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EYES OF COUNTRY NOW UPON DEVELOPMENTS IN PECOS FIELDS

SEVERAL NEW COMPANIES HAVE ENTERED THE FIELD—CON-
TRACTS LET PAST WEEK CALL FOR TEST WELL JUST OUT-
SIDE CORPORATE LIMITS OF PECOS—PRACTICALLY EV-
ERY AVAILABLE ACRE OF LAND IS BEING LEASED

The past week has noticed more
activity than usual in the oil situation
in this section. New companies are
springing up, contracts for the drill-
ing of tests wells have been signed,
and those seeking leases are forced
clean over into Culberson county, as
every available foot of land in the
county of Reeves is leased under the
mineral laws of the State.

For The Enterprise to publish de-
tails of the activities of the individ-
ual companies is impossible for many
of the men connected with them can
give the Sphinx a close run for first
place when it comes to disseminating
knowledge. The editor has tried to
get an insight into the situation, and
gathered several items, which he now
presents to the readers at face value,
giving them the same insight as he
himself has: Here are some of the
developments of the past week:

Watson Going to Pecos

C. M. Watson of Kansas City, said
he will go to Pecos, Texas, Tuesday,
to select the site for a well on the
1000 acres he took over from the
Sunshine Oil Corporation. He has
just returned from what is called the
West Columbia oil fields, about Bra-
zoria, Texas, where he stated he had
acquired another 1000 acres which
will be put into the same company or-
ganized to exploit the Pecos holdings.
—El Paso Herald.

El Paso Sunshine to Start Work Soon

The El Paso Sunshine Oil Com-
pany, capitalized at \$175,000, organ-
ized in El Paso is the first one from
here to enter the Pecos field. It is to
exploit 500 acres of land acquired
from the holdings of the Sunshine
Oil Corporation in Reeves county,
Texas. Material for the derrick is
said to have been purchased and the
work to be commenced at an early
date.

The officers are all El Pasoans:
C. E. (Henry) Kelly, former mayor of
El Paso, president; F. M. Lassiter,
former agent of the Southern Pacific
Railroad, vice-president; C. W.
Croome, attorney, treasurer; and E. C.
Davis, secretary. These officers, with

D. C. Booth, R. H. Rinehart and R.
H. Oliver, all of El Paso also, con-
stitute the board of directors.—El
Paso Herald.

The Herald, in another article,
relative to the El Paso Sunshine Oil
Company, says: "The company has
established an office at 108 East San
Antonio street. It is announced that
the 500 acres secured join the town-
site of Pecos and that drilling for oil
will commence as soon as Mr. Kelly
can make arrangements for a rig. He
will leave for the Ranger field short-
ly to arrange for the drilling work," it
is said.

Sayles Bros. & McAlpine have just
leased 15,000 acres of their ranch in
Culberson county for a 3,500 foot
test well for oil. Drilling operations
on this acreage will start on or be-
fore August 8th, 1919. Peterson-
Scott Leasing & Developing Company
of Fort Worth, have acquired this
lease and will put down the well.

It is understood that one deep test
well and five shallow wells are to be
sunk on the Huling property just
south of the Troxel well—contracts
have been let and the wells to be
started as soon as material can be
secured.

The El Paso Sunshine Oil Co. will
put down a deep test well—the loca-
tion has not been given out, but it is
said that it will be put down on the
section adjoining the town of Pecos
—which side, however, is not given
out. Materials for the well have
been ordered and work will be begun
as soon as it arrives.

Dr. I. E. Smith, who has a lease
on some land here, is now in El Paso
negotiating for the sale of same. He
has had a flattering offer for these
leases, by wire, but he values them at
a higher rate. This condition is
facing many of the land and lease
holders, and there is no doubt but
that things are ripening for one of
the greatest oil booms the country
ever saw. It will pay to keep your
eyes on developments in the next big
oil field of the world—Pecos.

INFORMATION BUREAU FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS

Miss Jean Lemmon, Division Super-
visor of the Home Service Section of
the Red Cross, was here the past
week checking up the local Chapter.

Any information or assistance de-
sired by returning soldiers, Navy men
or Marines, relative to obtaining the
\$60 bonus, extending their insurance,
etc., will be furnished by the under-
signed.

H. R. ANDERSON, Chairman,
Home Service Section Am. Red Cross.

Sid Flory of Toyah attended the
K. of P. Lodge Monday night.

H. F. Anthony was here from his
Pecos county ranch this week.

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Pink Bollworm Com- mission Held Meeting

REPORT OF WORK IN THIS SEC-
TION READY FOR STATE DE-
PARTMENT—FORCE WILL BE
LEFT TO COMBAT PEST

The Pink Bollworm Commission
met in session at the court house last
Saturday morning to hear those who
are interested in the raising of cotton
in the infested districts of Reeves
and Ward counties.

Those present composing the com-
mission were:

Dr. W. D. Hunter, member of the
Federal Horticultural Board, Wash-
ington, D. C., chairman.

H. H. Jobson, Mesquite, Texas,
government appointee.

Fred W. Davis, Commissioner of
Agriculture, Austin, Texas.

E. E. Scholl, entomologist, State
Department of Agriculture.

J. C. Hamlin, Plant Quarantine In-
spector, Houston.

Dr. Jim Camp and R. L. McKnight.

There were about thirty-five gen-
tlemen present at this meeting and
every phase of the matter was thresh-
ed out and a dozen or more talks
made by our citizens.

The commission will make its re-
port to Fred W. Davis, and he and
Governor Hobby will decide the mat-
ter as to whether this will be a re-
stricted or a non-cotton zone. It is
generally conceded that a recom-
mendation will be made for a re-
stricted zone and that our farmers
will be allowed to plant cotton, but
that a force of pink bollworm hun-
ters will stay with us to keep an eye
on the development of this pest.

MARRIED AT GEORGETOWN

A message to relatives conveyed
the news that Holsey Glover, oldest
son of Mrs. Glover of Pecos, and
Miss Lizzie Montgomery, of George-
town, Texas, were married the fore-
part of this week at the home of the
bride's parents.

The bride is a niece of Mrs. E. A.
Farnum and spent nearly a year in
Pecos, being well and favorably
known to many of our people. She
is an accomplished young lady and
Mr. Glover is to be complimented on
winning her.

The groom is a Pecos boy, and for
several years was connected with R.
N. Couch in the ginning business, but
left Pecos in answer to the call of
his country and for the past year has
been in the Veterinary Corps of Un-
cle Sam's Army, from which he was
recently honorably discharged.

The Pecos friends of this happy
young couple will be glad to learn
that they will arrive in Pecos Sunday
to make their home here.

Mrs. J. W. Jackson went over to
Barstow today to attend the funeral
of Col. Dyer, and will remain until
Monday visiting her sister, Mrs. Irby
Dyer.

Will be the Greatest Road Meet Ever Held

INTEREST IN SELECTION OF
NEW ROUTE INTENSE, AND
MANY GOVERNORS WILL BE
IN ATTENDANCE

Every detail for the Seventh An-
nual Convention of the United States
Good Roads Association, the United
States Good Roads Exhibit and the
Third Annual Convention of the
Bankhead National Highway Associa-
tion have been carefully worked out;
this is the announcement made by J.
A. Rountree, Director General of the
organizations.

U. S. Senator Bankhead, president
of the associations, has written posi-
tively that he will attend the con-
vention and preside over the same.
Governor W. P. Hobby of Texas, will
deliver the address of welcome, and
the response will be by Governor C.
H. Brough of Arkansas. The pro-
gram contains the names of some of
the most distinguished speakers of
the United States as well as some
of the most able and most practicable
road builders and engineers of the
nation. Positive assurance has been
given by Governor Bilbo of Missis-
sippi, Pleasants of Louisiana, Robin-
son of Oklahoma and Lazareno of
New Mexico, that they will be in at-
tendance. Senator Morris Sheppard
of Texas, Congressman Blanton, Par-
ish and McBee of Texas, Hon. James
I. Blakeslee, Fourth Assistant Post-
master General, Maurice O. Eldridge
of the United States Road Depart-
ment, Hon. Geo. W. Norris, Chairman
of the Farm Loan Board of Washing-
ton, will all be there and take part
in the convention. Director General
Rountree has been notified by more
than thirty governors that they have
appointed delegates of the leading
and most prominent men to attend
the convention. Delegates appoint-
ed by the governors, State Highway
Commissions, County Judges, May-
ors, Chambers of Commerce, Auto-
mobile and Good Roads Clubs, number
over 10,000, and it is believed that
at least two-thirds or more of these
delegates who have been appointed
will attend.

Mineral Wells is making arrange-
ments to entertain the delegates and
visitors in the most hospitable man-
ner. Delegates living east of Little
Rock, Ark., and all the way from
Washington, are requested to pur-
chase round trip tourist tickets. This
is the only possible rate that can be
secured for the convention. Taking
everything into consideration, the
"Good Roads Week" in Mineral
Wells promises to be the greatest
gathering of good roads boosters ever
held in America.

C. R. Troxel, of the Troxel Oil Co.,

operating north of Toyah, was a Pecos
visitor yesterday, and refutes the
statement in a recent edition of the
El Paso Herald that his well is down
700 feet. Troxel says the depth of
the well is exactly 350 feet.

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Chamber of Com- merce Calls Meeting

MATTER OF HAVING REPRESENTATION AT MINERAL WELLS
DISCUSSED—HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION FORMED

There was no meeting of the Pecos
Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night
on account of the inclement weather,
but a called meeting was had last
night, which was well attended.
The meeting was for the purpose
of discussing the Good Roads Meet-
ing to be held at Mineral Wells, be-
ginning April 14th, and the sending
of the proper number of delegates to
this meeting.

An important phase of the meet-
ing was the appointment of a com-
mittee to solicit members for the Na-
tional Highway Association. About
80 members were secured at this
meeting, and a committee composed
of A. G. Taggart, Monroe Kerr, and
O. T. Norwood was appointed to can-
vass the county and secure all mem-
bers possible for the Association.

The securing of members for this
Association is important, as the num-
ber secured determines the vote the
county will be allowed to cast on all
questions voted upon at the meeting
of the Association at Mineral Wells.
One vote for every ten members is
the ratio set out by the regulations.

The Chamber of Commerce will
pay the expenses of its secretary, O.
T. Norwood, to attend the meeting of
the National Highway Association.

The matter was discussed thor-
oughly at this session and everything
in its shape to let the meeting at Mi-
neral Wells know that Pecos and
Reeves county are alive to every issue
of importance to the welfare of the
people.

The matter of a big light on the
tower of the city waterworks was dis-
cussed and a committee appointed to
go before the City Council and recom-
mend that this feature be main-
tained. In this connection it might
be well to state here that Albert Q.
Ross, who was doing some work on
the tower, placed a light on the top
thereof and those who have noticed
it are loud in their praise of its ap-
pearance. It would be a shame to
have it taken down, unless to replace
it with a larger and better one, with
the sign to read "Pecos". This is
what is contemplated by the Chamber
of Commerce.

Monty Somes, formerly a resident
of Pecos and erstwhile owner of the
old Pecos Times, is here from Waco
on a visit to his daughters, Mrs. Ta-
tum Moore of Brogado, and Mrs.
Hardin Ross. "Doc" is looking well
and says life is dealing gently with
him.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cowan and
two little children were in from the
ranch for a few days the fore part
of the week, visiting home folk.

The Why of the Victory Liberty Loan

IT IS JUST AS IMPORTANT THAT
LOAN IS OVERSUBSCRIBED
AS OTHERS—IT PAYS FOR
THE GREAT VICTORY

The minds of many of our people
are in a haze regarding the Victory
Liberty Loan—the exact nature and
urgency for it. In a communication
to The Enterprise, Federal District
Director Frank M. Smith, outlines
the following facts which should put
the people right in regard to the Loan
and solicit their whole-hearted sup-
port:

"The Government spent all of the
Fourth Liberty Loan money before
the last installment was due from
the public. It has been borrowing
billions of dollars from the banks
the last few months to pay our war
debts, and the time has arrived when
that money must be paid back to the
banks.

"The money which we are now asked
to lend is to pay for those vast
stores of equipment and ammunition
which scared the Germans stiff and
made them realize they were beaten.
We are asked to pay for the prepara-
tions that saved thousands of Ameri-
can lives; for if the Government had
not run up this bill our boys would
be fighting and dying in the trenches
today.

"This loan should be considered in
terms of human lives, not percentage
or any other considerations, for it
will constitute the real test of our
Americanism.

It is a loan of thanksgiving to Al-
mighty God, to the men who have suf-
fered and died for us, and to a sane
and enlightened government that
kept us out of war as long as possi-
ble, and then being in it, brought us
out in a manner that will live for all
time as a monument of courage and
efficiency. It is a loan of thankgiving
for the preservation of our nation-
al life, our business, our fortunes,
and our homes, all of which were
threatened.

"Why should I write more? Such
considerations inevitably must appeal
to the heart and mind of every true
man and woman.

"Fortunately, the Government in-
tends to make the offering bear a
very fair rate of interest. If it bore
no interest at all there would still be
enough red-blooded Americans in
this part of the world to oversub-
scribe it. As it is, the Victory Lib-
erty Loan is going over, and going
over BIG.

After today the editor will be in
position to sympathize with those of
the Bachelors' Club. Mrs. Hibdon
will leave tonight as a delegate to
the W. O. W. Circle which convenes
at Dallas, and will remain for a two
weeks' visit with her son and friends
in Dallas. On the return trip she will
visit at Handley and Santo with relatives.

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Louis Wiley, business manager of the New York Times, says that out of the \$35,000,000 used by the German agents in this country to spread their propaganda, \$2,000,000 was expended in a vain effort to bribe, influence or buy the support of the American press.

A tank car loaded with molasses, recently upset near Tilford, Pa. People came from miles around and salvaged the sweet fluid, as it settled in hollows where one could dip up several gallons without getting any dirt in it at all. Hundreds of gallons were gotten in this way.



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HAPPENINGS AT THE PECOS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Mr. Rutledge went to the Methodist convention at Carlsbad, last week, leaving Pecos Thursday noon and returning Saturday. He visited some of the New Mexico schools and reported having enjoyed it very much indeed. Mrs. Finley taught while he was away.

Henry Floyd, a graduate of the Pecos High School of 1917, was visiting the school Monday. He said he could not feel at home, as the building had changed; new teachers and also new chairs. When he went into the laboratory he saw some familiar apparatus and was satisfied.

George Ross has returned to school after having been to Fort Worth, where he had his eyes treated. He expects to be in school for the remainder of the term.

Clyde Andrews has also returned from having his eyes treated. He visited a specialist in Roswell, N. M. Mrs. Hudson was late getting to school Monday morning, having forgotten to set her clock ahead one hour.

Some of the Seniors of the Pecos High School received cards from Mr. Hayden, who is in France. He was one of the 7,500 college soldiers selected to attend European Universities. He states that he is studying law in the University of Toulouse. He tells us that this is the second oldest university in France. He expects to remain until July. He seems to be pleased with the scenery around him having the snow-covered Pyrenees in plain view.

The girls of the Senior Class had a Saturday market at the Pecos Valley State Bank last Saturday, selling pies, sandwiches, cake, salad and ice cream cones. They were well pleased with the sale and expect to repeat soon.

Rev. L. N. Stucky, a graduate of Princeton University, spoke to the Seventh Grade Tuesday morning. He was visiting Mr. Rutledge and was to have left on the early morning train, but failing to get off he came to the school house. He is a good speaker, and the Seventh Grade enjoyed his talks very much.

On April 1st, some of the High School students decided to be April fools, and at recess in the afternoon they gradually disappeared and only a few were left for the recitations after recess. Aftermath—what?

Friday evening at the school building, at 7:15, the Senior Girls' Declamation, Junior Boys' Declamation, and the debate will be had. Everyone is invited to come. Admission 10 cents.

Saturday evening at the Baptist church, at 7:15, will be the County Meet. This will be interesting and all are invited to come as there will be present contestants from every school in the county. No admission will be charged.

Assembly Period

Last Thursday in assembly we were honored by the presence of Mr. Anthony from the State Department of Crusaders at Austin. Also present with us were H. H. Johnson, Secretary of the Red Cross, Brother F. B. Faust, Mr. Bozeman, one of the Trustees, and Mrs. J. W. Moore, the chairman of the Red Cross.

The meeting opened by singing the two patriotic songs, "America" and "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." Mr. Rutledge then introduced the speaker of the hour, Mr. Anthony. Almost an hour was taken up in discussing the Crusade Movement.

He pointed out two ways in which we might avoid diseases. First, keep the places clean in which the germs thrive. Second, to avoid the germ itself. We accomplish the first by keeping our finger-nails, teeth and body clean. By taking deep breaths of fresh air, leaving our windows open at night when we go to sleep, and eating at regular periods of the day. We accomplish the second by keeping away from people who have had colds and diseases. If our body is clean and healthy the germs have no place to live and, therefore, die. He brought out many details on the subject and everyone present was benefitted. He told of the interest in the El Paso schools and others over the State. Pecos will have to work to win the four prizes given by the State, but I know she is capable and is doing her best.

Mr. Anthony asked for the percentage in the different grades and found a large per cent to be Esquires.

The next speaker was Mrs. Moore, followed by Mr. Johnson. After a few remarks by them we were entertained by a beautiful duet by the Misses Mary and Della Hudgens.

At recess Mr. Anthony spoke to the children of the lower grades in the basement. Little Wallace Anderson gave the rules of the Crusade in such a commendable way that it brought forth the compliments of our visitor.

At noon he spoke to the teachers and asked them to continue the splen-

did work that is being done. He said in some way the pupils of Pecos were the neatest looking he had seen and thought maybe the light was deceiving him. He was told that it was the splendid hard water plus plenty of good soap.

Mr. Anthony left Thursday afternoon for Midland where he was to speak the following morning. Everyone that heard him will tell you of the pleasure and good they received from his talks.

ANNIE WRIGHT.

A Word About Athletics

March 22nd marked the close of the basketball season. The High School team won the last game with Barstow played on the Pecos grounds. We played but three match games this season, and had the honor of winning them all. The scores of the three games were: Pecos 10, Barstow 6; Pecos 14, Barstow 10; Pecos 24, Barstow 13.

Since the close of the basketball season all attention has been turned to baseball and track work. The first baseball game was with the town team, played Friday, March 28, in which the High School won by a score of 2 to 1.

The County Meet will be held at Pecos April 5th. The Athletic events will take place on the race track. We realize that there has not been the usual pep and earnestness in the work this year, but renewed effort will be put forth during the last week and we hope to win our portion of first places.

The District Meet will be held at Midland, April 18th and 19th.

T. E. B.

Result of the Contest Friday Evening

The preliminary contests for the Junior Girls' Declamation and spelling were held at the school house Friday night at seven o'clock. Those entering the declamation contest were: Pal and Ione Krauskopf, Virginia Bozeman, Santa Brocat, Dorothy Sisk, Mary Magee, Mamic Moran, Lucile Ruhlen and Majorie Ward. The spelling contestants were: Estelle Hicks, Mary Magee, Hattie and Estelle Durdin. The program was agreeably interspersed with music. Immediately after the declamation contest, the judges, Mr. Tenny, pastor of the Presbyterian church in Barstow, Mr. Russell, a prominent lawyer of Barstow, and Miss Smithy, of the Barstow High School faculty, retired and the spelling contest began.

Dorothy Sisk won first place in the Declamation, while Mary Magee and Virginia Bozeman were awarded second and third places, respectively. Estelle Durdin ranked first in spelling. She is a member of the Senior Class and we are very proud of her.

SARAGOSA ITEMS

Jerome Dolezal and wife of Pecos, were here Wednesday visiting Mrs. Dolezal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wilson.

Mrs. John Oates has gone to Pecos to assist in the management of the Pecos Hotel during the absence of Mrs. Martha Adams.

Rev. Thornton, accompanied by Rev. J. W. Saylor and Rev. C. A. Dickson went to Toyah Sunday morning, preaching there Sunday morning. He preached at Balmorhea at night. He has been called to the pastorate of the Toyah and Balmorhea churches, and if he accepts the call will soon move his family from Sulphur Springs to Toyah.

The Fifth Sunday meeting of the Pecos Valley Baptist Association was held here commencing on Thursday, March 27th, and continuing until the following Sunday morning. A good program was rendered, several excellent sermons were preached by the visiting ministers, a good crowd was present at the services which were much enjoyed. Visiting preachers who were present were, Knight of Pecos, Saylor of Fort Stockton, Courson of Grandfalls, Thornton of Sulphur Springs, and Dickson of Saragosa.

One, two,—it's good to chew,
Three, four,—they all want more,
Five, six,—it comes in sticks,
Seven, eight,—the flavor's great,
Nine, ten,—come again
—with Wrigley's.

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In a recent test at Dayton, O., a new American type of monoplane attained a speed of 145 miles an hour. This plane, which was built under government supervision, with a view to military use, carried two passengers. It reached an altitude of 2500 feet. When loaded for service the new plane weighs 24,000 pounds.

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FOR SALE BY Pecos Auto Company

COL. DYER PASSES AWAY

News was received in Pecos this morning that Col. G. W. Dyer, of Barstow, had passed away last night at the ripe age of 83 years. The Colonel had been ill about four months.

Mr. Dyer was one of the pioneer settlers in this section, and to men of his kind can be attributed the great progress and prosperity of West Texas today. His life was a useful one, and the many relatives left to mourn his passing can find strength and inspiration in the memory of his life. The Enterprise extends sympathy to each of them.

Burial was in the Barstow cemetery this afternoon.

Let your idle books help our soldiers—You can do your bit.

PUBLIC SCHOOL PROGRAM AT AUDITORIUM TONIGHT

Following is the program arranged for the Interscholastic Contest to be held tonight at 8:15:

- Chorus.
- Junior Boys' Declamation contest.
- Piano Selection.
- Senior Girls' Declamation contest.
- Music.
- Senior Boys' Declamation.
- Male quartette.
- Debate.
- Decision of the judges.

Mrs. Ben Randals will leave today for El Paso for a visit to her husband, Judge Ben Randals, who is in Army Y. M. C. A. work there.

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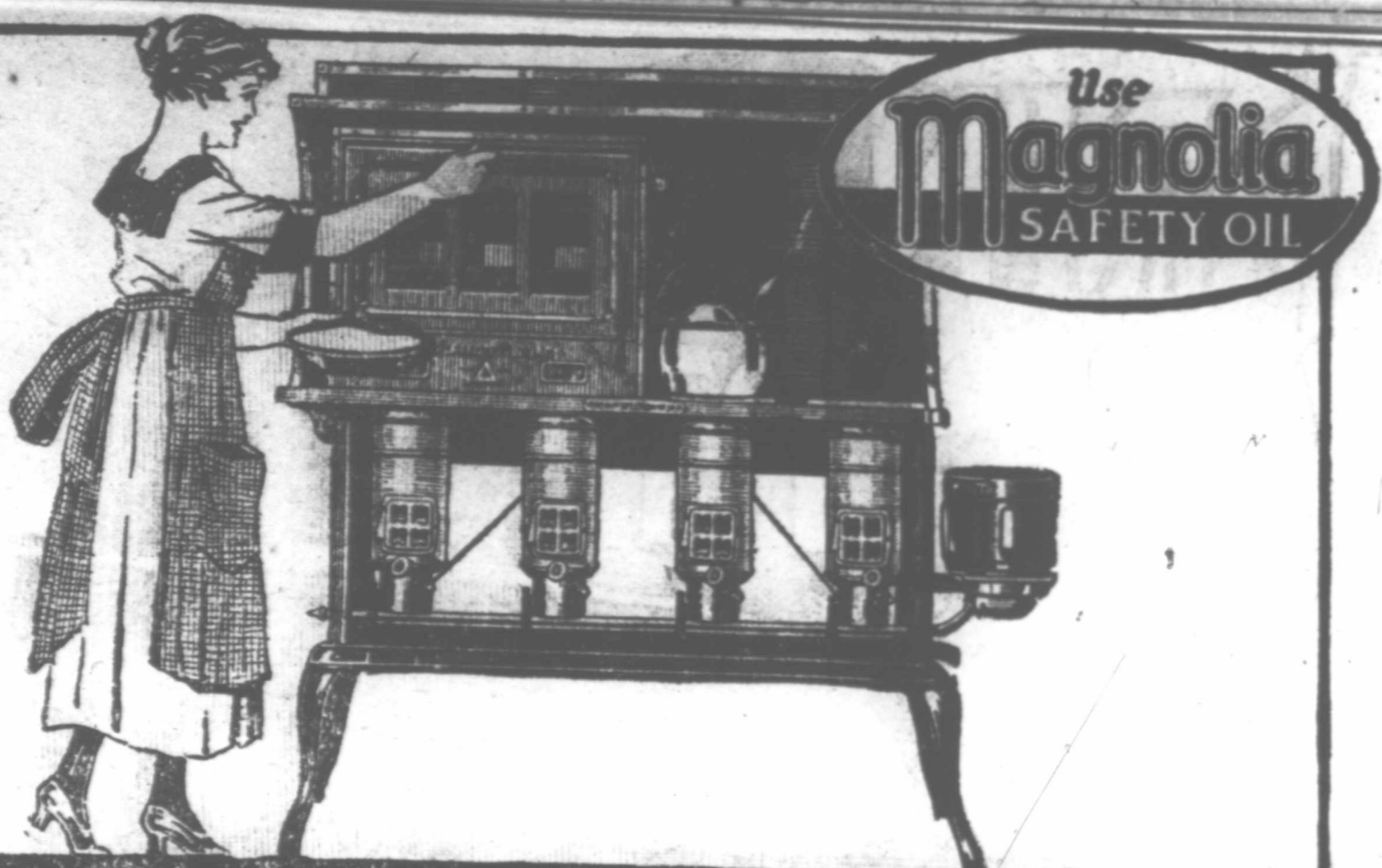
PEACE HAS COME

One of the biggest items in the new era that the return of Peace has ushered in will be that of BUILDING. Building of honor, integrity, a democracy that will survive and, as important as any, the

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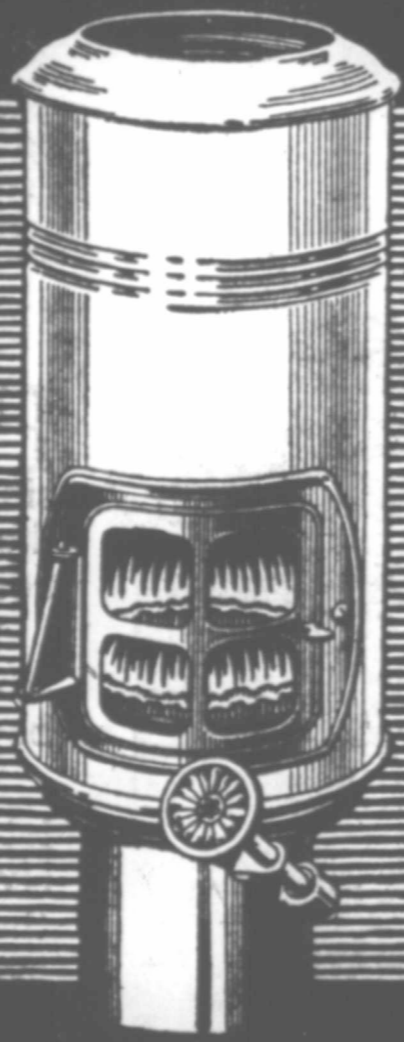
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Some of the most famous cranberry bogs of the United States, those of Cape Cod, are being injured by a very unwelcome visit of moths. Nobody seems to know where they came from, but they are causing considerable alarm, and unless the Bureau of Agriculture offers some remedy, the people of this country will be short of cranberries next Thanksgiving.

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PURCHASES SEWELL FARM

At the sheriff's sale held in Pecos Tuesday, it is understood that Dr. Jim Camp became the owner of the R. N. Sewell farm up the River.

The sum bid in on this land is not known to The Enterprise, but the valuation of the property is about \$4,500.

The Texas Oil Boom Is In Its Infancy

OPINION OF NOTED GEOLOGIST OF CALIFORNIA—SAYS REAL BUSINESS OF OIL PRODUCTION HASN'T BEGUN

A. T. Pollak of San Francisco, arrived in Fort Worth Saturday to investigate the West Texas oil fields. Pollak is one of the most noted geologists of the Pacific Coast and is a representative of a large corporation which purposes to buy in the fields.

"Oil is like tea in a cup, the more you drink the less you have," is a favorite slogan of the geologist. He disapproves of the drilling of wells close together for he considers the future rather than the present. He much prefers a steady stream of gold pouring into coffers rather than a rush that overflows and is wasted.

"There are more persons interested in the oil game than the oil business here, it seems," said Pollak Saturday. "The oil business means when oil is produced. Drilling a well is frequently a game, a gamble. After it comes in then the business begins and must be managed carefully, shrewdly."

That Texas fields will furnish the lubricating fluids for Europe is the opinion of Pollak. He says that it will be many years before the Galacian or Roumanian fields are restored to their former production. The oil produced in Texas is of the kind that is best for lubricating purposes. Texas will become the mecca of oil refineries.

The crowds are just beginning to come to Texas, Pollak asserts. Wanderlust will increase the oil fever in the Spring. The fact that the roads about the oil fields are impassable is known widely but with Spring these will clear up and the influx of people will start in real earnest.

There are going to be more buying of stocks and leases in the Spring, Pollak declares. He thinks that the reason is a psychological one. The

all will respond. Deals will be consummated just because the weather will put all in more agreeable and venturesome moods.

Pollak has been in practically all the oil fields. He says that the boom in Texas is greater than any he has ever seen or heard of, even now, when it is in but its embryo stage.—Star-Telegram.

"UNCLE" JOE PREUSSER FAST LOSING EYESIGHT

"Uncle" Joe Preusser and son, Philip, were in Pecos Monday from their home in Toyah. Uncle Joe is fast losing his sight and has been advised by his physicians that there is no hope of it returning. He can now barely see to get about. Uncle Joe recently made an effort to secure a pension, to which The Enterprise sincerely believes he is justly entitled as an old Confederate veteran. There are many now drawing pensions, in the opinion of this editor, much less worthy than this gentleman of the old Southern School. It is claimed that Uncle Joe owns too much property, and that is the reason for the government refusing the pension. He owns three or four sections—that is about a one-fortieth interest in that land—and since he has no stock it is rather a liability than an asset.

The Enterprise, for one, is in favor of giving Uncle Joe a pension or forever cutting out the pension business in Texas. Let's be just or nothing.

DANCE AT BALMORHEA

An invitation from Balmorhea to a dance to be held there tonight was accepted by several of our younger set, who will auto out this evening to enjoy the affair. Among those noted were Chas. Hefner, Corp. Gant, Private Hoffman, Lt. Von Rosenberg, and Philip Pryor; the Misses Grace Duncan, Lola Hines, Amy Langham, Curtis Breedlove, Jane Looby and Annie Wright.

The poorest people in the world are said to be the Indians of Attu, an island at the tip of the Aleutian group, of Alaska. These people only number about 100 and live on eggs, fish, seal, and an occasional walrus. Their fuel is driftwood that is carried to the island by the Japanese Current, and for cloth they are dependent upon what the infrequent traders bring to them, besides the native cloth made of grass and skins.

PIANO CLASS RECITAL

Mrs. Lillian Butler's piano class gave an interesting recital Wednesday at the studio in the presence of a goodly number of parents and friends. The improvement in execution over former recitals by this class was made note of. The following pupils were present: Mrs. Clinton Ezell, Helen Ezell, Anna and Edna Boles, Mildred Buckles, Zorene Todd, Tennie Cross, Cleo Blalock, Marguerite and Dorothy Bean, Joe, Mollie, and Maggie Mitchell, Virginia Bozeman, Lucile Brooks, Mary and Della Hudgens, Willie Ruth Hines, Mozelle Bryan, Ruby Mae Beauchamp, Alice Morrison, Floena Vaughan, Virginia Runnels, and Fred Higgins. Those absent were Mrs. J. E. Hudson, Alma Kraus, Lorena Furr, Frances Hubbard, DeEtte Green and William Adams. The ukelele quartette was encored until it was repeated and a request was made that it be given Friday night at the Keeping Up Club. Fred Higgins was also encored; he is making splendid headway with music.

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JOHN HIBDON
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A wise man will learn by watching Pecos grow, that it takes concerted action and a total absence of knocking to make things move along nicely. A fool will stick to his knocking and will naturally land among his own class, for it is the inflexible law of Nature that water seeks its own level, and so will every individual gradually fall in line with those of his own thoughts and abilities.

Our citizens are justly proud of Pecos, the City Beautiful. The town is all right and the people are all right, and those burrs around us that are making a vain effort to minimize our advantages would make better headway if they would confine themselves to the truth and look after the matter of boosting their own instead of knocking the other. No one wants to locate among a set of grouches and knockers, and if you want to build up with that higher class of citizenship follow the example of Pecos and get in the boosting class—cut out the knocking and devote your whole energy to boosting.

A great deal could be said about the disadvantages of many towns not a thousand miles from Pecos. The items would be many and various. Would it help Pecos? Not by a jugful. This editor's hat is off to the people who, in the face of such drawbacks, have the grit and pluck to fight and overcome the difficulties. In early youth the lesson not to ridicule the unfortunate was impressed deeply. Also, was the lesson that it pays to take life from the angle of sportsmanship. If the other fellow is ahead, not to pull him back, but try to overtake and outdistance him, if possible. This method leaves you your own self-respect and gains you the other fellow's, to boot.

Some party or parties have been mutilating the sign-boards on roads leading into Pecos recently. At a road crossing near Toyah Lake, ten miles from Pecos, it has been made to read 100 miles. On another part of the road the sign has been turned half around, making the sign show an entirely different road. It is said that a sign-board at Kent warns all travelers to go the lower road as the road leading to Toyah and Pecos is impassable. It appears from the above that all the criminals of West Texas are neither in the jails or penitentiaries, and that there will be plenty of work for the grand juries investigating these infractions of the law when the District Court meets again.

Every American, worthy of the name, should prepare for his duty in the Victory Liberty Loan, that will soon be upon us. Many seem cold and indifferent to the proposition because the war is ended. They can't see the why for another loan at this stage of the game. If they knew the tremendous cost of our war preparations that took all the wind out of Germany's sails, how the government had to borrow millions and billions of the money from banks to meet the expense of these preparations, and how must have the money to repay the banks for the loans, it might put the matter in a different light. The next loan, as the name implies, is the piece of Victory. What American will begrudge the mere pittance he will contribute. The Victory was so great, so complete, that the men who will loan millions in the campaign will be contributing but a mite. The same problems that confronted us in the previous loans loom up in the Victory Loan: The government must have the money, and if not loaned by the people, taxation will be inevitable. The vast waste of material because of the war's sudden end should not for a moment be taken into consideration, and will not by true Americans. The saving of American lives is the thing that looms up before the vision of every true patriot. "Win the War at Any Price," was America's slogan of preparation. Let's not forget that!

where is the compulsory school law? The law that says each child, within certain ages, shall go to school a certain length of time each school term? There are many laws enacted with which the average citizen never even thinks about—doesn't know of such a law, in fact—but the above law was noted and heralded with delight by the majority of citizens. A law to do a people good must be enforced, otherwise it is useless and the popular clamor for "Fewer Laws" is entirely justified. Even on the Pecos streets will be found children who can neither read or write, and who make no pretense to attend a splendid school. For the sake of the child the law should be enforced. Time was when an education was secondary to a livelihood, but times have changed and an education today is the one essential to even get your feet upon success' ladder, much less to reach the top.

CAR WITH DANCE PARTY GOES OVER EMBANKMENT

Several young people in Pecos can consider themselves thankful they are alive today after an accident that only a miracle can account for the fact that human lives were not snuffed out. A dance at Toyah attracted some of the younger set of Pecos who started thither in cars, one being the fine Cole owned by Mrs. Lou Duncan, driven by a daughter, Miss Duncan, and carrying the following: Carrie Wadley, Lillian Eddins, Amy Langham, Mrs Tom Bromley, and L. Von Rosenberg.

Just outside the city limits, at the first turn on the graveled highway, the driver evidently lost control of the car and it plunged over the embankment. Several versions of the car's antics are current, but it is an established fact that it is now a wreck and will be out of commission for several weeks to come.

Miss Duncan was thrown over the steering wheel, but the remainder of the party were caught underneath the wreckage, Miss Wadley being pinned firmly and the full weight of the car on her. Her injuries for a while were considered very serious, being internal. Mrs. Bromley's arm was broken, but with the aid of a sling she is attending to her duties as usual. The others were badly shaken up, and almost unhurt.

RANGER-HUDSON OFFICIALS LEAVE TO SELECT WELL SITE

The Ranger-Hudson Oil Company, which is composed entirely of citizens of Reeves county, has had its stock on the market for the past two weeks and the results of sales has been beyond the expectations. The sales to date are ample to justify drilling on their first well in the Ranger field, and a party left Pecos today to select the site. They were, Finley Holmes, of Toyah, D. W. Bozeman, L. W. Anderson and T. Y. Casey of Pecos.

These people have a fine proposition, this editor believes, and have given the home people the first, and a fair chance to get in on the ground floor with them. May they become richer than Croesus, every one of them.

Mac Sayles, one of the big stockmen of Culberson county, was a Pecos visitor today. Accompanying him from Toyah was Postmaster H. H. Luckett.

DIED AT DENVER COLORADO.

Ida May Lansing, will be pleasantly remembered by the people of Toyah, she and her mother having lived there several years. They made many friends, who will be grieved to learn of her untimely death, in the height of young womanhood. She came to Toyah for her health, having contracted the dread White Plague, and from there sought the higher altitude of Colorado, hoping the change would benefit her condition. Her mother an aunt were with her at the end, which came suddenly.

The body was taken to Marshall, Texas, and laid to rest. Surviving is an uncle, Howard Yost of Toyah, one aunt, Mrs. Sarah Greene, another sister, and the mother, Mrs. Alice Lansing, all of Marshall.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. E. A. Farnum, Gus Montgomery, Mrs. R. F. Kelton, and L. Montgomery, request The Enterprise to thank the many kind friends who by word or deed helped lift the weight of sorrow that was theirs during the illness and death of their brother and uncle, Scott Montgomery. Their wish and prayer is that none may lack kind and loving hands when the shadows come to darken their lives.

The Enterprise has plenty of Oil Leases—Form 88—in stock, for sale.

HAY AND STOCK SHIPMENTS

Six cars of hay were shipped to points in north and east Texas this week from the Toyah Valley, three from Balmorhea and three from Saragosa.

Tuesday and Wednesday the following shipments passed through Pecos from New Mexico points: A. J. Basel 2 cars of sheep from Artesia to San Angelo. H. A. Hamilton, 5 cars from Carlsbad to Standard, and four cars to Osman. Hamilton & White, 2 cars from Dryden to Eagle Pass.

Tuesday L. V. Carroll shipped a car of horses from Artesia, N. M., to C. D. Ward at Cisco.

Tuesday L. T. Davis shipped in from El Paso a car of horses to Pecos.

Tuesday Lee Ligon, who is moving to Pecos from DeKalb, shipped in 5 cars of stock and an immigrant car. The cattle were shipped to Angeles on pasture.

MICKIE SAYS

THE BOSS IS TOO OLD 'I' GIT DRAFTED, BUT 'I'LL SAY HE'S DOIN' HIS BIT JEST THE SAME, WITH ALL THE FREE ADVERTISIN' HE PRINTS FER THE RED CROSS, 'N THE LIBERTY LOAN, 'N THE W. S. S., 'N THE WAR CHEST, 'N THE Y. M. C. A., 'N THE RECRUITING CAMPAIGN 'N THE BELGIAN RELIEF 'N MR. HOOVER 'N EVERYTHING



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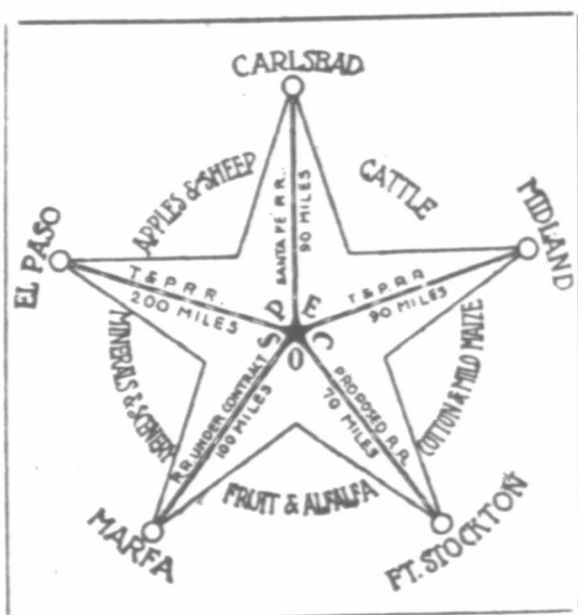
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W. A. KNIGHT, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

We desire that all shall read the resolutions adopted by this congregation last Sunday, which are published elsewhere in The Enterprise.

Our protracted meeting begins Sunday morning. C. M. Prater will be present to lead the singing. J. T. McKissick will arrive Monday to do the preaching. A personal invitation has been extended to members of other churches through the ministers, but we use this method also to ask that all attend and get as much good from these services as possible. Bro. Prater asks for the cooperation of all the singers. To the general public we extend a cordial invitation. Come.

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HONORS DISTINGUISHED GUESTS AT MEETING

The pretty bungalow home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Wylie was the scene Monday afternoon from three until six o'clock, under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society, with Mrs. Wylie, Mrs. J. W. Parker and Mrs. Monroe Kerr as hostesses, at the regular monthly meeting and silver offering by the society, and in connection with this was held in honor of the distinguished guests of the church, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ayers, Mrs. S. G. Douglas, Revs. L. N. Stucky, J. L. Graham, Lawrence Reynolds and John S. Rice, who with Mrs. Ben Randals and Mrs. Albert Sisk, Conference officers of the Missionary Society, composed the receiving line.

The house decorations and costumes of those entertaining depicted a Japanese court. Mrs. Wylie received the guests at the door, Mrs. Kerr presented them to the three princesses, these roles admirably portrayed by Misses Ruby Mae Beauchamp, Jessye Heard and Evelyn Slack. Mrs. Randals presented the guests to those in the receiving line and Mrs. Parker, as a princess presented the subjects to "your royal majesty," the empress, whom Mrs. Boles impersonated to perfection.

The following very interesting program was given:

"Sweet and Low," by Laura Wylie, Olie Fitzgerald, Elsie Hedblom, Letha Prewit, Gladys Lawson and Auline Stephen, with Miss Sadie Collings as piano accompanist.

Piano solo, by Frances Linton.

Talk on Japan, by the Empress, Mrs. Boles.

Piano Solo, Miss Irene Prewit.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. Lillian Butler.

Piano Solo, Miss Buena Mae Howard.

Reading, Miss Virginia Bozeman.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. W. H. Browning, Jr.

Reading, Miss Julia Magee.

The numbers were all highly appreciated and practically all responded to an encore. Talks, to the point, on the Centenary movement and other subjects, interspersed with merry-making were made by Mr. and Mrs. Ayers, Mrs. Douglas, Revs. Stucky, Reynolds, Graham, Rice and Faust.

Refreshments of tea and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Curtis, Revs. L. N. Stucky, John S. Rice, J. L. Graham, Lawrence Reynolds, and F. B. Faust, Mesdames S. G. Douglas, J. O. Toliver, L. M. Lawson, O. T. Norwood, John Hibdon, H. E. Curtis, Ben Randals, T. Y. Casey, J. C. Hollebeke, Andy Hedblom, R. E. L. Kite, J. A. Drane, John Lilley, M. W. Collie, Clay Cooke, E. J. Moyer, Chas. Manahans, Walter Browning, Doyle Garrison, D. W. Bozeman, Lillian Butler, Earl Ligon, H. N. McKellar, Albert Sisk, Roy Wilcox, M. D. Smith, A. E. Wilcox, J. G. Love, A. G. Taggart, G. C. Parker, Tena Adams, C. S. McCarver, W. H. Browning, Jr., Mary Boatright, Ida Hines, Wylie Cole and H. C. Zimmer, and Misses Sadie Collings, Julia Magee, Lucile Brooks, Frances Linton, Evelyn Slack, Jessye Heard, Ruby Mae Beauchamp, Virginia Bozeman, and Buena Mae Howard.

BAPTIST LADIES AID

The South Side Circle of the Baptist Ladies Aid Society were the hostesses Tuesday afternoon at the delightful home of Mrs. W. D. Cowan at the regular monthly Bible study and social meeting. The pastor, Rev. W. A. Knight, conducted an interesting Bible study from Exodus. The occasion was also in the nature of a farewell to Mrs. M. A. Churchill, who will leave soon for her new home at Broken Arrow, Okla. She was presented by Mrs. T. Y. Casey in behalf of the Society, with a handsome Bible in appreciation for her faithful service as the efficient secretary, which position she has held for some time. Tribute was also paid to the splendid christian character that she is. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The following were present: Mesdames T. Y. Casey, J. V. Hanson, Steve Ward, M. A. Churchill, Bert Simpson, F. W. Johnson, W. A. Knight, J. G. Murrey, Jim Prewit, Doyle Garrison, Jim Payne, T. J. Hefner, Marvin Cowan, George Duncan, Sid Cowan, Collie Prewit, W. D. Cowan, Mrs. Stiles and Miss Lennie Jeffords, and Miss Mabel Nold.

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Several of the colleges have planned to make the 1919 Commencement a "Victory Commencement" not only in celebration of the closing of the work of the institution, but in honoring the members of the various classes who have been in the service.

Our attorney will have charge of some accounts after the 10th, if yours is one of them, better see to it before it is too late.—Green's. Advertisement

TO FORT STOCKTON

Rev. and Mrs. Fred B. Faust, and the Centenary party, who had been the guests of the Methodist people of the city for a few days, composed of Revs. L. N. Stucky, Lawrence Reynolds, J. L. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Ayers, and Mrs. S. G. Douglas, of El Paso, Rev. John S. Rice of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sisk, and Mrs. Ben Randals, left Tuesday for Fort Stockton, where they will attend the meeting of the El Paso District Conference, held there this week.

Have you bought a Cash Book? Try one, they're fine. Money refunded if not satisfied.—Green's. (Advertisement.)

It is said that the best equipped polar expedition ever sent out will leave in June for the North Pole. It will be led by Capt. Robt. A. Bartlett, who has been a close friend of Rear Admiral Robt. E. Peary for many years. Aeroplanes will be carried along, so that the region of the pole may be photographed from the air. The expedition will be financed by the Aero Club of America. The approximated cost of the expedition will be about \$250,000.

REVIVAL STARTS SUNDAY

A revival meeting will start at the Christian church in Pecos Sunday.

The preaching will be by J. T. McKissick, who is pastor of the Christian church at Midland, and a man who has had wide experience in the evangelistic field.

Good music and singing will be a feature of this meeting and this phase of the work will be in the hands of C. M. Prater of Lindale.

The meetings will continue for two full weeks, or to be exact, until Sunday, April 20th.

All past due accounts must be paid. We will not carry them.—Green's. Advertisement

Every returning Canadian gets \$5 when he boards the ship for home and \$5 more when he lands. This is deducted from his pay. Many American troops have been brought back even wounded, without a cent.

An American soldier, who captured a group of German soldiers single-handed, found that one of them was a former neighbor of his in Ohio, and on a visit to Germany had been drafted into the army.

MODERN MACHINERY

Improvements, and labor-saving devices coming in a section is a sure sign of prosperity in that particular section. The big Republic Truck, owned by the Sims-Jordan Hardware Co., of Pecos, and the Newhartparr Tractor seen on our streets during the week should be an inspiration to our farmers and oil men. The latter was transported from El Paso on a motor truck demonstrating the convenience with which it can be moved from place to place, if its speed does not suit the owner.

We will increase our dry goods and grocery stocks from time to time. Get our prices on that next bill.—Green's. Advertisement

Such has been the bulk of business in air routes that the Postoffice Department has decided to reduce the rate from New York to Chicago to six cents an ounce. Up to the time of the change the rate had been sixteen cents an ounce. It is also planned to transfer twelve army fliers to the Postoffice Department and have them carry the mail. It is claimed that the training they have had makes them just the men the government is seeking.

We have no books. The place where your dollars buy more.—At Green's. Advertisement

Horace Fletcher, the noted advocate of thorough mastication of food, died in Copenhagen recently of bronchitis, aged seventy. Chauncey M. Depew has lived to be eighty-four without "Fletcherizing."

Rev. Dr. C. A. Eaton says, "Our difficulties have not changed even after the war. Women are attempting to solve the destinies of the world. Many of the children look like veritable tramps and their husbands look as though they did not get a square meal once a week."

If your account is long past due and you don't think we will sue, you have another think coming. All past due accounts must be paid.—Green's. Advertisement

The Central Federated Union of New York has requested President Wilson to lift the ban on brewing beer adopted as a war measure, and thus restore 1,000,000 disemployed workers to their jobs.

Weekly Health Talks

Where Most Sickness Begins and Ends

BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

It can be said broadly that most human ills begin in the stomach and end in the stomach. Good digestion means good health, and poor digestion means bad health. The minute your stomach fails to properly dispose of the food you eat, troubles begin to crop out in various forms. Indigestion and dyspepsia are the commonest forms. Thin, impure blood, headaches, pimples, blotches, dizziness, belching, coated tongue, weakness, poor appetite, sleeplessness, coughs, colds and bronchitis are almost as common. There is but one way to have good health, and that is to put and keep your stomach in good order. This is easy to do if you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a wonderful tonic and blood purifier, and is so safe to take, for it is made of roots and herbs. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., stands behind this standard medicine, and it is good to know that a distinguished physician is proud to have his name identified with it. When you take Golden Medical Discovery, you are getting the benefit of the experience of a doctor whose reputation goes all around the earth. Still more, you get a temperance medicine that contains not a drop of alcohol or narcotic of any kind. Long ago Dr. Pierce combined certain valuable vegetable ingredients—without the use of alcohol—so that these remedies always have been strictly temperance medicines. If piles are torturing you, get and use Pierce's Anodyne Pile Ointment. The quick relief it gives is hard to believe until you try it. If constipated, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken while using Anodyne Pile Ointment. Few indeed are the cases which these splendid remedies will not relieve and usually overcome. They are so good that nearly every drug store has them for sale.

Mrs. J. W. Goode left this morning for a visit and rest at her home in Balmorhea. She has been a sufferer from rheumatism for several weeks past. Her visit will be for some time.

It Helps! There can be no doubt as to the merit of Cardui, the woman's tonic, in the treatment of many troubles peculiar to women. The thousands of women who have been helped by Cardui in the past 40 years, is conclusive proof that it is a good medicine for women who suffer. It should help you, too. Take CARDUI The Woman's Tonic Mrs. N. E. Varner, of Hixson, Tenn., writes: "I was passing through the... My back and sides were terrible, and my suffering indescribable. I can't tell just how and where I hurt, about all over, I think... I began Cardui, and my pains grew less and less, until I was cured. I am remarkably strong for a woman 64 years of age. I do all my housework." Try Cardui, today. E-76

PAY THAT WAR FUND PLEDGE Please call and pay your United War Fund Pledge, as all are due and headquarters is very anxious to get all paid. Call and pay Walter Browning.

"See 'Gets-It' Peel Off This Corn." Leaves The Toe as Smooth as the Palm of Your Hand. The corn never grew that "Gets-It" will not get. It never irritates the flesh, never makes your toe sore. Just two drops of "Gets-It" and presto! the corn-pain vanishes. Shortly you can peel the corn right off with your finger and there you are—pain-free and happy. With the toe as smooth and corn-free as your palm, "Gets-It" is the only safe way in the world to treat a corn or callus. It's the sure way—the way that never fails. It is tried and true—used by millions every year. It always works. "Gets-It" makes cutting and digging at a corn and fusing with bandages, salves or anything else entirely unnecessary. "Gets-It" the guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, the only sure way, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Made by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

One-Third Reduction In Cotton is Asked

ACCORDING TO AUTHORITIES THIS ACTION SEEMS TO BE REAL SOLUTION OF HIGH LIVING COSTS

Under the heading "Safety First" the following is sent out by W. B. Yeary, Cotton Specialist of the Department, Austin, Texas: The more I study conditions in the South, the more I see of world conditions, delay in signing the peace terms; failure to allow cotton to move freely to neutral and allied countries; the appointment of boards to ration cotton and other products, and various other things which in one way or another affect cotton; and the more I see of the supply of food stuff absorbed and becoming scarcer, the more I see of the necessity of reducing our cotton acreage and increasing our food and feed crops. Herbert Hoover now predicts that in place of wheat prices declining as soon as the government releases its authority over it, they are likely to advance, because of scarcity. Corn is now at the high notch in price, largely because the acreage in corn has been greatly reduced to sow wheat in the great wheat and corn states. With this reduction in corn acreage we may reasonably suppose corn prices, as well as other feed stuff, will be abnormally high another year.

The South is not a first-class corn growing section, though when the ground is full of water at the beginning of the season as now, she seldom, if ever, fails to make good corn, even if planted a month late.

While I do not believe it more than a possibility for the South to produce more cotton in 1919 than the world will need in 1920, that possibility might happen as it did in 1911 and 1914. If it should, we must remember that since our prices of cotton are made by betting the price up or down, that a short supply if properly controlled, will be abnormally high, and if a reasonably full supply is made and not controlled, the price will be abnormally low.

If then, we produce a full supply of cotton and have not a strong organization to control it, and the price is bet abnormally low, might we not be able to sell corn or other feed crops for more than we could sell cotton? If we had to buy feed, would the cotton at a low price, buy the feed at a high price?

Many people do not know that the farmers of the South controlled speculation during 1917, and to an extent in 1918, by controlling the supply of cotton for sale, or holding their cotton for the price named, but they did. The so-called "high prices" were not by chance or some mysterious war conditions, but by the intelligent action of the producers in an organization fostered and maintained by the Departments of Agriculture of the several cotton states. This organization is not strong enough to carry a bumper crop of cotton and control prices. The Departments of Agriculture have not the funds to make the organization strong enough by fall, to carry the load of a bumper crop. We hope for peace to be signed soon and all restrictions now against the free movement of cotton removed; but we do not know whether or when this will be, and it is dangerous to risk the possible results of a bumper cotton crop.

For the above reasons I appeal to the farmers, merchants and bankers to not let up in their efforts to reduce the cotton acreage 33 1-3 per cent. Do not permit selfish interests to stand in the way. If the State Organization is overpowered with a big crop and combined gambling, and the price reduced, what will become of your business? With your organization destroyed, what will become of the cotton-growing industry?

I have tried, as briefly as possible, to point out our conditions and the "Safety First" course to pursue. Think them over, weigh them, and act as your better judgment dictates.

The Strong Withstand the Winter Cold Better Than the Weak You must have Health, Strength and Endurance to fight Colds, Grip and Influenza.

When your blood is not in a healthy condition and does not circulate properly, your system is unable to withstand the Winter cold.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC Fortifies the System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza by Purifying and Enriching the Blood.

It contains the well-known tonic properties of Quinine and Iron in a form acceptable to the most delicate stomach, and is pleasant to take. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

During the war the Y. M. C. A. distributed \$1,400,000 worth of goods to soldiers free.

MODERN DANCE CONDEMNED BY PECOS CONGREGATION

The congregation known as a Church of Christ, or Christian Church, in Pecos, Texas, being assembled at its usual place of worship on the Lord's day, March 30, 1919, in order to give its best influence and help in checking the spread of worldliness within the church, and to give honor and glory to its Lord and Master, adopts the following resolutions:

First. That the modern dance is an enemy of the Christian standard of morality, contrary to the teaching of Christ, and that a Christian cannot sanction it, or indulge in it, without compromising his Christian profession.

Second. That things which may be harmless within themselves, when practiced at the neglect of plain Christian duty, become sinful, and should then be shunned by one who wears the name of Christ.

Third. That we this day reaffirm ourselves as against the vain use of our Lord's name, the slight regard paid to the Lord's day, and the general lowering of the Christ standard in many respects, as seen in the lives of some professing Christians.

Fourth. That in view of the preceding resolutions, and in the face of the grave situation now confronting the whole world, we pledge ourselves to deeper consecration, to more godly living, and to mutual effort in every way to make our individual lives, and the church, such that our Lord will be pleased, and His name exalted before men.

NOTE—Adopted by an almost unanimous vote of the congregation.

APRIL FOOL PARTY

On Monday evening, a crowd of young people who previously received invitations met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Heard. After the crowd gathered Miss Poe phoned and informed them that it was an April Fool and that the party would be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Faust, so with much fun and laughter they hastened thither.

They were met at the door by Miss Poe and Mr. and Mrs. Faust. After a few minutes' of conversation the boys were given a fishing-pole and told to fish for their luck. Each one caught two dunce caps and the name of the girl who was to be his partner.

Slips of paper were then passed with the words, "Lirpa Ssrif." Each one was to decipher the words and then write a poem on the subject, which was found to be April First. Caroline Glover received the prize, which was a pop-gun, to aid her in the next contest—a hunt. Each one was to write a description of his or her partner, later each to be identified by the description. The next contest was the guessing of the names of popular pieces, as played by Ora Pguett. In the voting of the suffragettes Jim Pruett and Emmett Goode were chosen the most popular young men and were allowed to cut the April Fool cake, which was discovered to be a bowl of punch. The punch with cake and sandwiches were then served. After many expressions of having spent a very pleasant evening the crowd dispersed.

The Weather Bureau at Washington has lately inaugurated a new system of storm-signals, to be flown at various custom houses to indicate the kind of weather to expect. The old signals were considered too complicated for use today, or, rather, each meant too much. Now the signals tell distinctly the kind of storm, its quarter and severity without question.

LIFT OFF CORNS! Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers

LEMONS MAKE SKIN WHITE, SOFT, CLEAR

Make This Beauty Lotion For A Few Cents and See For Yourself.

What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to also whiten the skin and to bring out the roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white this way: Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of orchard white, then shake well and you have a whole quarter pint of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so that no pulp gets into the bottle and then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to face, neck, hands and arms it should help to bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify the skin.



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful!

NEWSY DOTS FROM BALMORHEA

Sol Mayer was on our streets the first of the week attending to business matters.

Another fine rain fell over the Toyah Valley Wednesday night, to the entire satisfaction of all.

W. W. Massey, the wide awake deputy sheriff in this section, was a business visitor to Pecos this week.

Three cars of alfalfa and one car of wheat were shipped from this section the past week, consigned to eastern points.

L. W. Anderson and W. D. Cowan were in the Hub City last Thursday shaking hands with friends and attending to business.

Albert Sisk, salesman for the Pecos Mercantile Co., was in the city Tuesday, calling upon the trade, and said that if the people will make their wants known it can be furnished.

Johnnie Hourigan, who has been in the service of Uncle Sam, in the Navy, and was stationed at San Diego, Calif., has received his honorable discharge and is now home again—glad to be back.

Will Crow, tax assessor of Fort Davis, was down in the Valley last Thursday to attend the railroad meeting and to lend us a hand. Old Will is always there when he sees that his friends need him. Come again, Will.

The officials of the Pecos Valley Southern Railway, met with the people of the Valley last Thursday night at the Methodist church and discussed ways and means of maintaining our railroad in the Valley. All who were present went away with a better feeling and fully assured that the road was here to stay, for the officials made clear what was wanted, and the farmers arose in a body and promised to lend their help as they have always done for this and every thing else that has ever come up that would benefit them or their neighbors. The people of this great Valley are here to stay and are going to maintain those things from which they derive benefit. We have a railroad, and an automobile highway—none better—and we intend to keep them. SIG.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW

Prepared each week for The Enterprise by the St. Louis Union Bank of St. Louis, Mo.:

Postmaster General Bursleson issued a statement on March 7, calling attention to the increase in postal receipts as indicating business prosperity. He says, "When business is prosperous, that fact is reflected in increased postal receipts. On the other hand a decline in postal receipts is a certain indication of depressed business: During the month of November last there was a pronounced decline in postal revenue due to the nation-wide prevalence of influenza and the signing of the armistice. These influences intimidated and halted business throughout the entire United States. December showed a returning movement toward normal conditions, while for the months of January and February the postal revenues greatly exceeded the average annual increases in postal revenues during the last thirty years."

"Judged, therefore by the reliable business barometer of the postal service, it is obvious that notwithstanding the fear of business depression expressed in some quarters, this country is on the threshold of pronounced industrial prosperity."

Have You Illness at Your Home? WE SINCERELY HOPE NOT But if there should be, the invalid should have the best possible attention and all comfort you can provide, for whatever increases the patient's comfort, increases chance for rapid recovery. We wish to call your attention to the many comforts that we can offer, as well as the usual necessities. Whatever your doctor recommends, we can supply immediately. When You Must Have it in a Hurry-- PHONE 32 PECOS DRUG COMPANY, Inc. THE REXALL STORE

F. P. RICHBERG Land and Rental Agency Are desirous of handling your Lands, Leases, Rentals See them without delay

Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR The Ford Motor Company has instructed us to sell the genuine Ford parts to any and every reliable Garage who will pledge their use in the repair of Ford cars. The genuine Ford parts are absolutely necessary to the owner of Ford cars that he may get full service from his car. We carry them and so we hope, in a short time will every reliable Garage. We solicit your service business because we have the Ford Methods, the Ford Parts, the Ford Mechanics and the Ford Prices. Incidentally would be glad to get your order for one or more Ford cars.

Pecos Auto Company PECOS, TEXAS

Eggs for Setting From choice select matings of the best blood in America. Barred Rock Eggs, per 15, \$2.50 Silver Spangled Hamburgs, 3.00 Call around and see my pens and you'll know they are as good as the best. They are worth the money. John Hibdon, Pecos, Tex.

"The end of an Imperfect Day"



"Nervous Headache"

Nervous headache is the result of a run down weakened nervous system. You feel out of sorts—everything seems wrong—food disagrees with the tired stomach—you can't sleep and have a constant case of "the blues."

Rev. Geo. Heffelman of New Cumberland, Pa., tells how he was cured after he had almost given up hope.

"Five or six years ago I became greatly worried on account of the condition of my nerves. I was prostrated and suffered so much I thought I would never be well again. I used one bottle of DR. MILES' NERVINE and began to improve from the first. I then used it until it completely cured me. It is without doubt the greatest nerve remedy ever discovered."

If you are troubled with a nervous affliction, you will find the first bottle of DR. MILES' NERVINE will bring relief. It is non-alcoholic and contains no injurious drugs—a safe, dependable and efficient family medicine. Ask your druggist about it.



THE WORM TURNS

There is a certain long suffering father whose nerves sometimes give way under the constant fire of questions from his talkative 8-year-old son.

"Dad," asked the youngster just as the old man had one evening settled down for a perusal of his newspaper. "Dad, am I made of dust?"

"I think not," responded the unhappy parent, "otherwise you would dry up now and then."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

How would you like to eat a hot lunch in mid-air going at the rate of 100 miles an hour? The plan of sustaining strength by eating hot food, kept warm by thermos bottles is a proven success, and two aviators, flying from Washington to Mineola, say the lunch was thoroughly enjoyed. The sensation of eating while going at such a rate must be a peculiar one, to say the least.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It looks now as if the old rate of postage would be restored after July first. At a conference recently in Washington, the conferees agreed that if no further outbreak occurred first-class postage would be two cents for letters and one cent for postal-cards. Second, third and fourth class mail is still under discussion and there may be many radical changes made before the government finishes.

Reeves County Oil Lease Exchange

We have a demand for Leases. List them with us—We have acreage to sell near the Laura and Troxel Wells. Have 5-acre blocks near Laura Well. Don't delay if you want something Good.

I. E. SMITH, Mngr., Pecos, Texas

Pecos Oil Exchange

Let us handle your business. Land and Leases bought and sold. List your property with us. Commission business is solicited. Our Motto:

"Give a Square Deal; Live and Let Live"

Across the Street from the Post Office

Jack L. Woods, Mngr.

Additional Personals

Mr. Otey Rogers of Barstow, was a business visitor to Pecos yesterday.

F. W. Johnson will leave Sunday for Mineral Wells where he will spend a few weeks.

Oron Camp and wife have moved to Pecos from Orla. We are glad to welcome them back.

POSTED AGAINST TRESPASSERS

All the U ranch range is posted. Hunting therein or hauling wood therefrom is forbidden. Don't ask the management for permission to do either, it will not be granted.

E. P. STUCKLER, Advertisement

Otis Johnson and mother of Cleburne are here visiting Mrs. T. Y. Moorhead and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Stamper were business visitors from Saragosa this week. The former looking after the leasing of oil lands.

A. M. Randolph, county surveyor, will leave for Van Horn early next week where he will be a witness in a land suit in the court there.

Earl Collings left Wednesday for Alpine and other points on the Southern Pacific in the interest of the Ranger-Hudson Oil Co. Earl is a splendid salesman and is doing a hustling business.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held in the town of Pecos City on Tuesday, April 7th, 1919, for the election of two aldermen to serve for two years.

Said election to be conducted in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas. The polling place will be at the City Hall.

J. E. STARLEY, Mayor.

Mrs. J. N. Green returned Thursday from Barstow, accompanied by her sister. The latter's little child was recently stung by ants, and suffered intensely, but is much better at this writing.

Dr. Bryan was called to Texarkana the fore part of the week to attend his sister during a serious operation which she underwent at that place. Reports from the doctor state she is doing nicely.

Mrs. Aubrey Wolf and two children, who have been visiting relatives in Pecos for the past few weeks, will leave tonight for her new home at Dalhart, where Mr. Wolf is in the drug business with a brother.

STRAYED—From Sayles' ranch in Cuberson county, small bunch of Angora goats. Ten dollars reward for information leading to recovery of same. Address MAC SAYLES, Toyah, Texas. 33-11

Judge Will P. Brady of El Paso, was in Pecos the fore part of this week in the interest of the El Paso-Sunshine Oil Co., and also looking after other personal interests. The Judge is looking well and happy.

Mrs. W. L. Kingston was in Pecos for a short time this week. She has been visiting for several weeks in Dallas, Fort Worth, Baird and other points east. She states that in her rounds she saw a sample of wheat over two feet high and was informed that around Baird they have the best prospects for crops this season they have had in many years. Mrs. Kingston concluded her description by saying that she had not seen any part of Texas that suited her as well as does West Texas—especially Toyah Valley. She left for her home in the Davis Mountains this morning.

NO REASON FOR IT

You Are Shown a Way Out There is no reason why any reader of this who suffers the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the pains and dangers of kidney ills will fail to heed the word of a resident of this locality who has found relief. The following is convincing proof:

Geo. W. Snyder, 422 E. Harris St., San Angelo, Texas, says: "Some time ago I was troubled by my kidneys. I had pains in my back constantly and was stiff and lame. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and caused me much annoyance. I suffered for quite a while before I got anything that would relieve me. Finally I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon rid me of the trouble."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Snyder did. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv't.

SPECIAL MASONIC MEETING

There will be a special meeting of the Council at the Pecos Chapter rooms on April 10th, for the conferring of degrees. All Chapter Masons are urged to be present. 33-1t W. A. HUDSON, H. P.

Dr. I. E. Smith left yesterday morning for El Paso on business. He has some valuable leases which El Paso parties would like to have, and his mission there is to see if they can get together on the deal.

Mrs. Martha Adams left last Sunday for Hot Springs, New Mexico, to take baths and drink that water for her rheumatism. She has of late suffered greatly from this malady, but late reports from Hot Springs is to the effect that she is improving.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held at the Court House in Pecos, on Saturday, April 5th, 1919, for the purpose of electing three trustees for Pecos Independent School District.

E. L. Collings has been appointed presiding officer.

W. A. HUDSON, Board of Trustees. M. W. COLLIE, Secy. 31

Major T. H. Bomar received the sad news this week that his only sister, Mrs. A. B. Killian, who resided at Atlanta, Ga., had passed away at 1:30, March 29, 1919, and that her last words were "Write to Brother." The Major has the sympathy of our people.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Means are here from Magdalena, N. M. Miss Nannie Mae Collings, sister of Mrs. Means, accompanied them, and will visit for about ten days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Collings. Mr. Means left yesterday for El Paso and San Marcial, N. M.

HARDY OPEN GROWN PLANTS—Now shipping leading varieties Sweet Potatoes, Tomatoes, postpaid, 500-\$2.00, 1000-\$3.50; Hot and sweet peppers, Eggplant, Beets, 500-\$2.50, 1000-\$4.75; Cabbage, Bermuda Onions, 500-\$1.25, 1000-\$2.00. Write or wire for catalog and wholesale prices. Order early and notify us when to ship. LIBERTY PLANT COMPANY, Crystal City, Texas. 32-110

Tom Crum is confined to his home with a serious affliction that threatens the sight of one of his eyes. Two or three weeks ago a thorn penetrated the ball of his eye, and affected it to such an extent that there is little hope of saving the eye. Aside from the probable loss of sight in this eye Tom's suffering at times is intense. That a cure may be effected in this case is the wish of Tom's many friends.

R. R. Smothers of Sweetwater, L. Price of Paris, and W. W. Pentecost of Fort Worth, are in Pecos today. All are representatives of the Waples-Platter Grocery Co., of Fort Worth. Smothers informed the Enterprise man that this was his last trip here for that company, as he had accepted the position as house man for the company's large establishment at Farwell, and would soon move to that place with his family. Mr. Price will take charge of this territory and will move to Sweetwater. Mr. Pentecost is a cousin of Mrs. Sam Prewitt.

FOR SALE ON VERY REASONABLE TERMS

One of the best, up-to-date, convenient homes in Pecos. 7 large rooms, besides bath-room and closets; very large sleeping-porch. A two-story barn, concrete walk from house. A good garage with concrete pit. Big grass lawn, good garden, small alfalfa patch, chicken houses, wood house, etc. Hot and cold water in house. Well, engine, and water tanks all belong to property. For a real bargain, see A. D. LINTON, At City Pharmacy. Advertisement

PAY THAT WAR FUND PLEDGE

Please call and pay your United War Fund Pledge, as all are due and headquarters is very anxious to get all paid. Call and pay Walter Browning.

BLACKLEG WILL BE BAD THIS SPRING BETTER VACCINATE

The prices of Purity Blackleg Aggression has recently been reduced. Our present prices are as follows: All orders for less than 500 doses, 23c per dose; 500 to 1000 doses 22c; 1000 to 2500 doses 21c; over 2500 doses, 20c per dose, plus war tax of .0024 per dose, f. o. b. Fort Worth, Texas.

I always have a few doses on hand and can deliver them here, but any amount will have to have a few days' notice to get them in. Write, phone, or wire all orders to J. B. HEARD, Pecos, Texas. 32-14 Advertisement

CASH

We have discontinued the CREDIT Business. We believe we can Better Serve you by working on your car rather than your account. Why Waste Valuable Time on our books when it should be spent looking after your wants and requirements. . . . We wish to thank our patrons for past business, and ask that you continue with us as we go on our New Basis

CASH--After April First--CASH

Pecos Auto Co.

FATHER DEAD IN TENNESSEE

A. D. Linton left Sunday for Milan, Tennessee, in answer to a telegram stating that his aged father was critically ill. The same day he left another message came announcing the death of his father, W. H. Linton, at the ripe age of 82 years. The Enterprise joins the many friends of the family in deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

MOVE HERE FROM DeKALB

Lee Ligon, recently of DeKalb, but who is now, with his most estimable family, residents of Pecos arrived this week. Mr. Ligon recently purchased the Tom Crum place and they are now busy straightening things up and making themselves comfortable. Mr. Ligon is a stockman and has leased pasturage up the river—the Ezell place, it is understood—and this week shipped five carloads of cattle which he has placed on the range. They are splendid people, and the Enterprise, with the best people of our town, extends to them a cordial welcome to our beautiful little city.

EYES ARE GREATLY IMPROVED

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Pruett are back home from El Paso, where Mr. Pruett went to have his eyes treated. The specialist recommended the extraction of his teeth—claiming they were the cause of his trouble. He is now as toothless as a babe but his eyes are greatly improved, and he thinks they will be o. k. again in a short while. The many friends of T. B. will be very glad to know of this, yet will regret to have to look upon his uncomely countenance until the doctors adorn his face with a perfectly beautiful set of new teeth.

To release men for the army a 16-year-old Utah girl last year plowed and cultivated 60 acres of wheat and beets, took care of the irrigation-gates on the farm, did the family baking, raised 100 chickens, canned 660 quarts of fruit and vegetables, and in spare moments knitted socks and sweaters for soldiers. When she went back to high school to prepare for a college course she was decorated by the Department of Agriculture with the medal of a four-leaf clover, usually awarded for four years distinguished service.

Hayes' Healing Honey

Stops The Tickle

Heals The Throat Cures The Cough Price 35c.

A FREE BOX OF GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE (Opens the Pores and Penetrates) For Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup, is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY You get the Cough Syrup and the Salve for one price, 35c. Made, Recommended and Guaranteed to the Public by Paris Medicine Company Manufacturers of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

In the Southwest a new sport has arisen, that of shooting deer and other big game from airplanes. This has aroused a protest from fair-minded sportmen; for deer, especially, can not face strong light, and therefore, are at a decided disadvantage, inasmuch as they cannot seem to see the airplanes as they go along above them.

LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the sheriff or any constable of Reeves county—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John Yates by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 70th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 70th, 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 third Monday in April, 1919, the same being the 21st day of April, 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 12th day of March, 1919, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1832, wherein Mrs. Augusta Reynolds, a widow, is plaintiff, and Wm. G. Yates and John Yates are defendants, said petition alleging that said plaintiff conveyed to Wm. G. Yates all of Sec. 40, Block 6, H. & G. N. RR. Co. Survey, in Reeves County, Texas, on or about December 20, 1916, in consideration among other things of two certain notes bearing said date, in the sum of \$1000 each, signed by said Wm. G. Yates, payable to the order of the plaintiff at Pecos, Texas, due, respectively, in two and three years after date, with interest thereon from date until paid at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, interest payable annually at Pecos, Texas; the said notes providing that at the election of the holder, that default in the payment of either of said notes or of any installment of interest due thereon, should mature both of said notes; that thereafter on or the said Wm. G. Yates conveyed said above described land to John Yates. Plaintiff sues and prays that the defendant Wm. G. Yates be cited by citation as required by law, and that the defendant John Yates be cited by publication, to appear and answer her petition, and upon final hearing that she have judgment against the said Wm. G. Yates for her debt, interest and attorney's fees and costs, and for judgment against both defendants foreclosing the vendor's lien upon the above described property, for order of sale and general and special relief. For a more particular description of said suit, reference is hereby made to the plaintiff's original petition now on file in the above court.

Herein fail not, but have before said court on said first day of the next term thereof, 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, in the City of Pecos, Texas, this the 13th day of March, A. D. 1919. (Seal) S. C. VAUGHAN, Clerk, Dist. Court, Reeves Co., Texas. First insertion March 14. Last insertion April 4.

Interesting Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Skeen of Balmorhea, were business visitors in Pecos Monday.
E. F. Fuqua was in from Saragosa Monday transacting business with our Pecos merchants.
W. E. Scott of Porterville, was among the many business visitors noted on our streets Wednesday.
I have permanently located in Pecos. Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses scientifically adjusted.—I. E. SMITH, M. D. Advertisement
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cox of Saragosa were visiting with friends in Pecos Monday.
Just received a car of American Beauty flour.—Green's. Advertisement
L. L. Moody, one of Fort Stockton's prominent business men, was a Pecos visitor Wednesday.
Four dollar is worth 100 cents here.—Green's. Advertisement
Oliver King was over from Monahans Monday seeing friends and attending to business matters.
Homer Magee and wife left this afternoon for Barstow where the former will conduct services at the funeral of an infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Vaught, who died there yesterday.
P. V. Hollebeke was down from his ranch northwest of Pecos Tuesday, and visited with relatives in Pecos.
We are handling GOLDEN GATE Brand Coffees, Teas, Spices, Extracts and Cake Coloring.—B. G. SMITH of Advertisement
Over 10,000 American soldiers have married French girls and will bring their brides to this country with them.
If you owe us, pay us, we need it.—Green's. Advertisement

Tom Hart was in Pecos Monday on business, remaining over until Tuesday. Tom has been offered a position with the Pecos Mercantile Company, in the hardware department, and though the editor did not learn whether or not he accepted, rumor has it that he will return next week and with his good wife and little son take up his abode in Pecos.
Please don't ask us for credit, we cannot extend it.—Green's. Advertisement
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bolen are citizens of Pecos, having moved into the Jim Prewit place on Oak street. Harvey is a Pecos boy, and the change from East Texas was made on account of rheumatism with which his wife suffers.
If your account is over thirty days old, pay us, we need it. We have extended you every courtesy and now we must have our money.—Green's. Advertisement
Mrs. J. E. Jarrel was over from Toyah yesterday trading with Pecos merchants.
We furnish hundreds of the best families in Reeves county. Why not yours?—Green's. Advertisement
There are over 20,000 agitators working throughout the United States spreading the seeds of Bolshevism. Last year 30,000,000,000 cigarettes were produced in the United States, or four times as many as seven years ago.
Nice line of fruits and vegetables all the time.—Phone 84. Advertisement
Yukio Ozaki, former minister of Justice of Japan, predicts that the colored races will some day demand the same treatment as the white and that the next war will be a color-line fight.
The officers of the Dairymen's League demanded \$4.01 per 100 lbs. for milk furnished New York City in January, and dumped the milk in the fields rather than sell it for less.
Watch our price lists. Buy our specials.—Green's. Advertisement

Mrs. J. L. Moore of Brogado, was in Pecos Tuesday seeing friends and transacting business.
Rev. J. F. Lloyd, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Balmorhea, was a visitor in Pecos Monday.
Miss Clara Rutledge, who teaches at Saragosa, was the guest of her brother, Prof. P. J. Rutledge, Saturday.
A. J. Carpenter, one of the real old-timers of Reeves county, was in from his farm at Saragosa Monday on business.
Mrs. P. J. Rutledge and children returned the latter part of the week from a visit of two weeks to her sister at Ranger.
Go to W. H. Drummond for the best prices on cow hides. 14 cents for No. 1 green, and 29 cents for No. 1 dry flint hides. 28-1f Advertisement
J. M. Cooksey was down from the ranch Tuesday looking after matters of business and visiting relatives and friends in the Oil City.
Uncle Joe Seay is in Pecos this week looking after interests here. He is looking fine and happy and from currents reports will soon be an oil magnate.
Mrs. H. Tweedle and children arrived Monday from Sterling City for a visit to her father, A. A. Eddins and sisters, Mrs. Tom Crum, and the Misses Eddins.
Miss Elva Adams and sister, Mrs. R. H. Shannon, of Fort Stockton, are here looking after the hotel while Mrs. Adams is away taking the hot baths for rheumatism.
Miss Nettie McMaster came in from Orla last week where she has been teaching, and will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Joe Hollebeke for several days before returning to her home in East Texas.
B. A. Barrager and Ben E. Cassels of Orla, were in town the fore part of the week purchasing supplies and looking after business matters. They are connected with one of the big sulphur companies operating there.
The ladies of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will have a market at the Pecos Mercantile Co. on April 12th. Should you desire something good to eat about that time do not fail to see them. 32-t3 Advertisement
Judge Ira J. Bell, of the Dixieland Syndicate, who have begun drilling for oil near Dixieland, left Saturday for Chicago to look after some details in connection with this work. This well is located about 25 miles north of Pecos, in Reeves county.

WASH GOODS
We are now opening our NEW SPRING WASH GOODS—Voiles, Organdies, Tissue Gingham, Zephyr Gingham, Lawns, Battistes and all of the Sheer Linenwear in plain White and Fancy Weaves. Our Third Shipment of Silk Dresses is here. Try and see them as early as possible, as we are having a wonderful business on these dresses
Pecos Merc. Co.
Pecos, Texas

MILLINERY
EASTER will soon be here. Have you purchased your Easter Bonnet?
Next week brings us a shipment of the Newest and Best Things in Late Spring and Early Summer Millinery. Let Us Show You Through Our Line Before They are Picked Over
MISS LILLIE POE
PECOS DRY GOODS BUILDING PECOS, TEXAS

Judge Clay Cooke was a passenger west on No. 25 yesterday.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ashe, at the sanitarium, March 23, 1919, a son.
Capt. J. T. Tucker left on the Tuesday evening train for a visit in Merkel and Mineral Wells.
We have reduced the price of Blackleg Germ-free Vaccine to 23 cents per dose. Three years' test. Reference: Any user.
C. HOLZGRAF, Distributing Agt., 30*4t Midland, Texas. Advertisement
A. W. Hosie, county commissioner and stockman, of Toyah, was a business visitor in Pecos Thursday.
J. E. Allman, a representative of the El Paso Herald, is in Pecos today looking after the interests of that newspaper.

J. G. Love left the early part of this week on a business trip in the central and southern part of the State.
Mrs. Collie Prewit and children came in from Arizona last week and are now occupying their property in the south part of the city.
Mrs. Tamsy Rector and daughter, Miss Emma Rector, from Dalhart, are in Pecos visiting with the former's sister, Mrs. Julia Ward.
Misses Annie and Jennie Rooney of Fort Stockton, passed through Pecos Wednesday, en route to Dallas, where they are attending school.
Mrs. R. M. Hughes, who for the past week has been in Pecos visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Woods, and other relatives, left last night for her home at Sherman.
Judge E. R. Bryan, of Midland Grand Visitor of the Grand Church of Texas, visited the Pecos church last Saturday night.
Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles, and you are not restful sleep after the first application. Price 5c.

Home Sweet Home
A WANDERER stood in the darkened street, looking through the window at a happy family within. The scene represented home to him—the home he did not have—the home his soul longed for.
The man went away unseen, and one day wrote a song—the song of his soul. And the song became immortal, for it expressed that which in music never before had been expressed.
The man was John Howard Payne, and his song "Home Sweet Home," the greatest heart-song ever written. You may RE-CREATE in your own home this immortal song if you own
The NEW EDISON
"The Phonograph with a Soul"
"Home Sweet Home," "Swanee River," "Old Black Joe," "Kathleen Mavourneen" and hundreds of others of similar character—all are at your command, waiting to be RE-CREATED for you by the magic of this greatest of all instruments, with all the richness of melody and depth of expression that you have longed for in the phonograph.
Brady-Camp Jewelry Company
Pecos, Texas

FOR SALE OR TRADE
One 18 h. p. Stover engine in first-class shape, and 6-inch Advance pump—centrifugal—will take \$475 for the outfit, cash, or trade for good Ford car. JOE YOUNGBLOOD, Box 395, Pecos, Texas. 31*4t
The Enterprise has plenty of Oil Leases—Form 58—in stock, for sale.

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MAX RITZ, Proprietor
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FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—225 acres southeast part of section 15, also 300 acres in north half of section 25, blk 4, H. & G. N. Survey, Reeves county. Carries paid-up water right in Farmers' Independent Canal Co., All clear. No oil or mineral lease. H. P. SNOW, Winfield, Kansas. 31
FOR SALE—228 feet of 5-in., 48 ft. of 12-in., and 46 ft. of 18-in. casing. For price call at this office or see Mrs. D. A. Dodds, Pecos, Texas. 28tf
FOR SALE—Twelve laying Rhode Island Red hens and five Leghorn hens, and two registered roosters, cheap. Phone 269. 26-tf
FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red eggs for setting. Cock from prize winner 1918 Texas Egg Laying Contest. \$3 per 15. Second pen, pure bred stock, \$2 per 15.—EXPERIMENT STATION, Pecos, 25tf

FOR RENT.
FOR SALE—One-half interest in the City Market. Present proprietor wishes to retire from active business.

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