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HEAVY DAMAGE TO THE T. & P.

The heavy rains in West Texas and New Mexico during the last two weeks has caused much damage to the Texas and Pacific railroad track. At present writing it has not been ascertained how many miles of track was washed away. The last passenger train from El Paso to Pecos passed over the road Friday, May 29, and the first passenger train going west from Pecos since the washouts went last Wednesday evening as far as Toyah. Then this train backed back to Pecos, turning around and run back east. There were three breaks in the road between Pecos and Toyah of about one hundred feet each. One of these breaks a fill about seventy-five feet long and an average height of about six feet. The switch engine at Toyah while switching Friday night run into one of these breaks, turning over on its side and caught two Mexicans beneath it, breaking both legs of one and one leg of the other. Had it not been for the presence of plenty of help these men would have been drowned. The town of Toyah was flooded with water. Hacks and all kinds of vehicles worked hard moving people to higher ground. Mr. Bruce, brick contractor of Toyah, reported today to a Times reporter that the water stood around his house, covering his ranch of three sections four inches deep for two days. The heavy rains that fell west and north of Toyah Wednesday evening washed out the new work on the T. and P. railroad that had been just repaired Thursday evening. It was reported that there was 35 miles of road west of Toyah that trains could not run over and it is not known how long it will be yet before they will be running through to El Paso.

LETTER FROM THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE TO THE LEGISLATURE.

April 7, 1914.
Mr. Jayne, Esq., Fort Stockton.
My Dear Sir and Friend: I am very glad to see that you have announced for the Legislature, because I feel sure that your experience and knowledge of the work in the House of Representatives will be of vast benefit not only to you but to the people of your district. I was with much pleasure that I appointed you a clerk in the general session, and I was very glad indeed to re-appoint you in special session, because you had always attended to your work in a proper manner and were so sober and industrious. As you probably know, I refused to appoint some of those who had been appointed in general session because their work was not satisfactory. I sincerely hope that you will be successful in your campaign for representative in your district, and feel sure that the people will make no mistake in selecting you, and I am sure, not even knowing who your opponent may be. I have always found that those who were successful as members of the Texas Legislature were those who worked hard and without close application one can be of much service to constituents. With best wishes for your success, I remain,
Very truly your friend,
CHESTER H. TERRELL.

HOBAN HAPPENINGS.

Hoban & Love rounded up some of their calves, intending to brand, but one can't work much in a county where it rains all the time. Mr. Hurston has been very sick, but is better. A big rain last night. The creek very high and at the Billingslea the water is running all over fields. Mr. Lewis and Roy Martin went to Pecos Thursday evening. H. Jones of Fairview Farm is going for the road to get in good luck. He has some lumber, post and wire work. Will begin as soon as material arrives. C. Jones went to Pecos Thursday evening. Shellenberger and little son returned Monday from Pecos.

FIREMEN TO CELEBRATE THE 4TH

The Pecos Volunteer Fire Department—the greatest aggregation of fun-makers and live entertainers that this town has yet seen—are planning a Fourth of July celebration for the entertainment of the entire Pecos Country, and, incidentally, for the benefit of the Fire department. A committee was appointed to investigate the merits of the proposition, and reported favorably. The plan is to have a ball game and horse racing at the Fair grounds on the afternoon of the Fourth, and a splendid display of fireworks, with a confetti carnival and band concert that night. The Fire Boys have requested the Pecos Commercial club to take up the matter of giving a big free barbecue at noon on the Fourth, and this will be considered at the next meeting of the club, early next week. The fact that the directors of the Reeves County Fair Association are considering the holding of a baseball tournament with a big cash prize to the winning team, during the Fair, has stimulated interest locally in baseball, and it is thought that any one of a number of towns will be willing to come here on the Fourth for a game. Pecos still has some prime material for a team, and this will be whipped into shape, so that a first class exhibition will be given. The proceeds derived from the gate receipts will be given to the entertainment fund of the fire boys for the convention of the Panhandle and West Texas Firemen.

WOULD NOT CO-OPERATE.

An effort was made this week to get the retail merchants and dry goods houses to sign an agreement for early closing until October 1, the hour being 6:15 five days of the week, and 7:15 Saturdays. Practically all of the stores in the town signed the agreement, but, owing to the fact that one or two were unwilling, the others are hereby notified that they are not bound by their obligations, and are free to pursue their own policies in the matter.

KERMIT HAPPENINGS.

Fine rain yesterday and last night. The old settlers say there has been a greater rainfall during the month of May than for the past eight or ten years. Everything in the way of vegetation was never better at this season of the year. Cattle are looking fine. Mrs. W. A. Priest and Miss Johnnie Moreland have returned home after several days' visit with friends and relatives in the Davis Mountains. There was a mass meeting held at the court house on the evening of the 30th of May, for the purpose of electing an executive committee for Winkler county. On motion, H. B. Lovett was elected temporary chairman and G. C. Dawson secretary. There being only three of the committee, it was necessary to elect two others, and on motion W. D. Priest and L. B. Murry were then elected. W. A. Priest has returned from Pecos, where he said the R. A. M. kept him walking, running, rolling and tumbling until he got rid of all his shekels. Elmer Hill came in from Monahan last Saturday for the purpose of calling together his committee. He remained over until Monday. There being but one of the committee present he adjourned sine die. Miss Johnnie Moreland will leave in a few days for Canyon City to attend the State Normal school. Hope she will make good for she is a worthy young lady. H. B. Lovett and family have moved into their new house. Judge W. E. Bair has rented the Simpson house and will move to Kermit in a short time. We are glad to extend to him a welcome hand. Rain rain, and more rain. Grass and weeds are fairly jumping and everybody happy.

SANTA FE OFFICIALS HERE.

Messrs. F. J. Evans, division superintendent, and Willard Keen, roadmaster of the Santa Fe, were in Pecos yesterday for a short time on Thursday. They came down over the line on an inspection trip.

NOTICE! A TIMELY WARNING!

Notice is hereby given that some unscrupulous person or persons have been guilty of damaging the Pecos High School building to the extent of defacing the building and breaking out window lights. Such conduct as this is to be deplored and notice is hereby given to the parents of children that a watch has been employed to watch over the school building and grounds, and any one caught damaging the property will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
H. N. McKELLAR, County Judge.
J. W. MOORE,
JIM CAMP,
J. C. LOVE,
Trustees.

MUCH RAIN AND HIGH WATER SANITARY INSPECTOR APPOINTED

The heavy rains that have been falling during the last two weeks have done much damage. Traffic over the P. V. S. railroad has been tied up since last Friday, because of the washout on Salt Draw. The first train over the road from Pecos to Balmorhea from Friday of last week to Wednesday. The train was held up for five days. Old settlers claim that they have never seen as much water in this country at one time as has been seen during the last ten days and it is still raining all the time every day or night in some part of this western country. The stockman is now happy for the ranges are as green as wheat fields. For some time the Mother's Club, as we understand, has been urging the appointment of a Sanitary Inspector for Pecos, and at the meeting of the city council on Monday night, an ordinance was passed creating the office of sanitary inspector and Mrs. C. M. Wilson was appointed by the council to fill that office. It will be the duty of this officer to visit the bakeries, grocery stores, dairies, etc., handling food supplies, from time to time, and see that such things are kept in a sanitary condition, and food supplies handled and kept in a sanitary manner, all for the protection of the public. The city council heartily endorsed the good intentions of the Mother's Club and of Mrs. Wilson in this matter and asks the public to give their cooperation.

NEW GARAGE AND SUPPLY HOUSE.

O. Mitchell, the hustling Overland representative, has rented the skating rink building and opened up a new garage, repair and supply house. Lee Windham, who is one of the best automobile handlers in West Texas, has charge of the mechanical department, which insures first class work. This is in a splendid location and building and we bespeak for them success.

FORTY-FOUR CARS OF CATTLE WERE SHIPPED

Two special trains were run in from Saragosa this morning, bringing in 44 cars of cattle, which were bought of Messrs. Gage and Irwin of Pecos county, loaded at Saragosa and shipped to the American Livestock and Loan Co. at Hinsdale, Montana. They went out over the Santa Fe railroad from Pecos.

BARACA AND PHILATHEAS TO MEET.

Waco, Texas, June 4.—Ten thousand delegates from all parts of the nation and Texas will be in attendance at the eighteenth annual convention of the Baraca and Philathea organized Sunday school classes at Waco, June 6-10. These classes include every denomination and constitute the largest organization of the Bible classes of young people in the world. Special trains from New York, Nebraska, Missouri and South Carolina will bring the heavy delegations from out of the state. A strong program of prominent Texas religious leaders is scheduled in addition to the speakers of national reputation in organized class work. Among the Texas speakers will be Rev. Geo. W. Truett, Dallas; Rev. J. A. Held, San Marcos; J. H. Campbell, Dallas; Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker, Waco, and Mrs. Mary B. Blalock, McGregor. Other Texans on the program will be Miss Dalton Cantrell of Waxahachie, an illustrator of sacred songs, and Miss Nell Whitman of Waco, a fascinating Bible story-teller. The singing will be led by Robert H. Coleman of Dallas. Some of the out-of-State speakers will be M. A. Hudson, Syracuse, N. Y., president of the world-wide Baraca-Philathea Union; Luther C. Jackson, Jacksonville, Fla.; E. B. Henshaw, Broken Arrow, Okla.; Miss Edith R. H. Coleman of Dallas, music; Rev. G. C. Howard, McGregor, Texas, member of the program committee.

EL PASO MAN CO-OPERATES

Mr. W. E. Tooley, vice president of the First Mortgage Trust Company, of El Paso, has authorized the West Texas Reclamation Association to draw on him at El Paso, until further notice, for \$5 each month as a subscription toward the running expenses of the association. This response to the recent circular letter sent out by the association, is most gratifying, coming as it does from the Rio Grande Valley. Mr. Tooley is interested in the lower Pecos Valley, in a way, but not nearly so heavily as any of the local business institutions, and he is to be commended for his public spiritedness. A number of very pleasing responses have been received by the W. T. R. A. from the letters sent out. Several farmers in the valley have subscribed from one to three dollars a month, and with the subscriptions that will be given by business houses, the affairs of the association ought soon to be in much better condition as regards finances. It is desired that from seventy-five to one hundred fifty dollars a month be secured in regular subscriptions, and it is realized that, in order to accomplish this, most of the business firms on both sides of the river from the New Mexico line to the lower Texas coast, must help out. Mr. Newell, while here, expressed the opinion that the West Texas Reclamation Association would be the best means for the bringing of people and interests in the Pecos Valley into active co-operation, and for the solution of those problems that will have to be worked out before the government will be willing to do anything in the development of the valley by reservoirs or otherwise. Little can be accomplished either now or hereafter, without

LIBRARY WORK HAS COMMENCED

In response to a call from Canon, a number of ladies, representing the various women's clubs of Pecos, met at the Carnegie library building on Monday, June 1, for the purpose of discussing ways and means of getting the library open to the public. Steps were taken looking toward the organization of a permanent library association, composed of the ladies of Pecos. A temporary organization was formed with Mayor Canon as chairman and Mrs. J. C. Wied secretary. In order to hasten the work of the permanent organization a committee was appointed to correspond with other libraries and obtain information as to the equipment necessary for the work. This committee is also to draft a constitution and by-laws to be submitted to the permanent organization. The men and women of Pecos who are interested in the library are urged to be present at a meeting to be held in the library building on Wednesday, June 10, at 5 o'clock. At this meeting a permanent organization will be formed. The executive committee of this organization, together with the city council will form a library board for the transaction of all library business. A committee was appointed to notify the people of Pecos of the proposed formation of a library association and to interest as many as possible in the work; and to urge the presence of all at the meeting to be held on June 10. DIED AT EL PASO. The Times was informed Thursday morning that Mr. J. W. Prewitt of this city received the sad intelligence that Mrs. Ed. Valentine died in El Paso Wednesday evening, Mrs.

HEAVY HAIL UP THE VALLEY.

A heavy hail storm raged at and near Malaga, New Mexico, Wednesday evening, which did much damage to grain, alfalfa and fruit, also much damage was done to window lights and buildings.

DISTRICT COURT IS IN SESSION AT BARSTOW THIS WEEK.

Judge Jackson of El Paso is holding court in the place of Judge S. J. Isaacks. Judge Isaacks has taken the stump for Congressman W. R. Smith and his headquarters will be in the town of Colorado City, Texas.

W. J. HILES CASE FOR KILLING TOM TUCKER TRANSFERRED FROM REEVES COUNTY TO WARD COUNTY, AND TRIAL SET TO BE CALLED UP NEXT TUESDAY, THE 9TH, AT BARSTOW.

S. Wagon, Macon, Ga.; A. S. Hampton, Detroit, Mich.; Frank Anderson, Johnston, New York; W. D. Schoeppe, Cleveland, Ohio. Each day of the convention will be featured by a social occasion that will make the gathering a time of delightful entertainment as well as a great educational meeting. Beginning Saturday evening, there will be a general reception tendered the delegates at which time the leaders of religious activities from all parts of the nation. A miniature Western "Round-up" depicting the cowboy of Texas will be staged in honor of the Northern visitors, characterizing the name that the Texans have given the gathering, the "Round-up" convention. The climax will come in the form of a colossal open-air banquet. This will take the street for a whole block in the down town district. The committee of Waco chairmen who are handling the local details of the convention are: J. B. McKinney, general chairman; W. W. Woodson, finance; W. R. Christian, publicity; Miss Grace Stone, registration; G. T. Watkins, entertainment; Gideon W. Waldrop, assignment; Oscar Hunt, secretary. Herndon Crenshaw came in from Arizona Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Crenshaw. This is his first visit home in about four years.

FOOD IS THE ONE THING—if we expect radium—which never becomes too plentiful. People increase in number a little faster than the supply of things to eat.

Reason: Science has not multiplied the output of the soil in the same feverish way that it has increased manufacturing possibilities. An acre does better than it did on SARAH Year's day 1800, but not nearly so better as almost every one can think of.

PERCY WINONA PIPKIN, AGAIN CAN THINK OF.

Percy Winona Pipkin, again can think of the time in the afternoon when she received Friday afternoon. Little Percy and her mother, accompanied by several others, had gone to Sandilla creek to spend the afternoon fishing. Upon arrival at the creek Percy and Grace Ferguson walked away from the creek only a few yards and in a few moments she was heard to scream, which startled them all. Her mother ran to her and found that she had been bitten on the thigh by a rattlesnake. Dr. Wolverton of Balmorhea was called as soon as a telephone could be reached. In the meanwhile Mrs. Pipkin had taken her in a buggy and hurried towards Balmorhea to meet the doctor. They met at Brogado and she was taken into the home of Mr. Schertz and given medical attention. Account of the stress of the excitement nothing had been done to stay the flow of the poison through her system until the doctor was met. It was thought for awhile that she was getting along all right and not in any serious condition, but about 4 or 5 o'clock Saturday morning it became evident that life could not be prolonged, and about six o'clock her spirit took its flight to the God above who gave it. Funeral services were conducted at the home in Old Saragosa by the Methodist pastor, Rev. W. M. Beauchamp. A large concourse of friends were present at the services. The Woodmen Circle, of which her mother is a member, took part in the funeral services. Interment was made at Saragosa cemetery at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. We extend to the mother and grandfather with whom she lived, our heartfelt sympathy in this their sad hour of bereavement. Arthur Stancliff came in from Dallas last Friday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stancliff. Herndon Crenshaw came in from Arizona Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Crenshaw. This is his first visit home in about four years.

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TURNED FROM BAIRD FRIDAY, WHERE THEY HAD BEEN FOR PAST THREE WEEKS VISITING RELATIVES.

Hyson & Neal were here Saturday with a shipment of cattle for Crow Agency Montana, but on account of a washout on the Pecos Valley Southern could not make the shipment. P. A. Harbert was in from Pecos Saturday. Miss Mina Vawter of Pecos came in last Thursday for a visit with Miss Eva Stancliff. Mrs. Pierce and Miss Mary White were here Sunday to attend the funeral of little Percy Pipkin. The citizens of Saragosa and vicinity are making arrangements for a big picnic here July 4. FOR SALE—Two good milk cows.



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IN MEMORIAM.

Emma Jane Woods (nee Dennis) was born in Giles County, Virginia, 65 years ago. She gave her heart to God and her service to the Methodist church when only about 10 years of age and lived an earnest and helpful-Christian life to the end of her days. She was married in September, 1876, to W. J. Woods, who survives her in feebleness of body, but with love undiminished and faith strong in a happy reunion beyond the bounds of time and sickness. On Monday afternoon, May 25, weary with many burdens and tired of the long and thorn-strewn trail, she laid down to rest, "the sleep that knows not waking," to walk and talk on the other side with those whom she had "loved long since and lost awhile." She

T. & P. TRACK WASHED OUT

The heaviest rainfall for many years fell yesterday between Pecos and El Paso. Several big washouts, miles of track under water and have been washed out. Two big breaks between Pecos and Toyah. A freight train caught in between these washouts this side of Toyah. The reservoir dam at Toyah broke and the town was flooded with water. The switch engine at Toyah run into a break in the track and turned over, breaking the legs of two Mexicans that were on the engine. Dr. Jim Camp was called from here to go up to the wreck to treat the crippled men. The west-bound train No. 3 that is due in Pecos at 2:50 a. m. was held up here and turned back east at 11:45 this morning. This train had a squad of U. S. soldiers from St. Louis and was going to Fort Bliss, but they were turned back with this train. They will be routed by way of Alpine.

The T. and P. work train loaded with material passed Pecos at 1 p. m. today. It is reported that it will be several days before the road will be in fix for trains to make regular trips over.

MORE HIGH WATER.

The Pecos Valley Southern failed to make its trip today because of high water. They were compelled to back back from Salt Draw this morning. The track was covered with water. It may be several days before they will be able to run the train over the road. We haven't been able to get a full report of the conditions of the road beyond Salt Draw.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends and neighbors who so kindly ministered to our loved one during her last illness, we desire to extend our most sincere thanks. The gentle heart whose last days were cheered by these friendly offices was profoundly appreciative also, and in her name we gratefully acknowledge the many obligations.

We trust that the path of each friend may be smoother by mem-



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JOE JAYNE ANNOUNCES FOR REPRESENTATIVE

To the Citizens of the 120th Representative District:

1. I favor a business administration of the Penitentiary system and humane treatment of the convicts, but still I believe the convicts should be made to work, and, at least, maintain themselves, and not be a charge upon the free people of the state.
2. I favor the divorcement of the Agricultural and Mechanical College from the State University, with an equitable division of the funds now owned jointly by the two educational institutions.
3. Our school system from the country school houses to the highest educational institutions in this state should be fully developed. The state of Texas has the most magnificent educational endowment of any state in the union, and ranks thirty-eighth in education. I favor liberal appropriations for all of our educational institutions.
4. I am against a two-cent fare as proposed by an East Texas Representative. Such a measure would paralyze railroad building in West Texas.
5. I favor organized labor for protection.
6. I am against creating any more offices. It takes fifteen million dollars to run this government for two years, and I think the next Legislature should economize and cut this down three million dollars. The farmers and tillers of the soil bear the great burden of taxes, they rarely hold office. They are fleeced by the tax eaters who hold so large a part of the jobs. The future is with the country, therefore, I stand for preserving and improving country life.
7. The Legislature meets every two years, and are in session 60 days unless a special session is called, and in that event only measures submitted by the Governor can come up for consideration. There are 141 members of the House of Representatives. I believe its membership should be cut down. I can see no sense in some counties having three and four representatives. Place the members upon a salary, and this would induce men of ability to aspire to fill these positions, and let the Legislature meet when the necessity arises, and it will give more time to consider and study the important measures that come before the Legislature and there will be fewer mistakes and better laws.
8. Four years ago the people passed upon the prohibition question. This year a petition is being circulated asking the placing upon the Democratic ballot the question whether or not a prohibition election shall be held in 1915. If a majority of those voting on the question in the primaries decide against submission then the time of the Legislature should not be taken up in discussing the liquor question, as it has been done in the past. For every one knows that in the state of Texas the sale of liquor is regulated by law, and every moment should be devoted to doing something that will materially advance the interests of all the State and especially West Texas. If a majority of the people vote for submission, then it should be promptly submitted without any further argument, and at such a time as the people desire. If I am elected your Representative, I will keep faith in this matter, and will vote according to instructions. A Representative should always reflect the sentiment of the people he represents.
9. The position of Representative from this district pays \$244 a year,

provides that a purchaser of school land may forfeit same, and be given 90 days preference right to repurchase said land at a valuation fixed by a board composed of three members, two of whom shall be residents of West Texas, and familiar with the conditions of West Texas.

10. I favor an adequate marketing department and warehouse system that the producer of our staple crop, cotton, as well as other products, will be in position to secure the highest possible price to be obtained.

3. The soil of this section of the state is unsurpassed in productive capacity by the lands of any section of the inhabited globe and to make it bloom and blossom and produce the necessities of man, but one thing is needed, conservation of the water supply. This district should feel an abiding interest in the irrigation laws and if elected I will use my best endeavors to secure a better system of laws that will accomplish this purpose, as it has been accomplished elsewhere.

4. I favor a more liberal appropriation for the Experiment Station now located at Pecos, Texas, and placing one or two more in the district.

5. The Mineral law passed by the last Legislature does not seem to have the desired effect, because it puts too great a burden upon the prospector. Therefore I favor a more liberal mining law.

6. A great part of this district is composed of livestock. Some three years ago an appropriation was made for the eradication of wolves and other wild animals, I note from the press is now exhausted. For this purpose I would favor a liberal appropriation. The stockmen are very much gratified with the effect it has had.

7. I favor a liberal appropriation for the maintenance of the livestock sanitary department and quarantine law. As most of this district is above the line if not all.

8. I favor the state of Texas going out of the land business, and every foot of tillable or agricultural land now owned by the state or any of its institutions should be sold to actual settlers upon long time and easy payments. The institutions now owning land in West Texas should be made to bear their part of taxation.

9. I favor the re-enactment of the law passed by the 33rd Legislature known as Senate Bill 129, which

MEETING OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS MAY 28 AND 29

On Thursday, Thursday night, Friday and Friday night, Pecos Chapter No. 218, R. A. M., held a special convocation, during which time the Royal Arch and Council degrees were conferred upon three teams of candidates. The meetings were well attended by members of Pecos chapter, and there were several distinguished visitors here from neighboring chapters. On Friday night a splendid banquet was enjoyed by all, at the cafe of Lathrum Bros., beginning at 10:30 o'clock and continuing until about midnight. On this occasion Rev. Joel Frank Hedgpeth responded for the class of initiates in a very happy and appreciated manner. There were a number of talks by members and visitors, and the occasion was a very enjoyable and profitable one to those in attendance. The visitors present were E. R. Bryan, Midland, Past Grand High Priest; J. R. Shepard, Colorado City; G. E. Reynolds, Fort Worth; Preston Scott, Colorado City; M. F. Burns and H. M. Ramsey, Midland.

CARD OF THANKS.

Please accept our heartfelt thanks for the love and kindness shown us in this our darkest hour of trouble. To all those who were so sweet and good to us in the death of our little Percy.

- Mrs. Minnie C. Pipkin.
 - Mr. R. T. Davis.
 - Mr. M. A. Davis.
 - Mrs. Lillie Davis.
 - Paulette Davis.
- Saragosa, Tex., June 1, 1914.

those organization builders, a trustful, competent, unselfish souls, who thought she was doing only the small tasks of a true mother and devoted wife; when with it she was unconsciously making possible the very foundation of church and state. She boasted no royal blood, but she gave to her children the undefiled blood of a true mother's heart. She was not aware of her own regal life, yet the diadem of an unselfish, self-forgetful soul shall be hers, and hers today the "crown of glory that fadeth not away." God comfort her loved ones, and may we all be truer, kinder and nobler because of the life she lived, and try to emulate her Christ-like virtues as we "long for the touch of a vanished hand and the sound of a voice that is still. She is known in the presence of God—she shall not be forgotten here and "her children shall rise up and call her blessed."

—Joel Frank Hedgpeth.

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Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it if you apply Chamberlain's Liniment. W. A. Lockhard, Homer City, N. Y., writes, "Last spring I suffered from rheumatism with terrible pains in my arms and shoulders. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and the first application relieved me. By using one bottle of it I was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers.



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Pecos to Nashville, Tenn., return \$43.70, account annual session of the Southern Railway Union United Confederate Veterans, May 7, 8, 9 and 10, limited to Jacksonville.

C. M. WILSON, Agent
Southern Kansas Ry. Co. of Texas

and comprises thirteen counties. Having made the race two years ago, I feel encouraged to run again. Serving in minor capacities in the House of Representatives for several terms, being ambitious to want to be promoted, I appreciate the kind consideration of my didacy, and to give a young man a chance. Respectfully,

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TWO SERIOUS BEAN DISEASES

Anthracnose and Blight Caused a Garden and Field Loss in Michigan Estimated at \$2,000,000, or 20 per cent of the Crop in 1913. Similar Conditions Obtain in Other Bean-Growing Sections.

Washington, D. C., June 4.—The blight and anthracnose of garden and field beans caused a loss in Michigan alone estimated at two million dollars, or 20 per cent of the crop of 1913. This state does not stand alone for similar conditions obtain in other bean-growing sections. It is becoming more difficult each year to secure bean seed free from one or both of these diseases. In view of these facts, it is highly important that the diseases be more thoroughly recognized and that the best available methods of control, some of which must be begun in the early cultivation of the plants, be understood and put into practice.

Cause of Bean Anthracnose.—Bean anthracnose is caused by a fungus which attacks the stems, leaves, pods and seeds of the plants. On the stems and leaf veins it causes elongated, sunken, dark-red cankers, sometimes killing young plants and often producing deformed and yellowed leaves. Rounded or irregular sunken spots with a slightly raised rim are produced on the pods. The spots usually have pink centers surrounded by a darker reddish border. In severe cases the pods may be entirely covered by the sores and produce no seed. In other cases the fungus penetrates the pods and enters the seed, causing dark, sunken specks or spots. In these diseased seed as well as in the refuse from diseased plants the fungus is propagated from season to season.

Cause of the Bean Blight.—The bean blight differs from anthracnose in several ways. It is caused by a bacterial organism. On the leaves it produces irregular, diseased areas which at first have a water-soaked appearance, later dry out and become brown and brittle. The entire margin or half of a leaflet is often affected. On the pods the disease starts as slightly raised and watery pustules, which later enlarge, become of irregular shape and amber color with yellow centers. Infected seed show yellow diseased blotches or are entirely yellowed and shriveled.

Nature of Loss.—Both diseases cause serious losses in the snap bean trade. Diseased pods are unmarketable and must be sorted out. If but a few slightly spotted pods are packed in a basket, the disease may spread during shipment, causing additional loss and necessitating extra sorting before the beans can be sold to the consumer. In the seed bean trade all beans must be hand-picked to get out the discolored diseased seeds. From 15 to 30 per cent of diseased beans are frequently sorted out, involving heavy loss of beans as well as the cost of sorting. Diseased beans used for seed usually give a poor stand and result in the production of a badly diseased crop.

Control Measures.—It has been conclusively demonstrated that anthracnose can be avoided by a careful system of seed selection. Save seed from perfectly healthy pods, selected with great care for entire absence of spotting. Carefully keep them away from diseased pods, shall by hand to avoid reinfection, and plant on clean land. Pull and burn any plants showing disease. By planting the seed thus secured enough disease-free seed can be secured to plant the whole crop.

In the absence of such disease-free seed (1) secure for planting, seed having the least possible amount of disease, as shown by actual examination; (2), all seed should be hand-picked and no seed showing the slightest discoloration should be planted; (3), practice crop rotation, never plant beans on land where the same crop grew the previous season; (4), do not cultivate or walk through the bean field or pick beans while wet with dew or rain. If the disease is present it is then easily spread from one part of the field to another.

The bean blight is more difficult to control than anthracnose, but the same methods will give the best results at present available.

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WHEN MOUNTAINS BLOW UP.

The eruption of Sakura recalls that of Mount Pelee, which destroyed St. Pierre, Martinique, the most beautiful city in the West Indies, with appalling suddenness. Like Sakura, the volcanic peak of Pelee has been quiescent for a long period and was believed to be practically extinct. It smoked a little for a few days before it blew up, but it had previously sent up similar thin, vaporous clouds at intervals of ten and twenty years—so nobody paid attention to its seemingly harmless activity. Without warning a pillar of rock shot up from the crater of Mount Pelee to a height of nearly 100 feet, and a rent opened half way up the mountain slope, from which blew a hot blast, stupefying and incinerating every organic thing in the path of its withering breath. In less time than it takes to tell St. Pierre, with nearly its entire population, was wiped out and buried in the rain of ashes which followed the explosion.

In its tremendous force, however, the eruption of Sakura more nearly resembles that of Krakatoa in 1833. This is believed to have been the greatest cataclysmic disturbance suffered by the earth in historic times, and possibly within the more recent of the geologic eras. Krakatoa was a volcanic peak rising 2000 feet above sea level, in Sunda Strait. After warning manifestations, which continued several days, the outburst came on Aug. 27. The entire northern half of the volcano was blown away, and the soundings subsequently made showed a depth of 1000 feet of water where the mountain had stood. An eye witness of some of the phenomena observed from the shore of Java possessions of native boats, held by a current many times more irresistible than that of Niagara and sucked into the vortex caused by the great hole torn in the floor of the ocean. It is estimated that the column of stones and ashes thrown up by Krakatoa's explosion shot up to a height of 17 miles. Nearby islands were covered with volcanic debris to the height of the tree tops of their forests. The dust particles left floating in the upper strata of the atmosphere encompassed the earth with a belt 75 degrees wide, producing a deep red glow in the sky after sunset for months after the upheaval. One the day of the

eruption and for several days thereafter lamps had to be lighted at Batavia at noon. The waves started by the explosion reached almost around the earth. They were distinctly observed at Cape Horn, and were perceptible even in the English Channel. The most remarkable fact, however, was the distance to which the noise of the explosion traveled. It was audible in the Philippines, 1400 miles at Ceylon, 2000 miles, and in South Australia, 2200 miles away; and a sea captain claims to have distinctly heard it all the way across the Indian Ocean at Zanzibar.

WE ARE GETTING TOO SMART

(Philadelphia Ledger.) It is possible that the world is becoming too smart for its own good. Science in its million forms is able to produce for the human race more than the human race can consume. To illustrate: By the use of electric and other machinery the coal mines could easily dig more coal than the people will burn. Even diamond mines have to shut down in order to allow consumption to catch up with output. The same thing is true of copper. When one steam shovel does the work of 500 men, it is very easy to

turn out more shovels than is necessary to do all the excavating. One Public Ledger press could, if kept going steadily, print all the newspapers in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. Science is the great labor saver, but science didn't begin its great feat of saving human hands until about 150 years ago, so up to that time all hands were busy keeping the human race clothed, fed and housed.

But now, with the aid of electricity and steam, mankind can each year do all its work in a little less time that was required the year before. That means that if mankind tries to work full hours, it gets the world overstocked.

So it happens that the railroads can not use all the cars which the builders could turn out if they worked at full capacity every year. The men and women couldn't utilize all the blankets and carpets and hats and ships and sewing machines and shoes and lead pencils and window glass that the makers, all working full time in all the years, could turn out.

Result: Every few years we must slow up a bit—stop producing as much as we can, otherwise all markets would be swamped with unsold products.

Food is the one thing—if we except radium—which never becomes too plentiful. People increase in number a little faster than the supply of things to eat.

Reason: Science has not multiplied the output of the soil in the same feverish way that it has increased manufacturing possibilities. An acre does better than it did on New Year's day 1800, but not nearly so much better as almost every other thing that you can think of. So our farmers are busy all the time and yet food is never too plentiful.

FAMILIAR WITH SCRIPTURE "Bath-House John" and Raymond Robbins evidently gathered the material for their public speeches from the same source. Each had a different interpretation, however, of the following well-known episode:

Mr. Robbins, speaking before the Sunday Night club, referred to the Pharisees past and present. By way of illustration he cited the story of the Magdalene, quoting the phrase: "He who is without sin among you."

On the same day Alderman Conghlin assured his constituents of the First Ward that "these stiff-necked reformers went butting in 2,000 years ago the same as they do now. You remember Mary Magdalene," he said, "and what she done. They were about to revile her when Christ said: 'Let the feller who's never done nothin' sling the first rock.'"

Being of an adventurous nature, Mrs. A. M. Brown, a wealthy Los Angeles woman, recently sailed a sloop yacht from Atlantic City to New York.

The Women's Educational Union recently founded in Cairo, Egypt, is doing much to educate the Moslem women, who are anxious to be able to compete with their more civilized sisters of other countries.

Of the ten Massachusetts industries employing the largest number of adult females, three—hosiery, confectionery and paper—more than one-fifth of their female employees receive less than \$6 per week, and more than one-tenth receive \$12 per week.

Before her marriage to Vincent Astor, Miss Helen D. Huntington renounced her dower rights in the vast Astor estate, which has been the custom in every instance when an Astor marries.

THE AWAKENING OF THE SOUTH

(Texas Farm and Fireside.)

There is a great awakening taking place in the South—awakening to a realization of her duty in the development of her agricultural, industrial, mining, stock raising and manufacturing possibilities. These possibilities lay dormant for decades, but recent years have revealed the fact that her citizens are not unmindful of their possessions and have awakened from their slumber and are producing radical changes in our economic conditions.

In no section of the South is this more marked than in Texas.

While great awakening has been manifested all along industrial lines the most marked is shown in the development of our agricultural resources. This has followed the installation of new agricultural machinery on the farm and the introduction of new agricultural methods and the improvement of farm live stock.

The agencies that have been the chief factor in this awakening are the demonstration farm plan of the United States department of agriculture and the inauguration of the Farmers' institutes by the Texas state department of agriculture. These two great agencies have worked in unison in emphasizing the importance of adopting saner methods on the farm, in the orchard and the garden.

The Texas farmers have caught the contagion of progress and have learned that with the opportunity of labor has come the opportunity of success. They have learned that to succeed they must work with their brains as well as with their hands; and learning this they have been able to overcome the greatest obstacles and conquer the hardest circumstances. They have learned that industry is needed to develop the resources of talent as well as of soil. And a great change has come as a result of this realization. Lands that were formerly utilized in growing inferior crops of cotton, corn and other grains are producing paying crops of onions, cabbage, celery, potatoes, melons and other crops for which there is great demand. Low lands have been drained and made fertile and productive. Dry lands have been irrigated and planted to alfalfa, fruits and other crops and a thousand changes made that are contributing comfort to the home owner and wealth to the state.

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For Commissioner Precinct No. 4.
J. B. SULLIVAN.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NUMBER 4

We are authorized to announce the name of J. B. Sullivan as a candidate for re-election as commissioner of the fourth commissioners precinct of Reeves county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 25, next.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE 120TH REPRESENTATIVE DIS-

TRICK.

We are authorized to announce the name of Joe Jayne of Fort Stockton as a candidate for the Legislature to represent the interest of the people of the 120th district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July 25th next. Mr. Jayne's announcement and platform will be found elsewhere in this paper. It will be remembered that he was a candidate two years ago for this same office. He pledges himself that if elected he will represent the will of the people whom he has the honor to represent.

Madame Curie, who with her husband discovered radium, is the only person in the world to hold two Noble prizes.

The Belfast Red Cross branch of the Ulster Volunteer force have 525 women, of which several are only 16 years of age.

Since women have been permitted to the Judge's bench in Norway justice to women and girls is being more uniformly done.

It is claimed that the working class wife is a more efficient spender of household accounts than her middle-class sister.

Mrs. Samuel Semple, the only female member of the Pennsylvania Industrial Board, is inspecting the bakeries in that state.

Bloomington, Ind., has a women's bootblack shop, where only women can get a shine and have it done by one of their own sex.

In the little town of Willesden, Eng., all the married women go out to work while the husbands stay at home and keep house.

Less than 17,000 women showed their preference for the vote in a test conducted by a Paris newspaper at the recent election.

All the girls graduating from the Franklin school of Oakland, Cal., will be supplied with gowns by the board of education.

In Switzerland women are now employed in government offices and in the postoffices, and in some instances are raised to be postmistresses.

Of the three largest female colleges, 50 per cent of the graduates marry, 40 per cent teach and 10 per cent are engaged in other occupations.

England now has seventeen gardening, poultry raising, beekeeping, farming, horticulture and domestic science.

TO COMPETE FOR CHAMPIONSHIP OF AMERICA

On July 4 and 5 trapshooters all over the country will be contesting for the 500-target trapshooting championship of America. This contest has just been proposed through a general challenge by John H. Minnick, of Wilmington, Del., who set a world's record for amateurs two years ago when he broke 477 targets out of a possible 500. Mr. Minnick's score probably will not be equalled, even by himself, for a good while yet; hence it appears that in suggesting a match for the championship title the Wilmington marksman is rather generous to his rivals—or else has no fear of losing his present laurels.

Shooters who accept Mr. Minnick's challenge are to shoot 500 targets after one o'clock on the afternoon of Independence Day, unless the weather prevents, in which case postponement until the following day will be permitted. Only amateurs are eligible.

In issuing his sweeping defi Mr. Minnick tells of his record-breaking exploit as follows: "In June, 1912, the writer got into a friendly argument with a fellow club member over our respective ability to break targets in a long race. The result was a match at 500 targets per man to be shot in one afternoon. Shooting from 16 yards rise at targets thrown full 50 yards, and in the presence of dozens of spectators, it was my good fortune to win with a score of 477 out of a possible 500. At that time the score was said to be 'a new world's record for amateurs,' and, so far as I know, it still stands."

In that remarkable test of endurance and marksmanship the winner made the following scores in the successive 50-target events: 46, 48, 47, 49, 49, 49, 48, 49, 43 and 49—five times out of ten breaking 49 out of a possible 50. The contest started at 1:45 p. m., and was over at 4:45 p. m., having consumed exactly three hours.

Mr. Minnick, who is pictured here with his Remington, is not only an ardent amateur trapshooter—considered one of America's best—but he has engaged with devotion and success in other sports, notably that of motorcycling, in which he has won hundreds of prizes. He is proprietor of a leading motorcycle and bicycle store in Wilmington.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given of the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pecos Mercantile Company which is to be held at the company's office at 2 o'clock p. m. on June 8th, A. D. 1914. All stockholders are urged to be present. Immediately following the stockholders meeting there will be a meeting of the directors of said company. A. G. TAGGART, Secretary.

Be among the first to have your choice of the bargains in the Pecos Dry Goods great profit sharing sale.

Does Prohibition Foster True Temperance?

Cardinal Gibbons answers that question. He says:

"The establishment of prohibition in Chicago or other large cities would be impracticable and would put a premium on the sale of intoxicating drinks. When a law is flagrantly and habitually violated it brings legislation into contempt. It creates a spirit of deception and hypocrisy, and compels men to do insidiously and by stealth what they would otherwise do open and above board. You cannot legislate men by civil action into the performance of good and righteous deeds."

Similar opinions have been publicly and privately voiced by thousands of other men, high in the councils of nation, state and church—who have the good of their fellow men sincerely at heart.

These men are clear thinkers. Their vision is unclouded by prejudice. They foresee that prohibition does more than strike at the personal liberty of the people. They recognize it as a menace to the stability of our institutions.

What Cardinal Gibbons says about prohibition in large cities is equally true of smaller cities and towns and of states. But the ill effects of prohibition are more far reaching than its encouragement of law violations.

It Encourages Drunkenness!

It drives out by law a beverage which, in many respects, is the most wholesome, beneficial, and desirable the world has ever known—the harmless drink of temperate people—the world over—beer. It compels the man who will drink to ship into his community—ostensibly for his own use but quite as frequently for others as well—the concentrated stimulants which are easily hidden and can stealthily be disposed of and a small quantity of which produces drunkenness.

No, prohibition does not prohibit. It cannot. And the foregoing statement of facts furnishes just one of the many reasons why prohibition is a failure.

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SHOWING WARREN THE POINT

Little Lad's Effective Lesson in the Necessity for Employing Punctuation Marks.

"Oh, dear!" sighed Warren, as he came in from school one day, "I wish we didn't have to learn so much about periods and commas and semicolons and such things. I hate them!"

Mamma laid down her sewing and said, "Why do you hate them, Warren?"

"Why, it's so hard to remember when to use them, and besides I don't think they are of much use. I don't see why we couldn't write sentences without putting in any punctuation marks."

Mamma smiled and then rising from her chair she went over to the desk and got out a piece of paper and a pencil. Then she wrote: "The little turkey strutted about the yard and ate corn half an hour after his head was cut off."

"Why, mummy, how funny!" exclaimed Warren when he had read it, "how could a turkey walk around eating corn without any head?"

"He couldn't," replied mamma, "and yet I have written just what I intended to write. I have, however, left out all punctuation marks."

Then she bent down and punctuated the sentence. It then read: "The little turkey strutted about the yard and ate corn; half an hour after, his head was cut off."

"Oh, I see," cried Warren, and then and there he resolved to learn all that he could about punctuation marks.—Woman's World.

DOG TUGS AT BABY CARRIAGE

After It's Out of Water He Jumps Around Until Satisfied That It's Empty.

Edwin Main Post relates an incident which demonstrated the remarkable intelligence of one of his Airedale terriers. It will be remembered that Mayor Gaynor recently exhibited an Airedale of Mr. Post's breeding. The dog in question is Empost Captain Andrew, known as Cappie, and beloved and petted by every one, but very fond of small children.

Cappie is very fond of taking a swim in a large pond near Mr. Post's house in Babylon, L. I., and the other day went in from the north side of the pond for the first time. When about 100 yards from the shore he suddenly began to bark, paw the water and dive under. He kept this up for so long a time, refusing to obey orders to come out, that Mr. Post finally had to go out to him. The dog was found trying to pull out of the mud a baby carriage. When it was taken out on the bank, the dog made a careful inspection of it, nosing it all over, and when he evidently was satisfied there was no baby in it he shook the water off his body and led the way home.

"Some people may say this was only instinct," said Mr. Post, "but I believe that this action of my dog showed an intelligence prompted by a reasoning power."

DISAPPOINTED.

"I shall not see that interviewer again," said the actress.

"Why not?" inquired the press agent.

"He kept talking about art and never said a word concerning my dog, my diamonds or my previous husband."—Washington Star.

TRY TO.

"I am afraid that actors sometimes deceive us about the salaries they get."

"No," replied the keen observer. "They may think they do, but they don't."

NATURAL RESULT.

"That was a very lame argument."

"Of course, when it hadn't a leg to stand on."

CRUEL INSINUATION.

"Mind cures are not always successful."

"Of course not. They've got to have something to work on."

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LINE WITH CIVILIZATION

Plan of the Maldive Archipelago Offers Up-to-Date Vessel for Use of Heir to Throne.

Little is ever heard concerning the Maldive archipelago, which consists of numerous coral islets, about 400 miles west of Ceylon, of which colony of Great Britain they are a dependency, having over them a sultan who pays allegiance to and receives the protection of the Ceylon government.

The inhabitants number about 30,000 and profess the Mahomet religion. Their chief industry is catching and salting fish for the Ceylon market. Coconuts are grown on the islands, and a fair amount of copra is sent to Ceylon to be exported with Ceylon copra to other countries.

At present the means of communication between Ceylon and the Maldives is only by small sailing boats, but it has just been announced that the ambassador of the sultan in Colombo has been instructed to advertise in English shipping papers for the purchase of a cargo steamer of 400 to 600 tons capacity.

Passenger accommodation will be provided on the steamer chiefly in order that the sultan's heir and his suite may travel to and from the islands. Electric lighting must also be installed and there must be electric fans in the first-class cabins.

The sultan of the Maldives recently decided that his heir to the sultanate should receive a thorough English education in Ceylon.

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- J. A. Buck, city.
- L. C. Majors, city.
- J. L. R. Handley, El Paso.
- M. W. Abell, St. Louis.
- H. H. Bruce, St. Louis.
- H. A. Heath Topeka, Kan.
- Earl Blackshere, Wichita, Kan.
- T. J. Hester, Houston.
- T. C. Johnson, Dallas.
- W. M. Demming and family, Roswell.
- J. B. Watkin and wife, Ft Worth.
- E. W. Bailey, Boston.
- Henry Reynolds, Denver.
- Miss Leatherwood, Hagerman.
- Miss Myrtle Harkey, Carlsbad.
- Miss M. G. Patty, Big Springs.
- D. L. Anthony, El Paso.
- W. W. Stone, Atlanta, Ga.

Sunday, May 31.

- R. S. Martin, Clovis.
- E. H. Aswraft, Clovis.
- William Keen, Roswell.
- W. H. Homan, Big Springs.
- B. F. Webster, Santa Anna.
- J. W. Davis and wife, Toyah.

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- Lucile McKneely, Carlsbad.
- W. H. Haygood, Dallas.
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- E. G. Reynolds, ranch.
- E. A. Puck, Hickory, Miss.
- D. W. Eaton, Kansas City.
- W. C. Jackson, Fort Stockton.
- H. S. Garrett, San Angelo.
- Henry Reynolds, Denver.
- O. A. Barry, Roosevelt, Ariz.
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WANTED—Middle aged or elderly lady to do housework for family of two. Phone 248. First house north of Christian church. Will pay \$16 per month. 23*4

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FOR SALE—Piano for sale at your own price. Call at the Cotton Ranch, 4 miles south of Pecos. 23*1

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FOR SALE—Cattle for sale on 12 months time. About 700 head native high grade cows at \$50 per head. Also other classes for sale of same quality. All on my El Paso county pastures. Also have for sale about 1000 graded Mexican cows on my Pecos county ranch. Will sell numbers to suit purchasers on 12 months time, approved security. Can show the El Paso county cattle in one hour's time. J. H. Nason, Pecos, Texas. 19-4

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Methodist.

There will be no morning services Saturday, but there will be the usual services Saturday night. Fore Campbell will preach three times Sunday, at 11 a. m., 4 p. m. and for 8:30 p. m. The afternoon service will be especially for children and young people. All the other usual services Sunday. We wish to thank the ministers and members of other churches for their aid and cooperation during the meetings. The exceedingly inclement weather has greatly interfered with the service, but there has been one conversion and considerable interest displayed.

Presbyterian.

There will be the regular services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10 a. m., and the Junior Missionary Band 3 p. m. There will be no night service on account of the protracted meeting at the Methodist church. Chas. B. Boyles.

NOTICE.

Summer School of six weeks, starting June 8th, \$5 for the term. Mrs. George F. Williams. 23-2

HOW ONION CURES COLD.

Many a man—probably few women try it—finds a raw onion highly improving to his state of health, when he is afflicted with a severe cold.

A bacteriologist explains that there is no mystery about the onion cure. It is not like a charm which may prevail upon a wart to vanish, but is virtually a specific for the cure of colds, in that the oil in the onion kills the microbes of "cold," says the Louisville Courier-Journal.

The mouth of nearly every healthy person contains a few diplococci pneumoniae, it is explained, and a cold, which weakens resistance, may give the deadly diplococcus his chance. It is therefore important to treat the cold germ as severely as he has treated you. He is fastidious and does not like onions. Dose him with raw onions and he dies. As for the members of the family who object to onions—well, a man must not give up his hope of escape from the lurking diplococcus merely because his sisters, his cousins of his aunts abhor the penetrating perfume of raw onions.

Large, luscious onions repose temptingly amid the green grocer's array of edibles. But only the brave who deserve, and are unafraid of the fair, dare suggest their being bought and served raw. Only a few bold spirits will go so far as to smuggle them into the household for consumption at the winking time of night when "hell itself breathes out contagion on the world," and a man who has eaten an onion should, by comparison, seem innocuous and blameless.

But inasmuch as a bacteriologist indorses the onion as a cold cure, and tells how it acts, let us be up and doing with a heart for any argument in protest that may be made. With a Spanish onion as large as a squash, and the "fixin's" that go therewith let those of us who have hitherto lacked in polite company the courage of our convictions, go as far as we like.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR. It reduces the feverish condition, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Company. (Advt.)

What does that great crowd mean? They are bargain hunters going to the great profit sharing sale at the Pecos Dry Goods Company's store.

Belle of Wichita and American Beauty Flour, the best in the world. Green's Grocery. 23-4

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It still keeps on killing pain, does Hunt's Lightning Oil. For years it has been used with wonderful success for rheumatism, neuralgia, cuts, burns, and other hurts. All druggists sell it in 25-cent and 50-cent bottles. (Advt.)

DON'T USE CALOMEL.

Those who know always use Simmons' Laver Purifier, because it is just as thorough, but does not gripe or sicken nor cause injury. In yellow tin boxes only. Price 25c. Tried once, used always. (Advt.)

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LODGE MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Pecos Valley Lodge No. 36, A. F. and A. M. Hall corner of Second and Oak streets. Regular meetings second Saturday night in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. W. W. Rublen, W. M.; L. Heath, secretary.

MASONIC—Pecos Chapter No. 218, Tu. M. Hall corner Second and Oak streets. Stated convocations on first C. day night in each month. Visiting companions cordially invited. E. W. Nason, H. P.; C. L. Heath, Sec.

REG. W.—Allthorn Camp No. 208. Regular meetings second and fourth day nights in each month. Visiting A. M. members cordially invited. H. W. Green, Counsel Commander. O. Leachamp, Clerk.

GET RID OF YOUR RHEUMATISM.

Rheumatism is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it if you use Chamberlain's Liniment. W. writes, "Last spring I suffered from rheumatism with terrible pains in my arms and shoulders. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and the first application relieved me. By using one bottle of it I was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers. (Advt.)

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DINNER PARTY.

Mrs. J. Y. Leavell was the delightful hostess of an informal dinner party, given Monday evening, June 1, in honor of the young men in her home.

The center piece was a huge bowl of carnations and pink and white flowers.

The six course luncheon consisted of fruit cocktail, oyster and tomato bouillon, olives, chicken, pickles, French peas, creamed potatoes, whole tomatoes on pineapple, cream cake, mints.

Those who enjoyed Mrs. Leavell's hospitality were Misses Colon Prewitt, Agnes Jeans, Sadie and Nannie Mae Collings, Messrs. J. A. Elder, F. F. Calvert, W. E. Waldrom, J. C. Wilson.

HAS THE BEST LAYING HENS

Mrs. S. A. Shellenberger of Hoban reported to the Times man that she had 69 hens which laid 1395 eggs during the month of March.

This certainly is a fine record. Who can beat it?

NOTICE OF MEETING OF COMMISSIONERS COURT AS A THE ACTION OF AL BOARD OF EQUALIZATION July 25, next.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE COURT OF REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS, will convene on the 5th day of June.

Final Board of Equalization, for the purpose of receiving from the Assessor of Taxes of said county all the assessment lists or books for inspection, correction and approval.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Pecos, this 5th day of June, A. D. 1914. (L. S.) WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk County Court, Reeves County, Texas.

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"Say! Where are you going in such a hurry?" "To the Pecos Dry Goods great Profit Sharing Sale. Come on and get your bargains."

CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. Harold B. Link delightfully entertained the Forty-two Club on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Link was assisted in receiving by her sister, Miss Browning of Lampasas, who ushered the guests into the dining room, where delicious punch was served by Mrs. Waldrom.

The color scheme was pink and white, which was carried out in decorations and refreshments. The attractive little bungalow was artistically decorated with sweet peas, bouquets of this favorite flower were on the center of each table and sprays of the same were used as score cards.

At the close of the game a delicious salad and ice cream was served. Before the guests departed a beautiful bouquet of sweet peas was presented to Miss Bess Drane of Mississippi, who was so fortunate as to be seated in the lucky chair.

USE OF CALOMEL IS RAPIDLY FALLING OFF

Fewer People Risking Dangerous Drug—Thousands Taking Dodson's Liver Tone Instead.

The use of calomel, which is a poison and a form of mercury, seems to be decidedly diminishing nowadays. Dodson's Liver Tone takes its place so reliably in cases of constipation and liver trouble that its popularity is spreading more widely all the time.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a harmless vegetable-liquid. What calomel does unpleasantly—often with danger—for constipation and sluggish liver, Dodson's Liver Tone does for you safely and pleasantly, with no pain and no gripe. It does not interfere in any way with your regular business, habits or diet.

So successful, so reliable and so popular a remedy has its imitators, naturally. But beware of them. You can easily detect the difference.

Dodson never makes extravagant statements. His Liver Tone has been made from the first to take the place of calomel. He says that it "liven's the liver," overcomes constipation agreeably and makes you feel good. If you are not satisfied completely with Dodson's Liver Tone, the Pecos Drug Company will hand back the purchase price (50c) to you cheerfully, instantly and without question. Hence you run no risks to health or pocketbook in giving it a trial. (S)

SEEKS OUT FRUIT NOVELTY

Government Investigator Has Fascinating Sport Than the Hunting of Wild Animals.

Hunting wild animals may be right so far as it goes, but how much more romance and how much more to the world there is in hunting wild vegetables and plants which be made use of for the benefit of humanity. F. N. Meyer, the government agricultural explorer, started on another trip to China and Siberia in search for new fruit varieties which can be introduced in this country. He will be gone three years, and during that time will travel with his own caravan in the wildest parts of eastern Asia.

Whenever he hears of a remarkable fruit he will follow it up and get seeds or cuttings from the grower. This will be sent to Washington for propagation and study. Owing to the great distance it is very difficult to make scions or cuttings preserve their vitality so they can be made grow. One of the objects of this journey is to procure cuttings of the famous Feit Ching peach of China.

This peach grows so that it weighs as much as three pounds. On a former trip Mr. Meyer got cuttings from it, but they refused to live when grafted on American stock. Stones from the peaches have been planted, but there is little hope from them, for peach seedlings seldom come true to variety or are of much merit.—Pathfinder.

LORD ROBERTS' GHOST STORY

Tells How His Father Was Warned by Dream of Coming Death of His Daughter.

Lord Roberts records a remarkable case of the warning dream. In October, 1853, his father, to whom he was acting A. D. C. at Peshawar, had issued invitations for a dance. Two days before it was to take place he was silent and despondent during his breakfast, and eventually told his son that he had had an unpleasant dream, which had visited him several times before and had always been followed by the death of a near relative. As the day wore on his depression grew, and he wanted to put off the dance. His son dissuaded him, but that night the dream returned, and the dance was then postponed. The next morning the post brought news of the sudden death of his half-sister at Lahore, with whom he had stayed on my way to Peshawar.

BIGGEST PAIR OF TUSKS.

In the stables of the royal palace at Mandalay, in Burma, there may be seen an elephant with a remarkable pair of tusks, which the Burmese declare are the largest in the world. These gigantic tusks measure as much as 7 feet nine inches on the outside curve, with a great circumference of no less than 17 inches. To naturalists the most extraordinary point about these tusks, which are still being carried by their owner, is that they virtually touch the ground and almost meet. Apparently, however, their owner experiences no inconvenience from these long and cumbersome appendages whilst taking exercise. As a zoological curiosity the elephant has naturally attracted wide attention, and it is said that several offers have already been received for the tusks when the animal should see fit to depart this world.—Wide World Magazine.

LITERALLY SO.

"Yesterday I received an unspeakable insult."

"What was it?" "A deaf and dumb man spelled on his fingers to me that I was a liar."

IT ISN'T HIS FAULT.

Howell—Edison says that we sleep too much.

Powell—Well, it isn't his fault; he has invented enough things to keep us awake.

FEW OF THEM DO IT.

Ascum—What in your opinion is the best business to which a young man can give his attention?

Tellit—His own.

EXPENSIVE SCHOOLING.

"Experience is the best teacher."

"Well, she ought to be; her teaching comes mighty high."

COLOR CHANGES.

"Why does Jinks look so black?" "He says it is because his prospects have made him blue."

GETTING THE BEST IN LIFE

To Be Able to Grow Old Gracefully and With Profit is an Accomplishment Indeed.

On his seventy-fifth anniversary, feeling fine and active, John Wana-maker said:

"There is one compensation for a long life. It is possible to fill up one's life so that the years upon your brow and the feelings in your heart are not on speaking terms."

That is commonplace enough in that it has been often said. But it is a great truth and worth repeating.

One of the triumphs of the last half-century has been the gradual conquering of age. Despite the tendency of rush and hurry, it is still true that men are no longer old at the age which was held to be old half a century ago.

The thing that makes age deplorable is the lack of human interest. A man's years mean nothing so long as he is still vitally concerned in life, interested in the day's work, in the common problem of humanity, and participates mentally at least in the movements of his time.

The man whose mind and heart do not share in the common inheritances of humanity is old at any age, for he is not living.

To bring to old age the vital enthusiasm of youth, mellowed and glorified and substantiated by the experience of years, and subdued but not chastened or defeated by the wisdom and patience and tolerance of calmer days, is to know the best of life, a vigor that is not volatile, and a serenity that is not dull.

PRETTY CLOSE TO IT



Mr. Collier Downe—At what age do you believe vanity awakens in one of your sex?

Miss Caustique—I should say at about three days, or maybe earlier.

CONVICTS' NOVEL PROTEST.

A hundred convicts at St. Denis, the capital of the French island of Reunion, in the Indian ocean, being discontented with the number of meals allowed them and the poor quality of the food, recently mutinied, and, overpowering their guardians, opened the prison gates.

In the street they formed up in procession and marched to the law courts. They did not attempt to enter, but shouted protests as they passed the house of the public prosecutor, and delegated two of their number to interview him and present their grievances. He listened politely, promising an inquiry, and advised them to go back to prison.

To the surprise and relief of the residents of St. Denis, who feared that the town would be sacked, the orderly prisoners formed up again and marched back to jail.—Daily Mail.

LIFE ON THE STAGE.

The Manager—You don't seem to have omitted any recognized crime from your drama.

The Author (indignantly)—Certainly not. I cannot stultify my artistic conscience. I write of life exactly as it is.

FITTED FOR THE JOB.

"She ought to make a splendid wife of an American ambassador abroad."

"Is she distinguished?" "Dear me, no; but she can do her own housework and darn socks beautifully."—Life.

ONLY ONE ENTIRELY SATISFACTORY.

"I have tried various colic and diarrhoea remedies, but the only one that has given me entire satisfaction and cured me when I was afflicted is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I recommend it to my friends at all times," writes S. N. Galloway Stewart, S. C. For sale by all dealers. (Adv.)

Overland Autos Again in Pecos!

For ten days I have been unable to get Overland cars on my orders on account of the "Spring Rush" that is now on in all of the territory. I now have an auto on hand and will have a carload this week ready for delivery. Some of these cars are already sold, and I have no hopes of getting more care after these orders as this is all the cars I have contracted for until July.

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what you are to get from your car the one offering the most is unquestionably the OVERLAND car.

When You Consider

the factory building a car, and their financial strength, their disposition and assurance of help to buyers the one offering the most is unquestionably the OVERLAND.

These Facts

coupled with the fact that I have already sold in this territory more than my yearly supply; that 90 PER CENT OF ALL THE CARS SOLD THIS YEAR IN THIS CLASS IN PECOS HAVE BEEN OVERLAND CARS.

All These Facts

should be conclusive evidence and assurance that you need not hesitate no longer as to your new car, but consider YOURS LUCKY if you get one of this year's production. Place your order now while you can get it filled at once.

Let me show you this new car.

O. MITCHELL

Phone 36

Pecos, Texas

THE MORAL EDUCATION MOVEMENT.

Dr. F. J. Gould in International Journal of Ethics: Having seen abundant evidences of the children's capacity to accept constructive and direct moral instruction, and of the teachers' readiness to experiment along this road, I have no hesitation in urging all who have influence in American educational fields to press the enterprise forward, and encourage all attempts to place the training of young citizenship on a firmer basis. I regard this work, not as a reform, but as a natural development. The tendency all over the civilized world is to improve upon the methods which made intellectual discipline the chief aim of the school.

The tendency is now toward the ideal of subordinating all subjects to the one supreme end of the formation of good personal and civic character; in other words, to simplify the present congested curriculum by eliminating all the material that does not more or less count in the making of good men and women. Even as regards intellectual efficiency, I will dare to assert that the education of the sympathies and of the moral judgment is eminently conducive to the wholesome quickening of wit. The study of conduct, in the concrete modes suggested, is perhaps the most powerful aid to rational observation, deduction and insight, and is not second in value to a so-called scientific training.

Nor is this problem one that mainly concerns the teacher. It mainly concerns the community and the state, the democracy and the organizers of opinion, industry and administration. The whole globe is becoming a society, and education must rise to the sublime function of unifier and inspirer of this vast human complex. Moral education should be a practical search for a realization of the universal moral aspiration.

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UNTRUTHFUL

"Why, my dear," exclaimed a good friend on finding Mrs. M. wed in floods of tears, "what is the matter?"

The young wife wiped her eyes and tried to compose herself and inhumanly calm.

"Well," she began, with folded hands, "you know John is away for a week."

"Yes, dear," helped the old friend.

"Well, he writes to me regularly and in his last letter he told me he gets my photo out and kisses it every day."

"But that is nothing for you to cry about," exclaimed the good friend.

"Yes, it is," cried Mrs. M., bursting into tears afresh. "Because I took my picture out of my bag before he started back to a joke and put one of my mother's in its place."

Colds

should be "nipped in the bud," for if allowed to run unchecked, serious results may follow. Numerous cases of consumption, pneumonia, and other fatal diseases, can be traced back to a cold. At the first sign of cold, protect yourself by thoroughly cleansing your system with a few doses of

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

the old reliable, vegetable liver powder.

Mr. Chas. A. Ragland, of Madison Heights, Va., says: "I have been using Theford's Black-Draught for stomach troubles, indigestion, and colds, and find it to be the very best medicine I ever used. It makes an old man feel like a young one."

Insist on Theford's, the original and genuine. E-67

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WHAT'S the use of a repeating gun that throws the shells, smoke and gases in the way of your aim? That's the question that started us working on the Remington-UMC Bottom Ejection Pump Gun—the only gun of its kind on the market, and used by thousands of gunners all over the country.

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HOT SPRINGS, ARK.

WARNS AGAINST ALLEGED HOG CHOLERA CURES

Washington, D. C., May 29.—Evidence of what appears to be a well-organized campaign to delude farmers throughout the country into buying an alleged cure for hog cholera, under the impression that this has been investigated and approved by the United States government, has reached the department of agriculture. Articles praising this medicine, Benetol by name, are being sent out widespread to newspapers. These articles are so worded that they appear as if the department of agriculture had received reports from the state of Minnesota showing that the medicine had proved most beneficial. As a matter of fact, the report received by the department was an unofficial and unsolicited statement sent presumably from promoters themselves. The department attaches no importance whatsoever to this statement. It has reason to believe in the efficiency of any proprietary cure for hog cholera and does not recommend any. Under certain conditions it urges farmers to protect their stock with anti-hog cholera serum, but that is all.

In connection with this attempt it may be said that the medicine which is now put forward as good for hogs, was advertised some time ago as a means of killing tuberculosis, typhoid, and cancer germs, according to an article published in the Journal of the American Medical Association. At that time it was asserted that the army was interested in it. As a matter of fact, the army was no more interested than the department of agriculture is now.

In view of the evidence that the attempt to create this false impression is persistent and widespread, all hog owners are warned to communicate with the United States authorities before accepting as true any statement that the government recommends any treatment other than the serum already mentioned.

GREATER PEABODY SUMMER SCHOOL

The alumni of Peabody Normal College in this section, as well throughout the South, will be interested in the announcement that this institution, after a suspension of three years for the erection of new buildings, again open its doors for student June 25, when the first summer session begins. The name has been changed to George Peabody College for Teachers, the courses of study have been amplified and the standards raised, new buildings have been erected and the assets of the institution increased to \$3,500,000.

Many of the alumni were scholarship students, receiving not only free tuition but a substantial sum toward board and other expenses. The scholarship system will be continued under the new organization, the money for this purpose coming from a fund raised by the alumni themselves. The authorities of the college are anxious to get in touch with the young men and young women in all sections of the South who are prepared to meet the requirements of the college and who would care to receive scholarships.

The plant of the new Peabody is one of the handsomest and best adapted educational plants in the South. The campus is much larger than the old one, and more beautifully shaded. The alumni, who held their last reunion when the institution suspended on the old campus, will come together again during the week of the opening of the summer school, the exercises to be somewhat in the nature of a christening of the new buildings.

In the first summer session of "the first teachers' college for the entire South," instruction will be given by a faculty of about eighty teaching specialists, many of whom do not ordinarily teach during the summer and have consented to do so this time only because of their interest in the launching of the greater Peabody. Most of the leading educational institutions are represented on the summer school faculty.

About 200 courses are offered, covering all of the subjects ordinarily offered in summer school curricula, together with a number of new departures in teacher training. Aside from the purely professional work, most stress is laid on household science, industrial training and rural economics.

The work of the summer session is made an integral part of the work of the regular term.

MANY FEDERALERS WERE EXECUTED AT PAREDON

Amargos, Coahuila, May 23.—(By courier via El Paso, Texas, May 28.)—Thirty-five federal soldiers lost their lives in the battle of Paredon, it was learned today. Fifty-

en federal officers were executed

er the battle. Reports of the execution of Gen. Orozco, nephew of former President Porfirio Diaz; Gen. Orozono and other colonels seem well established. The men were shot, it is stated, after reiterating their loyalty to the Huerta government and gave their oaths rather than violate their oath of allegiance.

Twelve members of a federal military band were shot by constitutionalist soldiers without sanction of their officers. This is the only instance in which enlisted men were executed.

Gen. Alvarez one of the federal commanders met his death in an unusual manner. After defeat had become certain he crawled into a water tank of the train. He was killed when two hand grenades were thrown into the tank.

Another federal officer, Col. Ernest Iano Hernandez, shot himself through the head. Gen. Guardiola, though wounded, escaped.

The wounded federalers were taken in charge by Villa's hospital corps and still are alive. Among them is a lieutenant colonel, several majors and captains. In the past such officers have not been spared.

UNCERTAINTY HURTS BUSINESS SAYS WILSON

Washington, May 28.—"Nothing is more dangerous for business than uncertainty," President Wilson told officers of the National Implement and Vehicle Association and officers of the Manufacturers' Associations of Ohio and Illinois after they had called upon him today and asked that all legislation affecting the business world, except the trade commission bill, be withheld until a trade commission could look into the situation and make a report to congress.

President Wilson's views were given in the form of a statement from the White House, following the manufacturers' visit. The present policy of the democratic party, the statement said, "is necessary to satisfy the conscience of the country and its perception of the prevailing conditions of business."

Continuing, the statement said: "The President also said that while he was aware of the present depression of business, there was abundant evidence that it was merely psychological, that there is no material condition or substantial reason why the business of the country should not be in the most prosperous and expanding condition."

"He urged upon his visitors the necessity of patriotic co-operation on the part of business men of the country in order to support, rather than to oppose, the moderate processes of reform, and to help guide them by their own intimate knowledge of business conditions and processes."

Alba B. Johnson of Philadelphia president of the National Foreign Trade Convention, in reply to the President's address, said the American Manufacturers' Association, the Panamanian Society and the American Asiatic Association had determined that right now was "peculiarly the time to inaugurate a forward movement for the export business of the United States."

"The completion of the Panama Canal," he continued, "the resultant rearrangement of trade relationships, the enactment of the tariff, which we believe will open a door outward for our exports to the same extent that it opens inward for the imports of foreign countries, and the fact that we soon must look to our exports of manufactures to adjust the great financial balances between us and other nations, rather than the exportation of food-stuffs—make the time ripe for this forward movement."

Among the delegates who called on the President were many officers of large industrial corporations, including G. A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation; Cyrus H. McCormick of the International Harvester Company; E. A. S. Clarke, president of the Lackawana Steel Company, and Edward N. Hurley, vice president of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association.

REPORTS 35 HUERTA OFFICERS EXECUTED

Nogales, Ariz., May 28.—Thirty-five federal officers captured by the constitutionalists at Tepic were executed May 24, according to a message received here today from Gen. Alvarado Obregon, the constitutionalist commander.

Gen. Obregon's message says Rear Admiral Howard, American naval commander on the Pacific coast, telegraphed to the German consul at Tepic to interfere for the lives of the federal "for the sake of humanity," but Obregon answered that the execution of these officers was necessary to prevent the officers from making trouble in the future.

FOR SALE

H. & G. N. LANDS IN REEVES COUNTY

Surveys Nos. 47, 55, 61, 63, in Block 4. Nos. 43, 45, and three-fourths of 47, in Block 5. The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesian belt of the Pecos River Country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections.

Also surveys Nos. 13 and 49, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 13 and 15 in Block 7.

Also surveys Nos. 31 and 35, fronting on the Pecos River in Block 1, and Nos. 11 and 15, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos River Railroad.

Also surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves County.

Also 15 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of these river lands.

No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, Thomas R. White, Jr., of New Jersey.

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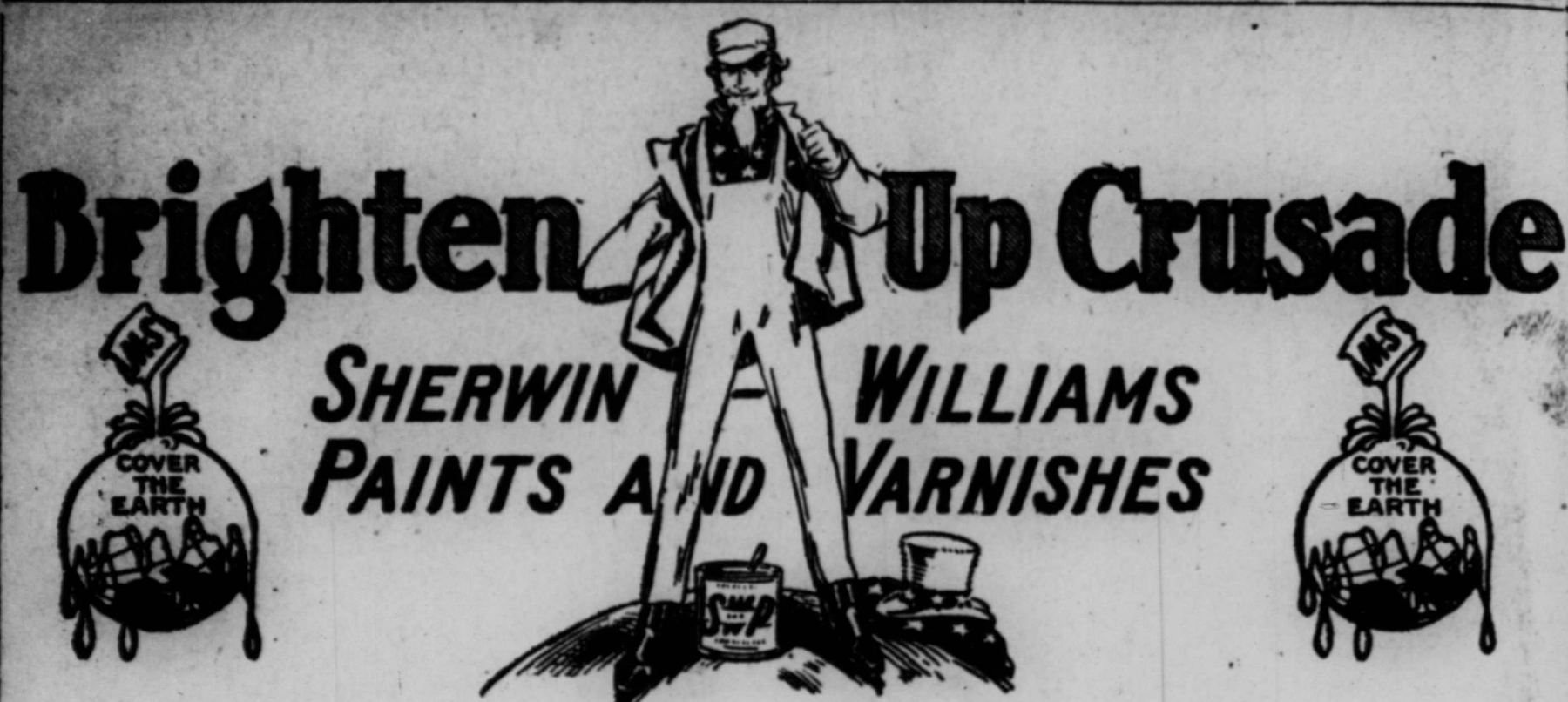
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The federalers were taken to the cemetery and shot in squads. Gen. Obregon's reply to the offer of intervention said: "When the assassin, Huerta, murdered Madero the nations hastened to recognize his government and humanity was forgotten. Now that punishment is about to overtake Huerta and his minions it is no time to cry 'Humanity!'" Soldiers of the Tepic garrison for whose lives the American admiral also interceded were paroled.



Let's all get together and follow the Rules given below, and make the town of Pecos and the Pecos Valley Beautiful, Sanitary and the Pride of Our Hearts. Will you do it?

1. Do not allow rubbish to accumulate.
2. Do not throw anything on sidewalks or streets.
3. Do not let piles of ashes or trash remain in back yards.
4. Do not mark or deface sidewalks, fences, buildings or public property.
5. Keep the garbage-can covered and destroy breeding places of flies and mosquitoes.
6. Plant grass and flower-seeds—make a garden and encourage the love of Nature, sunshine and fresh air.
7. Apply paint to fences, sheds and buildings.
8. Brighten Up yourself, Brighten Up your home and spread the Brighten Up Spirit among your neighbors.
9. Brighten Up your business, Brighten Up your town and promote its social, industrial and commercial progress.
10. Let Brighten Up be your slogan.

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PERSONAL

Mr. James Fra... returned home yesterday... District court...

It is reported that when the news was communicated to Fernando Subia that the governor had commuted his sentence to life in the penitentiary that he broke down and wept like a whipped child.

By oversight the obituary of Mrs. W. J. Woods was not published in yesterday's paper, for which we are very sorry.

Mr. Edward L. Sloms of El Paso arrived here yesterday. Mr. Sloms is here to assist Mr. Halpern in promoting the Pecos Dry Goods Company's big sale.

A. J. Chapman, an old Confederate soldier from the Old Soldiers' Home at Austin, was in Pecos this morning on his way to Saragosa to visit his daughter, Mrs. Lee Harbert, and family.

Mrs. S. A. Shellenberger was a Pecos visitor yesterday from Hoban.

Messrs. Will Dixon, K. C. Tucker and Van Geson of Toyah were greeting their Pecos friends yesterday.

Q. H. Crenshaw, who for the past four years has been out to the coast country, was in Pecos this morning from Elko, Nevada, on his way to visit his father, H. Crenshaw, and other relatives and friends at Saragosa.

A. D. Stancliff was in Pecos this morning from Dallas, shaking hands with his many Pecos friends. He was on his way to Saragosa to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stancliff and other relatives and friends.

W. L. Ross left today for Abilene to be present at the commencement exercises at Simmons College. He will move his family to Pecos as soon as school is out.

CAUSES FURTHER TALK.

Because so many people are telling their experience with Hunt's Lightning Oil for headaches, rheumatism, neuralgia, etc., that others are led to give it a trial and are convinced immediately of its merits as a pain killer. Are you to be convinced? Ask your druggist. (Ad)

Two nice houses to sell cheap. O.

W. O. Whitaker Jr., member of the firm of Whitaker & Washington, civil and contracting engineers, with headquarters at San Antonio, came over from Fort Stockton on Wednesday and visited a couple of days in Pecos. This firm has the contract of engineering the good roads building in Pecos county. Mr. Washington made the Times office a pleasant call and subscribed for the Times, as they desire to keep in touch with things in this section of the great Southwest and West Texas.

Pecos is still building up. A. O. Anderson is having a beautiful cottage built on the north side addition.

C. F. Carter arrived in Pecos Wednesday evening from Gainesville. It will be remembered that Mr. Carter was at one time a member of the real estate firm of White & Carter of Pecos. They moved from Pecos to Van Horn in Culberson county, then later Mr. Carter moved to Greenville, where he now lives. He is a close neighbor to Joe Bailey's old home. He states that Joe Bailey and family left Greenville and moved to Washington, D. C., and went into the practice of law in Washington, and that he had received a \$50,000 fee in one case.

Mr. Earl McAnany, postmaster at Greenville, accompanied Mr. C. F. Carter and they are both laid off here awaiting for the trains to get to running through to Van Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Doty left Pecos Wednesday, going east. Mr. Doty will go to visit his father in Kentucky, who is reported to be very sick, and Mrs. Doty will visit her parents at Starkville, Miss.

Mr. J. V. Collins of Crockett, after visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Prewit, for about four weeks, left Tuesday evening for his home. Mr. Collins expresses himself as being favorably impressed with Pecos and Reeves county.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the daytime, you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. HERBINE cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by the Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

Tom Harrison, sheriff of Reeves county, left Pecos Monday to go to San Antonio to take Mrs. Maria Tercero of Balmorhea, she having been adjudged insane.

Mrs. Will P. Brady left Monday for a two weeks' visit with the home folks and many friends in Carlsbad.

A. J. Adcock, chief engineer for the Consolidated Reservoir Company, was up from Grandfalls Tuesday on a business trip and reports things down there in a prosperous condition.

Sheriff Cantrell was over from Barstow shaking hands with his many Pecos friends Tuesday.

Miss Francis Zimmer and Geo. Karsch, nephew of H. C. Zimmer, who is visiting her from St. Louis, spent a few days at the U ranch this week.

Worms interfere with the growth of children. They become thin, pale and sickly. Get rid of these parasites at once if you would have healthy, happy, cheerful children. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE destroys worms and benefits the whole system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

Miss Anna Zimmer, who has just been graduated from the North Texas Normal College at Denton, returned home last Friday night. Miss Zimmer will spend her vacation here in Pecos with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Zimmer and other relatives and friends.

Messrs. B. P. and A. G. Van Horn and J. W. Crane of Toyah were Pecos visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis of Toyah were visitors in Pecos Sunday.

Miss Ruby Beane of Roswell, N. M., passed through the city Thursday to visit at Quito.

Mrs. Pat Wilson, who has been visiting her home folk for a short time, left for home yesterday.

Join the big crowd going to get bargains at the Pecos Dry Goods great profit sharing sale.

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Miss Curtis Breedlove returned home today from Baylor College, where she has been attending school.

T. M. McCalop of Balmorhea was a Pecos visitor Thursday.

Will Hudson returned home yesterday from Abilene, where he had been attending Simmons College, and will spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hudson, and other relatives and friends.

S. G. Douglass returned to Pecos last Wednesday evening from Greenville.

Dr. W. H. Benway left this evening on train No. 5, in answer to a call to San Martine. He expects to go on train as far as Toyah and from there by private conveyance. It is reported that there is a case of smallpox up there.

Henry Lavelle was a Pecos business visitor Wednesday, returning to Balmorhea Thursday morning.

Mrs. R. R. Smothers and daughter Nell arrived home Tuesday from their month's visit with relatives and friends at Sweetwater and Abilene.

Miss Winifred Hatch left Monday for a visit with relatives and friends at Waco and Lorena.

Miss Vera Heath left Wednesday for Knoxville, Tenn. She will be met by her sister Mary at Sweetwater and go with her. They will attend school at Knoxville during the next term. Pecos hates to give up these good girls, but we all will be expecting them to return after awhile.

Troy and Theron Hicks left Wednesday evening to visit some friends at Blum, Texas.

On account of the high water in Salt Draw, Messrs. R. P. Verhalen and David S. Butler were unable to make their regular Sunday visit with friends in Pecos.

E. O. Olds of Angeles was a Pecos visitor Sunday.

Miss Ethell Zimmer left Monday for an extended visit with relatives and friends in St. Louis, Farmington and other points in Missouri. She was accompanied by her cousin, George Karsch, who has been visiting here for the past several weeks. Mrs. Sol Mayer of Toyahvale left yesterday for a trip to visit friends at Chicago.

Charley Oates was in from the Saragosa country Wednesday greeting his numerous Pecos friends.

Over 5,000,000 silkworms will be raised in Napa County, Cal., during the coming season through the activities of a woman's silk culture society.

The first woman to file a petition to be a candidate for membership of a state committee in Pennsylvania is Miss Helen E. Standish, a school teacher of Dorransburg.

Miss Katherine Shay, a freshman at the University of Michigan, swings a heavy sledge for four and one-half hours once a week in the engineering department, where she is studying to be an engineer.

Miss Emma R. Graves, who will celebrate her 82nd birthday the last of this month, has just rounded out 50 years of continuous service in the treasury department at Washington, D. C. She was one of the first women to be employed in the department.

Stings or bites of insects that are followed by swellings, pain or itching should be treated promptly, as they are poisonous. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT counteracts the poison. It is both antiseptic and healing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Company. (Advt.)

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