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STOCK SHIPPED

Monday T. J. Daugherty from Midland via the Texas & Pacific and Santa Fe, from Midland, 21 cars of cows and calves, to Orin Junction, Wyo.

Tuesday 4 cars of cows and calves were shipped from Midland to Roswell, N. M., by Massey Bros.

Last Saturday, May 27th, the U ranch loaded out 10 cars of cattle—512 head—at Saragosa. They were steer yearlings and were shipped to their steer ranch at White Deer, via the Pecos Valley Southern the Texas and Pacific, and the Santa Fe railroads, being transferred at Pecos and also at Sweetwater. Bob Baker and Louis Lindsey went with the shipment.

Sol Mayer shipped out a carload of hogs Wednesday from Toyahvale, billed to the Cassidy Southwestern Commission Company, at Fort Worth.

On A Recruiting Trip.

Capt. W. W. Dean, of the New Mexico National Guard, was a visitor in Pecos Monday and Tuesday of this week.

He has been assigned to recruit the New Mexico militia companies to their full war strength, and states that it will take 300 men to bring it up to the required standard. He went on up to Carlsbad, N. M., at which place he will establish headquarters for the present.

The depletion in the ranks of the New Mexico guard was due to the fact that 40 per cent of the members failed to pass the physical examination for service in the field. Capt. Dean stated that the examination required to join the militia in his state is not half as rigid as that required by the State of Texas.

He stated that if there were any of our young men wanted to enlist and were not needed by the Texas militia, he would be glad to enlist their services with his men in New Mexico.

Was Here Inspecting Cattle.

Dr. E. F. Stewart, the Cattle-men's Association Inspector of Fort Worth was called out here to investigate the cause of the death of 40 head of cows in J. N. Levin's herd, which he purchased from parties near Sweetwater.

Dr. Stewart spent Monday and Tuesday at Mr. Levin's ranch, and he pronounced the disease Hemorrhagic Septicemia a blood disease. It is contagious, and the remainder of his cattle were vaccinated and separated from this new herd, and it is thought that they have the trouble headed off.

J. M. Delaney left Wednesday afternoon for Abilene on a business trip.

Announcement.

To the voters of Reeves and Loving Counties, Texas:

This is to inform you that I have entered the race for Tax Assessor, and due to the fact that the coming election is near at hand, it may be that I will be unable to see each voter personally, I take this method of speaking to you all at the same time. I will personally call upon you if possible before the election. In the offset allow me to say that I have nothing to say against either of my opponents, except that the present incumbent is, and I will admit, a good man, has been in the office four years.

I was born in Reeves County 30 years ago, and have continuously lived here. This is the first time that I have asked for an office at the hands of the voters.

I know most of the people of both counties and feel that I am thoroughly capable of attending to the duties of said office and assure you, if elected, that it shall be my aim to so perform the duties as to reflect credit upon myself and satisfaction upon the tax payers.

Respectfully submitted,
A. B. COOKSEY.

Pecos Theatre Switches.

Harry Dickson informed us that he has made arrangements to show each night pictures from the General Film Co., instead of the Universal, which were in vogue when he assumed the management.

Those who are ideal fans will appreciate the change for these pictures are the ones we were broke in on in Pecos. In the Universal pictures you could not see the stars of that circuit act except in feature reels, which in many instances caused the management to go up on the price of admission. With the General you can see the best actors in ordinary one-reel plays, which is quite an item for those who enjoy this form of diversion.

Return to Live Near Pecos.

Last Saturday C. A. Eggleston came in from his ranch in the Barillo country to meet his family who had been visiting relatives and friends in the central part of the state, having gone after the closing of the schools at Big Springs, and where the family resided for the past year.

We are pleased to know that their daughter, Miss Ruby, has lead all of her classes in the graded schools at the Springs, and was advanced to the 5th grade without having to stand an examination.

Their many Pecos friends are pleased that they are once more residents of Reeves county and trust that they may decide to remain here permanently. They went out to the place Monday.

PECOS WATER USERS ASSOCIATION

Meeting For Purpose of Formulating Plans For Harmony Among Land Owners.

Great enthusiasm was manifested by those who attended a meeting of the Pecos Valley of Texas Water Users Association at Fort Stockton, May 27. About 40 representatives and attorneys of the companies, representatives of the land owners, and many land owners on the river.

The meeting was called to order by the president of the Association, W. A. Hudson, of Pecos, Texas, and the secretary was asked to state the purpose of the meeting, which was as follows:

That discussion be had as to the feasibility of the continuance of the pending litigation as between the different companies and land owners, until such time as investigation could be made by the Federal Government or others with authority to make such investigations, as would look to the conservation of the water supply, the working out of a feasible plan for the construction of sufficient storage facilities so that all the water might be conserved, and the rights to the water within each project investigated, and a plan laid after all of this information was obtained that would lead to a settlement of all differences.

Knowing that to accomplish the object for which the Association is working that some amendments will be necessary to the present Texas Reclamation Act to allow for the formation of a Board for the control of the River as a whole, discussion as to the best means to accomplish this was to be considered.

After considerable discussion on the first subject it was finally left with the attorneys representing the different companies and land owners to work out some plan that would have the solution of these differences in view and a possible plan for their final solution, whereby a verdict agreeable to all could finally be had.

Looking to needed legislation in order to accomplish the object in view, a committee was appointed on legislation, composed of attorneys of the different land owners, together with the secretary of the Association as a member, to look into amendments needed, and have them ready to present to the next legislature in January for passage; and such other legislation as may be in the interest of the Association, for consideration.

Further motion was made that it was the sense of those present that the formation of the different projects into State Reclamation Districts be pushed as rapidly as possible, carried, and all of the districts reported that steps were being taken, and that in some of them surveys had actually been made.

A great deal of discussion was had as to the necessity of the steps being taken, all present agreeing that a condition of chaos had existed for at least twenty years, in which time nothing had been accomplished and that by the cooperation of all of those projects interested, all would be benefited, and that the alleged differences existing were of such a nature that by conserving all of the water for the benefit of all, it became a business matter between business men that an agreement be reached.

When these things for which work is now being done has been accomplished, there is no part of Texas that will develop so rapidly or will induce so high an interest in land investments as will the lands in the Pecos Valley, for with a reasonable water supply their productivity is greater than any other in Texas.

COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS

Additional Road Work Let.—Tax Rolls Examined.—Tax For Funds Fixed.

The Commissioners' Court of Reeves County met last week, all officers of the body being present.

Many bids for additional work on the roads in District No. 1, were received, ranging from 11 to 15 cents for the excavating and grading from station "E" to North Pecos, a handling of approximately, 2675.3 cubic yards, and after due examination of same Clayton and Landrum were awarded the contract at 11 cents, the low bid.

Many accounts against the District were examined, approved and allowed at this session, after which they adjourned, to meet Monday, May 29.

At this session the Court transacted considerable business, all of the members of the court being present.

The report of Tom Harrison, as Tax collector, in regard to the different tax rolls was presented, the same thoroughly examined and approved. The amounts being charged to the different classes.

The tax rolls were presented to the court by Assessor, W. W. Camp, and the commissioners, after carefully going over each rendition, raised or lowered about 125 of them.

The following is the tax levy made by the court for the different funds:

Reeves County.

General County	15c
Jury Fund	05c
Road and Bridge	No levy
Bridge No. 2	No levy
Jail warrants	01c
Road District No. 1	20c
Road District No. 3	10c
County poll	25c
School Dist. No. 2 Main	25c
School Dist. No. 2 Bond	15c
School Dist. No. 3 Main	20c
School Dist. No. 4 Main	20c
School Dist. No. 4, Bond	None
School Dist. No. 4, Bd 2	9 1/2c
School Dist. No. 5 Main	20c
County Common School	25c

Loving County.

Special	12 1/2c
General County	10c
Jury Fund	05c
Road and Bridge	12 1/2c
Poll Tax	25c

No further business appearing the court adjourned to meet Monday, June 12, and on Tuesday the 13, will sit as a Final Board of Equalization.

Work On Bandstand Started.

The work on the bandstand was started yesterday by E. B. Kiser and a corps of assistants.

The first move was to make cement forms that will raise the columns about five and one-half feet, clearing the spray in the center, and upon these will be laid 2x6 timbers to support the flooring of the stand. A railing will be placed around this and over all will be a roof of tin, sloping.

The best feature of the entire structure will be a flag pole through the center, about 40 feet high from which Old Glory will wave.

The idea is to make the structure a thing of beauty, and its use will not be restricted to the band concerts, but will be used for public addresses and on other occasions that demand its use.

The floor proper will be about ten feet from the ground.

Miss Mav Coltraine who has been visiting Mrs. Will Evans at the Rainbow Ranch, is visiting for a few days with Mrs. E. L. Collins, before going on to her home at San Antonio.

J. R. Howerton of Abilene, was here visiting his niece, Mrs. Ralph Williams, and also transacted business the past week.

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We Appreciate Your Business
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PHONE NO. 7

Graduating Exercises.

A beautiful invitation comes from Pecos, Texas, to the graduating exercises of the Pecos High School on Friday evening, May 19. The class roll of 15 has a dear, familiar name in the list of graduates—Miss Marion Looby, the lovely young daughter of Mrs. Mattie Wallace Looby, so well and delightfully remembered in the city of Shreveport, the home of her beautiful, brilliant girlhood. Congratulations are extended the fair young girl.—The Caucasian (Shreveport, La.)

Mrs. Looby and her interesting family are charming factors in the social life of Pecos, and contribute in numbers of delightful ways to the pleasure and happiness of their many friends, who are indeed gratified to know that they are so kindly remembered in their former home. Miss Marion Looby closed her days of school life in Pecos by graduating with honors from the High School, and will be warmly welcomed into the social life of the younger set.

Will See Son Graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hudson will leave Saturday for Abilene, to be present at the commencement exercises of Simmons College, which will be held Tuesday, June 6th.

These proud parents have "armed" themselves for the occasion from the magnificent stock of the Brady-Camp Jewelry Company—W. D. with a \$450 diamond shirt stud, and Mrs. Hudson with a \$360 diamond ring—to present to W. D. Jr., better known to us as "Willie", as tokens of appreciation of the splendid work at the school. His sister, Mrs. Della Lewis, sends him a sliver belt buckle.

Willie graduates from this, one of the first-class colleges of Texas, with full honors in every department, and it is no wonder that his parents, relatives and many friends are proud of him, and of his progress.

Willie is a Pecos boy, having been born and raised here, and is now in his twentieth year.

P. V. S. Depot Moved.

Our genial friend, Harry F. Woods, the trusted agent for the Pecos Valley Southern Ry. at Pecos tells us that the depot of the company has moved, though, he added, quite informally. The thus of it is that when backing a train the other day, they bumped into aforesaid structure, knocked it off the blocks and moved it several feet closer the Pecos River than formerly. Harry says that all things work out well in the end, and that he now has a beautiful view of the entire alley as he daily labors in front of the magnificent bay window of the office.

J. O. KING DEAD

Sad news was received here Wednesday morning of Oscar King, who for some has been confined in a sanitarium at Fort Worth, had died there that morning.

A later message stated that the remains would leave Fort Worth Thursday morning, for interment at Midland, his old home, where burial services will be conducted this morning at 9:30, and the remains laid to rest in the Midland cemetery.

Mrs. Monroe Kerr, a sister, and Judge Jas. F. Ross left for Midland Wednesday afternoon to arrange for the funeral there. Ollie King, a brother, and Monroe Kerr left Thursday morning to attend the services.

We understand that the following from Pecos will attend the last sad rites: J. G. Love, who left for Midland yesterday H. F. Woods, O. F. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Oram Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Runnels, Mrs. Ralph Williams, Judge E. C. Canon, W. W. Camp, and L. W. Anderson, who left on the early train this morning.

Out of respect to the wife of deceased, who is the clerk of Reeves County, the office of that department will remain closed today.

Mrs. R. M. Huges of Texas City, and Jess Woods, of Henrietta, met their sister, Mrs. King, at Fort Worth, and will accompany her to Midland.

A complete obituary at this time is impossible, as all relatives had so much to do and such short notice, we could not secure this information.

Mr. King's death was rather expected, but this in no way mitigated the sorrow to his loved ones, with whom we extend heartfelt sympathy.

Adams - Brown.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Brown, at Fort Stockton, Wednesday morning, May 31, 1916, at 4:56 o'clock, Mr. J. W. Adams, of Carlsbad, N. M. and Miss Blossom Brown.

They left in the afternoon, via auto, for Carlsbad, where they will make their future home.

The bride formerly lived in Pecos for several years during her girlhood days, and is well and most favorably known by the major portion of our citizens as a young lady of very charming characteristics and was accomplished in many ways.

We have not the pleasure of the groom's acquaintance, but feel sure that Miss Blossom has chosen wisely, and congratulate him in his choice.

The Times most heartily joins in extending congratulations to this couple and wishes them their just appreciation of the good things of life and may they be happy and prosperous.

Larger Deposits May Be Made At the P. O.

A News Bulletin issued by the Post Office Department of the United States states that larger postal savings will now be accepted at the post office. This is made possible by an important amendment to the Postal Savings Act just approved by President Wilson. A postal savings depositor may now have an account to the amount of \$1,000 upon which interest will be paid. Formerly \$500 was the maximum amount he could have to his credit. This enlargement of postal saving facilities will be very ratifying to thousands of depositors who have already reached the old \$500 limit and are anxious to entrust more of their savings to Uncle Sam. Another feature of the amendment that will be the means of avoiding further embarrassment to the public and to postal officials is the doing away with the limit on the amount that could be accepted from the depositor monthly. Under the old law only \$100 could be deposited in a calendar month. The amendment abolishes this restriction. While the Postal Savings system has already proved a signal success as is shown by the fact that more than half a million depositors have over \$80,000,000 standing to the credit, still it has fallen short of meeting the full demands of the public because of the restrictions which have now been eliminated. Postmaster General Burleson and Third Assistant Postmaster General Dockery, have been tireless in their efforts to secure a modification of the limitations and the new liberalizing legislation is particularly gratifying to them.

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa churches, a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him, and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventative and a cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.—Advt.

Railroads.

Texas has more railroad mileage than any state in the Union. We now have 15,000 miles of main line of railroads. The first railroad built in Texas was in 1851. To encourage railroad construction the State of Texas gave away 36 million acres of land in the pioneer days as a subsidy for the building of 6000 miles of road. We have 563 miles of railroad to each 100 square miles of territory. Texas has 37 miles of railway track to every 10,000 inhabitants.—Texas Facts

Indiana Man's Experience.

Frank Moseley, of Moore's Hill, Ind., writes: "I was troubled with almost constant pains in my sides and back. Great relief was apparent after the first dose of Foley Kidney Pills and in 48 hours all pain left me." Foley Kidney Pills make kidneys active and healthful and stop sleep-disturbing bladder ailments. Is for sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Advt.

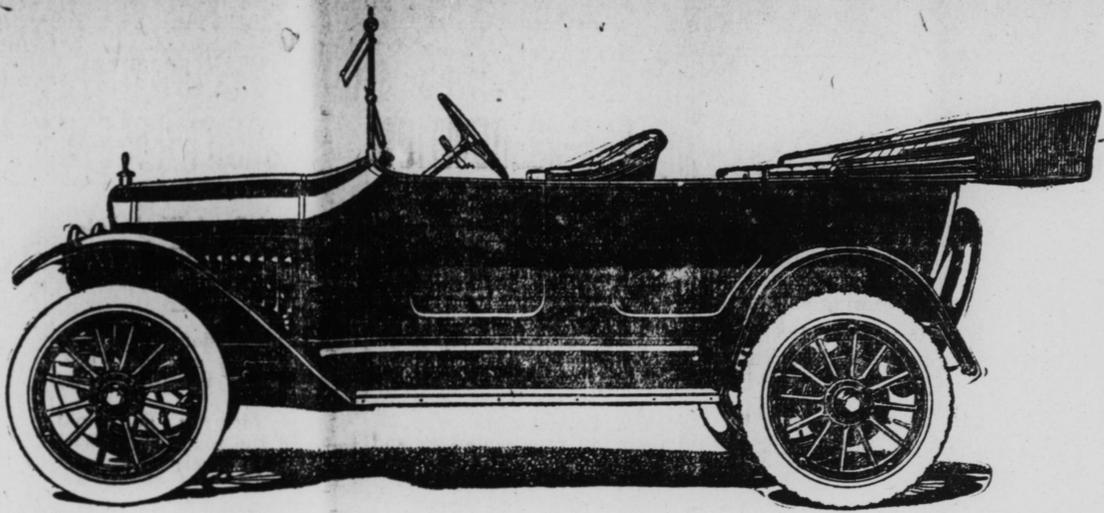
Cows Are Being Shinneried.

J. S. Howe, who lives near Kermit, in Winkler County, was transacting business in Pecos Monday and Tuesday.

In conversation with Mr. Howe, he informed us that he and Will Priest had lost eleven head of cows by being shinneried. Others were losing some but not so many in proportion to their herd.

Otherwise he says that everything over there is in pretty good condition, but that a good old-time soaker would be very appreciable. He returned home on No. 6 Tuesday afternoon.

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Low First-Cost

Fourth, because you get everything in a Maxwell that you can get in any car and you get it for less money.

The answer to this is that the Maxwell is a light car and it is built in enormous quantities. The Maxwell Co. is one of the three largest producers of high grade motor cars in the world.

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General Information.

The commercial value of all Texas property is \$5,777,625,000. Texas has seven and two-tenths per cent of the entire land area of the United States. The annual investment of foreign capital in the State of Texas is \$226,484,000. Texas has one-half of 1 per cent of the land area in the world. Texas spends \$150,000,000 on construction projects annually. The annual

gross income of Texas is one billion dollars. It's farther around the State of Texas than it is from New York to Liverpool. Texas ranks first with other states in land area. Galveston was the first city in the United States to adopt the Commission Form of municipal government. The Austin dam is the largest dam across a running stream in the United States. Texas has a frog farm, a snake hatchery and a pole cat farm.—Texas Facts.

The Extension of the A. & M. College has issued a new bulletin on Grading and also Packing of Peaches which will be sent free on application to the Director of Extension at College Station, Texas.

The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak
Old people who are feeble, and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the depressing heat of summer by taking regularly Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

How to Get Rid of a Cold

Read how C. E. Summers of Holridge, Neb., got rid of his cold: "I contracted a severe cold and cough and I could hardly sleep. By using Foley's Honey and Tar as directed my cough was entirely cured and I give it full credit for my speedy recovery." Foley's always soothes and heals. Children love it. For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Advt.

Fire Waste.

The most startling fact in the fire waste problem in the State of Texas is that 75 per cent of it is preventable. That is to say that 75 per cent of the destruction and loss is due to fires originating in, or that are promoted by unnecessary and inexcusable conditions. Both experience and statistics combine in furnishing irrefragable proof as to the quantity of fire waste that is preventable. Notwithstanding the fact that

so much of it is preventable, and that the people as a whole are paying the bill, the attitude of the average citizen toward fire prevention is one of apathy and indifference. You may call the attention of the every-day business man to ordinary fire hazards that menace his property and the answer will, in the majority of instances come: "Why, I am insured against loss by fire." The fact that "Jones pays the freight" is lost sight of.—T. F. Baker, Chief Inspector State Fire Insurance Commission.

—In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach; wind colic, diarrhoea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Price, 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by City Pharmacy.—Advt.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are hereby authorized to announce the following named candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held in July 1916.

For Representative 120th Dis.
E. R. Bryan.
Midland, (Re-election).

For District Attorney:
Clay Cooke, Pecos.
T. T. Garrard, of Midland,
(Re-election).

For County Judge.
Jas. F. Ross.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
Tom Harrison (Re-election).
E. B. Kiser.

For Tax Assessor:
W. W. Camp (Re-election).
J. W. B. Williams.
A. B. Cooksey.

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. M. Middleton (Re-election).

For County and District Clerk:
Miss Minnie Vickers.
Sully Vaughan.
E. G. (Ed) Doty.
E. R. Patterson.

For County Attorney:
J. A. Drane (Re-election).

For Commissioner Pre't No. 1.
Julius Eisenwine.

The speech by Judge Blanton last Saturday was all to the good as far as noted. But one phase that strikes us forcibly is that all he promises to do is being done, or attempted by the present incumbent, Hon. W. R. Smith.

The big conventions are getting in shape. The steam rollers are being overhauled and greased. From the looks of things and the turn they have taken the Democratic machine has already been pressed into service with William Jennings Bryan as the goat underneath.

Another attempt was made to assassinate T. R. The weapon used on this occasion was a wooden handled pocket knife hurled at him while driving in the streets of Kansas City. The nature of the weapon used bars the upper class from suspicion. It certainly would have been an ignominious death for so shining a life—stabbed to death with a common barlow.

All Washington was agog on the arrival of the Carranza courier with a supposed ultimatum. Imagine the shock when he explained his presence there was merely a matter of a vacation trip. In our mind's eye we can see the smile that split this oily gentleman's countenance when he sprang his little joke.

The only difference between the negotiations with Mexico and those with England and Germany is that the former are verbal, while the latter are in the form of notes—written. The results, however, are about a whatness—don't seem to get anywhere.

When you think of war, remember the fly. There should be no truce, even temporarily, in dealing with this menace to life and health. If you are too trifling to swat them yourself, buy the kids a swatter each, offer them a reward for each spoonful, cupful, bucketful or tubful they bring in. Make it liberal and remember it is a good deal cheaper than medi-

cine. Don't overlook, however, their breeding places.

It has been our policy in the past, and is now, to refrain from mention of the races for county offices; the rule however is not binding, we may break out any time should the public good demand it; what we wish to say is, that it's going to be a pretty warm race in some parts after all.

We wish to call the attention of those who are contemplating a vacation this summer to the fact that **The Times** will follow you and keep you thoroughly and accurately posted on all happenings in this section if you will kindly let us know just where you wish it sent, giving at least one week's notice when contemplating a move. We'll be glad to do it.

The big picnic in which the forces of the different Sunday school classes were to consolidate and hie to the lake near Toyahvale, has we have been informed, fallen through. We are glad of this. Oh, no, we are not the ones to take the joy out of life; not at all. But, certain suspicion is cast upon the Mexican population of the towns in this vicinity, and they may never in this wide world break out, we contend that should they so desire, an opportunity to work as they pleased and plunder as they wished, would be afforded by taking such a gathering from the town at one time. Preparedness is the siren whistle sounding these days, and we do believe that taking four or five hundred people from Pecos at one fell swoop would be contrary to its doctrine.

The man who tears down what his fellows have builded, and makes no attempt to replace with something better, or as good as that which he destroyed is a detriment to any community.

In a recent issue we published the proceedings of a meeting of the City Council of this city. Mention of a flag pole was made. We certainly hope that even should the proposed plans for the bandstand fall through, the idea of the pole be worked to a finality. Progressiveness should not bar patriotism, and most of us are hungry for the sight of Old Glory waving in the morning's breeze. By all means let's have the pole.

"Moving Day" in Pecos.

This is moving day with several of our people: Mr. Dendy moved yesterday from the Betty White residence into the Penn Morris house out near the school house.

J. V. Hanson and family are busy locating themselves in the Collie Prewit property just west of Grandma Newell's residence into which they have just moved, the same having been repapered and repainted by the owner.

Mrs. W. L. Ross and the children have gone up to their New Mexico ranch where they will spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Landrum will occupy Mrs. Ross' residence during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Alexander who recently purchased the Eely White residence, are having it renovated, repaired and otherwise changing same, and expect to move into same about the 16th of this month.

Badly Injured in El Paso.

Word was received here on Wednesday that A. C. Sanders one of the Well Fargo Express Co's. employees, who runs between El Paso and Big Springs had been seriously injured in El Paso Tuesday.

He was passing along the walk in front of the Elite Confectionery and stepped upon a grating covering a scuttle hole, him into the basement.

Toyah Happenings

By Our Special Correspondent.

Yancy Rosbrough left for El Paso Friday.

Mr. Lynch of San Angelo is in town this week.

Mrs. Gene Scott and family are in Big Springs.

Mrs. W. P. Kershner arrived last week from Baird.

C. W. Crawford and wife were in Pecos last Saturday.

Bud Hobbs is moving his family to their New Mexico ranch.

Mrs. Will Cargill and children are visiting in Roswell, N. M.

F. J. Billingslea has returned from a week's jury service at Pecos.

Quite a crowd of young folks autoed up from Balmorhea last Friday.

The Rook Club meets on Wednesday with Mrs. Dan O'Keefe.

Miss Irene Wells is in El Paso visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry MacTier.

Mrs. Walter Wardsworth and baby are back from a visit to Orla, N. M.

Dan O'Keefe came up from Big Springs Sunday for a visit with his family.

Miss Fannie Arledge is the guest of her uncle, J. O. Arledge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Vaughan are visiting the former's parents at Colorado City.

Mrs. Mac Sayles will leave soon for Abilene to spend the summer with relatives.

Mr. J. H. T. Mitchell is reported seriously ill with a severe attack of pleurisy.

Mrs. Martin, mother of Mrs. Mac Sayles, leaves this week to make her home in Florida.

We are sorry to report that J. R. Chandler has been quite sick for the past few days.

Quite a number of the young people enjoyed an auto ride and serenade Tuesday night.

Mrs. W. M. Robinson has returned from an extended visit to her parents at Big Springs.

Mrs. Porter Fancher and baby, and Miss Edith Henson, left last week on a visit to Seymour.

He was immediately taken to the Hotel Dieu where his injuries were attended to. It was found that the ribs were almost torn loose from the back, and, although very serious, there is every hope for his recovery.

Mrs. Sanders was visiting in the country about 25 miles from Sweetwater when notified and passed through Pecos this morning to the bedside of her husband.

Mr. Sanders is well and favorably known to most of our people having played many games of ball with the White Sox, and all trust that his recovery will be speedy and permanent.

NOTICE.

Commissioners' Court to Meet As a Final Board of Equalization.

The Commissioners' Court of Reeves County, Texas, will convene on Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1916, as a Final Board of Equalization for the purpose of receiving from the Assessor of Taxes of said county all the assessment lists of books for inspection, correction and approval.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Pecos, this 31st day of May, A. D. 1916.

(Seal) WILIE-DE WOODS, Clerk County Court, Reeves County, Texas.

By LILA WILLIAMS, Deputy.

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

The Cattlemen's Trust Co. of Fort Worth, R. D. Gage, President.

Will consider applications for cattle loans and invites correspondence Address P. O. Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas.

Miss Lola and Elise Morton of Eastland are the guests of their brother, W. P. Morton, and family.

Mrs. V. Van Gieson a former resident of Toyah, and a niece, Miss Iva Mae Miller of El Paso, are here visiting Mrs. J. B. Young.

C. E. McMullins, superintendent of the Rio Grande division of the T. & P., passed through Toyah Saturday in an inspection tour of the road.

Leo Sholz of Big Springs spent Sunday with his parents. Leo is a fine, manly young fellow and seldom misses these week-end visits to the folks.

Dug Coalson, J. T. Tooke, Roy Wilkes, Will Collins, J. S. Austen of this place, and Jno. B. Howard of Pecos, leave tomorrow (Thursday) on a fishing trip.

The revival at the Baptist church closed Sunday night. The meeting was a good one, everything considered, and several new members were added to the church.

J. S. Austen, J. E. Jarrell, Joe Duncan, C. W. Crawford, and Tom Roberts spent Saturday on Toyah Creek fishing. Like all good, true, honest fishermen, they report a BIG catch.

Albert Cooksey, candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of this county, was in town Monday shaking hands with his friends and hunting up the voters he is not acquainted with as yet.

Organize a Rifle Club.

The citizens of Toyah, have declared in no uncertain voice for preparedness, by the organization, last Thursday, of a Rifle Club. The idea is a good one and we heartily endorse it. Nearly every city and town adjacent to the Mexican border, or whose population includes a fair percentage of Mexicans. It is merely a precautionary measure.

The following were the officers elected:

C. R. Troxell, president; M. McAlpine, vice president, J. A. Martin, secretary; E. B. Daniel, treasurer.

The executive chairman of the club is Thos. Roberts.

KATY IN GOOSELAND.

Children Entertain in Operetta At the Pecos Theatre Last Thursday Evening.

The children of the city had the stage of the Pecos Theatre all to themselves on last Thursday night. Their ages ranged from 3 to, well, they looked old enough to have beaus; but all concerned acted the part assigned them in a way that reflected credit on not only themselves, but on the good ladies who patiently trained them in their lines.

The idea was to carry us all back to the days of our youth, by a presentation of the oft told, but never old story of Mother Goose and her quaint and varied families.

The first number was a pantomime, "Little Bobbie Shaftoe." Josephine Rodgers, as Bobby; Beatrice Sims, as Marie and Wylie Sue Cole as the sympathizing friend. As Mrs. Belton Short read this beautiful little story, the three young ladies acted the story: A happy twain; a quarrel: beauty in distress; the friend in need, but whose efforts to heal the aching heart of Marie were in vain, for Bobby; and not sympathy is what she craved. The story, like all stories should, ends story, like it should, ends, other's arms. Generous and well earned applause greeted the young ladies at the close.

The next number was an interpretation of the quaint Spanish fandango, by Frances Hubbard. Gracefully she went through her steps to the musical rhythm of the tambourine. She was encored and responded in company with Dorisse Jones, both young ladies going through a maze of side steps, in a dance the name of which we are unfamiliar with.

The next offering was a violin duet by Miss Julia Davis and one of her pupils. This number was thoroughly enjoyed, and, in addition, showed to advantage the fruits of the training of this popular young lady. Ira Morris, who played with her, done creditable work for the short time he has been studying.

An instrumental solo, "The Old Kentucky Home" with variations, on the baritone was the next offering, and was favorably received. The piano accompaniment, by Haldane McChesney add to the harmony of this much loved song.

Then began the performance proper, the scene opening up in Fairyland. Each of the indelibly imprinted characters

was recognized and roundly applauded on their entrance. There was Jack Horner, with his pie in which he had worn a large hole by his incessant fishing after plums. Simple Simon had all the implements for a week's stay on the Pecos, but his small supply of gray matter wouldn't let him wander farther than his mother's water pail; he seemed to be enjoying himself at that.

Jack Spratt, Mrs. Spratt, the Old Woman who lived in a shoe with her forty-eleven children, Bopeep, Little Boy Blue, the Crooked Man, Contrary Mary, with here garden of pretty little maids all in a row. The Milk Maid who flirted, Miss Muffett, Majorie Daw, King Cole and his Jester, and the Wise Man of Gotham. Nor did we miss the wise old Owl, the proud Frog, the greedy Pir, nor the sweet Pussy Cat. A delineation of each character would take too long, there were so many, but each part was duly taken care of by the child to whom the task was entrusted.

Oh, Yes, Mother Goose was there as big as life, in the person of Miss Corrine Miller, who looked the part in a perfect dress and make-up. We had a vague idea that this good old lady was somewhat of a shrew, who ruled her kingdom with scowls and the north end of a broomstick; but not so, she is quite lovable, and amiability and diplomacy seems to be the chief weapons resorted to in making Gooseland worth the living.

Miss Alice Hankins in the star role, Katy, undoubtedly made the bit of the evening. This young Miss had wonderful control of her expression, registering wonder, fear, joy and amusement at these funny people at will. Her Brer Rabbit tale, told to amuse the Shoe Family, was rendered with an effect that would do credit to an experienced reader. We predict a bright future for this young lady.

The play was under the management and direction of Mrs. Belton Short, assisted by the good women of the Presbyterian church, the proceeds of the evening going to that church. The good women feel amply repaid for their labors by the receipts therefrom, and we are sure that those who witnessed this performance were more than repaid for the time and money.

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ORIENT HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Thursday, May 25.

H A Bly, Sargent. Max Mayer, El Paso. Gage Van Horn, Toyah. W C Glover, Cincinnati. J F Ross, C A M Pitts, City. M C Stewart, Y R Allen, rlsbad.

H E Moore, Grandfalls. J Y Player, Jr, San Antonio. E George, Lovington, N M.

Friday, May 26.

W A Doyle, Doyle City, Tex. Vic Carolson, Doyle City. E J Russell, Dallas. Will Crow and family, Da- Mountains. R E Chichester, Chicago. R H Metzger, Fort Stockton. F M Hunt, Kansas City, Mo. A V Smith, Dallas. T F Denman and wife, Hous- W C Welborn Flowing Wells anch.

Saturday, May 27.

Dr. A. Aronson, El Paso. J F Albright, Midland. Thomas L. Blanton, Abilene. R L Prizes, Sapulpa, Okla. L A Bland, Kansas City, Mo. C J Shelly, San Antonio. Sunday, May 28. R C Williams, Ft. Davis. F J Nelson, Santa Barbara, California. Louis Cohen, Austin. Mrs. Y R Allen, Carlsbad. Hugo Hoevel, Fort Worth. Dr W W Lynch, Midland. D L Ray, El Paso.

Monday, May 29.

cant. W W Dean, Columbus. Walter Goode, Alpine. L Albright and family, Nell Thomas, and Blanche Burns, an Marcos, Texas. Mrs. F H Curry, Balmorhea. Mrs W D Allison, Roswell. E F Gossett, El Paso. J V Hamilton, Abilene.

Tuesday, May 30.

Miss Sadie Cheatham, Carls- bad. Will Scott, El Paso. Wade Hampton, Waco. Dr E F Stewart, Ft. Worth. M W Abell, and U O Whaley St. Louis. J I Carson, Dallas. P B Rodgers, Fort Worth. P W Stephens, El Paso. Mrs. E G Lastinger and daughter, Monterey, Mexico. Mrs F M Sharp, Balmorhea.

Wednesday, May 31.

J A Queen, San Angelo. Wiley Franklin, El Paso. M Roca and wife, T r Stockton. Alvin Pooney, Fort Stockton L E Gillette, El Paso. Villa Stone, El Paso. R J Murphy, Albuquerque. Frank Camp, Dallas. Theo Andrews, Toyah. W M Saylor, Big Springs. Ralph Williams and wife, City. A S Hawkins, Phoenix, Ariz. W N Spence, El Paso. Al Popham, Saragosa. L W Adams and wife, Carls- bad, N M.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Church of Christ.

All the usual services next Lord's day. Bible school 10 a. m. Preaching and Commu- nion at 11 a. m. Christian En- deavor at 7:45 p. m. Preach- ing at 8:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to these services.

Homer. L. Magee.

The Baptist Church.

Weeks meeting at Toyah closed with 5 additions to the Baptist church. The church gave \$120 to Associational Mis- sions Sunday night.

Preaching services at the usual hours Sunday. Every- body is invited to worship with us. The gentlemen may leave off their coats.

All services of the week just as usual.

G. O. Key.

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching services on 1st and 3rd Sundays in each month morning and evening, at the usual hours.

Sunday School every Sun- day morning.

Prayer meeting on Wednes- day evenings.

R. M. Hammock, Pasor.

Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and at 8:30 p. m.

Junior Missionary Society meets at 4 p. m. Young People's Society will meet at 7:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

All are cordially invited to attend these services. Strang- ers welcome.

James H. Walker, Pastor.

They Pay Promptly.

At a regular sesion of the Chamber of Commerce of Paris Texas, held on the 12th day of May, 1916, the following resolu- tions were adopted:

Whereas the Commonwealth Fire Insurance Company, the Austin Insurance Company, of Dallas, Texas—"The Texas Companies"—were among the first to promptly adjust their Paris fire losses resulting from the fire of March 21-22, paying same on the ground in cash without discount, be it Resolved, That the Chamber of Commerce of Paris, Texas, attests their high character and Method of meeting their obligations, and heartily com- mends them to the confidence and loyal support of Texas property owners.

W. A. COLLINS, Vice President.

A. W. NEVILLE, Secretary.

Mr. E. L. Collins, Agent, Pecos, Texas. Dear Sir:

I wish to express my appreci- ation of the way in which the Commonwealth Fire Insurance Co., Dallas, Texas, attended to the losses which I sustained a short time ago. There was no trouble in the least; courteous treatment, and complete settle- ment within twenty-three days after the fire. I shall, of course, carry insurance on any other property I have with this company.

MRS. JO CAMP,

The above is a sample of what our companies are doing and are willing to do for you should the occasion require.

E. L. COLLINGS, Ag't. (Advt)

Live Agent Wanted.

We want a live agent in this county to sell the Famous Ford Farm Tractor. Write quick. Ford Tractor Sales Co., 600 Elm Street, Dallas, Tex. 22*

Eph Conger of Saragosa and Dr. J. H. Wolverton of Bal- morhea, were Pecos visitors yesterday. Mr. Conger in- formed us that Mrs. Conger, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is im- proving nicely, which is good news to the many friends in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frame re- turned home Tuesday from a few days visit with relatives in Monahans.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Entertain Merry Wives.

Mrs. E. L. Collings was the hostess to the Merry Wives on last Wednesday afternoon, at four o'clock. The roll call of members was answered with current events. The program for the afternoon was a review of the Revolutionary Period. The Round Table talk was lead by the hostess: "My Favorite Writer of the Revolutionary Period and What He Added to American Literature." This was the last meeting of the club until September 6th.

Mrs. S. E. Eberstadt Entertains.

Mrs. S. E. Eberstadt entertained very delightfully on last Friday evening at 8 o'clock, when she acted as hostess to the Auction Bridge Club, and a number of invited guests. At the conclusion of the game, Mrs. Roy Barr held the high score. Throughout the evening a most refreshing course ing refreshments were served, and after the game a tempting pineapple sherbert and cake course was served. The af- fair was one of the most pleas- ant meetings the club has en- joyed, and Mrs. Eberstadt proved herself a most charm- ing hostess. The guests on this occasion were: Mrs. C. F. Carter, of Houston, Mrs. J. T. H. Lipscomb, Mrs. J. W. Moore and Mrs. Fred Snyder. The club members present were: Mrs. Weyer, Mrs. Cap Wilson, Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, Mrs. Hankins, Mrs. F. C. Rarey, Mrs. Monroe Kerr, Miss Leota Beau- champ, Mrs. Roy Barr, and the hostess.

Girls' Club Organized.

About fifteen girls of the Christian Bible School have or- ganized a club which has for its motto: "We Mean Busi- ness." he club is to meet semi- monthly—one meeting to be devoted to business, the other purely social. The whole will work to and for the interest of the Christian Bible school. The name selected for this club is "Berean." The officers are: Miss Carrie Glover, president Irene Prewit, vice-president; Annie Wright, secretary; Mar- guerite Glasscock, treasurer. The first meeting of the Bereans was last Thursday after- noon at the pretty home of Miss Irene Prewit. The meeting was social in its nature, the guests having brought their crochet, embroidery and other needle- work along, and spent a most pleasant afternoon. At 5:30 Lucile Prewit, young sister of the hostess served refreshing grape juice sherbert and cake. Those present were: Misses Carrie Glover, Annie Wright, Marguerite Glasscock, Julia Magee, Anna Belle Watson, Betty Watson, Eula Mae Col- well, and Irene Prewit.

Baptist Classes Entertained

Last Friday evening the two Bible classes of the Pecos Baptist church met at the beau- tiful home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnson, in the southwest part of the city, with Mrs. F. W. Johnson, Mrs. H. H. John- son and Mrs. L. E. Alexander as hostesses.

Each guest was asked to represent the title of some book by a symbol which was pinned on them. After most of the books had been guessed, long sticks of chewing gum and white cards with the name of some animal on each were passed and each one was asked to mould the gum into the animal named.

After this, twenty-two pic- tures of advertisements were hung around the room and a blank paper given each of the guests, the idea being to write the names of the advertisers represented by the ads.

The next, and possibly the most enjoyed feature of the evening, was the delicious nut cream and exquisite angel food cake, which was served in un- limited quantities. Lemon punch was served throughout the evening.

Mrs. Avery, of San Angelo, who is here visiting her par- ents, Rev. and Mrs. G. O. Key, was the guest of the evening.

We are putting it mildly in saying that all, when taking

leave of their hostesses, said that they most certainly had the best time ever.

Presbyterians Enjoy Picnic.

The children and grown ups of the Presbyterian church and Sunday school were requested to meet last Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the church wit' baskets well-filled with good things to eat. At the appointed time the crowd had all assembled and all were eager to start for the Charske place. On the arrival of the picnickers, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Charske in their usual hospitable manner, greeted the crowd and had great bowls of ice cold lemon- ade prepared which was at the disposal of all who cared to in- dulge. The children especial- ly, had great times, romping and playing with the pet ani- mals. It was considered by all to be a great treat to be at this ideal country home. When supper was spread all were ready to partake of the bounti- ful feast. It was with reluctan- ce that the crowd departed for home, all saying that a great time they had had, and hoped next year to have the Sunday school picnic at the usual place.

Charley Dodson, Ross and Tom Carr, and C. H. Leffing- well, all of Barstow, were in Pecos transacting business on Wednesday of this week. The latter made The Times office a pleasant call and left an ad- vertisement for some of those justly famous Barstow Alberta peaches which he has canned. See his ad in another column of this issue.

Miss Gladys Vawter, who since last September has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Williams, and attending the Pecos school, left Monday for Somerton, Ariz., to spend the summer with the home folks, but expects to return in time to attend the school here. She will be greatly missed by her many young Pecos friends.

Burch Carson, County Judge of Ward County, was in Pecos Tuesday securing deeds of lands through which the water system pipes are to be laid. He said that the man at the head of the svstem would be there Wednesday to get everything in readiness to commence work in about a week or ten days. May they have the very best of luck is our wish.

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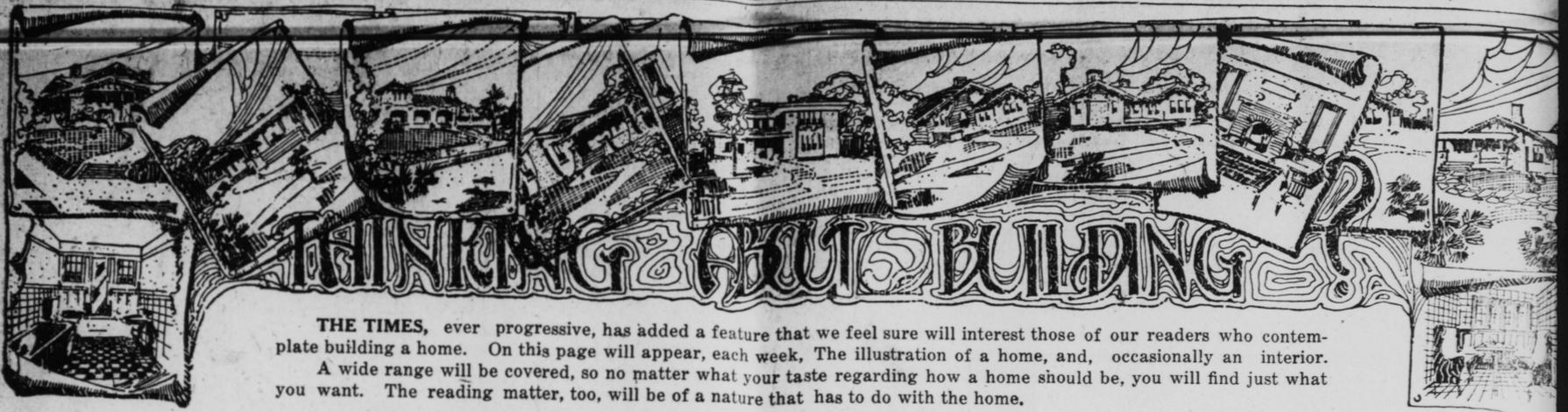
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Bob Baker, wife and child- ren left this morning for their home in Saragosa. Mrs. John Baker, and son, Harrison, ac- companied them for a short visit. Mrs. S. T. Montgomery and son, Kenneth, of Waco, Mrs. W. R. Yeary, baby and daugh- ter, Margaret, from Farmers- ville, arrived last week for several weeks visit with their par- ents, Rev. and Mrs. G. O. Key. J. F. Green, traveling audi- tor for the Texas & Pacific Railway, was in Pecos Wednes- day checking in our local agent Jim Frame. Jim has been up in Nex Mexico on a pleasure trip. Some "Now's". "Now" is the time. "Now" does the work. "Now" protects you. "Now" gets the money. "Now" are the Fire Insur- ance policies written by Lewis E. Alexander, agent. Phone 282. 22tf

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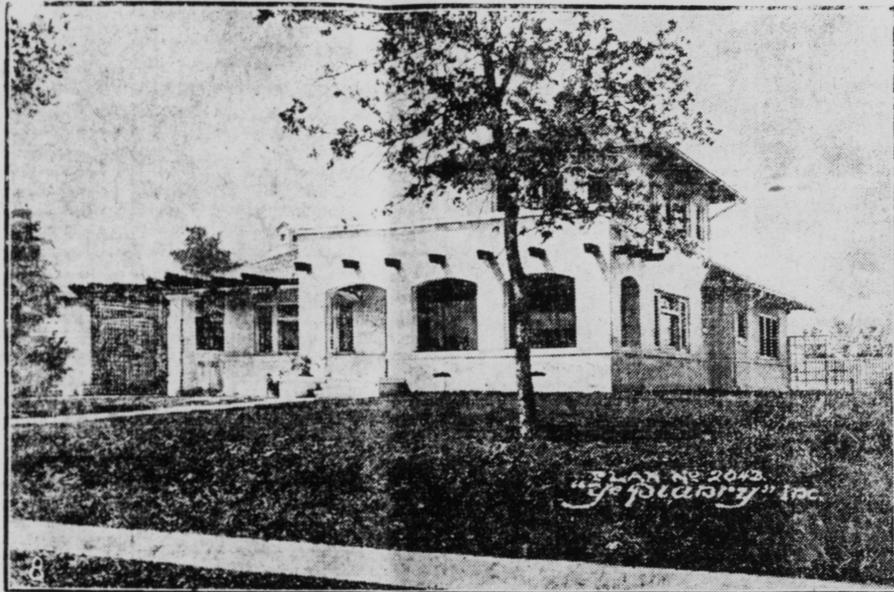
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THE TIMES, ever progressive, has added a feature that we feel sure will interest those of our readers who contemplate building a home. On this page will appear, each week, The illustration of a home, and, occasionally an interior. A wide range will be covered, so no matter what your taste regarding how a home should be, you will find just what you want. The reading matter, too, will be of a nature that has to do with the home.

Plan No. 2943.

This illustration conveys a typical mission design, very popular, most modern and convenient, and at the same time, inexpensive. The construction is of tile with stucco exterior, waterproofed. The roof is of Spanish green tile. The large, spacious front porch is a special feature and connected with pergola porch and drive. You enter the house directly into a large reception hall. On the one side is a large living room with tile fireplace and book cases and a cased opening separates this room from the dining room; both of these are finished alike with hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, continuous head casings and in the dining room is the built-in buffet and china cabinets, window seats, plate shelf, etc.; a double acting door separates this room from the kitchen and



Mission Style Bungalow.

here every modern, labor-saving device and convenience designed to be built right the walls in a most efficient manner. Back of the kitchen is a screen porch with closet for brooms etc., and stairs leading to the basement. Just the right of the kitchen is breakfast room with china cabinet and plate shelves. On opposite side of the house the two bed rooms with closets for each, and bath of the hall all rooms have connection with the bedroom which is included, in addition to the regular plumbing fixtures, cabinets for clean soiled linen and medicine cabinet, with mirror door. The hall stairs lead to sleeping porch above, which has windows on all four sides making it not only a favorite room for sleeping quarters, as a living room during the tire day.

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The tough ends of a bunch of asparagus can be cut off and cooked separately. After cooking them long enough to extract the juice throw the ends away and use the water in which they were cooked in mixing the cream dressing for the asparagus.

For the Busy Housewife.

When sewing if your thread insists on knotting, unthread your needle and thread from the other side.

Save all the materials left over from meals they will do to make side dishes and help out with the lunch.

When making corn meal mush do not thicken it too much or it will be harsh and hard to eat.

Save the scraps of fat meat and bones; they will be handy to quicken a slow fire in the morning.

If muslins are ironed wet, they will be smooth; if ironed dry they will have a rough appearance.

A good sweet sandwich is made of banana cream spread between thin slices of sponge finger cake.

A teaspoonful of baking powder to every four eggs will make an omelet of wondrous lightness.

When warming a steamed pudding put it in a colander and stand it in the steamer. In this way it will make the pudding or cake delightfully light.

When cleaning steel knives use a cork for rubbing on the scouring powder. This will be found much more effectual to obtain best results than a piece of cloth.

When you put up jelly or jam its a good idea to set a glass of each on a "gift" shelf. Then it is always ready to send to a sick neighbor.

When the room is rather dark curtain the windows with yellow Chinese silk.

Blotting paper saturated in turpentine may be placed in the drawers to keep away the moths.

Gardeners should keep their tools in the proper place. They will then waste no time in looking or them.

Wash colored silks in cold water and use a moderate amount o soap. Do not rub the soap directly on the fabric.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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Cotton Classifications.

A bill authorizing the secretary of agriculture to establish uniform standards of cotton classification for the enforcement in interstate and foreign commerce and to prevent deception in those standards, has been favorably reported to the house by the agricultural committee.

"The bill," says the report, "is a companion measure to the grain grades standardization bill just passed as an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill. It is intended for the benefit of cotton producers and others who deal directly in spot cotton."

—All kinds of feed at Green's Grocery. Get our prices.

There is no longer living any one of the crew of the Confederate ironclad Merrimack, that fought the famous battle with the Monitor, of the Union navy in Hampton Roads, Va., in the year 1862. The last surviving member, John McGuire, died recently at the age of 79.

—Drink Cheery Tip, the drink that cheers. 5c at Elite Confectionery. 22*4

From an interesting article on the "World's Food Supply," published recently in the National Magazine, it is learned that, although less than one-half of its available land is in use, the United States produces one-sixth of the world's entire wheat crop, four-ninths of its corn, one-fourth of its oats, one-tenth of its cattle, one-third of its hogs, and one-half of its sheep.

—If you awnt to pay cash, get our prices. Green's Grocery. Marmalade of Lemon Skins.

When lemon juice is used and the skins not used, they can be turned to a good use. Put them into a saucapan of water and boil them until very tender. If the water boils away add enough to just cover the lemons. Press through a colander, and to every cupfull add one of granulated sugar; boil again until the marmalade will set in the glasses.

This method saves the tedious cutting up of the skins and where there are children will often take the place of butter.

—The weather is very warm now and you should have one of those "No Work" Freezers. Vickers & Collings. 22-2

Cream Soups.

Cream Soups made with a basis of the summer vegetables are so palatable and wholesome that they are one of the very best additions to the late spring menus. Fortunately if one knows how to prepare them they are inexpensive, and this is especially true when asparagus is used as the foundation. Save the water in which the vegetables are cooked and after washing the lower part of the stalks which have probably been cut away from the vegetable when it was prepared for boiling, add these to the liquor with a sprig of parsley, a slice of white onion and additional seasoning if required.

Cook down to about one pint and when the stalks are very tender press through a puree sieve. Add to a pint of scalded milk that has been thickened to a paste with cold water, add one tablespoonful of butter and reheat. Just previous to serving stir in a few of the cooked tips.

Other vegetable soups may be made in the same manner and with the aid of harmless vegetable dyes (that may be purchased at the druggist's) delicately tinted cream of beet lettuce, spinach, carrot, and onions, are all possible.

Every particle of the water in which vegetables is cooked should be saved for this purpose and if a cream soup is not desired add to it a soup stock and note the delicious flavor it imparts.

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- Polytechnic College to H M Carl et al. lot 4 blk 9 sec 266 blk 13. H&GN \$200
Polytechnic College to H M Carl et al. all of blk 7, sec 256, blk 13 H&GN 1600
Polytechnic College to H M Carl et al. lots 7 and 8, blk 6, sec 271, blk 13 H&GN Ry Co. \$400
Chas A Burbank et ux to H M Carl blks 1, 7, 8, sec 255, blk 13 H&GN \$5
Mrs Nora S Lucky et vir to A L Brown, sec 17 blk C15 P S. Deed. \$1
Jno Hibdon to W D Cowan, sec 32, blk 56 tsp 7 T&P Lease.
C M Honaker et ux to H C Miller NW 1-4 of NW 1-4; E 1-2 of NW 1-4; W 1-2 of N E 1-4; SE 1-4 of NE 1-4 sec 129 and NE 1-4 of SE 1-4 of sec 116, blk 13 H & G N. Deed of trust \$4977.37
R A Cox et al to Sid Kyle sec 2, 4, 10, 12, 14, 16, 22, 24, 26, 28, 34, 36, 38, 40, in blk 56 tsp 1, T&P \$17920.00
R N Couch to T R Collett as trustee N 1-2 Hotel Block in Pecos D of T \$2008.10
C R Troxell E 3-4 sec 7, blk 59 PS. Gas and Oil application.
C R Troxell N 1-4 sec 8, blk 59 PS. Gas and Oil application.
C R Troxell S 1-2 blk 5 sec 59; S 1-2 sec 4, blk 59, P S. Oil and Gas application.
J A Martin Jr. all sec 9 blk 59; S 1-2 sec 3, blk 59; N 1-2 sec 10 blk 59. PS. Oil and Gas application.
O H Beauchamp receiver to L C Morrison tract 1, div 8, sec 46 blk 57, tsp 8 T&P; City add lot \$170
C B Harbert et ux to G W Norman SE 1-4 of NW 1-4 of N E 1-4 of NE 1-4 sec 44, blk 50 tsp 7, T&P. Deed.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E W Archer, of Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended visit we take it with us." Obtainable everywhere.—Advt.

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The State of Texas,)
To any Sheriff or Constable of Reeves County, Greeting:
J. B. Wright, Guardian of the estate of Mrs. Helen Howard Davis (nee Helen Bessie Howard), Paul Dennis Howard, and Buena May Howard, minors, having filed in the County Court of Reeves county, Texas, his Account of final Settlement of the estate of said Mrs. Helen Howard Davis (nee Helen Bessie Howard), together with an application to be discharged from said guardianship of said minor.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by publication of this writ for at least twenty days in a newspaper printed in the County of Reeves, you give due notice to all persons interested in said estate to appear and contest said Account for Final Settlement and Application, if they see proper, at the July term, A. D. 1916, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in Pecos, Texas, on the second Monday in July, A. D. 1916, at which time said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, But have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and official seal, at my office in Pecos, Texas, this 18th day of April, A. D. 1916.

(Seal) WILLIE-DE WOODS, Clerk County Court, Reeves County, Texas.

By LILA WILLIAMS, Deputy.

Cut This Out—It

Is Worth Money. Don't Miss This. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for bronchial cough, colds, and croup; Foley's Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Advt.

Members of the Woman's Club of West Chicago, Ill., have voted to discontinue the wearing of feathers in their hats or bonnets. They have also decided to work for the protection of birds. Prizes of one to ten dollars have been offered to boys in a contest of the building of bird houses.

Making the Most of June.

To enjoy the very beautiful month of June to the utmost, one must be in good health. Kidneys failing to work properly causes aches and pains, rheumatism, lumbago, soreness, stiffness. Foley Kidney Pills make kidneys active and healthy and banish suffering and misery. Why not feel fine and fit? Be well! Be strong! For sale by Pecos Drug Co.—Advt.

Better Credit for the Farmers of Texas.

Farmers' Clubs and individual farmers interested in obtaining cheaper farm credit are invited to correspond with the Director of Extension of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. This service is contemplating assisting farmers in a limited number of communities in organizing rural credit unions similar to the one at Red Springs in Smith County. It is planned to have a representative of the Extension service visit clubs and groups of farmers interested in this subject during the summer and fall and prepare the way for organization in time to negotiate credit contracts for next year's operations or earlier for special purposes. Address Clarence Ousley the Director of Extension, College Station, Texas.

A bilious, half-sick feeling, loss of energy, and constipated bowels can be relieved with surprising promptness by using HERBINE. The first dose brings improvement, a few doses puts the system in fine, vigorous condition. Price 50 cent. Sold by the City Pharmacy.—Advt.

Talks With the Boys

By J. L. HARBOUR, IN THE VISITOR.

Luck Vs. Labor.

Here are some wise and also true words that I wish every boy who is a reader of this paper would write on the tablets of his heart because they are so true and well worth remembering. "It is not luck, but labor that makes men. Luck, says an American writer, is ever waiting for something to turn up; labor, with a keen eye and a strong will, always turns up something. Luck lies in bed and wishes the postman would bring him news of a legacy; labors is out at six o'clock and with a busy pen or ringing hammer lays the foundation of a competence. Luck whines and labor whistles. Luck slips downward to self-indulgence; labor strides upward and aspires to independence.

The boy who has confidence in that untrustworthy thing called luck would do well to pay particular heed to the words I have just quoted. Of course there are men like the famous Mr. Micawber in one of the stories written by Charles Dickens; they are always waiting for something to turn up. Such men always make a failure of life. One of the laziest men I ever knew went through life buoyed up by the hope that luck would some day smile upon him and he would have everything that he wanted. When he died he was so poor that his friends had to pay the cost of his funeral. He had never done a really honest or hard day's work in his life. He had known nothing of the happiness that honest labor brings to every man who knows how to give the true value of things of his life. It is always a good thing to believe that something worth while is going to turn up if one supplements that belief with plenty of hard work. As a matter of fact, things that are worth while seldom turn up of their own accord. Many years ago I lived for two years in a large mining camp in the Rocky Mountains. One day the word went forth that a poor miner had "struck it rich" in other words, one very lucky stroke of the pick had uncovered a vein of silver ore worth hundreds of thousands of dollars. Every one said that he was in luck," and so he was; but there were months and perhaps years back of all his luck. He had been a prospector for

years, and few men had done more hard work than he had on worthless mining claims in different parts of the State, but he would not give up. He endured all sorts of hardships, and deprivations in his determination to keep on until he at last struck it rich. I have an idea that there is a similar story of hard and persistent labor back of the "good luck" of most men. I have never known any good luck to come to the sheer idler unless it was his misfortune to inherit wealth. I have always observed that it is always a misfortune when a sheer idler, a man without a purpose in life, inherits wealth. Such a man is sure to be self-indulgent and to fail to know the real value of money. It is never good luck for one to come into possession of anything one does not deserve.

You have often heard the expression that the laborer is worthy of his hire. The laborer is usually worthy of all the good things that come to him when they are the results of his honest and faithful labor. I wish that every boy in the land might get away from any desire to have good luck give him something for nothing. It is a hackneyed but true saying that one never gets something for nothing in this world—no, nor in the world to come. The boy or the man who is wanting something for nothing is not strictly honest, and he is lacking the proper degree of pride. Happily for us all, we almost never get anything of real permanent value for nothing. One must always give some kind of an equivalent for the things that are worth the while in this life. Show me the man who goes about whining because he has never had any luck in life, and I will show you a man that never deserved to have any good luck. He has never done anything to deserve it.

Luck and labor have nothing in common. One is the expedient of the idler, while the other is the chief resource of the worker. One is based on a willingness to shirk and to receive something one has not earned, while the other is based on pride in work and a willingness to give something in return for all that one receives. The boy or man sitting around waiting for something to turn up is sure to be a failure in life, nor does he deserve a better fate.

Back From "Roughing It" Trip.

H. W. and Ott Hinkle started last Thursday for a few days "roughing it" trip. They went via Fort Stockton, Alpine, Marfa, Fort Davis, and came down through the Limpia Canyon.

H. W. informed us that they certainly had a fine time, took their rolls with them and that they camped out every night. They arrived home Sunday evening much refreshed by the outing.

—If you have the itch, don't scratch. It does not cure the trouble and makes the skin bleed. Apply BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Rub it gently on the affected parts. It relieves itching instantly, and a few application removes the cause thus performing a permanent cure. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the City Pharmacy.—Advt.

Do You Know That

Life is a constant struggle against death? Dirty refrigerators may be the cause of sickness. The U. S. Public Health Service issues free bulletins on rural sanitation? The defective citizen of today is oftentimes the unhealthy child of yesterday? Every man is the architect of his own health? Its the baby that lives that counts? Tuberculosis is contagious, preventable, curable? The full dinner pail—the open window—the clean well—make for health?

If you want to know the news, read the Pecos Times.

Waan Wai Lau, a special representative of the Chinese government, has the distinction of being the youngest graduate of the school of the line of the United States army service school at Leavenworth, Kans. He is only 25 years of age, and is the only civilian to receive one of the school's diplomas.

A mechanic in one of the large railway shops has invented a new type of car wheel. It has been designed with a view to making it noiseless as possible. It is a wheel within a wheel, the two being separated by a layer of rubber which will absorb the shocks.

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Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, W. half of 61, and 63 in Block 4.

Nos. 43, 45, 47, and W. half of 37, in Block 5.

The surveys in these blocks are situated from 5 to 8 miles from Pecos City, in the artesian belt of the Pecos River country and will be sold as a whole or in quarter sections.

Also surveys Nos. 13 and 49, in Block 6, and Survey Nos. 5, 9, 13, and 15, in Block 7.

Also surveys Nos. 31, 33, 35 and 37 (fronting on the Pecos River and 39 in Block 1, and Nos. 11, 15, and 17, adjacent thereto, in Block 2, in the vicinity of Riverton, on the Pecos River Railroad.

Also Surveys Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 19, fronting on the Pecos River, in Block 8, in the extreme northern portion of 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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Local Items of the Comings and Goings of Friends and Strangers.

If you have anything to sell, everyone will know it if you use the Pecos Times.

—A dandy Jersey cow for sale, gives 3 to 4 gallons of milk per day. Green's Grocery.

P. L. Whitaker went over to Barstow Sunday afternoon and returned via an auto.

Ed Loper made a trip out to Verhalen Monday to do some work in the plumbing line.

—Better safe than sorry. Lewis E. Alexander, Fire Insurance agent. Phone 282. 22tf

Attorney Jas. F. Ross, went over to Midland Monday afternoon to address the graduating class of the Midland College.

Miss Lillian Eddins left this week for Sterling City, where she will visit for a while with a sister, Mrs. Harry Tweedle.

Miss Josephine Prewit left Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Duncan and family for a few weeks outing in the Davis Mountains.

Miss Mary Nelson, who has been teaching in the Pecos High School the past year, left Saturday for the ranch where she will visit with the home folks for some time.

Homer L. Magee, minister of the Christian church at Pecos, returned Wednesday afternoon from Odessa, where he went Monday, preaching there that night and Tuesday night.

Mrs. F. H. Curry was in Pecos for a short time Monday on her return to her home in Balmorhea. She had been to East Texas for the past several weeks, visiting relatives and friends.

American Beauty flour, the best on earth. Green's Grocery.

Joe Nelson, who had been in Pecos visiting his sister, Miss Mary, and his many friends, and who also witnessed the exercises of the graduating class, left the latter part of the week for Stamford where he is staying.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cowan left for their ranch west of Toyah Monday, expecting to stay a few days. The children also went along, as did A. J. Moran who will spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Will Cowan on their ranch just above.

"Now" Fire Insurance policies are guaranteed. Lewis E. Alexander, agent, Phone 282. 22tf

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Fitch and baby left for their home at Uvalde after a short visit here with the latter's sister, Mrs. Fvy Bowles and family. During their stay, which was short, they made many friends who will be pleased to have them visit here again and make their stay longer.

M. C. Williams was here Sunday for a short visit with his sister-in-law, Mrs. R. R. Rodgers and family. He left on No. 6 for his home at Westbrook, where he is section foreman. Mr. Williams came after his little son, who had been in charge of his aunt since the recent death of his mother.

Miss Florence Willis, who for the past term has been engaged as teacher at Porterville and which ended last week, visited several days with the family of Young Bell at their ranch, and for a short time in Pecos with the family of R. R. Smothers and left Tuesday afternoon for her home in Barstow. Miss Florence has many friends among our people of the younger set, who are sorry that she could not stay among them for several days.

—Follow the bunch—Drink Concord Punch. 5c, Elite Confectionery. 22*4

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Hill Lewis, Saturday, May 27, 1916, a ten-pound baby boy.

Mrs. M. F. Sharp of Balmorhea, was visiting in Pecos on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Underwood, one of the original old-timers of Monahans, was shaking hands with his Pecos friends Wednesday.

—Mixed Hen food and Chicken Wheat, at Vickers & Collings. 22-2

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Davis, B. J. and Novelle Davis, Mr and Mrs. John Bush, and S. T. Hobbs, all of Saragosa, were in Pecos Tuesday.

Mrs. A. G. Abrogast has been visiting Mrs. J. E. Wells, and Mrs. Lewis E. Alexander, this week, having known them for the past 25 years.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, at Porterville, on Sunday, May 21, 1916, a fine 10-pound baby boy. Mother and son are doing fine.

D. G. Albright, the hustling manager of the Jas. McKillop farm-ranch down near Carmel, was transacting business in Pecos last Saturday and took out a load of supplies on the return trip.

C. A. Arbuthnot left Friday for his home at Colorado City, after a visit with his wife's mother, Mrs. Julia Ward and with other relatives and friends here in Pecos. He was also here on business.

Miss Nellie Willcock, who for the past year has been taking a course for work as a trained nurse at Lubbock, arrived home Monday for a visit with her parents and other relatives and friends.

—Pea Green Alfalfa Hay by the bale or ton, save you money here. Green's Grocery.

Mrs. P. M. Rogers and her daughter, Miss Hilma, came down from Toyah Tuesday afternoon and visited with Miss Minnie Mitchell and other Pecos friends until Wednesday afternoon when they returned home on No. 5. Mrs. Rogers says that she likes it very much at Toyah, especially the people whom she has met.

Mrs. C. F. Carter and daughter, Margaret Warn Carter, who have been here visiting the families of J. T. H. Lipscomb and R. C. Warn, left Sunday for their home in Austin. Mrs. Carter is a sister of Mrs. Lipscomb and Mr. Warn. A nephew, Francis Warn, accompanied them and will spend the summer at their Houston home.

A neatly printed card was received from John B. Dandridge, attorney and counsellor at law, announcing that he had removed his law office from suite 1603 Ashland Block, to suite 601 in the Otis Building, 10 South La Salle Street, Chicago. Mr. Dandridge is an appreciated subscriber of The Times, and he informs us that he does not want to miss a single issue and requests that we make the change at once.

Clay Cooke returned last week from his trip to San Antonio, where he went as a delegate to the State Democratic Convention from Reeves County. He reports that they had a red hot time on several questions which came up for discussion. He said that the convention certainly put the roller over William Jennings Bryan and his bunch. Mrs. Cooke, who has been visiting the home folks at Morgan for some time past, came home with him.

and Red Top cane seed. Vickers & Collings. 22-2

F. W. Johnson left yesterday on a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rooney, of Fort Stockton, were Pecos visitors Tuesday for a short time.

Phil Buchanan was down Monday from Toyah and spent a few hours with the home folks.

—A tornado policy on your house and barn, also hail and wind on cotton will protect you at a very low rate. See F. L. Collings Insurance Co. 22-2

Mrs. Howard Collier who had been in Pecos for a short visit with relatives and friends returned to her ranch home at Hoban Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Reese and children arrived Tuesday from Clovis, N. M., for a visit with her brother R. G. Hardgraves and family. She will remain a week or ten days.

Miss Julia Margaret Davis left Wednesday on No. 6 for Wichita Falls, for a visit with the home folks. Miss Julia will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Leon Bell who is looking after the Woody Browning cattle 'down near the Grandfalls dam was a visitor here Monday and Tuesday. He reports that things down that way are in pretty fair condition.

Mrs. M. A. Manning left on No. 6 Monday afternoon for a two weeks visit with her daughter Mrs. T. C. Harding and family at Fort Worth. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Fannie Floyd.

—Dr. Aronson, the eye doctor, who for the past fifteen years, has been doing work for the Pecos people, will only be in town until Monday, June 5th, instead of the 12th, as stated in his circulars which have been distributed at the houses. 22*

Dad Baker left Monday for a fishing trip on the Pecos, expecting to spend a couple of nights in an effort to land the elusive "cats." He is proud of a record made last week while indulging in this pastime, he said he only got two bites, but caught two fish.

Miss Margaret Patty one of Big Springs' charming young ladies, was visiting in Pecos on Tuesday of this week, with the family of Mrs. Harry Dickson. Miss Patty had been down near Sanderson for the past four or five months visiting with her sister, Mrs. Harrell at the latter's ranch.

—If you owe us pay us, we need the money. Green's Grocery.

Ray Camp, a boy of whom Pecos is justly proud is at home for the summer. For the past two terms he has been engaged in teaching at the Midland College. Ray says that the term just ended has been a strenuous one and that the rest during vacation will be welcome. He states that nine students graduated from the college at the close of the 1916 term. Ray is a son of Mrs. Jo Camp, of this city.

L. H. Bullard who for several months past has been over at Big Springs as section foreman, was in Pecos Monday, on his way to join his family at Saragosa. He was accompanied by his niece, Miss Roxie McGowan, of Loraine, who is going out there for a visit with the family. He reports that they have recently had several good rains in the Springs country, and that things are looking fine in that section.

Mrs. Church, mother of our "Dad" Baker, surprised her little boy by a visit the latter part of last week. This good old lady is in her 86th year, and is still blessed with the full use of her faculties. She just swings around the line by her lonesome when she takes a notion to visit her children, who are scattered over a wide territory. She is an interesting conversationalist, and remembers vividly many scenes of the civil war. She is a Christian, and has been for many, many years, and truly it is a blessing to share her companionship. Our prayer is that she may be spared many more years.

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DOVE Under-muslins

We have them in Flesh and White

Crepe de Chene Teddy Bears; Crepe de Chene Cardinals. Some are finished with lace, others are plain self finished.

WE HAVE A NEW SHOWING OF BEAUTIFUL SILK WAISTS FROM \$4.00 TO \$7.50, GEORGETTE, CREPE DE CHENE AND LACE.

Several head of horses for sale, cheap. Green's Grocery.

R. E. Tucker of San Angelo, was in Pecos for a short stay Tuesday while on his way to Toyah.

A. E. Eddins was down from the Orla country Monday and greeted his numerous friends in Pecos.

E. J. Brady, one of the prominent citizens of Barstow was transacting business in Pecos last Saturday.

—There's life in a sip of Red Cheery Tip. 5c. Elite Confectionery. 22*4

Rev. W. L. Downing of Barstow was in Pecos a short time Saturday while on his way to his Sunday appointment at the Presbyterian church at Balmorhea.

Mrs. C. A. Bickley, and her children arrived in Pecos last week from Cleburne, for a visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. S. McCarver and family and many friends.

Misses Gladys Prewit, Nell Kerr, Marion and Jane Looby left Sunday afternoon for the Evans ranch in the Davis mountains. They made the trip via No. 5 as far as Boracho, and were met there by an auto from the ranch.

—Phone 84 your grocery and feed wants.

For several weeks The Times had items in which Mrs. P. A. Harbert and Mrs. Ed Brady were found doing considerable traveling in pairs. Last week we missed the item and, on our own hook, started to locate them. Yes, we had lost the trail completely. This time it our sad duty to report them at Los Angeles, California, at which place they are enjoying life to the fullest, so a relative informs us. Mrs. Brady, who is making the trip for the benefits to be derived, reports that she is feeling much improved. Their designs are to see every thing worth seeing at that interesting portion of the world.

—Others are being protected by my fire insurance companies. Let me write your policy before the fire comes. Lewis E. Alexander, Phone 282. 22tf

W. C. Welborn was a Pecos business visitor Saturday from his Flowing Wells ranch-farm near Saragosa.

Mrs. Charley Goedeke left Tuesday on No. 5, for a visit with her husband, who is now in the Pass City.

Mrs. Sam Hall and son, A. G., who had been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Alley, for some time past, left Sunday afternoon for their home at Big Springs.

—Dandy two-room house for rent. Green's Grocery.

Henry Lavelle came in Tuesday afternoon from Balmorhea with Miss Lola Holcomb who left Wednesday morning on No. 3 for Ysleta, where she will attend the normal. Miss Lola was one of the graduates of the Balmorhea High School and is studying for the duties of a school teacher. Henry went home Wednesday morning on the Pecos Valley Southern.

John Wakefield, the deputy sheriff of Pecos county was in Pecos Tuesday visiting his sister Mrs. Harry Dickson and family. He left Wednesday morning for home and anticipated heading off some Mexicans who were going east with a bunch of stolen horses. He has been very successful lately in finding stolen horses. He stated that the jail over there was filled up with Mexicans.

Raymond Bozeman arrived from his home in San Antonio last Saturday and is now head "cold drink slinger" at the Pecos Drug Co's fountain. Raymond spent several months as a citizen of Pecos in the past, and has many friends who are glad that he is back again with a view of making his home here permanently. He is an experienced drink mixer and will be pleased to see his old friends in to sample some of the cooling beverages he is serving.

—Good horse and buggy for sale, cheap. —Green's Grocery.

Peter Hollebeke was down Wednesday from his Guadalupe mountain ranch.

C. D. Brock of Balmorhea, was a Sunday visitor among his many Pecos friends.

W. C. McAfee, the Barstow restaurant man, was a business visitor in Pecos for a short time Wednesday.

Misses Lillian and Vera Eddins have been the guests of their friend, Miss Mabel Smith for the past week.

A. W. Hosie, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, was down from Toyah a few days this week on court business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Erle and son, Max, left yesterday morning for a few days stay at their ranch in Loving County.

—Drink Concord Punch. Better than Grape Juice. 5c. Elite Confectionery. 22*4

Bob Baker, who went with Al Potham's shipment of cattle to White Deer, returned to Pecos Wednesday morning and joined his wife and children, who have been visiting with Bob's folks. He states that all along the line, at Sweetwater, White Deer, especially the country looked like a wheel field, copious rains having fallen throughout north and east Texas.

The latter part of last week, as well as many Pecosites were surprised by a visit from an old Pecos boy, well and favorably known to most of us—John MacTier, son of Judge Harry MacTier. John had his wife with him, and they were returning from a fishing trip in New Mexico. The object of his visit was to spend a day or two with his many relatives, and especially to see Grandfather Prewit, who, he stated, he may never get a chance to see again. John is making an enviable reputation for himself as a fireman on the T. & P., and is happily domiciled with his better half in El Paso.