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## DURING A LULL IN THE OPENING DAY CEREMONIES AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION



The Panama-Pacific International exposition was opened by a wireless spark, dispatched by President Woodrow Wilson at Washington, and caught on the tendrils of a wireless aerial on the lofty Tower of Jewels at the exposition. Instantly the power was released in the mighty Palace of Machinery and the portals of the exhibit palaces opened. The scene is on the grand stand after the ceremonies had ended, Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco, President C. C. Moore of the exposition and a notable group of visiting dignitaries being seen in animated discussion of the epochal event. In the press box the correspondents are seen flashing to the world the news that the exposition had opened.

### BOUNTIFUL STORK BRINGS FOUR TO CALIFORNIANS.

Bella Vista, Calif., March 30.—Four babies at once.

The mother, Mrs. C. O. McKnight, of this little foothill village didn't know whether to smile or to weep when the stork brought quadruplets—two boys and two girls—on March 10 without so much as hinting of the surprise in store.

And the situation for the McKnight family was only saved from being tragic when the entire county of Shasta, stirred by spontaneous sympathy, opened its purse strings, providing an extra physician, a trained nurse and all the comforts and necessities required.

It is an humble home to which the distinction of quadruplets has been added. Already there were nine children. They kept the father, C. C. McKnight, 60 years old, working early and late to keep the wolf from the door. Preparations had been made for only one additional little visitor. When four came it was like a catastrophe.

But it only seemed a matter of hours until almost every mother in Shasta had heard of the magnitude of Mrs. McKnight's maternity and was bent on doing her share to lighten the latter's new burden. Dainty little clothes were sent in; money arrived; proffers of help in many substantial ways.

A resolution was at once introduced in the California legislature, then in session, asking an honorarium of \$5,000 for Mrs. McKnight, so that the infant quartet might be started on their life's journey without handicap.

The combined weight of the babies was but nine pounds. All were normal and sturdy. To identify them for the attendants they were tagged and numbered, blue and pink ribbons distinguishing the boys and girls.

The mother, married at 13 and twice a grandmother, weighs only 107 pounds and is 37 years old. Her condition, too, was remarkably good following her ordeals.

The McKnights are from Mississippi, having been married at Chester, Choctaw county.

### AND STILL THEY WANT THE PECOS TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., Mar. 18.—Gentlemen: Please find enclosed one dollar, for which send me your Pecos weekly paper. It's one of the most interesting papers I've read for the vicinity will get a great deal of information through your columns. Sincerely, C. N. BALL.

### TEXAS CATTLEMEN WILL LIKELY UNITE SOON.

Every cattle state in the union will be a member of the American National Livestock association inside of the next few years and the association will be in position to secure legislation and protection for the cattle industry that will keep the business in the front rank of American industries, in the opinion of Ike Pryor of San Antonio, who is in the city after attending the convention at San Francisco. Mr. Pryor, whose home is in San Antonio, was elected vice president of the association at the convention. "At the convention," said Mr. Pryor, "a total of 26 states was represented and 13 sanitary boards sent delegates. The livestock industry of the United States, simply the cattle, represents \$6,000,000,000. I should estimate that fully 50 per cent of this huge sum was represented at the convention.

"The cattlemen have never realized the absolute necessity of organization. How can a state representative or a national representative know the needs of the cattlemen unless he is informed regarding them? He must get exact figures on conditions before he can go about bettering conditions, and he cannot get these figures, or the moral backing to institute reforms unless there is some central agency to take care of the matter from the cattlemen's standpoint.

"Within the next ten years I expect to see an organization in every state and each of these organizations a member of the national association. In a few days New Mexico will form an organization in the Southwestern New Mexico Cattle Raisers Association. Many states already have organizations, but there should be one in every cattle state. Not only should cattle be represented, but horses, sheep and swine. The sheep men have their own organization, but I hope to soon see them join with the national association.

"The Panhandle and Southwestern Stockmen's association and the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association will soon combine, in my opinion. The work of both is almost exactly alike and the expenses, therefore, are just double, with results considerably below those that would be secured by one strong organization. The Texas association is the most powerful of its kind in the country. It has a membership of 350 and the annual dues amount to \$20,000. I look to see it increase in membership to 5000 in a short time, with dues amounting to \$100,000 per

annum, and representing 4,000,000 cattle.

"What the cattle industry needs now is co-operation. Until this is secured, the cattle industry in the United States will never come into its own."

### SENTIMENT FOR WILLARD IS GROWING FAST NOW

Havana, Cuba, March 31.—Arrangements have been completed for affording police protection for the crowds during the Johnson-Willard fight next Monday. The race track and Havana streets leading to stations of the electric line to the track will be policed by a double force. In addition, regular troops will be held in reserve near the track.

Sentiment in favor of Willard seems to be increasing rapidly and is affecting the betting odds. Plenty of money still is being offered on Johnson, but at shorter odds. Quotations now are generally less than 2 to 1. Willard backers are holding off in the hope of getting the former price of 3 to 1.

Reports are being heard with increasing frequency that Johnson is having difficulty in putting on the final edge. The drying out process is said to be extremely difficult for him on account of his age, and he finds it a constant struggle to deny himself water.

It is now evident that Johnson will go into the ring heavier than in any previous fight—probably at 220 or 225 pounds.

Otherwise he appears to be in fine condition. Nevertheless, doubt is expressed quite generally that he can last more than half the 45 rounds. His best chance appears to be to down Willard during the first 15 rounds. Willard is likely to attempt a slow, holding fight during the early stages.

### AN APPRECIATION OF JOHN NOAH NEWELL.

The subject of this note was born in South Carolina October 6, 1844. Early in his youth he went with his parents to Talapoosa County, Alabama, where he grew to manhood. In 1861, when the South's call to arms sounded through city, village and country, young Newell heard and responded to the call and served until the close of that fearful struggle, being then honorably discharged and carrying home with him a souvenir off of the Appomattox Apple Tree. On November 9, our friend married Miss Mary Thornton, also of Alabama, with whom he lived until death separated them. To this couple were born eight children, five sons and three daughters. Four of the children survive their father.

During the seventies, when so many of the people of the depleted lands of the South came to Texas, brother Newell with his wife and children left Alabama and sought a home in Texas, finally settling in the central portion of the state, where he resided for some years, and thirty-four years ago he forged still further west and crossed the Pecos even before the Texas and Pacific railroad came that far. Here he resided until the call came last Thursday, March 25, to go to that better country of which he so often spoke during his Christian life. In his early life he became a Christian and while living near the church was devoted and faithful, but during the years of travel he, like many others, became indifferent, but many years ago was revived in a great meeting at the Pecos Baptist church and since has lived a most worthy and consistent Christian life. His life is known to all the people of the entire Pecos country. His happy Irish humor and good will has cheered the heart and lightened the load of many a discouraged frontiersman. He was as generous as he was jovial and never turned the needy away empty. His heart was full of love to his fellow men and the spirit of forgiveness found a large place in his Christian heart.

Thus it passed from us one more from the fast-thinning ranks of our first settlers. Their like we will scarcely meet again in this earthly pilgrimage. How we ought to cherish their memory and how we should try to make the few that survive know our deep love and high sense of gratitude to them.

Brother Newell's last illness was long and painful, but he endured it all with great fortitude and patience. May the comfort of our Heavenly Father sustain the bereaved ones and at last may we all meet the loved and lost in the Better Land. PASTOR.

### BUYS REGISTERED BULLS IN TEXAS.

Marfa, Tex., Mar. 30.—Cattlemen of the Marfa district who have heretofore been going to Kansas, Missouri and other states for registered bulls are now buying just as good ones in Texas since the quarantine regulation forbids shipping in cattle from outside the state.

F. A. Mitchell has received from Texoma, Tex., 30 registered Hereford yearling bulls. The bulls cost Mr. Mitchell \$150 each at Texoma and he thinks he saved from \$50 to \$100 a head by buying Texas raised animals and got as good stock as if he had purchased in Missouri or Kansas.

L. H. Claunch has received ten Hereford bulls which he bought of T. M. Pyle at Clarendon, Tex. They are two-year-olds and Claunch paid \$250 each for them and counts it a bargain purchase. Mr. Claunch recently purchased 400 fine Hereford cows from L. C. Britte and plans to raise a herd of fine Herefords.

## FOX'S SHOW STAYS ANOTHER WEEK

Roy E. Fox's big tent show will remain in Pecos one more week. A good show has never failed to meet with a hearty response of the people at Pecos. When Mr. Fox appeared on the stage last night and announced that his show would remain in Pecos all of next week there was a general outburst of applause and hand-clapping all over his large audience. If there is one thing more than another that we could say for Mr. Fox and his troupe of show people it would be this: they are a large collection of magnetism, judging from the large crowds that gather there from night to night to be entertained.

The woman's sawing contest that was given Tuesday night was one of the interesting and exciting things of the season to see a dozen women gather all at one time on the large stage all with their saws and the one that succeeded in sawing a piece off the scantling would get a \$5 bill. The prize was won by Mrs. Newell of the City Bakery.

### UNITED STATES COURT HELD IN PECOS.

The United States Court convened in Pecos last Monday. Hon. Gordon Russell, United States district judge of Sherman, Texas, presiding, in place of United States District Judge Maxey of El Paso, who is holding court this week in New Orleans, La. Court, assisted by Capt. J. H. Rogers, United States marshal, Austin; D. H. Hart, clerk United States Court, Austin; J. B. DuBose, deputy United States marshal, El Paso, and O. L. Gresham, court stenographer, Sherman.

The visiting attorneys attending the court were Hon. J. E. Webb of San Antonio, attending court in the interest of a case transferred from San Antonio; J. W. McMillan and Russell Jackson, from Milwaukee, Wis.

The Federal Court held in Pecos this week by Hon. Gordon Russell was a speedy one, and business was conducted with rapidity.

Court opened at 5 p. m. Monday and adjourned Wednesday at noon and disposed of several cases by motion; one jury case tried, the case of the Toyah Valley Bank at Balmorhea, which was declared a bankruptcy and all the following named persons were held to be partners of the banking company: R. P. Head, J. F. Meier, B. W. Van Deren, E. P. Stueckler, J. H. A. Overton and Robt. H. King.

The case of E. O. Van Deren, trustee, vs. Ab Cooney, remanded to state court.

### MARRIED.

A hurry call was sent in to the Baptist manse last Sunday at 1:30 p. m. and in a jiffy an automobile dashed up to the sidewalk while a pleasant voice called out to know if the preacher could go to the home of our fellow citizen Sully Vaughan and unite in marriage Mr. Aubrey Lee Wolf and Miss Mary Laugham. Soon the party was at the place and the happy pair went properly aboard the matrimonial bark and sailed joyfully away.

These young people are widely and favorably known among our people and everyone will join in wishing them every possible success and happiness. In a few days they will be at home in a neat Pecos residence.

### MINNETONKA FARMS.

H. A. Bly, the junior partner of the firm of Padock & Bly, was in Pecos Thursday on a business trip and called at the Times office and ordered some stationery.

They have named their place, which is located out near Hoban, along the Pecos Valley Southern railway, the "Minnetonka Farms." The meaning of the name is "big Water."

We are glad that these enterprising gentlemen, who are sparing no expense in putting land and property in first class shape, have named their farms. It certainly adds distinction to the place. Points to have it named, and we trust that all of our farmers and ranchmen will name their farm and ranches.

### WIDOWS DIG GRAVES FOR THE DEAD.

Tabriz, Persia, Mar. 31.—Preceding the reoccupation by the Russians of Salmac plains in Azerbaijan province, northwest of Urumiah, hundreds of native Christians were rounded up by the Turks in the village of Haftdewan and massacred. Many of these were searched out from the homes of friendly Mohammedans who tried to hide them.

The Russians, on entering the village, found 720 bodies, mostly naked and mutilated. The recovery of bodies from wells, pools and ditches and their burial kept 300 men busy for three days. The wailing of women intensified the horror of the scene.

Surviving widows who were able to identify the bodies of their husbands insisted upon digging graves and burying the bodies. Some of the victims had been shot. In other cases they were bound to ladders and their head, protruding through were hacked off; eyes were gouged out and limbs chopped off.

A general massacre of the 10,000 or 15,000 Christians remaining in Urumiah is expected, unless it should be averted by orders from Constantinople.

Verbal messages from Urumiah confirm earlier reports that more than 800 persons already have been killed in that neighborhood and that more than 2000 have died of disease. These messages also confirm the reports of the maltreatment of the Rev. Dr. R. T. Allen, an American missionary at Urumiah.

Hostilities between Russian and Turkish forces in Persia has been resumed. On March 25 the Russians defeated the Turks in a sanguinary battle at Atkatur, north of Dilman, in northwestern Persia.

The Turks lost 12,000 in killed, wounded and prisoners, as well as many guns.

### THESE ARE THE MOST SUCCESSFUL FARMERS

Messrs. A. and J. A. Long, Jake Summers and J. C. Nichols are business visitors in Pecos today from Buenavista.

Mr. Summers informed us that they made a bumper crop of cotton down there, but that on account of the low price for the staple they made very little if any money; in fact, one farmer who ginned a hundred bales lost money on it.

He also said that one farmer who did not have "cotton on the brain" put in about three hundred acres of milo maize and had 40 acres in alfalfa, and instead of selling it is feeding it to his hogs, and on one shipment which he sent to Fort Worth topped the market, and they would scarcely believe that they were fattened upon milo maize.

It is to be hoped that the farmers of the great Pecos Valley of Texas will get wise to the idea of selling their crops "on foot" and the sooner they do the better it will be for them and the country.

Another farmer is buying up cows and other stock to feed, and he will undoubtedly prove a success also.

Fall in line and become a successful diversifier of crops and raise stock.

### RECEIVED A CARLOAD OF YEARLINGS.

Thursday morning John Camp received here via the Texas and Pacific from the San Antonio country a car of fine yearlings.

They were shipped on up to his ranch over the Santa Fe to River-ton. I. A. Hanah went up with them from here and carried them out to the ranch.

### CATTLE LOAN COMPANY IS FORMED.

Midland men have organized "The Guarantee Loan Company," with capital of \$50,000. The officers are O. B. Holt, president; Jno. Scharbauer, vice president; W. H. Cowden, vice president; W. R. Chancellor, secretary and treasurer, and Jax M. Cowden, manager. In addition to these, Phil and Clarence Scharbauer are directors.

Mr. Rube Allen of Comanche, the jack man, is in Pecos visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Kesler at the bottle works.

Miss Maggie Hall went to Barstow Wednesday evening to visit the family of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Black for a few days.

Mr. Jack Love, vice president of the Pecos Valley Bank, returned this morning on the early morning train from his trip to El Paso.

## Go to Church Sunday

All over Texas, "Go to Church Sundays" are being observed and the people are attending worship in Multitudes.

Pecos people are religious and will respond to such a call.

Come to the Methodist Church to the Union Service Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock.

## PECOS LIBRARY GROWING Apace

The past month has been one of great prosperity for the Pecos Library. Sixty new books have been procured, making a total of 884 books now on the accession list. In addition to the long lists published in the last two weeks, the library has received the following contributions: Jim Pruett, one book; Miss Mary Langham, one; Mr. Phil Lynch, five; Mrs. McBirney, nine; Mrs. Wied, four; Mrs. Casey, three.

Larned's History of the World in five volumes has been recently added to the history shelves. There is now sufficient material in that department to be of great service to the high school and the study clubs.

Congressman Smith has again favored the library with a generous contribution. The Pecos farmer should find plenty of reading matter and expert suggestions in the books and bulletins in the agricultural section. Besides the year books for the years 1904-1913 inclusive, there is a volume on the diseases of cattle, one on the diseases of horses and numerous bulletins on such subjects as alfalfa, good roads, poultry, silage, Sudan grass, dairy herd, irrigation, pigs, hog houses, turkeys, and many other subjects of interest to our farmers.

Besides this Mr. Smith has obtained for the library a subscription to the Journal of American Agriculture.

Clarence O. DeWitt, of the American consular service of Costa Rica, Central America, has contributed another interesting volume on the Panama Canal. This book contains photos of all the interesting features of the canal zone.

The Euterpean Club contributed the sum of \$25 and with this the committee purchased Sir George Grove's Musical Encyclopedia. This work should prove of great value to the pupils, teachers and all students of music.

Seventeen new readers obtained borrower's cards this month, making a total of 263 patrons of the library.

The Twentieth Century Club are to serve tea in the club rooms of the library the first Friday of every month. The public are urged to be present at the teas, the proceeds of which will be used to buy books for the library.

The city council have appropriated the sum of \$20 per month for the general running expenses of the library, so that hereafter the general contributions will be used to buy the much needed books.

To have a fine healthy complexion—the liver must be active, the bowels regular and the blood pure. All this is brought about by using HERBINE. It thoroughly scours the liver, stomach and bowels, puts the body in fine condition and restores that clear, pink and white complexion so much desired by ladies. Price 50c. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

### HAS BEEN RE-ELECTED FOR TWO YEARS.

At a recent meetin of the Pecos school board they unanimously re-elected Prof. F. F. Mace as superintendent of the high school.

We believe that this is a splendid move and we feel sure that the patrons of the school are well pleased with the move. Prof. Mace has done splendid work during the past year and is bringing our school up to where it should be, and we trust that he will be even more successful in the coming two years than he has been in the past year.

It now behooves every citizen, whether they have children in school or not to lend their help in any and all ways that they can for the bettering of our school.

Cane Seed at Prewit & Wadley's.

### THE ONWARD MARCH of Bronchitis, and deep seated Coughs is arrested by Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

In those scrofulous conditions of the blood which invite Consumption; in severe, lingering Coughs, and Weak Lungs, which threaten you with this fatal disease, and when other help has failed—this medicine is a proved remedy.

As a blood-cleanser, strength-restorer, and tonic it is sure to benefit. In all lingering Bronchial and Throat affections, and in every disease that can be reached through the blood, it never fails to benefit or cure. In tablet or liquid form.

Mrs. J. T. RICHARDS, of No. 614 Watter Street, Waxahachie, Texas, says:

"I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for a cough that followed measles. This medicine cured me when other remedies had failed. My husband also took the 'Discovery' with good results for throat trouble and catarrh."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Laxative Compound and invigorates stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take.

### REV. A. A. DAVIS IS UNANIMOUSLY RECALLED

At a meeting of the membership of the First Presbyterian church last Sunday, a unanimous call was extended to Rev. Davis, the present pastor, for the coming year.

During his stay here Rev. Davis has not only endeared himself to the membership of the Presbyterian church, but also to members of other denominations as well as to the people outside the churches. He has also done efficient work in building up his church and congregation. He is a consecrated worker in the Master's vineyard and is doing all in his power to help the cause of Christianity in this community.

The Times is glad that brother Davis is to be with us again, and heartily join in wishing him even greater success in the future than in the past.

### EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel is quicksilver and acts like dynamite on your liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe. Sold by Pecos Drug Company. (Advt.)

### SOUTHERN COMMERCIAL CONGRESS CONVENTION

To Be Held at Muskogee, Okla., April 26-30, 1915.

The following is the program: Opening Day—Address by the Governor of Oklahoma. Address by the President of the United States.

Second Day—Morning, afternoon and evening sessions. Theme, Agriculture—under the subdivision of Finance, Production, Distribution, and Organization.

Report of the United States Commission on Agricultural Finance.

Report of the American Commission on Agricultural Finance.

Report of the National Marketing Committee.

Round table discussion by State and Federal Agricultural officials.

Third Day—Morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

Theme—Immigration, under the sub-divisions of congested population in industrial centers, return of thousands from Canada, and the policy to meet the conditions at the close of the European war.

Report of the committee on immigration appointed at the Conference held at Washington December 12th.

Round table discussion by State and Federal Immigration officials.

Fourth Day—Morning afternoon and evening sessions. Theme—Municipal Efficiency.

Report of the American Commission on Municipal Executives to the International Municipal Congress held in London in July in 1914.

Round table discussions by sectional and national civic organizations.

Session southern Commercial Secretaries.

Session Woman's Auxiliary.

Fifth Day—Morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

Theme—Foreign Trade.

Pan-American session participated in by officials of the Pan-American Union and foreign consular and diplomatic representatives.

Report of the Latin-American Trade Committee.

Report from the National Foreign Trade Council.

Round table discussion by representatives of foreign trade organizations.

### MAKES GI FEEL LIKE 16.

"I suffered from kidney ailments for two years," writes Mrs. M. A. Bridges, Robinson, Miss. "I commenced taking Foley Kidney Pills about ten months ago. I am 61 years of age and feel like a 16-year-old girl." Foley Kidney Pills invigorate weak and deranged kidneys, relieve backache, rheumatism, and bladder trouble. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

### SANITARY HANDLING OF FOODS IN THE PANTRY.

The widespread campaign for sanitation in the handling of food products has made the housewife insist on higher standards, both from the manufacturer who makes the goods and the retailer who distributes them. But while it is strange, it is also true that in this fight for sanitation the housewife often forgets herself and her own share of the proper storage of both raw and manufactured products.

The homemaker has fought and is willing to pay for "wrapped" packages, the "sealed carton," and other means of protecting products from contamination, dust and danger of spoiling. Yet in her own home does she always insist on these same high standards?

Too frequently flour is kept in the kitchen, where the temperature is most of the time above normal. Or it may be that the barrel or sack of flour is stored in a damp place, or too near a stove. Flour and all cereals should be kept cool, but not damp; if possible, at a temperature not exceeding 60 or 65 degrees. Unless these conditions are observed, the quality of a flour may be affected, with resulting ill success on baking days.

In addition, the exceedingly high temperature brings to life many of the microscopic bacteria contained in the flour, which even the best milling process can not entirely sterilize. These minute organisms may cause a ferment during the breadmaking process, or they may develop sufficiently to spoil the flavor of the bread. Again, the bins should be frequently scrubbed and aired and thoroughly dried before refilling. Certainly no "clean-food housekeeper" would be guilty of tipping a new supply of flour into the old, unwashed bin.

When packaged goods are opened what care do they receive in the home pantry? In the first place, pantries are frequently not sufficiently well aired, and they, too, like the kitchen, are unduly heated. This has a drying-out effect on such staples as raisins, prunes, shredded coconut, fried fish or similar products.

Perishable crackers or products which have been most carefully wrapped in paraffine paper, solely to preserve their crispness until they reach the consumer, are often carelessly left open so that the contents are exposed to the dust and temperature changes of the pantry shelves. Careless opening of packaged goods is a frequent cause of wasted products. Just a little care in preserving the carton and opening it so that the paraffine paper can be refolded to enclose the product will save foods from becoming dry, stale and dusty.

Nuts also should be stored in a cool place, otherwise they become rancid. Temperature is also most important in all other products containing oil, such as peanut butter, olive and salad oils, etc. Even olives should be kept cool and not exposed to the sunlight, which coarsens the flavor. If peanut butter is kept in a warm place, the oil tends to separate from the firmer part of the butter and floats on top of the jar.

A valuable dressing for flesh wounds, burns, scalds, old sores, rash, chafed skin, is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT; it is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c, 50c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

### SOMETHING IN NAMES.

Paddy one day became the proud father of twins. The christening ceremony arrangements were made and Pat was instructed by his wife, Moya, that the babies' names were "Kate" and "Sidney."

While making his way to the church, repeating the names "Kate" and "Sidney," Pat was met by several friends, who wished to drink to the babies' health. By the time all had paid for a round Pat was a wee bit mixed. He arrived at the church in good time, but when the clergyman asked for the names of the children, Pat replied: "Steak and Kidney."—Young's Magazine.

### BET ON THE PROFESSOR.

The Gushing Young Thing—Oh, professor; you must come to our affair tomorrow. All my friends are coming, though they say they have 'n't a rag to wear."

He—I shall be delighted.—London Opinion.

Two suits for price of one at W. T. Read Mercantile Co. 12tf

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The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE AND TONIC. Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

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FROM this Date until April 3rd, we are going to sell a Tailor-made Suit and Give You an Extra Suit Free, Making Two Suits for the Price of One. This proposition will last until April 3rd. Do not fail to Get Yours . . . Remember the Date. Call at our store and See What Our Proposition is, as it will be Worth Your While to Investigate. Don't Delay but Come Today.



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# FIELD SEEDS!

A car of new field seeds just received, consisting of Maize, Feterita, Kaffir, Amber and Red Top Cane seeds, Barley and Rye. We now have in stock native grown Alfalfa and Sudan Grass Seed.

Pecos Mercantile Co.  
Grocery Department.

# WARNING TO COTTON RAISERS

During the last two years the attention of the department has been directed to the fact that active campaigns have resulted in the introduction into portions of Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas of a variety of cotton called "Half and Half." It is reported that the seed has been sold for as much as \$5 per bushel, under the representation that it is an exceedingly prolific variety, yielding 50 per cent of lint, or a 509 pound bale from 1,000 pounds of the seed cotton. Many inquiries have been received from planters throughout this section asking for advice concerning this cotton.

The department's representatives have examined many samples of "Half-and-Half" cotton from these States and have grown it in experimental plantings and have found it far inferior to cotton ordinarily produced in this section.

The department's field tests on numerous varieties have shown that "Half-and Half" does not maintain a high rank in total lint yield per acre. The large proportion of lint to seed apparently results from the fact that the seeds are very small and light. The large proprotain and light. The danger of judging cotton by lint percentages has been explained in Bureau of Plant Industry Circular No. 11, and the caution has been repeated in United States Department of Agriculture Bulletin No. 60.

The lint of the "half-and-half variety is of poor character, irregular and wasty, and very short, a large portion of the samples examined being less than seven-eighths of an inch in length of staple. Cotton less than seven-eighths of an inch is untenderable on future contracts made under the provisions of the United States cotton futures act, and therefore buyers will penalize it whenever discovered.

The department is informed that many persons who grew this variety have succeeded in selling it at prevailing prices, but this cannot long continue. When cotton of less than seven-eighths of an inch in length sells for full market price it is because the true character of it was not detected. Whenever cotton firms find a large part of the cotton in any community falling to seven-eighths of an inch or less in length, buyers will be withdrawn from the district or they will scale down the prices on all grades to meet the lower prices which must be expected for such short staple.

Many interior buyers, as well as practically all the larger cotton firms, have declined to handle this cotton at any price. They state that its lint is far inferior to that commonly grown in their territory and is not acceptable to their regular customers.

Competent spinners have stated

that this variety as ordinarily grown produces so short a fibre as to render it wholly unsuitable for the class of work which now consumes the great bulk of the cotton of the western belt.

Before this agitation became general, a high grade sample of this cotton was submitted by the department to two prominent members of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, who, on the first attempt to pull the staple, stated that the fiber was so short that it would be rejected as "perished staple" by their classification committee and would not be tenderable on New Orleans cotton contracts. Two members of the New York Cotton Exchange, to whom samples were submitted, made practically the same remarks.

Various cotton exchanges in the southwestern states have taken official action to prevent the delivery of this cotton on contracts made between their members.

As grown in Texas, it is lacking in storm-proof quality, as the cotton drops from the bolls very easily and the individual seeds often fall apart.

Repeated complaints are received from English spinners of the number of "mixy" bales of American cotton. This condition arises largely through the introduction of short staple into a long staple territory or of long staple into communities growing short staple cotton. Any serious mixing of varieties which have fibers of different lengths results in serious losses in waste whenever the cotton is spun upon machinery adjusted for the longer varieties. Spinners will be quick to discover any serious admixture of shorter and inferior cotton and the growers will suffer if such varieties become popular in their territory.

In view of these facts the department warns the farmers of Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas that the introduction of "half-and-half" or any other variety of cotton-producing fiber of less than seven-eighths of an inch in average length, will be likely to seriously damage the reputation of their local markets, and may result in a few years in basing the price in such markets on this inferior cotton. These same districts are now receiving a slight premium over the regular quotations for short staple. It will be a matter of particular regret to see the results of the campaign which has been carried on by the department in these states in behalf of pure, big-boll varieties (Triumph and Lone Star) jeopardized by the promiscuous introduction of cotton of greatly inferior staple. Such a policy must result in very serious losses to all the growers in the communities where the poorer types become common.

As the seed is the primary factor in determining length of staple and there are early maturing prolific varieties with staple of at least an inch in length, every cotton farmer should secure and plant such seed.

# COMPULSORY EDUCATION LAW

The state of Texas now has a law which provides that every child in the state who is eight years old and not over fourteen shall attend school a certain number of days each year. The exceptions are as follows:

A child whose bodily or mental condition makes attendance inadvisable.

Where no free transportation is provided for a child living more than two and a half miles by a traveled road from the school.

A child more than twelve years old who has completed the work of the fourth grade of an elementary school of seven grades and whose services are needed in support of a parent or one who stands in the parental relation to such child.

The free textbook provision follows:

If the parents of a child are financially unable to furnish said child with textbooks the county superintendent of education shall furnish said books, upon the recommendation of the district trustees.

No child under fourteen years of age not lawfully excused from attendance, shall be employed by anyone during the prescribed school hours. Penalties are provided for disregard of this provision.

The attendance officer provision on which the bill came closest to foundering, follows in part:

County school trustees of counties of over 3,000 population may elect a school attendance officer upon petition of fifty resident freeholders of such county.

The board of trustees of any independent district having a population of more than 2,000 may, after being petitioned, elect an attendance officer.

The attendance officer shall have power to investigate all cases of unexcused absences from school, to make and file in the proper court complaint against any person or persons violating the provisions of this act.

It is provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to authorize attendance officer to enter without permission of the owner or tenant thereof or the head of any family residing therein, or any private home except to serve lawful process on any parent or guardian, or to forcibly take corporal custody of any child anywhere without the permission of the parent or guardian thereof, except in obedience to valid process issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.

Penalties are provided for parents or guardians who are not diligent to see that children in their charge attend school during the designated days. For an "incorrigible child" the law provides proceedings in the juvenile court. Such child may be committed to a training school after the second or third offense, the school to be selected by the parent of the child and the judge of the juvenile court.

Similar laws are said to be in effect in forty-two states and operating to the great advantage of the rising generation.—El Paso Times.

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## DIPLOMACY.

A well known English politician was much annoyed by reporters. One day he was enjoying a chat at a London hotel when a strange young man came up who seemed to have something of importance to communicate, and led him across the room. Arrived in a corner, the stranger whispered:

"I am on the staff of an evening paper, and I should like you to tell me what you think of the government's foreign policy."

Mr. Dash looked a little puzzled; then he said, "Follow me."

Leading the way, he walked through the reading room, down some steps into the drawing room, through a long passage into the dining room, and drawing his visitor into the corner behind the hatrack, he whispered, "I really don't know anything about it."—Weekly Telegraph.

Fancy Seed Oats at Prewit & Wadley's. 8

Two suits for price of one at W. T. Read Mercantile Co. 12tf

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Stamford, Texas 6/25/14.

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Gentlemen:-

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I have in mind one car in particular which has used Texaco Motor Oil and Texaco Auto Gasoline exclusively. This car has been in use seventeen months and has traveled 8000 miles. Yesterday we took the spark plugs out for the first time just to see what condition they were in; finding them remarkably clean, they were replaced without any cleaning.

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The Texas Company  
General Offices, Houston, Texas

No. 29



## DISTRIBUTION OF CULTURES FOR INOCULATING LEGUMINOUS SEED

In distributing cultures for inoculating leguminous seeds, the department has determined to adhere to last year's practice and to limit the supply that will be sent to one planter to two bottles. Each bottle contains sufficient culture to inoculate thoroughly one bushel of seed. The limitation is made necessary by the probability that the funds available for the distribution of cultures will prove inadequate to furnish them in unlimited quantities.

Planters who have had no previous experience in the use of cultures and do not understand exactly what methods are necessary for successful seed inoculation should write to the department for information and for application cards. All requests for cultures must be transmitted upon these application cards. Preference will be given to advance requests, and farmers are urged to apply to the department for the culture at the earliest possible date and at least two weeks before the probable date of sowing the seed.

Planters are also requested to plant a small quantity of uninoculated seed on a portion of the same field with the inoculated seed. This, it is said, will materially aid the department in making observations and comparisons which will prove valuable to planters in the future.

## OUR "JIFNEY" OFFER—THIS AND FIVE CENTS.

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

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## NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Mrs. Gertrude Smith and her husband, Emory H. Smith, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein; but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Seventieth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Seventieth Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1915, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1915, in a suit, numbered on

the docket of said Court No. 1522, wherein Mrs. Ella P. Farwell is plaintiff and Mrs. Gertrude Smith and her husband Emory H. Smith are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 10th day of February, 1913, the defendant Mrs. Gertrude Smith, wife of the defendant Emory H. Smith, executed and delivered to plaintiff her eleven promissory notes, bearing said date for the sum of \$500 each, payable to the order of plaintiff on or before, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 years after date, with interest from date at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, interest payable annually, and providing for eight per cent interest on all past due interest after maturity, and 10 per cent on both principal and interest, as attorney's fees, and providing that a failure to pay any note, or installment of interest thereon when due shall at the election of the holder mature all said notes. Plaintiff declares said notes due and sues for the entire amount, including interest and attorney's fees. Plaintiff further alleges that on or about the 29th day of March, 1913, the defendant Mrs. Gertrude Smith, joined by her husband, Emory H. Smith, executed and delivered to J. G. Love, as trustee, for the purpose of securing said notes, a deed of trust upon section 113, in block No. 13, H. & G. N. R. Co. survey, in Reeves County, Texas. Plaintiff sues to foreclose said deed of trust lien and for judgment requiring the said land to be sold for the payment of said notes, etc., and for general and special relief.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 18th day of March, A. D. 1915.

(Seal) WILLIE-DE WOODS,  
Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas.  
By Lila Williams, deputy.

19 April 12-4

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days  
Your druggist will refund money if you DON'T WANT pills to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.



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RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS  
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.  
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

THE PECOS TIMES

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY. Pecos Valley News, established 1887; Pecos Weekly Times, established 1897; Reeves County Record, established in 1910. Consolidated Nov. 23, 1912.

STATEMENT Of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, etc., Required by the Act of Aug. 24, 1912, of The Pecos Times, published weekly at Pecos, Texas, for April 1, 1915.

The Jack Johnson and Willard bout will not take place on April 4th, as was first announced, because the 4th comes on Easter Sunday, and the governments of the United States and Cuba opposed the desecration of this holy day that has been kept and recognized as resurrection day of the Lord, and Uncle Sam requested those that had the matter in hand because of this that the fight be put off until Monday, the 5th, and the request was granted.

CAME BACK WITHOUT ANY CATTLE THIS TIME. W. T. Wheat, after an extended trip to east and northeast Texas, returned to Pecos Tuesday.

MOVED TO MONAHANS. Mr. A. V. Winters and family moved to Monahans this week, but they left orders for the Times to be forwarded on to them at that place.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY. From a small beginning the sale and use of this remedy has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries.

Come in and get one of those Suits free with every Tailored Suit we sell you. W. T. Read Mercantile Co.

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THE CHURCHES.

METHODIST. There will be special Easter services on Sunday morning. Music and sermon in accord with the spirit of the day. See order of service below. The union service of the evangelical churches of the town will be held at night in the Methodist church.

MISSIONARY MEETING. The monthly business meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society will be held in the Methodist church on Monday, April 5, at 4 o'clock p. m.

BAPTIST. Sunday morning both hours will be used by the Sunday school. A good program has been prepared and the young people have been well drilled for two weeks.

STRAIGHTENED HIM OUT. J. P. Jones, Boothe, Ark., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney trouble and could do no work at all.

Special on Wheels. When in need of wagon, buggy, hack, plow or auto wheels, see me, as I have contracted with a factory in the East to keep me supplied with first class wheels of all kinds.

ELECTED DELEGATES TO STATE FIREMEN MEETING. At a meeting of the Pecos Fire Department Monday afternoon the following members were elected as delegates to attend the State Firemen's annual meeting which is to be held at Waco this summer.

SPLENDID FOR RHEUMATISM. "I think Chamberlain's Liniment is just splendid for rheumatism," writes Mrs. Dunburgh, Eldridge, N. Y.

ORIENT HOTEL ARRIVALS. Friday, March 26—J. C. Holtz, St. Louis. R. G. Fisher, Denver. A. J. Nesbit, Denver.

W. A. White and wife, Grandfalls. Monday, March 29—Perry Wagon, Balmorhea. A. L. Reynolds, Sweetwater. P. A. Cooney, Chicago.

PATRONS NOTICE. I have recently installed a water system with good pressure, and a coal heater which assures an abundance of hot and cold water for all purposes.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS. No. 5 in Bankruptcy.

NOTICE OF ESTRAY. The State of Texas, County of Reeves. Taken up by P. E. Bowie and estrayed before F. P. Richburg, justice of the peace Precinct No. 1.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS. To M. H. Butts, W. R. Roach, Arthur Chittick, C. A. McCall, Chas. Warden, Frank Crosby, P. H. Brady, J. A. Verrett, A. B. Welch, J. S. Lincoln, Langford and Houghton, and James P. Hayes.

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

PROTECTION. The Most Sanitary and Safe Way to Protect Your Furs and Winter Wearing Apparel and Bed Clothing during the summer months, is by Using the Cedar Chests which are Absolutely MOTH, MICE and VERMIN Proof. Call and see Our Complete Line. Prices are Ranging from \$8.00 TO \$40.00. While they last, a 50c Bottle of O'Cedar Polish Given with Each Purchase of a \$1.50 O'CEDAR MOP. Also a Complete Line of Draperies at Cost. NOTICE--Our 1915 Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets have Just Arrived. See Them. Pecos Mercantile Company Furniture and Undertaking.

ing, in Pecos, Texas, at which time and place you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you. Witness our hands this the 23rd day of March, 1915. R. G. HARDGRAVES, JOHN McBIRNEY, J. E. WREN, W. F. ALEXANDER, H. C. ROBERSON, 26 Mch. 13-4 Jury of View.

# Violets Carnations

As a token of Appreciation of the patronage extended me, I will give to the First Two Hundred Ladies that come to my Store on Saturday, April 3rd, A bunch of Violets or a Carnation. This means any lady of 15 years and older. There are No Restrictions :: :: ::

## How to Care for Flowers

On arrival, place all Flowers Loosely in pail of Rain Water, and stand in the dark for some time. Snip the stalk ends fill your vases with water, adding a small pinch of Carbonate of Soda and the Flowers will last for a week or ten days. Wilted flowers can be revived by plunging the ends into hot water for a minute :: :: :: :: :: ::

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The place to get good things to eat.

# Pecos School Field Day

**SATURDAY, APRIL 10, '15  
ALL DAY**

**Something Good! -- Something New!**

The first Athletic School Field Day ever held in West Texas. More Sport and Excitement than in any horse race or other contests

**Beginning at 10:00 O'clock a. m.  
Preliminary 120 yards Hurdles**

Don't Miss This. The Hurdles are the Prettiest races of all. Followed by a Full Program of all the Field and Track Events, Tennis, Girls' Basket Ball, Boys' Basket Ball. Following events will be contested in their order but the exact hour can not be given. The whole day will be fully occupied

50 Yard Dash, Preliminary and Final	First Set Girls' Tennis
Preliminary 220 Yard Hurdles	Second Set Girls' Tennis
220 Yard Dash, All Off	Third Set Girls' Tennis
100 Yard Dash, Preliminary and Final	

**LUNCH--** The Girls of the Athletic Association will Serve Lunch on the Grounds Consisting of SANDWICHES, CAKE, PIE and Other Good Things, and HOT and COLD DRINKS. Stand Open All Day. Come Prepared to Stay and Patronize the Girls

**ONE MILE RUN--Can You Beat it?  
GIRLS' BASKETBALL GAME  
BARSTOW vs. PECOS--Worth All You Will Pay**

Pole Vault	220 Yard Hurdles, Final
Fourth Set Girls' Tennis	440 Yard Dash, All Off
Shot Put	Fifth Set Girls' Tennis
120 Yard Hurdles, Final	Hammer Throw
High Jump	Sixth Set Girls' Tennis
Half Mile Run	Broad Jump
Seventh Set Girls' Tennis	Discus Throw

## BOYS' BASKETBALL GAME

## ONE MILE RELAY RACE

By Four Teams of Four Boys Each. Don't Miss It. The Most Exciting Event of the Day. Wait to see the Presentation of Trophies. If Necessary the Tennis and some of the Field Events may be Carried on at the Same Time

## Do Not Forget Field Day April 10

We are not Begging you for Money. We Give you More Than your Moneys Worth. If you are Going to "Kick" about it Don't Come. If you are a "Knocker" we Don't Want Your Money.

**But You Will Miss It if You Don't Come**

### PRICES OF ADMISSION

Adult All Day Ticket with All Day Grand Stand Check	50c
Adults and Children of School Age not in School	35c
All School Children, whether from Pecos or Other Schools when Certified to by a Teacher	10c
Players, Coaches, Officials of Teams, and Teachers	Free
Grand Stand	10c

**Buy Your Tickets of the School Children and Help Them Earn Tickets for their Families and a Picture for Their Room at School**

### THE PECOS FIRE BOYS MAKE GOOD TIME.

Fire Chief Kiser called the fire department out Wednesday afternoon on a practice run and as usual they made splendid time, although only a few were there.

The boys gathered at the fire house, a bonfire was kindled down near the Zimmer opera house building, the fire bell was tapped, the engine was taken to the fountain—two block and three hundred feet of hose laid, and the boys had water on the blaze in just two and a half minutes.

There is no doubt but that with more practice our Pecos boys would be one of the fastest and best volunteer companies in the state. There is one thing certain, and that is that our department never have done anything but good work ever since they were first organized and have made an enviable record for promptness and efficient work. Our citizens should feel proud of them and never miss an opportunity to commend them for their good work and help them in all ways necessary for bettering their efficiency.

A prudent mother is always on the watch for symptoms of worms in her children. Paleness, lack of interest in play, and peevishness is the signal for WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. A few doses of this excellent remedy puts an end to the worms and the child soon acts naturally. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

**TEN REGISTERED BULL CALVES SELL FOR \$1,000**  
Van Horn, Tex., Mar. 30.—Ten registered bull calves raised by D. B. Jackson have been sold to Ed. Nevill for \$1000. This is one of several sales of fine stock made recently in the Van Horn country and local cattlemen say it is being well demonstrated that this district is coming to the front in fine stock raising.

If you will check up the number of bottles used you will find Foley's Honey and Tar in greater demand than any other cough medicine. It is safe, prompt and effective for colds, croup, hoarseness, bronchial coughs, throat trouble and la grippe. It contains no opiates and is the preferred cough medicine for children. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

### SOME OF THE SANTA FE OFFICIALS HERE MONDAY

The following Santa Fe officials were down in their special car Monday on an inspection trip, and found things in good condition: F. J. Evans, general superintendent; J. W. Walter, chief engineer and Willard Keen, roadmaster.

### CITROLAX CITROLAX CITROLAX

Best thing for constipation, sour stomach, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Stops a sick headache almost at once. Gives a most thorough and satisfactory flushing—no pain, no nausea. Keeps your system cleansed, sweet and wholesome. Ask for Citrolax. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. (Advt.)

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### HOW A VALLEY AND A MOUNTAIN RANGE WERE MADE.

The United States Geological Survey is making investigations which not only mean direct return of dollars and cents to the country, but also solve numerous purely scientific problems of indirect though large economic importance. This is shown by numerous contributions to pure science and particularly by the series of articles started within the last year or two, entitled, "Shorter contributions to general geology." One of the latest of this series—Professional Paper 90-K, entitled "The History of a Portion of Yampa River, Colorado, and its Possible Bearing on That of Green River," by E. T. Hancock, just published by the survey—discusses how Yampa river, in Colorado, and the mountains which it crosses were formed.

The most remarkable feature of this valley and the Green river valley, of which it is a tributary, is that they completely transect high mountains. In other mountain ranges streams rise near the crest and flow outward, but the Yampa and Green flow from the outside into and across mountains. Now, geologists have shown that most valleys are simply enlarged gullies which in thousands of years have been gradually washed out by the streams that flow through them; also that mountains throughout the earth have been made, first, by an upheaval of a portion of the earth's crust, and second, by this process of washing out huge trenches or valleys across the upheaved area. Concerning Yampa and Green rivers, the question arises, Did they exist before the mountain area was upheaved, and was the upheaval so gradual that they were able to wash their valleys deeper as fast as the upheaval progressed, or did the upheaval take place long before these rivers were formed, and were the mountains buried under sand and silt before these streams acquired their present courses?

The report referred to sets forth much evidence gathered by the author and others which has a bearing on these questions, and from this evidence it appears that the mountain range long antedates the river valleys, and that it was completely buried under great deposits of sand and silt before Yampa river came into existence. The evidence tends to show that when first formed, these streams flowed across a flat high plain under which were buried the mountains of hard rock. In the course of geologic ages the streams have washed away the sand and silt from the surrounding country, leaving the mountains of hard rock standing as they are today. Because of the unyielding nature of the rocks in the mountains, the valleys are there narrow and canyon-like, whereas outside the mountains where the materials underlying the surface were more easily washed, the valleys are broad and the streams have slight fall. It therefore appears that the mountains in this region are far older than the streams and valleys which cut through them.

A copy of the report may be obtained free on application to the Director of the Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

All rocks contain some water, but some, such as the granites, carry only an inappreciable amount. Sandstone, on the other hand, has an absorptive capacity of a gallon or more of water to the cubic foot of rock and is the best water bearer of the solid rocks.

## Jones Pays the Freight

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## Fox's Show Will Remain in Pecos Another Week

Roy E. Fox's Popular Players under their water-proof Tent Theater will stay over another week. They are well pleased with their business in Pecos. A different play will be presented each night as follows:

- Monday Night, April 5—"The Servant in the House."
- Tuesday Night—"Out of the Fold," companion play to "The Shepherd of the Hills."
- Wednesday Night—"The Halfbreed."
- Thursday Night—"The Wolfe."
- Friday Night—"The Ku-Klux-Klan," companion play to the "Clansman."
- Saturday Matinee at 2:30 p. m.—"Lena Rivers."
- Saturday Night—"What Happened to Hopkins."

The Fox show has more than pleased the people of Pecos and it is surprising how they can give such a good show for 10 and 20 cents. Our people pay as high as \$1.50 at times to see a show not so good.

Mr. Fox's slogan is: "A dollar show for 20 cents." They have made many friends here and our people applauded heavily last night when Mr. Fox announced he would stay over another week. In short, this is the best show that ever visited Pecos.

## Next Sunday Is Easter That is the Day the Ladies are Expected to Wear Spring and Summer Hats

## Beautiful Easter Millinery for Women and Children

## Reduced Prices

On a Special New Line of Millinery  
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**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—One Jersey heifer, fresh. Inquire at Ed. Otto's meat market. 14tf

**FOR SALE**—320 acres Pecos River land. Mile of river front, 4 miles east of Orla station, 40 miles north of Pecos. Can be irrigated by pump or gravity. Price, just half what others want for like land. If interested call or write. 13-2 G. B. Landrum, Pecos Texas.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—One good buggy, leather top, pole and shafts, with double and single harness. Tom Harrison. 13-2

**FOR SALE**—At a bargain. 20 acres adjoining the Morris place, 1 mile south west of Pecos, in artesian belt. Offered for a short time at a sacrifice. Apply to E. L. Collings, Pecos Texas. 13-2

**FOR SALE**—Two good Jacks. For information see I. T. Kesler, Pecos, Texas. 12tf

**FOR SALE OR SERVICE**—Thoroughbred Dapple Grey Percheron, 8 years old. Address Jas. Versyp, Box 566, Pecos, or R. R. Rogers, City Bakery. 11tf

**FOR TRADE**—Good home in Pecos for horses, mares or mules. C. L. Heath, Cowan Building. 8tf

### FOR RENT.

**FOR RENT**—Apartment, 3 rooms and bath; water in house. Apply to Mrs. Mildred Middleton. 14tf

**FOR RENT**—Anyone desiring to rent a good four-room house will do well to see E. J. Moyer. Two hydrants, some shade, house just recently repainted. 13tf

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**NOTICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION.**  
 There will be held at Toyah, Saragosa, Balmorhea, Patrole, Angeles and Porterville, Saturday, April 3, 1915, an election for the purpose of electing two trustees for each district.  
**BEN RANDALS,**  
 County Judge.

**ELECTION PROCLAMATION.**  
 By order of the City Council, and by virtue of the authority in me vested, notice is hereby given, by publication hereof for thirty days prior to April 6, 1915, that an election has been, and is hereby called to be had on the first Tuesday in April, 1915, being the 6th day of April, 1915, at the Fire Station in Pecos City, for the election of two older men or members of the City Council, to serve for a period of two years. The polls shall be opened at 8 o'clock a. m., and closed at 6 o'clock p. m. at said election day, and none but qualified voters within Pecos City are entitled to vote thereat. A. S. McChesney is appointed presiding Judge, Ora Beauchamp assistant, and Henry Kerr and Chas. Manahan clerks for said election; and said election shall be held, and due returns made thereof to the City Council as provided by law.  
**E. C. CANON,**  
 Mayor Pecos City.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
 The State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 By virtue of a certain alias execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 10th day of March, 1915, by Willie-de Woods, clerk of said court, against J. B. Gibson, executor of the last will and testament of D. L. McDaniel, deceased, for the sum of Twenty-four hundred sixty-three and 15/100 (\$2,463.15) dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 1420 in said court, styled Pecos Valley State Bank versus J. B. Gibson, executor, of the last will and testament of D. L. McDaniel, deceased, and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of March, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 11, block No. 29; lots Nos. 23 and 24, block No. 31; all of block No. 123, Pecos, Reeves County, Texas; Lot No. 11 and lot No. 13, block No. 1, Alberta Heights, addition to Pecos, Reeves County, Texas; lot No. 10, block No. 104, Pecos, Reeves County, Texas; and all of block No. 4, College addition to Pecos, Reeves County, Texas; Also eighty (80) acres, the N. E. one-fourth of N. E. one-fourth of section No. 16, block No. C-1, public school lands; also eighty (80) acres, the N. E. one-fourth of N. W. one-fourth, and S. E. one-fourth of N. W. one-fourth of section No. 5, block No. C-18, public school lands. Lot No. 4, block No. 37, West Park addition to Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said J. B. Gibson, executor of the last will and testament of D. L. McDaniel, deceased. And on Tuesday the 6th day of April, 1915, at the court house door of Reeves County, in the city of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said premises at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. B. Gibson, executor of the last will and testament of D. L. McDaniel, deceased, by virtue of said levy and said alias execution.  
 And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas.  
 Witness my hand this 10th day of March, 1915.  
**TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.  
 By S. C. Vaughan, Deputy. 12Mr11

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
 The State of Texas.  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to summon Mrs. E. C. Haynes, a feme sole, by making publication of this citation once in each week

for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Seventieth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Seventieth Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, to be held at the court house thereof in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1915, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition, filed in said court on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1914, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1395, wherein Texas & Pacific Railway Company and W. H. Abrams, are plaintiffs, and Mrs. E. C. Haynes, a feme sole, is defendant, said petition alleging that on April 12, 1910, plaintiff T. & P. Ry. Co. sold to E. C. Haynes, now deceased, lot 2, block 81, and lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, and 12, block 102, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, and that said E. C. Haynes, deceased, as a part consideration for said above described premises, executed to plaintiff W. H. Abrams, trustee, on April 12, 1910, two promissory notes, for \$155 each, due one and two years from date, bearing interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent annuum and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees. Both said notes expressly retain a vendor lien against the above described premises. Plaintiffs further alleging that said notes are past due and unpaid, and that said E. C. Haynes, the maker of said notes, is now dead, and left surviving him a widow, the defendant herein; that there was no issue to this marriage, and that said E. C. Haynes dies without leaving any will to plaintiff's knowledge. Plaintiffs allege that W. H. Abrams, trustee, is the legal owner of said notes, for the benefit of plaintiff, T. & P. Ry. Co. Plaintiff prays for a judgment against said defendant for amount of notes, interest and attorney's fees, and for foreclosure of lien. Plaintiff in the alternative, showing that on January 1, 1914, they were lawfully possessed in fee simple of the property herein described, and that on above mentioned date, the defendant entered upon said premises, and ejected plaintiff therefrom and withholds from plaintiff the possession thereof, to their damage in the sum of \$500. Wherefore plaintiffs pray that upon final hearing that they have judgment for restitution of the title and possession of said premises, and for damages, costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Pecos, Texas, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1915.  
**WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 12Mar11-4

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
 The State of Texas.  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to summon J. H. Patterson by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Seventieth Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1915, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1914, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 1396, wherein Texas & Pacific Railway Company and W. H. Abrams are plaintiffs and J. H. Patterson is defendant, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on January 27, A. D. 1910, plaintiff T. & P. Ry. Co. sold to the defendant J. H. Patterson lot No. 14, in block No. 30, in Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, and that J. H. Patterson, as a part consideration for said above described premises, ex-

ecuted to plaintiff W. H. Abrams, trustee, on January 27, 1910, two promissory notes for \$50 each, due one and two years from date, bearing interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees. Both said notes expressly retain a vendor lien against the above described premises. Plaintiffs further alleging that said notes are past due and unpaid, and that said E. C. Haynes, the maker of said notes, is now dead, and left surviving him a widow, the defendant herein; that there was no issue to this marriage, and that said E. C. Haynes dies without leaving any will to plaintiff's knowledge. Plaintiffs allege that W. H. Abrams, trustee, is the legal owner of said notes, for the benefit of plaintiff, T. & P. Ry. Co. Plaintiff prays for a judgment against said defendant for amount of notes, interest and attorney's fees, and for foreclosure of lien. Plaintiff in the alternative, showing that on January 1, 1914, they were lawfully possessed in fee simple of the property herein described, and that on above mentioned date, the defendant entered upon said premises, and ejected plaintiff therefrom and withholds from plaintiff the possession thereof, to their damage in the sum of \$500. Wherefore plaintiffs pray that upon final hearing that they have judgment for restitution of the title and possession of said premises, and for damages, costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Pecos, Texas, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1915.  
**WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 12Mar11-4

**FRANK J. CHENEY** makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co. doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of **HAL'S CATARRH CURE**.  
**FRANK J. CHENEY.**  
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ecuted to plaintiff W. H. Abrams, trustee, on January 27, 1910, two promissory notes for \$50 each, due one and two years from date, bearing interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees. Both said notes expressly retain a vendor lien against the above described premises. Plaintiffs further alleging that said notes are past due and unpaid, and that said J. H. Patterson has refused and still refuses to pay said notes or any part thereof. Plaintiffs allege that W. H. Abrams, trustee, is the legal owner of said notes, for the benefit of plaintiff T. & P. Ry. Co. Plaintiff prays for a judgment against said defendant for amount of notes, interest and attorney's fees, and for foreclosure of lien. Plaintiff in the alternative showing that on January 1, 1914, they were lawfully possessed in fee simple of the property herein described, and that on above mentioned date the defendant entered upon said premises, and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from plaintiff the possession thereof, to their damage in the sum of \$250. Wherefore plaintiffs pray that upon final hearing that they have judgment for restitution of the title and possession of said premises, and for damages, costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Pecos, Texas, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1915.  
**WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 12Mar11-4

**NO. 96.**  
**NOTICE OF HEARING TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS.**  
 The State of Texas.

Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that E. O. Olds, whose postoffice address is Angeles, Texas, did on the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1915, file an application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit to appropriate 2 cubic feet of water per second of time, for the purpose of irrigating certain lands hereinafter described, from the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, to be diverted from the Pecos River, in Reeves County, Texas, by means of a pumping plant, located on Section 43, Township 1, Block No. 56, on the south bank of the Pecos River, in Reeves County, Texas.  
 You are hereby further notified that the lands proposed to be irrigated are described as follows: 140 acres out of Section No. 44, Block 56, Township 1, of the T. & P. Ry. Co.'s survey, in Reeves County, Texas, consisting of 140 acres.  
 A hearing on the said application of the said E. O. Olds will be held by the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at its office, in the city of Austin, County of Travis, said State, on Saturday, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1915, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.  
 Given under, and by virtue of, an order of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at the office of said Board, in Austin, Texas, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1915.

**J. C. NAGLE,**  
**JOHN WILSON,**  
**E. B. GORE,**  
 Board.

Attest: **W. T. POTTER,**  
 Secretary. 11-1

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
 The State of Texas, County of Reeves.  
 By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 6th day of March, 1915, by the clerk of said court, against Bird Henson, Jno. B. Dandridge, Spencer B. Pugh and the Trans-Pecos Land and Irrigation Company, (a corporation) for the sum of eleven hundred eighty-one and 95/100 (\$1,181.95) dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 1320 in said court, styled R. S. Johnson versus Bird Henson et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of March, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit: Lying and being situated in Reeves County, Texas, and being lots Nos. 18, 19, 20, and 21, in Section No. 37, in Block No. 2, H. & G. N. R. Co. survey in Reeves County, Texas, containing 40 acres of land, and levied upon as

the property of said Bird Henson, John B. Dandridge, Spencer B. Pugh and the Trans-Pecos Land and Irrigation Company. And on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1915, at the court house door of Reeves County, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said real property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said defendants, by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.  
 And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas.  
 Witness my hand this 6th day of March, 1915.  
**TOM HARRISON,**  
 Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to summon C. B. Harbert by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th judicial district; to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the first Monday in April, A. D. 1915, the same being the 5th day of April, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 474, wherein Max Krauskopf is plaintiff and C. B. Harbert is defendant, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on Jan. 9, 1913, defendant executed and delivered to plaintiff his 14 notes for \$10 each except one, which was for \$13.63 due respectively March 27, April 10, April 17, April 24, May 1, May 8, May 15, May 22, May 29, June 5, June 12, June 19, June 26, and July 3, July 10, 1913, all bearing 10 per cent interest and 10 per cent attorney's fees, and payable at Pecos, Texas. Plaintiff alleges that said notes are past due and though often requested defendant has failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof, wherefore plaintiff has placed said notes with W. A. Hudson for collection, agreeing to pay 10 per cent attorney's fees.

Plaintiff represents that to secure the payment of said notes defendant on Jan. 10, 1913, executed and delivered to plaintiff chattel mortgage on the following property:  
 One 12-horsepower Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engine; one 5-inch American Vertical Centrifugal Pump; also all shafting, shaft boxes couplings, pulleys, belting, pipe, fuel tank, cooling tank and everything connected with said pump and engine as installed on Sec. 1, Block 5, Reeves County, Texas, and used by defendant as a pumping plant on said land. Plaintiff alleges that the reasonable market value of said personal property so mortgaged is the sum of \$225. Plaintiff prays that upon hearing of petition that he have judgment for his debt, interest, attorney's fees, costs of collection and foreclosure of mortgage lien and for general relief.  
 Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Pecos, Texas, this 10th day of February, A. D. 1915.  
**WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 Clerk County Court, Reeves County, Texas. 5Mar10-4

**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

**TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF REEVES COUNTY—GREETING:**  
 You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Reeves, state of Texas, four weeks previous to the return hereof, you summon Mrs. F. M. Yarbrough, whose maiden name was Lear Merritt, and her husband, F. M. Yarbrough, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the District Court to be holden in and for the county of Reeves in the state of Texas, at the court house thereof, in the city of Pecos, on the eleventh Monday after the first Monday in February, 1915, the same being the 19th day of April, 1915, then and there to answer the original petition of C. C. Kennel, filed in said court on November 24, 1913, against said Mrs. F. M. Yarbrough, whose maiden name was Lear Merritt, joined by her husband F. M. Yarbrough; Howard B. Cox, and H. F. McKenney, said suit being numbered 1342, the nature of which demand is as follows:

About March 8, 1909, D. H. McDaniel executed his negotiable note for \$351.00, payable December 15, 1909, to the order of the Copeland Home Lumber Co., drawing eight per cent interest from date. Thereafter, before maturity and for value said company endorsed and sold said note unto the Connell Lumber Co., and upon dissolution of the latter, the note became the property of plaintiff. Said note at its execution, was secured by McDaniel by his deed in trust on all of blocks one, two, three and four out of the Shannon subdivision of section sixty-seven, in block four, original grantee H. & G. N. Ry. Co., in Reeves County, Texas, said four blocks containing ten acres each. Thereafter, in cause numbered 581, in the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, G. D. Fox, who sued in his own name but for the benefit of plaintiff herein recovered, about April 25, 1911, a judgment against McDaniel for the amount then due on the note, with foreclosure of said trust deed lien and on or about July 4, 1911, said four blocks were sold unto plaintiff herein, under the aforesaid judgment, the net proceeds of said sale being sixty-five and 95/100 dollars, which was credited on said judgment. Neither of the defendants herein were parties to aforesaid cause numbered 581. On said March 8, 1909, McDaniel owned the aforesaid four blocks, subject to said deed in trust and subsequent to the execution and delivery of said deed in trust McDaniel conveyed to defendant Mrs. F. M. Yarbrough, who was then single and whose name was Lear Merritt, aforesaid block numbered three; and McDaniel sold and conveyed unto R. E. Shaw aforesaid block four and, thereafter, Shaw did convey said block to defendant Howard B. Cox and, thereafter, the latter conveyed said block unto Iva Fletcher and husband J. W. Fletcher and, thereafter, said Fetters conveyed said block four to defendant H. F. McKenney. The latter now owns said block, subject to aforesaid encumbrance. All the grantees and those claiming under McDaniel took with knowledge and notice of said deed in trust. Said note for three hundred and fifty-one dollars has been placed in the hands of plaintiff's attorney herein for collection and

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plaintiff has bound himself to pay unto said attorney the ten per cent attorney's fees provided in the note and has bound himself to pay said attorney the reasonable value of his services for bringing this suit.  
 Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.  
 Witness, Willie-de Woods, clerk of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas.  
 Given under my hand and seal of said court at Pecos, Reeves County, Texas, this 23rd day of February, 1915.  
**WILLIE-DE WOODS,**  
 Clerk District Court, Reeves County, Texas. 5Mar10-4

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# HOG IS BEST MORTGAGE LIFTER

(By T. I. Fitzgerald.)

Possibly no other animal has been bred up and improved so much as the hog. A few days ago as I was looking on a herd of old-fashioned razorbacks I could hardly think it possible that all of our magnificent breeds of hogs had come from such creatures. I thought of the wonderful works of nature when guided by the subtle hand of man. And the thought struck me, what a wonderful race of people we would have, had the human family been bred up and improved in the past twenty-five years as much as the hog family.

Aside from the fact that the Scriptures give the hog a very bad reputation, he has gained favor very fast in the past quarter century. It was said by ancient man that the hog was a possessor of the devil, and many people called the meat of the hog the flesh of Satan. Regardless of the hog's past reputation he has lifted more mortgages than any other animal. He has been able to remove the bonds of indebtedness from many and place them on easy street. There is nothing wasted about the hog; his flesh goes to feed the teeming millions; it is a universal food; there is possibly no race of people on the globe but what relishes hog flesh. Besides, the fat or lard from the hog gives our bread and other foods a wonderfully strengthening effect.

The hog also helps to build up our worn-out soils that we have impoverished by slipshod methods of farming. It is said the bones and hair of the hog make a great plant food, so there is nothing wasted from the hog.

I have found by experience and the closest test there are two very essential points in successful hog raising and we must observe them if we are successful in the business.

First, is the attention that is to be given the hog. It makes no difference how good our breeds may be, if we fail to give them the proper attention we are likely to have scrub stock. Many people have the idea that if they will get pure-breeds they won't have to give them much attention. This is a great mistake. It certainly does pay to have good stock and give them good attention. The thoroughbred will respond to good attention much better than the scrub. It never pays to have more hogs than can be properly attended to. If you become overstocked it will pay to sell the surplus at half price, and then give what you keep first class attention. This is one reason why so many people get discouraged with the hog business; they overstock their place and then because the hogs don't do well they quit the business and swear there is nothing in the hog but trouble.

Attention or care is one point in hog raising that cannot be emphasized too strongly. It is the fundamental point to successful hog raising. It never pays to keep a hog unless you feed him; this is the only way to get full pay for the hog. Don't expect him to live on the wind. The hog's intestines are very much like that of a human, and the human must have something to eat or perish.

Now comes the breeds of hogs that are to be used. It seems that there is a great diversity of opinion as to which is the best breed. Peo-

ple are by hogs like they are by women, no one woman will suit all men, but it takes many to fill the bill. However, there are some women that are better than others; they will attract attention where others fail; in fact, they just simply look better. The same thing is equally true with hogs; there are some breeds that are better than others and will attract attention where others fail. I have tried out several different breeds of hogs and the Duroc-Jerseys can't be beat for an all-purpose hog; they are a fine hog for the range and yet they do well when confined. They make a very quick growth and grow to a good size. The Durocs are a very tame hog and easy to handle about the place, and if petted a little they will follow you like a dog. The same may be said of any of the standard breeds.

But regardless of the good traits of our standard bred hogs, we must exercise some care in keeping them up to the standard. Some people make the mistake of inbreeding and always pay for it if they practice it very long. It never pays to inbreed; it will weaken the vitality of the hog, and besides they will be subject to many other afflictions. This is one of the quickest ways to get the genuine scrub from the thoroughbreds; just inbreed a few times and watch the scrubs show up; inbreeding won't pay in plant life, it won't pay in animal life, and last but not least it won't do in human life. All-wise nature is continually warning us of the practice, but yet we fail to heed nature's warning sometimes and have to pay for our disobedience.

And another mistake of some people is they breed their sows too young and stunt them in their growth. A sow to be a good mother should be at least a year old, and then if she is a good sow keep her until she wears out; the older the sow is the better hand she makes at raising pigs. Hogs will learn a few things the same as the human and when they learn a thing they don't forget it soon.

If you are thinking of going into the hog business, by all means fence your farm hog-proof. There is no other move you can make that will pay so well. If you can't fence all of your place, fence a part of it. Even if you have to sell off a part of your land to buy the wire, by all means fence some of your land hog-proof. A good hog-proof fence is invaluable.

## OKLAHOMAN TALKS OF FUTURE HOG PROBLEM

At the present time the question arises in the mind of many Oklahoma farmers: "Will hogs be profitable for him the coming year?" This is a question that would be hard to answer in a direct way. An answer for the question one year, I would consider good most any year but suggestions may be made by hog breeders and feeders, that may be of interest and benefit to those who expect to "cut out" some of the cotton acreage and want to get into the hog business, or those who have been raising some hogs, and are not satisfied that it has been apaying game for them.

Successful hog men have found that the fellow who sticks and stays is the one who makes it apaying proposition for himself on his Oklahoma farm. This is likely true with other lines of business.

In the twelve years we have been here we have watched men "going in" and "going out" of the hog business. This has apparently been a losing game. Different causes

have brought about these changes. The one most common to us is the short corn crops caused by dry seasons and hot winds. We can't control these seasons, but we can place ourselves in a position to withstand the effects much better by putting part of our crops to the kafirs on lands that are not liable to yield as much as fifteen to twenty-five bushels of corn per acre.

Another plan would be to have a small, if not a large, acreage to alfalfa, sweet clover, or oats, for spring and summer pasture, and some wheat or rye for fall or winter pasture. These green pasture crops or some one of them, are certain to make hog pasture on almost every Oklahoma farm and are possibly for all Oklahoma farmers in a limited if not a large way, provided the same attention and management is given them as are given to same amount of cotton.

These green feeds serve as a nearly balanced ration with our grains as do the middlings, oil meal and tankage, and when grains run low, keep our hogs in a healthy condition.

Another way we may be able to overcome these dry year troubles is by learning to keep just as many hogs on the place as we can handle right, considering good crop years with poor ones, with probably buying a limited amount of grain in case it is needed. It is always better to be a little short on hogs than to be overstocked, and not be able to give them the proper feed and attention. A hundred hungry hogs and an empty corn crib have caused many Oklahoma farmers to "swear off" on hogs once and for all, when probably a limited number properly cared for would have kept him in the hog business. And when good crops came again he would be in good shape to furnish both breeding and feeding stock to his neighbor, who quit the hogs when grain got high and who are wanting to restock with hogs when grain gets cheaper, and hogs are higher.

The men who take more interest in the class of stock they use for breeding stock, are the fellows who are apt to stay with the hogs longest. A few dollars, or a bale of cheap cotton, or a note, just a little more to begin with, will buy him a foundation stock of the right kind, even if only a pair of bred gilts. Careful selections of new blood, and individuals later will enable him soon to have a herd of hogs from which he can at any time readily sell his surplus at good prices, even when grain is scarce and inferior hogs are not in demand.

This "staying game" with the pure bred breeder enables him to feed 60 to 70 per cent corn one year at a fair profit and will also usually find him with a thrifty herd of hogs eating 35c to 50c corn the next year, when hogs may be scarce, and hard to get at reasonable prices.

We believe the successful hog man today will look into the future prospects of the business, rather than conditions that might exist today or tomorrow. He studies the propositions that might confront him later and will be prepared to meet them. He can now see a good demand for pork in all parts of the world. He realizes if he uses good brood sows, and breeds them to a good boar, the product will have the quality. If he reads reliable papers he will keep up with feeds and feeding.

While he may not be located in what is termed the great corn belt of the United States, he feels certain that by good management, good breeds, good feeds, which we usually have, he will meet with success and in time can help to put Oklahoma on the map as a greater hog producing state than it is at the present time.—A. M. Lemon in Oklahoma Farm Journal.

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This question of properly balanced ration bothers everybody that raises pigs. Here's a settlement of it that appeals to us as being not only simple but sensible.

The plan was worked out in Iowa, where they certainly know how to raise swine. John M. Evvard, experimentalist in charge of this work at Ames, had some pigs that weighed about 45 pounds apiece at weaning time. He wanted to make three hundred pounders out of them at eight months, and as he was uncertain just how to balance the ration, he decided to leave it to the pigs themselves.

He turned them loose in a dry lot, about 20x80 feet in size, and during the entire course of the experiment they had no access to pasture or forage. Mr. Evvard put the following feeds before the pigs:

- Shelled corn.
- Meat meal (60 per cent protein.)
- Whole oats.
- Linseed oil meal.
- Maple wood charcoal.
- Finely ground limestone.
- Common rock salt.
- Water.

"Now, boys," said he, "there you have all the ingredients you need for a first class pork factory. Help yourselves, do your own mixing, and grow."

When they were eight months and four days old these pigs averaged 316 pounds apiece. One of them weighed 405 pounds, which isn't at all bad for an eight months pig.

The experiment station, after this and other tests, is strongly of the opinion that pigs are able to balance their own ration when they have free access to feeds, and that they fatten themselves very economically.

The Ames people do not suggest any need for caution in allowing pigs to have all they will eat of the above items, but we think it likely if you gave it to older herds (instead of the weanlings) that they might be inclined to eat too much of the meat meal and perhaps of the salt, at first—especially if they have been starved for protein and salt.

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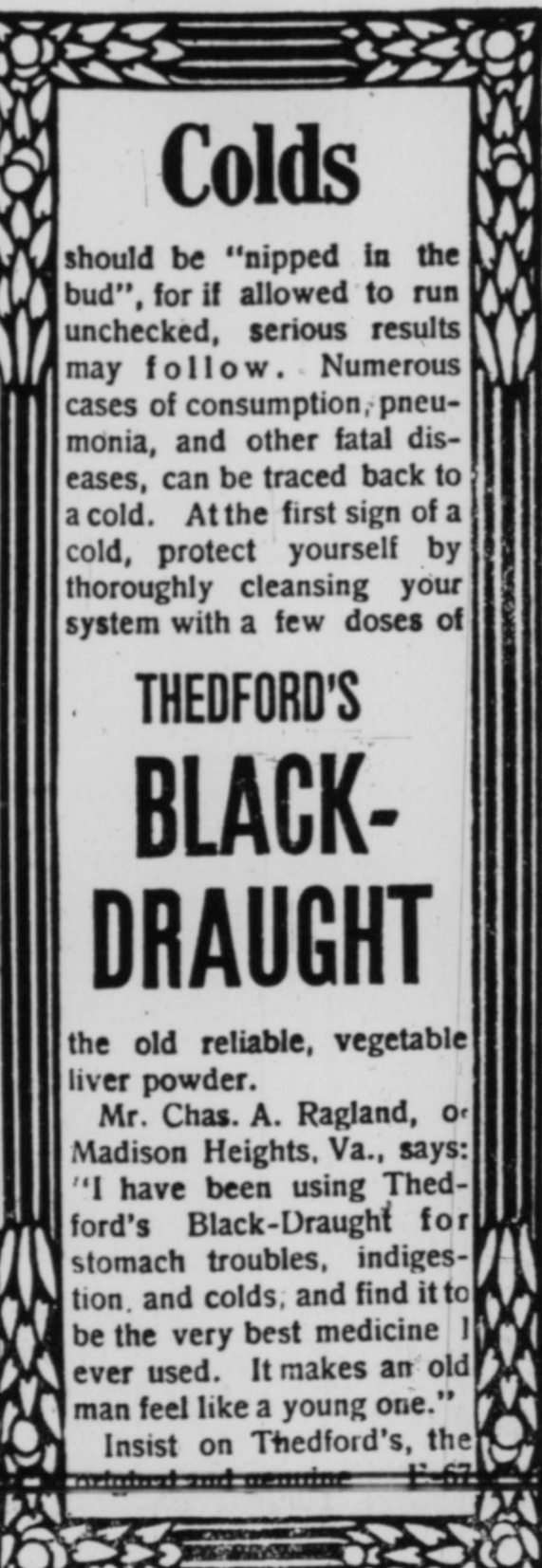
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This soap is famous elsewhere, but has never been sold in Pecos under its present name, although a soap made from the same formula is sold everywhere under another trademark at 25 cents a cake. This Royal Cuticle Soap is the cleanest, purest, softest and most soothing you could use on your hands or face. You should get a half dozen cakes at the introductory price which we will make for a short time, while the exhibit is in our window. This price is positively the lowest ever made for such a high-grade toilet soap.

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### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Weekly report by Pecos Abstract Co., Pecos, March 25 to 31, inclusive. Transfers filed in the office of county clerk of Reeves county.

Jno. W. Schippers et ux to Texas Cactus and Cattle Co., 80 acres S. half of N. E. one-fourth section 2, block C-18.

Ida C. Bosley et vir to J. C. Jones E. half of S. E. fourth section 8, block 70, \$800.

C. C. Jones to J. R. Aiken, E. half or S. E. fourth section 8, block 70, \$1000.

Percy H. Dunkin to C. G. Rutledge section 7, block 2, \$3500; deed of trust.

E. D. Moore to W. H. Moore, trustee, section 2, 11, 14, 25, block C-25, \$1471.35; deed of trust.

B. Shisa to J. B. Jordan, trustee, section 249, block 13, \$1701.10; deed of trust.

E. L. Stratton to Chas R. Prindle lots A and C, Stratton sub-section 79, block 33, \$2000.

Geo. Easton et ux to O. A. Sears, trustee, S. half section 30, block 55, 50 acres section 3, block 3, \$1, etc.

Della A. Biggs et vir to George Easton section 4, block 7, 50 acres section 3, block 3, \$1, etc.

D. K. Longenecker to George Easton, S. half section 30, block 55 \$1, etc.

Alfred F. Austrian to P. Albert Cooney, section 39, block 2, \$1, etc.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

State of Texas to Al Schloemer, Sec. 119, block 13; water permit.  
State of Texas to W. R. and W. C. Reed, sections 3 to 10, block C-2; sections 3 to 6, block C-3.

State of Texas to Toyah Valley Irrigation Co., sections 26, 37, 38, 50, 51, 52, 77, 78, 93, 94, 97, 98, 116, 117, 128, 129, 130, 150, block 13; section 25, block C-15; Antonio Ball 256; survey 257 to 260; Daniel Murphy, 625; C. W. Giffin and

Antonio Nieto scraps; water permit.

### MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Audrey Lee Wolfe to Miss Mary Langham.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Jas. McKillop, one of the progressive ranchers from near Carmel, came up Wednesday for a short stay in Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jenkins, who for the past three months had been visiting with their daughter, Mrs. W. E. Sutphin and family, left last week Friday on their return trip to their home in Fontanelle, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins have scores of friends here who were sorry to see them leave and all trust that they may return next fall and remain all winter.

Mrs. Arthur Hoobis and baby and her cousin, Miss Mattie Tronto, came in from the Barilla Draw country for a visit with Mrs. W. E. Sutphin and family Monday and remained for several days.

Mrs. Laura Copeland, who for some time past had been visiting relatives and friends at Mt. Pleasant, returned home last week Friday. She reports that her father was much improved.

Messrs. J. M. Frame, W. E. Sutphin, F. F. Calvert and Floyd Copeland boarded No. 5 Wednesday afternoon for El Paso, where they were called to be in attendance upon court at that place.

J. G. Love, the popular vice-president of the Pecos Valley State Bank, left Wednesday afternoon on a business trip to El Paso.

Jere DuBose, deputy United States marshal, left for his home in El Paso Wednesday afternoon, after having been here in attendance upon the Federal Court which was in session the first of the week.

W. R. Beaty, the hustling "auto mail line" man who carries the mail from Monahans to Grandfalls, was here the first of the week in attendance upon the Federal court. Mr. Beaty is a man who appreciates good stationery, so he had the Times office print him a supply, which he carried home with him. Mr. Beaty was accompanied by his son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White of Grandfalls were visiting in Pecos Sunday.

Chas. A. Martin of Crystal Water, was up shaking hands with his numerous Pecos friends last week Friday.

Messrs. T. M. White, W. J. Moran, T. R. Wilson and E. R. Leonard, all of Midland, were in Pecos the forepart of the week attending Federal court, as was also Messrs. H. M. Ramsey, J. E. Hill and D. W. Brenson.

Jno. Ward, L. E. Johnson and J. T. Hallie were here from Odessa attending Federal court.

Messrs. Dr. J. H. Wolvorton, J. F. and H. C. Meier, and E. D. Balmorhea were in from Balmorhea the past week on business.

J. J. Pope of Toyahvale was down Tuesday shaking hands with his many Pecos friends.

Messrs. F. W. Dodge, Ralph Dodge, Chas. Crawford and C. R. Troxel were Pecos visitors Tuesday having come down from the oil fields.

E. P. Stuckler, the efficient manager of the U ranch was a business visitor in Pecos Tuesday.

Col. Sol Mayer was in Pecos Wednesday from Toyahvale, greeting his numerous friends.

J. R. Marmion and daughter, Miss Geraldine Wells, of Houston, were in town Saturday and Sunday. They left Monday morning for Toyahvale, where Mr. Marmion goes to look after business interests.

Rev. A. A. Davis, Presbyterian minister stationed in Pecos, filled his appointment at Toyah last Sunday.

Dr. Wood Bozeman, proprietor of the Pecos Drug Company store, returned home last Saturday on a business trip east to Fort Worth, Dallas and Waco. The doctor reports that while on this trip he secured some additions to his soda fountain, so as to conserve the wishes of the people more perfectly than ever.

Mrs. J. A. Miller left Wednesday evening, going to visit her daughter, Mrs. King, who is living at Lubbock. Mrs. King is reported to be quite ill and has been for some time.

Rev. Homer L. Magee's mother, of Albany, Mo., arrived in Pecos last Wednesday to visit her son and family.

LeGrande Merriman, went out to Balmorhea Tuesday morning on a business trip.

Stump Robbins, who had been in

Pecos for a few days on a combined business and visiting trip, returned home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Tatum Moore and baby left last Saturday for the ranch near Brogado, after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Somes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Vaughan and Mrs. Will Dixon of Toyah were visitors in Pecos last week Friday.

Attorney Harry MacTier of Balmorhea was transacting business in Pecos the latter part of last week and the first of this.

J. M. Davidson was down from Porterville last week Friday on a business trip.

The following Balmorheas have been in Pecos during the past week attending Federal Court and on other business: Verdie Pruett, L. R. Wilson, R. L. Wigley, H. C. Hicks, W. E. Gould, B. W. Van Doren, J. A. Fisher, W. S. Peck, C. W. Amrine, Geo. Davis, W. W. Stewart, J. B. Fonville, E. M. Hall, Arthur Hall, John Oates, Perry Wagoner, J. H. Walker.

Geo. Bruce of Toyah was among the numerous callers in Pecos Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Harbert of Saragosa were visiting with friends in Pecos Sunday.

Chas. Lassette, of Kermit was transacting business in Pecos Monday.

J. C. Short, one of the Barilla country's pushing, hustling ranchmen was circulating among his numerous friends in Pecos Monday.

Messrs. R. E. Tucker and Jim Duncan were down from Toyah Wednesday, circulating among numerous friends in Pecos.

Messrs. G. W. and E. B. Evans, accompanied by their wives, were visiting friends in Pecos Wednesday.

Judge S. J. Isaacks and W. F. Reed were over from Midland Wednesday on business.

J. N. Levin was up from Crystal Water Wednesday on a business trip.

Miss Dorothy Somes left this morning for Toyahvale, where she goes to spend a few days visiting Miss Geraldine Wells.

C. M. Houghton was over from Barstow Wednesday greeting his numerous friends in Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kyle and son Max returned the first of the week from their stay at the ranch

R. R. Landrum is working in F. F. Calvert's place at the Santa Fe depot during his absence to El Paso and H. Higgins of Clovis is holding down W. E. Sutphin's job.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dickson and mother were Pecos visitors yesterday from Carmel.

Miss Minnie Shepherd of Saragosa was in Pecos Wednesday.

Miss Abbie Halbert of Saragosa was a visitor in Pecos Wednesday.

Hubert Honaker was up from Saragosa Wednesday greeting Pecos friends.

Henry Lavelle of Balmorhea is in Pecos today circulating among his numerous friends.

W. C. Welborn was a Pecos visitor yesterday. Mr. Welborn is buying up all the calves he can find and shipping them out to his dairy farm to help consume the surplus milk from his skimming and churning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and children returned this morning to their home at Saragosa after a visit in Pecos with "Dad" Baker and family and numerous other friends.

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So many people troubled with indigestion and constipation have been benefited by taking Chamberlain's Tablets that no one should feel discouraged who has not given them a trial. They contain no pepsin or other digestive ferments but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere. Sold by all dealers. (Advt)

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## IMMIGRATION AGENTS APPOINTED FOR T. & P. RY.

The wide policy of development being carried out by the Texas & Pacific railway has been more generally extended into the immigration department, and the announcement has just been made by D. Hunter, general passenger agent of the appointments of E. P. O'Quinn as immigration agent for the state of Louisiana and P. B. Rogers as immigration agent for the state of Texas. The former's headquarters in New Orleans. Mr. Rodgers is stationed at Fort Worth. The appointments were effective March 1.

This arrangement abolishes the joint immigration department formerly conducted from the headquarters in St. Louis. Both Mr. Guyenard and Mr. Rodgers have been connected with the immigration department of T. & P., and both are long engaged in this field.

Bad breath, bitter taste, nervousness and a general "no-account" feeling is a sure sign of a liver trouble. HERBINE is the medicine needed. It makes the liver active, vitalizes the blood, regulates the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by Pecos Drug Company. (Advt)

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E. L. Billingsley of Dallas, Texas, assistant chief clerk of the general freight office of the Texas & Pacific has received the appointment as one of the two rate experts on the staff of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Mr. Billingsley became connected with the T. & P. in 1902 and has been in the general freight department since 1906.

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A lingering cold, distressing cough, sleepless nights, a raw, inflamed throat lead to a run-down condition in which the child is not able to resist contagious diseases. Foley's Honey and Tar is truly healing and prompt in action. It relieves coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Contains no opiates. Sold by Pecos Drug Company. (Advt)