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## THE PECOS VALLEY STATE BANK

### SARAGOSA ITEMS

Miss Eva Stancliff left Monday, going to Hoban to take charge of the Hoban school for the term that begins next Monday.

Miss Margaret Holbert of this place and Marion Ezell of Angeles, were married last Sunday evening at Pecos. We extend them our congratulations and wish for them a prosperous and happy life.

Floyd Crenshaw, the Loverin & Brown representative was here last week visiting friends and relatives for a few days.

E. R. Cox, the genial agent of the P. V. S. Ry. Co at this point spent a few days in Van Horn this week. Miss Erie Conger left Thursday for Belton where she will attend Belton College, being accompanied by her mother who will remain a short while and then go to Oklahoma for a few weeks visit with relatives.

School at this place opened Monday, the 13th, with a good attendance, with Mrs. Jesse Williams of Pecos, in charge. She will be assisted by Margaret Waggoner, of Pecos and Miss Inez Isaacks of Midland.

E. H. Williams who has been here for some time left last week for Arkansas City, Kansas.

Homer Hughes shipped ten cars of stock cattle to Burbank, Oklahoma last Wednesday.

Herndon and Arnor Crenshaw left Wednesday for Big Springs.

Mills Gathings left Wednesday, going to Pest City and other points.

### WEDDING

#### EZELL-HOLBERT.

Married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moyer, Sunday morning, September 19th, 1915, at 9 o'clock, Mr. Marion H. Ezell and Miss Margaret E. Holbert, Rev. C. E. McCarver officiating.

Marion Ezell is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ezell who live on their ranch near Angeles, is a young man of sterling qualities and is well and favorably known in this section of the country.

Miss Margaret Holbert is the eldest daughter of Judge and Mrs. Holbert and is a charming young woman of many accomplishments, which go toward making a good wife. She is known by most of our people, here parents having lived here and she attended the Pecos High School.

They left about 9:30 for the ranch to take dinner there and then went on to Carlsbad for a short stay before taking their wedding tour—via auto—to Fort Worth, Dallas and other points in North and East Texas. When they return in about a month they will make their home on the ranch near Angeles.

The Times joins their hosts of friends in wishing them happiness, and a long, prosperous life.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the W. O. W. lodge, our friends and neighbors for the sympathy and floral offerings in our late bereavement, the death of our dear husband and father. MRS. J. R. HINES and FAMILY.

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## INTEREST ON LAND MUST BE PAID

Following Letter From Land Office Should Have Prompt Attention of Those Interested.

Austin, Texas September 23.—Mr. T. H. Beauchamp, Pecos, Texas.

Dear Sir:—Enclosed find list of lands on which it seems interest has not been paid to November 1, 1914.

May I ask that you kindly help me get word to the owner that it will have to be paid right soon if he wishes to keep his land. Perhaps your local paper would be glad to publish this list for the benefit of its readers and thereby help some of them save their land from forfeiture. If one thinks his interest has been paid he should write me and tell when, how and by whom paid. Sometimes one will give wrong description of his land. Kindly help me save your people's land from forfeiture.

Very truly,  
J. H. WALKER,  
Acting Commissioner.

Lands in Reeves County subject to forfeiture for non-payment of interest due November 1, 1914, if not paid will be on the market for sale January 1, 1916.

Section 40, blk 1, Cert No. 7|1384 H & G N grant, 711.2 acres  
Middle 1-8 of section 2, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1385, H & G N grant, 80 acres.

E 1-16 of section 2, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1385, H & G N grant 40 acres  
Middle 1-4 of SW 1-2 of section 2, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1385, H & G N grant 80 acres.

Section 10, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1389 H & G N grant 636.38 acres.

Section 12 blk 2, Cert No. 7|1391 H & G N grant, 636.14 acres.

Section 18, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1393, H & G N grant, 636.14 acres.

Section 24, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1396, H & G N grant, 636.14 acres.

Section 36, blk 2, Cert No. 7|1402, H & G N grant, 636.14 acres.

SW 1-2 section 4, blk 3, Cert No. 7|1406, H & G N grant 320 acres.

NE 1-2 section 4, blk 3, Cert No. 7|1406, H & G N grant, 320 acres

Section 6, blk 3, Cert No. 7|1407, H & G N grant, 640 acres.

W 1-2 section 8, blk 3, Cert No. 7|1408, H & G N grant, 320 acres.

Section 24, blk 4, Cert No. 7|1425, H & G N grant 611.90 acres.

NW 1-4 and NE 1-4 of SW 1-4 section 14, blk 5, Cert No. 8|1461, H & G N grant 200 acres.

Section 2, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1473, H & G N grant, 640 acres.

N 1-2 section 4, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1474, H & G N grant 320 acres.

Section 8, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1476, H & G N grant, 631.80 acres

Section 10, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1477, H & G N grant, 640 acres.

SE 1-4 section 12, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1478, H & G N grant, 160 acres.

N 1-2 and SW 1-4 section 12, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1478, H & G N grant, 484.38 acres.

Section 28, blk 6, Cert No. 8|1486, H & G N grant, 640 acres.

E 1-2 section 2, blk 7, Cert No. 8|1505, H & G N grant, 323.16 ac.

NW 1-4 of SW 1-4 section 126, blk 13, Cert No. 7|1265, H & G N grant, 40 acres.

E 1-2 of W 1-2, E 1-4 of E 1-2, and W 1-4 of E 1-2 section 148, blk 13, Cert No. 7|1276, H & G N grant 320 acres.

NW 1-4 Sect 190, blk 13, Cert No. 7|1297, H & G N grant 160 acres.

E 3-4 section 220, blk 13, Cert No. 7|1312, H & G N grant, 480 acres.

S 1-2 of SE 1-4 section 320, blk 13, Cert No. 7|1362, H & G N grant 80 acres.

Section 32, blk 50, tsp 8, Cert No. 4690, T & P grant 640 acres.

Section 33, blk 50, tsp 8, Cert No. 4691, T & P grant 640 acres.

Section 34, blk 50, tsp 8, Cert No. 4691, T & P grant, 640 acres.

Section 1, blk 52, tsp 7, Cert No. 4832, T & P grant, 220 1-4 acres.

N 1-2 of NW 1-4 section 1, blk 52, tsp 8, Cert No. 4856, T & P grant, 80 acres.

S 1-2 of NW 1-4 section 1, blk 52, tsp 8, Cert No. 4856, T & P grant, 80 acres.

SW 1-4, SW 1-4 of SE 1-4 and N 1-2 of NE 1-4 section 6, blk 53,

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## GREAT DAM TO STEM THE PECOS

Irrigators of the Pecos Valley Want Government to Consolidate Private Concerns.

Land owners of the Pecos Valley have formed themselves into an organization for a reclamation enterprise on the Pecos River. They hope to induce the United States government to take over all the projects along the river below the New Mexico line, construct a dam at Red Bluff, near the line, to conserve the waters of the river after the fashion of the Elephant Butte dam in New Mexico, and distribute it to the farms below.

At the last meeting held Saturday afternoon, September 18, it was decided to take steps to bring the matter before the reclamation service at an early date and an organization was perfected for the purpose of doing whatever was necessary to get the work established. Another meeting will be held at an early date at which Felix Martinez, of El Paso will be asked to deliver an address from which the local owners expect to get much information as to the future procedure.

Already there has been formed the Pecos Valley Water Users' Association of Texas with the following officers:

Judge W. A. Hudson of Pecos, president; M. L. Johnson of Grandfalls, vice-president; E. D. Balcorn of Pecos, secretary; J. G. Love of Pecos, treasurer. Offices with headquarters at Pecos will be opened and work rushed as fast as possible.

"Dam it, we need it," is the slogan adopted by the water users, whose object is the unifying of all the nine projects along the Pecos river in Texas.

W. R. Smith Congressman from this district and chairman of the House committee of irrigation of arid lands; Morris Sheppard, senator from Texas, and member on the committee on irrigation of arid lands in the Senate; Felix Martinez, director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas for this district, all have promised support.

E. D. Balcorn, secretary of the association, has compiled statistics relative to irrigation plants in the Pecos Valley below the Texas line. These show that there are 238 miles of main canal and 50 miles of laterals and that the total acreage under these two reads amounts to 147,500 acres; that there is being actually cultivated this season 31,850 acres and that there are about 12,000 more ready to cultivate. This land is planted in the following: Alfalfa, 13,800 acres; cotton, 10,020 acres; fruit, 275 acres; in other crops such as corn, and other feed stuffs, 5,768 acres; that there are being supported under all the projects 437 families, that there has been expended to date the sum of \$1,945,000.00 and that taking into consideration present conditions, there is at least \$1,000,000.00 that can be counted as lost capital upon which no return can be expected to be had.

A discussion of the storage possibilities has brought out the fact that the Red Bluff reservoir site situated about five miles above the Texas State line in New Mexico was surveyed by J. W. Lewis, civil engineer of Carlsbad, N. M. and at one time state deputy engineer of that state. This survey shows that this basin is capable of holding about 200,000 acre feet at one filling and that the possibilities of filling this lake twice a year would give it a holding capacity of 400,000 acre feet; that all of the data available to date shows that the total flow of the Pecos river above this point is about 400,000 acre feet. It will be seen that this basin is capable of taking care of the total supply of the river. The figures on cost of construction for this dam, based upon the actual construction cost of the Carlsbad Avlea unit would be \$535,000. There are various other sites, some of them already surveyed, and others only partially, that are capable of taking care of any water supply that may reach

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## THE SCHOOL BELL

The large school bell has been hung in the tower of the school building and this bell will be rung at 8:15 a. m., 8:30 a. m. and at 12:45 p. m. Pupils who live within six blocks of the school building must not leave home for school before the bell rings at 8:30. Those who live between six blocks and ten blocks of the building must not start before ten minutes after the first, or 8:15 bell rings. Pupils living beyond ten blocks of the building may start with or before the first bell, provided they do not linger along the road or arrive at the school grounds before 8:30. Pupils must not enter the school grounds or linger about the streets before 8:30; provisions being made, of course, for pupils who live in the country or who are brought to the school under special circumstances by their parents. Under the above rules pupils who live within six blocks of the schoolhouse will have twenty minutes to reach school before the tardy bell at 8:50. Those living between six and ten blocks will have twenty five minutes before being counted tardy, and those living beyond ten blocks will have thirty-five minutes.

We earnestly ask that parents and patrons carefully observe the word "NOT" in the above, and that they aid us by helping to enforce the rule. By doing this they will reduce the number of tardies, safeguard the health of the children by preventing them from lingering along the streets in bad weather, and to prevent quarreling, fighting and other disorders which occur when children linger along the streets on the way to school or reach the school ground before the teachers are there to care for them.

Once or twice a week the large bell will be struck a few times just at twelve o'clock, Central time (T. & P.) and, being guided by this, clocks can be kept with school time.

The 8:30 bell can be distinguished from the 8:15 bell by the fact of the 8:30 bell being rung slowly.

## NOTICE!

The County Attorney will begin suit for Delinquent Taxes against Resident Property Owners within Ten Days. Pay Up Before That Time : : : J. A. DRANE, County Attorney

## B. G. WARNER FIRE MARSHAL

To the citizens of Pecos City:

On September 27th, at a special meeting of the City Council the said body adopted and passed a Fire Marshal Ordinance which is printed in this issue of The Times.

I desire to call your especial attention to the fact that the time of year when fires most frequently occur is drawing near, and the officers urge all the people to inspect the premises and especially their flues and stove pipes and see that they are in good order before making fires. If you do so you may prevent fires from occurring and thereby save great loss to yourselves and neighbors. The Fire Marshal Ordinance has been adopted at the suggestion of the State Fire Board at Austin, and after the first report of Mr. B. G. Warner, appointed by the City Council as Fire Marshal, has been sent to the department at Austin, we will be entitled to a reduction of three cents on the key rate.

When we have completed such pumping arrangements for the water works as are now in construction we will then ask and will be entitled to a still further reduction on the key rate and this work is now being pushed to completion.

I desire also to call the public's attention to the fact that all trash and refuse matter should be cleaned out and burned or hauled away from the premises and all closets put in a sanitary condition. This is absolutely necessary to the health of the town. I desire to urge all owners of residences who have a sufficient water supply on their premises, or can obtain it, to go ahead and make connections with the sewer and do away with the old style closets and sinks, and this would effectually help the health condition of our town. In this connection I desire to give notice that in the business district where a water supply has been furnished by the City Water Works all closets and sinks are required to be closed and abandoned and the owners must attach to the sewer under the City Ordinance, and the sooner this is done the quicker present conditions will be relieved.

I further advise that Dr. O. J. Bryan has been appointed City Health Officer by the City Council, and I request the public to act with him and the City officials in all matters pertaining to the betterment of health conditions.

E. C. CANON, Mayor of Pecos City.

—Seed rye at Prewit & Wadley's.

## CANDY SPECIAL

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# THERE IS A VERY BRIGHT OUTLOOK

Blessings of Peace—Plentiful Harvest.—Good Prices.—Financial Independence.

The fact that peace still reigns in this country is ample cause for profound gratitude to the powers that be, for steering us clear of the shoals of so unwelcome a disaster. Let us hope that the evil hour may never strike when this peace-loving nation will consent to become embroiled in this fateful struggle. While other nations are tearing at each others throat the United States is making wonderful strides in the arts of industry and commerce.

The summer is gone and fall is now upon us, bringing with it the ripening grain of a bountiful harvest. Hay wheat and oat crops are all good. In fact better than for years in the past. Bumper crops of corn, and cotton is fairly good. The prices are good, debts are being paid, economy is being practiced, and the people are facing the rising sun with a new determination to succeed mightily against seeming disaster.

There was a shortage of money. The banks withdrew a helping hand when it was most needed. The people, who had previously relied upon the banks, discovered the great need of independence and resolved at a sacrifice to pay their debts. As a result millions of dollars now lie idle in the banks of this country and will likely remain idle for a long time. In addition to the funds on hand, England has found it advisable to make several shipments of gold to this country, thus greatly augmenting the resources of this country. It will take the public some time to regain full confidence in the banks, and it is not altogether unlikely that a decrease in interest rates will result. The banks need to know that confidence is a two-sided game, and while they expect the public to have confidence they must also have confidence in the public.

The marketing of the cotton crop has been made easy, and it remains to be seen just how the banks will cooperate with the scheme. If they do their duty they will cooperate with it to the utmost and thus assist the farmers in getting a good price for the staple. This could have been done last year. Under the reserve banking system better conditions are in evidence. The outlook is particularly bright.

Just imagine you can do it, and do it.

Recommendations may get the job, but it takes ability to hold it.

He who talks most of others is usually most suspicious that others talk of him.

Failure and fortune may be figured to a nicety, but to live it out is the real answer to the problem.

If the jingoes of this country really want to fight they may be able to enlist in the Belgian army.

To keep the Germans from rushing the Russians into Japan, the Japanese have offered to come to their assistance.

Every woman in Dallas knows that there was nothing fair in the recent beauty contest except the 13 that won out.

The banks are complaining about there being too much gold in the country. But from no other quarter is that complaint heard.

The greatest need of most of the smaller cities and town in the southwest is to provide some means of constant employment for the people. This is the only sure and substantial means of real growth. There is entirely too much energy literally going to waste that might be profitably employed to the benefit of the respective towns, and immeasurably beneficial to the ones who obtain the work.

A good man endeavoring to be a better man is the very heartstone of the finest degree of industry.

Before using solder it is a good thing to test it out in order to find out whether or not it is of good quality. To do this hold it near the ear and bend it back and forth. In doing this if it makes a crack-

ling noise it is an indication that it is a good solder and if it does not, it indicates that there is too much lead and not enough tin in it.—Texas Trade Review & Industrial Record.

## STUDY OF AMERICAN PRODUCTS IS URGED

Chairman of "Made in U. S. A." Committee Urges Women to At least one Day to Work.

Every club affiliated with the Texas Federation of Woman's clubs is urged in a letter that Mrs. Chas. D. Reimers of Fort Worth, chairman of the "Made in U. S. A." committee, to devote at least one day in the early part of the forthcoming club year to the study of American manufactures and products, especially those of Texas.

The letter suggests that at least one paper should treat of the cotton industries. The committee, which includes Miss Ada M. Garrison, of Austin, in addition to Mrs. Reimers, has made a summer study of the country's resources and manufactures and has become an earnest champion of the "Buy-it-Made-in-Texas" movement.

"The committee feels" the letter says in part, "that it needs only to call the attention of the club women of the state to the movement to support and encourage the home industries, knowing that when conditions are known, their patriotism will be aroused and they will give the work their loyal and continued support."—Star-Telegram.

## TEXAS COTTON THREE MILLION BALES.

Prediction was made today by Commissioner of Agriculture Fred W. Davis that this year's cotton crop of Texas will not go beyond 3,000,000 bales. This estimate, Commissioner Davis said, was based on reports received by him from his field agents and also after a personal inspection. It is 1,250,000 short of the 1914 crop.

The prevalence of boll weevils, neglect of the crop by cotton growers who were discouraged by the low prices last year and the lack of fertility of the cotton soil are given by the commissioner as reasons for this year's short crop.

## SUBMARINE MOSQUITO FLEET IS PLANNED.

A small fleet of very small submarines could be carried on the deck of a ship, and in time of war, be launched against the enemy, according to a plan worked out by Professor Parker's submarine is the one which was submitted by Henry Ford to the Secretary of the navy, Daniels. He said Thursday that he desired to give his invention to the United States as his contribution to his country's defense. He said the submarine would have a speed of about 40 miles an hour.

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## PREACHER WAS LAID UP.

Rev. C. M. Knighton, Havana, Fla., writes: "For three months I suffered intense pain in the kidneys and back which at times laid me up entirely. I used 1-2 bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and all the pain disappeared. I feel as if twenty years had been added to my life. Relieves rheumatism, backache, sore muscles, stiff joints. For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Adv.

## LOOKING AHEAD.

In the old song of "The Wayworn Traveler" we find that the pilgrim is always looking ahead. The load on his back was heavy. The hill he had to climb was steep. The songsters in the arbor invited his delay. The shades on each side of the hot and dusty roads were "inviting." But he kept pressing onward, always looking ahead. Neither inviting pleasures nor annoying difficulties interfered materially with his going forward, for he always looked ahead. His feet got sore. His back hurt. His head ached. He grew tired. But he was always glad because he always looked ahead. At last he overtopped the mountains. Crowns of glory and palms of victory were his because he had always looked ahead.—Rev. R. S. Satterfield in The Visitor.

## CHRONIC CONSTIPATION.

"About two years ago when I began using Chamberlain's Tablets I had been suffering for some time with stomach trouble and chronic constipation. My condition improved rapidly through the use of these tablets. Since taking four or five bottles of them my health has been fine." writes Mrs. John [Name] [Address] [City], [State]. Everywhere at all druggists.—Adv.

# LIVESTOCK PRODUCT EXPOSITION

Roswell, N. M. Sept. 21.—All roads will lead to this city during the week of October 4-9, when the New Mexico Bankers Associations annual convention will be held at this place, the cattlemen of the state will meet to organize a state association, the Eastern New Mexico Swine Breeders' association will meet, and the State Live Stock and Products Exposition will be in full swing. The sheep men are also laying plans for a social gathering and dinner on Friday of that week.

The bankers' convention begins Tuesday, the cattlemen will hold forth with a banquet on Wednesday and Thursday will be given over to the swine breeders.

The State stock and products exposition will be one of the best ever held in the Southwest is the belief. The entries in all departments are exceeding the expectations of the superintendents. The dairy show will be especially good, as the indications are that there will be one hundred entries in that department. The beef cattle division is also coming to the front nobly.

The amusement program will include an excellent racing card that is attracting attention all over the Southwest. In addition to the racing and trotting events, there will be many novelty events and good purses have been offered. It is so arranged that there will be something doing all the time for the visitors.

The automobile roads in Eastern New Mexico have received special attention recently anticipating heavy travel during fair week. Many people in Texas have signified their intention of coming in cars. There will also be railroading rates of one fare for the round trip.

## CARLSBAD, N. M. ITEMS.

Carlsbad, N. M. Sept 19. Special to The Times.

A class for the study of the Bible and history has just been organized with C. H. McLenathen as the leader. The first session was held this evening in the rectory of the Grace Episcopal Church, and will hold weekly meetings. Beginning with the period of Augustus, the history of the growth of the church will be traced. The course of study as laid out by Mr. McLenathen, is very interesting.

The Eddy County road board met yesterday evening with all the members present. The matter of the repair of the bridge across the Pecos river east of Artesia was considered with the County Commissioners. State Engineer Jas. French has recommended that the bridge remain in the old location and supplied plans and estimates for putting the bridge in proper commission, the cost being around \$6000.

The Carlsbad band returned last night from Pecos, Texas, where it was engaged at the Reeves County Fair the past week. This was the first fair to be held in the Pecos Valley this fall and was in every way successful. There was plenty of stock of the best grade, farm products and other things on exhibition. The amusement features were strong, including good races. The next is the Eddy County Fair at Artesia, September 29 to October 1. The way the committee is at work there will be much to see and enjoy.

## OLDEST SHIP IN U. S. NAVY BURNED FOR ITS COPPER.

A series of charred oaken ribs projecting out of a mud flat in San Francisco bay is all that remains today of the frigate Independence, the vaunted "oldest ship in the U. S. navy," which was burned last night for the copper in its staunch hull. The ship recently was sold by the navy department for \$3,515.

The flames that destroyed the Independence brought to an end a navy career began in 1812. Once the old frigate was America's first flagship and carried 74 guns on its three decks. Later it was retired from actual service and was retained at Mare Island as a receiving ship. Three years ago it was put out of commission.

## TWO CHILDREN HAD CROUP.

The two children of J. W. Nov. Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and nothing else and it effected a complete cure." Contains no opiates. Cuts the phlegm, opens the air passages. For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Adv.

A little lad of our acquaintance recently discovered why the giraffe has such a long neck. "Cause his head is so far from his body," he explained, and no one present could dispute it.—Boston Transcript.

## "WALL STREET BET ON WRONG HORSE."

Germany Says That the United States Will Suffer More Than It, Due to Allies Loan.

Berlin, Sept. 25.—"Wall Street apparently is about to place its money on the wrong horse," say a semi-official statement given out here Saturday by the Overseas News Agency in discussing the Anglo-French loan which is being raised in the United States.

"The disadvantage will be Wall Street's more than Germany's, for the man who loses a bet on a horse is worse off than the man who picks the winner."

## REAL GREATNESS.

Christ has given us a measure of greatness which eliminates conflicts. When his disciples disputed among themselves as to who should be greatest in the kingdom of heaven, he rebuked them and said: "Let him who would be chiefest among you be the servant of all." Service is the measure of greatness it always has been true, it is true, it is true today, and it always will be true, that he is greatest who does the most good. And yet, what a revolution it will work in this world when this standard becomes the standard of life. Nearly all of our controversies and combats arise from the fact that we are trying to get something from each other. Our enmities and animosities arise from our efforts to get as much as possible out of the world—there is peace when our endeavor is to put as much as possible into the world. Society will have taken an immeasurable step toward peace when it estimates a citizen by his output rather than by his income and gives the crown of its approval to the one who makes the largest contribution to the welfare of all.—W. J. Bryan.

## HOW TO BE EFFICIENT.

Nothing saps the vitality like a kidney trouble. It causes backache, headache, stiff joints, sore muscles, "always tired" feeling, rheumatism and other ills. To be efficient you must be healthy. Foley Kidney Pills strengthen the kidneys, help them do their work of filtering out from the system the waste matter that causes the trouble. For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Adv.

## BONES AND TRIMMINGS ARE OF VALUE.

Do not let your butcher, when a rib roast is rolled, throw away the bones and trimmings. Unless a special request is made these will go into a waste box but at home can be used as the foundation for very agreeable and nutritious soups. Also do not allow the cook to throw away the leg bone of lamb, or the large, marrow-filled bone of the steak. Put all such bones on the fire with sufficient cold water to cover them. After bringing this to a boil allow them to simmer gently several hours. Fireless cookers are excellent for this purpose.

There are many ways in which this stock may be used. Prepared soups are much more delicious if it is added instead of water in thinning them. If tomato soup is required, peel and cut three or four large tomatoes and simmer with the bones adding a goo sized onion and seasoning to taste. Strain it through a puree strainer. Several tomatoes and an onion will make a good tomato soup. Strain and season the same way. This is excellent slightly thickened with flour.

## WHEN BABY HAS THE CROUP.

When a mother is awakened from sound sleep to find her child who has gone to bed apparently in the best of health struggling for its breath, she is naturally alarmed. Yet if she can keep her presence of mind and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy every ten minutes until vomiting is produced, quick relief will follow and the child will drop to sleep to awaken in the morning as well as ever. This remedy has been in use for many years with uniform success. Obtainable everywhere at all druggists.—Adv.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is pure and safe. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

## MODERN LABOR SAVING. These Devices Include the Electric Dish Washing Machine.

The modern labor-saving devices include the electric dish-washing machine, of which there are many varieties. The housewife need no longer dread the close of the meal because the dishes are before her. The latest dish-washing machines thoroughly wash, rinse, sterilize and dry the dishes and are obtainable at a moderate price and require little attention.

One very admirable machine of this type has a large stationary tank arranged with wire racks having separate compartments, for the various dishes, which are sprayed with hot, soapy water from a rapidly revolving spray or cylinder. Hot rinse water from a different arrangement passes over the dishes; the tank lids are opened, and in a few moments the dishes will have dried themselves. By the use of wire racks the danger of chipping or breaking is avoided and all suds, food particles, soap and grease are carried away, thereby cleansing the tank each time.

## EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

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# REEVES COUNTY TEACHERS INSTITUTE

The Reeves County Teachers Institute opened at 9 o'clock Monday morning, September 6th, in the Pecos High School building. The devotional exercise was conducted by Homer L. Magee, after which Mr. Jas. F. Ross, chairman of the Pecos School Board, made a short talk assuring the teachers of their welcome in the city at all times. Mr. C. E. Whitehead gave a very fitting response to this. Judge Randals acted as chairman until Mr. Mace was elected by the Institute, as Mr. Randals was unable to be present at all times. Miss Mary Wilhite was elected secretary. After the enrollment of the teachers, Judge Randals made a short talk on the duty and responsibility of the teachers. A motion was then made and carried that the Institute begin at 8:30 in the morning, adjourning at twelve, assemble again at 1:30, and dismiss at 4:00.

Owing to the fact that Mr. Welborn failed to be present, Mr. Adams was appointed to lead the discussion on agriculture which was postponed until after noon. Institute was then adjourned until 1:30.

After the general assembly at 1:30 and roll-call, there was a song by the Institute. Mrs. Miller was elected as organist. Mr. Adams opened the program by his talk on the necessity of teaching agriculture in the public schools. Miss Nelson and Mrs. Yarbrough gave a discussion on the same subject and was followed by a general discussion by the Institute. After a short recess Mrs. Auten, Miss Willis and Miss Donnelly gave us some of the "Effects and Relations of Holidays" to the schools, and how they should be observed. Institute was then adjourned to meet the following morning.

Tuesday morning at 8:30 the Institute assembled and Rev. A. A. Davis read the scripture lesson, and gave the invocation which was followed by a vocal solo by Miss Vernon McCarver, and a song by the Institute, and roll call. On account of the representative from the University of Texas being unable to be present, Judge Randals took a few minutes before recess to give some points on the conditions of affecting individual schools, followed by a discussion by E. E. Adams and Mrs. Jesse Williams.

"Teaching English and the Correlation of the Work With the Grades in the High School" was taken up by Mr. Cummins and discussed by Mrs. George Williams. The assembly was then dismissed until afternoon.

At one-thirty the Institute again met and after roll call and a song the question of "Shall We Maintain Separate Schools for the Whites and the Mexicans?" was discussed by Miss Robertson, Mrs. Claypool and Miss Bloys, with a general discussion by the Institute.

After a few minutes of intermission for recess, Mrs. Wylie Cole, Miss Hall (taking the place of Miss Zimmer on the program) and Miss Bloys discussed the "Improvement of Schools, Interior and Exterior, and Fair Exhibits."

The teachers of the Pecos schools very royally entertained the visiting teachers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Couch on Tuesday evening.

Wednesday morning at 8:30 Institute was opened with a Bible reading and invocation by Rev. G. O. Key. After a song by the Institute a resolution committee was appointed consisting of the following: Mr. Adams, Mr. Cummins, Mrs. George Williams, Miss Glover and Miss Bloys. The next period was filled with a discussion of a Teachers Reading Circle for the discussion of "Countries Involved in the War: Their Area, Their Population and What Relative Proportion of the Surface of the Earth is Involved," followed by a general discussion by Miss Wagner and, as Miss Grace was not present, several members pointed in this discussion. The subject of "Teaching Current Event Geography" was then taken up by Miss Germany and discussed by Misses Glover and Wilhite, which was followed by general discussion.

In the afternoon, following roll-call, and singing, the problem of "Compulsory Education" was discussed by Mrs. Jesse Williams, Miss Collings and Miss McCarver. After recess Mr. Mace and Miss Lagle discussed "Effective Teaching of Reading, Writing and Spelling," a part of the discussion being left out until Thursday morning.

On account of Rev. Fred Little being unable to attend and read at the devotional exercises, Judge Ben Randals took his place, after which Miss Florence McCarver favored with a piano solo. The Institute was temporarily dismissed for a meeting of the Reading Circle. At the re-assembly of the teachers a motion was made and carried that each group of teachers in the West, South and East part of the county be organized into some kind of a reading circle and that these groups be affiliated in some way.

There was a continuation of the "Teaching of Reading, Writing and Spelling," by Miss Darby and several others. Miss Isaacks and Miss Willis then gave a discussion on "Mat Weaving and Clay Modeling" in the primary grades.

At 1:30, after roll call, and singing, on account of Mr. Canon not being present, the "Bad Boy" question was omitted. Miss Germany, Miss Willis and Miss Smith discussed the question "Why do Pupils Come to the High School Unable to Calculate Either Accurately or Rapidly?" which was followed by a general discussion.

For a few minutes the Institute discussed the question of "Supervision of Study" after which the body of teachers adjourned on account of the funeral of Mr. William Ross, one of Pecos' citizens.

On Friday morning Mr. McCarver conducted the devotional exercises, after which, by special request, Mr. Cummins favored the Institute with a vocal solo. The report of the resolutions committee was presented and accepted and a committee appointed to present a copy of the resolutions to Mrs. Ross. It was moved and carried that the County Judge be notified of the invitation from the Toyah teachers and Mothers' Club and citizens to hold the next session of the Institute in Toyah. It being the wish of the body of the teachers in attendance at Pecos this year.

Misses Smith, Wilhite and Townsend discussed "How Much and How Should We Teach Domestic Science in the Public Schools?" This was followed by a general discussion. After a short recess the subject of the "Importance of History and How It Should Be Taught" was discussed by Misses Darby, Robertson and Nelson. Adjournment until afternoon.

Mr. Adams and Mr. Whitehead opened the discussion on "Management of the So-Called Bad Boy," moved an airtight motion and it was then moved and seconded that the Institute be adjourned.

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### SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, )  
County of Reeves. )  
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution for Costs issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County, on the 25th day of August, 1915, by Willie-de Woods, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of Thirty-Five and 75-100 (\$35.75) Dollars, and costs of suit, under a suit incurred in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1510 and styled J. L. Tyler and Robert P. Tyler vs. W. P. Morris, John R. Sandifer and Chas. W. Harkrider, placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison as Sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 25th day of August, 1915, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: Section No. 48, in Block No. 56, Township 7, and levied upon as the property of J. L. Tyler, and that on the first Tuesday in October, 1915, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will sell the above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said J. L. Tyler. 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 10th day of September, 1915.

TOM HARRISON,  
Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.  
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# LIST OF PREMIUMS AWARDED AT THE REEVES COUNTY FAIR

- FLORAL HALL.
- Handsomest knitted doily, Mrs. F. W. Johnson.
  - Handsomest crochet gown set, Mrs. F. W. Johnson.
  - Table runner with crochet end, Mrs. F. W. Johnson.
  - Best 1 dozen doughnuts, Mrs. F. P. Richburg.
  - Best sideboard scarf, Mrs. Dozier Richburg.
  - Best plum preserves, Mrs. Dozier Richburg.
  - Best sideboard d.s.-y. elstshut, Dozier Richburg.
  - Best crochet doily, best linen center, crochet edge, best linen bureau scarf, embroidered, Mrs. D. S. Butler.
  - Best crochet dresser scarf, best 1st, F. F. Dulce 2nd.
  - specimen crochet lace, best specimen print lace, best centerpiece, silk or cotton, best cross stitch, best painting in pastel, Mrs. John Mc-Birney.
  - Handsomest tatted gown yoke, best tatted baby cap, Mrs. M. Brown.
  - Best plum jelly, best apple jelly, Mrs. John Lilley.
  - Best pear preserves, best salt-rising bread, Mrs. Jas. F. Ross.
  - Best devil's food cake, Mrs. Earl Collings.
  - Best oil painting, best water color, Miss Maggie Glover.
  - Best crochet bag, Eula Mae Colwell.
  - Best specimen of crochet, 2 or more inches Mrs. J. A. Miller.
  - Best silk quilt, Lena Strickland.
  - Best drawn work, Mrs. H. N. McKellar.
  - Specimen of 1-2 inch tatting, best angel food cake, best yeast bread, Mrs. H. L. Magee.
  - Best knitted counterpane, Mrs. E. C. Yates.
  - Best boys wash suit, Mrs. A. L. Williamson.
  - Best worsted quilt, Mrs. C. Colwell.
  - Best kitchen apron, Mrs. J. B. Watson.
  - Best crochet baby cap, Mrs. H. Kerr.
  - Best fruit sweet pickles, best canned peaches, Mrs. John Camp.
  - Best watermelon sweet pickles, Mrs. Belton Short.
  - Best watermelon preserves, best strawberries preserved, Mrs. C. M. Wilson.
  - Best napkins hemmed and marked with letter, best linen lunch set, Mrs. W. W. Rannels.
  - Best Wallachian embroidery Mrs. Wied.
  - Best carnation embroidery, Mrs. S. M. Ward.
  - Best yellow sponge cake, best white loaf cake, best ginger bread, best cotton embroidery, any stitch, Mrs. R. W. Hindley.
  - Best specimen in silk or wool, Mrs. Chas. Tyler.
  - Handsomest centerpiece, eyelet, handsomest piano cover, best punch work, Mrs. Robert Carson.
  - Prettiest crochet baby set, Mrs. Bert Simpson.
  - Handsomest tray cloth, Mrs. G. C. Parker.
  - Handsomest handstitched handkerchief, Mrs. M. A. Davis.
  - Neatest made baby dress, handsomest sofa pillow Mrs. Earl Ligon.
  - Handsomest embroidered sheets, best cucumber sweet pickles and best cucumber sour pickles, Mrs. Howard Collier.
  - Best crochet collar, Mrs. W. N. Yates.
  - Handsomest table cloth, Miss Annie Richburg.
  - Best crochet afghan, best crochet towel, Mrs. Elmer Johnson.
- FRUIT DISPLAY.
- Best display of apples on plate, Mountcastle 1st and 2nd.
  - Best display of pears on plate, Mountcastle 1st and 2nd.
  - Best display of peaches, S. Ligon.
  - Best display of grapes, Dulce Fruit Farm, 1st and 2nd.
- GARDEN DISPLAY.
- Best display of 6 or more carrots, Mrs. A. J. Curtis.
  - Best display of 1 dozen tomatoes Mrs. A. J. Curtis 1st, A. L. Williamson 2nd.
  - Best display of string beans, A. L. Williamson.
  - Best display of celery, Mrs. A. J. Curtis.
  - Best display of peppers on stalk Howard Collier.
  - Best display of garden vegetables of all kinds grown in one garden, Mrs. O. O. Curtis 1st, H. H. Johnson 2nd.
- AGRICULTURAL PREMIUMS.
- Best half bushel wheat, A. L. Williamson.
  - June corn in the ear, D. T. McKee.
  - Best 12 stalks of corn, 1st, D. T. McKee, 2nd G. W. Goodrich.
  - Best half bushel oats, Mountcastle Land & Irrigation Co.
  - Barley, Mountcastle Land & Irrigation Co.
  - Best peck alfalfa seed, C. M. Hall 1st. Mountcastle Land and Irrigation Co. 2nd.
  - Best three bales of alfalfa, F. W. Johnson.
  - Best display of oats in sheaf, A. L. Williamson.
  - Best display of Barley in sheaf, A. L. Williamson.
  - Best 6 sheaves of Soudan grass, D. T. McKee 1st, G. Brown, 2nd.
  - Best display of maize, 1 dozen stalks, M. G. Darter 1st. Howard Collier, 2nd.
  - Best display of kafir corn, 1 dozen stalks, G. W. Goodrich.
  - Best display of feterita, D. T. McKee.
  - Best display of cane, J. W. Wilson, 1st, D. T. McKee, 2nd.
  - Best bale of cotton, Sam Nolan, 1st, Jesse Kie, 2nd.
  - Best 3 stalks of cotton, W. N. Yates 1st, Percy Holman 2nd.
  - Best 3 pumpkins, A. L. Williamson.
  - Best 3 or more watermelons, A. L. Williamson.
  - Best 1 dozen cantaloupes, D. T. McKee, 1st, A. L. Williamson 2nd.
  - Best display of watermelons, A. L. Williamson.
  - Best half bushel sweet potatoes, (red) A. L. Williamson.
  - Best half bushel sweet potatoes, (white) A. L. Williamson.
  - Best peck white onions, Chris Ritz, 1st, H. H. Johnson 2nd.
  - Best display of beets, Mrs. O. O. Curtis 1st. Mountcastle Land and Irrigation Co. 2nd.
  - Best display of farm products from one farm, Howard Collier 1st, H. H. Jones 2nd and D. T. McKee, 3rd.
  - Best display of farm products of one county, open to all counties except Reeves, G. W. Goodrich of Ward County.
- POULTRY DEPARTMENT.
- Buff Orpingtons, F. G. Snow, of Carlsbad, 1st, cockerel.
  - White Wvandotts, H. L. Magee, 1st and 2nd hen; 1st cockerel.
  - R. B. Holman of El Paso, 1st and 2nd pullet; 2nd cockerel.
  - S. C. White Leghorn, John Higgins 1st pen; 1st cockerel; 1st and 2nd pullet. H. C. Stewart, 2nd pen 2nd cockerel.
  - Embsen Geeses, H. C. Stewart, 1st goose and gander.
  - Bronze Turkeys, H. C. Stewart, 1st gobbler.
  - Pearl Guineas, H. C. Stewart, 1st hen and 1st cockerel.
  - Barred Plymouth Rocks, W. W. Camp 1st pen, 1st and 2nd pullet; 2nd cockerel. E. L. Ervin, of Carlsbad, 1st cockerel, 2nd pen.
  - Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, Hartland Mullane Carlsbad, 1st pen, 1st cockerel, 1st Cock, 1st pullet, 2nd cockerel and 2nd pullet.
  - S. C. Rhode Island Reds, J. W. Parker, 1st pen, 1st pullet, 2nd cockerel; I. T. Kestler, 1st cockerel, 2nd pullet.
  - Black Orpingtons, F. G. Snow, of Carlsbad, 1st pen, 1st pullet, 1st cockerel, 2nd pullet.
- RECOMMENDE CHAMBER-LAIN'S COUGH REMEDY
- "Last winter I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a bad bronchial cough. I felt its beneficial effect before I had finished the bottle, and I was cured. I never tire of recommending this remedy to my friends," writes Mrs. William Bright, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Obtainable everywhere, at all druggists. —Advt.
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MONEY FOR TEXAS.

Mr. R. H. Webster of San Antonio, Texas, president of the Texas State Realty Association, is making a business trip of some months duration to that section of the United States known as the Middle West. He goes to familiarize himself with the condition of things in that section, and to interest outside moneyed men in Texas.

Mr. Webster made a careful study of business and realty conditions in Texas for many years and is firmly convinced that now is the time to go after money for Texas.

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Mr. Webster is a progressive and an aggressive thinker. He was an original and strong supporter of the movement to secure the constitutional amendment of 1904 authorizing our present splendid state banking system. He was also one of the earliest advocates of the present fire insurance rating system.

As president of the San Antonio Real Estate Exchange, Mr. Webster was one of the first advocates of good roads for Texas. He named the members of the first good roads committee of that exchange and it is significant of his knowledge of men, that the man he then named as chairman of the committee is today the president of the Texas Good roads commission.

Mr. Webster has a large acquaintance among bankers and business men in Chicago, St. Louis, St. Paul, Omaha, Kansas City, and other points in the Middle West, as well as throughout Texas. He is thoroughly familiar with the general and special conditions of Texas and is well qualified to secure right publicity for the state.

Suggestions with special information on any locality sent Mr. Webster of Texas will receive immediate consideration. Address him in care of New Live Stock Exchange Building, Kansas City, Missouri.

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"ow," said Mr. Jones energetically, "I think its high time, Jimmie, that you began to learn something, and I am going to teach you. We will begin by counting the people in the family."

"Yeth, thir," said Jimmie.

"Now, mother is one, and I am one, so that makes two, doesn't it?"

"Yeth thir," said Jimmie.

"And now, grandma is one more, and she makes how many?"

Jimmie looked interested, but a little doubtful. "Three, isn't it?"

"Yeth thir," said Jimmie.

"And now, ther's grandpa. He makes—how many? Four isn't it?"

"Yeth thir," said Jimmie.

"And then, ther's Aunt Ellen. She makes—how many? Five is it not?"

"Yeth thir," said Jimmie.

"And then ther's Uncle Stephen. He makes—"

"But daddy," exclaimed Jimmie, "do they all make hominy?"

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"I heard a great many people declare that Pecos could never become a farming country," said Mr. McKillop, "but I never believed them. My experiments should be an object lesson to doubters. I did not irrigate and it was just an average wet year. In fact it is said that the last five seasons have been the driest in this section for thirty or more years.

"With correct cultivation, Pecos county farms, with their 'chocolate land' have a big future. The crops must be planted deep and well cultivated and harrowed.

McKillop, a farmer of 35 years' experience in South Dakota, says sorghum and broom corn also will thrive in the Pecos country and that fruit can be grown with unusual success there if properly cultivated and irrigated. Grapes, especially, would thrive, he believes. He says that several promising young orchards have been planted near Pecos City.—Star-Telegram.

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B. J. STRICKLAND. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of September, 1915.

R. R. FLEMING. Notary Public Reeves Co. Texas. My commission expires June 1, 1916

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Ruth Newell with a number of her little friends met at Grandma Newell's home the other day, and celebrated Miss Ruth's 8th birthday.

The day was clear and pleasant and all had an enjoyable time. The following named were there and took part in the happy afternoon's pleasure:

Billie, Betty and Blanche Harrison, Lucile Prewit, Jacksie Floyd, Myrtle Ruhlen, Neoma Payne, Louise Starley, Mary Stine, Lou Cole, Eva Richburg and Margaret Howard.

After the little friends of Ruth had spent the afternoon, and all were feeling happy they gathered round a delicious spread which had been made ready by Mrs. Jim King and Miss Lena Strickland.

The spread consisted of banana cake and lemonads, after which they all departed to their homes bidding her good-bye and many happy returns of the occasion.

MEETING AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

A protracted meeting has been carried on since last Sunday at the Christian church. The preaching being done by J. W. Holsapple of Sherman, Texas.

Owing to the wet weather the attendance has not been as good as it would have been although they have had fairly good congregations at all appointments.

It has been stated by many who have heard Bro. Holsapple that they were well pleased with his sermons and have classed him as one of the big preachers.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLUB FORMED.

On Monday the ladies of Pecos completed the organization of a Domestic Science Club with an enrollment of 18 members.

Mrs. J. A. Frame was elected as president, Mrs. J. W. Parker first vice-president, Mrs. Mavin Cowan, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Starley, press reporter.

The club will have its next meeting Thursday, October 7, at 4 p. m., at the library. All ladies interested are requested to be present.

NEW CAFE CHANGES HANDS.

Today, H. E. Johnson took full charge of the New Cafe, having purchased same from Latham Bros. Mr. Johnson is an experienced restaurant and short order man, and is deserving of and will undoubtedly receive a splendid patronage.

Her's success to him. The Latham Bros. have as yet not made any definite arrangements, and it is hoped that they may find something here that will interest them that they may remain among us. However should they leave Pecos the best wishes of their friends here will go with them.

GREAT DAM TO STEM THE PECOS

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the river below this point so that there would be no water lost.

Congressman Smith reports that P. M. Fogg made an investigation of the Red Bluff site about a year ago. His report was that all sites except the Red Bluff site are inland basins, requiring feed canals and liable to large losses through seepage and evaporation.

The Red Bluff site would conserve all the available water above the site, serve all areas that may be developed and would save water losses through the absence of any feed canal and by concentration of all stored water in one relatively deep body.

Congressman Smith said at present the service is short about \$20,000,000 necessary for the completion of the projects now under way, but the secretary of the interior, Franklin K. Lane, has under consideration a plan for financing these projects and the undertaking of new ones and that they hoped to have it ready to present to the coming session of the Legislature for action.

The congressman said that he thought if the Pecos people would get together on the project and have it in proper shape to present it to the reclamation service there were good prospects of the project being successfully carried out. After an inspection of the proposed site, Mr. Smith said that it appeared feasible to him. He further said he had conferred with senator Sheppard on the possibilities of having the government take hold of the project and that they were ready to help push it.

Mr. Martinez and Senator Sheppard have both given their endorsement to the project and it was Mr. Martinez who suggested the slogan "Dam it. We need it," which has been taken up by the association. He cautions the farmers and landowners to get together and work as a unit.

ORIENT HOTEL ARRIVALS.

- Thursday, September 23. D. D. Wink, Houston. Mrs. W. E. Richards, Weatherford. W. T. Bush, El Paso. W. R. Hutchinson, El Paso. O. T. Tescheur, El Paso. J. Rains, Houston. W. W. Waddell, Sheffield. E. K. Bowman, Sheffield.

- Friday, September 24. W. H. Nabours, W. C. Hornberger, Jr., El Paso. F. H. Curry, Balmorhea. N. H. Corder, Balmorhea. E. D. Balcom, Balmorhea. A. O. Koontz, S. Bend, Iand. W. F. Howard, Austin. Saturday, September 25. M. T. Endaly, randfalls. Bob McLane, Waco. Mrs. Bo McCutcheon, Ranch. C. L. Ballard, Roswell. H. Ruth and wife, Post City. T. H. Bell, El Paso. Wm. C. Bloomingdoll, Calif.

- Sunday, September 26. J. O. King, Midland. L. L. Cheatman, Abilene. W. D. Dietz, Clyde. J. W. Moore, City. C. C. Beal, St. Louis. J. A. Smith, Gorman, Texas. Monday, September 27. W. F. Cummins, El Paso. C. C. Cargill, Tohav. H. C. Egleston, St. Louis. Geo. Brantley, Carlsbad. T. A. Millner, Abilene. C. C. Cherhin, Abilene. R. T. Robertson, Big Springs.

- Tuesday, September 28. A. Vick Winters and family, Monahans. Edwin Perry, A. Richards, El Paso. Z. A. Woods, Jr., Ft. Smith. F. L. Baker, Abilene. G. E. Wright, Benbrook. Wednesday, September 29. Dan Rusal, Kerrville. Jim Lee, Midland. Mrs. Davis and daughter, Pyote. J. Potton, Dallas. Cliff G. Beekman, El Paso. E. B. Carver, Fort Worth. T. E. Day, Dallas.

THE CHURCHES. BAPTIST.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS. Since our last report there have been two bright boys converted in our services. May this be the beginning of a gracious revival. The size of the congregation last Sunday were very gratifying and the spirit of worship was very manifest. This is as it should be.

A collection for Christian education was taken last Sunday. If you were not at church, there is a committee looking for you. Do the best you can for this great cause. It was planned last Sunday evening to begin a revival meeting at the Baptist church in the near future. Arrangements are being made to place a general evangelist in this association during the next convention year. He will have a great field.

In spite of the bad weather there was an increased attendance at the prayer meeting. This speaks well for our people. Bro. J. B. Cole has had 114 added to his church at Lubbock from the Lockett Adair meetings. We rejoice with our beloved Brother in his prosperity.

Let every member of the church get ready to be present at the Rally Day services on the 2nd Sunday in October. You are invited to worship with us next Sunday morning. We will try to do you good. Yours to serve, G. O. KEY.

CHURCH OF CHRIST. THE REVIVAL MEETING.

A revival meeting began at the Christian church last Sunday morning, with J. W. Holsapple of Sherman, preaching. Services are held each evening a 8 o'clock. The preaching has been of the highest order—plain, Scriptural, forceful, the whole gospel in love. Considerable interest has been manifested already. There was one confession of faith, and one added to the church by statement Thursday night.

The meeting will continue for an indefinite time. It is hoped that every person in Pecos will take an interest for we are in need of a genuine revival. Talk the meeting, pray for it, work for it, and attend it.

HOMER L. MAGEE. PRESBYTERIAN.

There will be services at the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m., but non at night because of the revival.

At the 11 o'clock hour will be the communion, public reception of members, baptism of infants. Meetings of the church session at 6 p. m., to which both the elders and deacons are expected.

A report of the meeting of the Presbytery of El Paso at Midland will be made at this session. Matters of importance will be considered. Rally Day will be postponed until next Sunday.

ASHER A. DAVIS, pastor. METHODIST.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching both morning and evening, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. Allison the presiding Elder occupying the pulpit at both services.

The called quarterly conference will be held at the church tomorrow (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock. It is hoped that there will be a full attendance of all the members of the different boards and trustees, as very important business will come up and this is the last meeting before the annual conference.

One and all are most cordially invited to attend the Sunday school and the preaching services. Come and bring someone with you.

The Rally Day services held last Sunday forenoon were a sure success, both as to the attendance and the interesting program which was rendered by the children and others.

The "Graded System of Lessons" were adopted to commence next Sunday. This feature is under the able management of Mrs. Williams, who has had considerable experience in this method and it is safe to say that it will prove a great success, and will help to build up the school both in numbers and in efficiency.

All who attended the services felt well repaid for being there and many will keep on going.

Horse-drawn vehicles in Chicago principal down town streets have decreased approximately 20 per cent since 1907, while motor vehicles have increased 600 per cent in a similar period. The total number of vehicles in Chicago has increased 11 per cent.

INTEREST ON LAND MUST BE PAID

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tp 4, Cert No. 4009, T & P grant, 280 acres.

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Section 6, blk 54, ttp 4, Cert No. 4012, T & P grant 640 acres.

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Section 12, blk 56, ttp 2, Cert. No. 5026, T & P grant, 640 acres.

Section 22, blk 56, ttp 2, Cert. No. 5031, T & P grant, 640 acres.

Section 18, blk 56, ttp 3, Cert. No. 5160, T & P grant 640 acres.

Section 40, blk 56, ttp 3, Cert. No. 5171, T & P grant, 640 acres.

E 1-2 of SE 1-4 section 14, blk 56, ttp 7, Cert No. 5180, T & P grant, 80 acres.

Section 8, blk 57, ttp 1, Cert No. 5048, T & P grant, 640 acres.

Section 16, blk 57, ttp 1, Cert. No. 5052, T & P grant 640 acres.

Section 22, blk 57, ttp 1, Cert. No. 5055, T & P grant, 640 acres.

Section 38, blk 57, ttp 1, Cert. No. 5063, T & P grant, 640 acres.

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Section 32, blk 57, ttp 3, Cert. No. 5235, T & P grant 640 acres.

Section 34, blk 57, ttp 3, Cert. No. 5236, T & P grant, 640 acres.

Section 40, blk 57, ttp 3, Cert. No. 5230, T & P grant, 640 acres.

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SW 1-4 sec. 26, blk 53, 160 ac.

E 1-2 and SE 1-2 of NW 1-4 of section 26, blk 53, 401 acres.

SE 1-4 of section 27, blk 53, 160 acres.

NW 1-4 section 35, blk 53, 160 ac.

W 1-2 and NE 1-4 and NE 3-4 of SE 1-4 section 23, blk 55, 600 acres.

Section 29, blk 55, 640 acres. Section 6, blk 57, 640 acres. Section 9, blk 57, 640 acres. E 1-3 of W 3-4 of SW 1-4 section 29, blk 58, 40 acres.

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Dr. Camp, without notice to family or friends, went to El Paso last week and proceeded to have the veriform appendix removed for this system. Everything turned out fine—successful operation, and a remarkable recuperative performance on the doctor's part, for he is already at his place of business as if nothing had ever happened. We wonder if his appendix was perched on the four-railing of the cot when he came to.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The directors and stockholders of the Reeves County Fair Association are urgently requested to be present at the meeting called for Saturday October 9, 1915, at 2:30 p. m.

E. G. DOTY, Secretary.

MOLLEY BAILEY'S SHOW

On Monday, October the 4th, the famous Molley Bailey Show will give two performances in Pecos, affords no introduction to Texas people, being the same show that entertained many of our granddaddies and grandmamas, only, in keeping with the progressiveness of the times has grown bigger and better, and their seasonable appearance is anxiously looked for by the present generation as by the past. Its a clean little show, and maybe this is the main factor in its big success. Better take it in.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

—Just received a car of American Beauty flour. The BEST. O. J. GREEN. 40-2

—Dr. Aronson will remain in Pecos until the latter part of next week at Mrs. Jo Camp's residence. 40-1

—Misses Leota Beauchamp and Agnes Jeans returned Monday, via the P. V. S. after spending a week on the McCutcheon ranch near Limpia.

—Meat scraps, ground bone, and oyster shell at Prewit & Wadley's.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lee, Sunday, September 26th, 1915, a six-pound girl.

—One gray mare to sell at a bargain. O. J. Green. 40-2

Mrs. Virginia Frommer left for San Antonio Tuesday afternoon after spending two months in Pecos with her daughter Mrs. D. W. Bozeman.

—Seed barley at Prewit & Wadley's

Mrs. Jennie Johnson who has been visiting her son H. H. Johnson, the last month, has returned to her home in Corsicana.

—Just received a car of FEED—See us and save money. O. J. GREEN. 40-2

—Our stock salt will please you—Prewit & Wadley. 38tf

F. W. Johnson and Stump Robbins left Tuesday for Fort Stockton to look after some business interests there.

—If you are interested in saving money on your grocery bills trade with O. J. Green. 40-2

Mr. Davis, pastor of the Presbyterian church is at present engaged in holding a protracted meeting at Toyah. With his daughter he came down Monday morning with Albert Sisk in the latter's car. He returned the same evening on No. 5. He reports that he is having a splendid meeting has had quite a good many conversions up to Sunday night.

—Seed wheat at Prewit & Wadley's.

—Maize Chops, cheaper than corn chops at Prewit & Wadley's.

Mrs. W. R. Glasscock went to Midland last week and returned to Pecos Sunday the 26.

—If you want quality groceries at the lowest prices phone 84. 40-2

Sunshine Johnson spent two days in Pecos last week and returning home Saturday.

—Cane seed is dandy chicken feed. Cheap at Prewit & Wadley's.

Billy Smith left yesterday going to La Mest. He will return after a ten days visit to that place and other points.

—We lead, others follow. Phone 84 and be convinced. 40-2

J. W. Briscoe from Greenville, came in this week to visit his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Briscoe, and other relatives for several days.

—Feed is cheaper at Prewit & Wadley's.

Mrs. C. C. Colwell left yesterday for El Paso in response to a telegram that her sister Mrs. Frank Copeland was not expected to live. Mrs. Copeland left Pecos about a month ago from this place and it was hoped that she would be benefited by sanitarium treatment in El Paso. We are indeed sorry to hear the sad news.

—Bring us your cotton and all kinds of produce. O. J. Green 40-2

Jess Woods, assistant general manager of the Southwestern Railway returned Wednesday to his work at Henrietta, after a few days visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Woods, and other relatives and numerous friends. He reports that he is getting along in fine shape up there which is good news to his many friends.

—You would be surprised at the amount of feed handled by Prewit & Wadley.

Henry Lavelle, of Balmorhea was a business visitor in Pecos last Saturday.

—20 per cent given back in nice premiums on your purchases at O. J. Green's Grocery. 40-2

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Derrick of Toyah were Pecos visitors last Saturday.

—Have you got one of our catalogs? Phone 84 to send you one.

Rev. J. A. Foster of Balmorhea was a Pecos visitor Sunday evening.

—Kansas ground stock salt at Prewit & Wadley's. 38tf

Anse Oates of Saragosa was one of the numerous visitors in Pecos Monday.

—When in need of fire, auto, tornado or accident, insurance on bonds of any kind, call on E. L. Collings Insurance Co. 40-1

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T. V. Hollebeke was down from his ranch near Orla Monday greeting his many friends in Pecos.

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—Buy your stock salt from Prewit & Wadley. 38tf

C. B. Hankins of Arno was down Tuesday greeting his many friends in Pecos.

—If you want premium tickets, you will have to settle your bills on the first of the month. O. J. GREEN. 40-2

C. M. Honaker, one of "Saragosa the Beautiful's" prominent citizens and business men was transacting business in Pecos Tuesday.

—Pay your account at Green's on the first and get your premium tickets. 40-2

S. T. Hobbs, the popular cashier of the Toyah Valley State Bank, was circulating around among his hosts of friends in Pecos Wednesday.

—Dandy stock salt at Prewit & Wadley's. 38tf

B. W. Van Deren was up from Balmorhea Wednesday on a business trip.

—We are going to help make the Billion Dollar Loan to the Allies; if you owe us, pay up. Green's Grocery. 40-2

—Don't let your account run over 30 days; you may want credit again some time. Green's Grocery. 40-2

F. H. Curry of Balmorhea was visiting in Pecos last week Friday.

—Always call for your premium tickets at Green's Grocery. They are valuable. 40-2

E. D. Balcom was up from Balmorhea last Friday and Saturday transacting business with our merchants.

—Cold pressed cake at Prewit & Wadley's

M. T. Eudaly of Grandfalls was among the visitors in Pecos Monday

—Blue Ribbon Flour the best and cheapest at Prewit & Wadley's

Mrs. Louise Medaris, principal of the public school at Monahans and assistant, Miss Nannie Nowlin, are visiting with Mrs. J. M. Frame the latter part of this week.

—4 nice Jerseys and mixed heifers will be fresh soon to sell cheap. O. J. Green. 40-2

Messrs. W. A. Duncan, Will Coalcom and baby, and Mrs. J. M. Montgomery were down from Toyah Tuesday for a few hours' stay in Pecos.

—4 nice young colts to sell cheap. O. J. Green. 40-2

Jim Lee of Midland passed thru Pecos Wednesday enroute to Carlsbad.

—Buy your feed from Prewit & Wadley and save money.

F. C. Carter of Dalworth, was in the city transacting business on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

—4 head of good work horses to sell at a bargain. O. J. Green. 40-2

Born—Saturday, September 25, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Deering of Monahans, Texas, a baby girl.

Born—Saturday, August 22, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Andruss of Angeles, Texas, a baby boy

—Bewley's Best—the best and cheapest flour at Prewit & Wadley's

Don't forget that Rev. C. S. Allison, the Presiding Elder will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and night.

—One nice, gentle brown horse for children, cheap. O. J. Green. 40-2

N. J. Yarbrough of Columbus, New Mexico came down to Pecos Tuesday to visit his old home and returned yesterday evening, but despite the fact that he has been away several years he has failed to lose any of his good nature, for while here he called at the office of The Times and contributed a dollar with the request to send him what he calls "the best paper published in West Texas." It is these things that always makes the editor feel good.

—A nice 4-room house, two porches water, shade, close in, to rent cheap. O. J. Green. 40-2

Mrs. S. P. Stone arrived Wednesday from Ballinger for a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Alexander, and family.

MILLINERY.

Miss Farnum has just received a new line of millinery, hats, shapes, and trimmings. Also furs for dress trimmings. 39-2

—Dr. Aronson will remain in Pecos until the latter part of next week at Mrs. Jo Camp's residence. 40-1

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Winters of Monahans, wre in town Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cargill of Toyah were visitors in Pecos Monday. Charley went up to Orla on business, returning Wednesday.

—Anyone wanting their stove flues cleaned and examined, phone your orders to 159. We have arrangements made with parties to do the work. 40-1

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MRS. BLANKS MEETS THE PECOS REBECCAS.

Last Saturday night Mrs. Amelia Blanks of San Angelo, the president of the Rebecca Assembly of Texas, gave a splendid talk on Rebecca work to the Rebecca lodge of Pecos. There were about twenty present and five new members were taken in. On Sunday morning, Mrs. Blanks talked at the Methodist Church and again Sunday afternoon she talked to the members of the Rebecca lodge, and a few others. On Monday afternoon at the Rebecca Hall, she instructed the members in putting on the degree work. She came at a time when she was most needed, when the lodge was just starting. There are now about thirty members.

PRESBYTERIAN MEETING CLOSED AT TOYAH.

Rev. A. A. Davis, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Pecos, who puts in a part of his time at Toyah, and at Van Horn, closed a very successful meeting at the former place Wednesday night, in which he reports that he had 25 converts. This is doing exceedingly well for a 10 days meeting. He stated that he was of the opinion that the Methodists would gather in the greater portion of the converts because they belonged to the Methodist Sunday school.

Rev. Davis is one of the preachers who is out to save souls regardless to what fold they may unite, and is doing splendid work for the Master wherever he goes.

If you want to buy anything, read the Pecos Times.

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## Bulbs--Planting. Cultivation and Treatment

Directions for Planting Tulip and Narcissus Bulbs.—Cultivation and Treatment.

If you would have a rich bed of tulips or give the beds or the corners of your lawns a beautiful and springlike yellow or white glow of narcissus daffodil, and jonquil, you must begin to think of the early spring appearance of your garden in the fall, for the bulbs of these flowers must be planted before the ground is frozen. In fact this bit of work should be undertaken as soon or before an early frost has begun to make the annual flowers look weakened. In dealing with narcissus, which is the family to which the daffodil and jonquil belong, it might be well to think of trying to naturalize the narcissus to grow and to blossom on the lawn as do the wild flowers. How to plant and handle the bulbs as well as the best method of getting them to become spring residents of the grassy corners, are described in the following directions issued by the bulb specialists of the department.

These bulbs should be planted in light soil that has been dug to a depth of at least 10 inches. The tulip bulbs should be set 5 inches apart and 4 inches deep and the narcissus bulbs about 10 inches apart and 5 inches deep.

If they are to be grown in pots in the window or boxes, light, rich soil should be used. Place 1 to 2 inches of cinders or broken pots in the bottoms of the pots or boxes to insure good drainage. After planting place the pot or boxes out of doors and cover them with about 4 inches of ashes or sand; or they may be placed in a dark, cool room or cellar for a few weeks until the bulbs have formed a quantity of roots. They may then be brought into the light and heat for flowering. Keep the soil well moistened from time to time from planting, but be sure to avoid overmoistening, for if kept too wet the bulbs will decay.

If planted in beds the surface of the soil should be loosened after

each rain and the bed kept free from weeds. In the late fall or in early winter months, it is well to cover the beds with a light mulch of straw or leaves to prevent injury to the young roots from the alternate freezing and thawing of the soil. This mulch should be gradually removed in the spring as soon as growth appears above the soil. The bulbs are quite hardy and are not injured by severe cold if the soil is well drained.

Tulip and narcissus plants are perennial and if given the proper care and grown under suitable soil and the climatic conditions will increase and multiply from year to year.

The bulbs may remain in the soil two or three years or until the clumps begin to crowd. After the blossoming in the spring, from six to eight weeks should elapse to allow the foliage to die partially down when the bulbs may be lifted with a spade or a fork. Shake the soil from the roots and store the bulbs in a cool, shady where they will ripen and cure. When the old leaves and roots are thoroughly dry they may be easily rubbed off and the clusters of bulbs divided. The bulb may then be planted in the same manner as the original bulbs. In this way the stock may be increased in a few years.

The narcissus often becomes naturalized when planted in the soil or partial shade, where it will continue to grow, blossom and multiply for many years without further attention. Simply make a small hole in the soil 5 or 6 inches deep, insert the bulb pointed end up, and press the soil over the top, and nature will do the rest. For naturalizing avoid planting in rows or rigid geometrical figures. A good plan is to scatter the bulbs like seed and plant where they fall. This method is extensively followed in the home ground and parks of England and other countries in Europe. In portions of North Carolina, on large estates along the James River in Virginia, and in old gardens in New England narcissuses that were planted over half a century ago are still growing vigorously and every spring produce displays of blossoms.

## Some Household Hints

Add a few chopped dates to the stewed apples and it will improve the flavor.

When making pumpkin pie add a dash of quince preserves and the flavor will be improved.

It is better to cut the material away from embroidered scallops after the pressing. There will be no ravelled edges if this rule is followed.

If you have not a cork to fit the pickle bottle, cut a circular piece of oiled paper the proper size put this next to the pickles and fill the bottle evenly to the brim with a good coating of paraffin.

A stove that has been splashed with fat can be quickly cleaned by dipping a rag in the soot at the back of the stove and rubbing the greasy spots before applying the blacking.

Be most careful to have the ashpan under the kitchen range emptied after the grate has been cleaned out, as ashes always collect under the grate and will cause it to burn out quickly.

To make cheese crackers grate some cheese and mix to a paste, season with salt, mustard and pepper. Place this on some cream crackers or water biscuits and heat thoroughly serving at once.

It saves a great deal of the rush at the last moment to begin buying Christmas presents now. If one avoids useless knickknacks and novelties, one will find plenty of good presents in the shops.

To split a shortcake with ease, fill the pan half full of batter then spread over it a spoonful of melted butter. Put in the remainder of the batter, spread it out so that the butter will not show. When the cake is baked it will split without difficulty.

One way of lessening housekeeping cares in the summer is to do away with windy curtains and use only the shades. It saves both the washing and the trouble when sudden storms come the curtains are apt to be soaked.

A faded carpet can be much improved at a little expense. Add a pint of vinegar to a pan of fairly hot water and after having given the carpet a thorough brushing, mop the well into every part of it with a clean cloth.

For dirty boots or sticky marks on the carpet use ammonia; if it should seem to fade the color of the carpet, it is easily restored by the use of chloroform. A cloth wrung out of salt water brings up the color after sweeping.

Turpentine is a ready remedy for removing the shine from a dark skirt. Rub the affected parts with a small piece of flannel dipped in this liquid and hang the garment in the open air to remove the smell of the turpentine.

Peppers can be kept firm and solid in the following way: Put in a stone jar or crock, then heat vinegar enough to entirely cover them. In this way they will keep all the winter.

To keep copper utensils from tarnishing clean with sand and a hand full of flour and salt mixed with vinegar, rinse in hot water and dry then polish with dry whiting.

After bones have been boiled in the soup pot, they can either be hammered into small pieces for the chickens or they can be dried and used to rally up the fire when it is low.

Time saver: All of the boxes on top of the pantry shelf should have labels on the end telling the contents of each. This saves a great deal of time when you are hunting for an article.

Finger marks on doors can be removed by using a clean piece of flannel dipped in kerosene. Then wipe with a rag wrung out of hot water. This destroys the smell of the kerosene.

Prunes hidden in a meringue, the meringue baked in an oven, make a delicious dessert.

The newest omelet pan is in two parts, so that the omelet may be flipped over and over.

Anybody afraid of germs should take lemon juice daily, especially in the drinking water.

Kitchen table: It is convenient to have castors on the kitchen table and it can be rolled where desired.

A cake batter should be beaten a little less possible after the flour is put in the mixture.

Children's teeth.—A little borax dissolved in warm water will help to keep the children's teeth well and sound.

## CANNING COMPOUNDS.

Housewives Warned That Use of Preserving Powders is Dangerous to Health and Useless.

Information has come to the department that the canning season has brought the usual demand on the part of the housewives for salicylic acid and boric acid. These preparations are sometimes sold in the form of powder under various trade names and are recommended by the promoters for use in home canning. In the directions for use the housewife is told to fill the jar with the fruit or vegetables, cover with water, and add a teaspoonful of the preserving powder. While it is true that these compounds may retard the decay of the fruit or vegetable it is pointed out by the experts of the department that their use may be attended by serious disturbances of health. Salicylic acid is well known as a poisonous substance and one of the evils which may accompany its use is derangement of the digestion. It is therefore plain that its extensive use in food may lead to disturbance of digestion and health.

The Federal Food and Drugs act prohibits the use of harmful preservatives in foods that enter interstate commerce. The food law of nearly every state in the union forbids the sale within the state of foods that have been preserved with harmful substances. Neither the Federal and State laws apply to foods that are canned in the home and consumed there. It would seem however, that the housewife found not knowingly use, in the foods she provides for her own family, substances that she could not use in foods for sale without violating the law, because these substances are injurious to health.

Fruits and vegetables can be kept indefinitely if they are sterilized by heat and properly sealed and there is no excuse in the opinion of the experts for running the risk by the use of preserving powders which may be injurious to health. The use of such powders in addition to the possible injury to health, encourages uncleanly and careless work in the canning. Reliance is placed in the efficacy of the preserving compound instead of the cleanliness and heat.

The department has issued bulletins that give specific directions for the preserving and canning of fruits and vegetables without the use of preserving powders or compounds. These bulletins may be obtained without cost from the Department of Agriculture. Application should be made for Farmers' Bulletin No. 203, on Canned Fruit, Preserves and Jellies, and No. 521 on Canning Tomatoes at Home and in Club Work; also Forms N. R. 22, N. R. 23, N. R. 24, N. R. 34 and N. R. 37, of the office of Extension Work, North and West, States Relations Service.

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Jas F Becker et al to Margaret C Becker, secs 1 & 12, blk C3, P. S, deed 1.00

R C Warn to H P Kerr, et al, 1-2 interest in E 1-2 of SW 1-4 sec 6, blk 59, P. S. Deed. 1.00

Miscellaneous—J B Davis to Will F. Evans secs 9, 14 to 19, 20, 22 to 26, blk 56, P. S. Lease. 26.00

State to D E Vansman, 66, 38 acres sec 93, blk 13, H & G N, Cer of redemption State to C A Phillips, part of secs 2, 3, 4, 5, blk C 18, P. S. 18.00

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E M Williams et ux to Lina A Manda, sec 6, blk 4, H & G N, deed 1000.00

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Sol Mayer to Mrs Elizabeth McGarrey, sub blk 24, sec 258 BBB&C, 58-100-04

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T W Suttlemeyer to H M Wilson sec 2, blk 71, PS 1000.00

T Duncan to J L Taylor S 1-2 & NW 1-4 sec 44, S 1-2 & NW 1-4 sec 42, blk 55, T & P. Deed 100.00

J L Breathwit to R O B. well sec 42, blk 55, isp 7, except SW 1-4, T & P. 100.00

J L Breathwit to R O B. well SW 1-4 sec 42, blk 55, T & P. Deed 300.00

O H Beauchamp, Receiver, to F O'Connor tract 10, div 8, sec 44, blk 57, isp 3, T & P; & city add lot. 170.00

T E Roberson et ux to D T Lacy trustee, secs 38 and 38S blk 55 T & P. 500.00

R G Hardgrave et ux to Tolbert Garrett, sec 4 blk C7; sec 44 blk 57, isp 1 P. S. Deed 1000.00

O H Beauchamp, Receiver, to J E Kregar, tract 14, div 7, sec 44, blk 57, isp 3, T & P; & city add lot. 170.00

R D Mer-shon to S V Biggs SW 1-2 sec 39, blk 6 H & G N. Deed 100.00

Ben Randals to T B Pruett Trustee, lot 8, blk 9 Pecos. Deed of trust 100.00

Miscellaneous—H E Dickson to T B Anderson, 2 horses, wagon and harness. Bill of sale.

State of Texas to T P Bond, sec 25 blk 51, isp 7, T & P. Certificate of redemption.

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## Effect of Alcohol on the Parents and the Children

Decrease in Consumption Means a Decrease in Sickness, Say The Physicians.

Much has been said and more remains to be said about the all-important subject of the effect of alcoholic stimulants on the health of parents and children. Dr. Elmer Lee, editor of Health Culture, a magazine devoted to subjects suggested by its title, has the following editorial expression in that publication:

"At a recent conference attended by 200 Indiana health officers, a resolutions was adopted declaring that health officers and physicians should join in a campaign against alcohol. Health officers in many states already have engaged in efforts to combat intemperance by educational means. "Diminution in consumption of alcohol would mean less tuberculosis, less poverty, less dependency, and less pressure on hospitals, as-

lums and jails. The intemperate drinking cuts into the support of the family.

"The drinking of parents weakens the vitality of the children; many babies as do sober mothers. Mere alcoholism is found in parents of the feeble-minded children than in parents of the normal or healthy children. Children of the drinkers develop more slowly and do poorer school work than do the children of abstainers.

"Alcohol impairs the muscles, it lessens the product of laborers, depreciates the skill and endurance of artisans, impairs memory, multistomach and kidneys, increases the tiplics industrial accidents, causes chronic diseases of the heart, liver, death rate from pneumonia, and it lessens natural immunity to infectious diseases.

"The average annual consumption per capita of distilled spirits, wines and malt liquors in the United States from 1850 to 1914, in gallons: 1850, 4.08; 1860, 6.43; 1870, 7.70; 1880, 13.21; 1890, 17.12; 1900, 17.76; 1914, 22.50.

## Flowers in the House

It is time to plan for flowers that are to bloom in your house through the winter. And, remember, that a few pots of blooming flowers will cost far less than their equivalent in cut flowers. So, if you've time to tend to them, and a place to put them, by all means have flowering plants in your windows.

Geraniums are deservedly a stand by. They bloom and bloom and grow and grow, all in payment for a little care. The geraniums in the garden that are to be kept in the house in the winter should have been nipped back all summer so that by now they are rounded full plants that have not been allowed to blossom out of doors. If they have blossomed, the best thing to do is to slip them for plants to take into the house. It is best to sink the house geraniums in the ground in the spring in their pots, for geraniums should not be allowed to have too much root room. If this was done, and if the buds were nipped off, just dig up the pots repot the plants into fresh earth and take them into the house so that they will get used to indoor air before the fires are lighted. Never give a geranium a very big pot, for it is likely to "run to roots" and so sicken and die. Geraniums like sunshine.

Oxalis is an effective house bloom and little care is required for them. It should be potted in sandy soil and it likes a warm corner of the plant shelf, with plenty of sunshine.

Ferns, on the other hand, like the shady corners. Never let them round about them get sodden, although it should be kept pretty well moist. And keep ferns in a fairly cool place most of the time. Heat too much sun makes them turn yellow and die. They should be planted in a good leaf mold from the woods mixed with sand, and should be well drained.

Begonias, like geraniums, are to be left in pots when they are sunk in the ground in the spring. Before taking them into the house, water them lavishly, for the watering makes them thrive. Bring them in before the first frost—it is good time right now, to bring the begonias in the house. After they are brought in they should not be given so much water and they are not to be given too much sun. Put them indoors on all mild days to get a little breath of fresh air. If the leaves begin to drop it is probably because you are giving them too much water, so give them less, without letting the soil get actually dry, until they seem strong and normal again.

This is the time, too to plan for the bulbs that will bloom at Christmas and Easter. Hyacinths ought to be planted, half a dozen in each pot or box. The soil should be made up of sand, well rotted manure, and loam lightly mixed, with preponderance of sand. Plant the bulbs at a depth of about four times their size and sink them in the ground, covering them so well that they will not freeze. In the winter they grow roots. As they advance dig them up out of the

room and leave them there until the foliage begins to show. Then bring them into the light, gradually moving them into the sunlight, which will bring the flowers. Be careful not to make the transition from cold to darkness from cold to warm light too quickly, as the flowers will be forced and blighted.

Crocuses can be grown in about the same way as the hyacinths and so can tulips and daffodils. They can all be grown too, in water, in a glass dish, with a bit of charcoal put in to keep the water sweet. Place the bulbs in water first in a cold, dark room until the roots are well grown and then move them gradually to the light and heat.

The professional florist understands that although houseplants must be kept moist they should never be allowed to become soggy. To begin with they should be well drained. Broken bits of pots or cinders should be placed in below the earth they grow in. The soil should be mixed with sand, too, to lighten it. Never water a plant until the soil on top is almost dry. Then water it thoroughly—drench it, but let the water drain out thru the bottom of the pot and never let it stand in the saucer under the pot for it becomes stagnant and it will injure the plant.

The enemies of house plants are gas fumes, dust, draft and undue heat. So give them plenty of ventilation, water them carefully, and spray their leaves to keep off the dust and if possible have them in a room where there is no gas. If there is gas, be sure to give them fresh air by opening a nearby window every day. Never let them nearly dry out, but don't force the plants to live in mud.

### HOW AN ENGINEER KEEPS WELL.

Railroad engineers are more exposed to catching cold than other workers. E. G. Dunaphant, of Monette, Mo., has run a Frisco engine 25 years and all the medicine he has taken is Foley's Honey and Tar. He writes: "I always keep it in my house and recommend it to all who have a bad cough or cold." For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Adv.

### HELPING OTHERS.

It was a very beautiful means of identification given by the wife who was sending a new servant to the railway to meet her husband. When the man asked how he should know him, he was told to look for a tall gentleman helping some one. And when he saw a man of unusual height assisting an old lady from the train, he was sure he had identified the object of his search, and he was right.

The significant thing in the incident is this: that the helpfulness may come to be a distinguishing characteristic. There are people who have practiced doing kind and helpful things till it has become almost an unconscious process. Involuntarily they seize upon every opportunity that presents itself to do some little act of kindness or courtesy. You can almost pick them out in a crowd by their habi-

## WORLDLY CHURCH HOW TO BUY MEAT

Billy Sunday, at a luncheon in New York told a fashionable preacher a story of a very fashionable church.

"There was once a good old fashioned colored man," he began, "who didn't realize how very fashionable his church really was, and so he called on the preacher and was ushered into a fashionable study, and, holding his shabby old hat on his knee, he said he felt the divine call, and he'd like to join with the preacher's church.

"A colored man, a common old shabby colored man—presuming to join a church rich and fashionable like that one," he said.

"But the preacher didn't want to wound the colored man by blurring the truth right out to him, so he hemmed and hawed and finally said:

"Go home, Washington; go on home, my good fellow, and pray over this matter; don't do anything hastily; and come back and see me again in a few days' time."

"Old Washington bowed himself out humbly and went home. In about three days he again came in.

"Well, Washington, said the minister, with a slight frown.

"Well, doctah," said the old man. "Ah went home, Ah did, an' Ah prayed, and Ah prayed, and de good Lawd he says to me, 'Washington, my man, Ah wouldn't bother mah haid 'bout dat no mo of Ah wuz you. Ah've been tryin' ter git in ter dat church myself fo de las' 27 years an' Ah ain't never had no luck'—New Orleans State.

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### CLEVER ARTHUR.

Young Arthur, the pride of the family, had been attending school all of the six weeks and his devoted parent thought that it was high time to find out how things were running so asked one afternoon: "And what did my little son learn this morning?"

"Oh, a mouse. Miss Wilcox told us all about mouses."

"That's the boy. Now tell us how do you spell mouse?"

It was then that Arthur gave a promise of being an artful dodger. He paused meditatively for a moment, an then said:

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"The tenderloin, which is the choicest piece, lies under the short ribs close to the backbone and is cut through with the porterhouse and sirloin steaks.

"Porterhouse is cheaper than is sirloin in the long run, because it has so much less bone.

"Round steak is from the hind quarters and when not cut too far down on the leg is tender.

"Rump and the lower cuts of round steak if well pounded to make them tender have excellent flavors.

"Of course we have classed the pounding of steak with other lost industries of those dark ages when steaks were cut half an inch thick and fried in thin leathery strips.

"But with round steak at 28 cts. a pound and going higher we must needs bestir ourselves and think of ways to make these relatively cheap cuts take the place of the others which are rapidly soaring out of the range of our pocketbook.

"Roasts are cut from the sirloin and ribs, the latter being the more economical, as the bones may be used for soup stock. There are other portions of the bone and meat of the forequarter which are good, but the proportions of the bone and meat must be taken into consideration when buying these, and not be tempted by the difference in the price.

### SMALL COURTESIES.

Small, but important courtesies are to bow pleasantly, greet acquaintances cordially to give a friendly clasp of the hand, to cultivate a memory for faces and for names in order to be able to say something, to show an interest in the affairs of others. A point is to put others at ease.

A prompt reply to notes of invitation is an important point. It is an obligation to answer an invitation to luncheon, dinner, tea-party, or house party within twenty-four hours, because a hostess wishes to know on whom she may depend or whether it will become necessary to fill a vacancy. An invitation to a home wedding breakfast should be answered promptly.

Many little courtesies are to be observed in conversation. Among these are to look people in the face when talking or listening not to let the attention of the mind wander, not to show impatience in listening, but to try and be interested in what others are saying.

In the streets there are many a small courtesy to be observed by the people who are well-bred. A well-bred person never brushes by one. If the contact is unavoidable in a crowd one would say: "Pardon me," and a man would always raise his hat while asking pardon of a lady.

Good manners are the outward sign of inward graces of the heart and contribute to the happiness of all beyond proportion to the effort of thoughtfulness and self-discipline which they cost.—Alexander Roberts in The Visitor.

A Kansas man was fined six cents for calling another man a cur. The next time he will spend a little more money and call him something more satisfying.

### THE PRIZE OPTIMIST.

The prize for optimism must be awarded to a resident of one of the rural districts of Ireland. An old man was sitting on the roof of his house during a flood watching the waters rise, when a neighbor who possessed a boat rowed close to him.

"Halloa, John," he said, "have your fowls been washed away by the flood this morning?"

"Yes, but the ducks can swim."

"Is your corn under water?"

"Well, they said the crop would be a failure anyway."

"I see the flood has reached above your windows."

"That's all right. Them winders needed washing."

## Talks With the Boys

By J. L. HARPOUR, IN THE VISITOR.

### THE BOY WHO GOES TO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

For every reason you can give me why a boy should not go to Sunday School I will give you a dozen why he should go, or undertake to give them. Really, I doubt if I could give a single satisfactory reason why a boy should not go to the Sunday School. When it comes to reasons why he should go to both church and the Sunday school, there are so many that it would be difficult to name them all in detail in one article. For one reason, the boy who is to amount to anything in this life must be a man of character; and the Sunday School is a character-making institution. Did you ever stop to think of that, boys? I doubt if you have an idea of how attendance at Sunday school effects a boy's character. Both consciously and unconsciously the boy is influenced for good by attending Sunday school. You may go without thinking or caring anything at all about the effect of the Sunday school upon your character, but you cannot get entirely away from the influence of the school on your life and thought.

Once heard a man "away up" in the world say that he could never "get away" from some of the many things he had learned in the Sunday school forty years ago. He said that he did not want to get away from them, and he was glad that they clung to him so tenaciously. The Sunday school of today has come to be a mighty big proposition. Never before did it claim the attention and the respect of so many boys and men. The Sunday school of the present day is a mighty big thing; and what boy does not care anything about being associated with big things? The boy who is made of the right kind of stuff likes to achieve. He is never satisfied to sit idly by while others do all of the hustling that brings things to pass. The boy who goes to the Sunday school of our day finds that it offers him the opportunity for getting busy doing something for somebody and doing that something very quick. The Sunday school is the avowed foe of selfishness. It is often able to help a boy to get rid of a tendency toward the ugly thing we call selfishness. It does this by making him think of others. Many of the organized Bible classes in the Sunday school of today have for a motto the one word "others." The significance of the word when used in this way is very wide. It is as generous as it is wide. Its purpose is to create generosity of spirit in others and to help one to get away from self. I remember that once upon a time, when I was a school-teacher, I happened to overhear a couple of boys about 15 years of age talking. One said to the other:

"What Sunday school do you attend, Ned?"

"Don't go to any."

"You don't? Why don't you go to one?"

"What's the good of going to Sunday school?"

"Well, what's the harm?"

"I didn't say there was any particular harm in it. I just asked you what was the good of going?"

"Oh, lots of good, Ned! It sort of tones a fellow up on the inside. It's a kind of a spiritual tonic, a sort of a bracer-up that helps you to keep straighter than you would be apt to keep if you never went to Sunday school. You ought to go, Ned. It would do you good if you took the right kind of interest in it."

It is long years since I heard that alert boy refer to the Sunday school as a "spiritual tonic" and a "bracer-up," and I see even more clearly than I saw then how true it is.

I feel sure, boys, that if you were to investigate a little you would discover that the vast majority of the most famous and useful men and women in the world are men or women who go to church and many of them are now in the Sunday school. All of them sap unhesitatingly that the Sunday school is a mighty good institution and that a boy makes no mistake when he decides to give himself the benefit of the Sunday school.

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FOR SALE—The Volcano Oil-Gas Burner. Makes its own gas at a small cost. For demonstrating and installing burners in your home see J. D. McAdams, Phone 53, Pecos, Texas. 37\*4
FOR SALE—Sections 86 and 88, H & T C lands and fractional section 2, of 40 acres, W & W N lands, four or five miles above Porterville, fronting on the Pecos River; also section 80, W & W N land, two miles northeast of Porterville. For Particulars, address L. B. Russell, Comanche, Texas. 35-1f

WANTED.

WANTED—At once. A nice buggy horse. Must be young and gentle. Dr. W. D. Black, Barstow, Texas. 38tf
WANTED—At once, a teacher with some experience, and who teaches music also. For terms, etc, apply to Mrs. Chas. Weinacht, Toyahvale, Texas.
WANTED—Plain sewing. Mrs. M. E. Adcock. 26-1f

TO EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE AND EXCHANGE—West Texas Ranches, dry lands, irrigated lands, personal property, honey, etc. Call on or write for lists. JAS. D. RAMSEY, 31-1f Barstow, Texas.
FOR EXCHANGE—Finest valley land with abundant river water for irrigation. Want horses, mules and milk cows. E. L. Stratton, Porterville. 15tf

FOUND.

FOUND—A seed fork. The owner can get same by calling at this office, proving same and paying for this notice. 40-2
FOUND—At the courthouse after the Old Settler's dance, a cuff button. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 40-2

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Either 2 or 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping. Phone Mrs. J. C. Hollebeck. 40-1
FOR RENT—Nice, newly furnished rooms. Reasonable rates. Mrs. T. Y. Moorhead. 30tf

BARRILLA ITEMS.
To the world at large:—
It has positively rained so much out here that we want it to stop for awhile, and let the sun have a chance to get out from behind the clouds and dry up the mud. The grass is just as fine as the heart could wish for and stock is doing fine. Most of the crops are gathered an ready for sale. Plenty of maize at \$20 per ton.
Everybody is well and happy.
The Conger boys put 400 head of steers in Fred M. Hall's pasture Friday and their sides are already puffing out from the fine tabosa grass.
M. G. Darter went to Saragosa today. That is he started, but, gee, the mud between here and that place!
A. B. Wilson went to Pecos last week to attend the big fair being held in the hub city.
M. G. Darter got a blue ribbon on maize at the Reeves County Fair and is justly proud of the fact.
J. C. Short went to Pecos last week on business.
Oscar and Horace Short are at work drilling a well on their Barilla ranch. They have bought 100 heifer calves and say that having plenty of grass they are now going after an abundant supply of water, then a little salt, and the calves will do the rest.
We have less trouble with flies and worms in this section this season than for a long time.
Sol Maver of Toyahvale has put 1200 head of cattle on his pasture here known as the Cottonwood Pasture. they are doing nicely.
There are come nice fall gardens on the creek, so we may expect some good, home-made eating soon.
Some of the farmers in this section have some nice hogs to kill a little later, when the weather cools a bit. Then hog and hominy, you know how good it is, when you take a backbone in your hand and begin to gnaw on it, and get the grease on your lips, u-u-umm—you bet its good!
J. C. Short has purchase the 3 sections adjoining his Barilla pasture from M. A. Davis.
Our school will open Monday. A lady from Fort Stockton will be the teacher. ONCE IN A WHILE

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BIDS FOR SCHOOL FUNDS DEPOSITORY.
Notice is hereby given that the board of trustees of Pecos Independent School District will appoint a treasurer of said district for the year beginning Sept. 1st, 1915, and ending August 31, 1916, which treasurer shall be that person or corporation who offers satisfactory bond and the best bid of interest on the average daily balances for the privilege of acting as such treasurer.
All bids to be considered must be sealed and must be filed at the office of the president of the board at or before 8 o'clock p. m. on the 11th day of October, 1915, accompanied by a certified check on a local bank payable to the president of the board, in the sum of \$250.00, which sum shall be forfeited to the said district in the event the successful bidder shall fail, on or before October 18th, 1915, to furnish a bond as provided by law, to be approved by the trustees.
Dated September 29th, 1915.
JAS. F. ROSS,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Attest: J. G. LOVE,
40-2 Secretary.

A FIRE MARSHAL ORDINANCE.
An ordinance creating the office of Fire Marshal, prescribing the duties thereof, providing for its maintenance, and prescribing penalties for violations.
BE IT ODRAINED by the City Council of the City of Pecos.
Section 1. The office of Fire Marshal is hereby created. Such office shall be independent of other city departments, the Fire Marshal reporting directly to the Mayor and City Council. Such office shall be filled by appointments by the Mayor, by and with the consent of the City Council, within 5 days after this ordinance shall take effect. The said Fire Marshal shall be properly qualified for the duties of his office, and shall be removed only for cause. He shall receive an annual salary of One Hundred and twenty dollars, payable in monthly installments, as full compensation for his services.
Section 2. The Fire Marshal shall investigate the cause, origin and circumstances of every fire occurring within this city by which property has been destroyed or damaged, and shall especially make investigation as to whether such fire was the result of carelessness or design. Such investigation shall begin within twenty-four hours, not including Sunday, of the occurrence of such fire. The Fire Marshal shall keep in his office a record of all fires, together with all facts, statistics and circumstances, including the origin of the fires and the amount of the loss, which may be determined by the investigation required by this ordinance.
Section 3. The Fire Marshal, when in his opinion further investigation is necessary, shall take or cause to be taken the testimony, on oath, of all persons supposed to be cognizant of any facts or to have means of knowledge in relation to the matter under investigation, and shall cause the same to be reduced to writing; and if he shall be of the opinion that there is evidence sufficient to charge any person with the crime of arson, or with the attempt to commit the crime of arson, or of conspiracy to defraud, or criminal conduct in connection with such fire, he shall cause such person to be lawfully arrested and charged with such offence or either of them, and shall furnish to the proper prosecuting attorney all such evidence,

nesses and all of the information obtained by him, including a copy of all pertinent and material testimony taken in the case.
Section 4. The Fire Marshal shall have the power to summon witnesses before him to testify in relation to any matter which is by the provisions of this ordinance a subject of inquiry and investigation, and may require the production of any book, paper or document deemed pertinent thereto. The said Fire Marshal is hereby authorized and empowered to administer oaths and affirmations to any persons appearing as witnesses before him.
Section 5. Any witnesses who refuses to be sworn, or who refuses to appear or testify, or who disobeys any lawful order of said Fire Marshal, or who fails or refuses to produce any book, paper or document touching any matter under examination, or who is guilty of any contemptuous conduct during any of the proceedings of the Fire Marshal in the matter of said investigation, or inquiry, after being summoned to give testimony in relation to any matter under investigation as aforesaid, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; and it shall be the duty of the Fire Marshal to cause all such offenders to be prosecuted. Any person being convicted of any such misdemeanor shall be fined in a sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). Provided, however, that any person so convicted shall have the right of appeal.
Section 6. All investigations held by or under the direction of the Fire Marshal may, in his discretion, be private, and persons other than those required to be present may be excluded from the place where such investigation is held, and witnesses may be kept separate and apart from each other and not allowed to communicate with each other until they have been examined.
Section 7. The Fire Marshal shall have the authority at all times of day or night, when necessary, in the performance of the duties imposed upon him by the provisions of this ordinance, to enter upon and examine any building or premises where any fire has occurred, and other buildings and premises adjoining or near the same, which authority shall be exercised only with reason and good discretion.
Section 8. The Fire Marshal, upon complaint of any person having an interest in any building or property adjacent, and without any complaint, shall have a right at all reasonable hours, for the purpose of examination, to enter into and upon all buildings and premises within the city, and it shall be his duty, quarterly or more often, to enter upon and make, or cause to be entered upon and made, a thorough examination of all mercantile, manufacturing and public buildings, together with the premises belonging thereto. Whenever he shall find any building or other structure which, for want of repair, or by reason of age or dilapidated condition, or for any cause, is especially liable to fire, and which is so situated as to endanger other buildings or property, or so occupied that fire would endanger persons or property therein, and whenever he shall find an improper or dangerous arrangement of stoves, ranges, furnaces or other heating appliances of any kind whatsoever, including chimneys, flues and pipes with which the same may be connected, or a dangerous arrangement of lighting devices or systems, or a dangerous or unlawful storage of explosives, compounds, petroleum, gasoline, kerosene, dangerous chemicals, vegetable products, ashes, combustibles, inflammable materials, refuse, or with any other condition which shall be dangerous in character to the persons, health or property of others; or which shall be dangerous in the matter of promoting, augmenting or causing fires; or which shall create conditions dangerous to firemen, or occupants of such building, structure or premises other than the maintainer thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00).
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Section 15. All ordinances or

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Section 10. Any owner or occupant of any building or other structure, or premises, who shall keep or maintain the same with an improper arrangement of a stove, range, furnace, or other heating appliance of any kind whatever, including chimneys, flues and pipes with which the same may be connected, so as to be dangerous in the matter of fire, or health, or safety of persons or property of others, or who shall keep or maintain any building, other structure or premises with an improper arrangement of a lighting device or system, or with a storage of explosives, petroleum, gasoline, kerosene, chemicals, vegetables products, ashes, combustibles, inflammable materials, refuse, or with any other condition which shall be dangerous in character to the persons, health or property of others; or which shall be dangerous in the matter of promoting, augmenting or causing fires; or which shall create conditions dangerous to firemen, or occupants of such building, structure or premises other than the maintainer thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00).
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parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.
Section 16. Whereas, public safety demands the immediate passage of this ordinance, creating the office of Fire Marshal and empowering the said officer to discharge the duties herein set out, therefore an emergency exists demanding a suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read three several days, said rule is hereby suspended, and this ordinance is placed on its first reading and final passage, and shall be effective and in full force from and after its passage and approval.
Approved this 27th day of September, 1915.
E. C. CAÑON,
Mayor.
Attest: B. G. WARNER,
City Secretary.
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the sheriff or any constable of Reeves County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Mrs. J. S. Fredericks and — — Fredericks her husband whose initials are alleged to be unknown to plaintiff, and N. H. Thorpe, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in Reeves County, Texas, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in the town of Pecos, on the fourth Monday in November, 1915, the same being the 22nd day of November, 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1582, wherein J. A. Buck is plaintiff and Mrs. J. S. Fredericks, — — Fredericks her husband, whose initials are alleged to be unknown to plaintiff, N. H. Thorpe and W. H. Drummond are defendants; said petition alleging that plaintiff, on or about August 4, 1915, was lawfully seized and possessed of and holding an unpaid fee simple the north one-half of the east three-eighths of Section No. Eight, Block No. Three, Certificate 7/1408, H. & G. N. Ry. Survey in Reeves County, Texas; that said description of said land is true and correct but that said land was, by mutual mistake of N. H. Thorpe,

J. G. Love and plaintiff in a trust from said Thorpe to Love, wherein plaintiff was beneficiary and in the deed from J. G. Love, Trustee as aforesaid to the plaintiff misdescribed as being north one-half of the E. 38 of Section No. 8, Block No. 3, Certificate 7/1408 in Reeves County, Texas; and that plaintiff owns and claims said land under said deed of trust and said Trustee's deed; that said deed of trust and Trustee's deed gives the wrong certificate number and omits to state that said land is in the H. & G. N. Ry. Survey — — said Reeves County, Texas; that the land described in said deed of trust and in said Trustee's deed is identical the land owned and claimed by plaintiff as aforesaid the true and correct description of which is first above set out, on or about the said last named date, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of One Thousand Dollars. Plaintiff prays the defendants be cited and answer and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, for judgment correcting the said misdescription of said land and awarding the title and possession of said land to plaintiff according to the correct description thereof, for writ of restitution, damages and costs, and such other and further relief, both general and specific, as, in law and equity plaintiff may be entitled to receive.
Herein fail not, but have before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness, WILLIE-DE WOODS,
Clerk of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the town of Pecos, in the County of Reeves and State of Texas, this 29th day of September, A. D. 1915.
(Seal) WILLIE-DE WOODS,
Clerk of the District Court of Reeves County, Texas.
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