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SHIPS LINE UP BEFORE WILSON

Most Powerful Fighting Force Ever Assembled in U. S. Port

New York, May 17.—A mighty armada of battleships, destroyers, submarines and auxiliary crafts, the nation's bulwark in case of war, lay at anchor in the Hudson river today, groomed for review by the president of the United States.

The most powerful array of fighting ships ever assembled in an American port, 64 in all, the fleet stretched for four miles in a double line of solemn gray.

Convoys by the cruiser Baltimore, the Mayflower, bringing the president from Washington, reached the harbor Sunday night and after a short halt near Tompkinsville, steamed up the river to anchor off West 41st street.

Land Parade Comes First

The naval review, preceded in the forenoon by a land parade was the program as a chief ceremonial feature. Tuesday the demonstration ended with the departure of the fleet for the Atlantic coast maneuver grounds. In leaving the fleet will file past the Mayflower, firing the presidential salute.

In addition to the usual secret service guards for the president, policemen were sent as a special guard. From each ship 250 bluejackets and 60 marines from each ship were landed to form four regiments of bluejackets and one of marines under command of admiral Dewitt Coffman, brigade commander.

The fleet which the president saw today for the first time in his official capacity comprises virtually the entire strength of the Atlantic naval force and is practically the backbone of a navy which at the outbreak of the European war stood second only to Great Britain and Germany.

Rain Spatters Uniforms

A sharp rain spattered the natty uniforms of the American sailors as they swung into parade formation shortly after 10 o'clock today and headed north on Fifth avenue for the reviewing stand in front of the library, between 41st and 42nd streets.

President Wilson left the Mayflower at the foot of West 41st street at 10:15 o'clock. He was accompanied by acting mayor McAneny and W. Duncan Butler, vice chairman of the citizens' committee. Troops of mounted police escorted the president's car.

Thousands Cheer President

The president rode between thousands of persons lining the sidewalk, who cheered and roared a noisy welcome. The presidential party was trailed by three automobiles of secret service men and a detachment of detectives from police headquarters.

Detachments Salute Chief

A few minutes after the president reached the stand the head of the parading line came into view. As each detachment passed, the president was saluted.

When the last detachment had passed, the president and party left for the hotel Biltmore, where the program called for a brief address by the president at a luncheon given by the citizens committee.

"Wonderful Set of Men"

"Fine—wonderful, a great set of men," were some of the president's expressions as the blue line tramped past in front of the reviewing stand. Once his face became very grave, however, when the sailors from the Florida and Utah marched by holding aloft a standard on which was written "Veracruz, April 21-22, 1914." The Florida's mascot "Dynamite," a goat, restored his smile.

As the president rode to the hotel crowds along the way cheered with enthusiasm. Entering the hotel, he was given another round of cheers by a crowd in the lobby.

Delivers Address on the Flag

President Wilson delivered a patriotic address on the American flag and the protection it carries for Americans, at the luncheon given

PUPILS OF MISS McCARVER GIVE RECITAL

After another year of close application and faithful teaching, the music class of Miss Florence McCarver gave a very excellent recital at the Baptist church last Tuesday night.

The church was beautifully decorated and lighted so as to render the most pleasing effect, and it need only be mentioned that the teacher and class were in becoming and proper costume.

The music loving folks of Pecos are numbered by our population for they all go, and know how to enjoy these welcome occasions. The audience was the largest seen in Pecos for many moons and was in excellent mood to approve the exercises.

It is not considered wise by this reporter to make distinctions as to points of progress and excellence by the different pupils, but it may be said that Pecos has some specially talented music pupils and that the advancement by all, while good, by some is little short of phenomenal. The entire program was pitched upon a very high plane of refinement and skill and showed that it was the intention of the class and instructor to edify their hearers.

It is very probable that music is the largest part of Heaven ever seen on earth and the people of Pecos are showing their appreciation of this divine art by patronizing our splendid musical instructors. These earnest teachers may not know how much they are contributing to the growing of good souls by their faithful work in these schools.

Miss McCarver has won a large place in the hearts of the Pecos people, and is increasing in favor with all who know her. The Times force joins her large list of well wishers that after a deserved rest, she may again, next year, favor her admiring friends with another pleasing entertainment.

NEW T. & P. OFFICIAL NAMED

New Orleans, La., May 19.—Circulars have just been issued by E. J. Pearson, First Vice President of the T. & P. Ry., naming J. L. Lancaster, formerly of Memphis as assistant to the First Vice President, headquarters in New Orleans. Mr. Lancaster will have special supervision over purchase of supplies and materials, also will direct construction of the T. & P.'s new freight and passenger terminal here.

en in his honor by the New York citizens' committee.

When the president arose, he was enthusiastically cheered. Five hundred army and navy officers and other guests jumped to their feet and applauded. All the officers were in full dress uniform.

"Navy Expresses Our Ideals"

The president declared the navy brought the United States in touch with the rest of the world. Secretary Daniels was warmly praised by the president. Under him, the president said, the navy had become more and more efficient. The navy, he declared, has his entire support.

"The navy of the United States," the president said, "expresses our ideals. The fleet lying here at New York is a great fleet and has nothing of bluster about it. The great thing about America is that it wants no territory and questions the honor of no nation. We stand for humanity and for the things that humanity wants."

Flag Typifies All That's Best

Speaking of the flag the president asserted that it typified all that was best in the world. "The mission of America," he went on, "is that her soldiers and sailors should think of. They have nothing to do with shaping of policies. Sometimes the persons who run the United States forget the principles it was founded on, but the people themselves never forget.

"We lift no threat against any nation or class in the United States. This fleet in the river is a great, solemn evidence that the force of America is the force of moral principle. There is nothing else for which she will contend." President Wilson then left the

Pecos High School Closes

Baccalaureate Sermon of the Pecos High School Preached Sunday

The commencement sermon was preached last Sunday by Dr. J. B. Cole, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pecos, and because of this being the commencing sermon, services at all other churches were called off and all attended church with the Baptist. There was a large attendance present and as expected, Rev. Cole delivered a fine sermon, and we have heard many complimentary remarks by many of those present.

There will be 8 pupils to graduate at the close of the present

Class March	Marie Grafius
(Grand March—Rubinstein.)	
Invocation	Rev. Homer L. Magee
Piano Solo	Nannie Mae Collings
(Spinning Song—Flying Dutchman—Wagner.)	
Winifred Grace Hatch	The Crusader
Colon Prewitt	Nature's Master
William Joseph Nelson	American Citizenship
Vannie Viola Ingle	The Alamo's Line
Piano Solo	Stella Weyer
(Dance Florentine—Theo. Lack.)	
Mildred Catherine Obitz	Gateways of the Twentieth Century
Dorothy Elizabeth Warn	Texas
Joseph Robert Humphrey	Universal Peace
Presentation of Diplomas	Superintendent F. F. Mace
Benediction	Rev. Fred Little

There will be no encores for either the music or the orations.

Please hand your flowers for the members of the Graduating Class to the ushers who will take them to the wings where they will be presented at the proper time.

Proper applause will be welcome, but please do not stamp or whistle.

ROYALLY BANQUETED AND ENTERTAINED

The Pecos Praetorian Lodge believes in doing what they do in first class style, judging from the way they entertained in the old post-office building last Friday evening, they having invited their ladies and a few friends for the occasion.

The room was nicely decorated with white and purple crepe and their emblems, also a United States flag was floating at one end of the room. In the center stretched the full length a table laden with receptacles for the luscious strawberries which were in large covered dishes, which were served with delicious ice cream and stacks of choice cakes. Vanilla cream was served with the berries and then crushed berries frozen in cream were handed out for the dessert, and good cold ice water was also given.

There was a splendid program rendered consisting of the following numbers: A violin and piano duet by Mr. Lind and Mrs. Glasscock; trio Colored Medley by Misses Nannie Mae and Warren Collings and Winifred Hatch; Violin Solo by Miss Julia Gertrude Davis, accompanied by Miss Grafius; Vocal Solo by Miss Reeves; Violin Solo by Mr. Lind, and a number of piano selections by LeGrande Merriman. All the selections were encored heartily as were the responses.

Mr. LeGrande Merriman also had one of his Behning Player Pianos there and played many selections on the same. He will also have it at O. Mitchell's Opening and entertain the crowd.

Mr. R. R. Smothers acted as Master of Ceremonies, in a way that showed that he had had experience along that line.

The waiters were Messrs. M. W. Collie, J. S. Johnson, Dozier Richburg, I. T. Kessler and F. F. Calvert, and it would be hard to get a quintette who could get around in better shape than did these gentlemen.

This was one of the most enjoyable happenings that has been given this season, and everybody enjoyed themselves hugely, and had all that they wanted to eat, and there was a large amount of delicacies left.

Judge Ponder S. Carter left Wednesday for his home in Toyah

term. Their names are as follows: Boys—Joe Bob Humphrey, Joe Nelson, Oren Rynceoso; Girls—Miss Winifred Hatch, Miss Colon Prewitt, Miss Dorothy Warren, Miss Mildred Obitz, and Miss Vannie Ingle.

The above names compose the graduating class. There are only three boys and five girls. This is rather remarkable that the girls exceeded the boys in their studies, and the only excuse we can offer is that the boys are inclined to laziness.

The graduating exercises will be given tonight at the Opera House, where the following program will be rendered:

Word was received Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harrison that the wife of their son Ray, had died that morning.
This was indeed sad news to them as well as to their many friends here.
The remains were conveyed to Muscotah, Kansas, her old home, for burial.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harrison had been married about four years, and she leaves a most devoted husband and numerous relatives and friends to mourn her untimely death.
The Times joins with their many friends here in extending sympathy in this sad hour.

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REMODELING AND ADDING TO HIS RESIDENCE

Tom Jensen, one of the hustling farmers of the Biggs irrigation community was in Pecos Monday and Tuesday loading out lumber from the Groves Lumber Company's yards.

He is having his residence remodeled and adding some more rooms to it. When completed, Mr. Jensen will have one of the nicest country homes in his part of the Pecos Valley of Texas.

HICKS BUILDING NEW BARN AND SHED

R. P. Hicks is having a splendid, commodious barn and lean-to built on the rear of his residence, but near the Santa Fe Depot.

Mr. Hicks believes, evidently, in giving his working animal a good, comfortable lodging place at night and when they are not at work. He has the right idea of caring for his "moving power."

SOLD SOME FINE PORKERS

D. C. McKee, of McKee Hights, was in the city Wednesday with some fat porkers for sale and he very readily disposed of them. He informed a Times reporter that he had about 125 head in his pasture at home. Mr. McKee said that he fattened his hogs on Maize.

Joe Duncan was down from Toyah Monday and was warmly greeted by his host of friends in this city.

PUPILS OF MISS DAVIS GIVE RECITAL

The piano and violin pupils of Miss Julia Gertrude Davis rendered a very pleasing program at the First Baptist Church on Wednesday night.

All the seats of the main auditorium were occupied by the parents and friends who had gathered to note the progress of the pupils during the half year just finished, and they were well pleased, because time and time again the enthusiastic audience showed their appreciation of work well done by vigorous handclapping.

The pupils, who numbered about thirty, responded to the good will of their friends by rendering the various selections in a most creditable manner.

The wee tots who were so small that the could not reach the pedals, performed in their grades as meritoriously as did the older and more advanced students.

And again it would be difficult to pronounce superiority of the piano over the violin, as students of either instrument performed equally well.

To one who has attended the recitals given by Miss Davis' pupils in the past, the rapid advance made by the young musicians is easily discerned.

These pupils have been impressed with the all-important fact that music is the outward expression of our inner moods and feelings. From their work in the present recital one may readily see that this truth is indelibly impressed on the mind of each and every one of these pupils.

Music as an addition to the regular school studies of the American youth is to be highly commended. It is a repressing influence, not only to those who devote their time and energy to its study, but to all who come within the sphere of music's enabling power.

The pupils performing Wednesday night are to be complimented on their excellent work made possible by their high ideals, and the parents complimented for encouraging the love of music in their children.

Miss Davis is to be complimented for her increasing work and energy in training the hands and minds of her pupils in this great study.

'Lily of the Valley Mazurka'	Smith
	Vivian Grison
Duet—"Silver Star" Op. 116	Bohn
	Florena Vaughn and Viola Ward
'Dance of the Teddy Bears'	Fearis
	Jessie Heard
"Second Mazurka"	Godard
	Ora Prewitt
Violin Trio—"Crescent Reverie"	Fieldhouse
	Amy Langham, Dalah Hudgins and Miss Davis.
"Mountain Bell Schottish"	Kinkel
	Hill Hudson
"Fairy Barque"	Smallwood
	Curtis Breedlove
Duet—"Joyous Return" Op. 36.	Ringuet
	Gladys Grafius and Dorisse Jones.
'Trot de Cavalier'	Spindler
	Jewel Grison
Violin—"Song of Rose"	Fearis
	Jewel Cowan
"Farewell to the Piano" Beethoven	Annie Bell Watson
Trio—"The Young Recruit"	Rathbun
	Callie DeRacey Mary Morris and Betty Watson
"Sounds from the Ringing Rocks," Op. 12	Walters
	Amy Langham
(a) "Au Matin"	Godard
(b) "Anitras Dance"	Grieg
	Jewel Cowan
Violin Duet—"Overture to Calife de Bagdad"	Boreldieu
	Misses Kate Grison and Davis.
Duet—"Black Beauty Waltz"	Fulton
	Annie and Edna Boles
"Pure as Snow"	Lange
	Zella Clark
Chorus—"Twelve Merry Milk Maids"	Gillet
Violin—"Au daute Religioso"	Gillet
	Miss Kate Grison
"Valse Caprice"	Newland
	Marie Grafius
Duet—"Airde Chasse"	Brissac
Zimmer Prewitt and W. C. Hudson	
"Teddy Bear Waltz"	Fearis
	William Boles
Duet—"Moonlight Reverie"	Allen
	Curtis Breedlove and J. W. Watson
Violin—"O Summer Night"	Ira Morris

THE NEW TEXAS LAND ACT

Supplementary to the Present Law From the General Land Office Austin, Texas

(For the General Land Law see Chapter 9, Title 79, Revised Civil Statute of 1911.)

Chapter 149, Act approved April 5, 1915, effective September 1.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. On the first day of September, 1915, and on the first of each January, May and September of each year thereafter, the surveyed lands and portions of surveyed and unsurveyed land shall be sold under the terms, conditions, limitations and regulations as is now provided by law, except as changed herein.

(a) There will be only three sale days in each year. Applications cannot be filed at any time in envelopes sealed and endorsed so as to show when the land will be for sale according to the advertised list. See (a) and (b) under General notes.

(b) A separate application must be made for each survey applied for.

Settlement Counties

Section 2. Land that is situated in the counties of Andrew, Brooks, Crane, Cameron, Duval, Ector, Gaines, Hidalgo, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Kinney, Kleberg, La Salle, Loving, Maverick, McMullen, Midland, Starr, Sutton, Travis, Terry, Upton, Uvalde, Ward, Willacy, Winkler, Yoakum and Zapata may be sold in quantities not to exceed two sections of 640 acres each, more or less, to one person, and in 80-acre tracts, or multiples thereof, and on condition of actual settlement of some portion of the land so purchased and continuous residence thereupon for three consecutive years, as now provided by law.

(a) At this time there is no land for sale in some of these counties. In others there may be a few surveys. Such as may be for sale hereafter will result from forfeitures. They will be advertised in due time.

(b) The present law requires one to settle on the land purchased within 90 days from date of award by the land office and to continue to reside thereon continuously for three consecutive years. One cannot sell until one year from date of award.

(c) One must live on the land purchased.

(b) One cannot buy land under this act as additional to land already owned.

(e) One-fortieth of the purchase price offered for the land must accompany the application. The balance will bear 3 per cent interest and may run forty years, or may be paid for in full and patent obtained at any time after the required residence has been completed.

Non-Settlement Counties

Section 3. Land that is situated in the counties of Brewster, Bannera, Culberson, Crockett, Edwards, El Paso, Jeff Davis, Kerr, Kimble, Menard, Pecos, Presidio, Real, Terrell, and Val Verde, may be sold in quantities not to exceed eight sections of 640 acres each, more or less, to one person, and in whole tracts only, and without condition of settlement and residence. When one applies to purchase land in the counties named in this section not less than one-tenth the price offered therefor shall accompany the application for each tract applied for, and also the note or obligation of the applicant in a sum equal to the amount of the unpaid balance bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, and otherwise conditioned as now provided by law. Where immovable improvements of the value of one thousand dollars have been placed on any land situated in a county named in

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"Second Valse"	Godard
	Alice Hankins
String Orchestra—"March"	Selected
	Jewel Cowan, Delah Hudgins, Amy Langham, Ira Morris, Kate Grison, Marie Grafius, Jewel Grison, and Miss Davis.

\$3,757,740 GIVEN STATE INSTITUTIONS

Senate Passes Finally Appropriation Bill—House Adopts Rural School Measure.

Austin, May 11.—The senate passed finally the bill making appropriations for eleemosynary institutions carrying \$3,757,740 for the two fiscal years.

The house passed finally the rural school bill carrying \$1,000,000 in appropriations for country schools; also passed Low's bill appropriating \$10,000 for purchase of the site of Texas' first capitol in Washington county.

CHANGES IN QUARANTINE URGED TEXAS CATTLEMEN

Austin, Tex., May 17.—Certain modifications are being urged to the governor's supplemental foot and mouth disease quarantine proclamation, issued on April 15, 1915, at a conference being held here this afternoon by members of the Texas Livestock Sanitary commission, stockmen and others interested in the matter.

The members of the commission, headed by chairman J. H. Avery, are here. There are also several stockmen and others here.

BRAZIL'S PAPERS APPROVE STAND TAKEN BY U. S.

Rio Janerio, Brazil, May 19.—commenting on the American note to Germany, the local newspapers in editorial articles express the view that the communication makes it incumbent on Germany either to make herself hated in North America or ceases her "piratical and infamous acts."

In defending its interests, the papers, say, the United States is defending the interests of all America.

U. S. SHIPS ARE SAFE—SOME-TIME

Washington, May 11.—Germany, through Ambassador General, today notified the United States that submarine commanders had been specifically instructed not to harm neutral vessels not engaged in hostile acts; and that Germany would pay for damages to such ships in the war zone.

Neutral ships carrying contraband would be dealt with, the announcement says, according to the rules of naval warfare. If neutral ships are accidentally damaged in the war zone, Germany will express its regret and pay damages without prize court proceedings.

NEWSPAPER ENGLISH VS. PURE ENGLISH

People who think they can improve the grammar of a newspaper may not be far wrong in theory, but in practice they would find themselves stranded in a sea of sorrow and despair. Pure English and newspaper English are distinctly different. Newspaper writers are placed in a position where they make speed and not grammatical accuracy their little round god; they have no time for reflection. Newspaper English is given up to be the most flowing, expressive, elastic and beautiful language on earth, and the laymen who criticize a newspaper for its alleged breach of grammatical etiquette is suffering from an overplus of ego, mixed with ignorance and hardening of the brain.—Ex.

FRANK CASEY MURDERED AT BROGADO

Last Sunday morning about 4 o'clock, Frank Casey, a Mexican residing at Brogado, was shot and instantly killed, near his residence at that place.

Sheriff Tom Harrison and County Attorney M. A. Drane came out from Pecos Sunday morning and a coroner's inquest was held before Judge Meier at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Red Wing Pavillion at Brogado.

From the evidence produced, it seems that the Mexicans had held a "baile" at the Pavillion Saturday night, and danced until away after midnight, and that some drinking was indulged in, but it was impossible to learn who did the shooting, or the cause.

Four shots were fired, all taking effect in the breast and abdomen, causing immediate death.

We understand that two arrests have been made on circumstantial evidence, and that the grand jury which is now in session at Pecos will thoroughly investigate the affair.—Toyah Valley Herald.

"Say, have you forgotten that you owe me 100 francs?" "No, not yet; give me time."—Paris Pele Mele.

***** COWBOY'S LOVE SONG ***** Bright gleams the moon o'er sand hills tonight, Come with me, dear, and we'll ride by its light; As we drink the cool breezes that drift o'er the plain, To the west and each other we'll pledge us again. The prairie invites you, insistent its call; The stars are your vassals, you're of them all; And the howl of the wolf is to signal the clans, Of the desert—they come but to heed your commands. Oh, bright is the dew on your clustering curls, Outrivaling diamonds or the purest of pearls; And sweet is the fragrance from across the "Divide," But sweeter my love, as together we ride. Once more we'll gallop to the violet rim, Of the world and review the old trails that are dim, Come with me my dear while the herd is at rest; I'll be King of the Plains, and you Queen of the West. —"Wrangler" *****

"LIBERTY BELL DAY" AT EXPOSITION WILL BE JULY 17

Philadelphia, Pa., May 18.—Saturday, July 17, will be Liberty Bell day at the Panama Pacific exposition. A committee of the city council has agreed that the relic shall leave Philadelphia on its journey to the Pacific coast at 3 p. m. on July 5, after patriotic exercises in Independence hall. It will arrive in San Francisco at 6 p. m., July 16.

Several stops will be made along the way. Omaha and Lincoln will be reached July 9; Denver, July 10; Salt Lake, July 11; Boise, July 12; Spokane, July 13; Seattle and Olympia, July 14; Portland, July 15, and Sacramento, July 16.

TOYAH VALLEY HERALD ITEMS

Ben Palmer came out from Pecos last Saturday and visited with his brother on their poultry farm for a few hours.

J. E. Starley, of Pecos, the legal adviser for the new Irrigation District, came out last Saturday and met with the Board of Directors.

Mrs. E. E. Moore has had a large force of men busy the past week doing some repair work on the foundation of her large concrete dam on Toyah creek.

Vote for the road tax, and help to make a system of fine roads in this district. A system of good roads is the greatest asset any community can have.

Mrs. A. V. Johnson and son, and Miss Elsie Edwards, who have been in Pecos for the past week, where Mrs. Johnson has had her son under treatment, returned home Monday morning. We are glad to note that Master Elsworth is getting along nicely.

County Commissioner C. C. Kountz, came in Tuesday from Pecos, where he has been attending a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court. Among other things the Court ordered the election for Precinct No. 3, to see whether we vote a ten cent road tax or not. This is the best move possible to secure a system of good roads, and should carry without a dissenting vote.

W. W. Stewart has been appointed manager of the Balmorhea Mercantile Co., at Balmorhea, in the place of H. N. McKellar, who resigned. We understand that Judge McKellar goes to Corpus Christi, where he will engage in business. Mr. Stewart is well known in the Valley, and has had considerable experience in the mercantile business before, and will no doubt make a success with the big business concern.

The formation for the new irrigation district is going to help the country as a whole, and the farmer in particular, but unless the town can be given some inducement to begin building or a sure and permanent location, it cannot expect to receive very much direct benefit from it. Get together, and get the necessary capital to erect a sufficient number of business houses on the lots facing the square, either to rent or sell, and then others who want to build can then go ahead, knowing that the town is permanently located.

AUSTRIA WOULD PLACATE UNITED STATES

Is Anxious to Avoid Break Uniformity of Nation Disturbs Embassies

Washington, D. C., May 17.—Dr. Contantin Dunba, the Austrian ambassador, had a long conference today with secretary Bryan and other state department officials. While the ambassador would not discuss the object of his call, the impression prevailed in well informed circles that he had been endeavoring to sound out the feeling with a view toward assisting in a peaceful settlement of the situation with Germany.

It is known that the Austrian ambassador and Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador, have been in close consultation for several days, and that Austria is watching with deep interest the course of events between the United States and her ally, throwing her influences in the direction of preventing any rupture in friendly relations.

Teuton's Note U. S. Angor

The seriousness of the sinking of the Lusitania, the intense feeling it has aroused in the United States, and the country wide support which has been given to president Wilson's note, are facts which both the Austrian and German ambassadors are understood to have communicated to their respective governments. It is believed also that they had cautioned extreme care for the present, at least, in the submarine warfare to avoid any act which would further intensify feeling in the United States.

"Nothing to Arbitrate"

That the United States stands firmly on the absolute justice both from a legal and humane point of view, of its position, and therefore has nothing to arbitrate, was the intimation which many officials gave as the answer to suggestions that Germany would offer to arbitrate the questions raised in the American note. The American government, it was pointed out, authoritatively desires an adequate acceptance of the principles of its contentions, though some plan to be effective during the present war may be considered whereby belligerents would agree to separate passenger and contraband traffic, or to disarm merchant ships plying to or from American ports. Any such terms, it was stated, would have to be made as between the belligerents.

GOVERNOR TALKS AGAINST SALOONS

New Mexico Executive Says that Saloons Cannot Be Controlled; "Shut Them Up."

Governor W. C. McDonald—"The saloon cannot be controlled by law. Since it cannot be regulated and cannot be made to obey the law, take the step which you know will be effective and close it up."

Justice R. H. Hanna—"The saloons are violating every law of God and man. If the law of God prevailed the saloonkeeper would be sent out to the penitentiary to serve time with his victims."

Judge E. C. Abbott—"If they will not quit their nefarious business of robbing men of their reason and their manhood, let us make it a crime to sell liquor in any form here."

Col. Jose D. Sena—"Drink hurts our people more than anything else. It is the duty of all to help eradicate the saloon and save the Spanish-American people from its grasp. Let us vote to free this city from the abominable evil of the liquor habit."

COLLEGE JOKE

Two students walking together on the campus.

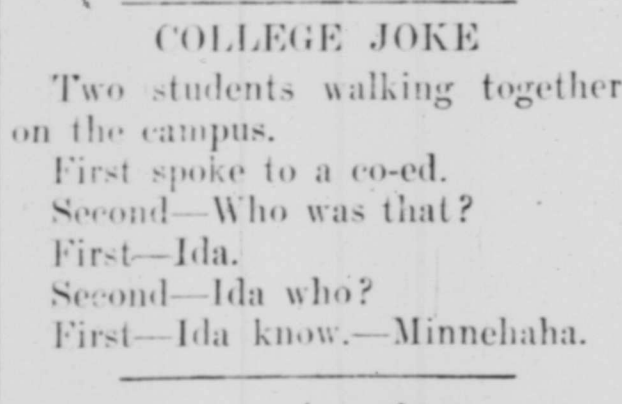
First spoke to a co-ed.

Second—Who was that?

First—Ida.

Second—Ida who?

First—Ida know.—Minnelaha.



A WOMAN'S BURDENS

are lightened when she turns to the right medicine. If her existence is made gloomy by the chronic weaknesses, delicate derangements, and painful disorders that afflict her sex, she will find relief and emancipation from her troubles in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If she's overworked, nervous, or "run-down," she finds new life and strength. It's a powerful, invigorating tonic and nerve which was discovered and used by an eminent physician for many years, in all cases of "female complaints" and weaknesses. For young girls just entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life"; in bearing-down sensations, periodical pains, ulceration, inflammation, and every kindred ailment, the "Favorite Prescription" is guaranteed to benefit or cure. Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

Announcement! OUR sale on Men's Low Quarter Shoes is still on. And we have been selling them at the price we have offered them. The inducement of 50c off on the pair has created a good deal of interest. We have just received our shipment of Romper and Wash Suits and Dresses for Children. They are nice patterns and are reasonable in price. Come in and see them. Also have a new and good line of Ladies' Oxford Shoes in latest styles. W. T. READ MERCANTILE CO Pecos, Texas

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days Your druggist will refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. Soc.

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 Taylor County, on the 21st day of April 1915, by the clerk of said Court against W. C. Crowder, for the sum of \$1,044.42 and cost of suit, in cause No. 3491 in said Court, styled J. M. Balford Grocery Company versus W. C. Crowder and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 20th day of April 1915, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Section No. 14, Block No. 59, public School land situated in Reeves County, Texas, and containing 340 acres of land, and lying upon as the property of said W. C. Crowder. And on Tuesday, the 1st day of June 1915, at the Court House door of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., I will sell said Real property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. C. Crowder, 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.

Witness my hand, this 30th day of April 1915. TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas. 7-May-19-15.

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State of Texas, County of Reeves, WHEREAS, on the 6th day of March, 1906, Amelia Cleys, of Cook County State of Illinois, made, executed and delivered her four (4) certain promissory vendor lien purchase money notes each for the sum of One Hundred and Sixty Dollars (\$160.00), due March 6, 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910, respectively, payable to Frederick P. Olcott, or bearer, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent (6pct.) per annum from date, payable annually, and providing for an additional ten per cent (10pct.) as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, to secure the payment of which a vendor's lien was retained against the hereinafter described property, and to further secure the payment of said notes to the said Amelia Cleys on March 6, 1906, trustee, her certain deed of trust of record in Vol. 1 pages 41 to 45, Deed of Trust Records Loving County, Texas, conveying the following property in Loving County, Texas:

Being the South-West half (S. W. 1-2) of the North-East Half (N. E. 1-2) of Survey No. Seventy-three (73) in Block No. Thirty-three (33), on the waters of Pecos river, about thirteen miles S. 5 deg. W. from the center of the County, originally granted to the Houston & Texas Central Railway Company by the State of Texas, by Certificate No. 40-4852, more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at a point in the S. E. line of this section 950 varas S. 40 deg. W. from the East corner; THENCE S. 40 deg. W. 950 varas to the South corner of this tract; THENCE N. 50 deg. W. 950 varas to the West corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 40 deg. E. 950 varas to the North corner of this tract; THENCE S. 50 deg. E. 950 varas to the place of beginning, containing 100 acres of land; And, WHEREAS, the principal of said notes and the interest thereon from March 6, 1908, are past due and still unpaid; and, WHEREAS, T. D. Cobbs, the trustee named in the deed of trust aforesaid has, by an instrument in writing dated July 23, 1912, resigned said trust and still refuses to execute the same; and, WHEREAS, Dudley Olcott 2nd and James N. Wallace, who were at that time and are now the legal holders and owners of said notes did on the 14th day of April, 1915, by an appointment and designation in writing, name, constitute and appoint E. C. Canon, of Reeves County, Texas, as the successor in said trust, of and as the substitute for the said T. D. Cobbs; and, WHEREAS, the said Dudley Olcott 2nd and James N. Wallace have exhibited and now the legal holders and owners of said notes, and 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.

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RURAL SCHOOLS TO BE ASSISTED

Hudspeth Says New Schols Law Will Probably Pass at Special Session

The vote on the Gibson Insurance Bill, permitting foreign insurance companies to reenter the state without paying the back taxes will be very close, according to state Senator Claude B. Hudspeth, who is home from Austin.

"I am not prepared to say whether the bill will pass," said senator Hudspeth. "There is a great amount of opposition to any change in the Robertson law, and on the other hand there are many friends of the measure. For this reason the vote will be very close."

"There is not the same amount of opposition to the administration's rural school bill, which provides for an appropriation of \$500,000 yearly for two years to be apportioned among the rural schools to assist in meeting the new demands upon the school districts imposed by the compulsory education law which goes into effect in 1916."

Liberal Apportionments. "This bill provides that, in rural districts where the assessment is \$50 on the \$100 valuation, \$1000 will be apportioned. In other districts where the enrollment is 200, or less, as much as \$200 is apportioned."

"As originally drawn, it also provided for district school supervisors who would visit the schools in the counties composing their respective districts, but this feature of the bill has been eliminated. As the measure now stands, there appears to be no marked opposition, and the bill will undoubtedly become a law."

DANGER TO CHILDREN

Serious illness often result from lingering coughs and colds. The hacking coughing and disturbed sleep rack a child's body and the poisons weaken the system, so that disease cannot be thrown off. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has eased coughs, colds and croup for three generations: safe to use and quick to act. There is no better medicine for croup, coughs and colds. Sold by Pecos Drug Co. -Adv.

GETTING IT STRAIGHT

Husband-You spend altogether too much money. Wife-Not at all! The trouble is you don't make enough. -Times-Picayune.

RAILROAD MEN WANT TO VOTE

El Pasoans Working for Law to Permit Them to Vote When on Road

Railroad men wish to vote away from home. They pay their poll taxes, own their homes here and pay taxes, they say. Yet they are disfranchised because their work takes them out of the city on election day.

At a joint meeting of the railroad men of El Paso, which was held in the K. of P. hall Monday afternoon, house joint resolution No. 1, which has been offered in the Texas legislature permitting railroad men, traveling men, and others whose business takes them away from home to vote wherever they are in the state on election day. The meeting was attended by representatives of the Order of Railway Conductors, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers.

Committee is Appointed. A committee was appointed to obtain publicity for the campaign to prevent the railroad men from being disfranchised while earning their living on the road. This committee is composed of Joseph S. Myers of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers J. A. Dickey of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, A. W. Young of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and G. H. Aitken of the Order of Railway Conductors.

Plans for conducting a campaign of education among the railroad men over the state and in El Paso in favor of the joint resolution and to urge representatives at Austin to work for the legislation permitting the men to vote on the road.

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.)

DOWN IN MEXICO

"They do things differently in Mexico." "How's that?" "The presidents do most of their running after they're elected." -New York Independent.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS ITEMS

University Station, May 14.—Commencement at the Medical College of the University of Texas will be made the occasion for the dedication of two new buildings, one a nurses' home, capable of accommodating 55 women; and the other a new hospital costing \$150,000, the gift of Mrs. Smith and her brother, Mr. John Sealy of Galveston.

President S. P. Brooks of Baylor University and President R. S. Hyer of the Southern Methodist University have been requested to deliver the dedicatory addresses.

The June issue of the Alcalde, the official organ of the University Ex-Students' Association, will be devoted almost entirely to the Medical College, presenting reminiscences of the medical alumni, cuts of the new college buildings, and descriptions of the work and accomplishments of the institution will all find a place in its pages.

The Board of Regents of the University will meet in Galveston on May 31st and attend the commencement exercises of the college.

"The good that the Division of Public School Improvement does," says Dr. A. C. Ellis, head of the University Extension Department, "cannot be measured in dollars and cents, for it has gone into making of healthier, cleaner boys and girls with quicker and nobler minds and characters, for which there is no money equivalent."

"But even in the mere saving of money, the worth of this work is easily seen. In assisting in the planning of two schools in one city in Texas, the University representatives not only made possible a more hygienic and convenient building, but according to the figures of the secretary of the board, saved \$34,000 on the previous cost of an equal number of rooms. As this same man helps to plan a large number of buildings each year, it is plain that this work alone saves for the school of Texas more than the cost of the entire Department of Extension. One county has erected over 20 model country schools according to plans and specifications furnished free by the University Department of Extension. There are probably more than a thousand school buildings in Texas that have profited by the bulletins and experts sent out by the University. This Division reaches each year through its letters, lectures, and demonstrations 9,000 teachers and 35,000 pupils and patrons. Through its bulletins, exhibits and press articles it reaches and helps not less than 100,000 more."

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Co.

CASE OF SELF-DECEIT

"Isn't it funny how Boudnerby delights in claiming he's a self-made man?" "Yes, and there's nothing in it. His wife selects his clothes, his mother-in-law regulates his hours and his wife's sister supervises his manners."—Cleveland Plain Dealer

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver and you lose a day's work.

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when 50 cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and not salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your hopes. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you. (Advt.)

"There is no such thing as luck." "There isn't, eh? Did you ever more particularly described as follows: when it was empty?"—Judge.

Advertisement for Southwestern Portland Cement Company. Includes a large illustration of a man and a dog, and text: 'How much can we save you? SOUTHWESTERN PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY. El Paso, Texas, August 12th, 1914. Mr. A. F. Fegan, c/o The Texas Company, 21 Paso, Texas. Dear Sir: Confirming conversation with you regarding use of "Crater compound" on our kiln gears, beg to say that for two years we tried to lubricate them with yours and other black oils without much success. At that time, two years ago, you put in your "Crater" and I doubted the advisability of attempting to run the main pinth gear any longer, but am pleased to say that the wear was stopped almost completely by the use of "Crater". The same gears are running today with promise of a long time yet. You can see the value of this, as this gear and pinion cost us about \$600.00 without expense and loss of time in replacing. Our gear lubrication on kilns and coolers was reduced in cost over 50% by use of "Crater" in addition to the above benefits. Yours truly, SOUTHWESTERN PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY. Our agent can tell you which of the red-star brand oils you need. The Texas Company, General Offices, Houston, Tex.' No. 37

REVENGE

Will Irwin, the novelist, sailing on the Lusitania for a second visit to Belgium, said to a reporter.

"The Belgians accept their condition philosophically, but sometimes they show how they really feel. Here is an instance."

"A German officer asked the conductor of a street car in Brussels if it would take him to army headquarters. The conductor hardly understood the German at all, and finally, in his exasperation at not being comprehended, the officer took the man by the back of the neck and shook him violently."

"But at this point a Brussels woman interrupted."

"Take car 37, sir," she said to the officer. "That is the car you need."

"The officer thanked her and jumper off. After he had gone, the lady smiled and said to the assembled passengers:

"Car 37 won't take him to the army headquarters. It will take him to the hog-killing pens. I think that is the most suitable place for him."—Exchange.

'SLOWED UP' AT MIDDLE AGE

The hard working kidneys seem to require aid sooner than other internal organs. At middle age many men and women feel twinges of rheumatism, have swoolen or aching joints and are distressed with sleep disturbing bladder ailments, Foley Kidney Pills are safe, prompt and can be depended on to give relief.

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BEGINNING at a point in the S. E. line of this section 1900 Varas S. 40 deg. W. from the East corner;

THENCE N. 50 deg. W. 950 varas to the south corner of this tract;

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THENCE S. 50 deg. E. 950 varas to the place of beginning, containing 150 acres of land, and

WHEREAS, the principal of said notes and the interest thereon from March 6, 1908, are past due and still unpaid; and

WHEREAS, T. D. Cobbs, the trustee named in the deed of trust aforesaid has, by an instrument in writing dated July 23, 1912, resigned said trust and still refuses to execute the same; and

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WHEREAS, the said Dudley Olcott 2nd and James N. Wallace have exhibited said notes to me, the said E. C. Canon, and have requested me to proceed to sell the real estate above described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount specified in said notes, with interest and the cost of executing this trust;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, E. C. Canon, the substitute trustee, hereby give public notice that at the Court house door in the City of Pecos, County of Reeves, (to which Loving County is attached for judicial purposes), State of Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in June, 1915, being the 1st day of said month, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the hereinafter described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount of said notes, with interest and the cost of executing this trust;

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WITNESS MY HAND this 5th day of May, A. D., 1915.

E. C. CANON, Substitute Trustee.

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BEGINNING at a stone mound on the North bank of Pecos River the South corner of this section and West corner of Section No. 72 from which mesquite 50 bears S. 13 deg. W. 13 varas Do. 9" bears S. 82 1-4 deg. W. 25 varas;

THENCE N. 40 deg. E. 931 varas to the East corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 50 deg. W. 950 varas to the orth corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 40 deg. W. 1161 varas to a stake on North bank of Pecos River the West corner of this section from which mesquite 6" bears N. 85 deg. W. 69 varas Do. 7" bears N. 88 deg. W. 59 varas;

THENCE down said river with its meanders N. 82 3-4 deg. E. 146 varas S. 58 deg. E. 98 varas, S. 42 deg. E. 155 varas, S. 70 1-2 deg. E. 209 varas, S. 57 deg. E. 42 varas, S. 25 1-4 deg. E. 128 varas, S. 11 1-2 deg. E. 125 varas and S. 75 deg. E. 188 varas to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres of land. And

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WHEREAS, Dudley Olcott 2nd and James N. Wallace, who were at that time and are now the legal holders and owners of said notes did on the 14th day of April, 1915, by an appointment and designation in writing, name, constitute and appoint E. C. Canon, of Reeves County, Texas, as the successor in said trust of, and as the substitute for the said T. D. Cobbs; and

WHEREAS, the said Dudley Olcott 2nd and James N. Wallace have exhibited said notes to me, the said E. C. Canon, and have requested me to proceed to sell the real estate above described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount specified in said notes, with interest and the cost of executing this trust;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, E. C. Canon, the substitute trustee, hereby give public notice that at the Court house door in the City of Pecos, County of Reeves, (to which Loving County is attached for judicial purposes), State of Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in June, 1915, being the 1st day of said month, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the hereinafter described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount of said notes, with interest and the cost of executing this trust, and I will deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof, in my name as substitute trustee, a deed or deeds conveying the property sold and binding the said Amelia Cleys to warrant specially the title to said land; and the proceeds arising from said sale I will apply (1) to all proper expense of advertising, selling and conveying said premises, including a commission to the trustee for making the sale, (2) to the payment of said notes and all interest due thereon, and (3) to the parties entitled to receive the balance, if any balance remains.

WITNESS MY HAND this the 5th day of May, A. D., 1915.

E. C. CANON, Substitute Trustee.

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Hell is reported to be wide open and the Devil turned loose. Who knows?

We are sorry to report that Mr. Harry Woods, the accommodating station agent for the Pecos Valley Southern railroad at Pecos, is reported on the sick list this week.

ORIENT HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Thursday, May 13

M. T. Eudaley, Grandfalls,
W. B. Andrews, Toyah,
Guy Beverly, St. Louis,
Jno. L. Kelley, Dallas,
Miss Alice Coad, Red Bluff,
R. N. Coad, Red Bluff,
Roy Warren, Santa Fe,
E. L. Barrow, Houston,
Sol Mayer, Toyahvale.

Friday, May 14

T. A. Ezell, ranch,
R. A. Firvin, Ft. Stockton,
Mrs. J. N. Lewis, Cisco,
F. G. Oxshcer, Ft. Worth,
E. Scott, Toyah,
C. T. Goetz, Minneapolis,
W. B. Mosher, Minneapolis,
H. A. Bly, Sargent,
A. H. Hitchcock, Denver,
H. H. Lockett, Toyah.

Saturday, May 15

F. O. Crockett, Dallas,
W. S. Taylor, Sweetwater,
A. D. Stancliff, Dallas,
J. J. Pope, Toyah,
A. W. Hosie, Toyah,
Theo. Andrews, Toyah,
Mrs. Beau M. Cutcherson, ranch,
C. L. Ness, Hoban,
H. F. Ritter, Lynchburg, Va.

Sunday, May 16

Mrs. W. D. Cleveland, Houston,
Miss McGregor, Lobo,
T. H. Bell, El Paso,
W. O. Washington, San Antonio,
Tom Cope, Ft. Stockton,
Clay Cooke and wife, city,
Seymore Walton, Quito Wells,
E. P. May, San Francisco,
C. M. Wilson and wife, City.

Monday, May 19

Porter J. Bailey, San Antonio,
Jas. H. McSaine, Louisville, Ky.,
A. Viek Winter, Pecos,
Ponder S. Carter, Toyah,
Theo. Andrews, Toyah,
W. B. Andrews, Toyah,
A. W. Hosie, Toyah,
A. W. Hosie, Toyah,
Finley Home, Toyah,
H. H. Lockett, Toyah,
Joe Duncan, Toyah.

Tuesday, May 18

Mrs. Sid H. Brown, McKinney,
Mrs. H. Rooney and son, Fort Stockton.

T. M. White, Midland,
W. H. Howman, Big Springs,
J. C. Smith and Valet, N. Y.,
P. O. Benjamin, Barstow,
C. H. Leffingwell, Barstow,
E. P. Sticked, "U" Ranch,
Branick Riggs, "U" Ranch,
W. M. Byrn, El Paso,
H. Howard, Philadelphia,
G. T. Reynolds and Wife, Ranch,
J. Patton, Big Springs,
Mrs. A. R. Johnson, Balmorhea,
Edna Hawthorn, Fort Worth,
Mabel McGowan, Fort Worth.

Wednesday, May 19

L. K. Laney, Roswell,
W. L. Coon, Fort Worth,
Fred Snyder, Ft. Worth,
Mrs. Joe Bunch and daughter, Carlsbad,
J. M. Roff, Big Springs,
Mrs. O. N. Rodgers, Pyote,
H. A. Bly, Sargent,
H. R. Anderson, City,
Ben F. Allen, Midland,
M. T. Eudaley, Grandfalls,
A. J. Adcock, Grandfalls,
Tom T. Garrad, Jr., Midland



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MISS HELEN HOWARD BRIDE

One of the most interesting weddings of the springtime was that of yesterday afternoon when Miss Helen Howard, a charming girl of Southern birth, who has made her home in Colton for the past two years, with just a month "over" that time, became the bride, and a truly winsome one, of James D. Davis, of Sonora, Texas.

The wedding was a quite little home event taking place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright on West F street, all appointments being of the simplest character. As the clock chimed the half hour after 4, the happy young pair took their places before Rev. J. A. V. Pieters, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, now of Calvary church of Pomona, who came up especially to perform the marriage service and the nuptial vows were sealed with the always beautiful and impressive ceremony.

Enchantress, carnations, pink roses and dainty ferns were used to transform the home into a bridal bower and it was in this pretty but simple setting that the marriage was solemnized.

Never so lovely has the young bride appeared as on her wedding day, say those who managed to have a glimpse of her as the train was taken for Los Angeles at 5:47 last evening, and these numbered some thirty or more of her friends who gathered at the depot to bestow congratulations, greet the fortunate bridegroom and plentifully shower both with good luck grains of rice.

The culmination of the romance, which managed to "leak out" as romances will, came for the most part as a surprise to the wide circle of friends and acquaintances possessed by Miss Howard, who must now be more properly called Mrs. Davis, who had suspected but not been taken into the confidence of the bride or her family.

Only immediate relatives were present as the vows were plighted yesterday, the bride wearing her traveling suit of deep blue made in the latest spring mode, completed with a blue crepe de chine blouse in harmony and a chapeau in the putty shade trimmed with bright geranium blossoms and scarlet velvet ribbon, a smart and very becoming costume.

Her tour is to include a visit at the San Francisco exposition, Salt Lake Denver, Yellowstone Park, Wichita, Kansas, Oklahoma, San Angelo, Texas, where friends are to be visited, and then to Sonora, where a home awaits the coming of its mistress. Mr. Davis is a wealthy and large ranch and stock owner and his many friends will join in welcoming his bonny bride.

A true daughter of the south is Mrs. Davis, and not the least part of her charm lays in the soft southern voice and way of speaking. She was born in Tennessee but resided in Texas for nine years prior to coming to Colton. With the Wrights she lived at Pecos last but it was at Mineral Springs that the acquaintance with Mr. Davis began.

She is a talented musician and has been in much demand at musical affairs, her voice being a clear and sweet soprano. A leading part has always been taken by her in the young people's circles of the First Baptist Church of which she was a member and where she sang in the choir.

Many loving wishes of friends here for happiness in her new life are being carried to Texas by Mrs. Davis, although it is a matter of sincere regret that Colton is not to be her home city.—Colton, (Cal.) Daily Courier.

Miss Helen Howard, whom the people of Pecos remember with pleasure, and who has resided at Coulton, California, for two years, was married in that city this week. The fortunate groom is Mr. James R. Davis, of Sonora, Texas. This paper and a large circle of Pecos friends join in wishing for the charming bride and lucky groom all the happiness that this world can give.

—The best mixed hen food you ever saw at Prewit & Wadley's.

RECEIVES 10,000 COPIES OF NEW STATUTES

Austin, Texas, May 18.—Ten thousand copies of the new law enacted at the regular session of the 34th legislature, January 12 to March 20, have been received by the secretary of state's department and are now ready for distribution. The volume contains 156 general, special and local laws, and 23 resolutions. This is the first time in many years where the laws have been printed so close after the adjournment of a regular session.

REEVES COUNTY DISTRICT COURT

Considerable work has been done during the past week.

The Jas. Considine vs the T. & P. Ry. Co., damages; jury gave plaintiff judgment for \$1.00

Ella Frazier vs T. & P. Ry. Co., damages; jury awarded plaintiff \$1433.33, intervener, Caroline Durell, \$266.67.

Lizzie Flowers vs T. & P. Ry. Co., damages; continued.

Chas. Regon vs J. M. Ledinhum, to quit title; judgment for plaintiff.

Pecos Valley State Bank vs P. Albert Cooney; continued.

H. A. Dodge, et ux, Citizens State Bank, San Antonio; Continued.

J. N. Levin was granted a divorce.

SIXTH WEEK

Monday May 21th.

T. W. Suttlemyer, C. A. Esterbrook, W. L. Coalson, S. G. Swisher, Sid Floyd, T. S. Williams, J. W. B. Williams, D. T. McKee, Harry Walker, David Adams, M. E. Adock, J. L. Tyler, Hugh Robertson, W. P. Morris, R. E. Williams, M. C. Buchanan, I. L. Barlow, H. C. Slack, Jr., Howard Yost, J. W. Scanlon, Robert Wagnon, J. H. Wilhite, Perry Wagnon, J. D. McAdams, A. B. Burchard, S. B. Shulster, E. G. Reynolds, Henry Avant, J. B. Briscoe, W. P. Hipp, Bob Baker, A. G. Barefield.

Messrs. M. T. Eudaley and A. J. Adcock were up from Grandfalls on a business trip Wednesday.

Tom T. Gerard, Jr., District Attorney, was in Pecos Wednesday, having arrived from Midland.

THE NEW LAND ACT

(Continued from page one.)

this section under water-bond under Article 5455 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, the lessee or assignee of an entire lease made under said Article 5455, may within thirty days after the next sale date after the expiration of his lease buy out of the lands theretofore leased to him, not exceeding one complement of land at its reasonable market value to be fixed by the Commissioners of the General Land Office without reference to the value of his immovable improvements; but such lessee or assignee shall first give written notice to the Commissioners of the General Land Office and specify the land he wants to buy not less than sixty days prior to said sale dates; provided the lands so improved under such water-bond shall not be sold prior to September 1, 1915.

(a) Land in these counties is offered for sale without condition of residence because it is so broken by mountains, canyons, gorges, rocky hills or without water as to be unfit for residence.

(b) One-tenth of the price offered must accompany the application for each survey, and the balance will bear 5 per cent interest and may run forty years or may be paid for in full at any time and obtain a patent.

(c) Each survey must be purchased as a whole.

(d) A 1280-acre survey will be counted as two sections.

(e) The land will be awarded to the one who offers the most for it, but no award will be at a price less than that fixed thereon.

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"Purgatory Fire—Not Now, but Soon."
"Apostles and Pseudo Apostles."
"Where Are the Dead?"
"Ancient Garden of Eden."
"Great Parade of Sheep and Goats."
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(f) There is only one lease in existence that is affected by the provision relating to lease and that lease expires April 24, 1915.

Section 4. Land that is situated in any county other than those named in this act may be sold in quantities not to exceed a quarter of a section and on the basis of 160 acres, more or less, to one person, and in tracts of 80 acres, or multiples thereof; provided a tract which contains less than 240 acres may be purchased by one person. All purchases of tracts of 80 acres or more, in the counties included in this section shall be on condition of actual settlement on some portion of the land so purchased and continuoussecutive years, as now provided by law.

(a) All counties which are not named in the above Sections 2 and 3 are included in this Section 4.

(b) The only land now for sale in the counties included in this Section 4 are such scraps of unsurveyed land as may be found by the county surveyor or other persons and lying between old surveys. The Land Office has no record of these; also there may be a few surveys of small acreage in a few of these counties which have not been taken.

(c) It may be a few surveys will come on the market in the future in some of these counties by reason of being forfeited for non-payment of interest. If so, they will be for sale to those only who will become settlers thereon and reside upon the land three years. They will be advertised in due time.

(d) Applications must be accompanied by one-fortieth of the price offered for the land and the balance will bear 3 per cent interest, and may run forty years or may be paid for in full at any time after the completion of the residence and obtain patent therefore.

(e) The land will be awarded to the one who offers the most for it, but no award will be made at a price less than the appraised price fixed thereon.

(f) Everyone desiring to do so may be present when applications are opened.

Cash Without Settlement

Section 5. All tracts of land in whatsoever county, and whether surveyed or unsurveyed, which contain less than 80 acres, and also all

unsurveyed tracts which are less than 80 acres, and also all unsurveyed tracts which are less than 400 acres wide at any point, and of whatever acreage, shall be sold for cash and without condition of settlement and residence.

Section 6. Such tracts of land as may be part within a settlement county and part within a non-settlement county, shall be sold without condition of settlement, and such tracts as may be part within a two-section county, and part within a quarter-section county, shall be sold as if in the two-section county.

Applications to be Opened Section 7. Applications to purchase shall be opened at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 2nd day of September, 1915, and at the same hour and day of the following January, May, and September of each year thereafter, and should said second day of January, May and September fall on Sunday or legal holiday, then the next day thereafter. When all applications have been acted upon the land remaining unsold shall again be advertised as now provided by law.

(d) No corporation, partnership, school land except railroad franchises, water reservoirs and sites not to exceed 320 acres.

(e) All land that is classed as "torpid" will be sold with the same about the first of July, November and March of each year.

Sallow complexion is due to torpid liver. HERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and restores the normal blood health to the cheek. Price 50c. Sold by Pecos Drug Co.

General Notes

(a) The general school land law provides that applications may be sent to the General Land Office at

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STOCK SHIPMENTS GOING OUT

Two car-loads of goats were loaded at Toyahvale Monday by Will Crow, and were brought in by the Pecos Valley Southern train and turned over to the Texas & Pacific road, which carried them to the Fort Worth market.

Last Saturday Oval Keen shipped out 15 car-loads of cows and calves via the Santa Fe, to Portales, New Mexico. This is the bunch that Mr. Keen has been pasturing below Pecos a short distance, having shipped them in from the west.

The Santa Fe had two special trains Sunday. One was 19 car-loads of cattle shipped from Carlsbad to Van Horn, via Pecos, shipped by W. L. Corne. The other was an shipment of 19 cars shipped by A. G. Bogusch. They came via the Texas & Pacific from Allamore, and were sent up to LaMar, Colorado.

KIRKLEY BEATS WESLEY

Greenville, Texas, May 18.—In the second and decisive game of the city series being played here Kirkley overwhelmed Wesley this afternoon by a score of 10 to 1. Gibson was pounded unmercifully and his teammates made eleven errors. This gives Kirkley the championship of Greenville.

Mr. Kirkley, of the Kirkley school at Greenville, is a brother of Dr. M. R. Kirkley, of the Pecos Drug Company.

Messrs. J. J. Pope, A. W. Hosie and Theo. Andrews were down from Toyah circulating among their numerous Pecos friends last Saturday.

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good. I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing my work."

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Phone 84 for your grocery wants. 21-2

W. A. Hudson, Esq., left last Saturday going to Ft. Beard, N. M., to visit his son.

—Phone 148 for soda water.

Charles Carter, of Gainsville, came in Saturday evening on business and he was kept busy shaking hands with his numerous friends. He and his estimable family are going to move to Dulworth.

Bone meal fine for the little chicks at Prewit and Wadley's.

Bill Means arrived in Pecos Sunday evening from El Paso.

—Soda water by the case delivered anywhere in town. Phone 148.

Miss Bessie Dyer, accompanied by Miss Georgie Key, Mr. Cant Lou and Claude Cantrell autoed over from Barstow Monday.

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

Rev. A. A. Davis filled his appointment at Toyah Sunday and returned to Pecos Sunday evening.

—Cold press cake at Prewit & Wadley's.

H. N. McKellar and family, one of Pecos' old-timers, moved to Corpus Christi, on the coast. Mr. McKellar is going into the furnishing business at that place. Mr. and Mrs. McKellar have many friends in Pecos and Reeves county, who regret losing these people, but it has been suggested by some that it will not be very long before they will be back in Pecos City again.

—Try Red Wing Grape Juice and you will use no other. Sold by Vickers & Collings. 19tf.

Judge Ponder S. Carter, the legal light of Toyah, came down last Sunday evening in order to be in Court Monday morning. He was accompanied by Mr. F. A. Bessire, a prominent business man of that place.

If you are owing GREEN'S grocery, pay them and get your premiums. 21-2

Tom Harrison our sheriff, mounted the cars last Saturday, going to the Texas and New Mexico State line with a combined business and pleasure trip. It is reported that he was well supplied with fishing hooks, etc.

—Whipperwill Peas at Prewit & Wadley's.

O. L. Woullard, of Pyote, was a Sunday visitor in Pecos.

H. F. Anthony was in from his Pecos county ranch Monday and Tuesday after supplies, and was warmly greeted by his numerous friends.

—No-work Freezers freeze without turning, freezes while your wife gets dinner and without turning guaranteed.

Vickers & Collings, Sale Agents. Jim B. Crowley was up from Grandfalls last Sunday circulating among his many friends in this

Messrs. H. K. Jones and Geo. Bruce, of Toyah, were Pecos visitors the latter part of last week.

H. Cope, of Fort Stockton, was among the numerous visitors in Pecos last week.

See some of our premiums on display in north window. 21-2

Messrs. Ray Arnold, C. E. Tamoureaux and Jim Mayfield, of Saragosa, were in Pecos last Saturday greeting their many friends.

—Soy beans for planting at Prewit & Wadley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brock, of Balmorhea, were visiting in Pecos Saturday.

Jerre DuBose, deputy U. S. marshal, from El Paso, stopped off here for a short time Monday evening on official business. Jerre has hosts of friends here who are always pleased to see him and give him the glad hand.

Schillings Coffee, tea and extracts at GREEN'S. 21-2

Mrs. William Garlick returned home Monday evening from Toyah, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

D. A. Gathings, one of Toyah Valley's prominent citizens and an alfalfa grower, was in Pecos Monday afternoon for a short time while on his way to Fort Worth and other points in East and North Texas, looking after some of his hay shipments.

—Tex seed and chick food at Prewit & Wadley's.

Messrs. Will Dixon, E. A. Humphries, J. D. Woods and Ben Dearing, all of Toyah, were in Pecos the forepart of the week on business.

J. C. Short was in from the Barrilla Draw country the first of the week, and made The Times' office a short call and contributed one more years subscription to his paper. Much oblige, Mr. Short.

—A fresh line of National Biscuit Co.'s cakes and crackers just received at Vickers & Collings. Try them. 19tf.

Jim Crow, of Balmorhea, was a Pecos visitor Monday for a short time.

T. B. Pruett, manager of the Pruett Lumber Company went out to Balmorhea Wednesday morning, via the Pecos Valley Southern train to look after their interests.

Stop talking about the war and buy your groceries and feed from Green.

Chas. Martin was up from the Crystal Water ranch Tuesday shaking hands with his many friends in Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fulcher and Miss Ada Fulcher, of Fort Stockton, were visiting in Pecos for a short time Tuesday.

—All kinds of milch cow feed at Prewit and Wadley's

Messrs. A. G. Taggart, of the Pecos Mercantile Company, and T. B. Pruett, of the Pruett Lumber Company, were business visitors at Grandfalls Tuesday, and report that things in general were doing pretty well down there.

Green's Grocery buys everything from an egg to a bale of cotton and sells the best groceries for the least money. 21-2

A. D. Stancliff, a former Pecos boy, who is with the Texas Portland Cement Co., of Dallas, as Field Engineer, was a visitor in Pecos Saturday for a short time while on his way out to Saragosa to visit over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stancliff. He returned as far as Abilene on his way to Dallas, Monday. His numerous friends here were pleased to see him again.

—Peanuts and popcorn at Prewit & Wadley's.

John Young, Pecos Hotel bus driver, went to El Paso Sunday and returned Tuesday.

W. A. Hudson returned home Tuesday evening from a visit in New Mexico.

—Nice 2 room house for rent: plenty water and trees. See O. J. Green.

Stump Robbins of Saragosa spent Wednesday in the Hub City. He is jolly as ever.

—We are overstocked in California can goods, and for a short time offer you the following prices. Best quality Peaches, Prunes, Apricots, Grapes, Pears Blackberries, at 20c. Cherries and Strawberries at 25c. Yours to serve, Vickers & Collings. 21-2

Mrs. W. E. Stovall and little daughter of Point, Texas, are visiting Mrs. R. N. Couch, her sister, this week.

Let GREEN order your Strawberries and Dewberries. 21-2

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Jordan returned Wednesday from a two-weeks' visit at Lampass, Texas, with Mr. Jordan's people.

American Faculty Flour, the best on earth at Green's Grocery. 21-2

Mrs. Pat Flowers who has been in Pecos attending court left Wednesday for her home in Toyah, as her case was continued.

—Fancy German Millet seed at Prewit & Wadley's.

Arthur King's wife presented him with a fine blue-eyed, 9 pound baby girl Wednesday at 12:30 p. m. Arthur, we noticed, was acting quite strange Wednesday afternoon. A friend walked up and offered to shake hands with him and he began: "O, yes, its a girl, and it has the bluest eyes you ever saw."

—Two nice houses for sale; cheap. O. J. Green. 1t.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hawe returned Tuesday from their three weeks visit with Mr. Hawe's mother and numerous friends in Brownwood. They also visited friends in Menard. They report having had a splendid time, and Mr. Hawe informed us that the country for many miles below Fort Worth was looking rather hard, but in the lower country things was in a prosperous condition.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cowan and family have been in from their ranch near Toyah several days visiting the home folks and Mrs. D. J. Moran, Mrs. Cowan's sister and her family and other relatives and friends.

Chas. C. Boyd has been in town from the Llamond and a Half ranch for several days the past week visiting relatives and swapping yarns with his numerous friends. Sol Mayer was a business visitor in Pecos from Toyahvale the latter part of last week.

—Buy soda water by the case. Phone 148.

Mesdames J. A. Harvey and James Rooney returned to their homes, the former at San Angelo and the latter at Fort Stockton, after a three weeks visit in Pecos with their mother, Mrs. D. H. Jeanes and family and heir many friends.

T. A. Ezell was down from his ranch near Orla, the latter part of last week transacting business and greeting his many friends.

Judge Harry Mactier, of Balmorhea, has been in Pecos the greater part of the past week attending Court.

Messrs. E. Scott and H. H. Lockett, of Toyah, were among the numerous visitors in Pecos last Friday.

Mrs. Loula Dorsett, who has visited with relatives and friends here for the past two weeks, returned to her home in El Paso Wednesday. Her niece, little Annie Lou Cole, will spend the vacation with her.

Miss Grace Cole who has taught the school at Dubose for the year has closed her school and returned to be with her parents at Pecos. Miss Cole has given good satisfaction we learn, as have the other Pecos girls who have gone away to teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Sully Vaughn are now comfortably domiciled in their new home just out northwest of town which was completed last week. Sully may decide that "following the plow" is the life for him and give up his job in the Sheriff's office.

Mrs. Will Glascock went out to Balmorhea this morning on a business trip in connection with the LaMode Millinery Parlors.

BRING IN YOUR HORSES
There will be a horse buyer in Pecos City this week and next, buying horses from 15 to 16 1-2 hands high, and from 5 to 10 or 11 years old. Will pay good prices for big horses. Bring what you have to sell. Buyer can be found at Prewit & Wadley's sale stables.

HOT PRICES ON GRANITE WARE

Buckets, dish pans, sauce pans, tea kettles, coffee pots, stew kettles, your choice for 69 cts. This is about 1-2 the regular price. Call at Vickers & Collings. 21-2

AN APOLOGY!

On April 1st we placed orders with the best factories in the country for some new furniture and equipment, expecting early delivery, hoping to get our store in full tune for the summer business.

These factories have delayed us so much that we are still torn up and have business disturbed to an extent, but hope in a very few days more now to have one of the very nicest drug stores in all West Texas.

We will have a new prescription department entirely secluded from the other departments.

We will have a large and convenient office for all accounting.

We will have one of the largest and finest soda fountains in this section of the State.

Every convenience will be provided for the handling of our increasing trade.

This additional expense is our appreciation of your very liberal patronage and we only regret its offering.

We hope with this effort on our part that you may accord us even more liberal patronage than in the past.

We at least want you to know that we most highly appreciate your past favors.

CITY PHARMACY

Pecos, Texas, "Your Druggist" Phone 36.

John Bush, accompanied by his son, William, were Pecos visitors yesterday. Will returned home this morning but John staid in to dispose of a couple cars of Pea Green alfalfa hay.

Messrs. P. O. Benjamin and C. H. Leffingwell, of Barstow, were among the numerous visitors in Pecos Tuesday.

Branick Riggs was in from the U Ranch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Reynolds, who are visiting at the Lake Ranch were in Pecos visiting friends Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Kirkley went over to Barstow Wednesday to take dinner with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Purvis.

Messrs. Jas. D. Ramsey and R. L. Murphy, two of Barstow's prominent citizens were transacting business in Pecos Wednesday, and the latter made The Times office a short, but pleasant call.

Carruth Little came in last Thursday after a load of lumber for Mr. Dickson, of near Carmel, whom he is working for.

Guilford Runyon, who has been here for some time past, staying with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Curtiss, left Monday for Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Link left Friday for their new home at Las Cruces, New Mexico. They leave hosts of friends here who wish them the success they are justly entitled

SWEET ORA BELL WARD

When the May flowers were blooming. And the birds sang on hill and dell, Came a bright eyed babe from heaven, And they called her Ora Bell.

We have had her five golden summers; Each year she grows more dear, Dancing lightly o'er the threshold, Bringing sunshine everywhere.

Learning little bible lessons, Saying Blessed prayers at night, Mothers joy and home companion, Father's pride and delight.

Today is her fifth birthday, On each heart she casts a spell, And we pray that through her lifetime, God will guide sweet Ora Bell. —Composed by her aunt, Emma C. Simpson, May 20, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Tudor returned from Fort Worth Tuesday, and was accompanied by their son, David, who had undergone an operation for appendicitis. We are pleased to state that David is able to be up and around and is improving rapidly.

Mrs. A. R. Johnson, of Balmorhea, was in Pecos Tuesday.

Mrs. O. N. Rodgers, of Pyote, was in Pecos Wednesday.



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A Calendar for Diversification

CALENDAR FOR DIVERSIFICATION

Cultivating Young Cotton
The cultivation of young cotton requires considerable patience and perseverance. No plants that we know of are more tender and more easily injured by the team and the implements than young cotton plants. Being low, the plants are very easily covered by the soil from the implement and unless uncovered the stand is likely to be injured.

The selection of the implement for the first and second cultivations should be made with care and good judgment. The condition of the soil, the size of the plants and the vegetation that must be destroyed are some of the things that should guide the manager in making his selection. It may be and often is desirable to try several implements to see which will be capable of the best work. For this reason, considerable time may be required in making the start. This is where patience and good judgment count for much in farming.

Cotton that was planted just before heavy rains will need cultivation as soon as the ground is dry enough to permit it. It will be necessary to stir the ground thoroughly while there is still plenty of moisture and before the surface soil gets hard or before a "crust" is formed, regardless of whether or not the plants have germinated. Even when a heavy rain follows a cultivation, it will be necessary to cultivate again as soon as the soil is dry enough. If this is not done the soil will "run together," moisture will be lost and future cultivations will be interfered with.

Implements Are Important

As a general rule the harrow, weeder, spring-tooth cultivator or similar implements will be suitable for the first cultivation. When the weeds are not troublesome and the object is to establish a soil mulch and prevent weeds from making a start, as is likely to be the chief object in the first cultivation, some of the above suggested implements will be better than cultivators with sweeps or calf-tongues. Nevertheless, when the weather has been so unfavorable as to prevent cultivation to such extent that weeds have made a start, then sweeps may be necessary to destroy weed pots.

When the weather is still cool and insects troublesome it will not be necessary to make expensive efforts to "chop cotton." Unless the stand is very thick the plants will hardly suffer for thinning for a while, provided cultivation be continued. But cultivation must be ample to keep the rows comparatively free from weeds and to enable the plants to grow satisfactorily.

Sometimes hoeing can be done fore plowing, as the surface soil often dries sufficiently to permit "cotton chopping" before the teams and plows can be used. In this event, it will be best to hoe while you wait for the ground to dry.

It was a rule on the farm where we were reared and received our first lessons of management to "never stop the plow for the hoe." That meant that when rains are frequent and weeds troublesome, the cultivators must be kept busy, the land stirred frequently and hoeing to wait till such time as the hands could spare time from the cultivation. In those days hired hands were very seldom depended upon to hoe cotton. Since it requires more time to chop an acre of cotton than it does to plow it, the rule to keep the plow going when weeds are growing fast is a safe one. The chief aim of the plowman who cultivates cotton previous to hoeing is to save as much hoeing as possible, for hoeing is always expensive and irksome.

Cultivation of Corn

It is also very important to cultivate corn frequently. More depends upon timely cultivation of corn than upon promptness in cultivating cotton. The reason is apparent to experienced corn growers. Corn will not wait for cultivation, while cotton may. When corn is

once injured by neglect it is permanently injured. No later work can compensate for neglect of the corn. That is one reason why the average yield of corn is so low. There are many corn growers who for one reason or another do not cultivate their corn when it should be done. Too often copious rains or too large crops for the hands cause the manager to neglect something, and because cotton is the main crop and upon it he depends for his necessities, he neglects the corn. This is not likely to be the rule this season.

While corn is young the implement may run deeper than a little later on. It is a well-known fact that corn plants soon send out numerous root hairs near the surface. When these are disturbed by the implement the corn crop is likely to be injured. For this reason special care is necessary in cultivation. The slightest injury may be disastrous to the crop.

Thinning corn is work that may be deferred till such a time as other work is not pressing. Generally speaking, corn will not suffer for thinning till late in the season. There is always more or less injury to young plants when cultivating. The team and plow are likely to destroy a few plants, hence it is well to wait till late in the season till time can be spared for thinning corn. However, corn will need distance and the lack of it may reduce the yield considerably. Thin when you can spare the time from other work on the farm.

Later Garden Work.

and the press for time from other crops if this can be avoided. The garden may not furnish much cash, possibly none, but it is very important, nevertheless, in reducing living cost. A little work in the garden may mean much to the yield of vegetables and the vegetables may be worth much to the family.

After every heavy rain every square foot of area in the garden will need cultivation, the unplanted rows as well as the rows with growing plants. Unless this is done, the ground may for a "crust" and become so hard that it can not be prepared when time to plant late vegetables.

The Irish potatoes will require ample cultivation. But care should be taken not to injure the young tubers that may be found near the surface. Shallow cultivation should be given. Watch for beetles. Paris green or arsenate of lead may be used in case they make their appearance. For blight, Bordeaux is recommended.

The English peas will soon fail. They soon produce all that they will yield, then the vines should be pulled up and the land prepared and planted in some other crop, beans, radishes, cowpeas, tomato plants, cucumbers, etc., are a few of the later crops that may be suggested.

Do not allow radishes, turnips, mustard, etc., to form seed stems and produce seeds. As soon as the plants are too tough for food, pull them up and give them to the hogs or chickens. Mustard, because of its pungent odor, is very likely to attract and furnish food for insects.

Cabbage worms and cabbage bugs are generally numerous. It takes watching and fighting to keep them down. There are poisons, but hand picking is hard to beat when one has but a small cabbage patch. Remember that insects take refuge under the broad, sheltering leaves of cabbage and they are hard to reach with sprays.

Do not forget popcorn. It will be relished by the younger members of the family. A few rows of popcorn, when on good land and properly cultivated, will produce enough for an average family.

Peanuts will stand late planting. The garden or the field should have room enough for peanuts. Peanuts will afford entertainment for the young people in winter when the young people of the neighborhood meet at your home. Plant peanuts now if you have neglected them for any reason.

INFECTION IN THE AIR

Medical authorities agree that colds are infectious. In some cities children with colds are barred from schools. Spring changing weather brings many colds. The quickest and safe way to stop colds, coughs and croup is to give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound.

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SOWS AT FARROWING TIME

If the hog raisers would only pay more attention to the brood sows at this time they would add many dollars to their bank accounts. It is not uncommon to find sows at this period in a constipated condition where a little attention to this would be of great value in securing a much stronger litter. One should always be on hand at this time; don't leave it to luck, for occasionally some of your best sows will be restless and mash all her pigs. You will care for and feed your sow for 112 days to farrow you a litter of pigs and when that time comes you will leave her alone. If it pays to keep your sows to raise pigs, why will it not pay to be on hand at this critical time and lend her any assistance she may need. I have seen some of my best sows at this time almost go crazy and had I not been on the job I would have lost the entire litter. If it ever paid to keep a close watch on them and be on hand, this is the most important time.

Usually after a sow is through farrowing, she will lie down and be contented for twelve hours. It is a good thing to give her some water as soon as possible and leave her alone. See that the little pigs all get started to take nourishment before you leave her, and it is best to not have too much bedding. Be careful to not overfeed, for the sow is naturally feverish. Avoid any change of feed and do not make slop too rich, better not enough than too much. After the pigs are a few days old you can gradually increase the feed, but do not give the sow full feed for at least three weeks.

See that the pigs take plenty of exercise and keep bedding dry. Do not let them sleep in filthy pens; they appreciate clean beds as well as you do, and I believe more so than some men. Sanitation will pay well.—R. L. C. in Duroc Bulletin.

IMMORTALITY

"If a man die shall he live again?" That is the eternal question. I sat at the bedside the other night and kept lonely vigil as a little body, racked with pain, battled bravely against insurmountable odds. Not a second of that long, lonely night but was filled with agony for the little sufferer; with grave foreboding for me. And just as the sun had begun to silver the tops of the trees down by the river, the little soul-boat slipped its moorings and went sailing out across the bar.

It was as quiet and peaceable as though she had fallen asleep pillowed on her mother's bosom. Rest, complete and perfect.

Disease and suffering had done their worst, and that worst was done for her little soul that it might fly back from whence it came, and to bring the hearts of those others that gathered around the pitiful silent bed.

In that hour, although my ear was not attuned to catch the rustling of an angel's wings I was conscious he had come, and I knew that there never had been, has not now, and never would be but one answer to the eternal question. The great truth burst on me that it was for this that she had been called; hough but a little baby girl here, only whispering her wonder of the world and her love for those around her, yet she possessed the power of God himself and had gone home with at least one star in her crown.

I would like, if I might, to take the hand of many friends of mine who are skeptical concerning the chief end of man; what he is where he came from and whether he goes; I would like to lead them down there where I was the other night, and stand with them in genuine brotherly love, silent the while, that their eyes might see what mine have seen; their heart might feel what mine have felt; their ears hear what mine have heard; then, with arm in arm to serenely climb the height and look out with joyous eyes the new and glorious world.—T. A. Latta, in Bartlesville Examiner.

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Community Co-Operation

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The jitney car is a success in the city, where it operates in competition with street cars and carries passengers at less than two cents a mile. It has, therefore, come to stay.

But the automobile carrying passengers over regular routes or country roads for a fixed fare per mile, is becoming even a greater success. Particularly is it true of passenger-auto lines between rural towns or communities and railroad points—routes over which there has been no passenger service before.

The people of nearly any rural community can establish such a line to their railroad market town. The expense of starting it will be small, as will be the expense of operation. And, owned by a number of the people of the community and operated for the general good, it will be liberally patronized and thus be a paying investment.

What would it be worth to you to have an automobile, that you or your family might ride for a small fare, make regular trips from your community to the railroad town two or more times a day? It would be equal to living on the railroad.

Thus, modern science makes it possible, by community cooperation, for people living in the country to have all the advantages and escape the disadvantages of rural life.

Motor trucks and automobiles have already revolutionized trans-

portation in the city. People go every where in the city in automobiles, and wholesalers and retailers are delivering their goods in horseless trucks. The old-time dray wagon is seldom seen in the city and the street cars are running nearly empty.

And now the passenger carrying automobile and the freight-carrying motor-truck are invading the country. Here they are destined to find their greatest usefulness—in many sections are already finding it. They are hauling by regular runs and routes, passengers and freight between country towns or communities and to railroad towns, putting such rural communities on the railroad.

Such an enterprise requires good roads—the better, of course the better. To get good roads community co-operation is necessary, and to maintain good roads the same sort of co-operation must be kept up.

If your community is off the railroad, and the country roads are poor, get the people interested—just keep talking and working until they have to be interested. Build a 365-day road to your railroad town and maintain a motor truck and automobile line on it.

Life in your community will then be very satisfactory and satisfying, and your young people will be glad to stay on the farm.

BEST METHODS FOR HOG CHOLERA CONTROL

Writing on the subject of hog cholera control, C. H. Clink of the Indiana experiment station says:

There has been a large number of scattered outbreaks of hog cholera in Indiana during the past winter. The loss from this disease in 1914 in Indiana was about the average for the past fourteen years, or about 300,000 hogs. More can be done in the control of hog cholera in your community at this time than later in the season.

On farms that are free of infection, it is well to remove all manure, and clean the hog yards by scraping together the corn cobs and hauling them to the fields to be plowed under; all fallow holes should be filled; the hog houses and lots should be sprayed with a disinfectant. These precautions must be taken before the arrival of warm weather.

If there has been hog cholera infection on the farm during the last several months, it is necessary to practice more rigid precautions in ridding the premises of the disease. All litter such as manure, cobs and straw piles should be burned or hauled to a field where there is no danger of spreading the infection. It is not advisable to scatter it over the field, as there is danger of birds distributing the cholera infection to neighboring farms. If piled up for a few months and mixed with chloride of lime, it is then safe to scatter the manure over the field. All wallow holes should be filled in. The fences about the yard, lots and hog houses should be sprayed with a 3 percent solution of cresol disinfectant. A small quantity of lime should be added to the disinfecting solution so that the sprayed surface appears white and the danger of failing to spray the entire surface is avoided. Quacklime should be scattered about the yard. If the above precautions are practiced following an outbreak, the yards may safely be restocked in two or three months with hogs.

It is well to treat all hogs in an infected herd, that are not showing serious symptoms of hog cholera, with anti hog serum. The healthy hogs in the herd should be vaccinated by the simultaneous method. The carcass of hogs dying of hog cholera should be burned. All hogs on farms that adjoin premises where there is an outbreak of hog cholera, or that have been directly exposed to the disease should be vaccinated by the simultaneous method. We consider this a necessary control measure because of the attitude of the average farmer toward the quarantine measures recommended by health officers.

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HINGED PIG RAILS

Certainly there is a great difference in results when it comes to the number of pigs a sow will farrow and save. Other things being equal, of course, we are justified in charging the difference up to the sow. But we find that it is worth something to know your sow and provide for her accordingly.

The big heavy sow simply must be provided for in the right kind of quarters and bedding and a little time spent in being present. Some of the finest formed sows are also very prolific, but they are heavy on their feet and inclined to be sluggish. If you can get their pigs up to two or three days old, being good sucklers, they are good for the rest of the time if properly fed. We have found it impossible to get a sow of that kind through without protection in the pen. The hinged pig rail has served us better than any device we have tried, or personal attention we could give. This hinged pig rail is on guard every minute of the time. In a five-by-eight foot stall such as we use, they are ten inches from the door and extend out one foot from the wall and are placed only on the sides of the pen. The sow, when she is first placed in the pen, does not like the presence of them, but by having her in there several days before farrowing time she gets acquainted with them and understands how they work. She soon finds that she can get up and lie down and turn around in what appears to be just a three foot space, as easy as if the whole thing was open.

Don't Need Much Bedding

The first we made we tried them with a number twelve wire. They soon broke down. Then we tried a number nine and it was so stiff that when they rooted it up it would stay up. The next thing was to use a short piece of chain or make the wire into links so that when the rail was rooted up, it would come back to the same level. The ten-inch height allows the sow to lie down and turn under the rail part of the way, but never to touch the wall. The rail being hinged, when she wants up, all she has to do is rise and the rail comes up with her and then drops back to its place. In three or four days they may be tied up to the sides of the pen, where they will stay without getting lost until the next time you want them. Have only enough bedding to keep the pigs warm. They will huddle close to the mother, and if the pen is protected from drafts the fever in her udder makes a very good heater. If the floor of the pen is not heaped up too much the pigs soon get out of the way when the mother begins to move around. For summer or early fall pigs, the flies sometimes bite and bother them. By tacking gunny sacks on it to swing down, the pigs will learn to get under it when the flies bite them.

There is no set rule to follow or feed to give them, but there are some things to guard against. Do

not scour the pigs if you can help it. It is done nine times in ten by overfeeding the sow. In the first place, she should not have any feed at all for twelve to twenty-four hours after farrowing, but see to it that she has all the water she wants to drink. Sprinkle in a little shorts for a starter and gradually increase, keeping a sharp lookout for any sign of scour on the pigs. At the first sign of it, shut off the feed to half and add a teaspoonful of copperas to the slop or water. If you begin to raise your own pigs for feeders, the more you do it the more you will be afraid of scouring them when young. It is far better to carry them along looking a little thin, but lively and hungry, than to scour them or see them die thumps by getting their ever-fat while they are little. Just as soon as they are large enough to follow the mother see that they get out to pasture, if it is possible. Following the mother in the opening is one of the safest treatments ever given a bunch of young pigs. The pig running in the open and on pastures may be fed heavily with less danger than the pig in the close pen. Pigs within a week or some times two weeks of the average, will do very little rubbing, but when you have them strung out for a month or more, you certainly will have trouble with the rubber pigs coming from the elder litters. But we have found that we could put the sows in a pasture and give each one individual sleeping quarters. Being the pen in which she farrowed her pigs, and each one would go back to her pen at night and all her pigs, and there is no robbing or confusion. This is where the pigs were near the average. The more you work with hogs the more you will see the value of bunching this pigging. It is a short period as possible. It is a very important part of this work, production whereby we may learn to maintain profits when prices are gin to sag.—George Bishop, in the Indiana Farm Journal.

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More Forage Crops on All Farms

Why more forage crops on every Southern farm? Those who advocate the growing of more forage crops would almost universally answer, because they can be grown at less cost than they can be purchased. If this be true, and we believe it is, it is a good and sufficient reason and none other should be necessary.

But is this fact generally accepted as truth by Southern farmers? It is not, and the proof is as abundant as it is convincing. Any "cotton planter" can show you, with "figures that do not lie," that he can make money growing cotton to buy corn, or at least, that it is more economical to grow cotton and sell the cotton to buy corn than to grow the corn he needs.

That the South as a whole believes this is shown by the fact that we grow cotton to buy corn. No matter what we may say, our actions show clearly that we believe the growing of cotton, at ruling prices, more profitable than forage crops. If this is a fallacy, as we believe it is, why is the error so hard to correct? The answer to this question is complicated. There are numerous facts or conditions which tend to mask the truth. Let us examine some of these.

In the first place, we make corn almost the universal crop for furnishing grain, and only produce 16 to 18 bushels per acre in the cotton belt. If we look no further, can any one show that a crop of 200 pounds of lint-cotton and 400 pounds of cotton seed is not better than a crop of 16 to 18 bushels of corn? We do not generally use the whole corn plant, whereas we sell both the lint and the seed.

Make More Corn Per Acre or Quit. To repeat what we have already stated in another connection, we must either cease to make corn our chief forage crop or produce more per acre. If we use the whole plant to the best advantage the showing for the corn crop would be better; but to be frank with ourselves we must admit that we buy corn because the yields that we make per acre are less attractive to us than are cotton yields. Otherwise, why do we continue to sell cotton to buy corn?

Corn is a great forage plant, but the South will continue to buy corn as long as the average yield per acre is below 30 bushels. To make this apparent, we have only to state that a crop of 30 bushels to the acre, at 80 cents a bushel, only brings \$24, while a yield of 40 bushels to the acre at 60 cents a bushel brings the same amount. The difference in price, 20 cents a bushel, will pay the freight and handling charges. Moreover, the farmer of the Corn Belt cannot produce cotton while we can produce both corn and cotton; consequently we will continue to avoid his competition and grow cotton.

What is the remedy? The Southern farmer must appreciate two basic facts which he has not yet accepted. First, that there is another reason for the production of forage crops, other than to avoid the spending of cotton money for the purchase of feed-stuffs. He must be made to see or to fully appreciate the fact that the most important reasons for the growing of forage crops are that in so doing he may so improve his cropping system as to increase the nitrogen and humus supply of the soil, better employ or distribute the man and mule labor of the farm, and that these forage crops can be raised in addition to the usual amount of cotton.

In the second place, he must disabuse his mind of the fallacy that corn yielding 15 to 25 bushels per acre is the best forage crop for the South. There is no need in deceiving ourselves. Why do we buy corn and hay? It is doubtful if the Cotton Belt produces as much corn and hay as is consumed on the farms of this section; while the balance and that consumed by our cities and towns is purchased. The result is that the Cotton Belt farmer, who produces these forage crops for sale, in all sections where the local demand is not equalled by local production, has an advantage in price over the farmers of these sections where our purchased forage is produced equal to the freight and two or three handling

charges, and yet, we grow cotton to buy corn.

WHY DO YOU BUY FEED?

We are fond of repeating that our long growing season makes it possible or practicable for us to produce more forage on an acre than can be grown in the Corn Belt. If this be true, why do we buy forage? Simply because the cotton grower and Southern landowner have under existing conditions found cotton the most profitable crop. Cotton better adapts itself to the non-resident, or "proxy" method of farming, with negro tenants, than do other crops. Besides, these same non-resident farmers, and for that matter, many farmers that live on their farms, handle the cotton for the negroes and have an opportunity to take a toll, and they also, when feeds are purchased have an opportunity to take another toll, whereas when forage crops for farm use are grown both these opportunities are lost. In times of low-priced cotton and high priced feedstuffs we hear much from the cotton farmer about producing more forage crops; but this is soon forgotten under the opportunities and profits of high-priced cotton.

Beneath any general well established practice may be found a foundation of fact. The South has not produced her forage crops, because, under the conditions of our farming, she believes she has found it more profitable to the land owner and prosperous white man to buy the necessary supplies of feed-stuffs.

Why, then do we advise more forage crops on every farm? Because, if more legumes be grown, and two forage crops grown per year on the land, our feeds can be grown for less than they now cost the users of them. As a farmer recently remarked to the writer: "I can show any man on paper that I can make more money growing cotton on a given acreage and buying corn than in growing the corn, but I can grow the forage required without in the least decreasing the cotton produced. If every Southern farmer cultivated his land with wage labor, or if there was only intelligent cash renters, the South would at once begin producing the forage consumed."

Legumes Best of All. The number of forage crops which may be grown in the South is so large and conditions vary so greatly that a selection of crops for one farmer may not suit the needs of another. Corn is the chief grain crop. The acreage planted to this crop is so large already that if the average yield was as much as 30 bushels to the acre our needs would be supplied.

Our first suggestion for forage production is, that corn be planted on no land that will not, an average year, yield 30 bushels or more per acre. No tenant should be allowed, when it is possible to control him, to waste his time growing less than 30 bushels of corn per acre. Land that will not produce such a yield of corn should be devoted to some other crop.

Oats are next in importance to corn among our grain crops. Less than 40 bushels of oats per acre is not profitable, unless another crop is produced on the land the same year. A yield of 25 bushels of oats and 1 1/4 tons of cowpeas or lespedeza hay are worth more than 30 bushels of corn. A yield of 25 bushels of oats and 1,500 pounds of oat straw, and 20 bushels of soy beans and one ton of soy bean straw are worth more than 30 bushels of corn and the stover, when both are used.

When the land is such that it will not make more than 35 bushels of corn per acre, sorghum is a better silage crop than corn. If sorghum is used as a silage crop the larger growing varieties should be selected. The forage crop which should be largely grown in the South are legumes. Our lands are deficient in humus and nitrogen, the loss of

BEST THING FOR A BILLIOUS ATTACK

"On account of my confinement in the printing office I have for years been a chronic sufferer from indigestion and liver complaint. A few weeks ago I had an attack that was so severe that I was not able to go to the case for two days. Failing to get any relief from any other treatment, I took three of Chamberlain's Tablets and the next day I felt like a new man."

Chapin, S. C. Obtainable at all dealers.

these from the soil are more rapid, because of our warm seasons and heavy rainfall, and they may be grown as catch crops before or with corn, or after oats the same season.

We have but one advantage in the growing of forage crops, which will offset our poor soils an denable us to compete with the growers of these crops in other sections. This is that we can grow two crops a year. Unless we adopt the double cropping system and become more fully impressed with the need of growing forage crops for soil improvements we shall continue to buy feeds.

So long as the feedstuffs grown within 10 miles of any city or town do not supply the needs of that territory and the feeds used or sold by the merchants of that city or town, the growing of feedstuffs for sale—provided a double cropping system is used—will be found profitable. The advantages of the freight and other handling charges and the double cropping system are sufficient to more than outweigh our disadvantage of a less productive soil.—Tait Butler in Progressive Farmer.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 50c. Sold by Pecos Drug Co.

NO PLACE FOR HIM

An Irishman was on trial, charged with assaulting a neighbor and fracturing his skull. During the trial several physicians testified that the man's skull was very thin—in medical terms, a "paper skull."

"Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced?" asked the judge.

"No, Your Lordship, but I should like to ask just one question."

"What is it?"

"What was a man with a skull like that doing at a Tipperary fair?"—Exchange.

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BEGINNING at a stone mound on west point of a small hill for the East corner of this section in West line of Section No. 74 from which House bears S. 34 deg. W. 950 varas to a stone mound and stake marked L X X V the North corner of this section from which Deed Mesquite 2" bears N. 49 1-2 deg. W. 49 varas, 2 mesquites 3" bear S. 9 1-4 deg. W. 136 varas mesquite 2" bears S. 55 deg. 45' W. 10 varas.

THENCE S. 40 deg. W. at 60 varas pass a stone mound the East corner of Section No. 76 from which house bears S. 47 1-4 deg. W. in all 950 varas to the west corner of this tract.

THENCE S. 50 deg. E. 950 varas to the South corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 40 deg. E. 950 varas to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres of land; And.

WHEREAS, the principal of said notes and the interest thereon from May 2, 1908, are past due and still unpaid; and.

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WHEREAS, the said Dudley Olcott 2nd and James N. Wallace have exhibited said notes to me, the said E. C. Canon, and have requested me to proceed to sell the real estate above described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount specified in said notes, with interest and the cost of executing this trust;

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ALL KINDS OF FARM MACHINERY, WAGONS, HARROWS, CULTIVATORS, DISCS, JOHN DEERE WALKING AND RIDING PLOWS.

CALL ON ME WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING

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FOR SALE H. & G. N. LANDS IN REEVES COUNTY

Surveys Nos. 47, 55, W. half of 61; and 63, in Block 4. Nos. 43, 45, 47, and W. half of 37, in Block 5. The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesian belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections. Also surveys Nos. 13 and 49, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 5, 13, and 15, in Block 7. Also surveys Nos. 31, 33, 35 and 37 (fronting on the Pecos River and 39 in Block 1, and No. 11, 15 and 18, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos River Railroad.

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

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

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

FOR PRICES AND TERMS, ADDRESS

IRA H. EVANS

AGENT AND ATTORNEY IN FACT.

notes, with interest and the cost of executing this trust, and I will deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof, in my name as substitute trustee, a deed or deeds conveying the property sold and owning the said Emily J. Webb to warrant specially the title to said land; and the proceeds arising from said sale I will apply (1) to all proper expense of advertising, selling and conveying said premises, including a commission to the trustee for making the sale; (2) to the payment of said notes and all interest due thereon; and (3) to the parties entitled to receive the balance, if any balance remains.

WITNESS MY HAND this 5th day of May, A. D. 1915.

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7-May-19-3

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WE have the Cleanest Line of Children's Dresses we have Ever Shown. From 6 to 14 years at from

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Misses and Juniors' Dresses from 13 to 17 years going at from

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ONE Cake of Royal Cuticle Soap Given Away Free with Every Cash Purchase of \$1.00

We have Them in Some Beautiful, Conservative Models

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OF Embroidered Organdies are Beautiful. They are Positively in a Class by Themselves

We have them from 8 inches wide a 36 inch Flounce in Match Sets

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THIS Department has Never Been More Complete. All the New Lace Cloths in Plain White and Embroidered. This is a Beautiful Showing of Sheer Fabrics. Printed Organdies and Crepes we can show you an Unlimited No. of Beautiful Patterns

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Pecos City, Texas.

We know the title of every town lot and tract of land in Reeves and Loving counties.

Our abstracts are reliable.

REPORT OF REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Weekly report furnished by Pecos Abstract Company, Pecos City, Texas, from May 13 to 19, inc.

A. J. Crawford to A. B. Burchard, Section 25, block 55, P. S.; \$275; deed.

Allen B. Gray to R. R. Thomson, 95 acres, section 67, block 4, H. & G. N.; \$325; deed.

G. C. Mountcastle to Al N. and Jno. D. McCarthy lots 15 to 18, block 41, N. Pecos; \$130; deed.

R. C. Warn to J. F. McKenzie, Pt. lots 5 and 6, block 43, W. Park Addition to Pecos; \$250; deed.

T. H. Bomar to Mrs. M. A. Piercy, 103 acres, section 25, block C7 P. S.; \$305; deed.

Mrs. M. A. Piercy to T. H. Bomar 40 acres, section 25, block C7, P. S.; \$120; deed.

L. K. Copelin to H. T. Collier and J. G. Love, section 142, block 1, H. & T. C.; \$1000.

O. L. Wadsworth to R. S. Woods lot B8, block 77, Texas Oil & Pipe Line Sub-division; \$50; mortgage.

R. N. Couch to W. J. King 28 1-3 acres, section 37, block 4, H. & G. N.; \$1 etc; deed.

Tom Harrison, sheriff, to J. R. and J. C. Dougherty 244 acres, section 9, block 3, H. & G. N.; \$670; dedd.

Ben Randals, County Judge, to S. P. Honeycut, lot 3, block 11, Fairview Cemetery; \$15; deed.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Thoma C. Hart and Hattie C. as by Jose Gaudin and Helena Garcia

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls heal up quickly when BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c.

50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Pecos Drug Co.

THE CHURCHES.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

All the regular services will be held next Lord's Day. The sermon subjects for morning and evening respectively, will be "Duty's Path, and How God Holds Us in It," and "The Glorification of Son of God."

Can every christian who reads this announcement, say to the Lord, "Lord thou knowest how I have done my whole duty toward Thee and thy church?" Few, if any of us would dare to so speak. Therefore, let us all pray that God will lead us in duty's path, that through up His cause may be advanced and His name glorified. Come to His house Sunday; you need to come, and God wants you to come.

HOMER L. MAGEE, Pastor.

BAPTIST.

It is desirous that all the members of the Baptist church be present at the church services next Sunday, as matters of vital importance and interest to the church will be brought to the attention of the congregation. The subject for the morning hour will be "The Unity and Co-operation of Christians."

At the night service the pastor will speak on "The Certainties of Christianity." If you have thought that Christianity is a weak appeal to the emotions of the unreasoning and not worthy of your highest judgment and reasoning power. Come and let us reason about it, and find out if Christianity does not rest upon the surest foundation of reason and common sense and profound judgment. Bring your friends with you.

J. B. COLE, Pastor.

METHODIST.

Rev. E. Hightower will preach morning and evening. Brother Hightower is the Sunday School expert of the Texas conference, a very able man. He will be in the Sunday School on Sunday morning. Come out and hear him.

FRED LITTLE, Pastor.

SARAGOSA AUTO LINE.

P. A. Herbert, proprietor, will deliver you anywhere you want to go from Saragosa.

KERMIT HAPPENINGS

Prospectors from Haskell and other North-eastern counties are investigating conditions in Winkler and adjoining counties.

Cattle are still dying from the effect of Shinnery—some losing twenty percent, of their stock.

There is some talk of a railroad being built through this section of the country, from Lubbock to Pecos. This would be nice for Pecos, "as she could buy her goods from the Hub" instead of going to St. Louis or New York after them.

Dr. Leeman lost his fine Jersey cow last week, caused by Shinnery poisoning.

G. C. Dawson and wife left for Pecos yesterday, accompanied by Stewart, McDaniel, Dooley and Miss Lovitt.

Hot weather is now upon us, and we are now able to shed the winter and put on the summer duds.

Ern Baird is nursing a crippled arm these days caused by too much Broncho work.

J. B. Walton has just arrived with his cattle from East Texas, and has turned them loose upon his fine grass pasture.

Mrs. Connor and family of Walton Ranch, spent several days visiting in Kermit.

Al Garrett, the hustling merchant of Monohans, autoed over to Kermit the forepart of the week.

With the marriage of Lieutenant-Governor Hobby and the Exhibition of Liberty Bell in Texas this year, things should move up a little.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I have secured the agency for the North Pecos property known as the Mountcastle property, consisting mostly of town lots and lying on the north side of Pecos. I am in a position to give the people very low prices on any lots in the addition, one or two years time, or an attractive low price for all cash. If you are contemplating buying town lots on the north side, don't fail to call on me. I can interest you. E. B. KISER, Pecos, Texas.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Stops cough and headache, and works off cold.

BARSTOW NEWS ITEMS

H. E. Payne, of Blossom, Texas, was in Barstow a couple of days this week prospecting.

Judge J. E. Starley and W. A. Hudson, of Pecos, were in Barstow Wednesday attending legal business.

Prof. O. T. Bryant and wife, of Pyote, were in the city a day or two first of the week.

The Transcontinental Highway has been connected up by the way of Barstow, and is now about ready for travel, this making a saving of some seventy miles and passing through one of the best irrigated valleys in the famous Pecos Valley.

T. B. Pruett and A. G. Taggart, of Pecos, were in Barstow Tuesday on business.

J. M. Joiner, of Pyote, was in the city Wednesday attending County Court.

E. W. Clayton, of Pecos, was in the city the latter part of last week on oil business.

P. L. Whitaker was over from Pecos Sunday.

A. Archer, of Roswell, New Mexico, is in the city on a visit to his daughters, Mesdames P. A. Hayes and James Miller.

County Clerk E. A. Sweatt autoed down to Grandfalls Saturday returning Sunday.

Mr. Beckam was down from Loving County Monday getting supplies for his stock farm.

C. S. Majors, one of the Barstow dry farmers and successful stock raisers, made a trip to Pecos Wednesday.

Sheriff Cantrell has gone to Southern Texas on official business.

Dave Disque has gone to Arizona to look after his mining interests and is making the trip with his family in his little Ford.

Sam Means, of Pecos, passed through the city Tuesday in one of the finest automobiles we have ever seen on our streets.

Work on the repair of the Barstow irrigation ditches has been completed and water is gain turned in and the irrigators are smiling.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

WHOOPING COUGH

"When my daughter had whooping cough she coughed so hard at one time that she had hemorrhage of the lungs. I was terribly alarmed about her condition. Seeing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so highly recommended, I got her a bottle and it relieved the cough at once. Before she had finished two bottles of this remedy she was entirely well," writes Mrs. S. F. Grimes, Cooksville, Ohio. Obtainable every, at all dealers.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A good well drill at a bargain! See I. L. Belew, City Pharmacy.

FOR SALE—Two good wagons, two Spanish mules, two gray mares, disk, riding plow, mowing machine, rake, 140 yards hog wire fence, one good hay press and 40 acres 3 wired fence. All in good condition. Just across the river. For a good bargain, see Louis Junot. Pecos, Tex.

FOR SALE—One good Jersey cow; fresh. See or write W. R. McDermott.

FOR SALE—One and one-half mile of heavy hog wire. Apply to Frank Joplin, Pecos.

FOR SALE ON TIME.—In numbers to suit purchaser, good grade cows with good calf crop. Also a limited number of two and three year old steers. Will sell on time with approved security. Write J. H. Nations, El Paso, Texas.

WANTED—Loan on Reeves Co. Land. Address Box "B" Snyder, Okla.

EGGS FOR SALE—Fine Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for sale, per setting of 15 eggs, for \$2.50. Apply to Bill Camp, Pecos.

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

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Alfalfa pasturage, 3 miles North of Pecos. Cattle and horses \$1.50 per head per month, calves 75 ctns. J. E. WILSON, Phone 97.

FOR RENT—Coolest room in the town; bath; block from Library; regular price. Mrs. E. I. Holland, Phone 17.

PRIVATE BOARD AND ROOMS

Write or phone 81, J. H. Wilbur, Pecos, Texas

TO EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—Finest land with abundant river water for irrigation. Want horses, mules and milk cows. E. L. Stratton, Fortville.

WANTED.

FOR SALE—Sections Reeves Co. Land for sale or trade. ONS Snyder, Okla.

WANTED WORK—Will be home about the 10th of June ready to work again; carpentering preferred. Phone 81 Pecos, or write me, Jas. Gilbert Wilhite, Transylvania University, Lexington, Ky.

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A COMPLETE LINE OF SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS VARNISHES AND STAINS IN STOCK PECOS MERCANTILE COMPANY

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UNDERTAKING.

G. R. MARTZ,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER

Dry phone 16- Night phone 4-

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