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By John Hibdon

## Weekly Report by Pecos Abstract Co.

Instruments filed for record in the office of District and County Clerk of Reeves County, Texas, April 3 to April 9, 1917.

### DEEDS

M M West, et ux, to J D Milburn, part of N1-2 of section 20, Blk 55, Tsp 7, T & P. \$1.

Baptist Barthelet to Thomas Broyles, part of section 8, Blk 5, H & G N. \$500.00.

Mrs C Tyler, et con, to Bessie Tyler, section 49, Blk 56, Tsp 1, T & P, Loving and Reeves counties, Texas. \$1000.00 and other considerations.

Oliver King to Will A Martin, et al, sections 8, 9, 10, 12, Blk C-26 Loving County and section 15, Blk 6-24 P S, Loving County. \$6102.00.

W A King, et ux, to Will A Martin, et al, sections 23, 16, 21, 22, blk C-25, sections 4, 16, 17, W 1-2 and SE 1-4 of 22, blk C-26, sections 15, 17, blk C-25, sections 11, 19, 8, 9, blk C-24, sections 37, 38, 47, N1-2 and SW1-4 of blk 75, all Public School Land in Loving County, Texas. \$22,400.00.

W B Russell, et ux, to Oliver King, section 15, blk C-24, Loving county, \$10.00.

J D Milburn to M M West, part S1-2 of section 20, blk 55, Tsp 7, T & P Reeves. \$1.

J H Terry, et ux, to Cora R Louder, part W1-2 of section 2, blk 54, Tsp 5, Reeves county.

D P Rankin to Sol Mayer, part section 97, blk 13, H & G N. \$3668.00.

W A King, et ux, to Charley Brown, sections 18, 20, blk C-25, Loving county. \$2480.00.

J Howell Davis to Archie T Blythe, lot 14, blk 38, City Addition, tract 8, blk 57, section 46, Tsp 3, div 3, T & P. \$60.00.

### DEEDS OF TRUST

Chas L Morris to Josephene Vogel, blks 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 12, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 to 12 inc, blk 10, lots 11, 12, blk 14, Morris Addition, \$1,500.00.

### RELEASES

A B Tinnin to B F Seay, lots 6, 7, blk 2, Pawkett Addition, Toyah.

First State Bank & Trust Co., of Mineral Wells, to Rankin & Frost, part section 97, blk H & G N. \$1.

Pruett Lumber Company to Chas L Morris, blks 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 12. - Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, to 12, inc, Morris Addition to Pecos.

William M Johnson to W H Browning, Jr., W1-2, section 59, blk 4, H & G N, Reeves county.

### LEASES

Tom F Rogers to R G Middleton, section 21, 27, blk 29, Loving county. \$125.00.

W T Read, et ux, to Sims-Jordan Hardware Co, lot 16, blk 11, Pecos. \$50 per month.

Bessie Tyler to E O Olds, section 46, blk 56, Tsp 1, T & P, Reeves and Loving counties. \$64.

### CONTRACT

John Z Means & Co and Albert Kyle, sections 38, 46, 48, blk 54, Tsp 1, T & P. Sections 2, 4, 12, 24, blk 54, Tsp 2. Sections 18, 20, 30, blk 53, Tsp 2, T & P, Loving county, \$16,000.00.

J C Trees and J N Levin, Re. real estate and personal property

of Crystal Water Ranch Co and Crystal Water Cattle Co.

Sol Mayer, C M Honaker, et al, agreement boundary lines in section 97, blk 13, H & G N.

### AFFIDAVIT

W P Fulgin, Re, sections 37, 38, 47, part section 48, blk 76, Loving county.

Oliver King, Re, sections 9, 10, 13, blk C-26, Loving county.

J W Hudgens, Re, sections 17, blk C-26, Loving county.

Wm H Moore, Re, sections 4, 16, 17, part 22, blk C-26, Loving county.

R W Hunt, T R Peck, Re, Heirs of Honeycutt.

### CERTIFICATE

Certified Copy of Cert. of Occ. issued Juan Ribro, on sections 12, 24, 25, 26, 27 in blk 54 and section 46 in blk 53, Culberson and Reeves counties.

Mrs. Beulah Wilson was hostess at a delightful dinner party Thursday evening of last week at the Orient hotel. The table was ornamented with a handsome vase of Easter lilies. An elaborate dinner was served to the following: Misses Florence Johnson, Sue Alley, Mrs. Beulah Wilson, Messrs. Osborn, Pitts and Unrup.

## To Organize Women and Girls' Battallion

None of us wish to think that the solemn warning given to the people of Texas by Gov. Ferguson that "Texas may become the Belgium of the North American continent," will prove true, but the times are rushing swiftly and we cannot be dilatory in preparedness.

The men have their Rifle Club and Home Guard. As one of our physicians aptly remarked, "If we need the guns we will need First Aid." This same physician has offered on behalf of himself and partners to help perfect an organization to administer first aid.

A number of women and girls have expressed a desire to benefit by this and also become members of a Women and Girls Battalion of the Pecos Home Guard. Those wishing to enroll may telephone their names to the office of Drs. Camp, Bryan and Lask or Mrs. J. Oscar King and your name will be placed on the list and you will be notified of the time and place of the first meeting.

This is not obligatory upon you, neither is it conscription or a call. If you feel the spirit that emanated from the martyrs at the Alamo, you Texans so rich in your inheritance of bravery and sacrifice will wish to do your "bit" to face the issue that may confront us before many months with hands ready to do the work that may come to us.

### CONTRIBUTOR.

The contest that was on in the Christian Sunday school between the reds and blues came to an end Sunday. The victory was for the reds, so the blues, true to their color, prepared a delightful entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vickers at which the reds were guests. Music, games and contests were the entertaining features and plates of delightful refreshments were passed.

A. D. Linton and Major T. H. Bomar having been appointed appraisers of the Toyah Drug Company's affairs by Judge Ben Palmer, referees in bankruptcy, motored to Toyah Monday and by the expert assistance of Finley Holmes, a prominent and successful merchant of Toyah, made a thorough examination of the stock.

## Social Events of the Week in Pecos

The Merry Wives club celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of its organization Thursday evening of last week with the annual open house to the families of the various members of the club at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Anderson. The rooms were artistic in the Easter decorations of purple and yellow and rabbits. Eleven small tables were arranged in the receiving suite and on them dinner was served. The place cards were small Easter cards tied with purple ribbon and used later as score cards during the games.

The menu consisted of chicken, creamed potatoes, dressed eggs, pickles, coffee, apricot ice and cake. After this splendid dinner the tables were cleared and interesting games of 42 were enjoyed until a late hour.

The following were in attendance: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Casey, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Collings, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sisk, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rowden, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tudor, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Means, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hudson, Mrs. B. R. Stine, Dr. and Mrs. Jim Camp, Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Lask, Misses Madge Gibson, Sadie, Nannie Mae and Warren Collings and Emmet Goode.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cowan entertained Saturday at their delightful home with a most exquisite Easter dinner party. The center piece of the immaculate linen spread table was a mound of lilies and ferns. The place cards were baskets decorated with jonquils filled with mints. The menu was served in five courses consisting of all manner of good things to eat, prepared to a queen's taste. The ice course was especially attractive being moulded in lily shaped receptacles, a mute testimony of the Easter occasion. Covers were laid for for the following: Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Key, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walker of Barstow, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnson, Mrs. Wylie Cole, Mrs. T. J. Hefner, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cowan, Misses Lennie Jeffords and Marian Walker of Barstow.

Mesdames T. Y. Casey, J. Y. Leavell, and L. W. Anderson and Wm. Garlick were at home at the beautiful home of Mrs. Casey Tuesday of last week to the entire lady membership of the Baptist church. Mrs. Casey ably discussed "the object of the Aid Society of the church, its missions and the distributions of its funds." After a business session and a social hour delicious ice cream and cake were served.

Seth Lewis came in from the ranch Wednesday to look after business for two or three days. He says Mrs. Lewis and Ruth are both well and happy and that his cattle are doing fine.

# CLOSING OUT

## at cost

### NOW GOING ON

I will close out my entire stock of FURNITURE. Everything will be sold at cost and below. To those needing furniture I will make prices never before offered you in Pecos. This stock will go at once

**Dressers, Beds, Chiffoniers, Lounges, Chairs,**

**Library Tables, Dining Room Tables, Mattresses**

**Art Squares, Davenport, Couches, Desks, Etc.**

\$25.00 Dresser.....	\$16.35	\$10.00 Rocker.....	\$ 6.75
\$22.50 Dining Table....	\$14.25	\$15.00 Mattress.....	\$ 9.90
\$16.50 Library Table....	\$ 9.85	\$35.00 Kitchen Cabinet..	\$20.80

Entire stock must be sold at once regardless of cost

# T. E. BROWN

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# PROMINENT BANKERS COME OUT FOR TANLAC

Two Well-Known Bankers of the South Voluntarily Write Strong Letters of Indorsement to Tanlac Office at Atlanta on the Same Day Telling What It Had Done for Them.

ON MARCH 7th personal letters from prominent bankers in two southern states were received at the Tanlac office. These, like hundreds of thousands of other communications that have been pouring in with every delivery of the mail for the past year or more, express the writers' high appreciation of the merits of Tanlac, as proven by their own experience with it.

The first letter quoted comes through Ell W. Goode, druggist and local agent for Tanlac at Hawkinsville, Georgia, containing the statement of E. J. Henry, president of the Hawkinsville Bank and Trust company, which is one of the best known financial institutions in that part of the state. His letter follows, just as it was written:

"Hawkinsville, Georgia, March 5, 1917.  
"Mr. G. F. Willis, Atlanta, Georgia.

"Dear Sir: Mr. E. J. Henry, president of the Hawkinsville Bank and Trust Company, came into my store a few days ago and said:

"Ell, sell me another bottle of Tanlac."

"I said 'All right, Mr. Henry. What do you really think of Tanlac?' His reply was so commendable to the virtues of the medicine, that I asked him if he would give me a signed statement about it. He said 'yes, of course I will,' and this is his statement:

"Last spring I was all wrong some way or other, and couldn't get right. I came to you and bought a bottle of Tanlac and began to improve. Two more bottles put me all right, and I felt perfectly well. A few weeks ago I had the grippe and was beginning to get down and out again, and about a week ago I bought another bottle and have taken it and am perfectly well again.

"I unhesitatingly recommend Tanlac to anyone who is sick and worn-out, as I believe that if anybody will take Tanlac when they first begin to feel bad it will prevent and keep off sickness. It certainly is a great remedy.

(Signed)  
"E. J. HENRY, President,  
"Hawkinsville Bank and Trust Co."

The other letter referred to comes from the cashier of the Hornbeck Branch of the West Louisiana Bank,

at Hornbeck, La., and is as follows:  
"Hornbeck, Louisiana, March 5, 1917.  
"Mr. G. F. Willis, Atlanta, Georgia.

"Dear Sir: I wish to say that I have taken five (5) bottles of Tanlac and have gained fifteen (15) pounds in three weeks. I think it is a great medicine.

(Signed)  
"W. C. M'ELVEEN, Cashier,  
"Bank of Hornbeck, Hornbeck, La."

It is nothing unusual for men of prominence to endorse Tanlac, as over twenty-five thousand endorsements have been given Tanlac within the past year alone. These endorsements have come from people representing practically every walk of life, including Bankers, Lawyers, Judges, Doctors, prominent Government, State and County officials, prominent men of affairs, etc., but it is a noteworthy fact that in this particular instance two well-known bankers of the South have on the same day voluntarily written an expression of their gratitude for publication, telling what Tanlac has done for them.

In this connection one of the best known newspaper publishers of the South recently said:

"I know that there are at least a thousand people in this city who would be glad to endorse Tanlac," and what is true of that city is true of practically every other city of the South and West; in fact, throughout the entire country wherever this medicine has been sold.

The fame and popularity of Tanlac, as everyone knows, has swept over the whole country like wildfire and is now a household word from coast to coast.

Although placed on the market a little over two years ago over seven million bottles have already been sold, and the demand is constantly increasing.

There is a Tanlac dealer in your town.—Adv.

### With Civilization's Advance.

"Schoggins says he did all his courting in his automobile."  
"Regular auto-sparker, eh?"

### BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Why take ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's German Syrup has been used for fifty-one years in all towns in the United States, Canada, Australia, and other countries, for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung trouble. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectation in the morning, giving nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health, assisted by pure air and sunshine when possible. Trial size 25c, and 75c family size. Sold in all towns in the United States, Canada, Australia, and other countries.—Adv.

### Same Thing.

"Well, my good man, you certainly seem to be out of luck!"  
"Yes, and money."

Spartan Women Suffered Untold Tortures but who wants to be a Spartan? Take "Femenina" for all female disorders. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Strike while the iron is hot—but wait for your temper to cool.

## WAR PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT; ALIENS ARE WARNED

Subjects of Kaiser Ordered to Keep the Peace.

CITIZENS OF U. S. ASKED TO SUPPORT GOVERNMENT

Wilson Calls for Volunteers for Both the Navy and Army—May Resort to Selective Draft Later—Enemy Foreigners Barred From Government Property.

Washington, April 7.—The state of war proclamation which President Wilson signed on Friday follows:

"Whereas, the congress of the United States, in the exercise of the constitutional authority vested in them, have resolved by joint resolution of the senate and house of representatives bearing date this day, 'that a state of war between the United States and the imperial German government, which has been thrust upon the United States,' is hereby formally declared:

"Whereas, it is provided by section 4067 of the revised statutes as follows:

"Whenever there is declared a war between the United States and any foreign nation or government or any invasion or predatory incursion is perpetrated, attempted or threatened against the territory of the United States by any foreign nation or government and the president makes public proclamation of the event, all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of a hostile nation or government being male of the age of fourteen years and upward who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized shall be liable to be apprehended, restrained, secured and removed as alien enemies."

### Authority Given President.

"The president is authorized in any such event by his proclamation thereof or other public acts to direct the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward the aliens who become so liable; the manner and degree of the restraint to which they shall be subjected.

"Whereas, by sections 4068, 4069 and 4070 of the revised statutes, further provision is made relative to alien enemies:

### Proclaims a State of War.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim to all whom it may concern that a state of war exists between the United States and the imperial German government, and I do specially direct all officers, civil or military, of the United States that they exercise vigilance and zeal in the discharge of the duties incident to such a state of war, and I do, moreover, earnestly appeal to all American citizens that they in their loyal devotion to their country, dedicated from its foundation to the principles of liberty and justice, uphold the laws of the land and give undivided and willing support to those measures which may be adopted by the constitutional authorities in prosecuting the war to a successful issue and in obtaining a secure and just peace.

### Duties of American Citizens.

"And, acting under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the United States and the said sections of the revised statutes, I do hereby further proclaim and direct that the conduct to be observed on the part of the United States toward all natives, citizens, denizens or subjects of Germany, being male, of the age of fourteen years and upward, who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized, who for the purpose of this proclamation and under such sections of the revised statutes are termed alien enemies, shall be as follows:

### Position of Aliens.

"All alien enemies are enjoined to preserve the peace toward the United States and to refrain from crime against the public safety and from violating the laws of the United States and of the states and territories thereof, and to refrain from actual hostility or giving information, aid or comfort to the enemies of the United States and to comply strictly with the regulations which are hereby or which may be from time to time promulgated by the president, and so long as they shall conduct themselves in accordance with law they shall be undisturbed in the peaceful pursuit of their lives and occupations and be accorded the consideration due to all peaceful and lawabiding persons, except to far as restrictions may be necessary for their own protection and for the safety of the United States, and toward such alien enemies as conduct themselves in accordance with law all citizens of the United States are enjoined to preserve the peace and to

treat them with all such friendliness as may be compatible with loyalty and allegiance to the United States.

### Penalties for Disobedience.

"And all alien enemies who fail to conduct themselves as so enjoined, in addition to all other penalties prescribed by law shall be liable to restraint or to give security or to remove, depart from the United States.

"And pursuant to the authority vested in me, I hereby declare and establish the following regulations, which I find necessary in the premises and for the public safety:

"1. An alien enemy shall not have in his possession at any time or place any firearms, weapons or implements of war or component parts thereof, ammunition, maxims or other silencer, arms or explosives or material used in the manufacture of explosives.

"2. An alien enemy shall not have in his possession at any time or place, or use or operate, any aircraft or wireless apparatus, or any form of signaling devices, or any form of cipher code or any paper, document or book, written or printed in cipher or in which there may be invisible writing.

"3. All property found in the possession of an alien enemy in violation of the foregoing regulations shall be subject to seizure by the United States.

### Must Not Approach Forts.

"4. An alien enemy shall not approach or be found within one-half of a mile of any federal or state fort, camp, arsenal, aircraft station, government or naval vessel, navy yard, factory or workshop for the manufacture of munitions of war, or of any products for the use of the army or navy.

"5. An alien enemy shall not write, print or publish any attack or threat against the government or congress of the United States or either branch thereof, or against the measures or policy of the United States, or against the persons or property of any person in the military, naval or civil service of the United States, or of the states or territories, or the District of Columbia or of the municipal governments therein.

### Residences Restricted.

"6. An alien enemy shall not commit or abet any hostile acts against the United States or give information, aid or comfort to its enemies.

"7. An alien enemy shall not reside in or continue to reside in, to remain in or enter any locality which the president may from time to time designate by an executive order as a prohibitive area.

"8. An alien enemy whom the president shall have reasonable cause to believe to be aiding or about to aid the enemy or to be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety of the United States, or to have violated or to be about to violate any of these regulations, shall remove to any locality designated by the president by executive order and shall not remove therefrom without permit, or shall depart from the United States if so required by the president.

"9. No alien enemy shall depart from the United States until he shall have received such permit as the president shall prescribe or except under order of a court, judge or justice, under sections 4069 and 4070 of the revised statutes.

"10. No alien enemy shall land in or enter the United States except under such restrictions and at such places as the president may prescribe.

### May Compel Registration.

"11. If necessary to prevent violation of the regulations all alien enemies will be obliged to register.

"12. An alien enemy whom there may be reasonable cause to believe to be aiding or about to aid the enemy, or to be at large to the danger of the public peace or safety, or who violates or who attempts to violate, or of whom there is reasonable grounds to believe that he is about to violate, any regulation to be promulgated by the president or any criminal law of the United States or of the states or territories thereof will be subject to summary arrest by the United States marshal or his deputy or such other officers as the president shall designate, and confinement in such penitentiary, prison, jail, military camp or other place of detention as may be directed by the president.

"This proclamation and the regulations herein contained shall extend and apply to all land and water, continental or insular, in any way within the jurisdiction of the United States."

### Call for Volunteers.

The president also issued a call for volunteers to bring the army and navy up to war strength, and gave his indorsement to the general staff army bill designated to obtain men by selective conscription.

"The necessary men," said the president in a statement, "will be secured for the regular army and the National Guard by volunteering, as at present until, in the judgment of the president, a resort to selective draft is advisable.

"The principles embodied in the legislation presented by the war department to the military committee of the senate and house have my entire approval, and the specific recommendations embody the best judgment of the officers of the war department."

## In Order to Maintain Your Health

### Watch—

and do not allow weakness to develop in the stomach, liver or bowels—

Should you require assistance at any time—TRY

## HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

SEND 10c TODAY for 10 weeks' trial of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Free literature. Paper, PROGRESS, Tazewell, Tenn.

MEBANE PLANTING SEED, 11 1/2 cent per lb. Ginned early. O. O. PAUL, Meigs, Tenn.

### His listener.

"Does Smith tell fairy tales to his children?"

"No; to his wife."

## FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now—It Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless hair is mute evidence of an itching scalp; of dandruff—that is, of active danderine.

There is nothing so common as the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength, its life; eventually produces baldness and itching of the scalp. If not remedied causes the hair to shrink, loosen, and fall out. Hair falls out fast. A little tonight—now—any time—save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine. Apply any time and the first application will take on that life, luster and gloss which is so beautiful. It is soft, wavy and fluffy and has the appearance of abundance; an abundance of gloss and softness. Please you must will be after a few weeks' use, when you will naturally see a lot of fine, downy hair—growing all over the scalp.

An extravagant man is always talking to his wife about the necessity of economy.



## 106 Fly Poison Cases Reported in 3 Years A Large Percentage Fatal

Appalling as this record seems, it is only a fraction of the real number. The symptoms of cholera infusum and senilis poisoning are almost identical. Diagnosis is extremely difficult. Many actual fly poison cases are unreported and unreported.

The Government recognizes this danger to childhood and issues this warning, supplement No. 29 to the Public Health Report.

"Of other fly poisons mentioned, most should be made, merely for the purpose of denaturation, of those composed of arsenic and other compounds are far the most dangerous. Owing to the resemblance of arsenical poisoning to summer diarrhoea and cholera infantum, it is believed that the cases reported do not, in any means, comprise the full number. Destroying devices must be treated as extremely dangerous, and should never be used, even if other measures are not at hand."

## TANGLEFOOT

catches flies and embalms their decaying bodies with a disinfectant. It is safe, efficient, non-poisonous, and your protector from both fly and fly poisons.

THE O. & W. THUM COMPANY  
Grand Rapids, Mich.

South African Paint Factory. Earth pigments and ochres have been discovered near the Cape of Good Hope and South Africa's first paint factory has been opened.

### Keep Young

Just as well be young at seventy as old at fifty.

Many people past middle age suffer lame, bent, aching backs, and distressing urinary disorders, when a little help for the kidneys would fix it all up. Don't wait for gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease to get a start. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands, young and old. They are the most widely used remedy for bad backs and weak kidneys in the whole world.

**DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
50¢ at all stores  
Foster-Milburn Co. Props. Buffalo, N.Y.

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Attached to any Ford or practically any other car in 30 minutes. Removed in less time. No holes to drill. All steel construction. Note steel wheels, 10 inches wide. Does all your heavy hauling—coal, wheat, hay, potatoes; does your plowing, harrowing, seeding, harvesting, etc. Lugs can be removed from wheels, and a larger sprocket is furnished for road hauling. Live agents wanted in every county in Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, Wyoming, and New Mexico. Write or wire at once for circular, or come to Dallas. Immediate deliveries guaranteed.



Pullford pulling two 12 inch plows, with Ford Automobile

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# CRISIS OF WOMAN'S LIFE

Change Safely Passed by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Wagoner, Okla.—"I never get tired of praising Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because during Change of Life I was in bed two years and had two operations, but all the doctors and operations did me no good, and I would have been in my grave today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which brought me out of it all right, so I am now well and do all my housework, besides working in my garden. Several of my neighbors have got well by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. VIOLA FINICAL, Wagoner, Okla.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through the crisis.

**FROST PROOF CABBAGE PLANTS**  
Early Jersey and Charleston Wakefield, Succession and Flat Dutch, 500 for \$1.25; 1,000 for \$2.00; 5,000 at \$1.50, f. o. b. here; postpaid 50c per 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. SWEET POTATO PLANTS—Immediate shipment. Nancy Hall and Porto Rico, 1,000 to 5,000 at \$2.00; 10,000 up at \$1.50, f. o. b. here. Tomato plants 500 for \$1.00; 1,000 for \$1.50; Egg and Pepper plants 500 for \$1.00; 1,000 for \$1.50; 5,000 and up at \$1.25, f. o. b. here. Postpaid 50c per 100. D. F. JAMISON, SUMMERVILLE, S. C.

**Hotel Waldorf**  
1802 Commerce St., DALLAS, TEXAS  
Centrally Located  
European & Modern  
Rates: \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. 140 rooms, all of them are large and well ventilated. Bring your family.

**PATENTS**  
Watson E. Coleman, Wash. D.C. Books free. Highest references. Best results.

## Feminine Defense.

"You gotta hand it to Umson," said the fat plumber, "for pulling off new stunts."

"What's Umson been doing now?" the thin carpenter inquired.

"He was going to put a lady boxers' show on the road."

"You say he was going to do it?"

"Yep. But he had to change his plans."

"Why?"

"One rehearsal proved the plan to be entirely impossible."

"Impossible?"

"Yep. It wouldn't work at all."

"But I can't understand why."

"I'll tell you. He got a bunch of girls to tackle the job, all right—"

"Uh, huh—"

"But every time they got warmed up in a boxing bout they insisted on tearing off the gloves and pulling hair."

## Nicknaming Royalty.

"Edgar?"

"Yes, mother—"

"What are your children doing?"

"Playing royalty."

"Indeed?"

"Yes. I am a Knight of the Garter."

"I see—"

"And Edwin is Saturday."

"That is an odd name for royalty."

"Oh, it is just a nickname on account of his title."

"What is his title?"

"Night of the Bath."

Chinese eat bamboo shoots.

# UNITED STATES SEIZES AUSTRIAN VESSELS

CREWS OF SHIPS IN AMERICAN HARBORS SENT TO IMMIGRATION STATIONS.

## LINES UP WITH GERMANY

War With Nation Practically Certain, But President Not Expected to Force Hostilities.

Washington, D. C.—Austria-Hungary, ranging herself unreservedly with Germany, has severed diplomatic relations with the United States, precipitating a situation which generally is expected here to lead to war.

Baron Erich Zwiedinek, the Austrian charge, asked the state department Monday for passports for himself, his staff and the Austrian consular force in this country; simultaneously, American Minister Stovall reported from Bern that Austria had announced the break in relations to the American embassy in Vienna Sunday.

Immediately the treasury department ordered the seizure of all the 14 Austrian merchant ships in American harbors. The Austrian crews were taken off and sent to immigration stations and American guards put on board. The measure was explained as purely one of precaution, but it is realized that it may be interpreted by Austria as an act of war. In a similar situation after the break with Germany no ships were seized until a state of war actually had been declared.

## Other Breaks Expected.

Whether Bulgaria and Turkey are preparing to follow suit is unknown, but officials generally believe that sooner or later they will do so.

Although the war with Austria is thought now to be a practical certainty, President Wilson is described as having no intention of forcing it. The belief is that the president will not ask congress to declare a state of war unless some overt act against the United States is committed.

## BRITISH GAIN ON 12-MILE FRONT.

Carry Lines Forward From Two to Three Miles on Both Sides of Arras—Take 5,800 Prisoners.

London (Monday).—An advance of from two to three miles has been made by the British troops on a front extending from Henin-Sur-Cojeul, southeast of Arras, to Glvinchy-en-Gohelle, a distance of about 12 miles. The official report from army headquarters in France make this announcement and added that the advance continues.

The famous Vimy ridge was carried by the Canadian troops. Thousands of German prisoners were taken by the British. Up to 2 o'clock Monday afternoon 5,816 (including 119 officers) passed through the receiving stations, according to the official report, many more remained to be counted.

The British opened what is believed here to be a general spring offensive. The move has been looked forward to eagerly for some days. The offensive of the British flying corps in the latter part of last week, the attack on Zeebrugge Saturday night and the activity of the French in Belgium were considered a prelude to important military operations.

## Wireless Between Mexico and Berlin.

Laredo, Texas.—Communication between Mexico and Germany is being carried on secretly through a wireless plant located in Salvador, which was recently sent to that country from Mexico, according to Americans who have arrived here from Mexico. It is said that the plant was set up and manned by Germans and that it is of sufficient strength to communicate direct with Berlin. The wireless plants in Mexico are not strong enough to communicate with Germany, but are efficient so far as Salvador is concerned.

## Carranza's Troops Toward Border.

El Paso, Texas.—De facto troops in the state of Nuevo Leon and Chihuahua have begun a general movement toward the American border, according to highly reliable information received here. The movement in these border states has been officially reported to Washington and is being watched closely. The reason given by Carranza officials that it is an offensive campaign against Villa.

## Russ and Brit Unite in Mesopotamia.

London.—British and Russian patrols have got into touch with each other in Mesopotamia, the Associated Press is informed by Major General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office.

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The people of Pecos never fail to show their loyalty to any public enterprise, and when it comes to our splendid school and its need there is no limit to their magnanimity. Last Saturday the voters of Independent School District No. 1 voted an additional bond issue of \$13,000 upon themselves by an overwhelming majority. While there was some opposition to the issuance of the bonds on the theory that the money was not needed at this time to that extent that would justify such an issue of bonds, the vote was very light against the bonds.

Pecos has splendid schools and the people of this district are determined to have everything desired in a building and equipment. This is the right kind of a spirit to show in the advancement of any public enterprise, and it is not astonishing that the election went as it did—for this is Pecos' way of doing things you know.

This week has created quite a change in the usual run of things in Pecos. The citizens are catching the patriotic, or war, spirit, and flags can be seen displayed in many places and quite often is the sound of the bugle call heard.

As a consequence a "Home Guard" was organized this week and this guard consists of practically every male American citizen within the borders of our fair city old enough to shoulder a rifle or shot gun. The city has been divided into districts each of which is presided over by a captain and other subordinate officers. R. E. L. Kite is the grand ruling officer of the whole business, with the rank of major general.

This organization is, as its name indicates, for a home protection in case of an invasion or uprising.

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Bran, mill run	2.35	Three No. 2 Del Monte Tomatoes	.25
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Corn, 112 pounds	3.25	Two Fancy Corn	.35
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Five gallons Best Gasoline	1.20	Cocoa, large fancy	.25
35c Axe Handles	.10	Six Cracker Jack	.25
35c Garden Hoes	.65	Three Marshmallows	.25
50c Wash Boards	.35	Two Avondale Oat Meal	.25
Six boxes Searns Light Matches	.25	Large Keg Pickles per doz	.15
6 Borax Washing Powder	.25	Three Blazing	.25
25c Baking Powder	.29	Two Toilet Paper	.15
3 Faultless Starch	.25	Three No. 2 Lamp Globes	.25
3 Old Dutch Cleanser	.25	Three Eagle Chili Powder	.25
3 Axle Grease	.25	Puffed Wheat	.15
3 Lye	.25	Puffed Rice	.15
3 Macaroni, Vermicelli or Spaghetti	.25	Three Post Toasties	.25
Lemons, per dozen	.15	Two Grape Nuts	.25
Oranges, per dozen	.25	Three Fly Swatters	.25
Bananas, per dozen	.25	Three Three in One Oil	.25
Fresh Coconuts, each	.10	Two pounds Powdered Sugar	.25
Two nice Grape Fruit	.25	Three Pearl Tapioca	.25
Apples, per dozen	.35	Red Chili, per pound	.25
Veal Loaf	.15	Lea & Perrin's Sauce	.30
Corn Beef	.25	Heinz's Fancy Bottled Onions	.25
Three Sardines	.25	Jim Dandy Jelly	.25
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves county—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon R. N. Sewell by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Reeves county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 4th Monday in April, 1917, the same being the 23rd day of April, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 24th day of February, 1917, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1698 wherein J. C. Page is plaintiff, and R. N. Sewell, et al, are defendants, and said petition alleging in substance as follows: That on the 2nd day of February, 1916, the defendant, R. N. Sewell, made, executed and delivered to the plaintiff his promissory note for \$2,600.00, bearing date on said February 2nd, due December 1st, 1917, bear-

ing interest at the rate of 7 1/2 per cent per annum, interest payable annually as it accrues, and stipulating for 10 per cent attorney's fees. Said note was given in part payment of the purchase money for the West one-half (W 1-2) of section No. 2, block No. 4, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. survey, in Reeves county, Texas, conveyed on said date by the plaintiff to R. N. Sewell, and to secure the payment of same a vendor's lien was retained in said note and said conveyance. Said note further provided that in case the said R. N. Sewell did not pay the interest on said note when the same became due, the holder thereof should declare the said note due and the property secured thereby subject to foreclosure proceedings. Plaintiff alleges that said interest is long past due and unpaid, and plaintiff therefore declares the entire note due and asks for judgment for the full amount of said note, principal, interest and attorney's fees, cost of suit, and for a foreclosure of his vendor's lien on the property above described. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its afore said next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the

same. Witness: S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of the district court of Reeves county. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at Pecos, Texas, this 20th day of March, 1917. S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk district court Reeves county. By LILA WILLIAMS, Deputy

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves county—GREETING: You are hereby commanded to summon Lemuel Deane and Lillian Bruce, J. S. Adams and wife, Jesse Lightfoot Butler, C. L. Howell, and May O. Howell, and wife, Maria L. Perkins, and James M. Perkins, and James M. Perkins, by making publication of this citation once in each successive week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not a newspaper published in your county, in the judicial district of Reeves county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Reeves county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 4th Monday in April, 1917, the same being the 23rd day of April, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 24th day of March, 1917, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1705 wherein J. C. Page, Emil Baerwald and Jesse, are plaintiffs, and Adams, Lemuel Deane, Lillian Bruce, J. S. Adams and wife, Jesse Lightfoot Butler, C. L. Howell, and wife, Maria L. Perkins, and James M. Perkins, and James M. Perkins, are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 2nd day of February, 1916, four vendor's liens were given, all dated the 2nd day of February, 1916, and by extension of time in writing between the maker of said notes, to the maturity extended to the 10th, 1917. Said notes were given on the 2nd day of December, 1916, and the notes being signed by Adams, and J. C. Page, of Chas. J. Card, Drake, and Sigmund D. McAdams, and that all of said notes were a failure to pay on the 1st day of December, 1916, when due, and that the same at the date of this writ were unpaid, and that the original payees of said notes and the sole owners thereof, and declare all of said notes due and unpaid, and ask for judgment for the amount of said notes, including interest and attorney's fee, and ask for a foreclosure of the vendor's lien on the property of said notes, and pray that same be declared as executed. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness: S. C. Vaughan, Clerk of the district court of Reeves county. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at Pecos, Texas, this 20th day of March, 1917. S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk district court Reeves county. By LILA WILLIAMS, Deputy



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**B. Y. P. U. ANNOUNCEMENT**

A most enjoyable hour was spent last Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church with the young people of the different churches. A movement was begun to continue these meetings occasionally that will mean a great deal of pleasure to us in the future.

The next B. Y. P. U. program will be a devotional program of which Mrs. Tom Lewis is chairman. We trust that she may be with us, for she has been kept away from the meetings lately on account of the recent illness of her children with measles.

Pardon me, please, but let me urge that each one who comes to the Union be on time promptly at seven o'clock next Sunday evening. It means a great deal to every one for people to be on time at their meetings, and you remember our motto: "Do your best, do your part."

Prayer, Mr. Hansen.  
Song, Union.

Scripture Reading by Leader, I Cor. 6:19, I Cor. 13:16 inclusive, Phil. 2:12-16 inclusive.

Song No. 49, Union  
Building for the Kingdom, Mrs. Beulah J. Wilson  
Equipped for Service, Miss Vera Grace.

Solo, Miss Warren Collings.  
Preparation, Mr. Minnig.  
Benediction. REPORTER.

Austin, March 3.—The governor has appointed Ben G. Smith of Fort Stockton district attorney of the Eighty-third judicial district. The district is composed of Sutton, Edwards, Pecos and other counties. James Cornell of Sutton county was recently named by the governor as judge of the new court.

W. C. T. U. meeting on the third Friday in each month at 8 o'clock, p. m. at the home of Mrs. B. N. Couch, President.

**Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc.,**

Required by the act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Enterprise published weekly at Pecos, Texas, for April, 1917.  
STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Reeves ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared John Hibdon, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor, publisher and manager of The Enterprise and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 413, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager is John Hibdon, Pecos, Texas.

2. That the owners name is John Hibdon, Pecos, Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: There are None Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of April, 1917. MINNIE L. VICKERS

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Claude Cantrell of Barstow, was in town Tuesday.

D. L. Stallings of Grandfalls was in town this week.

S. B. Marshall of Porterville, was a Pecos visitor Sunday.

Alvin Erickson of Balmorhea, was in town this week on business.

Mrs. Jessie Williams of Saragosa, was in town shopping this week.

A. L. Eddins of Orla, was in from the ranch the first of the week.

H. F. Wells, a prominent horse and mule breeder of Toyah, was a business visitor in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walker were over from Barstow Saturday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Sid Cowan.

J. J. Bush, one of Saragosa's prominent farmer-ranchmen, was a business visitor in town the forepart of the week.

Horn Carpenter and daughter, Miss Annie, and Mrs. Charlie Boyd were up from Saragosa Wednesday shopping.

Rev. Homer Magee will leave tomorrow for Balmorhea where he will preach Sunday and probably begin a series of meetings.

Little Miss Martha Linton, the young daughter of our affable druggist, A. D. Linton, was a visitor at the store this week and is bright and happy.

Charlie Colwell came in from Columbus, New Mexico, this week where he has been since August. He will visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Colwell, for awhile.

Miss Edna Germany returned Saturday from Greenville where she was recently called because of the illness and death of a sister. Her many friends in Pecos deeply sympathize with her.

Quite a large deal in sheep was consummated in Pecos this week when John and Sterling Price purchased the flock belonging to Dr. Moore and Nick Newell.

The Merry Wives Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. C. Sisk as hostess. Roll call was answered with current events and the lesson was a review of the Revolutionary period.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Magee went over to Barstow Wednesday where they were called to perform the last sad rites over the body of the little two and a half years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zack Carr who died of dysentery Tuesday.

Don Bilberry of Barstow, was in Pecos Thursday. He says that the farmers are doing fairly well considering the little spat of dry weather we have had; that the river is giving about enough water to get along with but none too much.

Andy Adcock, engineer of the Big Valley, and Mr. Dunlap, civil engineer of the Barstow Drainage District, met the Grandfalls and Big Valley contingents in a big pow wow in the city council chamber, discussing the Sand Lake reservoir proposition.

It is understood that Dr. Magee, formerly of Canada, but who has been a true and loyal citizen of the United States, and a resident of Pecos for the past seven years, has applied for his final sword as a full fledged citizen. Dr. Magee, in addition to being a polished gentleman, is the expert dentist of this part of the country.

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Jim Baker went out to the U ranch last week where he has employment.

Mrs. Kenneth Palmer left Wednesday morning for Columbus, New Mexico, to join her husband who has a position there.

Rev. H. O. Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and Rev. Lloyd, both left Tuesday for Big Springs to attend Presbytery.

E. T. Blake left last week for a month's visit with his son in El Paso. Mr. Blake will keep posted on home affair while away through The Enterprise.

E. D. Balcom of Balmorhea, as ever busy and working like a beaver on his hobby, "Irrigation of the Pecos Valley," came in this week on business.

Friday seems to have been a busy day in Pecos for the Grandfalls and Big Valley people. On that date John T. Sweatt, M. L. Johnson, W. G. Snelson and J. J. Wheat were registered at the Orient.

Judge H. N. McKellar returned Friday from a business trip through New Mexico, visiting Carlsbad, Artesia and other towns up the line. He spent the forepart of this week at Toyah and Balmorhea.

J. F. Meier, justice of the peace of precinct No. 3, was in town from his home in Balmorhea Tuesday and boarded No. 6 for Big Springs where he attended the Presbytery of his church.

It is understood that John Brocat, a former Italian subject, has applied for his final naturalization papers to be passed on at the next session of the district court. Mr. Brocat is one of Max Ritz' very efficient and polite assistants and a good all round fine fellow.

P. L. Whitaker came in Tuesday of this week to make a short visit to relatives and friends. He had been to San Antonio to see his aged father who is very ill and is now on his return trip to his home in Arizona. The many friends of Mr. Whitaker will be glad to know that the Arizona climate agrees with him and that he is looking well.

Judge Walker of Barstow, was in town Thursday. Judge Walker was one of the very first and most prominent of Pecos City pioneers. He owned and ran a lumber yard just north of the tracks here. In 1891 when it was decided to build a canal on the east side of the river several prominent citizens of Pecos emigrated to Ward county and founded the flourishing and pretty little city of Barstow. One of the leaders of this movement was Judge Walker.

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Ray Camp was up from Midland Monday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Green McCombs came down Sunday from their Guadalupe Mountain ranch for treatment for their baby daughter who has had pneumonia. The little patient is improving. They are with Mrs. McCombs' mother, Mrs. Mary Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Love and little daughter, Margaret, returned Tuesday morning from a two weeks' trip to Galveston, San Antonio, Houston, Corpus Christi, Bonham and other south and east Texas points. They report a pleasant trip but were glad to get back to West Texas.

Hon. Thomas Elmore Lucey was in Pecos again Sunday and in the evening delivered a very interesting lecture to an appreciative audience at the Christian church. The lecture was of an evangelical nature, illustrated as he told it with crayon drawings.

Easter Sunday was observed in Pecos at all the churches with appropriate decorations and services in keeping with the occasion. At the Methodist church an interesting program was rendered by the children at the Sunday school hour, followed by an Easter sermon by the pastor.

F. W. Johnson, familiarly known as "Uncle Woodie", was at his farm three miles west of town when the fire alarm was given Thursday of last week. He put his car in high and flew to town, only to learn that the fire was in his own home a mile back over the road he had just passed. The fire was due to a leaky gasoline stove in the kitchen. No great damage was done as the flames were quickly extinguished by his faithful servants, Tebow and Lucey.

The Hon. R. P. Hobson arrived in Pecos on the early morning train and addressed the school children this afternoon on the lot near the Orient Hotel, who had marched in a body from the school building to meet him.

He will lecture to night at the Baptist church in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League.

Setting Hens Wanted.—The Enterprise needs several setting hens, for which he will trade White Leghorn hens, pay rent or will purchase them outright.



# LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

Hurry, Mother! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver, bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once if bilious or constipated.



Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

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Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

Try your own advice before you pass it on to others.

Anuric cures Backache, Lumbago, Rheumatism. Send 10c. Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for large trial package.—Adv.

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# INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK STOMACH

Time it! Pape's Diapepsin ends all Stomach misery in five minutes.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach—dis-ease just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eruptions of undigested food. Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or bad stomach. Adv.

St. Paul prohibits serving liquor to women in cafes.

**DON'T GAMBLE** that your heart's all right. Make sure. Take "Renovine"—a heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

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# U.S. NOW AT WAR WITH GERMANY

RESOLUTION PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS AND SIGNED BY PRESIDENT.

## WAR PREPARATIONS COMPLETE

Estimates Place Expenses for First Year at \$3,500,000,000, Which is Asked for Immediate Use.

Washington.—The United States is now at war with Germany.

The resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany was passed in the senate Wednesday night by a vote of 82 to 6. It was taken up for passage in the house Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, and debate continued until 3 o'clock Friday morning when the vote was taken with 373 voting for the resolution and 50 against it.

President Wilson signed the resolution after Vice President Marshall had attached his signature in the senate Friday.

Senators who cast the negative votes were Gronna of North Dakota, La Follette of Wisconsin, Norris of Nebraska, Lane of Oregon, Stone of Missouri and Vardaman of Mississippi.

The resolution says the state of war thrust upon the United States by Germany is formally declared and directs the president to employ the entire military and naval forces and the resources of the government to carry on war and bring it to a successful termination.

### Senate Grave and Quiet.

Action in the senate came just after 11 o'clock Wednesday night, at the close of a debate that lasted continuously from 10 o'clock that morning. The climax was reached late in the afternoon when Senator John Sharp Williams denounced a speech by Senator La Follette as more worthy of Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg than of an American senator.

The passage of the resolution was not marked by any outburst from the galleries and on the floor the senators themselves were unusually grave and quiet. Many of them answered to their names in voices that quivered with emotion.

The galleries were filled to overflowing, and on the floor back of the senators' seats was almost half the membership of the house.

Without roll calls the house rejected all amendments, including proposals to prohibit the sending of any troops overseas without congressional authority.

### Cheers Greet Result.

Passage of the resolution followed 17 hours of debate. There was no attempt to filibuster, but the pacifist group under the leadership of Democratic Leader Kitchin prolonged the discussion with impassioned speeches declaring conscience would not permit them to support the president's recommendation that a state of war be declared.

Cheers greeted the announcement of the result. A few minutes later speaker Clark signed the resolution and the house then adjourned to meet again Monday and take up the administration's recommendation for war.

Miss Rankin of Montana, the only woman member of congress, sat through the first roll call with bowed head, failing to answer to her name twice called by the clerk.

### \$3,502,517,000 Asked for War.

Congress was asked Thursday to provide immediately \$3,502,517,000 to finance the war for one year, as follows:

For the war department, \$2,952,537,933.

For increasing the authorized strength of the navy to 150,000 men and the marine corps to 30,000 men, \$175,855,762.

For other necessary expenditures for the naval establishment at the discretion of the president, \$292,538,790.

For the coast guard, so that it may perfect and bring to a high state of efficiency its telephone system of coastal communication, \$600,000.

A bond issue, increased taxation, causing higher taxes on incomes, whisky, beer, tobacco, and new methods of taxation probably will be reported to raise the huge amount.

### Reserve Banks Ready.

Unofficial estimates are to the effect that the banks of the federal reserve system are in a position to absorb up to \$2,000,000,000 war bonds at once at a rate of interest not exceeding 3 1/2 per cent.

## TEXT OF WAR RESOLUTION

The text of the war resolution adopted by congress follows:

"Whereas, the Imperial German government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America; therefore be it

"Resolved, By the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, that the state of war between the United States and the Imperial German government which thus has been thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared, and that the president be and he is hereby authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the government to carry on war against the Imperial German government; and to bring the conflict to a successful termination all of the resources of the country hereby pledged by the congress of the United States."

## War Preparations Nearly Complete.

Actual and potential resources which, all told, will probably never have been equaled by any other nation in the history of the world, are brought into the great war under the American flag.

Into the balance against Germany are thrown a navy in strength and efficiency among the foremost afloat; an army, comparatively small, but highly efficient, backed by a citizenry of upwards of 20,000,000 capable of military duty; industrial resources incomparably the greatest in the world, already mobilized for public service, and the moral force of more than 100,000,000 Americans awakened to their country's policy, and united behind their president with a patriotic fervor reincarnating the spirit of '76.

Although much remains to be done, officials believe the nation's destinies are secure now, no matter how stubborn or prolonged may be the pressure of German militarism, or how wide the scope of German intrigue. The slowly maturing preparedness sentiment has borne fruit in military, naval and industrial preparations which already have put the United States on a defense basis not even hoped for two years ago. What more it will do, the president believes, can be measured only by what the administration finds will be necessary.

### Navy Ready for Action.

The navy, always the first line of defense, has cleared its decks of antiquated incumbrances, has added new guns, modernized to meet the German tactics, and the patriotic co-operation of ship and material makers is hurrying to completion other mighty fighting craft that will be the last word in power and efficiency.

A newly organized coast patrol of submarine chasers is on duty and hundreds of small craft to augment it are under construction. Army preparations are less complete because of the uncertainty of what congress will authorize for that branch of service.

The regulars, numbering nearly 120,000 and trained and equipped in a way which their officers believe, matches any foreign unit's boasted efficiency are ready to respond overnight to whatever call may come.

The national guard of 150,000 strong and hardened by months of service at the border, already has many units in active service for police duty throughout the country and can be fully mobilized on short notice.

Industrial preparations, thanks to lessons of the war and the patriotic attitude of industry, have produced a great compact scheme of national resources with almost unlimited policies.

### German Agent and Negro Arrested.

Birmingham, Ala.—Two arrests were made here in connection with the activities of German agents among negroes in the south. Federal officials are loath to discuss the subject and have kept the names of the men secret. The first arrest was that of a German at the Louisville & Nashville station. An hour later a negro was arrested in the negro waiting room of the same station, where he was speaking to negroes and urging them to go to Mexico. It is claimed that German agents have been especially active in South Alabama and Mississippi, where they have been posing as bible salesmen.

### British Mission to Discuss War Plans

London.—The Westminster Gazette says an important political mission will start for America as soon as possible to discuss the work of co-operating in the war.

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Kansas state expenditures for the next two years will exceed \$10,500,000.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless 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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SAVE A DOCTOR'S BILL by keeping Mississippi Diarrhea Cordial handy for all stomach complaints. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.

San Francisco is to build a mausoleum to cost \$4,000,000.

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The following recipe shows how an appetizing, wholesome cake can be made without expensive ingredients.

In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

**EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE**

1 cup brown sugar  
1 1/4 cups water  
1 cup seeded raisins  
2 ounces citron  
1/2 cup shortening

1 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
2 cups flour  
5 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loaf pan (round tin with hole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

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Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, flatness, coated tongue, foul breath and breath—always trace them to your liver; delayed, fermented food in bowels or sour, gassy matter.

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Cascarets immediately cleanse stomach, remove the sour, indigestible food and foul gases, take the excrement from the liver and carry out the constipated waste matter, poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning work while you sleep—a benefit from your druggist means your clear, stomach sweet and your bowels regular for months.

Preferred Fare. "What is the fastest fare of street bulls and bears?" "Supposed to be lunch."

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# Nan of Music Mountain

By FRANK H. SPEARMAN

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## NAN MORGAN GETS A CHANCE TO BETRAY DE SPAIN BUT LEARNS SOMETHING ABOUT HIM THAT MAKES HER DISLOYAL TO HER OWN PEOPLE

The region around Sleepy Cat, a railroad division town in the Rocky mountain mining country, is infested with stage robbers and cattle rustlers, known as the Morgan gang, who hang out in Morgan gap, a fertile valley 20 miles from Sleepy Cat, and near Calabasas, a point where horses are changed on the stage line from the Thief river mines to the railroad. Jeffries, superintendent of the mountain division, sends Henry de Spain, with John LeFevre and Bob Scott as assistants, to Calabasas to break up the gang. Several encounters occur soon afterward. De Spain becomes smitten with Nan Morgan, niece of the gang leader, but is snubbed. In a memorable fight, De Spain, cornered by four outlaws, kills two and wounds two and is himself badly hurt. He disappears. His friends hunt him in vain. A day or two later De Spain awakes in a cave. He does not know his own whereabouts.

### CHAPTER X—Continued.

The violent exertion of reaching the height had started the ruptured artery anew, and his first work was crudely to cleanse the wound and attempt to rebandage it. He was hungry, but for this there was only one alleviation—sleep—and, carefully effacing all traces of his presence on the ledge, he crawled into his rock retreat and fell again into a heavy slumber.

It was this repose that proved his undoing. He woke to consciousness so weak he could scarcely lift his head. It was still day. A consuming thirst assailed him, but he lacked the strength to crawl out of his cave, and, looking toward his bandaged foot, he was shocked at the sight of how it had bled while he slept.

Toward afternoon his restlessness increased, but he clung to his resolve to lie still. By evening he was burning with thirst, and when morning came after a feverish night, with his head on fire and his mouth crusty dry, he concluded rightly that one or both of his wounds had become infected.

De Spain understood what it meant. He looked regretfully at the injured foot. Swollen out of shape and angry-looking, the mere appearance would have told him, had the confirmation been needed, that his situation was becoming critical. This did not so much disconcert him as it surprised him and spurred him mentally to the necessity of new measures. He lay a long time thinking. Against the infection he could do little. But the one aid at his hand was abundance of cold water to drink and bathe his wound in, and to this he resolved now to drag himself. To crawl across the space that separated him from the pool required all the strength he could summon. The sun was already well up and its rays shot like spectrum arrows through the spray of the dainty cataract, which spouted in a jeweled sheet over a rocky ledge twenty feet above and poured noisily down from the broad pool along jagged bowlders below.

Crawling, choking with thirst, slowly forward, he reached the water, and, reclining on his side and one elbow, he was about to lean down to drink when he suddenly felt, with some kind of an instinctive shock, that he was no longer alone on the ledge. He had no interest in analyzing the conviction; he did not even question it. Not a sound had reached his ears. Only a moment before he had looked carefully all around. But the field of his vision was closely circumscribed by the walls about him. It was easy for an invader to come on his retreat unawares—at all events, somebody, he was almost sure, stood behind him. The silence meant an enemy. The first thing to expect was a bullet. It would probably be aimed at the back of his head. At least he knew this was the spot to aim for to kill a man instantly and painlessly—yet he shrank from that anticipated crash.

His thoughts, working in flashes of lightning, suggested every possible trick of escape, and as rapidly rejected each. There was nothing for it but to play the part, to take the blow with no more than a quiver when it came. He had once seen a man shot in just that way. Braced to such a determination, De Spain bent slowly downward, and, with eyes staring into the water for a reflection that might afford a glimpse of his enemy, he began to drink. Each mouthful of water was a struggle. The sense of impending death had robbed even the life-giving drafts of their tonic; each instant carried its acute sensation of being the last. At length, his nerves weakened by hunger and exposure, revolted under the

strain. Suppose it should be, after all, a fantasy of his fever that pictured so vividly an enemy behind. With an effort that cost more mental torture than he ever had known, he drew back on his elbow from the pool, steadied himself, turned his head to face his executioner, and confronted Nan Morgan.

### CHAPTER XI.

#### Parley.

She stood beside the rock from which the ledge was reached from below, and as if she had just stepped up into sight. Her rifle was so held in both hands that it could be fired from her hip, and at such close quarters with deadly accuracy. As she stood with startled eyes fixed on his haggard face, her slender neck and poised head were very familiar to De Spain.

And her expression, while it reflected her horrified alarm, did not conceal her anger and aversion at the sight of him. Unaware of the forbidding spectacle he presented, De Spain, swept by a brainstorm at the appearance of this Morgan—the only one of all the Morgans he had not fancied covering him and waiting to deliver his death warrant—felt a fury sweep over him at the wild thought that she meant to kill him.

Whatever she meant to do, he could no more fire at this girl, even had he a chance—and he realized he was at her mercy—than he could at his sister; and he lay with his eyes bent on hers, trying to read her purpose. He read in her face only abhorrence and condemnation, and felt in no way moved to argue her verdict. "I suppose," he said, at length, not trying to disguise his bitter resentment of her presence, "you've come to finish me."

His shirt stained and tattered for bandages, his hair matted in blood on his forehead, his eyes inflamed and sunken, his lips crusty and swollen, the birthmark fastened vividly on his cheek, made him a desperate sight. Regarding him steadily, Nan, as bewildered as if she had suddenly come on a great wounded beast of prey still dangerous, made no response to his words. The two stared at each other defiantly and for another moment in silence. "If you are going to kill me," he continued, looking into her eyes without any thought of appeal, "do it quick."

Something in his long, unyielding gaze impelled her to break the spell of it. "What are you doing here?" she demanded with anger, curbing her voice to control her excitement as best she could.

De Spain, still looking at her, answered only after a pause. "Hiding," he said harshly.

"Hiding to kill other men?" Nan's accusation as she clutched her rifle was almost explosive.

He regarded her coolly, and with the interval he had had for thinking, his wits were clearing. "Do I look like a man hunting for a fight? Or," he added, since she made no answer, "like a man hunting for a quiet spot to die in?"

"I know you are a murderer."

In spite of his weakness he flushed. "No," he exclaimed sharply, "I'm not a murderer. If you think it"—he pointed contemptuously to her side—"you have your rifle—use it!"

"You came here to hide to kill somebody!" she exclaimed.

"What do you mean by 'here'? I might better ask why you came here," he retorted. "I don't know where I am. Do I look as if I came here by choice?" He paused. "Listen," he said, quite master of himself, "I'll tell you why I came. I shall never get away alive, anyway—you can have the

truth if you want it. I got off my horse in the night to get a drink. He bolted. I couldn't walk. I climbed up here to hide till my wounds heal. Now, I've told you the truth. Where am I?"

The grip of her hands on the rifle might have relaxed somewhat, but she saw his deadly revolver in its accustomed place and did not mean to surrender her command of him. Nor would she tell him where he was. She parried his questions. He could get no information of any sort out of her. Yet he saw that something more than his mere presence detained and perplexed her. Her prompt condemnation of him rankled in his mind, and the strain of facing her suspicion wore on him. "I won't ask you anything more," he said at length. "You think I've no right to live—that's what you think, isn't it? Why don't you shoot?" She only stared at him. "Why don't you answer?" he demanded recklessly.

Nan summoned her resolution. "I know you tried to kill my cousin," she said hotly, after he had taunted her once more. "And I am going to think what to do before I tell you anything or do anything."

"You know I tried to kill your cousin! You know nothing of the kind. Your cousin tried to kill me. He's a bully and a coward, a man that doesn't know what fair fighting means."

"You are safe in abusing him when he's not here."

"Send him to me!" His voice shook with anger. "Tell him I'm wounded; tell him I've had nothing to eat since I fought him before. And if he's still afraid"—De Spain drew and broke his revolver almost like a flash. In that incredibly quick instant she realized he might have threatened her life before she could move a muscle—"tell your fine cousin I've got one cartridge left—just one!" So saying, he held in one hand the loaded cartridge and in the other the empty revolver.

"You've asked me to go—I'm going. How much of what you tell me is true, I don't know. But I can believe my own eyes, and I believe you are not in condition to do much injury, even if you came here with that intention. You will certainly lose your life if you move from your hiding place."

She started away. He leaned toward her. "Stop," he said peremptorily, raising himself with a wrenching effort. Something in the stern eye held her. His extended hand pointed toward her as arbitrarily as if, instead of lying helpless at his feet, he could command her to his bidding. "I want to ask you a question. I've told you the truth. I have just one cartridge. If you are going to send your cousin and his men here, it's only fair I should know it now—isn't it?"

"My cousin is wounded," she said, pausing. And then with indecision: "If you stay here quietly you are not likely to be molested."

She stepped down from the ledge as noiselessly as she had come. Shaken by the discovery she had so unexpectedly made, Nan retreated almost precipitately from the spot. And the question of what to do worried her as much as it worried De Spain. The whole range had been shaken by the Calabasas fight. Even the men in Morgan's gap, supposed to be past masters of the game played in the closed room at Calabasas, had been stunned by the issue of the few minutes with Jeffries' new man.

Nan, who had heard but one side of the story, pictured the aggressor from the tale of the two who lived to tell of the horribly sharp action with him. But Nan's common sense whispered to her, whatever might be said about De Spain's starting the fight, that one man locked in a room with four enemies, all dangerous in an affray, was not likely to begin a fight unless forced to—none, at least, but a madman would do so.

Unhappy and irresolute, Nan, when she got home, was glad of an excuse to ride to Calabasas for a packet of dressing coming by stage from Sleepy Cat for Gale, who lay wounded at Satt Morgan's; and, eating a hasty luncheon, she ordered her horse and set out.

Should she tell her Uncle Duke of finding De Spain? Whenever she decided that she must, something in the recollection of De Spain's condition unsettled her resolution. Tales enough of his bloodthirstiness, his merciless efficiency, his ever-ready craft and consummate duplicity were familiar to her. Yet only a few of these stories appealed to Nan's innate convictions of truth and justice. She lived among men who were, for the most part, not truthful or dependable even in small things—how could they be relied on to

tell the truth about De Spain's motives and conduct? As to his deadly skill with arms, no stories were needed to confirm this, even though she herself had once overcome him in a contest. The evidence of his mastery had now a fatal pre-eminence among the tragedies of the Spanish sifks. Where he lay he could, if he meditated revenge on her people, murder any of them, almost at will. To spare his life imperiled to this extent theirs—but surely he lay not far from death by exhaustion. And if he was not helped soon he would die.

But who was to help him? Certainly none of his friends. If she told them they would try to reach him. That would mean an appalling—an unthinkable—fight. All came back to one terrifying alternative: Should she help this wretched man herself? And if he lived, would he repay her by shooting someone of her own kin?

The long ride to Calabasas went fast as the debate swept on, and the vivid shock of her strange experience recurred to her imagination.

She drew up before the big barn. Jim McAlpin was coming out to go to supper. Nan asked for her package and wanted to start directly back again. McAlpin refused absolutely to hear of it. He looked at her horse and professed to be shocked. He told her she had ridden hard, urged her to dismount, and sent her pony in to be rubbed. While her horse was cared for, McAlpin asked, in his harmless Scotch way, about Gale.

Concerning Gale, Nan was noncommittal. But she listened with interest, more or less veiled, to whatever running comment McAlpin had to offer concerning the Calabasas fight. "And I was sorry to see Gale mixed up in it," he concluded, in his effort to draw Nan out, "sorry. And sorrier to think of Henry de Spain getting killed that way. Some say," he suggested, looking significantly toward the door of the barn, and significantly away again, "that Henry went down there to pick a fight with the boys. But," he asserted cryptically, "I happen to know that wasn't so."

"Then what did he go down there for?" demanded Nan indignantly, but not warily.

McAlpin, the situation now in hand, took his time to it. He leaned forward in a manner calculated to invite confidence without giving offense. "Miss Nan," said he simply, "Henry de Spain was here, with me, sitting right there where you are sitting, in that chair, not fifteen minutes before that fight began. I told you he never went down there to fight. Do you want the proof? I'll tell you—I wouldn't want anybody else to know—will you keep it?"

Nan seemed indifferent. "Girls are not supposed to keep secrets," she said obstinately.

Her narrator was not to be balked. He pointed to the coat-rack on the wall in front of them both. "There is Henry de Spain's coat. He hung it there just before he went down to the inn. Under it, if you look, you'll find his belt of cartridges. Don't take my word—look for yourself."

Giving this information time to sink in, McAlpin continued. Nan's eyes had turned, despite her indifference, to the coat; but she was thinking more intently about the belt which McAlpin asserted hung under it. "You want to know what he did go down to the hotel for that afternoon? I happen to know that, too," averred McAlpin, sitting down, but respectfully, on the edge of the chair. "First I want to say this: I worked for your Uncle Duke five years."

He paused to give Nan a chance to dispute the statement if she so desired. Then, taking her despairing silence as an endorsement of his position in giving her a confidence, he went on: "Henry de Spain is dead," he said quietly. She eyed him without so much as winking. "I wouldn't tell it, if he wasn't. The boy's dead. And he was always talking about you. It's God's truth, and since he's dead it harms no one to tell it to you, though I'd never breathe it to another. He was fairly gone on you."

"You don't have to knock me down, Miss Nan, to put me wise about a man's being keen on a girl. I'm a married man," declared McAlpin with modest pride. "He thought all the time he was fooling me, and keeping covered. Now, that afternoon he came in here kind of moody. It was an anniversary for him, and a hard one—the day his father was shot from ambush—a good many years ago, but nary one of us had forgot it. Then he happened to see your pony—this same pony you're riding today—standing back there in the box-stall. He asked me whose it was; and he asked me about you, and, by jinx! the way he perked up when I told him you were coming in on the stage that afternoon! When he heard you'd been sick, he was for going down to the hotel to get a cup of coffee—for you!"

McAlpin, like any good story-teller, was already on his feet again. "He did it," he exclaimed, "and you know what he got when he stepped into the barroom." He took hold of De Spain's coat and held it aside to enter his exhibit. "There," he concluded, "is his cartridge belt, hanging there yet.

The boy is dead—why shouldn't I tell you?"

Nan rode home much more excited, more bewildered than when she had ridden over. Strangest shock of all that this man of all other men should profess to care for her. She had shown anger when McAlpin dared speak of it; at least, she thought she had. And she still did not know how sufficiently to resent the thought of such audacity on De Spain's part. This was, to say the least, a further awkward complication for her feelings. She already had enough to confuse them.

### CHAPTER XII.

#### Nan Drifts.

Without going in to speak to Gale, whom Bull Page, his nurse, reported very cross but not hurt much, Nan left her packet for him and rode home. Her Uncle Duke was in town. She had the house to herself, with only Bonita, the old Mexican serving woman, and Nan ate her late supper alone.

The longer she pondered on De Spain and his dilemma—and her own—the more she worried. When she went to bed, upstairs in her little gable room, she tossed on her pillow till a resolve seized her to go up again to his hiding place and see what she could see or hear—possibly, if one were on foot, she could uncover a plot.

She dressed resolutely, buckled on a holster to her side, and, slipping a revolver—a new one that Gale had given her—into it for protection, she walked softly downstairs and out of doors. The night air was clear, with a three-quarter moon well up in the sky. She took her way rapidly along the trail to the mountain, keeping as much as possible within the great shadows cast by the towering peaks.

Breathing stealthily and keyed to a tense feeling of uncertainty and suspicion, Nan at length reached without adventure the corner of the ledge where she had first seen De Spain, and there, lying flat, listened.

Hearing only the music of the little cascade, she swept the ledge as well as she could with her eyes, but it was now so far in shadow as to lie in impenetrable darkness. Hardly daring to breathe, she crept and felt her way over it with her hands, discovering nothing until she had almost reached De Spain's retreat at the farther side. Then her heart stopped in an agony of fear—underneath the overhanging wall she heard voices. De Spain had confederates, then, and had tricked her, after all.

But a moment later this explanation failed to satisfy her. The mutterings were too constant and too disconnected—it dawned on Nan that this must be delirium. She could hear De Spain throwing himself from side to side, and the near and far sounds, as if of two voices, were explained. She crept nearer.

He was babbling in the chill darkness about ammunition, urging men to make haste, warning them of someone coming. Nan listened to his ravings, overcome by the revelation of his condition. She told herself he must die if he remained longer unaided, and there were unpleasant possibilities, if he died where he lay. She did not want to pity or to help him, she convinced herself; but she did not want his death laid to a Morgan plot—for none of his friends would ever believe De Spain had found his way alive and alone to where he lay.

All of this Nan was casting up in her mind as she walked home. She had already decided, but without realizing it, what to do, and was willing to assume that her mind was still open.

Toward daylight of the morning, De Spain dreamed he was not alone—that a figure moved silently in the faintness of the dawn—a figure he struggled to believe a reality, but one that tricked his wandering senses and left him, at the coming of another day, weaker, with failing courage, and alone.

How De Spain makes friends with Nan and how she deceives her people in order to protect him, is told vividly in the next installment.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

#### New Job for Derelicts.

One hundred derelicts in the Friendly inn in Baltimore have undergone blood tests at the Union Protestant hospital, a branch of Johns Hopkins, for transfusion cases. Of this number 25 have submitted to transfusion operations and have received \$25 for their sacrifice of blood to wealthy patients who lack red corpuscles. The remainder are paid \$1 for keeping themselves in good condition until they are needed.

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**TOYAH NEWS**

Dr. J. R. Neal was a business visitor in Pecos Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davis were visitors in Pecos Monday.

H. E. Wells made a business trip to Pecos Monday.

Gus Hepper and Dug Hart visited in Pecos Sunday.

Miss Irene Andrews visited in Monahans last Sunday.

Sam MacTier was a visitor to Pecos the latter part of last week.

Mrs Beatrice Scholtz visited in Big Springs Saturday and Sunday.

C. W. Crawford made a business trip to Valentine Wednesday.

Mrs. H. F. Wells left this week for a visit to her mother in Oklahoma.

E. B. Daniel is attending the Presbytery at Big Springs this week.

S. C. Claypool was in Pecos Wednesday on business for the T. & P.

Judge H. N. McKellar of Pecos, was a business visitor in Toyah Monday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macek on Wednesday, April 11, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Lewis and daughter Ruth were in Toyah from the ranch Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Theo Andrews were visitors in Pecos Thursday.

The Rook Club will give a general party at the Youngblood hotel Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Jarrell and daughter, Miss Laura, went to Pecos last Friday to do some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Billingslea and daughter, Mrs. Will Dixon, were visitors in Pecos Monday.

Rev. H. O. Moore of Pecos, was in Toyah Sunday and held services at the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Loyd Bell left Monday for Albuquerque New Mexico to join her husband who has employment there.

Rev. R. L. Armor is in Deming, New Mexico, this week in attendance upon District Conference of the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have recently moved to Toyah from Van Horn. Mr. Anderson is 3rd trick operator for the T. & P.

Misses Vera Mitchell and Edith Henson and Messrs. George Daniel and Kiser went to Alpine Saturday to visit friends returning Sunday.

Thomas Elmore Lucey, the noted Southern lecturer and impersonator, entertained an appreciative audience at the school auditorium Tuesday night under the auspices of the Mothers Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Holmes entertained with a six o'clock dinner Sunday. The table was well filled with good things to eat. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cargill and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cargill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Vaughan entertained with a delightfully appointed six o'clock dinner Monday honoring Miss Edith Henson. Covers were laid for following: The honor guest Miss Edith Henson, Miss Vera Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cargill, George Daniel, Cy Keiser and Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan. After the splendid dinner, the evening was spent in music and conversation.

Mrs Lottie Baggett has returned to her home in Denison after an extended visit with relatives in Toyah.

Cy Kiser left Tuesday for San Antonio and New Orleans after a visit of several weeks to his friend George Daniel.

Rev. R. L. Armor was in Balmorhea Sunday and held preaching services for the Methodist congregation.

A. D. Linton and Major T. H. Bomar were over from Pecos Monday as appraisers of the Toyah Drug Company stock

H. H. Faucher and son, Porter, of Seymour, were in Toyah this week looking after business matters. They drove through the country in an automobile.

**PROHIBITION LECTURE**

Hon. J. G. Camp of Atlanta, Ga., is billed for a lecture at Toyah April 15th, on the subject of prohibition. It is announced he will speak at the Methodist church at 11 and the Baptist church at 8 o'clock.

It has been announced that the Hon. J. G. Camp, of Atlanta, Georgia, who is touring the State of Texas in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas, is to address the citizens of this place on the, "Texas on the Water Wagon," on Sunday, April 15th, Methodist Church 11 a. m., Baptist Church, 8 p. m.

It is said that Mr. Camp is one of the most pleasing and eloquent speakers on the platform today. He was a member of the Legislature of Georgia and was one of the men who had a part in making Georgia a dry state. For a number of years he has been on the platform in Chataqua and Lyceum work, and is in demand everywhere. He has just returned from a complete tour of the New England states, having had the most wonderful success of his life as a great speaker.

Mr. Camp has been in Texas a number of different times before this, and wherever he has gone he has taken the people by storm.

At a great mass meeting in Abilene, as well as at San Antonio last fall he made the "set speech" of the meeting, and it was considered the most flowery speech that had ever been given on the subject of prohibition at any time previous to this.

From all reports, there is undoubtedly a treat in store for the citizens of our community.

**NOTICE**

Mr. J. N. Levin, formerly manager of the Crystal Water Ranch Company and the Trees-Levin Cattle Company, has severed his connection with said Crystal Water Ranch Company and also the Trees-Levin Cattle Company. The public will please take note of the consequent termination of his authority to sign or contract for either Company.

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**COMMISSIONERS COURT**

The commissioners court met in regular session Monday with all officers and commissioners present.

Sam. F. Means, et als, presented a petition for a first class road in Loving county to commence near the southeast corner of the county line between Ward and Loving counties and running in a northerly direction. A jury of view was appointed to inspect the proposed route and report at the next meeting.

Bids of Floyd Goodrich and Wm. Meyer to do repair work on the Arno bridge was accepted and contract awarded them.

E. B. Kiser presented his bond as constable of precinct No. 1, which was approved and the oath of office was duly administered, and Kiser is now a full fledged constable.

The matter of the Ligon road was passed to next meeting.

The resignation of James H. Walker as overseer of the road from Balmorhea to Head Springs was accepted and R. L. Wigley appointed to fill out his unexpired term.

Reports of road supervisors were received. Julius Eisenwine reports roads in precinct No. 1 as needing work and culverts and bridges needing repairs.

A. W. Hsie reports roads, culverts and bridges in precinct No. 2 in good shape.

C. C. Kountz reports roads in precinct good.

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Bible school at 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching and communion at 11:00 a. m.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 3:00 p. m.  
Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings.

We extend a hearty invitation to you to attend all these services.

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Preaching at Pecos on the 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Reeves County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of B. F. McCarty, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Reeves county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Pecos, Texas, on the 4th Monday in April, 1917, the same being the 23rd day of April, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of February, 1917, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1697 wherein Mrs. Eva L. Powell, et al, are Plaintiffs, and the Unknown Heirs of B. F. McCarty, deceased, and W. D. Hudson, are defendants, and said petition alleging in substance, that the plaintiff, Mrs. Eva L. Powell, is the owner of the west one-half (W 1-2) of the east one-half (E 1-2) of Lots Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18), Block Thirteen (13), in Pecos City, Reeves county, Texas, said property being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point on the north boundary line of Lot 18 on Second Street at a stake 28 feet west of the N. E. corner of said Lot 18; thence south a distance of 100 feet across Lots 17 and 18, to a stake on division line between Lots 16 and 17, said Pecos City; thence west along said division line 29 1-2 feet to a stake for corner; thence north across said Lots 17 and 18, 100 feet to a stake on north boundary line of Lot 18; thence east along said boundary line 29 1-2 feet to place of beginning. That said plaintiff purchased said property from B. F. McCarty, for a valuable consideration, on or about September 19th, 1892, and that said B. F. McCarty on or about said date, executed and delivered to said plaintiff a deed to said property; that said deed was delivered to the county clerk of Reeves county, Texas, for record, but that said deed has become lost, and has never been recorded. Plaintiff prays judgment for the title and possession of said property and that cloud be removed from the title to same.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness S. C. Vaughan, clerk of the district court of Reeves county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 19th day of February, A. D. 1917.

S. C. VAUGHAN,  
Clerk District Court, Reeves County.  
By LILA WILLIAMS, Deputy. 27-8

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
And County of Reeves }

To Peter Hilger and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land, delinquent to the State of Texas and county of Reeves, for taxes, to-wit:

For the years 1911 and 1913 on the SE 1-4 of NW 1-4 of section 197, block 13, H. & G. N. Ry. Company's survey, in Reeves county, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amount: \$2.50 for State and County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the state for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the April term of the district court of Reeves county, and state of Texas, to be convened in Pecos, Texas, on April 23rd, A. D. 1917, the number of said suit being 343A, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Pecos, Texas, this the 19th day of

March, A. D. 1917  
S. C. VAUGHAN,  
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By LILA WILLIAMS,  
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