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GAEBLER'S ARTESIAN WELL



Located One Mile from Macie and 10 Miles from Brackett and Spofford

A country is as rich as its soil is a true saying, as is the one that a man is as strong as his stomach. The soil is the first great necessity with which to provide all other necessities, and the better the soil is, the better it provides for all necessities and emergencies.

Kinney County has some of the finest soil in Southwest Texas, being of the rich, dark loam, and of great fertility. This county is not in the dry belt as can be seen by the rainfall of the past few years, averaging an amount of about 25 inches per year.

But the wise and thrifty farmers who have made Kinney County their home and are making prosperity come from out of the ground, have not been content with the waiting for the weather man to deal out his portions of wet and dry, but have taken the matter into their hands and are using nature and her streams to irrigate.

The largest individual project irrigation is at present being put into execution along the lower portion of Kinney County and will irrigate many an acre of virgin soil, not only in this county but in Val Verde County. The G. Bedell Moore estate is the founder and force of this project which will shortly be completed.

The recent opening of an artesian well by Charley Gaebler on his land below Macie, formerly Fehlis, has opened up a great and speculative treasure and unlimited wealth in that section of Kinney County. The water is warm, contains sulphur and runs out at the rate of 1130 gallons per minute. This well and the storage tank which Mr. Gaebler is building prove that he realizes the value and the opportunity which such a well give him in the midst of such fertile land, the many and plentiful waters which flow from the hand of nature to water the garden spot of South-west Texas. The opening of this artesian well has been received with acclamations by the people of this county and this section and there is a possibility of work being begun on many others.

The artesian well of which so much is hoped and which promises to be a big boom to this section of the county, in fact the entire county, is situated about a mile and a half below Macie,

across the rail-road track in the midst of Mr. Gaebler's land which amounts to about 15,000 acres of the best arable land and which land will now be placed under cultivation.

As stated in our articles published before this well is now at a depth of 1,600 feet and the water at present is shooting up above the casing for about two feet. The water is clear as crystal and contains some sulphur.

The opening of this well now

throws open to the farmers glorious opportunities, and it will be but a short time now but that all that section will be placed under cultivation and be a blooming-in Nature's sense of the word-paradise and a garden spot.

Therefore, it is but our just right to be thankful that we are living in such a place and among such people, for Kinney County and all that are in it are headed for the highest goal of prosperity!

Motion Pictures.

The people of this town are for the most part patrons of the motion pictures which are operating in this place, and very few there are to be found who have not some liking or other feeling for the motion pictures.

With three different circuit films being shown every night, the General, the Mutual and the Universal, and with the running now of three serial plays, The Master Key, The Adventures of Kathryn and The Million Dollar Mystery, the people are satisfied to stay at home and watch the movies.

Convention In Del Rio.

The 4th Annual Convention of the Texas Congress of Mothers which was held in Del Rio April 7th and 8th, proved to be a grand success in every respect.

Seven enthusiastic members of our Mother's Club who were in

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attendance came back with "all praise" to the women of Del Rio, and the men as well, for without the men little could have been done, who so gloriously opened their doors and their hearts with the warm southern hospitality to all the delegates and visitors. Del Rio is rightfully called the city of roses, as they were in evidence everywhere.

There was nothing left undone for the pleasure of the Convention and to the faithful ones who worked so hard to make this convention a success, much credit is due. Our members all came back

with good working points four our club, and with expectations of doing good and useful work for the home, the school and the community.

Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on the ranch owned and controlled by the undersigned for the purpose of hunting, fishing, cutting wood or hunting hogs will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. There will be no permits issued to camping parties.

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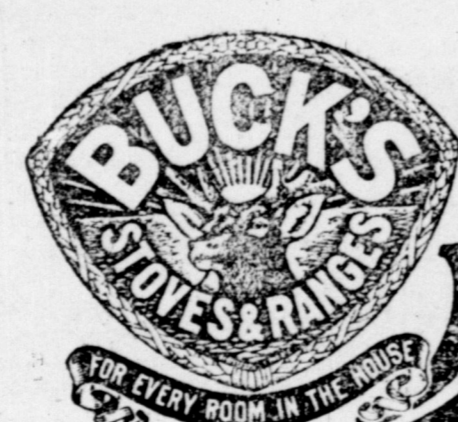
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