARMY SUPPLIES BEGINNING TO MOVE INTO MEXICO.**

Large Orders Have Been Placed for Arms and Ammunition by the Revolutionists.

An order for 5000 shrapnel shells to be thrown from General Villa's thirty cannon when the attack on Torreon is made was placed yesterday with an American ammunition house. The shrapnel will be of 75 and 80 millimetre calibre to fit the St. Chamond, Mondragon and the Schneider Camet field pieces of the constitutionalist artillery division. The delivery of the ammunition will be made next week so that it can be forwarded to forces operating in the vicinity of Torreon.

The shrapnel will cost the constitutionalists about \$50,000. Telegrams were sent yesterday by constitutionalist consul, Rafael R. Muzquiz, of this city to the attorney general at Washington asking for the release of ammunition, rifles and machine guns which have been seized by the American authorities and held in border towns. There are several million rounds of ammunition in these seizures and if they are released to the constitutionalists it will save the latter buying more ammunition.

At Fort Bliss alone there are over a million rounds of ammunition held by the army, and at San Antonio, Laredo, and other points along the Mexican border, about three million more.

Constitutionalists are awaiting the release of this ammunition instead of buying new supplies.

**FORTY DEGREES BELOW IN NORTHWEST COUNTRY**

Chicago, Feb. 6.—A cold wave that held virtually the entire country west of the Atlantic states in its grip was felt here today and by the end of the week will include the seaboard, according to the official forecasters. Zero weather today extended as far south as Texas and in the northwestern states the mercury went to 40 below.

The cold today was central over the Ohio valley. All parts of the country, except the Atlantic states, reported sudden low temperatures. Observations in the eastern states were to the effect that the cold wave was moving southeast, while in the trans-Mississippi region another cold center seemed to be on its way in the same direction.

Extreme temperatures were: At Havre, Mont., 42 below; St. Joseph, Mo., zero; Denver, 12 below; Amarillo, Tex., 2 above; Bismarck, N. D., and Winnipeg, Man., 30 below; Spokane, Wash., 4 below; Hemmingford, Neb., 15 below; Cheyenne, Wyo., 22 below.

Farmers in the grain belt are gratified by the snow, as it affords protection to winter wheat. Western cattle are said to have been prepared for the cold and stockmen will suffer little.

A snow and sleet storm which fell over a large portion of Michigan is held responsible for a railroad wreck near Saginaw late today, when a Grand Trunk freight train collided with a work train. Edward Lewes of Durand, foreman of the work train's crew; Frank Krueger of Flint, brakeman, and an unidentified man were killed and others injured.

**SCHMIDT, READY FOR DEATH, WON'T APPEAL.**

New York, February 6.—Hans Schmidt, who was found guilty of murder in the first degree for killing Anna Aumuller, is seemingly content with the verdict and declines to permit his counsel to appeal. Next Wednesday Schmidt will be sentenced to die in the electric chair.

The verdict against Schmidt was rendered late Thursday, a little more than two hours after the jury had retired. It seemed a great relief to the former priest who sat through the 12 days of the trial as if in a daze and was blankly staring at the court room wall.

His bent figure suddenly straightened, a light came into his eyes, and he smiled.

Schmidt seemed to have prepared for the verdict. Since his arrest on September 14, he has refused to be shaved or have his hair cut.

Fresh Garden Seeds and Onion Sets at Vickers & Collings. 6-2

**ALL ABOARD PASSENGER TRAIN PERISH IN TUNNEL.**

Rescuers at work at Cumbre tunnel expect every minute to exhume more bodies of victims of the wrecked passenger train. The discovery near the south end Monday morning of the burned and blackened body of a man, evidently the engineer or fireman, following the discovery of the body of rear brakeman Fernandez Saturday, convinces the searchers that every one of the 51 persons aboard the train when it reached the tunnel, were killed.

The fact that the front-end and rear-end men of the train perished, leaves little doubt as to the fate of those in the center of the train. Only two bodies had been located Monday afternoon, as the rescuers had not been able to penetrate far from either end of the tunnel. Just when they can get in to the main part of the train and learn definitely the fate of the other 49 people who were on the train is not known. Debris blocks the way for further immediate explorations, but the rescuers and railroad officials are fully satisfied that nobody on the train was saved and that the first report that the passengers were removed from the train as captives by Maximo Castillo's bandits before the train was sent into the tunnel, was a myth.

Nothing has been heard of any passengers in the mountains as prisoners of the bandits and the belief prevails that if they were still alive, some word would have reached the outside world by this time from some of them. It is considered quite improbable that all the persons on the train, some would not have escaped if made prisoners. It is also believed that if Castillo had taken the passengers prisoners, he would have allowed them to communicate with friends, as they would have been held purely for ransom.

The passenger train was entirely consumed by the flames and only the steel skeleton of the cars remained when the rescuers reached it. The floor of the tunnel is covered with debris from the burned trains and it will be necessary to dig into this debris in order to locate other bodies, the rescuing parties report by wire. An effort to explore this debris was being made Monday afternoon.

Rescuing parties have found the north end of the tunnel blocked with rock and dirt and will be unable to remove it without the use of dynamite. Expert dynamiters are to be sent south on a special train this evening. The train will leave as soon as W. E. McKeehan's six men of the rescue force of the Copper Queen Mining company arrive from Bisbee. Mr. McKeehan, the company's expert, is here. They will arrive on the Golden State Limited. They will bring with them fire helmets, pulmoters and other rescue apparatus.

Rescuers at the tunnel are still fighting the fire with steam from the locomotive that drew the rescue party from El Paso. So far, no trace of the 51 passengers and crew has been found except two bodies, but these are enough to convince officials of the railroad that all perished.

A hundred rebel troops accompanied the rescue train from Juarez Sunday night. The train carried coffins for the victims, if the bodies are found.

The body of Juan Fernandez, rear brakeman, found near the north entrance to the tunnel, indicates that he was injured by an explosion and not killed by fire and smoke alone. This bears out the belief that Castillo's bandits had mined the tunnel before the train dashed into it. Explosions heard during the burning of the tunnel Saturday further bear out this theory.

In addition to other Americans known to have been upon the train, it now develops that Mrs. Lee Carruth and five children, of Union Star, Mo., were passengers. They were going to Madera to join Mr. Carruth, who is a stationary engineer for the Madera company.

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Just received car of Bell of Wichita Flour. Green's. 6-3

Oyster shell and crushed bone tone up laying hens. Prewit & Wadley. 4

**BARSTOW PERSONALS.**

(Ward County News.) Judge A. J. Wilson and W. F. Gray of Pecos, were here Thursday. W. A. Hudson of Pecos was in Barstow Tuesday, attending county court.

Monroe Slack and family of Pecos visited the family of T. F. Slack Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Hudson of Pecos, visited Mrs. Elmo Trimble this week.

Mrs. A. J. Wilson, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to her home in Pecos Tuesday.

**COLD WAVE AT PECOS.**

On Feb. 7 Pecos experienced the coldest weather it has had during this winter, the mercury went down Saturday morning at 7 o'clock to 16 above, which was the coldest weather experienced this winter.

**DODSON'S GUARANTEE EXPLAINED BY DODSON**

Read What Dodson Says About His Liver Tone to You Who Suffer From Constipation.

"Dodson's Liver Tone takes the place of calomel. Instead of being dangerous, it is harmless and works easily and naturally, without bad after-effects. I have authorized the Pecos Drug Company to refund purchase price (50c) to you instantly without question if you are in any way dissatisfied with it. If Dodson's Liver Tone can't help you, I don't want your money."

That's how Dodson feels about this pleasant-tasting vegetable-liquid liver regulator and purifier of constipation and biliousness.

The reason so many people have been brightened and bettered by this great remedy, that leading druggists now recommend it and seven of America's most prominent physicians O. K'd it after thorough analysis of its ingredients and effects.

It is generally known that calomel, being a poison, is a peril to many. It stays in the system and, while it may seem to give you a temporary relief, often "knocks you out" for several days.

With Dodson's Liver Tone you are set right without ache or gripe and with no bad results to interfere in the slightest way with your regular occupation and habits. So great a number of former sufferers from constipation and inactive liver have been vastly benefited by Dodson's Liver it would seem wise for you to give it a trial now. "Oh!" make it and it does wonders for them. (E)

We have just secured a shipment of new neckwear. They are beautiful. W. T. Read Mercantile Co. 76tf

**LA FRANCE FLOUR**

Makes ideal biscuits, not hard disc-of dough, but rich, creamy fellow—that melt with the butter into a mouthful of real S-T-T-I-S-F-A-C-T-I-O-N.

Order a sack of La France Flour today and let Hubby experience this satisfaction at breakfast time tomorrow.—Clipped from the Dallas News.

This flour is sold exclusively by Vickers & Collings.

**Green First.**

An Irishman who was too old for active work was offered the position of crossing tender at a small railroad station. He looked dubious as the duties of the office were explained to him and the meaning of the various flags was clearly stated.

"In case of danger with a train coming, of course, you wave the red flag," said his friend, proceeding with his explanation.

A hard old hand grasped his arm. "Man, dear, it'll never do," said Patrick, shaking his head solemnly. "I could never trust myself to remember to wave a red flag when there was a green wave handy."—Current Literature.

**Blamed It on Brewery.**

Mrs. Crocker was enjoying her first trip abroad. Her husband had recently acquired great wealth, and, although she knew that her knowledge of society was vague, she did not wish others to ascertain the fact.

One evening she was invited to a box party at a theater. Seated next to her was one of the leaders in society, Mrs. Stone.

"I find the acoustics of the house very bad," remarked Mrs. Stone, "don't you?"

"Yes, it does seem so," replied Mrs. Crocker, thoughtfully. "I understand it comes from a brewery in the neighborhood."

**The Trouble with the Wind.**

Although there was not a breath of air stirring, little Tommy went out to fly his kite. In the back yard the servant was stretching the clothesline from one tree to another, it being wash-day.

Failure to make the kite fly after a half hour of strenuous effort brought Tommy into the house, eyes and voice filled with tears.

"Mamma, mamma," he pleaded, "make Katie untie the trees, so the wind can blow. I want to fly my kite."

Good wheat best feed for laying hens. Frewit & Wadley. 4tf

Take your cleaning and pressing to W. T. Read Mercantile Co. 76tf

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IF YOU HAVE ANY BLOOD OR SKIN DISEASE NOT DELAY UNTIL IT IS TOO LATE, BUT O

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WILL TAKE CARE OF THIS IF YOU WILL PLACE YOUR INSURANCE WITH HIM. NO POLICY ALLOWED TO EXPIRE EXCEPT AT THE REQUEST OF THE ASSURED.

If you are going to build, let me give you pointers that will lower your insurance rate. Also I would be glad to sell you lots, improved or unimproved. Or to show you a house, if you to rent, as I have a large rental list. For anything in the line of Insurance or city and suburban real estate, would be glad to have you call at my office and talk matters over.

Phone 159. Cowan Building, Room No. 2.

IN 1925. "What's the trouble now?" demanded the janitor. "More heat?" "No," said the tenant of the latest skyscraper; "but I want those clouds brushed away from the windows."—Judge.

You can have your hat cleaned, blocked and trimmed in Pecos at W. T. Read Mercantile Co. 76tf

Men's flannel shirts heavy weights. Big stock at W. T. Read Mercantile Co. 76tf

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## DUTCH LUNCH BIG SUCCESS

The "Dutch Lunch" given last night by the Pecos Volunteer Fire Department was "the success of the season," in more ways than one. In the first place, it was unique in the experience of Pecos people, and those who attended were enthusiastic in their expressions of approval. Several on the streets this morning, too, who missed the big feed, were heard to express their regret. Practically every hotel and restaurant owner in town has offered M. W. Collier's corps of waiters a job whenever their present means of subsistence fails them.

There were three hundred two people fed, according to the figures of F. F. Calvert, secretary of the department, and the net profit on the affair was one hundred thirty-three dollars and ninety cents. Tips to the waiters were numerous, adding considerable to the total net profit.

In spite of the fact that practically the entire force of waiters, cooks, dish-washers, and other attendants were "green" at their work, the catastrophes were few. Manager Collier figures that something like six thousand breakable dishes were handled, during the evening, and only three came to grief. Rev. Homer L. Magree was the only guest of the evening who encountered disaster. This worthy divine was sitting peacefully at table enjoying the good things before him, when waiter Link, while putting a futurist whirl on a serving tray, let a platter of potato salad capsize, "battered side down" in the lap of his horrified victim, the tray hanging down on top of it. No malice was held by the good preacher because of the accident, however, and he very charitably refrained from reporting the matter to the doctor.

The force that took care of the tables was uninformed for the occasion in "Cream of Wheat" aprons and caps, with white coats generously loaned for the evening by the barbers' union of Pecos. Head Waiter Brady was very properly clad in evening clothes. Somebody made several great urns of coffee that was better than any ever turned out by Fred Harvey; the menu was complete; and (to the surprise of many) the food furnished was quite palatable. To make the work of the waiters easier, and the evening as a whole more delightful, the Pecos stringed orchestra furnished music. Palms decorated the room and tables; the lighting was brilliant; and, altogether, Delmonico's couldn't have anything on the Firemen's Dutch Lunch.

The handsome profit was due in a large way to the fact that no charges were made by the business men for hall, "grub," lights, tables, chairs, printing, or anything else that helped to make the evening a success, except a few stray dollars that were paid for items that could not well have been expected as donations. The menu included Swiss cheese, cottage cheese, potato salad, hamburger, boiled ham, chili, celery, pickles, green onions, rye bread, and coffee. Late in the evening the potato salad and hamburger "played out," and potato chips and canned salmon were substituted. If you didn't go, you ought to be sorry, and if you did go, you'll agree that, if the Fire Boys ever decide to pull off another such stunt, they will have at least five hundred people to feed, even though they should happen to have an equinoctial storm on to work against them. \* \* \*

The ladies of the aid society of the Christian church are having an apron and house dress sale at the Pecos Dry Goods store today. They have a nice lot of pretty aprons and a few house dresses left, so all wishing to buy from them will certainly be appreciated and am sure you will be pleased.

## APRON AND HOUSE DRESS SALE.

Withdraws from race. Issues statement so that friends may cease efforts in his behalf. Situation complex. Would have to enter campaign of state. A wise conclusion.

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## BALMORHEA NOTES.

(From the Herald.)

Fishing is reported good in the creeks round about here and some nice catches have been brought in town lately. Many of the fish are very nice ones.

Mrs. Chris Ritz, of Pecos, arrived in Balmorhea Tuesday and went at once out to Brogado, where she will nurse her old-time friend, Mrs. Schertz, who is confined to her bed with pleurisy.

Fiske Emery and wife, of the Hotel Emery, left yesterday for Sabinal, Texas, where they will spend a few weeks with Mrs. Emery's brother, W. C. Giffin, and family. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Malone and Mrs. Wright will be in charge of the hotel.

## HOBAN NEWS.

Mr. R. M. Greer of Dr. Mead's farm, was in Hoban. He reports that the two-stage six centrifugal pump will be running in a few days. We wish them success. They have had considerable trouble in getting started.

Mr. W. C. Welborn killed one of his fat crows and delivered it in Pecos; also a few nice shoats.

Salt grass is growing on Toyah Creek and looks like an alfalfa farm all over. Good for the stockmen.

Mr. J. E. Eisenwine is putting in a small farm on his place. He intends to irrigate it by a 3-inch centrifugal with a 6 h. p. engine. He says if he can't raise cane and cotton he sure will raise a big blister.

Mr. C. A. Williams is getting ready for a good patch of cotton. He kept his teams going ever since he came to Hoban, a month ago.

Mr. W. J. Clary, on the Billingslea farm, is getting ready for a good acreage for cotton.

Alfalfa is growing; we have had ideal weather for this plant, except a couple of windy days without much cold weather.

R. P. Verhelen went to Pecos last Friday to attend the Dutch lunch.

Mr. Collier and lady motored to Pecos in their Ford.

Mr. C. A. Williams followed in his car with Mr. A. Kutz as passenger.

Mr. H. H. Jones returned from Pecos with some machinery needed to push the work on his well.

Hoban is improving slow but sure.

Mr. Collier has a lane 60 feet wide grubbed out from the railroad to his residence. Later on it will be graded. The map shows it at Sixth street east.

## PROGRESSING NICELY.

L. E. Cheek, engineer for the sewerage engine, reports that yesterday they cut about fifteen hundred feet of sewerage ditch and that everything is progressing splendidly.

M. G. Jepson of Saragosa and Sol Mayer of Toyahvale autoed over from Saragosa in Mr. Mayer's car today, making the trip in about 90 minutes.

## FEDERAL JURORS.

Following is the list of the federal jurors for this term of court:

- Raymond Voliva, Midland.
- C. M. Houghton, Barstow.
- C. S. Karkalits, Midland.
- Ned O. Irby, Barstow.
- R. E. Van Huss, Midland.
- Pat Wilson, Barstow.
- E. S. Christopher, Midland.
- C. Brown, Pecos.
- W. M. Fleur, Midland.
- J. W. Crenshaw, Saragosa.
- T. D. Jones, Midland.
- E. C. Barnwell, Barstow.
- A. A. Eddins, Panama.
- H. E. Dickson, Pecos.
- E. V. Sweatt, Grandfalls.
- O. H. Beauchamp, Pecos.
- C. L. Elkins, Pecos.
- Tom Granger, Fort Davis.
- H. S. Barstow, Barstow.
- Tom Jensen, Barstow.
- Linton Brunson, Midland.
- E. S. Hockings, Barstow.
- H. C. La Boff, Pyote.
- W. F. Cowden, Midland.
- M. D. Beedles, Barstow.
- E. G. Durham, Odessa.
- W. L. Graves, Midland.
- V. E. Prunett, Balmorhea.
- W. G. Snelson, Grandfalls.
- F. I. Dyer, Barstow.

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## THE FEDERAL COURT MEETS

Judge Meek entered the court room promptly at 10 a. m., taking the chair, instructed United States marshal to open court. The clerk was instructed to call the docket, which was done, and the docket was fully disposed of in thirty-five minutes, all the cases having been called and some of the cases were settled by agreement, while others were continued until the next term of court. One case, that of Holloway & Pool vs. Mill Brothers of Oklahoma, motion by defendant to quash plaintiff's suit sustained. The court now ordered the clerk to call the list of jurors, they answering as their names were called. The court then informed the jury that the docket had been fully disposed of and that there was not a case to be tried and that they had no further use for them. Continuing, the court said that he was sorry to disturb them and cause them to have to leave their homes and business to come to court, and not a case for them to try. He would now dismiss them. They could report to the clerk's office and receive their mileage ad per diem.

The next case was the habeas corpus case for the release of the five thousand Mexican prisoners held by the United States government at Fort Bliss. This case was called at 10:40 a. m.

The Mexican petitioners were represented by H. R. Gamble, Esq., from El Paso.

J. L. Camp, United States district attorney, represented the United States in the trial of this case. The closing argument was concluded at 1 o'clock, when the court stated that he would render a decision in a few days before a decision is rendered.

Court then adjourned sine die following is the personnel of the United States federal court here:

- Judge, E. R. Meek, Dallas.
- United States Marshal, J. H. Rogers, San Antonio.
- L. L. Camp, District Attorney, San Antonio.
- T. H. Thompson, Chief Deputy Marshal, San Antonio.
- D. H. Hart, Clerk, Austin.
- C. R. Moore, Deputy Marshal, El Paso.

## COMMUTED TO LIFE TERMS.

Austin, Mar. 24.—The governor today commuted to life imprisonment the death sentences returned against Jim Banks and Ed Jones, negroes under sentence to hang in the Dallas county jail tomorrow. These negroes were convicted of the murder and robbery of a white man.

As stated in last night's dispatches, the Pardon Board recommended commutation, being of the opinion that the negroes are innocent of the crime and that certainly there is no evidence to justify their hanging. The board was of the opinion that one of the negroes who testified against the condemned men was himself guilty of the murder and sought to hide his own misdeed by swearing away the lives of two others. The board before making its recommendation heard a state agent from two judges of the court of criminal appeals to the effect that the testimony, to say the least of it, was conflicting as to the guilt of Banks and Jones and that commutation would not be improper.

The foregoing is to be taken as conclusive that Martinez will pay the death penalty April 21, because his application with these two went before the pardoning board at the same time.

The blood of Miss Emma Brown, the victim of the condemned, ceases not to cry aloud for justice—no vengeance—and the people only want that justice be done. It is written that "whosoever shed man's blood by man his blood should be shed."

## MANY SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS HAVE ARRIVED

Fort Worth, Mar. 25.—Several hundred delegates to the state-wide interdenominational Sunday school convention arrived in Fort Worth tonight. At least 1,000 are expected to be here to attend the opening exercises tomorrow morning. The convention will last through Friday. It is expected that 3000 delegates will be present.

## OLD TIMER COMES BACK

Capt. J. T. Barnes, who has just visited the Pecos country, after a lapse of 37 years, claims that the knockers will certainly have to find a new job. He was located at Los Vegas, N. M., for three years' time, and was in business and cleaned up \$37,000 in gold, tied it to his saddle, making from Los Vegas to San Antonio, Texas, and now wishes he had planted the entire \$37,000 and gotten wealthy on the enhanced value of our good land. From San Antonio he made the trip to St. Louis, Mo., and later went into the steamboat business, and now holds a franchise out of both Cairo, Ill., and Paducah, Ky., and has accumulated a fortune. Through the advertising done by the Southern Land Development Company, he came here on March 19, 1914, and purchased a small tract of land of them, and now wishes he had stayed here with this beautiful valley 37 years ago. Capt. Barnes now expects to make Pecos his future winter home in the near future.

The foregoing ought to convince any man of intelligence that newspaper advertising is the mainstay and proper means of increasing trade and building up a new country.

## KERMIT HAPPENINGS.

Henry Hutchison will in a short time return to Mexico and resume his work in water witching. Henry says he can certainly find water, but can't tell just how deep you will have to go to find it, so he has secured the services of Mr. Lovett, who claims to be an expert in giving the exact depth to water. He is trying a new process by which he can find the water. He takes a book and reads it. He says he can find the water. He takes a book and reads it. He says he can find the water. He takes a book and reads it.

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District Deputy J. T. Harris, and son of Sweetwater, in the interest of Woodcraft. The succeed in organizing a lodge in Kermit with the following officers: H. B. Lovett, C. C.; W. A. Priest, A. L.; Ben Dawson, B.; C. G. Dawson, clerk; B. E. Lovett, E.; W. F. Stewart, Sentinel. Managers, A. L. Miller, W. E. Baird and J. T. Lovett.

They will organize a Circle this evening.

A big function was pulled off at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest on the evening of the 20th inst., in celebrating St. Patrick's day. The hostesses, Mrs. Priest and Miss Johnnie Moreland, had everything in order. The house was decorated with green. A two-course luncheon was served, after which progressive forty-two was played until 1:30. The prize was won by Frank Mitchell and Miss Pauline Halley, which consisted of a cake, decorated in green. The next entertainment was a snake hunt and Mrs. Halley received the prize for finding the most snakes. Then came the potato race, the participants picking them up with coffee spoons. The final event of the evening was "indoors fireworks." The first was an imitation hat, which, when touched off, with a fuse, exploded sparks, flowers and confetti. The next was an imitation apple, which threw out confetti and souvenirs. Small Irish flags were the souvenirs for the evening. Everyone left at 3 a. m., rejoicing over a good "Irish" time.

Jim Macbie has returned to Kermit after a whirlwind voyage to the North Pole. Says he sure had a fine time, failed to reach the pole, but succeeded in locating the North Star. Jim is a hummer from Hummersville.

Frank Mitchell and Ben Dawson have returned from Alpine, bringing in an auto which Ben purchased there. Ben is well pleased and very proud of his car.

## IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

J. C. Preddy had us insert an offer of a reward for the return of a bald-faced sorrel mare in yesterday's daily and last evening informed us that she had been returned to him. It pays to advertise.

## ALL IN DOUBT.

Mexican Federals Claim a Victory Over Rebels Led by Gen. Villa Against Torreon.

News comes from Mexico City that Villa and his armies are driven back and have lost 700 killed, but do not say a word about their own losses. From past experiences concerning the dispatches sent out from Mexico City, this report could not be relied upon as being true. It is a notorious fact that the first reports coming from Mexico City concerning all battles that have been fought resulted in a great victory in their favor, when in fact the victory belonged to the rebels. How could a reliable report be expected when it had its origin with Huerta, the chief of falsifiers. Notice if you please the reports that were sent out by the federals from Mexico City concerning the battles of Ojinaga and that of Chihuahua. They claimed a complete victory over Villa's forces, when in fact General Villa's army had almost annihilated their opposing army that call themselves federals and are commanded by that usurper dictator, whose heart is black with crime, his hands red with innocent blood of Madero, the president and his superior. The constitutionalists will win out, for justice is their leader.

## HOBAN NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Shellenberger drove to Pecos last Saturday in their 2 h. p. Spaulding, returning Sunday afternoon. Later in the evening they visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and family.

The Pecos Mercantile Company auto stopped long enough last Saturday to feed it a gallon of bran so the gentlemen could make it to Pecos. A very stiff norther was blowing at that time but the driver and passenger were well provided with cigars to stay under smoke to keep warm.

Mr. and Mrs. Stamper, daughter Vera and little granddaughter Mervyn, now ready to begin service.

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Hoban school closed after a six months term. Patrons are well pleased with the progress made by their children and tried to induce the teacher to return the coming fall.

During her stay, Miss Roberta Sharples won the affection of the entire community. We regret to see her leave.

Out is the school, The teacher's gone And Is left alone.

The freight agent received a highly respected shipment of some sort of preparations. It was loaded in a separate box car and well provided for not to be handled too rough. Mr. Richburg, the brakeman, after handing it out said: Now careful, don't drop it, or we'll see us in Hades manana. It was a box of dynamite and was placed in safety behind the depot.

## ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD.

Governor Colquitt offers \$200 each for the five Mexicans that were implicated in killing Clemente Vergara. These five Mexicans have taken refuge in Mexico, where there is no recognized government, and there is no way of effecting the capture of any of these Mexicans without an armed posse entering into Mexico. An act of this kind would be an open violation of law governing the acts of neutral powers and the Mexican armies would be justified in resenting this intrusion. If these Mexicans could be caught on Texas soil then any American officer or citizen would have the right under the law to take them under arrest and in the event of their refusal to submit and was killed there would be no violation of law. The party or parties trying to effect the arrest would be entitled to recover the reward offered by the governor.

## WALTER FULLER DEAD.

Word was received in Pecos that Walter Fuller of Barstow had passed to the great Beyond. He was well and most favorably known by most of the Pecos people.

Rev. Homer Magee, pastor of the Pecos Christian church, will conduct the funeral services this evening at Barstow.

The bereaved relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of the Pecos people, in which the Times joins.

## TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS PRIZES

Circulars have been issued by the Texas Industrial Congress, giving data on the 1914 farming contests, in which \$10,000 in gold will be given away to Texas farmers, their wives, sons and daughters. West Texas has never been as heavily represented in this contest as it should have been, and only a few entries have ever been made from Reeves county during the four years that the Texas Industrial Congress has been operating.

This is to some extent accounted for, perhaps, by the fact that only in one class are prizes awarded for irrigated products, and then only for milo maize, kaffir corn and feterita. Reeves county should have a number of entrants in this class (D), however, and should carry off some prizes. Sixteen hundred dollars is offered in this class, for the results shown on single-acre tracts of either of the above forage crops. The first prize in this class is \$300; second prize, \$200; third prize, \$100; and the sum of \$1000 "will be divided equally among all other contestants whose yields are greater and whose cost of production is less than the average yield and the average cost of production of all contestants entered in this class."

Competition in this class is open to all, and the prizes will be awarded for the largest yields of merchantable grain, cost of production considered, from a single acre of either kaffir, milo, or feterita. When ready for harvesting, this must be headed, leaving shanks not more than three inches long, and all of the heads, when thoroughly dry, must be actually weighed.

Feterita is the forage crop that is taking North Texas and Oklahoma "by storm" this season. It was extensively planted by the farmers of this section, and was the result of the fact that it is a hardy plant and they firmer than one harvest of it. The section, for even the hardy milo and kaffir dried up, while the feterita has not only yielded heavily, and furnished feed for the winter. Government tests have shown it to be of high feeding value, and the department of agriculture is doing a great deal toward getting farmers throughout the Southwest and Middle West to adopt it.

Those farmers who are thinking of taking sows of the Fort Worth Stockyards Company, should enter this contest, for the sake of their hogs, if for no other reason. Mr. C. C. French, who represents that company, was here last week, and in conversation with the writer, stated that exhaustive tests have proven that, for an ideal hog feed, in topping off for market, milo and kaffir cannot be excelled, testing out more favorably than corn. He recommended that it be either soaked or ground before being fed, but said that farmers desiring to fatten their hogs for market, will find it more profitable to grow milo and kaffir, than corn.

The boys and girls on the farms of Reeves county too, should be interested in the contest of the Texas Industrial Congress in the growing of hogs. Five hundred dollars in prizes are offered the boys and girls of Texas. One hundred dollars is offered for the best hog, judged from the butcher's standpoint, and cost and method of feeding considered, and not more than twelve months old on November 1, 1914. The age limit for boys and girls competing, is from ten to nineteen years inclusive. The second prize seventy-five dollars, third prize fifty dollars, and eleven other prizes of twenty-five dollars each will be awarded for the eleven next best results.

Application blanks to enter this year's contest will be gladly sent in any quantity upon application to Texas Industrial Congress, Dallas, Texas. Get into the race and help to put Reeves county on the map in an agricultural way. Application must be mailed before May 1.

## WILL ENTERTAIN HUSBANDS

On Friday evening, April 3, the Merry Wives club, on its twelfth anniversary, will entertain their husbands. The evening will be spent in playing games and choice selections of music, which will render it most entertaining. A five-course dinner will be served, which will no doubt be well appreciated by the hubby.

**LEGITIMATE CLUBS MAY  
SELL TO MEMBERS.**

Austin, Mar. 23.—Bonafide social clubs of Texas, today won a substantial victory when Judge C. A. Wilson, of the 26th district court, rendered judgment in the case of the State of Texas vs. the Country Club of Austin.

The court denied the application of the state for an injunction to restrain the officers of the defendant club from selling intoxicating liquors to its members and also refused an injunction which sought to restrain the club from conducting a pool and billiard hall as incidental to the club.

The court, however, granted an injunction as to election days and the club is restrained from selling liquors to its members on election days.

The case decided is the test case to determine whether or not social clubs of Texas can, under their charters, sell intoxicating liquors to its members. Assistant Attorney General Keeling, who represented the state in the suit, has requested the court to furnish its conclusions of law and fact in order that the case may be appealed to the third court of civil appeals and thence to the Texas supreme court.

**MINISTER WANTS TO ADD TO  
BACHELORS' HIGH COST  
OF LIVING.**

Pittsburg, Pa., Mar. 22.—"All oriental youths must wed when they are young. I want to see a law passed that would compel every young man more than 25, who is not married, to pay a tax to the government for the support of a wife," declared Rev. Dr. Camden W. Bern of Alleghany college, Alleghany, Pa., at last night's session of the mid-winter Bible conference here.

**ARMY APPROPRIATIONS  
SHOW HEAVY INCREASE**

Washington, Mar. 21.—An increase of \$7,567,000 in the army appropriation was made by the senate military affairs committee today. The bill now carries an appropriation of \$101,755,000. The most important new item is \$135,000 to construct a military cable from Washington state to Alaska. The committee urged an increase of \$1,221,000 in the pay for enlisted

tamped at its present of \$85,000. Two million asked for ammunition for field artillery and \$1 for field guns. Another will provide \$50,000 for airships.

**STUDENTS VOLUNTEER  
CONVENTION APRIL 3-5**

The students' volunteer convention of Texas will hold its second annual meeting in the auditorium of the chamber of commerce, Fort Worth, April 3 to 5. Last year the session was held at Waco.

In Waco about 100 delegates attended. At this place more than 200 are expected.

Some of the best speakers in this and in other states will deliver addresses. Missionaries fresh from the battle lines will be present and exhibits from different fields will be on display.

All volunteers, whether members of student organizations or not, are urged to attend. Societies of young people are asked to send their representatives. Mission study classes and secretaries of Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. organizations also are invited to the convention.

The purpose of the convention is to bring together a body of strong, earnest, thinking people for association and conference, to consider the problems of world evangelism, to gain inspiration, vision and high resolve, and to meet obligations in this important task.

**FACTS ABOUT HUMAN LIFE.**

There are 3,064 languages in the world, and its inhabitants have more than 1,000 religions. The number of men is about equal to the number of women. The average of life is about 33 years. One-quarter die previous to 17. To 1,000 persons only one reaches 100 years of life; to every 100 six reach the age of 65, and not more than one in 600 lives to eighty years. There are on the earth 1,000,000,000 inhabitants. Of these 33,033,033 die

every year; 91,894 every day; 3,739 every hour, 60 every minute, or one every second. The married are longer lived than the single, and above all, those who observe a sober and industrious conduct. Tall men live longer than short ones. Women have more chances of life in their favor previous to fifty years of age than men have, but fewer afterward. The number of marriages is in the proportion of 75 to 1,000 individuals. Marriages are more frequent after equinox, that is, during the months of June and December. Those born in the spring are generally of a more robust constitution than others. Births are more frequent by night than by day, also deaths. The number of men capable of bearing arms is calculated at one-fourth of the population.—Golden Argosy.

**SALVATION ARMY IN TANGO  
TREETEES, BEGS DANCERS  
TO REFORM.**

New York, Mar. 22.—Tango enthusiasts and devotees of the night life along Broadway were surprised Saturday at midnight when a Salvation Army band invaded the floor of some of the most popular dance establishments and begged dancers to stop and list to a word about the serious side of life. The joyful crowds did not appear a bit abashed; they listened to the songs and speeches and applauded liberally. At all places visited the party was welcomed.

At one popular resort the diners at first seemed to think it was an act of the cabaret. If so, they were undeceived when the Salvation Army leader raised his hand for silence and solemnly addressed them with a warning that enjoyment was not everything in life and a plea that they turn to things "nobler, truer and finer."

**THE BUILDING OF A STATE.**

The United States senate has given recognition to the work of the Texas Farm Life Commission. The pamphlet of Chairman Lindsey of the commission, entitled "The Building of a State," has been incorporated into the official records of the senate on motion of Hon. Morris Sheppard, of Texas, and will be distributed throughout the country among those interested in the advancement of agriculture, as well as all questions of an economic nature.

**MEXICAN FEDERALISTS FIRE  
ON U. S. SOLDIERS.**

Eagle Pass, Tex., Mar. 23.—American soldiers and Mexican federalists engaged in a battle yesterday at McGee Crossing, three miles above Del Rio, in which several federal soldiers are reported killed. A patrol from Troop E of the Fourteenth cavalry returned the fire of the Mexicans across the Rio Grande and for ten minutes the shooting continued. None of the American were injured.

Forty constitutionalist soldiers had been fighting federalists on the bank of the river for half an hour, when the constitutionalists tried to cross the river and surrender to the American troops. The federalists continued firing at them until they reached the American bank.

The commander of the American cavalrymen signaled repeatedly for the federalists to cease firing but his signals were disregarded. Finally he ordered his men to return the fire. It is believed that a number of federalists were killed, as they were seen to fall and were carried away after the firing ceased.

Colonel Sibley has ordered one troop of cavalry from Fort Clark and the machine gun platoon from Eagle Pass to proceed to Del Rio this afternoon.

**TO THE HOUSEWIFE.**

Madam, if your husband is like most men he expects you to look after the health of yourself and children. Coughs and colds are the most common of the minor ailments and are most likely to lead to serious diseases. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when it has a cold. If you will inquire into the merits of the various remedies that are recommended for coughs and colds, you will find that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy stands high in the estimation of people who use it. It is prompt and effectual, pleasant and safe to take, which are qualities especially to be desired when a medicine is intended for children. For sale by all dealers.

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**PEOPLE ARE SURE  
TO REAP HARVEST**

Artesia, N. M., Mar. 21.—That the present season will be one of the most profitable to the sheepmen of New Mexico, both in the percentage of lambs and the prices paid for lambs and ewes sold, is the prediction of S. P. Henry, who has an extensive ranch on the Felice.

Henry was in Artesia on his way to his ranch, accompanying a flock of 4000 ewes which had wintered in Crockett county, Texas. He reported that the winter had been ideal for the sheep industry and that as a consequence the ewes were in excellent condition to care for their lambs. He expects to raise more than 90 per cent of the crop this year.

Last year Henry saved 3190 lambs out of a total of 3300 dropped, or about 90 per cent. These lambs are now on pasture in Crockett county, Texas, and will soon be shipped to the Kansas City market, where the owner expects to realize \$5 per head for them. Henry says that the tariff hasn't hurt him or any other sheepman that he has heard of and he is sanguine about the future of the sheep industry in New Mexico and the Pecos Valley.

**RECOMMENDS CHAMBER-  
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"I take pleasure in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my customers because I have confidence in it. I find that they are pleased with it and call for it when again in need of such a medicine," writes J. W. Sexson, Montevallo, Mo. For sale by all dealers.

**NOTICE OF AN ELECTION.**

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Fire Hall in the town of Pecos City, in Reeves County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1914, same being the 7th day of said month, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three aldermen and a City Marshal for said town, and E. L. Collings is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election.

Given under my hand this 3d day of March, A. D. 1914.

J. B. GIBSON,  
Mayor Pecos City, Texas.

Alfalfa seed at Prewit & Wadley's. 11

**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John J. Hoban by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 7th judicial district; to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Reeves county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1914, the same being the 20th day of April, A. D. 1914, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1914, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 1360, wherein W. M. Clune is plaintiff and John J. Hoban is defendant, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: First, that on April 19, 1912, John J. Hoban executed to W. M. Clune his promissory note for \$3,000, of date April 19, 1912, due on or before six months after date, and bearing 10 per cent interest per annum from date; second, that it was agreed and understood that said note provided for 10 per cent attorney's fees if sued upon for collection, but by mutual mistake the provision for 10 per cent attorney's fees was left out of the face of said note; whereby defendant promised to pay plaintiff the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorney's fees due thereon, according to tenor and effect thereof; third, plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of Will P. Brady for collection and contracted to pay him the 10 per cent stipulated in said note, same being the usual fee; fourth, said note is now past due, and only part of same has been paid, and defendant though often requested has failed and refused and still refuses to pay the balance.

Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer said petition, that said note be corrected to include the 10 per cent provision for attorney's fees, that plaintiff have judgment for his debt, the principal of said note, with

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attorney's fees, and cost of suit and for general and special relief. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Pecos, Texas, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1914. WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 20M12-4 Maize and kaffir seed at Prewit & Wadley's.

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## GOING TO PUT DOWN WELLS

J. C. Priddy and H. L. Patterson were in again yesterday from the former's place with his traction engine and went out this morning with a large drilling outfit and intends to commence at once putting down wells. We did not learn what size the wells would be, but feel certain that they will be of good size, as Mr. Priddy is a practical man of business and knows what is needed.

He is going into reclaiming business in a way that means something for the advancement of this great West Texas country and the Times trusts that his fondest-hopes may be more than realized.

**TREAT THE FLY LIKE YOU WOULD THE DEVIL**  
Screen your windows! If you can not get wire screening use mosquito bar. Screen your doors! Keep out the fly as you would the devil, for he is a devil.

Swat these flies that are not eliminated by the starvation process. Keep a fly swatter for every room in the house. You can get room in the house. Cease your game to kill the fly. Stop conversation with your company and chase that fly. Swat! Never mind knocking over the vase or upsetting the lamp. Swat!  
Kill, entrap, burn, starve. Spare not the fly.—Ex.

### FOR ALDERMAN.

We are authorized to announce Dr. W. H. Moore as a candidate for alderman to be elected at the city election in April next. Dr. Moore is too well known in the city for the Times to undertake to recommend him, but it is understood that when a candidate announces in the Times for office that the people are expected to vote for them.

### SOME MORE GOOD PEOPLE.

Ben J. Murrenben, Evansville, Indiana.  
For Weekly Times:  
Davis Hairston, Hoban.  
P. M. Fogg, Pecos.  
R. N. Vawter, Somerville, Ariz.  
Mrs. A. J. Cooksey, Pecos.  
W. E. Irvine, Barstow.  
F. W. Taylor, Norman, Okla.  
For Daily Times:  
Hoban Mercantile Co., Hoban.  
R. N. McCarthy, Pecos.  
J. T. H. Lipscomb, Pecos.  
B. T. Biggs, Pecos.  
J. G. Ashworth, Pecos.  
M. W. Collie, Pecos.  
R. B. Patton, Pecos.

### HEREFORD RAISER HERE.

R. E. Van Huss, one of Midland's numerous raisers of the beautiful white-faced cattle, was here today having been summoned on the federal jury. He made the Times office a pleasant call and left an advertisement of Herefords he has for sale, which will appear in this week's Times.

### DEMOCRATIC CALL.

"All for Ball and Ball for All." In compliance with request from Hon. A. W. Walker, manager of the campaign of the Hon. Thos. H. Ball, candidate for Governor, a call is hereby made for all democrats who favor and are willing to do all that they consistently can to secure the nomination at an election of the Hon. Thos. H. Ball as Governor of the great State of Texas, to meet at the court house, Saturday, March 28, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organizing a "Tom Ball Club"; and for such other business as may be deemed to be the best interest of good government in our state.  
CITIZEN.

### BIBLE CLASS MEETS.

On Monday the ladies' Bible class of the First Baptist church held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Julia Ward.

Mrs. Hatch was leader and led to the discussion of the last lesson in the Old Testament. This was participated in by all the members present.

The next lesson was assigned in the New Testament. After a general discussion the meeting closed with a deeply felt prayer by Mrs. C. A. M. Pitts.

### BADLY BURNED.

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## ASKS FOR EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY

Austin, Mar. 21.—Application has been made to Governor Colquitt for commutation of the death sentence of Leon Martinez, the Mexican youth sentenced to hang at Pecos, April 21 for the murder of Miss Emma Brown.

Colquitt has given no indication whether he will take any action.

### METHODIST LADIES MEET.

The ladies of the missionary society of the Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon at the cozy home of Mrs. A. J. Cooksey and daughter, Mrs. Rarey. Mrs. Joel Hedgpath was in charge of the meeting and led the discussion on a very interesting quiz pertaining to Southern Methodism. The discussion was general. A most delightful salad course was served as refreshments and enjoyed by all.

Among those present were: Rev. and Mrs. Joel Hedgpath, Mesdames T. J. Sisk, A. E. Wilcox, C. J. Jordan, Dr. Magee, A. J. Taggart, O. Mitchell, J. A. Buck, E. J. Moyer, J. A. Drane, Wildie Rannels, Wm. Adams and Miss Steed.

### DADDY AND HAPPY.

A number of our citizens received cards announcing the arrival of "J. Leonard Westerman, Jr." at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Westerman, on March 15, 1914, at DeRidder, Louisiana.

All are doing well. The Times joins in extending congratulations to the happy parents and wish a long, useful, prosperous life to J. Leonard, Jr.

### GONE ON BUSINESS.

T. B. Pruett, proprietor of the Pruett Lumber Company, and L. W. Anderson, general manager of the Pecos Valley Southern railway, left today for Shreveport, La., where they expect to purchase and electric light poles. Will be gone about

the beautiful home of Mrs. Roberts and will take possession Saturday.

Also D. H. Snyder, brother to Marcus, of Colorado, is contemplating purchasing a home in this vicinity. The Times joins in welcoming Messrs. Snyder among us.

### RHEUMATISM AND NEURALGIA.

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### W. O. W. CIRCLE TO MEET.

The woman's W. O. W. will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, April 7, at Woodman hall.

The election of officers will take place next meeting and the meeting promises to be enjoyable, as it is in the hands of a good committee.

### NEW AWNING.

H. G. Pinkston has had a new awning built over the rear window on the west side of the building which he occupies as a harness shop to keep off the hot sun rays during the summer.

### RECLAMATION MAN BUYS A FORD.

P. M. Fogg, the reclamation man, has added a Ford touring car to his equipment, having purchased same from the Pecos Auto Company.

This is the nineteenth car sold into this territory within the last year by this firm, and although this is the popular Ford, it is by no means the only make of car that has been purchased by our citizens. Does the large percentage of automobile buyers in our territory indicate hard times? And still there are knockers.

### How's This?

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A nail from the finger of fate,  
A plume from the wing of an army,  
And a drink from the bar of a gate.

A hair from the head of a hammer,  
A bite from the teeth of a saw,  
A race on a course of study,  
And a joint from the limb of the law.

A check that is drawn on a sandband,  
Some fruit from the jam of a door,  
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## PARDONING BOARD AGAINST MARTINEZ

Young Mexican Fails to Get Commutation, is the Report From Austin.

Austin, Mar. 23.—The board of pardons will report adversely to the governor on the request for a commutation of the death sentence imposed on Leon Cardenas Martinez, convicted of the murder of Miss Emma Brown of Austin. The case has gone to the United States supreme court, which court refused to change the affirmation of the sentence by the court of criminal appeals. Unless Governor Colquitt interferences, Martinez, who is now in jail at Pecos, will hang April 21.

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sheds thoroughly raked out, attics and basements overhauled, and barrels, boxes, cans, or anything that will catch moisture or trash in the yard turned upside down or disposed of. Then with a free garbage collection and a strictly enforced municipal ordinance requiring each household to have a tightly covered metal can, and with a fairly decent sewage disposal plant and increasingly active milk, meat, fruit vegetable and bakery inspections, and some warfare against public spitting, the city ought to be free from the worst of fevers, infantile intestinal diseases, and tuberculosis throughout the summer.—El Paso Herald.

If city cleanliness is a good thing for Eastern and Western cities, it is also good for Pecos City. A special clean up day for the city should be appointed for the business and the rural districts. As well this committee shall canvas the alleys and vacant lots and see to it that there is no dead chickens and dead cats left lying within the city. These things are unsightly as well as breeding places for flies and microbes that spread disease throughout the city. Every resident citizen in the city should be required to see to it that their premises were kept clean. The keeping of the city clean is not only beneficial to the health but adds to the looks of the town.

It has been observed that there are quite a good many strange faces amongst the Mexicans within the last few days. It was reported this morning to the Times that three strange Mexicans came in to town yesterday and Fernando Subia's brother met them on the street and carried them back on the alley and after a conference there he took them down to his home. These people should be looked after, as a matter of protection.

ONE MORE VICTORY.

General Villa's tramps have entered Torreon, storming the strongholds of the federals, driving them back in confusion. Heavy losses on both sides. Villa had formed his forces so as to bring on the attack from three sides of the city, attacking the federal's strong fortifications simultaneously from all his artillery planted so that the fed...

... habeas corpus was tried in the United federal court in Pecos yesterday. The court stated that he would not give a decision for several days. The contention of Esquire H. R. Gamble, who represented the Mexican prisoners, is "that this government had no authority for holding them and depriving them of their liberty because they had not committed any offense against this government; that when they crossed over the border line they gave up their arms and submitted to the United States army and were placed under arrest at El Paso and from there were moved to Fort Bliss and they have been confined in prison ever since, without having committed any offense against this government."

Mr. Gamble's argument was illogical and very much misleading. The fact is that the United States government is a neutral power and not taking sides with either faction, and this army which was fleeing from their enemies and crossing over the border line, volunteered to give up their arms and asked to be taken prisoners in order to get protection from the enemy that they were forced to flee from or become prisoners of war in their own country, will, if these prisoners are released, be guilty of aiding and abetting the federals and it will be paramount to recognizing the Huerta regime. Now, the United States, which is not taking sides with either faction, and the fact that it is a neutral power and that the United States soldiers have taken them prisoners and giving them protection from their enemies from whom they were fleeing and not allowing the army that was following them to cross and capture them, but gave them protection. Now to turn them loose, allowing them to return to Mexico and take up arms again is paramount to the United States furnishing the federalists with recruits to continue the war. An act of this kind would be equivalent to giving recognition to Huerta's government.

CITY CLEANLINESS.

In the East the cities wait until the first of May for a clean up day, but May is too late for El Paso; early April is a practical date for a clean up day. It is a civic movement to interest housewives in having their yards, under the...

ORIENT HOTEL ARRIVALS.

- Thursday, March 19. A. E. Beck, El Paso. H. Robbins, Saragosa. J. H. Mitchell, Kermit. Ben Dawson, Kermit. W. A. White, Grandfalls. Miss Dearing, Fort Stockton. J. T. McElroy, Odessa. W. H. Kirksey, Fort Worth. Mrs. L. Y. Cherry, Fort Worth. Charlie Lisman, Waco. R. E. Harkin, Dallas. S. B. Toby, Sherman. C. F. Wilson, Denver. T. J. Hickson and wife, El Paso. Finley Holmes, Toyah. W. V. Thomas, Tulsa, Okla. W. H. Bell, El Paso. John Lewis, Carlsbad. H. V. Auricht, New York. Mrs. W. T. Mitchner, Carlsbad. F. Canadian, Dallas. Mrs. J. N. Levin, Crystal Water. G. M. Montgomery, Crystal Water. C. C. French, Fort Worth. Sol Mayer, Toyahvale. Fiske Emery and wife, Balmorhea. W. F. Cummins, El Paso. L. C. Smoot, Toyah.

- Friday, March 20. John Sutes, Boston. Chas. A. Dunsmore, Artesia. Hall Harrison, ranch. E. D. Balcum, Balmorhea. Geo. F. Stubling, Abilene. A. F. Arnold, Amarillo. T. A. Todd, Dayton, N. M. W. L. Corn, Fort Worth. Fred Snyder, Lawton. Marcus Snyder, ranch. Henry Avant, city. D. R. Durrett, St. Louis. T. J. Saylor, Roswell. Elmer Robison, Itasca. H. H. Jones, San Antonio. H. C. Eggleston, St. Louis. T. L. Ogier, College Station. P. B. Rodgers, Fort Worth. C. M. Hoeker, San Antonio. J. C. Smith, Dallas. Bill Cowden, Midland. E. F. Sells, El Paso. W. H. Haggard, Dallas. John Cery, Dallas. A. V. Smith, Dallas.

- Saturday, March 21. Hall Harrison, ranch. W. R. Hyatt, Artesia. F. Z. Williams, Dallas. Abe Mayer, San Antonio. W. D. Case, ... J. B. ... A. G. Pannell, Nashville, Tenn. A. Boyd Clayton, Bedford, Va. H. Linger, Rochester, N. Y. J. W. Weepton and wife, Ogden, Neb. C. C. Covington, St. Louis. J. T. McElroy, Odessa. C. S. Fitzhugh, Fort Worth.

- Sunday, March 22. R. E. Tucker, Toyah. J. H. Rogers, San Antonio. Miss Lillian Pruett, city. J. M. Caldwell, Midland. W. W. Brown, Kansas City. E. R. Meek, Dallas. T. H. Thompson, San Antonio. J. L. Camp, San Antonio. D. H. Hart, Austin. S. M. Wilson, Abilene. T. R. Voliva, C. S. Karkatits. W. L. Graves, L. A. Brunson, R. E. Vaulius, T. D. Jones, Midland. H. R. Gamble, El Paso. C. R. Moore, El Paso. Wm. Fleemore, Big Springs. E. S. Christopher, Big Springs. L. L. Brown, Los Angeles. S. H. Murray, Sheffield. D. B. Kilpatrick, Shejeld.

- Monday, March 23. H. T. Spencer, San Francisco. G. P. Lessing, El Paso. P. A. Yeast, Lincoln, Neb. O. P. Williams, Chicago. E. E. Gullike, Deming, N. M. Miss Jessie Taylor, Roswell. Chas. L. Fox, Dallas. Walter W. Davis, Snyder. Wm. H. England, Ponca City, Ok. C. DuBose, Dallas. Ed. W. Smith, San Antonio. E. V. Swatt, Grandfalls. W. G. Snellson, Grandfalls. Fred Cowden, Midland. W. A. Babbett, Paclucola, Tex. Robt. Adler, Kansas City. Mrs. H. E. Barber and children, Carlsbad.

- Mrs. E. L. Stratton, Porterville. J. W. Van De Grifo, Denver. G. Brelsford, St. Louis. Z. A. Woods Jr., Fort Smith. W. P. Arnold, Dallas. Miss Christine Levin, N. Y. City. A. M. Kahn, Dallas. H. H. Jones, Hoban. Harry McTier, Balmorhea.

- Tuesday, March 24. Mrs. Wilbur, Stanton. W. H. Bates, McLean, Tex. T. Perry and wife, Deming. Alfred Bowen, Philadelphia. Chas. T. Adams, Carlsbad. L. D. Terry, Big Springs.

- J. A. Buck, city. H. M. Thornton, Dallas. S. M. Wilson, Abilene. Wednesday, March 25. A. C. Browning, W. E. Zehner, Dallas. D. H. Snyder Jr., Colorado City. W. P. Arnold, Dallas. C. F. Goodwin, Chicago. W. H. Smith, W. B. Dennis, Canon City, Colo. V. Andrews and wife, Germany. Mrs. B. B. Connell, Danison. I. D. Donnell and wife, Miss Donnell, Billings, Mont. Tom McKenzie, Fort Stockton. W. H. Laird, Dallas. Al Popham, Amarillo. A. L. Bechler, Fort Worth. R. A. Walton, Kansas City. R. A. Carpenter, Dallas. W. F. Johnson, San Antonio. Chas. B. Russell, El Paso. L. C. Smoot, Toyah.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Citizens of Pecos City: In announcing for re-election to the Mayor's office, I want to say that much unavoidable delay has been occasioned in the matter of the sewer and waterworks, which delay, while absolutely unavoidable, has no doubt resulted in the city council, and the mayor in particular, coming in for a liberal share of criticism. I am quite sure, however, that if the public knew of the earnest and persistent efforts that have been made by me to dispose of the bonds during the last twelve months of terrible stringency in the money market, and the very great difficulty of disposing of a five per cent bond at face value and accrued interest, the public would not be quite so harsh in its judgment. We have at last succeeded in disposing of the bonds and getting the money, and the work has begun in earnest and both the sewer and waterworks will be put in just as fast as men and modern machinery can do the work.

On account of my thorough acquaintance with all the details of the two systems as planned, I feel that, in justice to myself, as well as to the public, I am entitled to serve and ought to serve as mayor until both systems are complete as per contract. I assure you that for this reason only I desire to be re-elected mayor. When this work is done, I will be more than willing to turn the office over to any other competent man—but not until then. I appeal to my fellow-townsmen to grant me the opportunity to finish the sewer and waterworks systems according to plans adopted, and I fully believe that, upon reflection, you will agree that I am justly entitled to this opportunity, and that you will, by your votes, concede it to me. Earnestly asking you for your support, and thanking you in advance for the same, I am, Very respectfully, J. B. GIBSON.

Seed barley at Prewit & Wadley's. TO GOOD ROADS MEETING.

H. B. Link, secretary of the commercial club, T. Y. Casey, Geo. D. Marshall, J. B. Hudson and M. L. Roddy left this morning to attend the good roads meeting which is to be held at Odessa tonight. It would be hard to have sent five of our citizens who are more earnest in their endeavors to better the conditions of this part of Texas with good roads than those above named.

FEEL GOOD—LAUGH—BE HAPPY AND WELL

Take Some Dodson's Liver Tone Tonight and See How Much Better You Will Feel Tomorrow. Thousands of former sufferers from constipation, biliousness, sick headache and stomach ills are now brighter, healthier, happier through taking Dodson's Liver Tone, the medicine which was made to use instead of calomel. They have learned to smile again. Dodson's fine remedy is so different from calomel. You feel good after taking Dodson's. There are no depressing after-effects, such as with calomel and other strong and violent purgatives. You do not change your habits or diet when taking Dodson's Liver Tone. There is no pain, no grippe, no change in your regular habits. Liver Tone promptly clears the dulled brain and clogged system in an easy, natural way, assisting Nature in the struggle against constipation and biliousness. Dodson's also stimulates you and builds you up again, strengthens you at the same time. A reliable, pleasant-tasting vegetable liquid, Dodson's Liver Tone is guaranteed without condition by the Pecos Drug Company, who will cheerfully refund purchase price (50c) instantly without question in event of any dissatisfaction with the remedy or its results. (J)

Egyptian wheat seed at Prewit & Wadley's. 12tf

Beef and Milk A-plenty. Cattle are kept for two purposes; for beef production and for milk production. To do either right they must be healthy. There is nothing better to keep them in continued good health, or to make them well quickly when sick, than a few doses of— Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE. Stirs up the liver—Drives disease poisons away. Any time any of my cattle get anything wrong with them I give them a few doses of Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE. They soon get well. John S. Carroll, Moorhead, Miss. 25c, 50c and \$1. per can. At your dealer's. P. B. 2

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the members of the Curtain Club of the Pecos High School, wish to extend our sincerest thanks to Miss Harper and Miss Nelson for the untiring efforts set forth and for the valuable assistance they gave us while we were preparing our play.

We wish also to extend our most hearty thanks to Mr. B. J. Strickland for his liberality in remitting the cost of the printing which he did for us.

J. F. COLE, WINIFRED HATCH, MILDRED M'CARVER, Committee.

(Note.—The above was handed to us for last week's issue, but was mislaid, hence did not appear, for which we beg pardon.—Ed.)

LUCKY NUMBERS.

Anyone holding the following numbers will please present the tickets at Vickers & Collings' store and get your prize: Ticket No. 118. Ticket No. 132. Ticket No. 594.

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

To the Voters of Pecos: Since I announced myself as a candidate for the office of Marshal of Pecos, I have heard it rumored that I was not eligible to the office for the reason that I did not reside within the city limits of Pecos. To those who may have heard and heeded the rumor I wish to publicly state that for the past seven years I have resided within the incorporation of the city of Pecos, and have always paid my city poll tax and voted in all city elections held in Pecos during said time, and I therefore ask my friends and supporters to disregard such a report. E. M. KISER.

RECEIVED THEIR SEED.

The Cantaloupe Growers' Association of Pecos received their consignment of two hundred pounds of seeds and will begin planting the last of this week.

Subscribe for the Daily Times.

THEY WERE PAYING ATTENTION.

Bro. Cole says that some of his Sunday congregation met him Monday and asked for verification of some figures he quoted in his night sermon. The preacher produced the figures and satisfied his good friends of their correctness. The preacher says he is glad to know that folks listen and ask questions as it is a sign of life and interest. People who do not think do not ask questions—"They arise and pass out of the world, like blades of grass."

Advertise in the Daily Times.

Backache. Miss Myrtle Cothrum, of Russellville, Ala., says: "For nearly a year, I suffered with terrible backache, pains in my limbs, and my head ached nearly all the time. Our family doctor treated me, but only gave me temporary relief. I was certainly in bad health. My school teacher advised me to TAKE Cardui The Woman's Tonic. I took two bottles, in all, and was cured. I shall always praise Cardui to such an amazing degree." If you suffer from pains peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, or other symptoms of womanly trouble, or if you merely need a tonic for that tired, nervous, worn-out feeling, try Cardui. E-35

IN BUYING AN OVERLAND AUTOMOBILE. You get the best car that can possibly be produced—a car that has stood every test for good road service here and elsewhere. You have the proof of their service right at your hand, for I can show you Overland cars in Pecos driven 2,000 miles with engine parts, as perfect as machinery can be made. Then this car saves you 25 to 100 per cent of your investment. This I would like to prove to you any time. But above all the service this car and factory offer you after you have paid for it is not equalled by any factory of any size or car of any price. You have every assurance of a safe, satisfactory investment. Then any service you may need or demand is at your hand. You are not compelled to wait for agents' parts to come from some far off place to make your adjustments. Now is the time to buy a car. The Overland is the car to buy. Let me show you the points any time. O. MITCHELL

# Classified Column

## WANTED.

WANTED—To sell you hay and grain. Prewit & Wadley. 7tf

WANTED—To buy or trade for Percheron stallion. K. C. Tucker, Toyah, Tex. 13-3

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A carload of full-blood Hereford yearling bulls for sale. All good and thrifty. R. E. Van Huss, Midland, Texas. 13-2\*

FOR SALE—At a bargain; block of land in the Lipscomb & Warn addition to city of Pecos. Party gave \$500 for same two years ago; will sell for \$350 now, as needs money. C. L. Heath, Cowan Building, Pecos, Texas. 13-2

FOR SALE—One pair of mules, wagon, harness, good milk cow, about 18 Plymouth Rock chickens, incubator, buggy, portable chicken house, heater stove, washing machine. Call Saturday or phone 244. J. L. Williams, second house north of old school building. 11

FOR SALE—Eight or ten nice young fresh Jersey milk cows. S. M. Prewit. 7tf

FOR SALE—Horses, mules and mares for sale; teams and saddle horses; cheap. Phone 97-111. M. M. McCutchen. 6

FOR SALE—Five-inch centrifugal pump nearly new, \$75. M. M. McCutchen. 6

FOR SALE—Three high grade Jersey cows, fresh. J. B. Miller, Phone 189. Pecos. 2tf

FOR SALE—Good milk cow; gives lots of milk; half Jersey. A. E. Wilcox. 12-1

FOR SALE—Good strong, fat farm horse, cheap. Prewit & Wadley. 11

## LOST.

LOST—A gold brooch with diamond center. Finder please notify Mrs. Sully Vaughan. 13

## HIS PREFERENCE.

"Talking about styles, the feminine beauty, do you like these 'old Junos'?"  
"I must say, I prefer the peroxide peaches."

# THE CHURCHES

## Presbyterian.

Sabbath school 9 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior Missionary Band 3 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend each of these services.

CHAS. B. BOYLES.

## Methodist.

The pastor and people wish to take this manner for thanking Dr. Evans for his magnificent lecture of last Sunday night. All who heard him were benefited and made better. We trust that it will be possible for him to be with us some time and to give us the benefit of his services as often as possible.

There will be all the usual services of the church next Sunday. The Epworth League service will commence at 7:30 sharp and will positively be through by 8. It will be a prayer and praise service specially planned for the young people, and will be conducted by the pastor. We are anxious to have any and all at any and all of our services. We especially stress the Sunday school work and invite you to be with us in the earnest study of God's word.

## Baptist.

The usual services at the Baptist church next Sunday. Last Sunday's services were an inspiration to all of us. Good men ought to have a feast of spiritual food when they assemble for the special purpose of worshipping God. In the far-off time it was written of Christian souls that in their meetings they spake one to another and a book of remembrance was written of their sayings. What sort of book might be written of the sayings of some of our assemblies that are styled "worship"? The gibble gabble that sometimes heard in the church house is worse than Mother Goose names. "The Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him." Reverence is an open door through which the Spirit comes to comfort and the saints of God. Next Sunday we hope to see the number in our morning congregation that has been present long time. The cold and the have passed away in most

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms; either one bed room or two for light house-keeping. Mrs. R. C. Clarke. 11

FOR RENT—Ten acres with flowing well and four-room house, adjoining Pecos. W. F. Gray. 4tf

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms. M. Somes.

## TO EXCHANGE.

TO EXCHANGE—A good irrigated farm close to Pecos for live stock. W. F. Gray, Pecos. 4tf

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

(From Wednesday's Daily)  
M. R. Hill, representative of H. B. Hardenburger & Company, manufacturers of leather and metal goods, Brooklyn, N. Y., is in Pecos today and paid the Times office a very pleasant business visit.

Revs. Evans and Hedgpath, by the kindness of J. G. Love, had an interesting sightseeing trip to Hoban, Saragosa, Balmorhea and the Toyah Valley on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Dawson of Pecos, on account of illness, will try the water of Mineral Wells a month or so. He will leave this evening. His friends hope that his recovery will be soon.

Mrs. Van Deren of Balmorhea, and father-in-law, came in this evening and will leave on No. 6 for Hennessy, Okla., for a visit.

Mesdames Ragdale and James of Alamogordo spent two days of the week in town, representing educational libraries.

Bill Oden, the Hormosa farmer-owner, left Sunday to be with his sister in Dallas, who is very ill.

Miss Frances Zimmer is confined to her home on account of having a very painful sty on her eye.

Mr. Sunshine Johnson of Big Valley is in from his farm today.

Josiah Parker from Patrole, is in town this evening.

Charles R. Russell, superintendent of agents, and a director in the Two Republics Life Insurance Co. of El Paso, is a visitor in the city for a few days, the guest of R. B. Patton, the local agent for the above company. Mr. Russell is a very pleasant gentleman, as well as a wide awake insurance man, and never misses an opportunity to say a good word for West Texas and the Pecos Valley.

B. H. Gaines and J. G. Ashworth left yesterday for a month's hunting and camping trip out on Toyah Creek and the Davis Mountains.

The Twentieth Century Club will meet with Mrs. W. P. Brady this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Anderson left this evening for Dallas, where Mrs. Anderson will visit her mother. They will also make Temple a short visit and will bring their baby back, who has for the last two weeks been with his grandmother in Dallas.

A. O. Stanberry arrived from El Paso yesterday for a short stay among his former chums and associates.

T. S. Ingle was in yesterday from the ranch for a short visit with his mother and other relatives and friends.

C. D. Houston of Balmorhea was a business visitor in Pecos yesterday.

Jno. J. Bush, the celebrated turnip grower, was in Pecos yesterday from his ranch-farm near Saragosa.

F. J. Billingslea returned to Hoban this morning after a short stay in Pecos.

Mrs. H. Gordon and children have gone on a summer visit to her parents in Austria. They will go by way of Galveston and take passage from there by steamer. Mrs. Gordon is the wife of Mr. H. Gordon, proprietor of the Popular Dry Goods store.

Miss Jettie Pruett of Fort Davis is visiting her sister Mrs. Steve Ward and family and other relatives.

H. L. Johnson is in Pecos today from his ranch-farm in the Big Valley and is kept busy shaking hands with his numerous friends here.

R. W. Coffey of Toyahvale was in Pecos for a short time this morning. He had been to Ballinger on a visit with home folk and left on the Pecos Valley Southern train this morning. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss P. Coffey, who lives at Ballinger and she expects to spend the summer with her brother in the Toyah Valley.

Tom Harrison, sheriff, and Hall Harrison left this morning for Stockton to return this evening in Hall's car.

Mrs. Tom Crumb spent a few days in Pecos this week.

Miss Minnie Keithly of Monahans is visiting Mrs. Watson for a few days this week.

Fred Lawrence, section foreman of Quito, after spending Monday here left for home yesterday.

Frank Reid returned Saturday to his home in Coffeyville, Kansas, after spending a few days with his brother, Ed Reid.

Mrs. H. E. Barber is spending a few days of this week with her sister in law at the Lake ranch.

Miss Sadie Collings had a slight congestive chill Sunday night and is still confined to her room.

Mrs. W. M. Hopper and son, accompanied by Mrs. W. Murdock of Toyah, made Pecos a flying trip yesterday.

Mrs. M. Middleton, who has had a stock of hats in Van Horn for some time past, returned this evening on No. 6 to her home in Pecos.

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Pat Fulgen from Barstow, made Pecos a business trip Tuesday.

Mrs. Wade from Barstow made Miss Farnum's millinery a purchasing visit yesterday.

The many friends and acquaintances of Mrs. Ora Beauchamp will be glad to know that she has returned from the Oates ranch, where she has been visiting for some time past.

John Z. Means boarded train No. 5 this evening for his home at Valentine on the Y6 ranch.

Mr. Hannah came in Tuesday from Van Horn, where he has been for the last few days.

W. S. Smith and S. T. Kelsey of Toyah made Pecos a flying trip Tuesday.

T. N. McKenzie is in town today from Stockton, shaking hands with his many Pecos friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, the good roads man of Pecos, spent yesterday in Balmorhea and surrounding country, returning late yesterday evening. They report as having had a most splendid time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Casey came down from the Casey ranch Tuesday evening and will spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Max Krauskopf.

O. Mitchell left yesterday evening in his Overland to make El Paso a visit.

W. D. Marshall will attend the Fifth Sunday meeting at Odessa.

Robert Ezell made a flying trip to Saragosa Wednesday and returned in the evening, accompanied by Miss Abbie and Pink Harbert.

Miss Willie-de Woods, with Mr. M. McCutcheon left this morning for Saragosa and Balmorhea, where they will spend the day.

Mrs. R. Fuller, mother of Mrs. Roy Walker and Mrs. W. Miller, were in town Wednesday from Barstow.

Jack Love and W. D. Cowan made Alpine and Stockton a business run yesterday.

W. T. Daniel, a lawyer from Stanton, was in town yesterday on a compromise case, and returned this morning to his home.

Maj. H. Robbins of Saragosa returned home this morning on train No. 1.

Harry MacTier, "lawyer from the creek," came down yesterday from Toyah and is circulating among his many Pecos friends.

H. H. Curtis of Toyah was among the many business visitors in Pecos yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wilson and son of Barstow came over yesterday and is visiting among their numerous Pecos friends.

Miss Christine Levin, of New York, has arrived in Pecos and we are informed that she will sing at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Langford, from Midland, passed through the city this morning on their way to Saragosa, where they will make their home for the present. Mrs. Langford stated that she read a copy of the Pecos Daily Times at the hotel last night and that the very thought of a town the size of Pecos having a daily paper was a great advertisement for the town.

Mrs. M. G. McCombs arrived today from their ranch in the Guadalupe Mountains near Carlsbad for a visit with her sisters, Mesdames J. G. Love and J. B. Heard, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gibson will entertain a number of their friends Saturday evening on their china wedding anniversary.

Sol Mayer of Toyahvale passed through Pecos Wednesday en route to Chicago, where he will remain a short time on business.

D. H. Snyder, who has been in town for the past few days, leaves today for his home in Colorado City, Texas.

F. W. Taylor, who for some

weeks has been in Pecos, left this afternoon for his home at Norman, Oklahoma. He called in and made the Times a pleasant call and ordered the Weekly Times sent to his address. Mr. Taylor expects to return to Pecos in a couple or three weeks for a longer stay.

The many friends of Mrs. J. F. Christian will be glad to know that she is improving in health considerably in the last few days.

Will Scott of El Paso, once a ranch owner of this country, now of El Paso, is in town for a few days with some cattle which he is going to pasture up about Porterville. He has been buying up cattle from Alpine, Marfa and surrounding country.

J. N. Levin returned this morning from Pittsburg, after an absence of about ten days.

W. F. Johnson of San Antonio, is in the city this week and is prospecting in this part of west Texas, having been induced to come here on account of the advertising—and then some people have the audacity to say that advertising doesn't pay.

Mrs. J. A. Brady went to Toyah today to visit friends. Will return tomorrow.

Mrs. J. N. Levin of Crystal Water was in town this morning.

Rev. J. M. ... to go to Odessa Sunday meeting. ... fill his appointment in ... Sunday or have some one to take his place here.

Judge Jas. F. Ross, accompanied by W. D. Cowan, left on the Santa Fe this evening for a short business trip to Carlsbad.

Mrs. Elmer Randells of the Lake ranch, with her sister Mrs. H. E. Barber of Carlsbad, are in town today.

Gid Rowden of Pecos has gone upon Bud Avant's ranch for a few days outing.

L. T. Cox of Shiro, who is in Pecos visiting O. M. Henderson and family, met his cousin Leigh Thornton of Los Angeles, Cal, who is on his way to Galveston and business. They will leave here Saturday and go as far as Cleburne together.

C. M. Hooper made Pecos a business trip Thursday, but returned to his home in Oklahoma on No. 6 the same day.

L. Waldren and Hall Harrison will be of the jolly crowd tonight that are bound for Toyah.

Tom Duncan and Will Tennyson were in Pecos on business Thursday.

P. A. Harbert of Pecos and Miss Abbie Harbert left Thursday morning for an extended trip to and visit with friends and relatives in El Paso.

Miss Willie-de Woods came in yesterday from Balmorhea, where she spent a very pleasant business day, electioneering.

C. M. Hall, a farm-ranch owner of Pecos county, is in town today visiting his home folk.

Joe Kinstler of Arno is in town today on business. He is installing a big pumping plant on his place around Arno and will put in a farm this season.

L. E. Dendy, who has been in El Paso for some time past, working, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Albert Tennyson, Mrs. Tom Duncan, Miss Lillie Bell Freeman, niece of Mrs. Duncan, came down from Toyah on a shopping tour Wednesday and returned late that evening.

Miss Ella Cummings, sister of Mrs. Dr. Lusk of Toyah was down on a purchasing trip Wednesday with Mrs. Earle Vaughn.

H. D. Koverman, owner of Pecos shoe shop, has employed a man from San Antonio as his assistant.

Monday evening Dad Baker, the great catfisher man, went down on the river and caught a nice lot of "cats." Anyone seeing him and wanting to cast a line with him would no doubt partake of his luck.

## SARAGOSA NEWS.

After a six months term th school here and at Old Saragosa, closed last Friday.

Miss Carrie Mae Stallings, who has been teaching at old town left last Saturday for her home at Teague, Texas.

The Pecos Valley Southern has been making a much needed improvement on the main street crossing here and is also filling in around the depot with gravel.

Miss Ona Reagan who has been teaching school at New Hope, left last Saturday for her home at Big Spring, as her school closed last Friday for the term.

Miss Mary Wilhite, teacher of Toyahvale school, was here last Saturday visiting Miss Eva Stancliffe.

Rev. Mooney of Monahans passed through here Saturday on his way to New Hope to fill his regular monthly appointment.

J. B. Woolfolk and wife left Tuesday for a visit in Louisiana.

The Saragosa Sewing Club entertained at the Saragosa hotel last Thursday night, but account of the inclemency of the weather only a few were present.

Games and conversation were ...

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 Parr, Thos. Gregory, John W.  
 Robbins, L. B. Elrod, J. C. Box, H.  
 Boaz, Geo. H. Mulkey, G. W.  
 Wilkes, V. B. Mays, M. D. Beedles,  
 E. E. Johnson and Frank B.  
 Quinn, administrator of the estate  
 of T. B. Keasler, deceased, all non-  
 residents of Reeves County, Texas:  
 You are hereby notified that the  
 grand jury of freeholders,  
 under and by virtue of an  
 order of the commissioners' court  
 of Reeves county, will on the 25th  
 day of April, A. D. 1914, proceed to  
 assess the damages incidental to  
 the laying out and opening of a  
 certain road heretofore opened by  
 said jury, and which is as follows,  
 to-wit: Beginning at the northwest  
 corner of section 42, in block 6, H.  
 & G. N. R. R. Company's survey,  
 running in a southwesterly direc-  
 tion on the west line of sections 42,  
 and 41, block 6; thence southwest  
 to the northwest corner of section  
 258, block 13, H. & G. N. R. R.  
 company's survey; thence in a  
 southerly direction on the line of  
 sections Nos. 203, 258, 204, 257,  
 205, 256, 206, 255, 207, 254, 208 and  
 253, and terminating at the north-  
 east corner of Sec. No. 209, all in  
 said block No. 13, H. & G. N. R. R.  
 Company's survey, in Reeves coun-  
 ty, Texas. And you are hereby  
 given notice to present to us at said  
 date, in Pecos, Texas, at the office  
 of J. A. Drane, Esq., a statement  
 in writing of the damages, if any,  
 by you.

Hands this the 24th  
 day of March, A. D. 1914.  
**ENWINE,  
 WILLIAMS,  
 QUAA,  
 H. HOEFS,  
 S. ASHE,**  
 Jury of View.

**WARNING TO AP-**

and defend such suit at  
 the April term of the District Court  
 of Reeves county, and state of Texas,  
 as being the next regular term  
 thereof to be held at the court  
 house thereof, at Pecos, Texas, on  
 the 20th day of April, A. D. 1914,  
 the number of said suit being No.  
 1269, and show cause why judgment  
 shall not be rendered condemning  
 said land and ordering sale and  
 foreclosure thereof for said taxes  
 and cost of suit.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
 County of Reeves.**  
 To J. E. Bomar and A. C. Binder  
 and to all persons owning or hav-  
 ing or claiming any interest in the  
 following described land delinquent  
 to the state of Texas and county of  
 Reeves, for taxes, to-wit: The taxes  
 for the year 1912, on the following  
 described land situated in Reeves  
 County, Texas, to-wit: Sections  
 Nos. 16 and 10 in Block C-7; section  
 No. 6, block No. 51, Tsp. 7, and  
 section No. 36, block No. 6, J. E.  
 Bomar, original grantee, which said  
 land is delinquent for taxes for the  
 following amounts: \$61.09 for state  
 and for county taxes, and you are  
 hereby notified that suit has been  
 brought by the state for the collec-  
 tion of said taxes, and you are com-  
 manded to appear and defend such  
 suit at the April term of the Dis-  
 trict Court of Reeves County, and  
 State of Texas, being the next regu-  
 lar term thereof to be held at the  
 court house thereof, at Pecos, on  
 the 20th day of April, A. D. 1914,  
 the number of said suit being No.  
 1286, and show cause why judgment  
 shall not be rendered condemning  
 said land (or lots), and ordering  
 sale and foreclosure thereof for  
 said taxes and cost of suit.

Witness my hand and official seal  
 at my office in Pecos, Texas, this  
 3rd day of March, A. D. 1914.  
 (L. S.) **WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 District Clerk, Reeves County,  
 Texas. M13-11-3

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 By virtue of a certain order of sale  
 issued out of the Honorable 17th  
 District Court of Tarrant county,  
 on the 20th day of February, 1914,  
 by E. J. Brock, Jr., clerk of said  
 court, against Harry Lee Suttle-  
 meyer, T. W. Suttlemeyer, and S.  
 Suttlemeyer for the sum of five

as this the 4th day of March, A. D.  
 1914.  
**JOHN WILSON,  
 E. B. GORE,**  
 Board.  
 Attest: **W. T. POTTER,**  
 Secretary 13M11-3

**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of  
 Reeves County—Greeting:  
 T. Y. Moorhead, executor of the  
 estate of W. S. Butler, deceased,  
 having filed in the County Court of  
 Reeves County, Texas, his account  
 for final settlement of the estate of  
 said W. S. Butler, deceased, to-  
 gether with an application to be  
 discharged from said executorship.  
 You are hereby commanded, that by  
 publication of this writ for at least  
 twenty days in a newspaper printed  
 in the county of Reeves you give  
 due notice to all persons interested  
 in said estate to appear and contest  
 said account for final settlement  
 and application, if they see proper,  
 at the April term A. D. 1914, of  
 said County Court, commencing and  
 to be holden at the court house of  
 said county, in Pecos, Texas, on the  
 first Monday in April, A. D. 1914,  
 at which time said account and ap-  
 plication will be acted upon by said  
 court.

Herein fail not, but have you be-  
 fore said court on the said first day  
 of the next term thereof this writ,  
 with your return thereon, showing  
 how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and official  
 seal, at my office in Pecos, Texas,  
 this 21st day of February, A. D.  
 1914.  
 (Seal) **WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 Clerk County Court, Reeves County,  
 Texas. 6Mch10-4

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
 County of Reeves.**

To Durer Alston and to all per-  
 sons owning or having or claiming  
 any interest in the following de-  
 scribed land delinquent to the state  
 of Texas and county of Reeves, for  
 taxes, to-wit: The taxes for the  
 year 1912, on the following de-  
 scribed land situated in Reeves coun-  
 ty, Texas, to-wit: Section No. 35, block  
 No. 56, R. W. Greening, original  
 grantee, which said land is delin-  
 quent for taxes for the following  
 amounts: \$13.29 for state and for  
 county taxes, and you are hereby  
 notified that suit has been brought  
 for the collection of said taxes, and  
 you are commanded to appear and  
 defend such suit at the April term  
 of the District Court of Reeves  
 county, and state of Texas, as being  
 the next regular term thereof to be  
 held at the court house thereof, at  
 Pecos, Texas, on the 20th day of  
 April, A. D. 1914, the number of  
 said suit being No. 1269, and show  
 cause why judgment shall not be  
 rendered condemning said land and  
 ordering sale and foreclosure there-  
 of for said taxes and cost of suit.

Witness my hand and official seal  
 at my office in Pecos, Texas, this  
 3rd day of March, A. D. 1914.  
 (L. S.) **WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 District Clerk, Reeves County,  
 Texas. M13-11-3

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
 County of Reeves.**  
 To J. E. Bomar and A. C. Binder  
 and to all persons owning or hav-  
 ing or claiming any interest in the  
 following described land delinquent  
 to the state of Texas and county of  
 Reeves, for taxes, to-wit: The taxes  
 for the year 1912, on the following  
 described land situated in Reeves  
 County, Texas, to-wit: Sections  
 Nos. 16 and 10 in Block C-7; section  
 No. 6, block No. 51, Tsp. 7, and  
 section No. 36, block No. 6, J. E.  
 Bomar, original grantee, which said  
 land is delinquent for taxes for the  
 following amounts: \$61.09 for state  
 and for county taxes, and you are  
 hereby notified that suit has been  
 brought by the state for the collec-  
 tion of said taxes, and you are com-  
 manded to appear and defend such  
 suit at the April term of the Dis-  
 trict Court of Reeves County, and  
 State of Texas, being the next regu-  
 lar term thereof to be held at the  
 court house thereof, at Pecos, on  
 the 20th day of April, A. D. 1914,  
 the number of said suit being No.  
 1286, and show cause why judgment  
 shall not be rendered condemning  
 said land (or lots), and ordering  
 sale and foreclosure thereof for  
 said taxes and cost of suit.

Witness my hand and official seal  
 at my office in Pecos, Texas, this  
 3rd day of March, A. D. 1914.  
 (L. S.) **WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 District Clerk, Reeves County,  
 Texas. M13-11-3

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 By virtue of a certain order of sale  
 issued out of the Honorable 17th  
 District Court of Tarrant county,  
 on the 20th day of February, 1914,  
 by E. J. Brock, Jr., clerk of said  
 court, against Harry Lee Suttle-  
 meyer, T. W. Suttlemeyer, and S.  
 Suttlemeyer for the sum of five

hundred fifty-seven and 59-100  
 (\$557.59) dollars and costs of suit,  
 in cause No. 36034 in said court,  
 styled Edna C. Sneider, et al vs.  
 Harry Lee Suttlemeyer, et al, and  
 placed in my hands for service, I,  
 Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves  
 county, Texas, did on the 12th day  
 of March, 1914, levy on certain  
 real estate situated in Reeves coun-  
 ty, Texas, to-wit: 573 3-10  
 acres out of survey No. 3, public  
 school lands, Reeves county, Texas,  
 made for Byron D. Johnson. Begin-  
 ning at re-entrant corner, sur-  
 vey 17, block 72, thence W. at 294  
 varas pass pile stone, at 2195 varas  
 a stone 10x8x6 at 2661.5 varas the  
 N. E. corner of 200 acres surveyed  
 for Byron Johnson out N. W. cor-  
 ner survey 3, for N. W. corner this  
 survey thence S. at 1062.5 varas to  
 S. E. corner said 200 acres survey;  
 thence W. 1062.5 varas to stone in  
 W. line survey 3, and E. line survey  
 4; thence S. 606 varas to N. line  
 survey 14, thence E. 1235.5 varas  
 to pile stone in N. line survey 11,  
 D. W. D. the S. W. corner of 87  
 acres out of S. E. corner survey 3,  
 made for Byron Johnson for S. E.  
 corner this survey; thence N. 700  
 varas to N. W. corner said 87 acre  
 tract; thence E. 700 varas to N. E.  
 corner 87 acre tract in W. line A.  
 W. Hosie's 240 acre tract; thence  
 N. 250 varas to Hosie's N. W. cor-  
 ner; thence E. 1426 varas Hosie's  
 corner in W. line survey 19, block  
 72; thence N. 718 varas to begin-  
 ning, same being an undivided one-  
 third interest in and to all of said  
 573.3 acre tract, save and except  
 two certain tracts aggregating 171.1  
 acres of land heretofore on the  
 20th day of April, 1910, conveyed  
 by D. F. White and T. W. Suttle-  
 meyer to J. Ike Johnson, said tracts  
 so conveyed to said Johnson more  
 particularly described as follows:  
 First tract, 40 acres of land com-  
 mencing at the N. W. corner of By-  
 ron Johnson's 87 acre tract out of  
 survey 3, State File 7499, public  
 school land in Reeves county, Texas,  
 awarded to Byron Johnson on the  
 7th day of January, 1909; thence  
 W. 898 feet; thence S. 944.5 feet;  
 thence E. 898 feet to the S. W. cor-  
 ner of said Johnson's 87 acre tract;  
 thence N. 1945 feet to the place of  
 beginning of said Byron Johnson's  
 87 acre tract; thence N. 1945 feet  
 to the S. line of section 18, block  
 72, said Reeves county; thence W.  
 2124.5 feet; thence S. 2688.8 feet,  
 thence E. 2124.5 feet to the place  
 of beginning, containing 131.1 acres  
 of land all in Reeves county, Texas,  
 and being about one and one-half  
 miles north of the town of Toyah,  
 and levied upon as the property of  
 said Harry L. Suttlemeyer, T. W.  
 Suttlemeyer and S. Suttlemeyer.  
 And on Tuesday, the 7th day of  
 April, 1914, at the court house door  
 of Reeves county, in the city of Pe-  
 cos, Texas, between the hours of 10  
 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said  
 premises at public vendue, for cash,  
 to the highest bidder, as the prop-  
 erty of said Harry L. Suttlemeyer,  
 T. W. Suttlemeyer and S. Suttle-  
 meyer by virtue of said levy and  
 said execution.

And in compliance with law, I  
 give this notice by publication, in  
 the English language, once a week  
 for three consecutive weeks imme-  
 diately preceding said day of sale,  
 in the Pecos Times, a newspaper  
 published in Reeves county.  
 Witness my hand, this 12th day  
 of March, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.  
 By S. C. VAUGHAN, Deputy.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 Notice is hereby given that by  
 virtue of a certain order of sale  
 issued out of the Honorable Dis-  
 trict Court of Reeves County, on the  
 10th day of March, 1914, by Willie-  
 de Woods, clerk of said court, for  
 the sum of two thousand seven hun-  
 dred eight and 39-100 (\$2,708.39)  
 dollars and costs of suit, under a  
 judgment in favor of the Pecos Val-  
 ley State Bank, (a corporation), in  
 a certain cause in said court, No.  
 1317, and styled the Pecos Valley  
 State Bank, (a corporation), vs. D.  
 B. Waugh, and placed in my hands  
 for service, I, Tom Harrison, as  
 sheriff of Reeves county, Texas, did  
 on the 19th day of February, 1914,  
 levy on certain real estate, situated  
 in Reeves county, Texas, described  
 as follows, to-wit: An undivided  
 one-half interest in and to the east  
 half of section twenty-six (26), in  
 block two (2), H. & G. N. Ry. Co.'s  
 survey, Reeves county, Texas, and  
 levied upon as the property of D.  
 B. Waugh, and that on the first  
 Tuesday in April, 1914, the same  
 will be sold at public vendue, at the  
 court house door of Reeves county,  
 in the city of Pecos, Texas, be-  
 tween the hours of 10 a. m. and  
 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and

and placed in my hands for service,  
 I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves  
 county, Texas, did, on the 9th day  
 of February, 1914, levy on certain  
 real estate, situated in Reeves coun-  
 ty, Texas, described as follows,  
 to-wit: All of blocks Nos. ten (10)  
 and eleven (11) of the B. H. Ham-  
 brick subdivision of section No. 191,  
 block 13, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. in  
 Reeves county, Texas, and levied  
 upon as the property of said P. L.  
 Montgomery and J. P. Forrest, and  
 on Tuesday, the 7th day of April,  
 1914, at the court house door of  
 Reeves county, in the city of Pecos,  
 Texas, between the hours of ten a.  
 m. and four p. m. I will sell said  
 land and real estate at public ven-  
 due, for cash, to the highest bidder,  
 as the property of said P. L. Mont-  
 gomery and J. P. Forrest by virtue  
 of said levy and said order of sale.

Witness my hand, this 19th day  
 of February, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 Notice is hereby given that by  
 virtue of a certain order of sale  
 issued out of the Honorable Dis-  
 trict Court of Reeves county, on the  
 19th day of January, 1914, by Willie-  
 de Woods, clerk of said court, for  
 the sum of two thousand five and 2-100  
 (\$2,005.02) dollars and costs of suit,  
 under a judgment in favor of J. W.  
 Griggs in a certain cause in said  
 court, No. 1318, and styled J. W.  
 Griggs vs. Joe Cravens, et al., has  
 been placed in my hands for service,  
 I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of  
 Reeves county, Texas, did on the  
 19th day of January, 1914, levy on  
 certain real estate, situated in  
 Reeves county, Texas, described as  
 follows, to-wit: Being the north-  
 east quarter of the northeast quar-  
 ter of section No. 128, in block No.  
 13, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. survey,  
 containing 40 acres and levied upon  
 as the property of Mrs. Daisy Eug-  
 enio Cravens, Joe Cravens, M. G.  
 Jepson and H. O. Jepson, and that  
 on the first Tuesday in April, 1914,  
 the same being the 7th 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 order of sale,  
 I will sell said above described real  
 estate at public vendue, for cash, to  
 the highest bidder, as the property  
 of said Mrs. Daisy Eugenia Cravens,  
 Joe Cravens, M. G. Jepson and H.  
 O. Jepson.

And in compliance with law, I  
 give this notice by publication, in  
 the English language, once a week  
 for three consecutive weeks imme-  
 diately preceding said day of sale,  
 in the Pecos Times, a newspaper  
 published in Reeves county.  
 Witness my hand, this 19th day  
 of January, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 By virtue of a certain alias order  
 of sale issued out of the Honorable  
 District Court of Reeves County,  
 on the 10th day of March, 1914, by  
 Willie-de Woods, clerk of said court,  
 against J. B. Gibson, temporary ad-  
 ministrator estate of D. L. Mc-  
 Daniels, deceased, E. B. Kiser, J.  
 W. Parker and Pecos Valley State  
 Bank, for the sum of two hundred  
 seventy-five and 71-100 (\$275.71)  
 dollars and costs of suit, in cause  
 No. 1104 in said court, styled S. F.  
 Redding vs. D. L. McDaniels, E. B.  
 Kiser, J. W. Parker and Pecos Val-  
 ley State Bank, and placed in my  
 hands for service, I, Tom Harrison,  
 as sheriff of Reeves county, Texas,  
 did, on the 11th day of March,  
 1914, levy on certain real estate,  
 situated in Reeves county, described  
 as follows, to-wit: All those cer-  
 tain tracts or parcels of land situ-  
 ated in Reeves County, Texas, more  
 particularly known and described as  
 blocks 11 and 12, of Shannon's sub-  
 division of section 67, block 4, H.  
 & G. N. R. R. Co. survey, in Reeves  
 county, Texas, and levied upon as  
 the property of said D. L. McDaniel,  
 E. B. Kiser, J. W. Parker, and  
 Pecos Valley State Bank. And on  
 Tuesday, the 7th day of April,  
 1914, at the court house door of  
 Reeves county, in the city of Pecos,  
 Texas, between the hours of 10 a.  
 m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said pre-  
 mises at public vendue, for cash,  
 to the highest bidder, as the prop-  
 erty of said D. L. McDaniel, E. B. Kiser,  
 J. W. Parker and Pecos Valley  
 State Bank, by virtue of said levy  
 and said alias order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I  
 give this notice by publication, in  
 the English language, once a week  
 for three consecutive weeks imme-  
 diately preceding said day of sale,  
 in the Pecos Times, a newspaper  
 published in Reeves county.  
 Witness my hand, this 11th day  
 of March, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.  
 By S. C. VAUGHAN, Deputy.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 Notice is hereby given that by  
 virtue of a certain order of sale  
 issued out of the Honorable Dis-  
 trict Court of Reeves county on the  
 16th day of February, 1914, by Willie-  
 de Woods, clerk of said court, for  
 the sum of two thousand seven hun-  
 dred eight and 39-100 (\$2,708.39)  
 dollars and costs of suit, under a  
 judgment in favor of the Pecos Val-  
 ley State Bank, (a corporation), in  
 a certain cause in said court, No.  
 1317, and styled the Pecos Valley  
 State Bank, (a corporation), vs. D.  
 B. Waugh, and placed in my hands  
 for service, I, Tom Harrison, as  
 sheriff of Reeves county, Texas, did  
 on the 19th day of February, 1914,  
 levy on certain real estate, situated  
 in Reeves county, Texas, described  
 as follows, to-wit: An undivided  
 one-half interest in and to the east  
 half of section twenty-six (26), in  
 block two (2), H. & G. N. Ry. Co.'s  
 survey, Reeves county, Texas, and  
 levied upon as the property of D.  
 B. Waugh, and that on the first  
 Tuesday in April, 1914, the same  
 will be sold at public vendue, at the  
 court house door of Reeves county,  
 in the city of Pecos, Texas, be-  
 tween the hours of 10 a. m. and  
 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and

and placed in my hands for service,  
 I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves  
 county, Texas, did, on the 9th day  
 of February, 1914, levy on certain  
 real estate, situated in Reeves coun-  
 ty, Texas, described as follows,  
 to-wit: All of blocks Nos. ten (10)  
 and eleven (11) of the B. H. Ham-  
 brick subdivision of section No. 191,  
 block 13, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. in  
 Reeves county, Texas, and levied  
 upon as the property of said P. L.  
 Montgomery and J. P. Forrest, and  
 on Tuesday, the 7th day of April,  
 1914, at the court house door of  
 Reeves county, in the city of Pecos,  
 Texas, between the hours of ten a.  
 m. and four p. m. I will sell said  
 land and real estate at public ven-  
 due, for cash, to the highest bidder,  
 as the property of said P. L. Mont-  
 gomery and J. P. Forrest by virtue  
 of said levy and said order of sale.

Witness my hand, this 9th day  
 of February, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

of suits, in cause No. 2482 in said  
 court, styled B. H. Hambrick versus  
 P. L. Montgomery and J. P. Forrest  
 and placed in my hands for service,  
 I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of  
 Reeves county, Texas, did, on the  
 9th day of February, 1914, levy on  
 certain real estate, situated in  
 Reeves county, described as follows,  
 to-wit: All of blocks Nos. ten (10)  
 and eleven (11) of the B. H. Ham-  
 brick subdivision of section No. 191,  
 block 13, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. in  
 Reeves county, Texas, and levied  
 upon as the property of said P. L.  
 Montgomery and J. P. Forrest, and  
 on Tuesday, the 7th day of April,  
 1914, at the court house door of  
 Reeves county, in the city of Pecos,  
 Texas, between the hours of ten a.  
 m. and four p. m. I will sell said  
 land and real estate at public ven-  
 due, for cash, to the highest bidder,  
 as the property of said P. L. Mont-  
 gomery and J. P. Forrest by virtue  
 of said levy and said order of sale.

Witness my hand, this 9th day  
 of February, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 Notice is hereby given that by  
 virtue of a certain alias execution  
 issued out of the Honorable Justice  
 Court of Precinct No. 1, Reeves  
 county, on the 27th day of Febru-  
 ary, 1914, by the Justice of said  
 court, for the sum of eighty-nine  
 and 23-100 (\$89.23) dollars and  
 costs of suit, under a judgment in  
 favor of Toyah Valley Live Stock  
 Company, in a certain cause in said  
 court, No. 749, and styled Toyah  
 Valley Live Stock Company vs. E.  
 M. Jones, and placed in my hands  
 for service, I, Tom Harrison, as  
 sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did  
 on the 2d day of February, 1914,  
 levy on certain real estate, situated  
 in Reeves County, Texas, described  
 as follows, to-wit: Section No. 24,  
 block No. 55, public school land,  
 Reeves county, Texas, and levied  
 upon as the property of E. M. Jones  
 and that on the first Tuesday in  
 April, 1914, the same being the 7th  
 day of said month, at the court  
 house door of Reeves county, in the  
 city of Pecos, Texas, between the  
 hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by  
 virtue of said levy and said alias  
 execution, I will sell said above de-  
 scribed real estate at public vendue  
 for cash, to the highest bidder, as  
 the property of said E. M. Jones.

And in compliance with law, I  
 give this notice by publication, in  
 the English language, once a week  
 for three consecutive weeks imme-  
 diately preceding said day of sale,  
 in the Pecos Times, a newspaper  
 published in Reeves county.  
 Witness my hand, this 19th day  
 of January, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 Notice is hereby given that by  
 virtue of a certain execution issued  
 out of the Honorable County Court  
 of Reeves County, on the 12th day  
 of February, 1914, by Willie-de  
 Woods, County Clerk of said Reeves  
 County, Texas, for the sum of one  
 hundred eighty-five and 64-100  
 dollars and costs of suit, under a  
 judgment in favor of Pecos Mer-  
 cantile Company, in a certain cause  
 in said court, No. 393 and styled  
 Pecos Mercantile Company, a cor-  
 poration, vs. J. T. Camp, placed in  
 my hands for service, I, Tom Har-  
 rison, as sheriff of Reeves County,  
 Texas, did on the 12th day of Feb-  
 ruary, 1914, levy on certain real  
 estate, situated in Reeves County,  
 Texas, described as follows, to-wit:  
 The south one-half of section No.  
 17, block No. 72, Public School land  
 Reeves county, Texas, as the com-  
 munity property of the defendant,  
 J. T. Camp and Minnie L. Camp,  
 and levied upon as the property of  
 J. T. Camp and Minnie L. Camp,  
 and that on the first Tuesday in  
 April, 1914, the same being the 7th  
 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 ex-  
 ecution, I will sell said above de-  
 scribed real estate at public vendue,  
 for cash, to the highest bidder, as  
 the property of said J. T. Camp and  
 Minnie L. Camp.

And in compliance with law, I  
 give this notice by publication, in  
 the English language, once a week  
 for three consecutive weeks imme-  
 diately preceding said day of sale,  
 in the Pecos Times, a newspaper  
 published in Reeves county.  
 Witness my hand, this 7th day  
 of March, 1914.  
**13Mr11-3 TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.  
 By S. C. VAUGHAN, Deputy.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
 State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 Notice is hereby given that by  
 virtue of a certain Order of Sale  
 issued out of the Honorable Dis-  
 trict Court of Reeves County, on the  
 19th day of January, 1914, by  
 the Clerk of said Court, for the sum  
 of three thousand eight hundred  
 and twenty-eight (\$3,828.00) dol-  
 lars and costs of suit, under a judg-  
 ment in favor of R. S. Johnson, in  
 a certain cause in said court, No.  
 1256, and styled R. S. Johnson vs.  
 Percy R. Fennell et al., has been  
 placed in my hands for service, I,  
 Tom Harrison, as Sheriff of Reeves  
 County, Texas, did on the 19th day  
 of January, 1914, levy on certain  
 real estate, situated in Reeves  
 County, Texas, described as follows,  
 to-wit: Subdivision No. 1, contain-  
 ing 60.85 acres; subdivision No. 10,  
 containing 40 acres; subdivision No.  
 13, containing 40 acres; the east half  
 of subdivision No. 12, contain-  
 ing 20 acres, all situated in section  
 No. 4, block No. 2, H. & G. N. R. R.  
 Co. survey, as planned and con-  
 veyed by A. H. Bryan, and divided  
 upon as the property of H. H. Meuth,  
 as substitute trustee of the Pecos  
 Valley Live Stock Company, vs. Percy  
 R. Fennell, C. Q. Thorpe, G. H. H.  
 C. Q. Thorpe as attorneys in law,  
 John B. Dandridge and Spencer W.  
 Pugh, and the Trans-Pecos Live  
 Stock and Irrigation Company, a cor-  
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### WILLIQUITT TO CONFER WITH DALLAS FOLKS

Austin, Mar. 23.—In order to confer with the chamber of commerce in Dallas relative to the setting of funds for the erection of a Texas building at the Panama-Pacific exposition, Governor Colquhoun left here today for that city, where he will remain until Monday. The governor is taking an active interest in the gathering of funds

for the Panama-Pacific commission and has offered all assistance possible to the commission. He denied that his trip to Dallas was of a political nature. He will meet a special committee of the Dallas chamber of commerce by appointment tonight.

Before leaving Austin he stated there were no new developments in the border trouble that he cared to give to the press at this time.

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### ODD FELLOWS GRAND LODGE

Fort Worth, Mar. 19.—The seventy-fourth session of the Grand Lodge of Texas, I. O. O. F., unanimously pronounced the most successful of the seventy-four which have been held, closed today at noon. The last action was rising resolve by each member that he would try to get at least five new members during the year.

Following adjournment, all delegates were given checks covering their expenses and many of them returned to their homes this afternoon. A large number of the East Texas delegates went to Dallas on the interurban and will return home from there.

By a rising unanimous vote the grand lodge delegates tendered thanks to the chamber of commerce the Tarrant County Odd Fellows, the First Baptist church and the citizens of Fort Worth for the many kindnesses shown them, for the use of the two auditoriums and the entertainments given in their honor.

### CHANGE MADE AT BAYLOR.

Waco, Tex., Mar. 20.—In order that there may be a better standardization of both the college and the academy at Baylor university, the board of trustees have effected a complete separation of the two departments, effective with the opening of the fall term in September. There will thereafter be no overlapping of faculties, authority, management, rules of discipline, which has been the case in many instances in the past. While the two departments will exist for the present on the same campus, they will be as distinct in their management and student bodies and faculty as the college and any affiliated school in the state.

Students of the academy can not in the future participate in any of the intercollegiate sports, oratorical contests or hold representation on any college organization. They can play on the scrub teams of the college and be in line for the regular college teams when they enter the college proper, but not until then.

Prof. W. H. Pool, dean of the academy, will be the ranking member of the academy faculty in the future, but his title will be that of head master rather than dean. The members of the college faculty remain unchanged. Separate catalogs for the two departments will be issued and the college catalogue will not recognize the existence of the academy.

### WOULD HAVE HEADQUARTERS HERE.

The National Order of Cowboy Rangers wants to locate its headquarters, called the Supreme Ranch, in Dallas, and overtures have been made by letter to the chamber of commerce to that end: This is an organization formed under the laws of the state of Wyoming, but with authority to work in any state. It is fraternal in its nature and its organization is to be made up of "men who have helped to make the Southwest and the West the most promising section of the country." The letter expresses the opinion that Texas is logically the incentive in such a movement.

If the headquarters are located here it will mean that the annual "round-up" will be held here, besides the location of the office force and the depository of the order. The regalia for the annual round-up will be the full cowboy outfit, and all the tints of Western life in its wildest days are among the features of the annual gathering. —Dallas News.

### FOR IRRIGATION IN TEXAS.

Washington, Mar. 21.—Senator Sheppard today introduced a bill directing the secretary of agriculture to conduct an investigation by the reservoir system in Texas in connection with a similar investigation heretofore proposed for Oklahoma, New Mexico, Kansas and Nebraska. The bill calls for an appropriation of \$250,000 for the purpose of such an investigation.

The investigation is to determine "the feasibility and economy in pumping from the underground waters; to investigate the quality of water which can be withdrawn without lowering the ground water level, the depths and lifts required; to investigate the source and quantity of underground supplies and the best method of utilizing them for irrigation purposes; to investigate the practicability of collecting and impounding flood waters, and the best method of conserving them for purposes of irrigation; and to report an estimate of the cost of constructing reservoirs and lakes for the purpose of impounding the said waters at points in Texas found to be most suitable and desirable showing the location of such points."

### OPINIONS ON VANDERBILT CASE.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 21.—T. B. King, chairman of the Shelby county commission and delegated to the general conference of the Methodist church at Oklahoma City in May, had the following to say about the Vanderbilt decision today:

"The supreme court decision in the Vanderbilt case will result in the divorcement of the theological seminary from the institution and its establishment at Dallas. Tennesseans must do something to prevent this if they want the seminary to remain at Nashville."

Mr. King's view is that of many others in Memphis and most of the Vanderbilt alumni here.

C. N. Burch of Memphis, trustee, discussed the situation as follows: "I see nothing in the decision more than the settlement of a troublesome legal point. I do not anticipate any great changes in conducting the university."

J. R. Pepper, another trustee, said: "I am very much disappointed at the decision of the supreme court. It practically means that the church owns the university, but can not control it."

### THE POLITICAL CALENDAR.

For the information of those interested we give herewith the political calendar from April 1 to primary election day, July 25.

April 1—On or before this date County Collector shall furnish to county election board (county judge, county clerk and sheriff) certified lists of citizens of each precinct who have paid poll tax or procured exemption certificates.

May 11—Republican state executive committee shall meet at some place named by state chairman and decide whether it will make nominations by primary election or through conventions, and shall certify its decision to Secretary of State. (Democratic party is required to nominate through primary election.)

June 1—Candidates for party nominations for offices to be filled by a vote of the state at large shall file applications on or before this date for place on the primary election ballot. Applications may be filed by any twenty-five citizens. Deposit of such application in the United States mail by registered letter within the time limit is deemed sufficient.

June 1—Candidates for office in districts composed of more than one county shall file applications with district chairman of the respective county chairman by this date. Twenty-five citizens may file.

June 8—State executive committee of party shall meet on this date to certify to county chairmen names of candidates for state offices to go on the ballot and to name place for holding state convention in August.

June 13—On or before this date candidates for the offices to be filled by the voters of a single county or portion thereof must file applications for place on primary ballot with county chairman. Twenty-five citizens may file.

June 15—County executive committee meets to determine order of names on ballot, to name subcommittee to make up ballot, and transact other business.

June 19—On or before this date candidates in primary election must pay ballot fees.

June 13—Subcommittee of county executive committee meets to make up ballot.

July 22—If presiding judges of election have not been furnished certified lists of qualified voters by this date, they "shall send for and procure them."

July 25—Primary election and precinct convention day. Primary election opens at 8 a. m. and closes at 7 p. m.

### RAILROADS FAIL TO GET MORE COMPENSATION.

Detroit, Mar. 23.—Judge Arthur J. Tuttle of the United States district court, has dismissed the petition of the Pere Marquette railroad, which asked the court to determine whether the road should continue to carry United States mails under its present contract. Judge Tuttle held the court has no right to issue an opinion on a question under investigation by congress.

Receivers for the road alleged the government, in increasing the weight limit of parcel post packages and failing to increase the compensation due the Pere Marquette road, made void the contract for handling mail.

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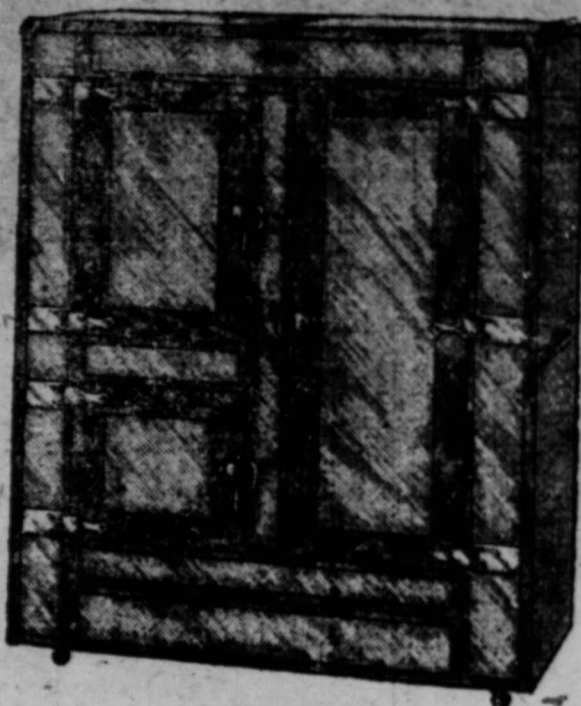
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### PERSONAL MENTION.

(From Saturday's Daily) Mrs. J. E. Sadler, of Fort Worth, aunt of Mrs. W. M. Collie, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collie and family, left for her home yesterday after about one week's visit. Prof. Welborn of Toyah Valley was a Pecos visitor yesterday. Mrs. Stead and daughter, Miss Vera, left yesterday to go to Stanton to visit Mrs. Stead's children who are at Stanton. W. D. Cowan has gone to Waco to visit his son Marvin who is attending school at Baylor University, and to return home with Mrs. Cowan, who has been there for several days. Ed Balcom of Balmorhea was a Pecos visitor Friday. Hall Harrison was in from the ranch yesterday, circulating among his numerous Pecos friends, and took in the Dutch Lunch last evening. Bill Cowden, one of Midland's most prominent citizens, was a Pecos visitor yesterday.

(From Monday's Daily) C. A. Williams of Hoban was a Pecos visitor Saturday. A. L. Springer of Toyah was a Pecos business visitor Saturday. R. W. Barnett was a Sunday visitor in Pecos. W. D. Casey was in from his Davis Mountain ranch near Casey Saturday, circulating among his many Pecos friends. Jno. T. McElroy of Odessa was a Pecos visitor Saturday and Sunday. Mr. McElroy is the popular president of the First National bank of Pecos, and has hosts of friends here who are always pleased to meet him again. R. E. Tucker of Toyah spent Sunday in Pecos, visiting with friends. Mrs. Della Lewis left yesterday to go to El Paso to visit relatives and friends. Mrs. G. N. Gentry, who has been visiting in the Pecos, came home Saturday morning and returned to Midland Sunday evening to be present Monday morning at the opening of school. John Wadley and sister arrived

at home yesterday from Arizona where they have been for some time with friends. Verdine Pruett of Balmorhea was summoned to serve on the federal jury during the present term and came over Saturday to visit his father and family. He visited the Methodist Sunday school yesterday. Mr. Lewis Cox arrived in Pecos yesterday, coming from Walker county. Mr. Cox was at one time a citizen of the city of Pecos. He will remain with us about ten days or two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Garlick and Mrs. L. W. Anderson boarded the train yesterday bound for Toyah. Mrs. Garlick will remain in Toyah for some time visiting friends. Mr. Garlick and Mrs. L. W. Anderson returned this morning. Messrs. R. R. Smothers and Wes Roberts returned home Saturday from Alpine and Marfa, where they had been "interviewing" the patrons of the Pecos Mercantile Company's wholesale department. They report a most strenuous trip on account of the snow which fell in that section last week, and "back-tracked" instead of going on around the "loop." W. W. Ruhlen, the hustling manager of the Read Mercantile Company's branch house at Presidio, arrived home last week for a short visit with his family. Mr. Ruhlen reports that they certainly had stirring times during the Ojinaga siege and battle, but that everything had been rather quiet since then. Mrs. Jennie LeRoy arrived from El Paso Sunday afternoon to assist in caring for her mother, Mrs. Jas. F. Christian, who has been confined to her bed for the past two or three weeks. We are glad to report that Mrs. Christian is convalescent, which will be pleasing news to her many friends. Dr. Benway and daughter Miss Edna, returned Sunday from El Paso. Miss Ona Reagan, who just recently closed a most successful term of school in the Borilla Draw district, who was returning to her home at Big Springs, stopped over for a short visit with Mrs. R. R. Smothers and other friends. Clarence DuBose, staff correspondent for the Dallas News, is here today, to look after the news in regard to the habeas corpus proceedings in the Federal court

was in session today. He made the Times a pleasant call this afternoon. R. P. Verhalen was in from his ranch-farm and spent Sunday with Pecos friends. T. J. Sisk went out to his ranch near Sargent this morning to see how everything was getting along. He is in a hurry to plant cotton, having about 40 acres of ground already prepared. Trav Windham is in today from his Barilla Draw ranch and says that everything is in fine shape, but that a good old-time soaking gully-washing rain would be very acceptable. E. M. Hamlin returned yesterday from a few days' visit in El Paso. Clyde Karklitz of Midland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sapp this week. Rev. Beauchamp of Balmorhea, who has been at Kermit holding a protracted meeting, arrived in the city today on his way home. He and Brother Joe went out rabbit hunting this evening. Sam Means is in Dallas this week on business. Will return Saturday. (From Tuesday's Daily) J. M. Sullivan came in from Saragosa yesterday evening and left this morning on a visit to Waxahachie. John DeRacey came in from his ranch Saturday and visited home folks, returning home Monday on the noon train. Mrs. Ed Doty has been ill a few days and barely missed pneumonia, but is improving nicely. Dee Smith left Sunday night for El Paso, where he will remain a while in the sanitarium. John Baker and family have come home after spending two weeks with Ma. Bet Elkins. Mother and little Harrison are doing splendidly. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cowan returned home yesterday evening from Waco, where they have been visiting their son Marvin, who is attending school. Dr. Edgar M. Evans returned this morning from El Paso. The doctor reports that he went out to Fort Bliss to see the Mexican herd. He stated that it was simply a wonder to see them. Brother Chalmers McPherson, who gave the series of lectures at the Christian church some months ago on the Santa Fe yesterday en route to his home in Fort Worth. While in New Mexico he gave the same series of lectures at Roswell. Jim Duncan, Mose Jones, Miss

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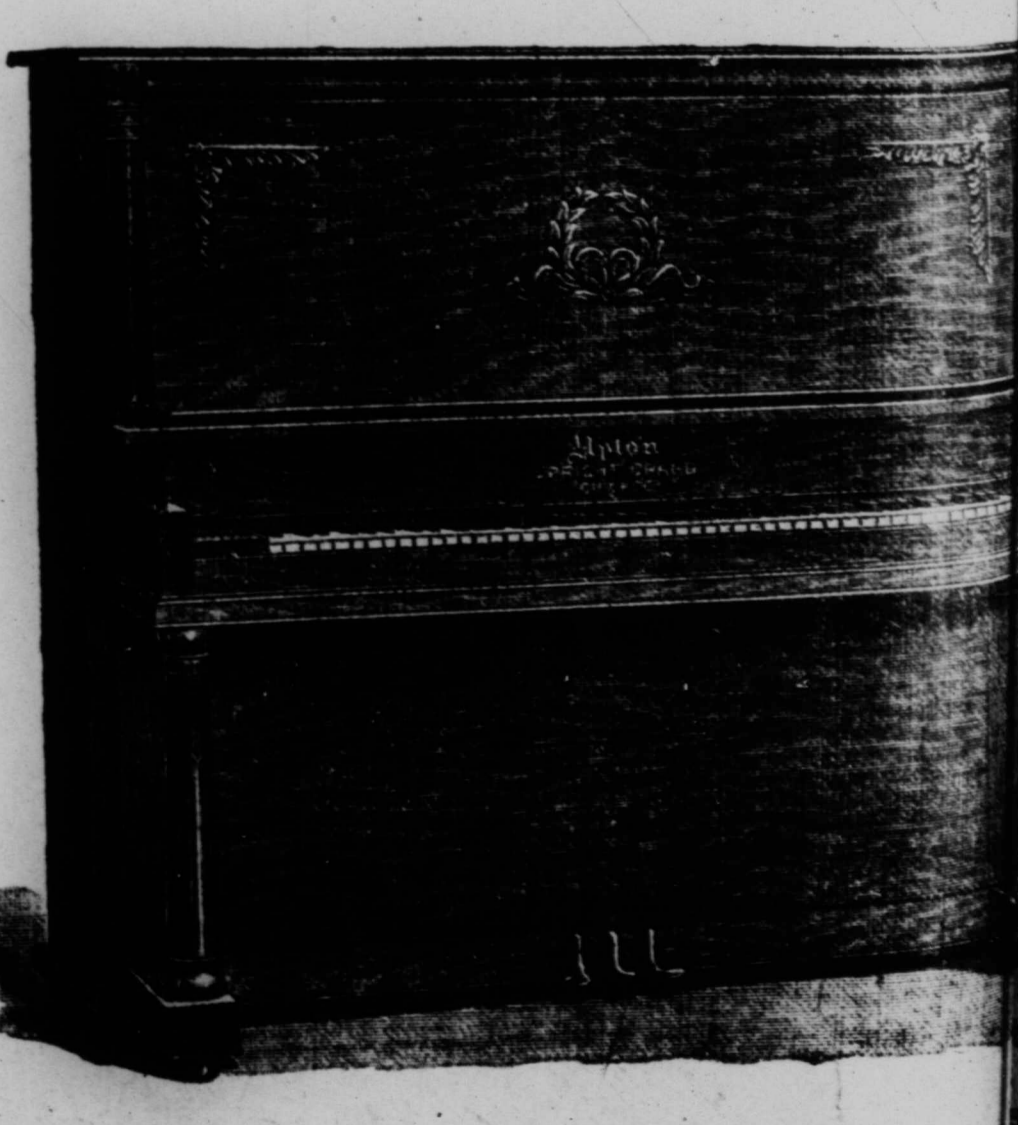
Dry Goods Department.

Edith Hanson and Mrs. Ernest McElroy, came down from Toyah yesterday and took Misses Weyer, Langham and Kouerman on a flying trip to Toyah, returning about 6 p. m. The Pecos High School pupils will play "The Kentucky Belle" in Toyah Friday night. Dub Evans arrived Monday from the E V ranch in his new Prat 30, going on to the W ranch this morning. Robert Moorhead and family, returning from Waco, on way home to Hachita, New Mexico and stopped with Mrs. Moorhead and family Sunday. Judge Jas. Ross and Judge H. N. McKellar left in Mr. McKellar's car for Balmorhea this morning to return this evening. Ed Stuckler is in from the U ranch today and will return this evening. The Merry Wives club will meet with Mrs. Jerry Roberson Wednesday evening. They will complete Hamlet and start A Midsummer Nights Dream. W. R. Hankins, with five thousand fruit trees, left today to plant them on his ranch in Loving county. Mrs. Charlie Goedeke returned from El Paso on No. 6, accompanied by Mr. Goedeke. Miss Mina Vawter is up and doing splendidly after her long illness. Mrs. Benjamin, accompanied her husband to their farm near Hoban this morning, where he goes to oversee the planting of some fruit trees. Mrs. Henry Allen, of Morenci, Ariz., arrived last week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. G. Weyer and other relatives and many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Browning's baby, Christine, has been quite sick for a day or two, but we are glad to report that it is better at this writing. Miss Abbie Harbert returned to her home at Saragosa this morning after a short visit with Miss Vida Drummond. Rev. Beauchamp took the train this morning for his home at Balmorhea. Mrs. E. L. Stratton of Porterville was a visitor in Pecos Monday. H. H. Jones of Hoban was transacting business in Pecos Monday.

Verdie Pruett returned this morning from Crystal Water. Lumber company's yards and Pecos for a couple of days. Judge W. A. Hudson, a candidate for county judge, went to Balmorhea today "sowing seeds by the wayside." Judge W. A. must watch out for the fowls of the air may gather them up. Mr. and Mrs. Trav Windham left this morning for their Barilla Draw ranch after a short visit in Pecos with their son Lee Windham and other relatives and friends. Deputy Sheriff Pink Harbert left on train No. 1 bound for Toyah valley on official business. C. H. Taul and wife of Kent are Pecos visitors today. W. G. Snelson of Grandfalls was a Pecos business visitor Monday.

Oren Camp is in for a short stay from Crystal Water. C. Brown left on No. 5 for Toyah this morning. Mrs. Hubbard left on No. 5 for Toyah this morning. G. P. Marks from Balmorhea, a town today. Mr. and Mrs. Woolf left on No. 6 for Los Horn today. Claude Barger made Pecos a company from Cooke county, and home this evening. Mrs. Billingslea and Mr. Dickson made a flying trip to Pecos Monday evening. H. C. Barstow came over on a business trip and was shaking hands with numerous Pecos friends. Floyd Copeland is in the Union Telegraph office for a few days assisting Miss M. M. manager, during an extra business.

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