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SECRETARIES AT MINERAL WELLS

Migration and Good Roads Subjects Discussed.

Makes Interesting Address Immigration.—Is On Committee on Resolutions.

Mineral Wells, July 15.—The 8th Institute of the Commercial Secretaries of Texas convened in this town today. There were over 50 delegates at the opening session and the audience consisted of secretaries and industrial agents of several railroads operating in the state. The invocation was by Rev. J. H. Harkey. The speaker was called to order at 2 p. m. by President B. S. Johnson of Woodward.

Mr. J. A. Arnold, secretary of the local association, delivered the address. His response was by J. A. Arnold, secretary-manager of the Texas Commercial Secretaries and Businessmen's Association of Texas, headquarters at Fort Worth. Following resolutions were adopted by the chairman, J. H. Harkey of Jefferson, W. N. Denison and Dr. R. M. Scott of Pecos.

Dr. R. M. Scott, commissioner of the state at San Francisco, was the first place on the program. The result of Mr. Scott's address was a discussion that followed. A resolution committee was organized to draft a resolution in favor of Texas building at the fair. The resolution discussed was secure transportation for ex-commercial secretaries. The resolution of several state officials has secured in securing passage. A committee was appointed consisting of J. A. Arnold of Fort Worth, J. R. Babcock of Fort Worth, F. L. Vanderburg of Newton, executive secretary of the Texas Anti-Tuberculosis Association delivered an address. His work was an address by Dr. R. Harkey of Pecos and a general session. Dr. Harkey in discussing migration and industries said: "Today has more land and possibilities than can be had by any other state in the world. If there could be brought certain things pertaining to migration laws this state could increase faster than it has before. I think it behooves us as secretaries to advocate a campaign for funds to properly settle the great state of Texas."

A lively discussion followed the address and various remedies were suggested. The reaction of a state migration bureau was suggested as a solution of the problem. A proposition was to create a bureau to pass on "boosting" literature. The meeting adjourned until next morning at 9:30 o'clock and good roads will be discussed.

Dead Comes to Life.
In looking over the page of the Pecos Record, a department wherein the undertaker prescribes for the kind of ailments of the dead. Some good that a big office in a big city, saw the inner workings of a house in his life. One of the things which he undertook to show, however, that he is a genuine devotee of humor.

"Dear editor:—What is the matter with my chickens? They came off the roost and lay on the ground with their feet straight in the air. Kindly answer." The answer read: "Subscriber:—Your chickens are agreed with the editor, and your opinion until Wednesday when our belief was most shattered. Thusly: On an evening we strolled to the try our luck at the kittens

which some still insist infest the little stream on our east. It was about 4 a. m. before we decided that our luck was on a vacation, so we started for home, empty sack and disgusted, and on arriving we remembered that it had been several long hours since we had drunk. It was therefore natural that we hied to the hydrant located in the back yard. There in the yard lay a fowl in the same position described by "Subscriber" in his correspondence noted above. On the ground, feet in the air, etc., and remembering our lesson, we declared it dead according to the rules of the game. To make sure we booted it a time or two and receiving no response, our argument was clinched. We asked the boss about it and she said, "Yes it was one of the Doctor's, and had shuffled off the mortal coil early in the evening." This juggled and sealed our argument, and we retired at peace with the world. In the morning the boy, who is also the handy man about the place, was requested to go out and dispose of the remains. He came back with the intelligence that the breakfast food artist was slowly emerging from the land of dark and shadowy things and on investigation we found that it was even so. "She who was once dead now liveth. Her place on the family roost still hath an incumbent, while the neighborhood wondereth. Our belief in the authenticity of poultry journals is strained to the breaking point, while our thought on the theory of transmigration has undergone a change."
D. J. M.

Sign of the Times

(Fort Worth Record.)

Railway mileage increased in June in Texas. Texas cities made a great showing in construction in June. Construction work is progressing on eight steel railways. Construction work is progressing on seven trolley lines. Midsummer is the sluggish period of the year. It is the period between the sowing and moving of crops. It looks good to the people who are gathering business statistics.

It looks good to the people who have money to invest in all industrial enterprises. It looks good to homeseekers. Remember that 25 per cent of the population of Texas came from other states and countries. Livestock receipts showed a big gain in June. Railroad rumors are reported to be flying thick in West Texas.

In June trade-seekers and trade-getters kept things lively in Texas. In June good roads advocates kept up the agitation and many large conventions will be held in July and August. No use talking, there is life and action in the imperial commonwealth; and the people are busy. Texas is a good place to live. It is a good place to labor, and getting better all the time. Texans are on the move. They are hustling. They know that the Lord helps those who help themselves. It is mid-summer, but the ball keeps rolling. National lawmakers are tinkering with the tariff. Texans remain unafraid. Old Sol's steaming; but it never grows too hot for Texans. Hot winds are blowing, but cool northerners will come as they have in the past.

Texas is bound to prosper despite all adverse conditions, artificial or otherwise. Texas is destined to become first in the sisterhood, because the gods made it rich and its resources almost inexhaustible. Never mind what happened in grandfather's days. He was a good old soul, but the ox-cart period of civilization has departed forever.

Minstrels A Success.

The local talent participating in the benefit for the Baseball club, Tuesday night, in the "Sunflower Minstrels" made a great hit. A good audience greeted them at the Airborne and their songs and choruses were appreciated, especially the songs by Henry Stubblefield. Several local "take-offs" were made that were well received. The entire show was good, including the motion pictures shown between acts by Manager Landrum.

Lectures at Catholic Church.

Father Handley of Austin, to Deliver Series of Free Lectures. Free lectures on the Bible will be delivered at the Catholic church in Pecos the coming week. The lectures will begin Sunday, July 20 and continue until Friday night, the 25. The lectures will give a clear insight of what the Catholics believe in connection with the Bible, and will be delivered by the Rev. Father Handley of Austin, Texas. Father Handley is a University man, and a son of an old Southern family. In the lectures he attacks no other church, confining himself to the subject of what Catholics believe. The following has been prepared for those who wish to attend: Sunday, July 20, Mass and sermon at 8:30 a. m. Benediction at 7:30 p. m. and sermon at 8:30. For Monday and throughout the week the following: Mass at 7:30 a. m. Benediction at 7:30 p. m., followed by the sermon. Friday evening will be the closing evening of the lectures. Everyone has a cordial invitation to come out and hear this series of lectures.

Benson-Graves.

Wednesday afternoon at 4:30, at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. J. F. Holgath made W. A. Graves and Miss Annie Benson husband and wife. Mr. Graves is a prominent business man of Montgomery, Ala., of which city Mrs. Benson was also a resident. Mrs. Graves is a sister of Mrs. R. N. Sewell of Pecos. The bride and groom expect to make their home in Montgomery, after a brief visit with friends and relatives here.

County Court in Session

Monday was "reunion day" at the court house, when County Court was convened by Judge McKellar, in regular session. A number of cases have been disposed of during the week, and many citizens of the county have been in attendance.

OPPOSE BOND AMENDMENT.

Annual Rally At Odessa.

Invitations Sent Broadcast Asking All to Come and Make Merry On August 5th.

San Angelo Citizens Issue Statement, Against Resolution 18. An address to the citizens against the bond amendment: The University of Texas owns 2,000,000 acres of land it will not sell. This is a bar to progress and settlement of the country. No homes can be bought, no taxes are paid on it. If the bond amendment carries this land is to be mortgaged permanently and not sold. If sold now, it would yield the university for interest ten times the present lease income. We oppose permanently bonding this land. We advocate the sale of it and in this way the country may progress and the university have an income without taxing the people. The penitentiary has over 1,000 convicts largely supported in idleness. Two million dollars in bonds has already been issued to pay debts incurred to maintain them in idleness. We say, put the convicts to work instead of loading us with interest bearing debts to make parlor-boarders out of them. If this bond amendment were adopted the Legislature would have full power to issue practically unlimited bonds without a vote of the people. It could legally be \$100,000,000 or any other amount. The voters should have the right to vote on every bond issue of any kind, thus saving the right to protect themselves and their children from graft, waste and perpetual taxes for interest and debts. If you oppose these things be sure to go to the polls and scratch out "For amendment to Secs. 49 and 52, Art. III." Leaving on your ballot unscratched the following: "Against amendment to Secs. 49 and 52, Art. III." (Signed) CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION OPPOSING BOND AMENDMENT.

John Hudson and "Friday" Hanna went fishing Thursday evening. They rode to the river with all the ease and luxury to be gotten out of a Spanish pony and a one-seated rig. While they fed turtles, the pony thought of some unfinished business elsewhere, and lit out. There was nothing for the fishermen to do but make a noise like the militia on a hike. Half way in, Hanna happened to think that he had an engagement to meet his mother-in-law at the Santa Fe, and only a few minutes to get there. Now he wasn't disappointing her, oh, no! They say the time he made to that depot, would shame the world's champion Marathon stars.

To Locate An Academy.

Two Sisters of Charity, we have been told, will be in Pecos during the next week, sent to this section for the purpose of looking the country over with the view of locating a site for an academy. We are informed that they have been to several localities, including Big Springs and Fort Stockton and that these towns are anxious to secure the project if possible. Pecos also wants a proposition of this kind and it is hoped that the sisters will have a very favorable report to send in from here.

Mrs. Ed Vickers returned home

Wednesday evening from a short stay at Hot Wells.

TEXAS STEERS BREAK RECORD

Bring \$8.20 Per Hundred Pounds in St. Louis Market.

St. Louis, July 16.—The sale of 120 steers at \$8.20 a hundred pound today broke the record for July on quarantine steers in St. Louis; the largest market in the world for Texas steers. The price is considered remarkable considering the fact it is in the middle of summer, when grass-fed cattle are plentiful and at a time when the general market is 25c lower than it was last week. The sale was made at the National Stock Yards, East Saint Louis. The new record set by this sale shows the steady advance of beef prices. It is only 15c below the top paid for the same class of cattle in January. The shipment was marketed by K. X. Haggood, Henrietta, Texas, and consisted of six cars of fat steers in fine condition, averaging 1,148 pounds each. The average price of each was \$94.15. The entire bunch was purchased by Armour & Co.

More About Our Possibilities.

The following article was handed us by an engineer of many years experience and who has investigated this proposition. We give it publicity that the proposition may be investigated and if found feasible may become of vast benefit to West Texas in general and Pecos in particular. The article follows: "A matter of considerable importance to this town and surrounding district is the construction of what appears to us one of the most sound and remunerative projects yet attempted in this part of the state. We refer to the formation of an irrigation district in Reeves county and the building of a dam across the Pecos river by which enough water will be held up in a reservoir, sufficient to irrigate 100,000 acres of land situated on the west side of the Pecos river, between the New Mexico boundary line and some 25 miles to the north. The preliminary surveys have been sufficiently advanced that plans and estimates have already been made. From these we find that not only irrigation can be carried on, but that the power of the water flowing through the dam into the main canal may be utilized to generate from 1000 to 1200 h. p. which may be used to generate electricity, which can be run in all directions at any distance away, and by direct acting motors employed to run some 40 or 50 pumps which would lift sufficient water to irrigate from 150 to 200 acres each. Water exists at an average of 50 feet below the surface of the ground and rises to within ten feet of the surface all along the west bank of

COUPLE HURT IN RUNAWAY

Man and Woman Had Only Been Married an Hour.

On Way to Ranch of Relative When Horse Became Frightened at Bicycles. Wednesday afternoon about 5:30 the horse belonging to R. N. Sewell and being driven by W. A. Graves, became frightened at some boys on bicycles and ran away. Mr. Graves was accompanied by his bride of an hour and had started to drive out to the home of Mr. R. N. Sewell where they expecting to visit for a few days. After becoming frightened the horse became unmanageable and ran between the lumber sheds of the Pruett Lumber Company and the feed pens of E. W. Clayton, striking the bumps of the salt grass and mesquite brush and making a short turn threw the occupants from the buggy. Mr. Graves being first thrown out, and fell upon the wheel and was dragged some distance, Mrs. Graves being thrown out a short distance farther away. Mr. Graves suffered the fracture of three ribs and was badly bruised on the shoulder and back, while Mrs. Graves was more fortunate and escaped with a few minor bruises and the shock of the accident. Medical attention was given and the parties removed to the Coone Sanitarium where they are both reported as resting as well as could be expected under the circumstances. The horse ran about a mile and becoming entangled in a wire fence stopped and was caught, only a few slight cuts were found and the only damage to the buggy was the breaking off of the dashboard.

Banking By Mail the Latest.

Washington, July 17.—"Banking by mail" is the latest government innovation in connection with the postal savings system. Hereafter deposits and withdrawals may be made by mail. When the postal savings system first was put in operation, postmasters were forbidden to permit deposits by such persons as were not patrons of the postoffice in which they sought to bank. This was found to work a real hardship on a certain class of would-be depositors and Postmaster General Burdison abrogated the rule. Postmasters throughout the country are now being advised of the change.

Cantaloupes Are Being Shipped.

The first shipment of the famous Pecos Challenge Cantaloupes was made Tuesday of this week. It is thought that it will be the latter part of next week before car shipments will begin. Though it may be a little earlier. Shipments are being made regularly by express daily and the melons are meeting a ready sale on the local market. Retailing at three for 25 cents.

Commissioners Met Monday.

The Honorable County Commissioners met Monday and acted upon routine matters and looked after a lot of road business, adjourning in the afternoon.

Mrs. A. Z. Higgins presented the

editor with a Pecos grown onion of some size last week. It was grown on her place and was about an average of those grown by her. It was 11 1/2 inches around the small way and measured 14 3/4 inches in circumference, and weighed one pound. It was of the Bermuda variety and as finely flavored as one could ask for.

C. M. Haines, traveling immigration

agent for the T. & P. was a visitor in the city this morning. He makes this one of his regular stopping places, since coming here in May and getting a taste of Pecos hospitality. He says he likes to come here.

Number of Signatures Attached to a Brief Statement Why Proposition Should Be Killed.

(Address to the citizens of Texas in opposition to amendment of the Constitution under Senate resolution No. 18, to sections 49 and 52, article III, to be voted against and defeated July 19th.)

We, the undersigned citizens of Texas, composing a citizens committee, organized to defeat the adoption of the amendment as above, desire the attention of the people to the dangerous character of this proposition, in order that they may study and defeat it, as should be done.

The wise, time honored policy of our Government has always been to limit the taxing power. Under this amendment all limits or restrictions as to the amounts or rate of interest of bonds that may be issued for certain purposes are absolutely removed. Taxes must be levied to pay these unlimited issues of bonds and interests, therefore, the taxing power, would be given the Legislature without any restriction whatever, one million, a hundred millions of dollars, or any other amount would be legal, we would be loaded with taxes to pay interest, our children and their children would be burdened with a perpetual debt, not in payment for things needed but for a never ceasing perpetual drain to foreign bond holders for interest and principal on bonds, that like a vampire, would suck the financial blood from our State as long as time goes on.

Texas now owes a bonded debt of nearly \$4,000,000 left over from the E. J. Davis regime. The toilers of our state have paid in taxes on this debt an interest bill of more than \$7,000,000. We still owe the principal sum of \$4,000,000. Our great State is not bankrupt, poverty stricken, nor are taxes so high that any one would be justified to pawn our posterity in perpetuity as would be done by these bond issues, should the people through inadvertence or lack of interest fail to go to the polls and defeat this amendment as they should and will do, if they realize the impending danger as we do, and hope they will.

The amendment as submitted is vicious in that the language of it is ambiguous and uncertain of construction. Its very advocates who are spending money to secure its adoption differ as to the meaning of its various sections which are susceptible of various interpretations.

We have enough vague uncertain statutes for "the courts to decide" with out placing in the very source of law, any such medley of uncertainties as is contained in this abortion of an attempt to give birth to a revolutionary section in our organic law, which would work a reversal of our wisest policy by taking all limits or restrictions from the power to tax us, and thus reverse our time honored wise policy to protect the people against profligate waste and taxes.

Space will not permit discussion for a reading of the "thing" will demonstrate the following points to be true:

1. State officials could incur our rent debts up to a half a million dollars, without authority from the legislature.
2. Bonds without limit could be issued for the State University, including power to duplicate the Bryan Agricultural and Mechanical College at Austin.
3. Bonds without limit for State institutions.
4. Bonds without limit for the penitentiary.
5. Local bonds for public improvements to one-fourth the value of all the property by a bare majority vote of one more than half the voters.
6. Bonds for improvement of rivers, levees, etc., to one-half the value of the property by a bare majority vote.
7. Ambiguity, general uncertainty of meaning and discrepancy between the body of the amendment and the ballot.
8. Submission at a special election when little discussion or interest is taken.

We've no selfish interest. We believe it is our duty as citizens to do our part to assist in preventing a far reaching disaster. We urge every voter to attend the polls and vote against this amendment.

CHAS. B. METCLIFE,
Chairman.

Then follows numerous signatures of well known citizens and statesmen who wish to go on record as being opposed to the amendments.

Nice bathroom mirrors and other fittings at Max Krauskopf's call in and see them and you will want some of them. The price is right.—adv. 21

I saved by buying my groceries and feed of O. J. Green.—Adv.

Diamond Dust Doping's

BY PAT

The season is a little over half ended. In the National the race seems to be good going for the Giants. At present they are more than 100 points ahead of the Phillies, who are their closest rivals. McGraw is tickled to death about the way his pitchers are going. Every one of them including Tesreau, are pitching good ball, and Mathewson, who some think, is about to be relegated to the has-been class, has established what we believe will stand as the 1913 record for both the major leagues: 15 straight wins. It was just a taste of his usual hard luck that he happened to be on the mound when the Cubs broke the Giants winning streak the other day. About two is going to win the pennant, we are like McGraw: July is a little bit too early to pick the winner.

McDonald, with the Boston Braves, is being touted pretty much by the Texas newspapers, and justly too. He is a native of this grand old State, hailing from Vernon, Texas. Some who are acquainted with him are expressing no surprise at his wonderful record. Here is what the El Paso Times has to say about him: Charley McDonald, the Boston Braves' 3rd baseman, who is now leading the National league in hitting, is in a way a protege of Jno. J. McGraw. The Giant chief recommended the slugging lad to Garry Herrman of the Cincinnati Reds, who bought him from the Dallas club of the Texas league and carried him along last year and part of this season. Then George Stallings took the boy at the waiver price on a tip from the newspaper men following the Giants while the New York club was in Boston a short time ago. McGraw first saw McDonald a couple of years ago while the Giants were in training at Marlin, when the third baseman and another member of the Dallas club named Thebo joined the Giants to get in physical condition for the Texas league season. McGraw had three teams playing exhibition games in Texas that season. He used McDonald and Thebo on one of the teams. He had no permanent place for McDonald himself, but his strong recommendation of the youngster to Herrman indicated that he had made a good impression on him. McDonald seems to be another Heinie Zimmerman in point of hitting. In 1912, with the Dallas club, he hit 324 in 134 games, although he displayed no unusual hitting ability with Cleveland last season. At present he is whaling the ball at a .462 rate.

The race for premier batsmen of the American league is still in the hands of Joe Jackson, with Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker crowding at his heels. Ty has been out of the game for the past week with a bad knee.

You will always find some folks ready to accept things at face value. Requests are coming from all parts of the United States and several from Cuba, to reserve seats at the World series which all are sure will be between the Giants and the Athletics. The most casual observer will see at a glance that in either big league the winner is still under the bush.

As we predicted in these columns some time ago, the Athletics in the American are slipping, and at a rate that will soon find them in second or third place before long. As their pitching staff, they couldn't last at the rate they have been going since the beginning of the season. All that has kept them in the lead was the sensational fielding and batting of what is, in our humble opinion, the greatest infield in the history of the game. The pitchers, up until now, have been having their regular rest, but games that were postponed in the early part of the season, are now the cause of double headers, and they, being mostly oldtimers, can't stand the additional strain. Cleveland are pushing them bad, being only a matter of three or four games behind. On the first of the present month the Mackmen were 137 points ahead. This has been reduced to the slim margin of 28 in the past two weeks.

The Giants, after winning fourteen in a row, were finally stopped by the Cubs. Mathewson pitched for them, and up to that time had fifteen straight victories to his credit. Thus the Cubs put the kink in two records. On the other side of the river, the Dodgers, after losing 10 straight walloped the Cubs, breaking their losing streak. McGraw admits that he is a little skeered over the prospects for 1913. He says, however, right now his team going at its best clip and that he is going to try and put the team so far in the lead while they are going good that all danger will be past when the expected slump comes.

Talk about high-priced artists. It is rumored that Charley Comiskey of the White Sox has closed a deal for Chappelle, of the Milwaukee team, in which the figure was \$15,000 and two players. Chappelle is an outfielder.

Hans Wagner, it is feared, is out of the game for the present season on account of injuries received at the Spring practice. Many seem to think that Father Time is working on the "Flying Dutchman," but nothing of the kind. Of course he is well up in years and a little past the average for ball-players, but such authorities as Jno. J. McGraw say that he is good for a few more years yet. As soon as he is over his injury you may expect to see him in the game again. Moral: saasion is all that is keeping him out at the present writing.

The race in the Texas League is still warm enough for the most ardent fan. Dallas and Houston are taking turn about in first place, with Houston a little more than holding its own. The first four teams are bunched to such an extent that the end of a week could find the standing reversed, and even Beaumont, who are in the cellar, is by no means out of the running. We expected to see Fog Worth in better position than they are, but it seems that they are inclined to imitate the mercury these days: now up, and when you look again, down. Austin has passed Galveston and are now going good. The other teams occupy practically the same position that they did a week ago.

It is no use saying that one man's absence or presence has no influence on the rest of the team. To prove that it does all we need do is cite you to the case of Ty Cobb and the Detroit Tigers. His absence from the game at the beginning of the season caused a noticeable slump in their ranks, nor are they over it yet. This might have passed as a coincidence were it not for the fact that the same thing was noticeable when he was out of the game the past week. Back in the game again the team is bracing up and already have taken three straight from Athletics. We never even crack the faintest of smiles when we hear the Georgian alluded to as the Detroit team.

The T.O. League are playing sensational ball these days and the young stars are attracting lots of attention, so much so that the scouts from the big show are constantly on their trail. Several of the lads are slated for fast or company during the next year, among them being Covington of Denison, and Barber of the Paris team.

We don't hear much of our old friend Higginbotham, pitcher of the Denison team, these days. However, whenever we do see his name in the scrap it is generally a victory for Denison.

Paris, it seems, has at last let go. Yearly the points ahead two weeks ago, we find, at this writing, that they are leading Denison by just two lone points. Texarkana is third, one game and a fraction behind the leaders.

The White Sox, of Pecos fame, after a brief stop at home, in which their playing percentage rang the bell at a thousand, are off again. It is going to be some trip, too, they tell us. Their first stop will be at Midland, and the route from there will be Colorado City, Abilene, Baird, Thurbur, Hico, Hillsboro, Brownwood and San Angelo. At Hico they will play three games during the old soldiers reunion. On the return trip they will include some of the towns on the Orient. Lonesome time, fadom. What? I should worry!

The following averages for batting has been handed to us by the official scorer of the White Sox. We are in no way responsible for the correctness of the figures and, in explanation will say that the games that were played from home do not figure in these averages. Stubblefield remarks that up to the appearance of that ham-like chub he uses for a bat, his percent was but .090.

Following are the figures:

NAME	G	AB	R	H	PC
H. Hail	9	35	9	14	400
T. Hail	9	35	6	13	372
Hooper	10	41	11	15	366
Scott	9	31	5	11	355
Rarey	5	20	3	6	300
Randal	5	21	2	6	239
Reeves	3	9	2	2	223
Browning	10	38	7	8	211
Stubblefield	8	30	5	6	200
Gardner	10	41	4	7	171
Martin	10	39	5	5	131
Slack	2	8	0	0	000
Bean	1	2	0	0	000

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FOR THE COMPLEXION

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PECOS BOTTLING WORKS.

PECOS, TEXAS.

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W. F. GRAY

Pecos, Texas

Skillman Grove Campmeeting.

We are requested by W. B. Bloys to announce that the campmeeting at Skillman Grove will begin on the night of July 23rd. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Plenty of grass and water. The meeting will continue for six or seven days. This will be a splendid place to put in a week's vacation and watching the dates.

Chas. J. Bloy

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Yours very truly (Signed) I. SEELIGSON & COMPANY (Copy)

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VICTORIA SAFE & LOCK CO. Factory: Victoria, Victoria County, Texas

15 Days Only

JULY

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Clearance Sale

Commencing
Saturday, July 19
Ending
Saturday, Aug. 2

Most Remarkable
Sale. The Entire
Stock at Sweeping
Reductions

An extraordinary opportunity for everyone. Our entire stock of most desirable Summer goods at extraordinarily reduced prices. **WE HAVE CUT WAY UNDER OUR USUAL LOW PRICES.**

It will pay you to take advantage of these bargains---they explain the reason why we are doing such a big business---because on every dollar spent with us you are sure to save some money.

We never try to get business by offering special premiums. Our only inducement is to sell you goods as cheap as any store or catalog house.

We don't cater to the I-don't-care-how-much-it-costs customer. What we want is customers who want their money's worth----these are the people who trade with us and whoremcommend us to their friends.

Come out to this sale and get acquainted. See the prices we are charging, if they are reasonable, trade with us.

READ THESE PRICES

Nice sample lot of White Dresses
Values up to \$10 \$4.95
Ladies' good quality Gingham Dresses
..... \$.98
Fairly nice Ladies and Misses White
Dresses \$1.39
Children's White or Colored Dresses,
at 23c up to \$.98
A few odds and ends in Ladies and
Misses Hats, at your own price.

Childrens Slippers, Black and Tan
Special Sale Price \$.49
A big lot of Misses Slippers up to
size No. 2 \$.69
One lot of Ladies' Slippers. These
are in Tan only \$.89
Big lot of Men's low Shoes, different
leathers and styles \$2.39
Nice assortment of Ladies' and Mis-
ses White Slippers \$1.19
Boys' Shoes, all kinds. From \$1.25
up to \$2.50

Nicest and best assortment of men's
pants, from 98c up to \$3.95
Biggest assortment of Men's Hats
from 98c up to \$4.35
Men's Summer Underwear, at from
23c up to \$.45
Men's and Ladies' Summer Union
Suits, at 25c up to \$.98
Big assortment of Ladies' Wash
Skirts, at \$.98

Nice short kimonas, 12 1-2c to 25c
Ladies Summer Vests 7 1-2c to 23c
Good quality Corsets, 59c to \$1.98
Best assortment of Ladies' Waists,
Gowns and Underskipts 95
Fancy White Lawn, 15c value09
Men's everyday shirts, with or with-
out collars 39c

Remember, we never misrepresent; we are here to stay. There is no excuse for you to sendoff for goods, we sell you right here in Pecos for the same money

**At the El Paso Store
PECOS, TEXAS**

SALE COMMENCES SATURDAY MORNING LASTS 15 DAYS

Pecos Record-Times

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JOB PRINTING CASH.

Owing to the fact that we have to pay for our stationery, either at the end of the month or cash, and not being blessed with an unlimited bank account, we are forced to establish a rule that all Job Printing will be cash. The negligence of a number of our patrons to meet their obligations to us promptly has made it very hard for us to meet our obligations in a satisfactory manner. Compared with the prices charged in other parts of the West, with the exception of one or two "cut-throat" outfits, our prices are with the lowest and we feel that we are entitled to a fair profit on the work turned out, otherwise it is of no advantage to do the work.

Hoping that the public will appreciate the position in which we are placed and asking for a continuance of the liberal patronage that has been accorded us we are,

Yours truly,
RECORD-TIMES CO.
By R. L. Carothers, Prop.

Thousands of people are watching Pecos, and her developments.

Social news is like the proverbial hen's tooth this week.

And still those Mesquite bushes catch and hold trash and disease germs.

Why not get together and do something with the library? It is of no benefit as it stands.

Alfalfa shipments are still being made, but the majority of the growers prefer holding for better prices.

Vote against the last Amendment on the ballot. Its meanings are too obscure for any good to come of it. Swat it.

What has become of the committees that were named some time since to organize a managing board for the library?

Don't give away your rights by voting for the amendment of Article 3. The legislature has sufficient powers as it is.

Pecos has more and better sidewalks than any town its size in the Western part of the state, and her people are proud of the fact, too.

While the reports of deaths from heat are being published everywhere Pecosites suffered very little inconvenience from the heat and no suffering has been reported at all.

Those Challenge Cantaloupes are certainly looking fine, but as yet the editor has not been presented with a bunch of them, so can't say how good they taste.

Get ready for the Fair Committee and give them the necessary encouragement when they call on you. The investment will be a profitable one.

The weather has become moderate to a certain extent, and the only reached as high as 97 week, while the nights cool and pleasant.

It is favorable to we are im- m- ut he ace for

LANDS DECLARED FORFEITED

Reeves County Lands That Revert To The State For The Non-Payment Of Interest

The following letter from Land Commissioner Robison to Miss Willde Woods, County Clerk of Reeves County is self explanatory.

Austin, Texas, July 12, 1913.
County Clerk Reeves county,
Enclosed I herewith hand you list of the lands forfeited in your county on this date for nonpayment of interest due November 1, 1912. These lands come within the terms of Chapter 169, Act of the 33rd Legislature, approved April 18, 1913, which became effective on the 1st inst. This Act is commonly known as Senate Bill No. 129. Those who own the lands on this date and desire to repurchase them under this act must write to this office stating that they have permitted certain sections, naming them, to be forfeited for nonpayment of interest and that they desire to repurchase them. That is all that they are required to say.

They will have 30 days from the date this notice gets to you within which to send that notice to this office.

Respectfully,
(Signed) L. T. ROBISON,
Commissioner.

The letter was received July 10th and the list filed for record on that date. The list is as follows:

Section	Blk	Grantee
193	11	GH & SA
229	11	GH & SA
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8	7	H & GN
12	6	
36	6	
6	7	
12	7	
14	7	
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56	13	
124	13	
NW1/4 of SW1/4 of		
126	13	
158	13	
180	13	
W1/2 & NE1/4 of		
216	13	
E1/2 & NE1/2 of NW1/4 of		
222	13	
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242	13	
E1/4 & SE1/2 of W1/4 of		
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18	55	Tp 4
40	55	Tp 4
6	55	Tp 5
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This list is for lands in Reeves County only, the date of forfeiture being July 12th, 1913.

Read the advertisements in this issue of the Record Times. The merchants who are using our columns want your patronage and are not ashamed to ask you for it.

This is the Year

For you to purchase a farm in TOYAH VALLEY

Land proven out will never be cheaper, Terms will never be easier. On whatever amount of money you may have, a farm can be found to suit you.

ALFALFA

Now being harvested and bringing returns that will make the investment on the investment and the ability to harvest. Barley and wheat making big fields. Green in the winter, harvested in June. Cantaloupes make \$100.00 per acre, and are ready to harvest time. Garden truck grown in winter bring \$100.00.

THE GREAT COMBINATION

Good Soil, Fine Climate, Plenty of Water and something to invest and sell every month in the year, makes income insurance. Splendid business opportunities open in many town in the Toyah Valley, along the Pecos Valley Southern Railway. Write today asking for literature and our special proposition may who will come and settle on his land.

E. D. BALCOM

Genl. Immigration Agent, Pecos Valley Southern R.R., Pecos, Texas

Plenty of Fishermen—Few Fish.

Local fishermen are plentiful, they can be seen at almost any hour of the day wending their way toward the Rio Pecos. Large, small, young and old, all going in hopes that they may be fortunate enough to catch some of the "whoppers" that have been breaking the lines of a number of sportsmen of late. So far their luck has been on the wrong side and the majority of the returning nimrods report the failure to entice the denizens of the water to properly appreciate the alluring baits so temptingly displayed, and their endeavors have been for naught. Of course there are a few who report fair catches, but they are few. It seems that the fishes have wandered away from their usual haunts and their present whereabouts have not been discovered.

Read the ads in the Record Times they represent the merchants of the city who desire your patronage, and they are the ones you should patronize, as they show they appreciate your trade.

Good horse, buggy and saddle for sale by O. Mitchell.

Coon's sanitary bread. Wrapped in waxed paper. Insist on your grocery man getting it. Take no other.

Ladies, call in Max Krauskopf's shop and see the nice nickel cup holders and other nice fittings to go in your bathroom.—adv. 2t

Trico, Corn, Corn Chops, Bran, Cotton Seed Meal, Oats, Hay and everything in feed. Get my Prices if you want to save money. Adv. O. J. Green.

CLING PEACHES
Now Ready
\$1 per Bu. at my orchard
T. J. CRAWFORD
Barstow, Texas



50 RESIDENCE LOTS FREE

During the next 90 days we will give a residence lot in the town of

SARAGOSA, TEXAS

Free to any person agreeing to build a 3 or 4 room residence on same

For Further Particulars, Address

Saragosa Townsite Co.
Saragosa, Texas

PECOS VALLEY State Bank

Capital \$ 110,000.00
Surplus 55,000.00

We Want Your Business

FORD THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Put the rest in the bank. You'll find yourself in the best of company--your troubles lighter--your purse heavier-- if you buy a Ford-- and join the happy throng of those who know car comfort plus service satisfaction.

More than 275,000 Fords now in service--convincing evidence of their wonderful merit. Runabout, \$525; Touring car, \$600; Town Car, \$800--i.e.b. Detroit, with all equipment. Get interesting "Ford Times" from factory, Dept. F, Detroit; Ford Motor Company.

Pecos Auto Co.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution authorizing the issuance of Bonds for the purpose of the construction of the necessary buildings for the University of Texas and also for buildings of various institutions, and authorizing improvement Bonds for the purpose of navigation, irrigation, construction of bridges and the maintenance and operation of public warehouses.

(S. J. R. No. 18.)
Senate Joint Resolution.
To be entitled A Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds and the levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same for public improvements.

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

Section 1. That Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 49. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection and defend the State in war or pay existing debts, and no debt created to supply deficiencies in current revenue shall ever exceed in the aggregate at any one time five hundred thousand dollars. The Legislature, however, shall have power to authorize the issuance of bonds to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of purchasing additional ground and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas, including a medical department, an Agricultural and Mechanical College and all departments and activities of a complete university of the first class. The revenue received from the permanent University fund shall be available for the payment of interest on these bonds and for the creation of a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity and the Legislature shall also have power to issue bonds for the construction of necessary buildings for State institutions. The Legislature shall also have the power to authorize the issuance of bonds secured by lien on the real property of the penitentiary system to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of constructing buildings and making permanent improvements.

Section 52. The Legislature shall have the power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or corporation, provided, however, that under Legislature provisions any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties or any political subdivision of the State or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporations upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be effected thereby in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except in case of improvement of rivers, creeks, and streams, in building of levees to prevent overflows, in which case the bonded indebtedness may be for an amount not to exceed one-half of the assessed valuation of the lands of the district to be reclaimed, and, except further, that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limit of the State, and the provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize and in such manner as it may authorize the same for the following purpose, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof or irrigation thereon or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and water-ways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and macadamized, graveled, sandy clay, or clay and sand or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses or in aid thereof.

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection at a special election hereby ordered for the third Saturday in July, 1913, the same being the nineteenth day of said month. All voters on this proposed amendment shall be provided for its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: For amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary system, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products. These voting against its adoption shall have written or printed on their ballots the following: Against amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary system, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products.

Manager Hale of the White Sox received a telegram this week from F. M. Finley, of the T. O. League requesting that he send the schedule of the Sox for the next three weeks. There can be but one meaning to a request of this kind, and that is that the T. O. is on the lookout for players to fill the places of those who move to higher company next year, and hearing of the Sox's record they want their scouts to come and look them over.

THE BEST MEDICINE IN THE WORLD.

"My little girl had dysentery very bad. I thought she would die. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured her, and I can truthfully say that I think it is the best medicine in the world," writes Mrs. William Orcis, Clark, Mo. For sale by all dealers.

Joe Pickle, editor and proprietor of the Roscoe paper has been in the city several days this week looking after business matters.

ITEMS FROM HOBAN

Hoban is getting to be quite a place and we have a depot going up. The carpenters will finish this week.

Two cars of alfalfa were shipped this week from Hoban by H. T. Collier.

Several crates of cantaloupes from the Billingslea farm were shipped to Pecos the first part of the week.

Mr. Fugua, who has been very sick for the past couple of weeks is improving.

Webb Courtney and bride moved to their new home near Hoban this week.

J. G. Love of Pecos spent last Saturday at the home of H. T. Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Shellenberger attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weinaucht at Toyahvale, on the 9th inst.

N. Ward is visiting the family of Julius Eisenwine.

Mr. Tom Wheat and Mrs. McKemy Miss Winnie Sheppard and little brother, of Saragosa, visited Mrs. S. A. Shellenberger the past week.

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ASK YOUR DRUGGIST ABOUT IT

There is a New Remedy that Takes the Place of Calomel. Recommended and Guaranteed by Druggists

The Pecos Drug Company never sold a remedy that gave more complete satisfaction than Dodson's Liver Tonic—a mild vegetable remedy for constipation, sour stomach and lazy liver.

Folks who have suffered for years rather than resort to dangerous calomel have found after one trial, that this pleasing-tasting vegetable liquid gives them a long sought relief without bad after effects.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is guaranteed by the Pecos Drug Co. to be a safe liver stimulant and to be absolutely harmless—without bad after effects. You will find many persons in this locality who have tried it and every user will speak a good word for Dodson's Liver Tonic. It livens up a torpid liver and makes you feel fresh, healthy and clean.

The price of a large bottle is 50 cents—money back if not pleased. The success of Dodson's Liver Tonic has brought many medicines into the field that imitate its claims and seem to have name very similar and package same color, but remember Dodson's Liver Tonic is guaranteed by the Pecos Drug Co., who will give you back your money if you want it.

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\$25 In Cash

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Beginning July 1st, and ending July 31st

With every dollars worth of goods you buy for cash or pay on your account we will give you a ticket free. The drawing will take place July 31st, at 6 p. m.

The First ticket will draw	\$10.00 in Cash
The Second " " "	5.00 " "
The Third " " "	4.00 " "
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The Fifth " " "	2.00 " "
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You can be in person or call later. The lucky numbers will be advertised and the ones holding the numbers will get the prizes.

Do all your Trading with us.

You will always find choice selections of merchandise of a dependable kind at our store and our prices mean a saving to you. Tell your friends about it, don't miss this opportunity. See our window display

Pecos Dry Goods Co.

PROPERTY—INJURE CROPS

Several Complaints Made As to Practice of Auto Parties on Farms

Within the past few weeks several of the farmers living around Pecos have mentioned the fact to us that the public was not treating them with due consideration in regard to entering and going over their farms, orchards, etc., and we are just in receipt of a communication from one of the farmers in regard to the matter, which we publish below.

None of the farmers claim that these parties do them damage intentionally but through thoughtlessness. Put yourself in their place and treat them as you would like to be treated.

The communication is as follows and the original with the signature is on file for reference:

Editor Pecos Record Times, Sir: I wish to call your attention to what is becoming daily a greater abuse.

When people from the city visit the farms of the surrounding country they appropriate everything as their own.

This class of people call themselves Boosters, and claim to be working for the good of the country.

They come in droves of from four to ten, either drive or walk all over the farmers' fields, regardless of crops, tramping down crops to keep from walking in the hot sands. If there is fruit about the farm they help themselves and pry into all barns and out-buildings, even tampering with gasoline engines.

In general they use and abuse anything and everything that they can lay their hands on.

Now they do all these things without the farmers knowledge or consent. I personally have seen auto parties drive past the house and stop at the engine house or barn and all the people get out and walk around investigating the farm.

If a farmer were to act with as little regard for personal property while visiting in the city he would be jailed within thirty minutes.

Mr. Editor, I believe a few remarks in your paper would cure this evil, since these abuses are caused by ignorance and not by viciousness.

Yours truly,
A FARMER.

Edgar West, deputy sheriff of the Balmorhea territory was a business visitor in the city Monday afternoon returning home Tuesday via the P. V.

Fire-Proof Buildings.

Bond Amendment Gives Legislature No Authority to Build Them.

The following communication received this week, throws a little more light on the issue to be voted on tomorrow. It is self-explanatory and follows:

"Being unable to convince the people that the unlimited bond amendment should be adopted by appealing to their reason, the advocates of the bond amendment are now trying to play upon the sympathy of the people by talking about the danger of fire in our State institutions, and are trying to make the people believe that the bond amendment offers power upon the Legislature to build fire-proof buildings. There is not a word about fire-proof buildings in the amendment. There is not a line in the amendment to compel the Legislature to build fire-proof buildings, and the bringing of this matter into the campaign is for the purpose of deceiving and misleading sympathetic people. Let no one be deceived!

The advocates of the bond amendment, however, should explain to the people why they tried to take from the blind children and the insane every dollar of their permanent fund and give it outright to the university. They were not thinking about the blind and the fire traps and the insane in jail, and the orphans without good clothes then. They were thinking of how much they could get from the use of these funds belonging to the unfortunates for the benefit of the university.

But do not forget that the bond amendment takes from the people, the tax money

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JUDGE DAUGHERTY MARRIED.

His Many Friends at This Place Will Be Surprised to Hear Of Jesse's Happiness.

Jesse Daugherty, known to all of the people of Reeves County has at last found a partner to share his happiness. He was married at Ft. Worth the other day, and, according to his own version of the affair he is now happy as a bird. Now that he has found a mate, it is just possible that he will settle down, thereby depriving us of his yearly visits. Anyhow we wish him luck.

Following is the account from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram:

He—"Judge" Daugherty—was just forty-two inches tall, while she—Mrs. Katie Horton—towered twenty-four inches higher. He was 71 years of age she was 38. Their romance began in the County Home for the destitute and the proposal came with him standing on a railing to reach her ruby lips. But that didn't matter.

"Judge" and Mrs. Daugherty were happy as birds just building their first nest, Friday morning.

The ceremony was performed by Justice R. F. Peden in the presence of a number of the clerks in the different offices, several of whom presented the diminutive "judge" with the license.

"I'm as happy as a bird," said the little man after the ceremony. "I just couldn't do without her."

The bride remarked that the new husband was "a nice little feller."

Both have been married before. Mrs. Daugherty's first husband died in February and she was forced to go to the county home. Daugherty's first wife died several years ago. For the past two weeks he has been employed by the Pullman hotel, Fifteenth and Main to sit in front of the hotel and solicit lodgers.

He claims to have been county judge and sheriff of various counties in Texas.

Lands WEST OF THE PECOS Pecos, Texas

EXPLANATION OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

To be Voted on July 19. They Relate to the Judiciary, to the Payment of Salaries to Officers, and to the Issuance of Bonds by the Legislature Without a Vote of the People.

There are three constitutional amendments to be voted on Saturday, July 19, 1913.

The first amendment relates to the judiciary. The only changes of importance proposed is that if this amendment is adopted more than one judge can be elected for each judicial district, and instead of requiring two terms of the district court in each county each year, the terms of holding the district courts will be determined by the legislature. If you favor this amendment you should vote:

"FOR THE AMENDMENT of section 7, article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts."

If opposed, let your ballot read:

"AGAINST THE AMENDMENT of section 7, article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts."

The second amendment provides that "all State, district, county and precinct officers within the State of Texas shall hereinafter be compensated by the payment of a salary to be fixed or provided for by the legislature." In other words, the adoption of this amendment will abolish the fee system. That is, instead of district, county and precinct officers being paid by fees, which in civil cases are collected from the litigants and in criminal cases, except felonies, collected from the party convicted of crime. The State pays the fees in felony cases. If you favor this amendment, your ballot should read:

"FOR THE ADOPTION of section 58, article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers."

If you oppose it, scratch the above paragraph and leave the following: **"AGAINST THE ADOPTION** of section 58, article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers."

The third and last amendment is known as the bond amendment and seeks to amend sections 49 and 52, article 3 of the Constitution. There are several subjects or propositions contained in this amendment. They are as follows:

1. It authorizes State officials to create debts against the State to supply deficiencies in the current revenues to the amount of a half million dollars, which may be repeated as often as the debt is paid. The present limit is two hundred thousand dollars. The increase is three hundred thousand dollars. This debt may be converted into interest-bearing bonds at the pleasure of the legislature.

2. The legislature is given power to authorize the issuance of bonds to purchase additional ground and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas. This is to include a Medical Department and an Agricultural and Mechanical College in connection with the State University at Austin. There is no limit to the amount of bonds that the legislature may issue under this clause, but the income of the university may be used to pay the interest and create a sinking fund on the bonds if the legislature so desires. It is left to the legislature.

3. The legislature may issue bonds for the construction of necessary buildings for the "State institutions." There are some eighteen or twenty State institutions, and it will be left with the legislature as to what buildings are necessary. There will be practically no limit to the issuance of bonds under this provision.

4. The legislature may authorize the issuance of bonds secured by a lien on the real property of the penitentiary system for the purpose of constructing buildings and making permanent improvements. From the best information obtainable, the penitentiary system has lost anywhere from one and one-half million to two million dollars within the past two years and a half. The recent legislature authorized the bonding of all the property of the penitentiary except the State railroad for two million dollars, three-fourths of which was to pay the debts.

5. The amendment authorizes the bonding of certain divisions of a county or any number of adjoining counties for roads and other public improvements by a majority vote. It now requires a two-thirds majority to issue these bonds.

6. In the improvement of rivers, creeks, building of levees to prevent overflows the bonded indebtedness may be for an amount not to exceed one-half of the assessed valuation of the lands. It is now one-fourth.

7. The issuance of bonds by a majority vote for the construction and maintenance of public warehouses or in aid thereof may be authorized.

As will be seen, there are at least seven distinct and independent propositions in the one amendment and the voter must vote for all of these or against all. He is not permitted to exercise his free will to vote for such things as he wants and against such things as he does not want. He must vote for all or none.

Under the present Constitution and laws of this State no bond or State debt, except as mentioned above, can be created or bonds issued except by vote of the taxpayers. This amendment, if adopted, will take this power away from the taxpayer in so far as State bonds and State debts are concerned and transfer it to the legislature. The legislature can, for the purposes enumerated, issue bonds in unlimited quantities without a vote of the taxpayers.

When the matter was first discussed, it was thought that six million dollars would cover the amount, but the demands and promises of the advocates of the bond amendment justifies the expectation of an immediate issue of nine million dollars' worth of bonds if the amendment is adopted.

If you favor the bond amendment, let your ballot read:

"FOR AMENDMENT to sections 49 and 52, of article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products."

But if you oppose the bond amendment, scratch out the words just quoted and leave on your ballot the following:

"AGAINST AMENDMENT to sections 49 and 52, of article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products."

—which will be the last paragraph on the official ballot.

A. M. KENNEDY.

Kerrville, Texas.

Huge Map is Being Made.
The international map of the world, on a scale of 1 to 1,000,000, will, when completed, eight or ten years hence, cover a total area of about 150 by 75 feet, or the surface of a globe 40 feet in diameter.

Conscientious at Least.
"Why did you say your prayers twice, dear?" asked his mother, kissing Charlie good-night. "Cause I was too tired to say it last night, and I'm making up for lost time."

Will Get Rid of Felon.
To cure a felon take common salt, as used for salting pork or beef, dry in the oven, pound fine, mix with equal parts of spirits of turpentine, put in a cloth and wrap around the affected part. As it gets dry put on more. Twenty-four hours of this treatment will kill the felon.

Difference.
To men a man pretends he is a good fellow; to women what a bad man he is.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of this State authorizing the issuance of Bonds for Improvement of Public Warehouses for storing, handling, classing, measuring, elevating, weighing and Loading Agricultural Products.
Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:
Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation thereof, or in aid of such purposes.
(b) The construction and maintenance of ponds, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation or in aid thereof.
(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.
(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses for storing, handling, classing, measuring, weighing, elevating and loading agricultural products. Provided the Legislature may establish such means and agencies as may be necessary for accomplishing the purpose of this amendment and if a State warehouse commission be provided for, their term of office shall be fixed by the Legislature.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified electors of the State of Texas on the third Saturday in July, same being the 19th day of said month, and the amendments proposed to Section 52 of Article 3, as above indicated, shall be voted upon separately.
Those favoring the amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballot: For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority, and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority.

Those favoring the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballot: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products.

If you **OPPOSE** taking from the people the right to vote on State bond issues and giving to the Legislature full power to issue bonds in unlimited amounts—from One Million to a Hundred Million Dollars' worth without a vote of the Tax-Payers—scratch your ballot like this:

FOR AMENDMENT to Sections 49 and 52, of article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products.

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Sections 49 and 52, of article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products.

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A. M. KENNEDY, Sec.
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To suffer from Skin Diseases, Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, etc. when one 50c box of Hunt's Cure is positively guaranteed to cure or your money promptly refunded. Every retail druggist in the State stands behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial.

Advt.
Money talks. Try O. J. Green Grocery.—Adv.

SURPRISING CURE OF STOMACH TROUBLE.

When you have trouble with your stomach or chronic constipation, don't imagine that your case is beyond help just because your doctor fails to give you relief. Mrs. G. Sengle, Plainfield, N. J., writes: "For over a month I have been troubled with my stomach. Everything I ate upset it terribly. One of Chamberlain's advertising booklets came to me. After reading a few of the letters from people who had been cured by Chamberlain's Tablets, I decided to try them. I have taken nearly three-fourths of a package of them and can now eat almost everything that I want." For sale by all dealers.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.
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CALL ON ME WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN THIS LINE.

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H. & G. N. Ry. Lands in Reeves County
Surveys Nos. 47, 55, 61, 63, in Block 4.
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The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City in the artesian belt of the Pecos River Country, and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections.
Also surveys Nos. 13 and 49, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 13 and 15 in Block 7.
Also Surveys Nos. 31 and 35, fronting on the Pecos River in Block 1, and Nos. 11 and 15, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos River Railway.
Also surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of Pecos County, and partly in Reeves County.
Also 16 surveys in Block 10; 16 surveys in Block 11, and 3 surveys in Block 12; none of these river lands.
No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, Thomas R. White, Jr., of New Jersey

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. May Griffin left Saturday for El Paso where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Arden.

Miss Elizabeth Zimmer has recently returned from a pleasant vacation spent in El Paso, Clouderoff and other points in New Mexico. While in El Paso Miss Zimmer was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard at Hotel Paso del Norte.

Mrs. E. J. Moyer and little son came in from Sweetwater, where they have been making their home for several months past, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duncan and the children are all in Pecos this week. Joe is on the jury. While Mrs. Duncan and the children are visiting friends.

Mrs. Wildy Runnels has been suffering from an acute attack of appendicitis this week, but is reported as being considerably improved at this time. It was decided that an operation at this time was not necessary.

Horse, gentle and fine saddle. At a bargain. O. Mitchell.—Adv.

The best Soda Water at City Pharmacy.—Adv.

A fresh supply of Forbes' Quality and Chase & Sanborn's Coffees just received at Vickers & Collings.—Adv.

C. C. Kountz, County Commissioner from the Valley, was in Pecos this week attending to court business.

J. R. Chandler and daughters, of Toyah, were in the city this week. The former attending to business matters, while the young ladies visited with friends.

Ike Johnson, of "Fixit" fame, is down from Toyah, doing duty as a juror in the County court.

Mrs. J. F. Billingslea, of Toyah, is in the city today tending to business and visiting friends.

Dollars saved are dollars made. Adv. O. J. Green Grocery.

Will Dixon autoed down from Toyah yesterday in his brand new car, and was accompanied by Mrs. Dixon.

Mrs. F. Duncan and children, are in Pecos again after a visit of three weeks to her ranch in the Davis Mountains.

New Leaf Sanitary, Coon's Adv.

Remember Snow White Flour has no equal for fine cakes and bread. Try a sack. At Vickers & Collings.—Adv.

Joe Seay, was in the city yesterday, having returned from a visit to Colorado and the Pacific coast. He said that this country still looks good to him.

Dr. R. M. Harkey of Pecos, delighted the citizens of Mineral Wells this morning with a brilliant exhibition of horse-man-ship while astride a donkey. Dr. Harkey is at home on any form of locomotion, but he says his exhibition this morning was somewhat marred by a deflated tire.—Index, Mineral Wells.

Rev. E. Ward of Hope, N. M., was in the city yesterday, looking after the interests of the Girls Industrial Home of Simmons College of Abilene. He departed on the east bound train yesterday afternoon.

Misses Addie Ferguson and Carrie Ezell, who have been visiting relatives, spent several days on the ranch visiting the family of J. B. Heard.

R. N. Couch returned yesterday from a business trip to the state capital.

R. W. Stevenson of Balmorhea, came up from that bustling little city Tuesday afternoon to meet his letter three-fourths. Mrs. Stevenson, who has been visiting in Hunt county during the past five weeks, they departed Wednesday morning on the P. V. S. for home.

E. P. Stuckler of Balmorhea, was in the city several days this week looking after business matters and visiting friends.

Mesdames J. W. Duncan of Marshall and Edwards of Abilene are the guests of Miss Farnum.

Mrs. Farnum was a visitor at Arstow Wednesday.

A. J. Bumgardner was in from a ranch Wednesday afternoon.

Sam White was a visitor in the city today afternoon. Having come up on Van Horn on business.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—My house and three 50-foot lots located in the southwest part of Pecos. Will sell at a bargain; easy terms; \$500 cash, balance can be arranged to suit purchaser. For further information address J. B. Jennings, office suite 1 and 2, postoffice building, Tulsa, Okla.

CALL Mrs. J. W. Lytle, phone 207, for fresh sweet and buttermilk, delivered anywhere in Pecos. 56-59*

FOR SALE—4 or 8 sections, 12 miles east of Saragosa. Oles Stofer, Snyder, Okla. 55-64*

FOR SALE—A fed dozen Typewriter Ribbons, this office.

FOR SALE—American carbon paper for typewriting use. Best line in the city. Prices lowest. Record-Times Company.

FOR SALE—Runabout Automobile, so cheap you will think you stole it. Call at Record Times office. 54-1f

Nice fresh creamery butter, made on our own farm from our own cows. Ask your grocer or phone me. Mrs. W. C. Welborn, Hoban, Texas. 27tf

FOR SALE—High grade Ice Cream. Give us a trial. Pecos Ice Cream Factory. 35tf

FOR LEASE—Sections 1 and 17, block 51, Tsh. 7, Reeves county. J. F. Monning, 1001 Polk street, Amarillo, Texas. 55-1f

FOR SALE—Steam well rig. First class condition. Good for 1000 feet. See or address W. P. Morris. 58-5f

At the Christian Church.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching by Homer L. Magee at 11 a. m. Senior endeavor meeting at 7:30 p. m. Preaching July 21 and 22 by Bro. Hunter at 8:30 p. m. Bro. Homer L. Magee, of El Paso, well known in Pecos as former minister of the Christian Church, will arrive Saturday afternoon, and on Sunday at 11 a. m., will preach at the Christian Church and at 8:30 p. m. will deliver the sermon at the union meeting at the Methodist Church. All are cordially invited to hear Bro. Magee at both services.

Bro. Hunter of Lexington, Ky., will close a meeting at Balmorhea Sunday evening and will come to Pecos and preach Monday and Tuesday evenings at the Christian Church at 8:30. Bro. Hunter is full of the Spirit of Christ and will interest all who come to hear him. His solos and song leading is also splendid. Subject for Monday evening "Standing by the Man of God" and for Tuesday evening "Going a Little Farther."

A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend all these services. Christian Church Officers.

Christian Endeavor Program

Sunday July 20

Favorite Verses.

Leader: Miss Golda Wilhite.

Song.

Prayer.

Lesson: Hosea, 14:1-9.

Leader's Talk.

What qualities did Hosea have that made him a soul winner?—Mr. Link.

Song.

Message from Daniel.

The training of Daniel and its lesson to us.—Mr. Floyd.

The dream image.—Miss Wilson.

The fiery furnace.—Mr. Glasscock.

The madness of the king.—Miss Vickers.

Belshazzar's feast.—Mr. Davis.

The den of lions.—Mr. Wilhite.

Song.

Favorite verses of great men.—Talk.—Bro. Magee.

Business.

Mizpah.

At the Methodist Church.

The usual services of the Church Sunday morning; The regular Junior Services in the afternoon. At 8:30 p. m. there will be a union service of all the churches in the city at the new Methodist Church. Rev. Homer Magee, of El Paso, former pastor of the First Christian Church of Pecos will deliver the sermon. We trust that all churches will unite in giving Bro. Magee a large and attentive audience.

Joel Frank Hedgpeth, Pastor.

A large number of our citizens intend attending the box supper at Balmorhea tonight. They will be heartily welcomed and shown a good time by the people of that little city when they arrive.

Dock Williams was the fortunate melon grower that brought in the first standard pack crate of Challenge Cantaloupes and received the special price of \$10, offered by the Pecos Mercantile Co. J. F. Billingslea brought in the first crate but it was a Jumbo pack and did not meet the requirements.

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682 acres good land; shallow water, state price \$1.50 per acre. Want bonus of \$6.50 per acre. Will take good automobile at value; some cash, balance easy terms.

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I OWN some good residence property, located at Ft. Worth, to exchange for Reeves county land. W. H. Browning, Jr. 50-1f.

FOR LEASE—At 5 cents, Section 17, Block 13, near Saragosa. C. E. McGonagill, Lovington, N. M. 52-6f

STRAYED—One roan pony, about 4 years old. Came to my pasture 1 1/2 miles north of Pecos. Owner can have same by paying for this notice and pasturage. W. F. Gray.

RAILROAD TIME CARD.

Texas & Pacific.

East bound, No. 4.....2:50 a. m.
East bound, No. 6.....3:23 p. m.
West bound, No. 3.....2:50 a. m.
West bound, No. 5.....2:45 p. m.

Pecos Valley Southern.

South bound leaves.....8:15 a. m.
North bound arrives.....3:15 p. m.
Daily, except Sunday.

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North bound leaves.....12:25 a. m.
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J. B. Heard was in from the ranch Monday afternoon looking after business matters returning Thursday morning.

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