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PECOS, TEXAS

PRESIDENT APPEALS TO REEVES COUNTY

The True Patriot Is He Who Personally Hears and Acts Upon the Call

I have been advised by the Federal Reserve Bank, of Dallas, that the Secretary of the Treasury has requested that a "Liberty Loan Committee" be organized in Reeves County to enlist the support and cooperation of our people in the floatation of the Liberty Loan Bond. The secretary instructed me to call a mass meeting of the citizens of Reeves County not later than Saturday, May 26, and at such meeting effect an efficient organization for the purpose of conducting a whirlwind campaign, having as its object the rousing of our people to a realization of the necessity of their subscribing for the Liberty Loan Bonds.

If the issue is largely oversubscribed, it will impress the enemy with the fact that we are in earnest and are supporting our President, while anything short of an over subscription, will be considered in the light of a failure. GERMANY IS WATCHING YOU.

It is for Our Country, for Our President, for Democracy, for Humanity, that we are asked to act—and act quickly. I, therefore, as instructed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and as in duty bound, do most earnestly and urgently advise and request that the people of every part of Reeves County assemble at the Court House, at Pecos, at 8 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, May 26th, for the purpose of affecting an organization as contemplated and requested by those in authority, and to take such steps as to the meeting may seem proper in the discharge of our duty as citizens of a great State in the Nation. I fully realize that such meeting cannot be held successfully without great inconvenience to our people, but appeal to you in the name of the President and those who are manfully fighting our country's battles, to be present at the time and place appointed, and thus demonstrate that we are heart and soul in sympathy with the great cause and are willing to "do our bit" even at the cost of sacrifice to ourselves.

It may occur to you that the meeting will not be of an especially character, but, for the sake of the cause which is represented, you are once more urged to lay aside the tasks of the hour and be present with us upon that occasion.

Very respectfully,
JAMES F. ROSS,
County Judge.

The New Superintendent of the P. V. S. Ry.

Mr. G. S. Skeen, the newly appointed superintendent of the Pecos Valley Southern Ry., arrived in Pecos last week from San Diego, Calif., and is now in charge.

He is a railroad man of many years experience and will undoubtedly make good in his new place. He has a pleasant and engaging appearance, and **The Times** joins heartily in welcoming him among us and trust that he may never regret casting his lot in Pecos. All wish him and the P. V. S. the greatest of success.

Card of Thanks.

We feel grateful to our many friends who have been so kind and considerate in the loss of our dear husband and son, and extend heartfelt thanks to all who in any way assisted us during his sickness, death and burial. May He who watches over us all reward you, in due prayer.
MRS. O. H. BEAUCHAMP
T. H. BEAUCHAMP

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Closing Week of Pecos Schools Made a Gala Occasion. Was Best-Year

The 1916-17 term of the Pecos Public Schools closed last Friday and from all accounts, and from the results in evidence, it was the most successful year in history, and our people certainly should feel proud of the efficient corps of instructors, and doubly so in the knowledge that they are all Christian men and women.

This year four and possibly five units have been added to the standing of our school in its affiliation with the University of Texas, and two scholarships to that institution were awarded this year, also one to the Girl's School at Denton. The boy's scholarship in the University was awarded to Hill Hudson, and the girl's to Miss Adele Lloyd, who also received the scholarship to the Denton School for girls.

The initial event was the Commencement Exercises, held at the Baptist church Sunday morning. It opened by a procession of students singing "Marching In His Name" accompanied by Miss Florence McCarver. After a prayer of invocation by C. S. McCarver, and a song, "Gather We Here" the Scripture Lesson was read by Homer L. Magee, followed by the Praise Song, "Crown Him King of Kings."

The Annual Sermon was then delivered by Rev. H. O. Moore, who took for his text the Sixth Chapter of Ephesians, fourth verse: "And ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath but nurture them in the chastening and admonition of the Lord."

His sermon was a splendid one and was highly complimented by many. One of the main points presented, and we might state, the basic thought of his discourse was "The value of Christian Education." One of the cardinal thoughts presented was that "parents should give their children an education in one of the Christian schools, which far better prepares them for the battle of life." Numerous incidents and statistics were cited by Dr. Moore showing that the greater number of prominent men in the world, from every phase of professional and business life were men who had received their training and instruction in some Christian College or University.

Take it all in all this was one of the best sermons we have ever listened to along this particular line.

The closing song, "Onward Christian Soldiers" was led by the High School, in which the congregation joined. This was followed by the Benediction, pronounced by Rev. J. H. Walker.

The songs sung on this occasion were the most appropriate that we have heard at Commencement exercises and the singers had been trained by Mrs. Sam Means and showed that she had worked most faithfully and with success, for the rendition was fine and we are sure they were appreciated by the large audience that filled the capacious auditorium.

On Wednesday afternoon a program was given by the pupils of the higher grades consisting of music, both vocal and instrumental, recitations and many other interesting features among them being "The History of the Year in Rhyme" by Bert Ross, and the class oration "Life's Lesson," by Leonard Lopo. At the conclusion of the exercises Judge Ross, in a very pleasing manner, presented the certificates to the pupils.

The closing exercises of the week was the "Playground Festival" in which the pupils of the first seven grades taken

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"Male persons who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and shall not have attained their thirty-first birthday on or before the day set for registration by the President must register. The only exception are persons in the military or naval service of the United States, which includes all officers and enlisted men of the Regular Army, the Navy the Marine Corps, and the National Guard and Naval Militia while in the service of the United States, and officers in the Officers' Reserve Corps and enlisted men in Enlisted Reserve Corps while in active service. All male civil officers of the United States, of the several States, Territories, and the District of Columbia within the designated ages must register. All male persons within the designated ages engaged in making the present registration must register."

The foregoing is an extract from the Act of Congress providing for registration, which takes place on Tuesday, June 5th.

Our people are earnestly advised to study carefully the foregoing provisions of law, as a failure or refusal to register is punishable, upon conviction, by one year's imprisonment.

All male persons who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and who shall not have attained their thirty-first birthday on or before the 5th day of June, 1917, must register. There are no exceptions to this, except those specified in the extract published herewith. Those who must register include all male persons within the ages prescribed without regard to color or race, and whether they are citizens of the United States, or not.

It is the duty of every man who reads this to interest himself personally in seeing that the widest possible publicity is given to this notice to the end that the registration of our people be thorough and complete. We therefore urge our readers to thoroughly advise themselves touching their duties with reference to registration and to be prepared to act promptly and intelligently. We also urge them to see that those who ordinarily might be imperfectly informed touching the provisions of the law are thoroughly advised as to what is required of them and that they do not make themselves liable to penalty by a failure or

refusal to register in manner and form as required by law.

(Signed)
TOM HARRISON,
Sheriff.
JAS. F. ROSS,
County Judge.
S. C. VAUGHAN,
County Clerk.
O. J. BRYAN, M.D.,
County Physician

Board of Registration for Reeves and Loving Counties.

Ora Hayden Beauchamp

It is with genuine sadness that we chronicle the death and burial of one of Pecos' citizens, Ora H. Beauchamp. He was born in Pecos, Texas, June 13, 1890, and died at his home on Saturday, May 19th, 1917, lacking but 24 days of being 27 years of age at the time of his death.

On April 17, 1910 he was married to Miss Mabel Barr, and to this union three children were born, all surviving him.

He was a member of the Baptist church, having been converted several years ago at a camp-meeting in the Davis Mountains.

Ora was one of our most promising young men, having lived here all his life, was beloved by all. He was for many years connected with the First National Bank, as cashier, and had held many positions of trust, and never was he found wanting of the confidence that was placed in him.

The funeral services were conducted at the family residence by the Rev. G. O. Key, after which the Woodmen of the World, of which he was a member, took charge of the remains and escorted them to Fairview Cemetery, followed by a large cortege of sorrowing friends, where they were laid to rest with impressive ritualistic burial services of the Order.

Besides his immediate family he leaves to mourn his untimely death a father, T. H. Beauchamp, of Pecos, and three sisters, Misses Leota and Ruby Mae Beauchamp of Pecos, and Mrs. G. C. Parker, of Frost, Texas. His mother, a brother and a sister have passed on before him.

The bereaved relatives have the deepest sympathy of the entire community in this sad hour.

B. Y. P. U.

On last Sunday the meeting was called to order at the regular hour, the program being a business one, at which a very interesting paper was read by Miss Margaret Joplin, entitled "Should a Minister Be a Business Man?"

Sunday, May 27, a Liberty program will be the order of the evening.
SUB-REPORTER.

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This is a splendid beginning and each person who can possibly do so should take one of more of these bonds. It is particularly stressed that our people should attend the meeting at the court house tomorrow evening and learn the full particulars regarding the bonds, or call at either of our banks and full information will be given you, and your application taken. The \$50 bond seems to take preference here paid in full with coupon, so far

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Deeds
West Texas Sulphur Co to D. P. Armstrong lots 10141 to 10145, \$150.

Edward F. Williams to Sue Carden, 1-2 int. in sec 12, blk 71, PS. \$1.

Jim Payne et ux to Jno. Z. Means et al, sec 43, blk 27, N E 1-4 sec 1, blk 27, E 1-4 sec 48, blk 38, NE 1-4 sec 34, blk 74, N 1-2 sec 16 blk 75, SE 1-4 sec 48, blk 76, NE 1-4 sec 22, blk C-26, Loving Co. \$6000.

Flora L. Peck to W. S. Peck, et al, lot 21 blk 48 and lots 5 to 7, blk 21 Balmorhea.

Jack Hubbs et ux to Bartha Matta, lots 7 and 8, City of Pecos. \$250.

Jos. Rosenbaum to R. L. Wigley, parts secs 37 and 52, blk 13, H&GN, and sec 260 BBB&C, Reeves Co. \$9750.

West Texas Sulphur Co to W. A. Shropshire, lots 9441 to 9445. \$150.

J. F. Meier et ux to Lena Patterson, part sec 57 blk 13 H&GN. \$217.50.

Robert Tipton et ux to Sol Mayer, et al, SE 1-4 sec 130 in blk 13, H&GN. \$2000.

W. E. Gould to Toyah Valley State Bank lots 1 to 3 blk 6 Balmorhea. \$1000.

George A. Culver to William B. Thorpe, S. B. 21, of the Swenson Land Co's. Sub-division. \$2500.

Toyah Valley Live Stock Co. to I. E. M. Williams, S 1-2 of N E 1-4 of sec 117 in blk 13 H&GN. \$1100.

Preston Martin et ux to Nellie Gilliland et al, W 1-2 sec 305, blk 13, H&GN. \$1000.

H. B. Rainwater et al to H. B. Wareing, lot 6, blk 167, in Mont Clair, and farm 8, subdiv 6, sec 11, tsp 1, blk 58, T&P, Culberson Co. \$100.

R. McFadden to H. B. Rainwater, same as above. \$150

R. McFadden to Hugh Horn, lot 6, blk 135, farm 8, subdiv. 1, sec 44, blk 58, tsp 1, T&P, Culberson Co. \$150.

R. McFadden et al to A. J. Robertson, lot 6, blk 63 Mont

Clair and farm 7, subdiv. 13 in blk 58, tsp 1, Culberson County, Texas. \$150.

John E. Hudson to Marion Snow Hudson, part sec 16 blk 4, H&GN. \$1.

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South. Land & Dev Co. to Carl Nulle, lot 4, blk 10 City Add., and tract 8, in sec 7, blk C-20, PS. \$170.

R. McFadden to S. M. Adams, lot 17, blk 152 Mont Clair and farm 6, sub div. 12 sec 11, blk 58, Culberson Co. \$150.

Sou. Land Dev. Co. to R. W. Gallier, lot 12, blk 8, City Add., and tract 48, sec 7, blk C-20, PS. \$170.

Marion Snow Hudson et ux to D. S. Floyd, trustee, parts sec 16 blk 4, H&GN.

D. S. Floyd, trustee, to J. E. Hudson, sec 16 blk 4. \$1.

H. Robbins et ux to Reeves County Irrigation Dist. No. 1, 4 acres in sec 161, blk 13. \$1.

A. H. Roben et ux to P. K. Thompson, sec 4, blk 55 PS. in Reeves Co. \$6000.

Clayton J. Ferguson et ux to R. P. Arnold-NW 1-4 of the S W 1-4 of sec 117, blk 13. in Reeves Co. \$2500.

S. M. Prewit to B. T. Biggs, lots 11, 12, Pecos. \$1000.

Agreement
John E. Hudson and Marion Snow Hudson, his wife, Re. Property rights.

Release
F. W. Johnson to Jim Payne sec 43, NE 1-4 of 34, blk 74; N E 1-4 sec 16, blk 75 in Loving and Winkler Cos. and SE 1-4 sec 48, blk 76, Loving Co.

Walter O. Lewis, trustee to Mrs. E. J. Weyer, lot 4 and N. 10 feet of 5, blk 68, Pecos.

Missouri State Life Ins. Co. to Pecos Land Co., lots 13 and 14 and part of 15, blk 7, Pecos.

Proof of Occupancy.
State of Texas to Jim Payne, sec 43, NE 1-4 sec 1, secs 41, 42, all in blk 27; E 1-4 sec 48, blk 28, NE 1-4 sec 34, blk 74; N 1-2 sec 16, blk 75; SE 1-4 of sec 48, blk 76; NE 1-4 of sec 22, blk C-26 all in Winkler and Loving Counties.

Application for Admission into Irrigation Dist. No. 1.
W. W. Chandler et ux to the District, 66 acres in sec 97, blk 13, H&GN.

Sol Mayer to the District, 133.72 acres in sec 97, blk 1.

Sol Mayer to the Dist, 120 acres in sec 92, blk 13 H&GN.

J. W. Goode et ux to the District, 95 acres in sec 97 blk 13, H&GN.

H. Robbins et ux to the Dist. 160 acres in sec 160 blk 13.

Proper Food For Weak Stomach

The proper food for one man may be all wrong for another. Every one should adopt a diet suited to his age and occupation. Those who have weak stomachs need to be especially careful and should eat slowly and masticate their food thoroughly. It is also important that they keep their bowels regular. When they become constipated or when they feel dull and stupid after eating, they should take Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen the stomach and move the bowels. They are easy to take and are pleasant in effect.—Advt.

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Cotton May Be Big Factor In the Saving of Food

Washington, May 19.—Texas cotton seed flour milled at Schulenburg, conserving the food supply of the nation. This was indicated Saturday by the success which greeted Senator Sheppard's introduction to the senate of bread and cake made from cotton seed flour milled at Schulenburg.

Upon every table in the senate dining room the Texan served this new food product and it made a hit. An indication of its reception was given by Senator Brady of Montana, who said: "It is all right and should be widely used."

Later Senator Sheppard sent a liberal supply of the Texas foodstuff to the senate press gallery. There, too, it was widely approved. The bread is made with 15 per cent cotton seed flour, while the cakes used about 25 per cent cotton seed flour.

Senator Sheppard estimates that the use of 20 per cent cotton seed flour for wheat flour in making bread and 50 per cent substitute in biscuits and crackers, etc., will save the nation from 110,000,000 to 250,000,000 bushels of wheat. Seven million tons of cotton seed is produced annually, of which 600,000 tons is converted into cake and 980,000 tons is used as fertilizer. Experts in the bureau of chemistry who cooked the bread and cake are highly pleased with the result, especially the splendid food value of the cotton seed. Senator Sheppard intends to have the quartermaster corps of the army seriously consider cotton seed bread as an army ration.

The following from Fort Stockton were in Pecos several days, this week, most of them attending court: V. T. Sellman, Bill Peays, J. Crane, H. H. Butz, Luis Urias, Luis Barron, H. L. Winfield, Dr. Homer Powers, C. C. Cooper, and T. Barron.

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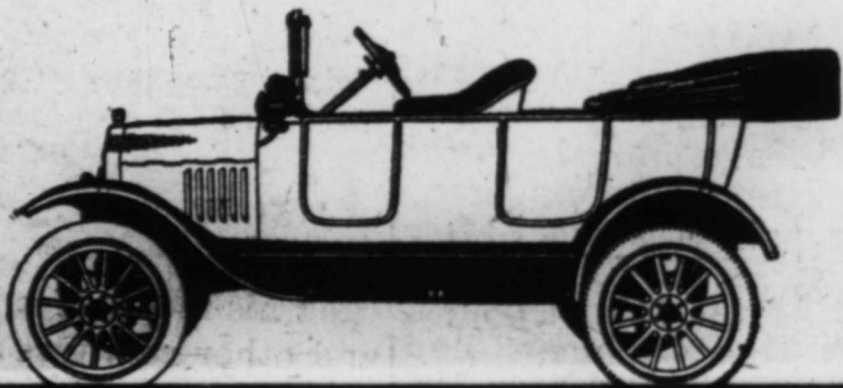
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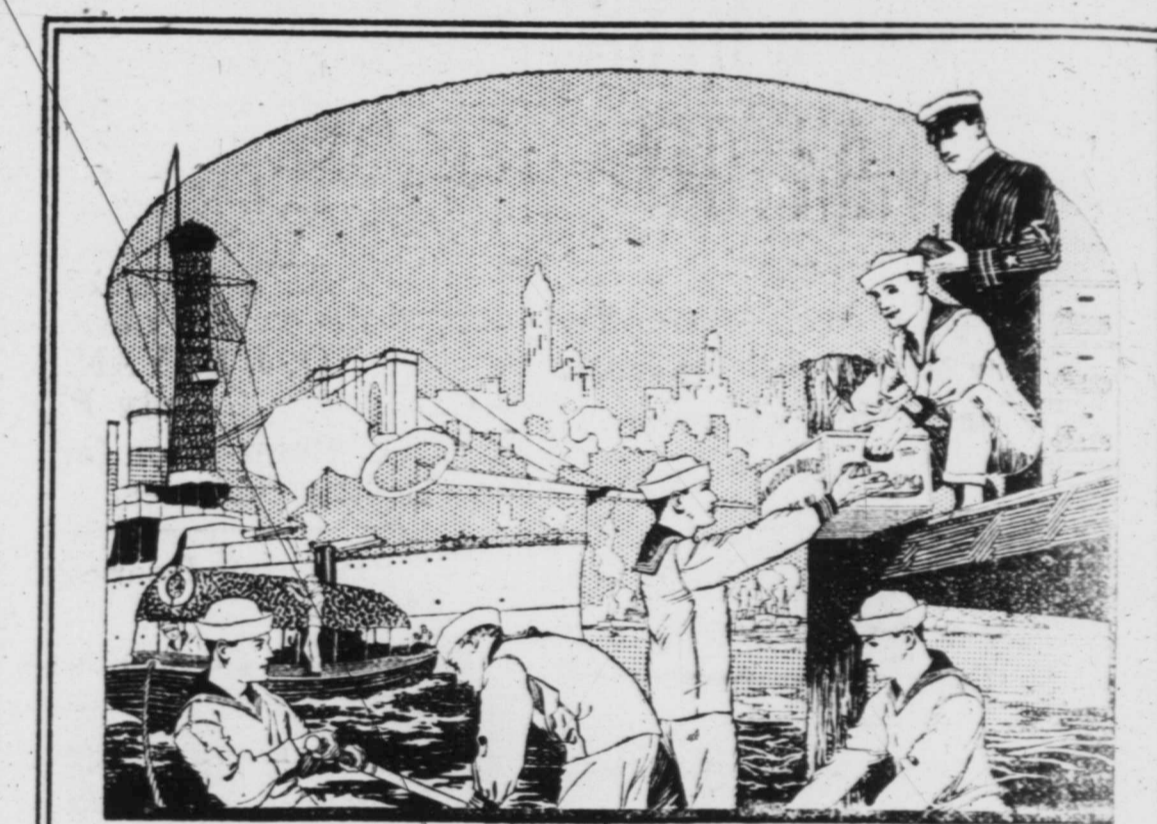
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Cincinnati Man Tells How to To Shrive Up Corns or Calluses so They Lift Off With Fingers.

Ouch ! ! ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain.

He says freezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezone tell him to order a small bottle for you.—Adv't.

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EVERYTHING CLEAN
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SARAGOSA.

Wm. Ikens and family left last week for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Illinois.

John Odell and Lee Barlow of the Bridge and Building Department of the Pecos Valley Southern Ry., were here last week repairing the depot and stock pens.

A school trustee election was held last Saturday and the following were elected: W. C. Holbert, W. R. Black and P. M. Randall.

Jesse Williams and wife, E. R. Cox wife and son attended church at Barillo Sunday.

Sufficient water not having been developed for their needs the Forbess Brothers are contemplating drilling another well on their farm on the Sa. Dia.

Miss Maurice Erwin was engaged during the past week in painting the scenery on the main curtain in the Balmorhea High School auditorium, the scene being taken from a photograph of the Head Springs near Toyahvale.

The month's private school taught by Mrs. Jesse Williams closed last Friday. Mrs. Williams taught this school in order that the pupils might have an opportunity to pass to higher grades next term, as the public schools were closed before final examinations.

The American Live Stock & Loan Co., under the management of Henry Reynolds, shipped 36 cars of cattle to Merriman, Nebraska, last Thursday. H. Foster, of Amarillo, was in charge of the shipment. The cattle were purchased from Mr. Davenport, near Ft. Stockton.

Meñdames Taylor Conger, E. R. Cox, S. A. Shellenberger and M. C. Lucky, and Thelma Cox were Pecos visitors Saturday.

Several from Saragosa attended the closing exercises of the Balmorhea High School Friday night. The program rendered was an excellent one, and special mention should be made of the Suffragette meeting which was a continuous laughter from start to finish.

Taylor Conger returned last week from Amarillo where he had been with a shipment of cattle for the U ranch.

Harold Forbess returned last week from a business visit in Fort Worth.

E. R. Cox and family have moved from the depot building into the residence recently built by the Pruett Lumber Co.

P. A. Harbert has purchased a new windmill for the Saragosa Water Works, and as he has had more or less trouble with the pumping department of late, he thinks with the new mill he will be able to give better service.

T. C. Edwards of Alvin, Texas, was here last week on a business trip.

W. W. Chandler has sold his farm to A. J. Carpenter. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler are contemplating leaving about June 1st for an extended visit with relatives and friends at Austin, San Angelo and other points.

R. T. Davis has gone to Chicago for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Albert Schloemer.

C. M. Forbess and family left Wednesday for Longmont, Colo., for an indefinite stay.

The American Live Stock & Loan Co., of Denver, Colorado, shipped 9 cars of cattle to Pecos, Texas, Monday. The cattle were bought from W. D. Cowan & Sons.

Had a Very Bad Cough. This letter should interest every reader: "Last winter I had a very bad cough. I used medicines, but they did me no good. I took one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, and it cured me. (Signed) V. De Keuster, Amberg, Wis." No substitute is as good as Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, or colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale at Bozeman's Drug Store.—Adv't.

Additions to Pecos Library

The following books have recently been received at the Library in Pecos:

- "The Man Next Door" Emerson Hough.
"Boy Scouts of Snow Shoe Lodge," R. S. Holland.
"Skinner's Dress Suit," by H. L. Dodge.
"Flamingo Feather," Kirk Monroe.
"Dairy of a Confederate Girl," Mrs. S. M. Dawson.
"Black Beard's Island," by R. S. Holland.
"Uneasy Money," by P. G. Wadehouse.
"Rich Man, Poor Man," by M. Foster.
"Theory of the High Trails," Hamlin Garland.
"Sudden Jim," C. B. Kelland.
"Boys Book of Pirates," by Henry Gilbert.
"Down to the Sea," "The Wreck of the Titan," "Master of Men," "Where Angels Fear to Tread," Morgan Robertson.
"The Three Knaves," by S. G. Greenleaf.
Hoyt Jones has given the books listed below to the Boys' library:
"Boy Scouts of the Air," "Dave Dashaway, the Young Aviator," "The Flying Machine Boys in Mexico," "The Flying Machine Boys in the Wilds," "The Submarine Boys for the Flag," "The Submarine Boys Lighting Cruise," "The Submarine Boys and the Spies," "The Stolen Aeroplane," "The Spy of Yorktown," "The House Boat Boys," and "The Bird Boys."

City Council Met in Their Regular Monthly Session.

The City Council met in regular session Monday evening, May 21st, 1917, with the following in attendance: J. E. Starley, mayor; A. G. Taggart, S. M. Prewit, and M. H. Schermerhorh, councilmen; Ben G. Warner, secretary, and M. L. Roddy, marshal.

Minutes of preceding meeting was read and approved.

Numerous accounts against the City were examined and allowed.

The application of T. J. Sisk for rebate upon 23 feet of 4-ft. walk from his line to the curb line was presented and upon a motion was laid over until the next meeting.

The treasurer's report covering April 15 to 30, was then received and approved as was the reports of the marshal and collector for April.

Marshal was allowed \$5.00 per month for horse feed.

Application of B. M. Mims as deputy marshal was received and upon motion he was appointed, his bond being fixed at \$500. He was ordered to make a report each month to the city secretary as to amounts collected by him.

J. T. H. Lipscomb, F. P. Richburg and J. W. Moore were appointed as a board of equalization to equalize the tax assessment of the city for 1917.

After discussing the matter of repairs and enlarging the fire house the matter was laid over until the next meeting. Councilman S. M. Prewit was appointed to make inquiries as

to the ownership of the lots upon which the present fire house stands.

No further business appearing before the council they adjourned.

Cut This Out Is Worth Money.

Don't Miss This—Cut out this slip, enclose five cents to Foley & Co. 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill. writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, cold and croup; Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale at Bozeman's Drug Store.—Adv't.

The Freight Car Shortage Cannot Be Helped

In conversation this week with Mr. W. J. Lewis, the hustling agent at the T. & P. depot in Pecos, he informed us that the railroads all over the country were trying their level best to remedy the shortage in all classes of cars.

He says that the roads are advising all shippers to load and unload the cars just as soon as possible, also, that they are advising loading cars to the full capacity which will be a great help.

If all parties will do their very best along these lines we feel sure that the trouble will soon be greatly relieved.

J. C. Short was in attending court this week as a juror. He reports that things down in the Barillo country is in pretty fair shape.

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IN 1917.

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The value and need of a newspaper in the household was never greater than at the present time. The great war in Europe now half-way into its third year, and, whether peace be at hand or yet be far off, it and the events to follow it are sure to be of absorbing interest to many for months to come.

These are world-shaking affairs, in which the United States, willing or unwilling, is compelled to take a part. No intelligent person can ignore such issues.

THE THRICE - A - WEEK WORLD'S regular subscription price is only \$1.00 per year, and this pays for 156 papers. We offer this unequalled newspaper and The Pecos Times together for one year for \$1.65.

The regular subscription price of the two papers is \$2.

The Porterville Schools' Closing Exercises

On Friday, May 18th, the following exercises were given by the school at Porterville:

- Invocation, Rev. B. A. Evans
Chorus, by the school.
"Nightfall" Stella Kaick.
"The Wonderful World" by B. A. Evans, Jr.
"Famine" Melba Evans.
"Hiawathian" Jimmie Evans
"Texas" Veda Prindle.
"Liberty Bell" Cecilia Stratton.

Song, by Primary class.
School Pplay.
Solo, Mrs. E. L. Stratton.
Chorus, by School.
Address, T. Y. Hayden of Pecos.

Awarding Certificates, Will Meyer.

We are informed that each participant did their level best and that everything passed off splendidly and that there was a large and appreciative audience present.

V. V. Beck, and Molly Maley returned home Wednesday from El Paso where they had been to take the civil service examination as stenographers, in the government employ. As yet they have not received a report on their work.

Max Krauskopf
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Surveys Nos. 45, 47, 53, 55, W. half of 51, and 58 in Block 4.
Nos. 43, 45, 47, and W. half of 57, 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 Riverdon, 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 2 surveys in Block 12, east of the Pecos River.

No local agents for these lands, which are handled direct by the Agent and Attorney in Fact for the owner, William M. Johnson.
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A very pertinent question: "Have you secured YOUR Liberty Bond yet?"

During the vacation season, especially at the seashore resorts, many submarines will be seen during the season. Sea-scooters have gone out of style.

Those who think the tax they pay for teachers to care for their children nine months out of the year, too big, will have ample time to reflect on the error of their way during the vacation period.

Since the American fleet of submarine destroyers went to Europe there has been a slump in the sinking of vessels. Which makes many of us grin with pardonable pride, and wisely spout that old saw: "I told you so."

June 5th has been set aside as "Registration Day." All males between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-one, regardless of color, place of birth, married or single, must register on that day.

Do not forget to register on Tuesday, June 5th, if your age is between 21 and 31. Should your 31st birthday occur on or before that day you are eligible for registration.

We have been anxiously awaiting a scholarly discourse, the "Girls Are Smarter Than Boys," on account of the fact that in nearly all of the lists of graduates in mixed schools that we have noticed the girls outnumber the boys.

Pecos, so far, without any campaign, has done nobly in the matter of subscribing to the "Liberty Loan". Nearly three thousand dollars were subscribed this week, and we are sure that much more will be recorded in our next issue.

The fight being made in El Paso by the Morning Times to do away with the bill board nuisance is commendable and should have the hearty cooperation of every citizen of that city.

We object strenuously to the criticism that has been heaped upon the wrist-watch. It many localities it is looked upon as feminine to wear one of them.

The government is thinking seriously of putting a strict censorship on all newspapers during the period of the war. Many of the papers resent the measure, but we believe it will be a good thing.

Atlanta suffered one of the most disastrous of fires recently, in which millions went up in smoke. Nothing daunted the people already have made inroads to the debris, and shortly every building will be replaced with more substantial ones.

A cartoon without words in the current issue of The Literary Digest covers the situation like a blanket. It shows a balance scales: on one side the pan is filled with corpulent citizens, yelling themselves hoarse, (with patriotism) and waving small American flags.

The closing of the 1916-17 term of the Pecos School marks what many call the most successful year of the school's history. It is always the custom to designate the "last" as the best, but in the instant case we believe there is much to justify the claim.

FIFTH WEEK OF DISTRICT COURT

The Cases Have Been Pushed Right Along and Much Work Has Been Done

There will be one more week of this term of the District Court, this being the fifth week. The grand jury was reconvened last week and has adjourned again.

Pecos Valley State Bank vs. S. M. Prewit, administrator, et al., suit on note; jury trial and jury failed to agree.

Grand jury was reconvened on the 16th, and found four indictments, and after making their report to the court, these were filed and the jury adjourned.

Elzada McDaniels vs. Grant Lauchner to try title; the motion of the plaintiff for an instructed verdict was overruled as was the motion for a new trial; plaintiff excepted and gave notice of appeal to the Court of Civil Appeals at El Paso.

Elzada McDaniels vs. J. G. Love, suit to try title and damages; continued for final decree of above cause, No. 1649.

Elzada McDaniel vs. Clay Cooke, suit to try title and damages; same as above.

State of Texas, ex rel. Clay Cooke, vs. L. A. Needham, contempt of court: two cases, dismissed on motion of plaintiffs, they to pay all costs.

P. A. Cooney vs. L. A. Needham, suit to try title and damages; upon motion of defendant the citation was squashed and all parties ordered to enter their appearance at the November term of court.

J. F. Crowder et al vs. R. E. Davis, et al, suit to try title and damages; defendants' motion for new trial overruled; defendant gave notice of appeal to the Court of Civil Appeals at El Paso.

Messrs. W. E. Gould, J. W. Moore and C. C. Cargill were appointed as jury commissioners to select grand jurors, and also petty jurors for the second, third, fourth and fifth weeks of the November term of the District Court.

J. B. Sullivan vs. the Ward County Irrigation District No. 1, for damages; jury trial, verdict in favor of defendant, the plaintiff to pay costs of suit.

Arno Co-Operative Irrigation Co., et al., vs. Jno. B. Dandridge et al., suit for debt and damages; respondent, Clay Cooke, ordered discharged.

Newton Eastman vs. A. B. Heath, et al., suit on note and foreclosure; defendant, P. A. Cooney's special exceptions to plaintiff's amended original petition was overruled, as were all other exceptions.

Jno. B. Dandridge et al., vs. P. Albert Cooney et al., suit to set aside sale and that decree in No. 781 be held valid, dismissed at cost of defendants.

C. W. Giffin vs. R. S. Johnson et al., suit for debt; passed pending a settlement of matter in controversy between parties.

F. P. Richburg was allowed the sum of \$21 for setting as an examining court in the following cases: Clarence Payne, fraud; Jesse Pitts, murder; Ilone Alibos, Antonio Portillo, Jose Maro Rias and Bessillo Espinosa, bootlegging; Charley Gardner, assault to murder.

State of Texas vs. Chas Gardner, assault to murder; was allowed to plead to aggravated assault and was fined \$100 and costs.

Van Camp arrived home Wednesday from Midland at which place he attended the Christian College the past year. His many friends in Pecos are sure glad that he is home once more.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Some of the teachers and pupils will be away for the vacation months. Let us try to get others to take their places that there be no falling off in attendance.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 8:30 p. m. Remember your obligation at this hour.

Junior Missionary Society at 3:00 p. m.

Young People's Missionary Society at 7:30 p. m.

The organization of the One Hundred Tither's Club was most gratifying to the pastor; we hope to have many more join next Sunday.

An urgent and most cordial invitation is extended all to worship with us next Sunday. J. H. WALKER.

Baptist Church.

The meeting at Imperial was a success. Several conversions and additions to the church.

There was one additions to the church last Sunday. There are several others whom we are expecting to join soon.

You are invited to all the services of the church next Sunday. We will make the auditorium as cool, and the sermons as warm as we can. G. O. KEY.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. H. A. Wren Supt., Mrs. Charles, Supt. of Primary work.

Preaching at 11 a. m. The pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Eschatology, or the Doctrine of Last Things." You are interested. You want to hear a sane, scholarly discussion of "The Time of the End," "The Sign of Thy Coming," "The Battle of Armageddon," "The Downfall of the Little Big Horn," "The Great Tribulation," "The Jews Restored," "The First Resurrection," "The Millennium," and other doctrines of the time of the end.

Christian Endeavor meeting every Sunday at 7:45. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. We have a place and a welcome for you and for your friends at all our services.

Church of Christ

All the regular services of the church next Lord's day. Bible school at 10 sharp, followed by preaching and Lord's Supper.

Preaching at 8:30. An invitation is extended to all to attend our services.

NOTICE OF MEETING

Commissioners' Court to Meet As Board of Equalization.

The Commissioners' Court of Reeves County, Texas, will convene on Thursday, May 31, 1917, as a Board of Equalization, for the purpose of receiving from the Assessor of Taxes of said County all the assessments, list of books for inspection, correction and approval.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court at office in Pecos, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1917. S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk County Court, Reeves County, Texas.

By LILA WILLIAMS, Deputy.

C. C. Boyd, the hustling cashier of the Toyah Valley State Bank at Balmorhea, was up a couple of days the first of the week and was kept busy shaking hands with his many Pecos friends.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

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They Are Nearly Located In Their New Stand

The Sims-Jordan Hardware Company have been busy the past week moving their stock from the Zimmer Building to the W. T. Read Building, and are about straightened out and when everything is fully arranged to their satisfaction, will certainly have a splendid-looking place of business. Everything will be neatly displayed and the public will have no trouble in selecting just what they want.

They have also rented the old Eisle Building, two doors south, which they will use as a store room. At present is brim full and then some. With this building they have two, fine large display windows in which they can display to advantage the heavier hardware. Success to them is the wish of The Times.

For Sale or Exchange.

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Rev. J. F. Lloyd preached in Barstow Sunday for Rev. W. H. Downing, who was absent attending the general assembly. Mrs. Lloyd and Frierson were over there Sunday with Mr. Lloyd.

Rev. H. O. Moore and family went up to Van Horn this week where he is assisting in a union revival which is in progress up there. He will be down to fill his pulpit Sunday after which he will return to Van Horn. Mrs. Moore and the children will remain a couple of weeks.

Mrs. I. L. Barlow and daughter, Miss Mary, of Balmorhea, were in Pecos Saturday while on their way to El Paso for an extended visit with Mrs. Barlow's aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Ardoin.

Little Misses Annie Lou and Wylie Sue Cole left Wednesday afternoon on No. 6 for a visit of three months with their grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, at Lubbock. We feel sure that they will have a fine time while gone.

H. N. McKellar came down from El Paso Sunday for a short visit with his family. He reports that the auto business in most sections is good and that many cars are being sold. He returned to the Pass City Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Edna Germany, one of the best teachers in the Pecos schools, left Sunday afternoon for her home at Greenville, at which point she will spend the greater part of her vacation. She will be greatly missed by her hosts of friends in Pecos.

Misses Lillian and Verne Edkins came up from their ranch near Crystal Water Wednesday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Tom Crum and family. They were accompanied by Miss Myrtle Crum who had been down there for a visit with the family.

Saragosa was represented in Pecos this week by the following named and others: R. M. Waskom, A. C. Schreyer, E. F. Stuckler, Matt Totter, W. R. Black, W. A. Montgomery, H. Crenshaw, Ray Arnold, C. L. Harbert, T. N. Wilson, Pink Harbert, and P. B. Wilson.

Among the numerous Balmorheaites in Pecos this week we noticed, Jno. N. Wilson, Judge J. F. Meier, Joe Breedlove, E. R. Patterson, J. W. B. Williams, W. W. Wigley, W. E. Gould, L. L. Wilson, Joe Boyce, R. R. Ralph, J. F. McGarrey and T. A. Odell.

Miss Artie Day left last week for Denton where she will attend the Summer Normal. She will visit her uncle and other relatives at Cross Plains, and other relatives and friends at Putnam before going to Denton. Miss Artie is one of Reeves county's enthusiastic, efficient teachers and believes in keeping on in her studies so that she may be ever equipped for her duties. She taught at Arno this past year and gave entire satisfaction to the children and patrons of the school.

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WEDDING

Jones-Looby

At 8:30 p. m., Friday, May 11, 1917, occurred the marriage of Mr. Elmer Jones and Miss Marian Looby, Homer L. Magee, minister of the Christian church using the beautiful, time-honored ring ceremony.

The wedding took place in the pleasant parlors of the bride's mother, Mrs. G. T. Looby, in the presence of relatives and intimate friends of both parties.

The bride was gowned in a beautiful dress of gray taffeta and georgette crepe. The groom wore the conventional black.

Mr. Cole Means attended the groom, and Miss Jane Looby, sister of the bride, was her attendant. The latter was dressed in blue taffeta.

Miss Marion is the eldest daughter of Mrs. G. T. Looby, and has grown to young womanhood in Pecos; has a very charming, quiet disposition, is possessed of many accomplishments and is well qualified for the caring of a home. She graduated from the Pecos High School, in the 1916 class, and was very popular among the younger people of Pecos, as well as the older ones.

Mr. Jones has lived in this vicinity for a number of years and is highly respected by all who know him, and is prospering in the cattle business. He is a relative of the Means family, and is connected with them in the stock industry.

After the ceremony hearty congratulations were extended the newly-weds, and refreshments consisting of delicious cream and choice cake were served the guests. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Claud Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cowden, of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. John Means, Miss Grace Means and Cole Means, of Valentine; Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Means, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Browning, Jr., Mrs. W. A. Hudson, Mrs. R. C. Warn and Jno. Z. Means, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones are at home in a neat cottage on the W ranch which had been prepared for them. May their journey through life be strewn with many blessings, and may they be prosperous, happy and live many years in the wish of their many friends in which The Times most heartily joins.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

Although misfortunes jar my soul They really shouldn't bother me - They're incidents along the stroll I'm taking through Eternity.

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Toyah Happenings

By Our Special Correspondent.

Gus Hopper left Monday for the George Daniel ranch.

Henry Derrick and wife were from their ranch Tuesday.

F. A. Bessire made a trip to Pecos Sunday between trains.

B. P. Van Horn and wife ailed over to Pecos on business Monday.

Carey Thompson was a visitor in town from his ranch Tuesday.

Miss Calla Mae Arledge visited with friends in El Paso the last week.

W. M. Hopper is serving as a juror in the District Court at Pecos this week.

A. B. Burchard and C. C. Cargill were business visitors to Pecos Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel made a business trip to Pecos last Thursday.

Joe McIlvane was in from the Grisham ranch Saturday, visiting his family.

Mrs. Otto Tinnin who has been ill and confined to her bed about well again.

Mose Jones and Dug Jarrell were in Friday from their work at the Swiecker ranch.

Clem Calhoun visited out at the George Daniel ranch last Saturday and Sunday.

Harry Jarrell was in Toyah Thursday from his ranch near Dent visiting relatives.

Mr. Rosbrough left Tuesday night for Texarkana, where he will visit for some time.

Ernest Lee has just recovered from a sick spell and is at his place of business again.

Miss Madilee Daley of Big Spring is the house guest of Miss Beatrice Scholz this week.

Mr. Clark and wife are living in the Billingslea rent house recently vacated by Mrs. Grayson.

Mrs. Ross of Texarkana arrived in Toyah Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Boyle.

Kenneth Thompson was in from his ranch Saturday and Sunday visiting among his Toyah friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Billingslea and daughter, Mrs. Will Dixon were visitors to Pecos on last Friday.

E. B. Daniel returned home last Friday from El Paso where he attended the State Bankers' convention.

A. J. Hart wife and family went to Pecos last Sunday and attended the funeral of O. H. Beauchamp.

Lace Hart, corporal of all he surveys at the Will Cowan ranch was a business visitor to Toyah Tuesday.

H. H. Fancher and son, Porter, of Seymour, came in Monday and will visit with friends for several days.

Miss Florence Swatsenborg, of Big Spring, came in Tuesday and will visit with her cousin, Miss Beatrice Scholz.

Joe Hopper and Dug Hart, and Misses Beatrice and Vera Clark drove out to the Will Cowan ranch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin and family have moved into Mammy Duncan's house recently vacated by the Anderson family.

Mrs. Alex Davis and Miss Julia Padgett made a business trip to Pecos Tuesday, via auto and returned in the evening.

Joe Billingslea came home last Saturday from the George Duncan ranch where he had been at work for some time.

Charley Daniel is on the delivery truck of the Reeves County Mercantile Co., while Otto Tinnin is taking a layoff.

Jim Duncan, Curtis and Earl McElroy came down from the ranch near Kent Tuesday and attended the High School play.

Ben Cassels wife and children returned home Monday to the Springs after several days spent in Pecos, where an operation was performed on the little boy for the removal

of adenoids. They visited with friends in Toyah for a short time before going on to the ranch.

Miss Julia Padgett of Pecos is visiting with her friends in in Toyah this week.

A. J. Moran is here from Pecos, the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hart.

Misses Mary and Lilly McElroy of Kent, arrived in Toyah Tuesday for a visit with their cousin, Mrs. Albert Tinnin.

A. J. Hart, Clyde Cargill, and J. J. Pope returned home Thursday from Pecos where they served as jurors in District Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Swiecker and children returned home Tuesday after a stay of several weeks at Sheppard, Ill., with relatives.

Miss Eileene O'Keefe of Big Spring arrived in Toyah last Friday and will visit with Miss Beatrice Scholz and other Toyah friends.

Carl Cargill and wife, of El Paso, are visiting with their parents families this week, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cargill and H. T. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and children left last week for Clyde, Texas, where they expect to make their home for the present at least.

As so many of the members of the Rook Club will be out of town during the summer the club has decided to adjourn until next September.

Mrs. Ernest Lee and little daughter returned home the last of the week from Pecos where she visited her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. W. Wadley.

Mrs. Sam Koen and her little daughter left Thursday for a visit with relatives at Van Horn before going to Deming where she will visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan and baby passed through here Monday on their way to their ranch in the Davis Mountains. They had been visiting relatives in Pecos.

Among others from Toyah who attended the funeral at Pecos last Sunday were Mrs. W. M. Hopper and children, Mrs. Brown Seay and children and Dug Hart.

Clem Calhoun was called to Oklahoma Tuesday night, to the bedside of his brother who is very low. It is hoped that he will find him improved on his arrival.

Mrs. Crow and child of Big Spring arrived the first of the week to visit with her sister, Mrs. Crow, who is living in the light housekeeping rooms of Mammy Duncan.

Jim Humphreys and wife left Wednesday for their home at Santa Rosa, N. M., after a visit of several days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Humphreys.

Jimmie Hamilton returned home Tuesday morning from Big Spring where he visited his daughter, Mrs. O'Connor, who returned with him and will probably stay several weeks in Toyah.

Claude Collins and son, Ralph, and Junior came in Friday from their ranch near Sterling City, and they will begin packing up preparatory to moving the family there the last of the month.

Tom Hart and wife were visitors to Pecos last Sunday attending the funeral of O. H. Beauchamp, the former assisting in the ceremonies of the Woodmen of the World, who had charge of the funera.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billingslea, and daughter, Mrs. Will Dixon, and Miss Bertha Shank, went out to the creek on a fishing trip Wednesday. They had good luck and brought in a nice string of fish with them.

Mr. Clark is busy with a large force of men laying the pipe from the Billingslea well to town. The company here will soon be using soft water in the roundhouse and will be amply supplied for their boiler needs. It is hoped that a

sufficient quantity will be had to furnish the people of Toyah.

Mrs. Amos Stringer who had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Koen for several weeks past returned to her home in Van Horn the last of last week, little Marian Frances Koen accompanying her for a visit.

Hez Kountz, wife and children, W. C. and Nina, came up Sunday from their home at Balmorhea, and visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Gage Van Horn and family. They returned home in the evening via Pecos.

was each character portrayed, that even those who had standing room were glad to remain until the final curtain. The students and their instructors are due hearty thanks for one of the finest local talent plays ever produced in Toyah.

"Cupid at Vassar" a play rendered by the pupils of the Toyah High School Tuesday evening, was well attended, seats could not be found to accommodate the large crowd. The play, however, was such an enjoyable one, and so well

The Commencement exercises were held at the Methodist church last Sunday. Bro. R. L. Armor preached the annual sermon. Several songs by the pupils of the school and a duet by Misses Vera Clark and Irene Andrews were features of the occasion.

The Mothers' Club gave a reception Wednesday night in the reception suite at the school house, in honor of the graduates, teachers, and their families, and the trustees and their families, also inviting visitors in town and the High School. The room was beautifully decorated for the occasion in class colors of gold and white. Preliminary to the night's program Rev. Armor invoked the Divine blessing. This was followed by an address by Mrs. Tho Andrews, who made a lovely talk, being in the nature of an address of welcome. Then followed in order the "Star Spangled Banner" sung by the High School. Piano solo, by Miss Helen Ruhrop. Reading, Miss Ruth Collins. Piano solo, Miss Irene Andrews. Toast to the teachers, by Mrs. Claude Collins, which was very warmly received. Toast to the trustees, by T. O. Bryant, which also was well received and applauded. Toast to the Juniors by Miss Calla Mae Arledge, which was good, as she had been there and knew exactly what to say in justice to them. A vocal solo, "The Rosary" by Miss Helen Ruhrop was then enjoyed, and she was followed by a vocal selection "Memories" by Calla Mae Arledge. The next number was "The Class Prophecy" delivered by Mrs. J. B. Young, and her clever deductions made this one of the best talks of its kind ever heard and was thoroughly enjoyed by those present. Mrs. John Claypool addressed the graduates, while little Dollie Holmes presented them with beautiful flowers, being white Iris and yellow Chrysantemums. A social hour was then spent, during which refreshments of yellow sherbert and white cake were served. The entertainment was a brilliant success from every angle, and much credit is due the Mothers' Club for its arrangement.

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It is doubtful if there is any work harder than house work. Overwork tells on the kidneys and when the kidneys are affected one looks and feels older than the actually years. Mrs. A. G. Wells, R. R. 5, Rocky Mount, N. C., writes: "I cannot praise Foley Kidney Pills enough for the wonderful benefit I have derived." For sale at Bozeman's Drug Store-Adv.

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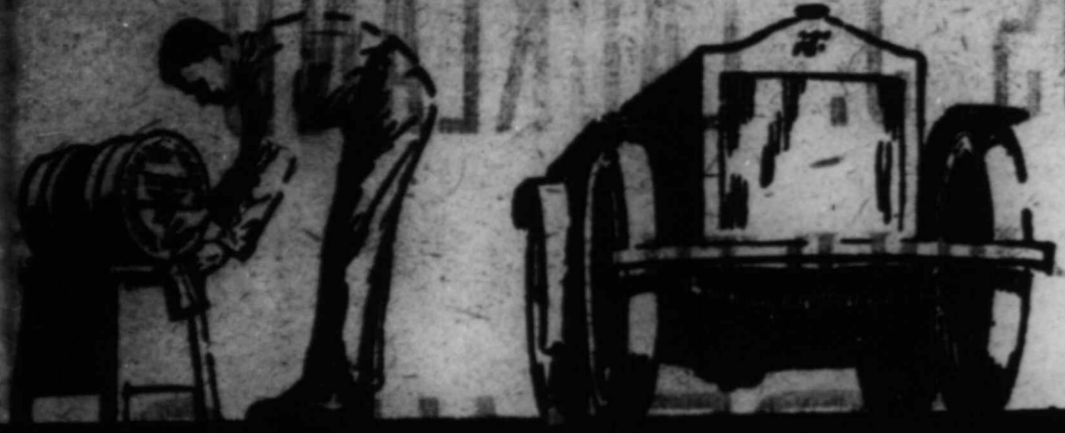
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Y. M. C. A. Will Undertake Effort to Raise \$75,000 War Work Fund in Texas

Headquarters have been established in room 611 of the Sumpter Building, Dallas, for a campaign to raise \$75,000 in Texas for the war work of the Young Men's Christian Association. This amount is the part Texas has been asked to raise of the \$3,000,000 which will be raised throughout the United States. The committee apportioned \$10,000 to Dallas, and in a short campaign \$14,468 was obtained here.

The war work fund will be used in ondieregl Olatish deomf used in doing religious work among the American soldiers in the army, the navy and at the concentration camps. The Y. M. C. A. has established at the Leon Springs training camp for officers' recruits a social and religious center, in charge of an experienced secretary. Also work of this character was done by the association in army huts established along the Mexican border during the recent Mexican trouble.

John R. Mott, general secretary of the war work council of the association, estimates that \$3 to each man will be required during the war. It is expected that Texas will have 50,000 men under arms within a short time, which means that this State is asked only \$1.50 for each of its native men who are in the ranks.

H. H. Simmons of Hillsboro, is secretary of the committee to raise the \$75,000 in Texas. Other members of the committee are Rhodes S. Baker, treasurer. W. A. Scott, E. R. Brown and W. S. Mosher, all of Dallas. W. W. Woodson of Waco; A. L. Burge, Ennis; T. W. Ceurrie, Austin; W. C. Paige and H. B. Holmes, Houston; H. L. Kokerrot, San Antonio; S. J. Brent, Fort Worth, and L. A. Coulter, State secretary, Dallas.

"May I not in view of the approaching meeting of the war work council express to you the very high value I have attached to the work that has been accomplished by the Y. M. C. A. in behalf of our army and navy, as well as in behalf of the prisoners of war and the men in the training camp of Europe?" said President Wilson in a message to Mr. Mott. "And may I not express also my sincere personal interest in the large plans of the war work council for the work which is still ahead of the association."

The President has also issued an executive order, which gives to the association the assistance of the War and Navy Departments.

"The plan outlined by the national war work council contemplates brigade buildings to serve about 5,000 men each," said secretary Coulter. "with a general secretary, religious work director, physical director and two assistants working in connection with the building. Such a unit will require from \$10,000 to \$12,000. These buildings will provide many entertainments which may be enjoyed by the soldiers."

"In these buildings soldiers write letters, read magazines and newspapers, listen to music, attend entertainments, play wholesome games and see moving pictures; moreover, varied religious meetings and Bible classes will be held. The chief purpose of these centers is to hold to a high level the moral tone of the troops and to break the monotony of camp life."

Unusual success attended the raising of the war work fund in Dallas. A man who declined to allow publicity given his name, volunteered \$1,000. Dallas business men on a trade pilgrimage through Oklahoma and Arkansas raised \$1,700 in ten minutes and telegraphed their contribution. The following gave \$200 and more: E. R. Brown, Royal A. Ferris, Rhodes S. Baker, M. H. Wolfe, Col. C. S. Slaughter, George C. Greer and H. C. Coke. From the Dallas News.

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Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Reeves, By virtue of a certain Alias Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Reeves County on the 9th day of May, 1917, by the clerk of said court against E. N. Kirby for the sum of Thirty-Seven and 00-100 (\$37.00) dollars and costs of suit in Cause No. 203A in said court, styled The State of Texas vs. E. N. Kirby, and placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 9th day of May, 1917, levy on certain real estate situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Section No. 1, Block No. 72, Public School Survey, and levied upon as the property of said E. N. Kirby, and on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1917, at the court house door of Reeves County, in the Town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said land at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said E. N. Kirby, by virtue of said levy and said alias order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Times, a newspaper published in Reeves county.

Witness my hand this 9th day of May, 1917.

TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas.

By HENRY KERR, Deputy.

11 May 20-4

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Reeves, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District court of Taylor County, Texas, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1917, by J. N. Routh, clerk of said court, for the sum of Twenty-four Hundred and Eight and 17-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment and foreclosure decree, in favor of Mrs. Anna L. Tabor and husband A. L. Tabor (for benefit of said Mrs. Anna L. Tabor in her own right) in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3678 and styled Mrs. Anna L. Tabor et vir vs. Eugene Wood et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Tom Harrison, as sheriff of Reeves County, Texas, did, on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1917, levy on certain real estate situated in Reeves County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: One hundred acres of land off the North end of the West one-half of Section No. 28, in

Block No. 21, Township 1 N., Range 20 E., County of Taylor, Texas, and levied upon as the property of defendants Eugene Wood,

Josh Wood, Geo. L. Paxton, Alexander Nisbett, C. P. Warren, E. P. Walshe, Ben L. Cox, and Len Faucett in his capacity of administrator of the estate of W. J. Faucett, deceased, and H. C. Turner, A. D. Rikli, Mrs. M. McBride and husband A. B. McBride, C. C. Powell, A. B. Cox, Williard Burton, E. Emmitt Reid, J. A. Blackwell, Dixie Wood (a feme sole), and the Farmers State Bank of Haskell, Texas (a corporation having its domicile in Haskell county, Texas). And that on the first Tuesday in June, A. D. 1917, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the court house door of said Reeves county, in the town of Pecos, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment and foreclosure decree, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said above named defendants. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language,

once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pecos Times, a newspaper published in said Reeves county.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of May, A. D. 1917. TOM HARRISON, Sheriff Reeves County, Texas, 11 May 20-4.

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Southbound leaves...7:45 a. m.
Northbound arrives...2:25 p. m.
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Santa Fe.

(Mountain Time)
Southbound Arrives...12:30 p. m.
Northbound, Leaves...2:00 p. m.
(Daily except Sunday)

Texas & Pacific.

Westbound.

No. 1, 4:35 a. m.
No. 5, 2:20 p. m.

East Bound.

No. 2, 1:25 a. m.
No. 6, 1:55 p. m.

LODGE MEETINGS.

Masonic—Pecos Valley Lodge No. 736 A. F. and A. M. Hall corner of Oak and Second streets. Regular meetings second Saturday night in each month. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

H. P. KERR, W. M.

Masonic—Pecos Chapter No. 218, R. A. M. Hall corner Oak and Second streets. Stated convocations on first Tuesday night in each month. Visiting companions cordially invited.

GEO. TUCKER, H. P.

O. E. S.—Pecos Chapter No. 81 Regular meetings second Monday in each month. Members urged to attend and visiting members cordially welcomed.

F. E. MARSHALL, Sec'y.
MRS. NANNIE COUCH, Worthy Matron.

W. O. W.—Althorn Camp No. 208. Regular meetings second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. Visiting Sovereigns cordially invited.

W. F. STEPHEN, C. C.
O. H. BEAUCHAMP, Clerk.

W. O. W. Circle—Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday afternoons, at 3 o'clock.

MRS. JNO. HIBDON, Guard'n.
MRS. LA VADA COLWELL, Clerk.

K. of P.—Pecos Lodge No. 388 meets every second and fourth Monday nights in Castle Hall, over B. G. Smith's Grocery. All members urged and visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

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ED READ, C. C.

I. O. O. F.—Pecos Encampment No. 23, meets 1st and 3rd Monday nights in month.

R. E. L. Kite, G. P.
R. G. MIDDLETON, Scribe.

I. O. O. F.—Meets on every Thursday night.

MAX RITZ, Noble Grand.
R. G. MIDDLETON, Sec'y.

THE COURTS.

Federal—Western District of Texas. Meets 4th Monday in March and September. Duval West of San Antonio, Judge; Joe Caroline, Pecos Deputy Clerk.

District—70th Judicial District. Meets April 23, 1917, November 19th, 1917. Chas. Gibbs, of Midland, Judge, T. F. Garrard, Odessa, Attorney; Sully Vaughan, Pecos Clerk.

County—Reeves County. Meet 1st Monday in April, 2nd Mondays in July, October and January. Jas. F. Ross, Judge; S. C. Vaughan, Clerk; J. A. Drane, Attorney; Tom Harrison, Sheriff.

Justice—Meets in regular session every third Monday. Opens any day for criminal cases.

Mayor's—Opens any day for criminal cases. J. E. Starley, Mayor.

Bankruptcy—Meets any time there is business of this nature. Ben Palmer, Referee.

Commissioners'—Regular meetings on 2nd Monday in each 3; Sid Kyle, Precinct No. 4. month. Jas. F. Ross, Judge; Sully Vaughan, clerk; Tom Harrison, Sheriff; J. E. Eisenvine, Commis'r. Precinct No. 1; A. W. Hosie, Precinct No. 2; C. C. Kountz, Precinct No. 3.

OFFICIALS.

County—Jas. F. Ross, Judge. S. C. Vaughan, Clerk. Tom Harrison, Sheriff and Tax Collector. LeGrand Merriman, Treasurer.

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City—J. E. Starley, Mayor. A. G. Taggart, Ed Vickers, Ben Biggs, Sam Prewit, Ralph E. Williams, Councilmen. M. L. Roddy, Marshal. Ben G. Werner, Secretary, Assessor and Tax Collector. Meets in regular session Monday night in each month.

—W. C. T. U. meets on Third Friday in each month at three o'clock p. m. at the home of Mrs. R. N. Couch, president.

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Logging the Highway From Los Angeles to Fort Worth

Scout Car No. 53, of the Auto Club of America, arrived in Pecos Saturday under the pilotage of C. H. Rogers, Road Organizer, en route from El Paso to Fort Worth, in the interest of the club.

Mr. Rogers completed the investigation of the route from Los Angeles to El Paso, May 1, having logged the highway Arizona and New Mexico to that point. A complete log of the route followed was made, and the location for all guide and warning signs established.

Auto tourists who have visited Southern California know how complete the system is for pointing out the various routes, all being marked by heavy enamel signs in permanent fashion.

The Auto Club of America has been in existence fourteen years, now boasting a membership of 100,000 auto owners. It is covering, in its service, nearly every state in the Union and is affiliated with the National Good Roads Association. It has labored consistently and continually in behalf of the good roads propaganda, and for the organizing of the auto owners into a powerful body capable of wielding great influence in obtaining the necessary legislation to adequately protect both drivers of cars and the public and to advance the interests of the constantly growing army of motor vehicle owners.

Now that Texas is to have a State Highway Commission, and a definite plan and policy of highway construction, the State will make rapid strides in road betterment in all sections. To extend the powerful aid of its National organization in securing the best results rapidly, is the purpose of the Auto Club of America in entering the Texas field at this time.

No permanent highway can be secured without thorough organization, a definite and a comprehensive plan of engineering of a statewide system, and an intelligent expenditure of the vast funds on lines that have been proved to be successful.

The State contribution will be augmented by an U. S. Government highway appropriation fund voted at the last session of Congress. When the main arteries are completed each county can improve the lateral feeders gradually as has been done in other states, until Texas, like California, is gridironed with a net work of roads that shall adequately serve the entire people, greatly reducing the farmer's haulage charges and at a less tax than is possible by local districts of county organizations as heretofore.

Mr. Rogers will continue his tour over the Borderland Route to Fort Worth on the initial leg of the trip, and from there he will travel all the radial arteries of auto travel from that center.

Many prominent Texans are and have been members of the Auto Club of American for years: Governor Ferguson and Ex-Governor Colquitt being of the number. President Wilson is a member at this time. The membership will soon include thousands of Texans as it already numbers thousands in New York, California, and in the many states between.

The evolution of the entire system of state and county highways in California, has been accomplished in the past fifteen years, so that the possibilities for Texas, in the next decade, is simply astounding.

Legal Blanks

A new supply of Blank deeds at The Times office. Among them are the following.

- WARRANTY DEEDS
- SPECIAL WARRANTY DEEDS
- LEASES.
- BILLS OF SALE.
- VENDOR'S LIEN.
- RELEASE OF VENDOR'S LIEN
- CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

Several others. Call in and look them over.

ATTENTION!

Uncle Sam Wants Stenographers at Good Salaries.

Be patriotic, serve your country; go into training at once. The Government is making an extraordinary effort to fill the great number of clerical and stenographic positions created by the war. Read the following letter and be convinced.

Washington, D. C. April 18, '17
Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, Gentlemen:

The present emergency conditions are taxing the resources of this commission to furnish stenographers and typewriters in sufficient numbers for the departments at Washington. For the present, examinations for both men and women are being held every Tuesday in 400 of the principal cities.

Enclosed are two poster announcements of stenographers' and typewriters' examinations. It is requested that they be displayed where they will come to the notice of your students and other stenographers, that you personally make announcement in the class-room of the NEED OF THE GOVERNMENT, and that, if practicable, you communicate the information to your graduates.

The civil as well as the military forces must be recruited to meet the unusual situation.

STENOGRAPHERS AND TYPEWRITERS IN LARGE NUMBERS ARE NEEDED. IT IS THE PATRIOTIC DUTY OF THE CITIZENS WHO HAVE THIS SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE TO USE IT WHERE IT WILL BE OF MOST VALUE TO THE GOVERNMENT. The commission will be grateful for your cooperation.

By direction of the commission:
Very respectfully,
JOHN A. McILHENNY,
Pres. Civil Service Com.

Can you say that a young person fighting a typewriter or pushing a pen for Uncle Sam is not as patriotic as one who should a rifle? You are not required to enlist and you may resign at any time and, too, you have received a training worth thousands of dollars to you after peace is declared. The entrance salary is from \$900 to \$1200 per year. Can you equal that in any other way during the war, which it is claimed by high officials will last three years, considering the duty you owe your country? Young ladies, this is an excellent opportunity to show your patriotism, for you are as

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much in demand as men. These positions are permanent, for business never gets dull with "Uncle Sam". The Government has long since recognized the Tyler Commercial College as one of the greatest institutions of its kind for successfully preparing young people to pass these various examinations. Get busy. Do your part. Don't be conscripted into your duty. A stenographic course is only \$60 for all tuition and stationery.

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How's This?

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

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasting chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

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About You and Your Friends.

Local Items of the Comings and Goings of Friends and Strangers.

Fred Leck of Kent, was in Pecos Wednesday on business.
—Car of American Beauty Flour just received, \$3.75 per sack. O. J. Green.

B. P. Anderson of Midland was a business visitor in Pecos yesterday.

J. Boggs of Sulphur Springs was in Pecos Saturday transacting business.

—Life O' Wheat—Nature's food. The Newest and Best Breakfast food, at E. L. Collings & Son. Try it. 21-2

J. A. Martin, Jr., leading attorney of Toyah, came down Tuesday on a business trip to the Hub City.

—10 lbs White Cloud or Swifts Jewell Lard \$1.80. Get the habit and save a dime. Green.

G. N. Sitton of Pyote was in Pecos Monday on a business trip.

—50c Jar Furniture Polish given away with every \$5.00 cash order at E. L. Collings & Son. 21-2

Mrs. L. R. Wilson of Saragosa was visiting in Pecos several days this week.

Clay Cooke left Monday afternoon on No. 5, for El Paso, on a business trip.

—Car of Feed just received. Get our prices, we save you money. Green's Grocery.

W. C. Hornberger Jr., of the Crystal Water Country was in Pecos Saturday greeting his many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. McElroy of Odessa were in Pecos Sunday in attendance upon the funeral of O. H. Beauchamp.

—Mr. U. M. Gilder, a registered druggist of 12 years experience, has charge of our prescription department. We want your drug trade. City Pharmacy. A. D. Linton & Son.

Miss See Alley returned home Wednesday from a trip out to the Young Bell ranch, and reports having had a fine time.

—Choice Alfalfa Hay, per bale 65c. Green's Grocery.

W. E. Scott was down from Porterville yesterday on a business trip.

—When you think of drugs think of Linton and when you think of Linton think of drugs. Let us be your druggist. City Pharmacy. Linton & Son.

Be sure to attend the meeting at the court house Saturday evening at 8:30.

Albert Cooksey was down from his ranch near Toyah yesterday greeting his friends in Pecos.

—We make the price and deliver the goods. Green's Groc.

Ernest Lee, one of Toyah's best tonsorial artists, was visiting in Pecos Tuesday with relatives and friends.

Miss Adele and Gage Lloyd returned home Tuesday from their visit to their sister, Mrs. Irby Dyer and family at Barstow.

—House Cleaning time is here Call at E. L. Collings & Son and see how to get a 50c bottle of the best Furniture Polish FREE 21-2

Judge Gibbs and District Attorney Tom T. Garrard returned to Pecos Sunday, after a short visit with their families at Midland.

Tom Crum came in Tuesday from his ranch and reports that things generally down his way are good considering the lack of rain.

—Get our price lists; goods the best, prices lower. O. J. Green Grocery.

Pete McEnroe and W. H. Bans, who are at work on the big reservoir near Balmorhea, were in Pecos Monday greeting their friends.

Go to the court house Saturday evening and see how the handling of the "Liberty Loan" will be done, and take one or more if you can.

—Let us figure on that grocery or feed bill, we will save you money. Green's Grocery.

Frank Woulland and W. Brown were up from Grandfalls Saturday transacting business and shaking hands with their numerous friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crum and children are now comfortably located in the Mrs. A. B. Cooksey home, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Read and family.

—Dr. A. Aronson will be in Pecos, at the Orient Hotel, on Monday, May 28th, and will remain for several days. He has been visiting Pecos and doing glass-fitting for our people for the past fifteen years and will be pleased to have call on him and get glasses that are just right for your eyes.

Toyah was well represented in Pecos this week as follows: A. B. Burchard, C. C. Cargill, Frank Seay, J. L. McIlvain, Alex Davis and W. M. Hopper.

—We meet and beat any cash price lists. Give us a trial. O. J. Green's Grocery.

Dollie Sue Townley, daughter of Editor Townley of the Ward County News, was a visitor in Pecos yesterday and made The Times office a pleasant call.

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

Messrs. L. C. Brite, W. W. Weatherford, A. M. Parter, A. M. Avant and Zack Miles, all of Marfa, were "courting" in Pecos a few days the first of the week.

—Phone 84 your grocery and feed orders. We will save you money. Green's Grocery.

Homer L. Magee, pastor of the Christian church left the first of the week for Clovis, N. M. to attend a convention held in that city, expecting to return today.

—Preserving time is here. One White Enamel Kettle given away with every \$10.00 cash order of groceries at E. L. Collings & Son. 21-2

Mrs. T. Y. Casey who attended the Baptist Convention at New Orleans last week, reports a very profitable and interesting meeting.

—Past due accounts must be paid. Green's Grocery.



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Bob Bates of Odessa was a Sunday visitor in Pecos.

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For Rent—By week or month—pleasant, comfortable rooms, close in. See Mrs. C. E. Brady, Pecos, Texas. 20c

FOR SALE.

For Sale—A nice cottage in Toyah, 1 block north of the school building. Bargain for cash. H. S. Childress, Gelmer, Texas. 22

For Sale—Good horse, buggy, and harness—they cost \$250—but will sell them for only \$140 cash. Call on or phone E. J. Brady at Barstow or call at this office. 19-4

TO EXCHANGE.

Exchange—(In El Paso, Tex.) Good Grocery for horses. Drug Store and Saloon, big incomes, for small ranches. A few snaps in used cars going to war. A few Valley farms and ranches, hotels, and homes. We are in the market for a few cheap dry sections. (Clip this). ATLAS INVESTMENT CO., 201-206 Trust Building. Phone 8209. 22*1.

T. A. Ezell and son, Rupert came down from their Reeves county ranch near State Line, Wednesday on business. They report that the range and the stock are still looking good.

Miss Byrdie Tomlinson who had been teaching Domes Science in the Balmorhea High School the past year, visited Pecos for a short time Monday enroute to her home at Denton.

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